

# GRAHAM CRACKERS

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More and more evidence is piling up to show that a little effort—not just talk on the street corners—is needed to bring new industry to the small cities of the High Plains.

Just this past week, Portales landed a \$100,000-a-year payroll factory which will serve the meatpacking industry, and Littlefield rang the bell again with a \$200,000 fertilizer manufacturing plant. The Lamb County city has also recently pulled in a pipe and guard-rail forming business.

These cities, though larger than Friona, of course, nonetheless are models of what can take place here because they underscore the background work that nearly always is necessary before a company announces its intention of moving in.

Talk is going around this week that a group of local boosters may attempt to take off over the weekend for a visit with a distant vegetable processor to see about another shed here next year.

If this trip is made, it may or may not be fruitful. But it will represent a sacrifice on the part of local businessmen, who have plenty of their own affairs to attend to at the moment.

However, sacrifices of time and money are going to be necessary to attract really worthwhile enterprises to Friona. We have many "built-in" advantages, but it takes some real selling to get something on a large scale put over.

Lilah Gaye Gee sent us the season's greetings in the form of an anecdote, which, we gather, is supposed to be funny to everybody but newspaper editors:

An editor had cause to admonish his son because of the lad's reluctance to attend school.

"You must go every day and learn to be a great scholar," said the fond father. "Otherwise you can never be an editor. What would you do, for instance, if your newspaper came out full of mistakes?"

"Father," was the reply, "I'd blame the printer."

And the father wept with joy because he knew he had a successor for the editorial chair.

Those who heard Congressman Walter Rogers when he was here three weeks ago got a taste of the man's sharp mind. While the congressman's colleagues have a high respect for his ability as a statesman, he is about as well known for his humorous observations in the nation's capitol as anything else.

Larston D. Farrar, syndicated columnist, writing in *The American Press*, notes that the Republicans, while unable to raise everybody's salary, have in most instances, elevated their prestige considerably.

He says page boys are no longer just page boys. They are "communications expeditors" around Capitol Hill. Janitors are now "administrative assistants in charge of maintenance."

Mimeograph operators have become "information coordinators," and he credits Congressman Rogers with discovering this sign: "4156 General Services Administration."

Region 3, Public Buildings Service, Buildings Management Division, Utility Room, Custodial."

When he asked what it meant, the attendant replied, "Broom Closet."

If slow starts during these cold, dreary mornings leave you running behind, maybe it'll cheer you up if we remind you that the days are getting longer already, and that improvements are in sight.

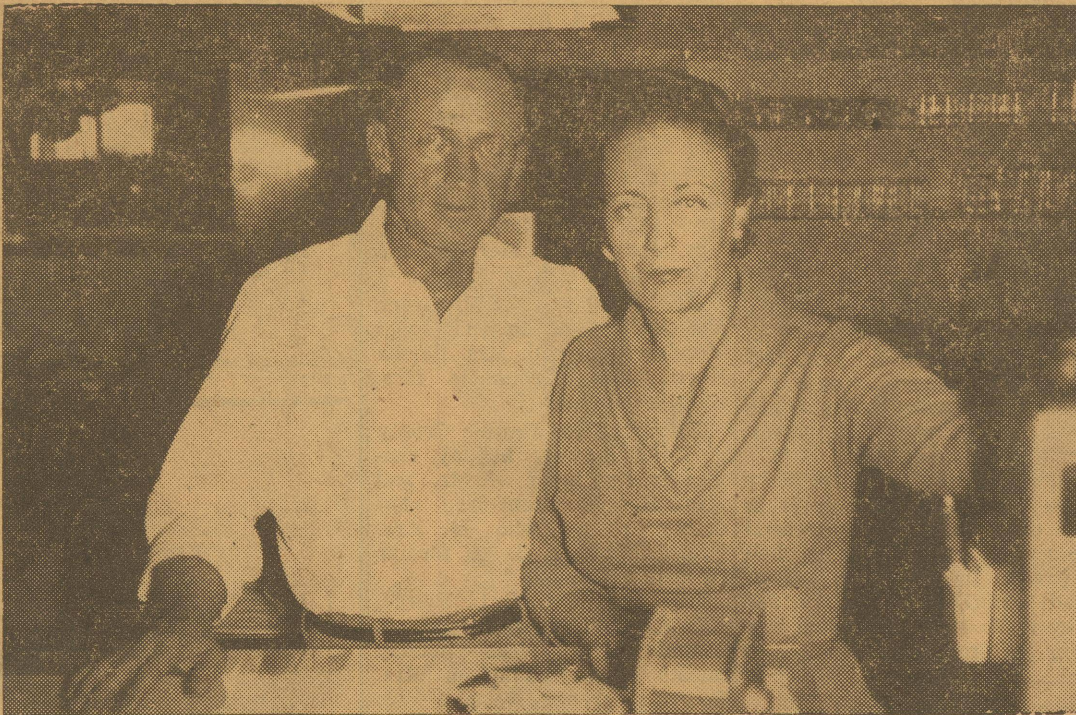
Since December 22, which was the first day of winter, the sun has been coming up earlier every day and going down later every evening. That's hard for many people to understand, because one would usually think that the coldest weather of the year would be when the sun was at its southern-most ebb.

The fact that the oceans and the land warm and cool slowly is the explanation to this phenomenon. The northern hemisphere has been radiating the warmth of last summer and has resisted the cooling effects of the departing sunshine.

Now, however, the trend has reversed and the warming trend began again, but its lag is so slow that some of our coldest weather will probably occur near the equinox in March.

Here on the Plains of the Southwest, our air is clear and clouds are few, and we get the full benefit of the sun's warming rays during the afternoons.

We should enjoy afternoons while we can, because the weather this summer and fall has been a harbinger of rugged days to come.



CAFE OPERATORS—Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Sherman, who have begun service in their cafe on the highway in western Friona, are planning the formal opening of the cafe Saturday. They are formerly of Hereford.

## Cafe Formal Opening Set For Saturday

Formal opening of Sherman's Cafe is slated for Saturday, announces Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Sherman, owners.

Free coffee and doughnuts will be served, with ice cream as a treat for children, the owners say. The Shermans invite everybody to visit the cafe at its opening and get acquainted.

The establishment has been offering service since Friday of last week.

## MOD Plans Made

The annual March of Dimes drive will be conducted in Parmer County again this year, reports Raymond Euler of Friona, campaign chairman for the county. Hugh Moseley, county clerk of Farwell, is again serving as county chairman.

Community chairmen will be named this week, and an announcement in this regard will be made next week, Euler indicates.

No large activity is planned this year, but Mother's Marches will probably be held, and coin collectors will be offered merchants for display in their businesses, Euler says.

## Tenth Service Station Ready

Friona's tenth service station is declared open this week by its owner, E. E. Deaton.

Deaton and Son Phillips 66 Service Station is the business name of the new station. It is located on the Hub Road just outside the city limits, south of Friona.

Deaton has had about 15 years experience as a station operator prior to his opening at the new location. Most of the 15 years has been in Friona.

Possibility that he will incorporate a fruit stand and stock a few other food necessities is mentioned by Deaton. However, definite plans have not been completed, he says.

### ATTENDS FUNERAL

Wes Long attended funeral services for one of his uncles, Bill Baldwin, at Corsicana Thursday. He was accompanied by Mrs. Hester Webb and Homer Long of Needmore and Mrs. Alta Long of Muleshoe.



J. T. GEE—Honored at Exes annual meeting

## Arrests May Solve Holdups, Burglaries

A series of burglaries and armed robberies in this area, including service station hold-ups in Farwell and Friona, were solved late Tuesday afternoon with the arrest of one white man and five Spanish-Americans in Clovis.

The case broke suddenly when a Mexican boy was arrested in connection with a break-in in Clovis, says Parmer County Sheriff Chas. Lovelace. After questioning, several other persons were brought into the picture and considerable goods from various robberies were recovered.

Billy Beeson, 27, Clovis, was returned to Farwell late Wednesday afternoon where he was charged with three county robberies. He confessed to the Parmer County hold-ups, as well as ones in Castro and Bailey Counties.

The ones in Parmer County Beeson confessed to having a part in were those of the Smith-Massey Service Station in Friona, Roberson Service Station in Farwell, and the Loren Thompson home in Lariat.

Beeson was known to have had two accomplices in the Friona robbery and one in the Farwell hold-up, but they have not yet been apprehended. Five of the persons arrested are being held in Clovis to face charges for the burglary of a grocery store there Sunday night.

It is not known whether or not any of the five had a part in the Parmer County burglaries, Lovelace says.

Beeson was identified as having taken part in the station robberies by Herman Roberson of Farwell and Jesse and

Joe Moreno of Friona, attendants on hand at the time of the hold-ups.

The hold-up in Farwell occurred on December 18 and the one in Friona was the following day. Taken at the Farwell station was \$40 and from the all-night Friona station was \$175.

Some sport clothes taken from the Thompson home on December 16 were recovered as was a considerable amount of goods from a Dimmitt business. The burglary in Dimmitt occurred last week.

The Clovis officers, along with Sheriff Lovelace unfolded the case Tuesday afternoon. The first big clue was the finding of a pawn ticket on Beeson, according to Lovelace.

Pawned in Clovis was a .32 calibre automatic pistol, which proved to be the gun that fired the shell found in the driveway of the station at Friona. Also found was the can of gas which three of the men had bought at the Friona station prior to the hold-up there.

The can was still full. The gasoline can, along with goods from several other robberies were found at a Clovis residence. All of the clothes except for one suit taken at the Thompson home have been recovered.

Also, quite a few items taken from the Dimmitt business were found with the loot.

Mrs. Ray Hurst and children of Midland were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Shackelford last week. Mrs. Hurst is a daughter of the Shackelford's.

## Basketball Back In Swing, Teams Top Vega Tuesday

Friona's Squaws and Chiefs got back into action after the Christmas holidays Tuesday against Vega. Both teams added another game to their list of wins. The local squads won over the northern visitors with wide margins of victory.

Jonnie Hand, mainstay of the

Squaws at the center spot, was the center of scoring for the Friona girls team.

Her 42 points kept the basket swishing and the scoreboard climbing as the Squaws passed the Vega girls team 84 to 56.

Charlotte Bock of the Friona forward line scored 15 points of the Squaws total. Players who showed outstanding skill were Ruby Grubbs, Robbie Boggess, and Bock, whose handling and passing skill enabled Hand to chalk up 42 points, half of the Squaws' points.

Wayne Rhodes accounted for 12 points to lead the scoring for the Chiefs as the local team finished ahead of Vega 56 to 30.

"Much improvement in defensive play could be noted," says Chief Coach Dempsey Watkins.

All the Chieftain players saw action, and Ted Sanders and Gary Goetz looped eight points each to boost the Chiefs' points.

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# STAR

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## More Fund Drive Planned Later

Wind-up of the Community Fund drive, delayed by pressing activities during the closing of 1957, will get underway in the near future, according to Andy Hurst, chairman.

The drive is planned to cover all areas of the Friona School District before its finish, and all persons whose names are listed with the drive will be offered an opportunity to contribute, Hurst says.

## Friona Well Protected--3rd Officer Now On Duty

Friona will be well policed, beginning this week with the addition of Edd Dukes to the police department of a regular basis. Dukes' position in the police department was recently created by the city commission. Under the expanded department an officer will be on regular duty almost 24 hours each day.

Prior to his joining the department, Dukes was employed at Maurer Machinery Company in Friona, having recently joined the implement firm. Prior to this he was a bus foreman for Friona Independent School District and had resigned about three months ago.

Recently, Dukes began working on a part-time basis for the police department, getting preliminary training.

Regarding the addition of the third officer to the police department, Mayor A. W. Anthony Sr. says the problem of a salary had kept the city's police force trimmed to only two officers, until the commission okayed the hiring of Dukes.

Bill Ford, who was police chief before present Chief Ben Moorman was hired, had asked the commission to engage a third officer, but without success.

"The city will actually make a \$600 profit in a year by hiring a third officer," says City Clerk Roy Wilson. "The figure of \$600 is right, figured on the number of tickets that Moorman has given," Wilson says.

"And, if Dukes keeps issuing tickets at the rate he has been while he is on duty, he will give enough tickets to bring in \$600 above his salary," Wilson says. Salary for Dukes is presently \$285 monthly.

Mayor Anthony says the commission allowed the addition to the police department on a three month-temporary basis.

"If everything doesn't work out all right, and the arrangement is not satisfactory, we can change it," he states.

"The commission feels that the city needs an officer on duty 24 hours a day. Two officers cannot be expected to take a 12 hour shift each, so a third man is necessary," the mayor says.

Law enforcement authorities say that an officer for each 1,000 persons is considered adequate for a city. Friona—top estimated population, 2,500—now has four local peace officers. Besides the three Friona policemen, Deputy Sheriff Jim Roberts was recently stationed in the town.

## Sherrieb Farm Sale Monday, January 6

The farm auction sale of Clyde Sherrieb will be Monday, January 6, beginning at 10 a. m. The sale will be two miles east of Friona on Highway 60, and one mile north.

Leading the sale list are a Diesel Fordson tractor and a 1941 Oliver "70" tractor. Other machinery, live stock, poultry, and miscellaneous items complete the list.

Auctioneers are Bill Flippin and Jack Howell. Clerks are Bill Woodley and Hugh Moseley. Lunch will be served at noon.

### ATTEND FUNERAL

Mrs. Rosa Anderson and Ross Terry attended funeral services for Robert Fields of Floydada Sunday. Fields, who was Mrs. Anderson's nephew, died in a Floydada hospital several days after receiving injuries in a car wreck.



ADDITION TO POLICE FORCE—Edd Dukes is on regular duty with the Friona Police Department now to bring the number of officers in the department to three. His regular duty began yesterday.

## Gores Win Car

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Gore were holders of the lucky ticket at the drawing in City Park Tuesday afternoon. Some difficulty arose when all the stubs were gathered together and the drawing was delayed due to the lack of a container large enough to hold all the ticket stubs.

Finally a pickup was backed up to the stand and all of the stubs were emptied into the back of it. After they were stirred by several local merchants, Mike Taylor, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Taylor, drew out one stub.

The first number called was held by the Gores. Due to the delay everyone was so cold it was almost impossible to hold onto the tickets, but the Gores located the right number and were given the 1958 Chevrolet as a gift from Friona merchants.

Mrs. Gore said, "This is the first time we have ever drawn anything except a ham at the tri-state fair about twenty-five years ago." She also added, "Drawing the car made our Christmas the most memorable one since about 1937 when we put all three of the boys on

wheels. That year we bought two tricycles and one bicycle." Residents of Route 3 will be seeing Gore, who is carrier for that route, making his way daily in the new car. Mr. and Mrs. Gore both wish to express their appreciation to the merchants and to all their friends and neighbors for their good wishes.

### Report From Frio Draw

Dear Editor, I ain't intendin' on makin' any New Year resolutions in 1958. I have been saved the trouble because I run across the list that I had fixed up last year. I got to lookin' it over, and somehow I didn't find a one that I had got to carry out. So I figure I'll be doin' pretty good of'n I git started on carrying out what I resolved last year.

Yours truly, Don Karatal



UP WITH FRAMEWORK—Structural steel framework of the new buildings for Friona's growing school goes up. Arrival of steel structural components of the building, which had delayed construction for more than a month, allows the Jones Construction crews to go ahead with erecting the school additions.

## Exes Honor J. T. Gee

The story and experiences of vocational agriculture instructor, J. T. Gee, were presented before the annual meeting of Friona School Exes Friday night of last week.

Gee's 22 years teaching agriculture in Friona school was presented along with the highlights of his accomplishments, through the vocational agriculture class and FFA Chapter which he has taught.

Gee began his teaching in Friona in the fall of 1935, and has remained at the school since then. He has sponsored numerous senior classes, coached numerous FFA judging teams, and contributed his talents to an uncounted number of students since coming to Friona. He holds the record among

the staff of Friona school as having the longest service in the local school.

The story of Gee, with W. L. Edelman, former superintendent, leading the discussion, is one portraying the influence he had on the young people of the community. More than 50 of the approximately 300 persons present stood when a call was made for persons whom Gee had taught to stand and be counted.

Also included in the program was a period for introduction of persons present, with each person standing and announcing his name and year of graduation.

Among the good representation of classes, the person from the

earliest class was Mrs. Mabelle S. Hartwell, of the class of 1917. The class was represented 100 percent, as Mrs. Hartwell was the only graduate of that year.

In a short business meeting, Clyde Goodwine presiding, the Friona exes decided to place next year's program in charge of the class of 1937. Members of the class are to elect officers from their ranks, and arrange next year's meeting.

The class of 1937 was chosen after the group had decided to have classes of about 20 years ago present highlights of their school days.

The group plans to have consecutive classes automatically be in charge of the program from year to year.

The First \$ Day of '58 Is Monday--Shop 'n Save!



# THE STAR'S EDITORIAL COMMENT

## Which Way in 1958?

Friona has its problems. The position in which the city finds itself is midway between being the average Plains town and being an orderly city, growing steadily toward a medium-size community.

As seen by the Friona Star, the following 10 points head the list of needed items. We are sure there are numerous other things the city needs.

1. Improve and expand water system.
2. Further development of retail district.
3. Advancement of mosquito control program.
4. Adoption of city manager form of government.
5. Formation of industrial foundation.
6. Additional housing development.
7. Better organized summer youth recreation program.
8. Further development of community celebration.
9. Expansion of paving.
10. Organization of a civil defense emergency group.

In examining the above points, the fact that some are more important than others can be seen. Some are pertinent to the continued welfare of the city; others are essential to the city if it is to meet the problems of growth.

Another thing needed by the city is brought about by the above 10 points.

This need is the desire to accomplish, and the will to excel. It calls for enthusiasm among the city's population, and the community's belief that Friona is capable of remedying the problems it faces.

**WATER SYSTEM NEEDS**—The number one need is more water. Last summer's shortage of water during the vegetable packing season should not happen to any city, and especially to a city in the midst of an underground water-rich area such as Parmer County. An encouraging note is that the city fathers plan steps to cushion the water shortage. But the real need is for more wells, and more facilities to deliver the water to points of consumption.

**NEEDS FOR RETAIL DEVELOPMENT**—Friona's retail development is to be commended. It is the best we've seen in a city of Friona's size. Along with the fine retail facilities there exists a potent trade area, which warrants a completely adequate retail district. Friona's merchants need to be wide awake, looking for ways to court the area's trade, and demonstrate that Friona is the market place for the best in retail goods and services.

**ADVANCEMENT OF MOSQUITO CONTROL**—Little needs to be said of this problem, but something needs to be done. Halfway measures just don't get the job done, as underlined by last summer's mosquito plague.

The city was fortunate that the dreaded encephalitis did not find a victim in the city. But the nuisance of the insects remained a problem that should not exist in 1958.

Before the problem is whipped, the city will need a weed control program. A weed control ordinance exists for eliminating weeds that contribute to fire hazards, but one requiring eradication of weeds that harbor mosquitoes is in order.

CITY NEEDS MANAGER — In

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April an election is scheduled for the replacement or reinstatement of Friona's mayor and commissioners. Before this election, the city should adopt the manager-commission or manager and council form of government. For a city of Friona's size, and for the amount of business required to handle the city's affairs, a city manager form of government could get the job done better.

**INDUSTRIAL FOUNDATION**—The benefits the town would receive from industrial development make activity to encourage this worthwhile. A foundation could pave the way for industrial development. A site for an industrial type business should be obtained, or be readily available, and at a cost not prohibitive to the incoming firm. We understand that the lack of a readily available site has in the past been a thorn in the city's side.

A census of the labor supply should be available for inquiring potential businesses. Estimates, or the exact amount of available water should be supplied to firms looking for a good place to establish a new plant.

**HOUSING NEEDED**—The lack of ample housing is evident in Friona. Persons who move to the city often find it a real problem. Development of more housing facilities, to fill the demand of a growing city, is needed.

Housing for the seasonal labor force is also short, and offers a chance for a business investment. The New Year offers another year for something to be done about the need.

**RECREATION AND CELEBRATION**—These two items are not foremost, but along with a city's development, the city's social life should not be retarded. After all, the people in a city should not work in order to do more work, but should work to have a better place to live in an enjoyable fashion.

**STREET NEEDS**—Friona is in pretty good condition regarding paving. However, one project that should be completed in 1958 is curb-to-curb paving on Fifth Street. Though this comes under the chores of the Texas Highway Department encouragement should be made for the completion of the project. The traffic this street serves warrants this project.

**NEED FOR CD EMERGENCY GROUP**—The formation of the police reserve meets this need partially, but whether this organization would be adequate in case of real emergency is questionable. The number of organized personnel for working during an emergency is supplemented considerably by the Fire Department members, but the occurrence of an emergency would find the city in need of more workers.

Along with an organization of this type, the city needs a method of warning residents of approaching dangers. The single siren now located at the fire station cannot reach the outlying areas of the town when the weather hinders normal sound conduction.

## in & around FRIONA

WITH JUNE

Now that a new year is beginning we should all make an effort to make the best of it. The experts have put in a lot of time making financial predictions for the year, but we do not need to look a whole year ahead of us. If we will take proper care of all the todays, the days, weeks, months, and years will be taken care of properly.

One of the things we would most like to see in Friona is the proper enforcement of the city ordinance pertaining to dogs running loose in the city limits. Property owners who want to keep their premises neat and orderly are hindered greatly by dogs.

Some of these dogs do not belong to anyone but are just wandering around over town turning over trash barrels, carrying dog food cans, bones, and other unsightly objects onto lawns which citizens are trying to keep looking pretty. They also damage shrubs and young plants.

Most people who keep dogs in town take care of them, but some do not. Anyone who has a dog in town should keep it in a pen or on a leash so that it will not be a nuisance to others living nearby. One practice which many rural residents think almost nothing of is carrying unwanted dogs or cats to town and put them out.

This should never be done. If you don't want the cat or dog, then take it to the dog pound or have it disposed of some way besides dumping it out to make its own way and be an aggravation to others.

Our thanks this week go to everyone who called and turned in news items early last week. It would not have been possible for us to have the paper in the mail early had it not been for the cooperation of so many people.

We are also grateful for the many nice things that have been said about our Christmas edition as well as others during the year. Until our employment in the newspaper field, we were under the impression that the only comments ever received in newspaper offices were critical.

This may be true in other places, but not in Friona. Very often someone takes time to call and offer kind words of encouragement for our efforts. Twice during the past month we have received words of thanks for a job well done in writing wedding stories. For these and all other kind things we are deeply appreciative.

One of the most impressive wedding ceremonies we have ever witnessed was read by J. V. Davis of Lubbock for Phyllis Hinds and Orval Blake Thursday afternoon. The entire wedding was very pretty and Phyllis made a beautiful bride.

Of course, there always has to be a few pranksters around a wedding party. Judging from the looks of Orval's car, there were some in Friona that afternoon. The last glimpse we had of the newlyweds they were going east with white chalk marks showing up very clearly on a bright red car.

We regret very much that our favorite beauty operator is moving away. Audrey Skinner, who has been working at Mary Lou's quite a long time is moving with her husband, Marvin, to Kansas. Marvin has been farming east of town but is going into business at Dodge City, and they are moving right away.

Is there any truth to the rumor that many women are refusing to pay their poll tax in order to evade being called for jury duty? Do hope there isn't. Since this is election year for a number of officials, all of us, men and women, too, should pay our poll tax so that we will be able to vote.

A lot of Frionans had out-of-town company and a lot went visiting during the holidays, but up until now we haven't heard of any of them involved in an accident. Maybe we are extra careful or maybe we are just plain lucky.

The Raymond Flemings and daughter, Lavon, had planned to spend Christmas Day with relatives in Colorado. By the time they got to Vaughn, the roads were iced over and some snow was falling, so they turned around and came back to Melrose.

As far as we know everyone else reached their destinations safely. Think everyone had a nice Christmas and was ready

to get back into regular routines to begin the new year.

There were some errors in stories in the Star last week that we regret very much. In the story about Mrs. F. L. Reed, her son George, who lives here, was left out of the list of her children. George and his wife, Jean, and their two children, Jimmy and Susan, live out in the west part of town.

Another error occurred in the same story. The story read that Mrs. Reed came here in 1909 and had been here almost fifty years. It is true that she has been here almost fifty years, but she came in 1908.

Another error was in a story about the Christmas program at the United Pentecostal Church. Larry Joe Riley had a part in the program, but we inadvertently typed Larry Joe Moyer. To both Larry Joes, we say, "We're sorry."

### Congregationals Host Conference

The Union Congregational Church of Friona was host to the mid-winter conference of about 50 delegates of high school age Thursday, Friday, and Saturday of last week.

Delegates came to the meeting from Texas, Louisiana, and Oklahoma. For lodging of the delegates, members of the church provided their homes. The Women's Fellowship of the church served meals.

A successful conference, as well as enjoyable fellowship, is reported by the pastor, Rev. Fred Dean.

### Taylor's Attend Funerals

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Taylor returned home Sunday from Indiana where they had attended the funeral of a sister of Mrs. Taylor. While in Indiana they received word of the death of a brother in Missouri, so attended his funeral also.

After attending the funeral in Missouri they returned to Illinois and spent the Christmas holidays with nieces and nephews of both families.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Robbins and sons of Floydada spent Monday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baxter.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Beene and sons, Jay and Ramey, spent Christmas Day with Mrs. Beene's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Ramey at Dimmitt.

Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Kendrick and children, Danny and Sally, were Christmas Day guests in the home of Mrs. Kendrick's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shields of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Meryle Massie and daughters spent several days last week visiting relatives and friends at Roaring Springs.

Bill and Edd Massie were Christmas Day dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim McLean and daughters.

Holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Lawson were Mr. and Mrs. Bob Roden and children of Littlefield, Mr.

and Mrs. Buck Lawson and children of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Roden of Clovis.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sanders and son, Ricky, spent the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Sanders and Mr. and Mrs. Alton Day.

Christmas Day dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Bain and Carolyn were Mrs. Mary Bain of Hereford and Mrs. Nora Welch of Friona.

Mr. and Mrs. N. W. Green and Sandra of Pampa spent Monday night with Mrs. Bertha Hurst. Mrs. Green is Mrs. Hurst's daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Crosby of Amarillo were holiday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Grant and children. Crosby, who is Mrs. Grant's brother, is a former resident of Friona.

Rev. and Mrs. T. L. Pierce, Tommy, Shirley, and Sandy of Miami, Ariz., were holiday guests in the home of Mrs. Pierce's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Skinner.

Mr. and Mrs. Verne Nazworth and children spent Tuesday and Wednesday visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Nazworth and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gibson.

Roy Mack Nazworth spent the Christmas holidays in the home of his father, William Nazworth, at Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wooley and sons, Mike and Scotty, visited in Oklahoma during the holidays. They returned home late Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Mitchell and daughter of Morton were Christmas Day guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Southward, Melvin, and Faye.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Martin and children spent the holidays visiting with Mrs. Martin's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Davis, at Lamar, Colo.

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Is there any truth to the rumor that many women are refusing to pay their poll tax in order to evade being called for jury duty? Do hope there isn't. Since this is election year for a number of officials, all of us, men and women, too, should pay our poll tax so that we will be able to vote.

A lot of Frionans had out-of-town company and a lot went visiting during the holidays, but up until now we haven't heard of any of them involved in an accident. Maybe we are extra careful or maybe we are just plain lucky.

The Raymond Flemings and daughter, Lavon, had planned to spend Christmas Day with relatives in Colorado. By the time they got to Vaughn, the roads were iced over and some snow was falling, so they turned around and came back to Melrose.

As far as we know everyone else reached their destinations safely. Think everyone had a nice Christmas and was ready

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and good fortune cross your path in the New Year to come. We hope, too, that we may play some part in helping to make it a prosperous one.

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**NEWS FROM BLACK**

MRS. DICK ROCKEY

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Barnett's golden wedding anniversary was a big success. Some one hundred friends and relatives registered and all firmly agreed that they couldn't have looked much younger fifty years ago. Congratulations.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Patton, Jimmy and Virginia, spent Christmas in Amarillo at the home of the W. W. Parkinsons, Mrs. Patton's grandparents.

Mrs. Helen Fangman, Teddy and Charles, had Christmas dinner at Hereford with the Frank Dozners.

Jeanie Bratt from Archer City is spending the Christmas holidays in the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Ivie.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Deaton and Brenda spent Christmas in Hereford at the Deaf Smith County Hospital with their small daughter and sister, Glenda, who was a patient there. Glenda has been a very sick little girl, but at present is doing fine. She is expected to be home some time this week.

Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Rockey were Mr. and Mrs. Bud Elmore, Tim, Delores, and Larry, and Mr. and Mrs. Howard Elmore. In the afternoon the group opened their Christmas gifts and made pictures to send H. V. Rockey who is in Korea.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Price, Randy and Jeffery, spent Christmas at Hereford in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Price.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hays and Clyde enjoyed Christmas day in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Burnett of Amarillo.

Christmas Day guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Bengler were Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Smith and family of Seagraves, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Park and family of Paducah,

Mrs. W. E. Barnett of Borger, and Mr. and Mrs. Hank Outland and family of Friona. Mrs. Smith and family and Mrs. Barnett spent a few days visiting in the home of their sister and daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lewellen spent the Christmas holidays in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvah Lynch of Holyoke, Colo.

Christmas Eve guests of Mr. and Mrs. Kermie Deaton were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Don Wigley of Electra, and Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Paul, of Friona.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Price, Jeffery and Randy, spent Sunday visiting at Skellytown with her brother-in-law and sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Hanna.

Congratulations to our mail carrier, Newt Gore, for holding the lucky ticket for the Chevrolet that was given away at Friona Saturday. From what we hear, Route 3 is now expecting two deliveries a day.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lewellen spent Christmas at Plainview with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Matlock.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Don Wigley of Electra and Mr. and Mrs. K. E. Deaton and daughter were Christmas Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Paul are Billy Don's grandparents.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Rockey spent Christmas Day in Leveland with the John Keys and Dale Reids. The women are Rockey's sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Roberson and Marie returned home from Center, Colo., where they spent four days visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Christian and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Braxton, Ray and Jim, and Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Southall spent Christmas at Clovis, N. M., with Mrs. Benthall Miller and family.

Mrs. Claud Edelman has the mumps. Maudene, we wish you a speedy recovery.

Mrs. Roden Smart was in Hereford and Friona Monday on business.

Mrs. Woodrow Whitaker and Mrs. T. J. Presley were in Hereford Monday on business and shopping.

Congratulations to Phyllis Hinds and Orval Blake who were married Thursday, December 26, at the Sixth Street Church of Christ in Friona.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hays had a Christmas dinner Sunday for the Hays family. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Hays and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hays and family, all of Dimmitt; Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Kimmins and Mike of Phillips, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim

Bookout and family of Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Edelman, Judy and Billy, spent Christmas Day in Plainview with her mother, Mrs. W. B. Rogers.

Christmas Day guests in the Woodrow Whitaker home were Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Whitaker Sr., G. H. Whitaker Jr., and Frances Gates, all of Hereford; and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Presley.

Christmas Day guests in the John Bengler home were Noyle Bengler from San Jose, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Guy Latta, Mr. and Mrs. Loyde Brewer and boys, Mrs. Vestal, and Mrs. Merrill, all of Friona; Mrs. Harry Green, Hubert and Richard, of Canyon, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Green and son of Clovis; and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Burrow and Brenda of Albuquerque.

In the afternoon the group had their Christmas tree and exchange of gifts. Afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. Moseley of Friona, Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Rushing from Portales, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Parr and family, and Harry Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Edelman and family enjoyed their Christmas dinner Sunday at Hereford in the home of the Willis Edelmans. Others present were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Edelman and

Roger Williams and children of Los Alamos, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Finis Cannon and children of Elida, N. M.; Bobby Graham of Clovis, Grady Edelman of Muleshoe, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Collom and son from Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Roden Smart had as guests Christmas Day, their son-in-law and daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Carter, from Shamrock.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bengler took their son, Noyle, to Amarillo Sunday to catch a plane for San Jose, Calif.

College students who are home for the holidays include Jimmy Patton from North Carolina State at Raleigh, Wesley Barnett, Clyde Hays, and Graham Prewett, all from Tech at Lubbock.

Christmas Day guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Roberson were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Roberson and Marie.

Sharon and LaVohn Dean spent the Christmas holidays visiting their grandmother, Mrs. Annie Kasinger at Sundown.

Mrs. Helen Fangman, Charles and Teddy, attended the wedding of Clara Jean Jesko and Kenneth Wheat Saturday at Hereford. Clara Jean is Mrs. Fangman's niece.

Mr. and Mrs. Fern Barnett and family had Christmas Day dinner at their home for the Barnetts. Attending were Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Barnett, Mr. and Mrs. George Brock of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Barnett and sons of Los Alamos, N. M., and Dr. and Mrs. Barnett and family of Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Tatum and Tommie, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Tatum, and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Houlette and Debbie all spent Christmas at Albany with Mrs. Tatum's mother, Mrs. Molly Dillingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Dean and family spent Christmas at Muleshoe in the home of his brother, S. B. Dean.

**★ GRANDMA, I WANT A DRINK**

If a small voice came over the telephone to Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Magness, it might be saying, "I want a drink of water." Their young grandson, Clifton Magness of Lubbock, hasn't been able to drink city water.

His mother, Marjore, was advised to give him some kind of bottled water. Of course, Grandmother Mae would have none of this. Surely Friona water would be the proper thing for him. Hadn't it been good enough for his great-grandfather, grandfather, father, and numerous other relatives? Sure enough, upon being given Friona water little Clifton had no more water worries. It is very simple for the grandparents. When Clifton needs a drink, they promptly deliver drinking water to him from Friona in a jug.

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Values to \$16.95 ..... \$9.97	
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Values to \$24.95 ..... \$13.97	
Values to \$29.95 ..... \$15.97	

ONE GROUP NYLON CAN-CANS	PIECE GOODS	Unbleached DOMESTIC
Reg. \$3.98 .. \$2.47	Values to \$ .79 .. \$ .47	<b>5 YARDS 97c</b>
5.95 .. 3.97	.98 .. .67	
8.95 .. 5.97	1.39 .. .87	
	1.98 .. 1.27	
	2.98 .. 1.97	

ONE GROUP LADIES' DRESSES	ONE GROUP MEN'S JACKETS
<b>1/2 PRICE</b>	Values to \$ 7.95 .. \$ 4.97
Men's Dress PANTS	9.95 .. 6.97
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These eight Friona Chiefs received post-season honors: Three on All-Regional Team, all on District 3-A lineup.

- (Bottom Left) Larry Fairchild, senior halfback, 140, all-district offense, honorable mention all-regional.
- (Top left) Jim Mabry, senior left guard, 165, all-district offense.
- (Middle left) Gary McLaughlin, junior right tackle, 185, all-district defense, all-regional.
- (Lower left) Bryant Dukes, senior linebacker, 150, all-district defense, honorable mention all-regional.
- (Top center) Jerry London, senior halfback, 130, all-district defense.
- (Bottom center) Bomar Stacy, junior left end, 160, all-district defense, all-regional second team.
- (Top right) Weldon Fairchild, senior fullback, 165, all-district offense, all-regional.
- (Bottom right) Jackie Sheek, junior halfback, 130, all-district defense.

### IN THE COURTS

#### CITY COURT

The following cases were disposed of in City Corporation Court of Judge Walter Loveless

during the week ending December 31:

Willie Schwab, charged with running stop light, pled guilty and was fined \$10.

Gerald R. Barnett, charged with excessive noise, pled guilty and was fined \$10.

Troy Leon Massey, charged with excessive noise, pled guilty and was fined \$10.

Cecil Chism, charged with speeding 45 m.p.h. in a 30 m.p.h. zone, pled guilty and was fined \$15.

Othel Wayne Rhodes, charged with excessive noise, pled guilty and was fined \$10.

Bobby Neal Fulks, charged with excessive noise, pled guilty and was fined \$10.

Harry Traylor, charged with excessive noise, pled guilty and was fined \$10.

Jone Vosek Neimost, charged with no MVI sticker, pled guilty and was fined \$10.

Ronaldo Valverde, charged

with being drunk, pled guilty and was fined \$25.

Jimmie Ramos, charged with being drunk, pled guilty and was fined \$25.

Sanford Rosenburgh, charged with running caution light, pled guilty and was fined \$10.

Charles Miller Kirk, charged with excessive noise, pled guilty and was fined \$10.

#### JP COURT

The following cases were disposed of in Justice of the Peace Court of Judge Walter Loveless during the week ending December 31:

Guillerona Pena Baistista, charged with running stop sign, pled guilty and was fined \$16.50.

Billie Roy McKee, charged with making left turn without safety, pled guilty and was fined \$16.50.

John Coton Tyson, charged with speeding 75 m.p.h. in a 60 m.p.h. zone, pled guilty and was fined \$30.50.

#### District Boy Scout Meeting Date Set

The next meeting of the Friona District of the Boy Scouts of America will be held at the Jim Hill Hotel at Hereford Tuesday, January 7. This announcement was made by W. M. Teague of Amarillo, who is district scout executive.

Officers elected at a recent meeting are Joel Hodges of Hereford, chairman; Glenn E. Reeve Sr. of Friona, vice-chairman; D. C. Martin of Hereford, second vice-chairman; and Dudley Bayne of Hereford and Sloan Osborn of Friona, members at large.

#### Attend Funeral At Wellington

Funeral services for Mrs. J. W. Brock of Wellington were held there Friday of last week. Mrs. Brock was the mother of Mrs. D. T. Shirley, who has been with her mother the past several months.

Others from Friona attending besides Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Shirley were Mrs. Pat Busby, Mrs. George Green, and Mrs. Merler Shirley.

#### Outsiders Lose To Farwell

Friona's basketball team of outsiders was bested by Farwell's outsiders Thursday night of last week, with the score being 68 to 58.

The local team held its own against the visitors for the first half, but had a third quarter lag, and was unable to overtake the Farwell five during the fourth quarter.

#### PIONEER BREAKS HIP

Mrs. Eva Stevick, 83, who is one of Friona's early day residents, received a broken bone in her hip at her home Sunday. At the present time she is making satisfactory progress.

Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hanabas of Dallas were holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Busby and Donald. Mrs. Hanabas is the former Ima Jewel Busby.

### What's Doin' In Friona

**Thursday, January 2**  
Friona Firemen Basketball — Claude Tournament  
Hub HD Club

**Friday, January 3**  
Basketball — Claude Tournament  
Rhea Farm Bureau

**Saturday, January 4**  
Basketball — Claude Tournament  
Drawing at City Park, 4 p. m.

**Monday, January 6**  
\$ Day in Friona  
Friona city commission  
Rainbow Girls  
American Legion  
Rhea HD Club  
Clyde Sherrieb farm sale

**Tuesday, January 7**  
Basketball—Lazbuddie at Friona, Farwell at Adrian  
Modern Study Club

District Boy Scout meeting at Hereford  
**Wednesday, January 8**  
Ladies Bible class, Sixth Street Church of Christ, 9:45 a. m.  
Friona Woman's Club

**Thursday, January 9**  
Friona Lions  
Lakeview HD Club

**Friday, January 10**  
Hi-Point HD Club  
Northside HD Club  
Basketball—Friona at Sudan, Farwell at Bovina

#### Douse Fire In Cotton

Friona Volunteer Fire Department nipped a fire in a trailer of unginned cotton before any appreciable damage was done Monday about 3 p. m.

The blaze occurred at Chester and Fleming Gin on the outside of Friona's south city limits. The trailer of cotton, reported to have been Noyle Wood's, had been on the gin yard only about 10 minutes, said Earl Chester.

The alarm for the cotton fire was the third of the ginning

season for the firemen to douse cotton fires.

### \$ DAY SPECIALS

(Prices Good Friday, Saturday, Monday)

DRESSES ..... 1/2 Price

SKIRTS, BLOUSES and SWEATERS ..... Reduced 1/4 to 1/2

LADIES' HATS ..... 1/2 Price

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SALE TIME: 10 A.M.

TERMS: CASH

#### MACHINERY

- 1—Diesel Fordson Tractor and attachments
- 1—1941 Oliver 70 Tractor and attachments
- 1—9-ft. JD 3-point Tandem Disc
- 1—3-bottom 14-in. MM Breaking Plow
- 1—3-disc Breaking Plow, Reversible
- 1—9-ft. Hoeme with sweeps and chisels
- 1—IHC Broadcast Binder
- 1—Massey-Harris 10-hole Wheat Drill
- 1—3-section Harrow
- 1—2-section Harrow
- 1—MM Side Delivery Hay Rake
- 1—Ford Tractor Mowing Machine
- 1—Ford Scoop
- 1—Ford Cultivator
- 1—Ford Blade
- 1—5-section Rotary Hoe
- 1—Power Posthole Digger
- 1—4-row Crust Buster
- 1—Myers Ditcher
- 1—21-ft. Grain Auger
- 1—Set MM Markers
- 1—Whetmore Feed Mill
- 1—50-ft. Belt

- 1—1000 Gal. Butane Tank
- 1—8-ft. One-Way, 26-in. disc
- 1—3-point Ditch Filler
- 1—Bundle Trailer
- 1—4-wheel Trailer
- 1—3-row Bed Knife Attachment
- 1—1941 IHC Pickup
- 1—Lot of Potato Hillers
- 1—Lot of Marker Discs

#### CHICKENS

Two Dozen Hybrid Hens

#### LIVESTOCK

- 1—Black Face Buck
- 18—Head 3-yr.-old Rambulet Ewes
- 23—Head 3-yr.-old Rambulet Ewes to lamb in April
- 20—Head Lambs
- 1—8-month-old Holstein Heifer, subject to register

#### MISCELLANEOUS

- 1—8x16 Stock Feeder
- 2—Sheep Tanks

- 20—Sheep Panels
- 2—Sheep Troughs
- Lot of Cross Ties, Wire and Posts
- 1—Hog Feeder
- 1—Stock Tank Water Heater
- 500—Bales Alfalfa Hay
- 1—Chain Hoist and Stand
- 1—Air Tank
- 1—Cement Mixer
- 65—2-in. Irrigation Tubes
- 12—3-in. Irrigation Tubes
- 70—1 1/2-in. Irrigation Tubes
- 1—Surveyor's Instrument and Chain
- 1—Butane Regulator
- 1—6-volt Battery Charger
- Lot of 10-gal. cans and barrels
- Lot of Steel Posts
- Lots: Barrels, shanks for tool bars, sweeps shovels, forks, hoes, chains, cans, grease guns, funnels, hand tools of all kinds
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- Tenant House Furniture
- Other articles too numerous to mention

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News From  
**LAZBUDDIE**

By MRS. CLYDE MONK

Editor's Note: Mrs. Clyde Monk, Lazbuddie correspondent, is on vacation this week. These stories were gathered by her for the holiday season. Her regular news will appear beginning next week.

Mrs. Andy Fuqua  
Shower Honoree

The home of Mrs. Gene Smith was the setting for a bridal shower honoring Mrs. Andy Fuqua, the former Madalyn Schumann, Thursday afternoon, December 12. Assisting Mrs. Smith with hostess duties were Mesdames Barney Floyd, John Littlefield, Chuck Smith, Max Steinbock, John Agee, T. O. Lesly, Glen Lesly, Leon Smith Sr., Les Bruns, Raymond Houston, C. A. Watson, J. J. McDonald, and J. C. Redwine.

The house was lovely with Christmas decorations, including the stockings already hung on the fireplace and the huge Christmas tree in one corner of the room with all the shower packages piled high around it. Mrs. John Agee directed games. The new Mrs. Fuqua was assisted in opening her packages by her aunt, Mrs. Don Schumann, with whom she made her home prior to her marriage.

Attending besides those already mentioned were Mesdames E. R. Lawhon, Dan Strahan, Frank Hinkson, Virgil Teague, Larry Treider, Joe Cox, Jimmie D. Black, Willie Steinbock, Calvin Clark, Kenneth Keith, Fremant Davis, Clyde Monk, David White, Donald Runyon, Richard Engleking, L. A. Reed, and Helen Smith.

Also Johnny Nowell, Rosemary Agee, Carolyn Hinkson, Janis Clark, Patsy Cox, and Marie Houston.

The serving table was decor-

ated with a miniature silver Christmas tree. Refreshments of punch and white cake were served.

Sending gifts but unable to attend were Mesdames V. H. Bewley, Sam Lucy, E. L. Clark, James Welch, Wayne Garth, R. B. Seaton, Dan Cargile, Don McDonald, Dwain Menefee,

Dalton Mimms, Pete Mimms, Duane Darling, Bill Brown, W. F. Steinbock, Kenneth Briscoe, Jack Smith, Hoyt Eubanks, Ernest Nowell, H. H. Briggs, and A. N. Fuqua;

Also Frances Fuqua, F. W. Greene, Alice Fuqua, Herbert Clay, T. W. Bewley, Joe Briggs, John Gammon, LaVerne Smith,

James G. Ward, Andy Brown, Glen Scott, N. M. McCurdy, Whisenhunt, Nola Ivy, G. B. Baker, C. C. Graef, and Frank Hunt;

Also, Jack Black, George Washington, J. E. Williams, Arvil Lawrence, Perry Barnes, Harold Wilson, H. E. Gilmore, Clarence Mason, Laura Treider, Wayne Clark, Jimmie Ivy, Jess Pendergrass, J. R. Harris, James Robinson, Garvin Thorn, R. G. Treider Sr., T. D. Vaughan, Juel Treider, Mae Mahon, J. J. Haun, Melva Nichols, John Aduddell, Douglas Fry, and Grandmother Fuqua.

Also Marie Cox, Glenda Robinson, and Betty Floyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Mimms and Pete Mimms attended the funeral of Mrs. D. Y. Blanton in Lubbock Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Monk and Linda are spending the holidays with her brother, the Hayden Carters in Paragould, Ark.

R. B. Seaton spent several days last week in the Mule-shoe hospital suffering from pneumonia.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hinkson, Carolyn, Mike, Frankie, and Barbara left Monday to visit in Cairo, Nebr., with friends and relatives during the holidays.

Students Home

Most of the young folks who are attending colleges are home for the Christmas holidays and will return to their studies the first of the year.

Johnny Gammon and Jim Roy Daniels are home from Oklahoma State University at Stillwater, Jimmie Frank Carpenter and Barbara Hinkson are home from Texas Tech at Lubbock. Jerry Gleason and Durwood Teague are home from Texas A & M located at College Station. Judy and Morris Bruns from Texas Tech will be at home with their parents, the Les Brunses.

Methodists Have  
Christmas Program

A special Christmas program was presented Wednesday evening in Fellowship Hall at the Methodist Church. Mothers assisting the young folks with this program were Mesdames Frank Hinkson, Henry Ivy, P. M. Freisen, and J. D. Carpenter Jr. Refreshments of hot chocolate and cookies were served by Mrs. E. T. Ford and Mrs. Calvin Embry.

Carolyn Hinkson was in charge of the musical part of the program. Ann Mitchell gave a reading entitled, "Mary, the Mother of Jesus" and Mickie Smith read the 2nd chapter of Luke. Other readings were by Roy Teague, "Under the Mistletoe," Trevor Ford, "The Christmas Gift," and Jackie Seaton, "Merry Christmas." "The Reindeer Song" was rendered by the primary and pre-primary groups. Another reading, "The Candle," was then given by Frankie Hinkson.

Then the group sang Christmas carols. A tree was enjoyed by the nursery group through the intermediate group, and gifts were exchanged.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Lesly and girls, Linda and Hazel, are spending part of the Christmas holidays at Ralls with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Conner, and his mother, Mrs. Una Lesly.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Gilmore are visiting this week with friends and relatives at Olney.

Mr. and Mrs. Purl Tippie planned to stay home and were expecting all their children home during Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. John Bond and boys, Walter and Sidney, planned to be in Pampa and Shamrock for Christmas.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Black and family are spending their Christmas with relatives in Oklahoma.

Special Program  
At Baptist Church

A Christmas program was enjoyed at the Baptist Church Sunday evening, December 22, with the young people in charge. The opening was a song, "Joy to the World," followed by prayer. A reading entitled "His Coming" was given by Lois Vanlandingham after which the song "Happy Birthday Dear Jesus" was rendered by the group.

Alice Gordon read the 2nd chapter of Luke, verses 8 through 21, followed by a trio consisting of Marie Houston, Patsy Cox, and Maudine Barnes. "The First Christmas Tree in America" was given by Linda Hargrove followed by another trio number by Pat Peterson, Elaine Vanlandingham and Wynell Barnes. They sang "O Little Town of Bethlehem." Geraldine Broadhurst told the story of "The Cobbler and His Guest." A tableau of "Silent Night" was presented with Marie Houston as Mary and Clyde Redwine, Roy Vanlandingham, Ray Vanlandingham and Gayle Hargrove as the shepherds. The quartet consisting of Jerry Don Glover,

Wayne Peterson, Maudine Barnes and Patsy Cox also sang. The program closed with the entire group joining into singing the last verse of "Silent Night" followed by prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Freisen left to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Buford Hill in Anadarko, Okla. Mr. Freisen was county superintendent there for 10 years before coming to Lazbuddie.

Mr. and Mrs. Jordan Rogers and Gaylene planned to visit his mother, Mrs. Cliff Rogers, in Dumont, Texas, and probably with her mother at Saint Jo.

Mrs. Ritchie is visiting in Ft. Worth with her mother, Mrs. Violet Neal, and her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Owens. Mrs. Ritchie also planned to visit in Saint Jo.

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Laney and Tommy are spending the holidays in Bennington, Okla., with their other son, James, who is a student at Durant in the State Teachers College and with other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilbanks and Paul, Mr. and Mrs. Morris Cooper, and Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Lawrence and Smithy all left for Marshall, Ark., to spend the vacation time visiting with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Washington and Lana Kay are vis-

iting in Frederick, Okla., for the holidays.

Superintendent and Mrs. Ward and boys planned to go to Bennington, Okla., after Christmas to visit with her mother, Mrs. St. John, for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Bradshaw and boys, Odis and Lloyd, are spending their Christmas vacation in Slaton with his mother, Mrs. Mae Melugian, and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Juel Bradshaw, and children, and also in Midland with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Schumann and children are in Wichita Falls now with her mother, Mrs. J. J. Haun, and her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Nichols.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Gleason, Linda, Bobby, and Jerry are spending Christmas with his folks, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Gleason, at Anson.

Friday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Tannahill and children were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Allen of Lockney, Dr. and Mrs. Van Allen and family and Bill Allen of San Diego, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Young of Arnett, Okla., who were on a wedding trip, spent the holidays visiting relatives in Friona. Young is the nephew of Mrs. G. L. Mings.

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Financial Statement at Close of Business, Dec. 30, 1957

ASSETS

Cash	\$ 200.00
General Fund	4625.55
Senior Bonds, Ser. 1949	302.43
WW Imp. Bonds-1950	337.74
Refunding Bonds-1945	28.88
Per. Imp. 1950	17.00
St. Imp. Ser. 1955	242.40
WW & Sew. Imp. & Ext. 1955	233.10
St. Imp. Ser. 1956	333.70
Per. Improve. 1956	277.87
Water & Sewer Rev.	931.97
Oper. & Maint.	4541.71
Rev. Bond Sink. 1949	1382.95
TOTAL CASH	\$ 13547.04

RECEIVABLE

Water	\$ 2879.92
Sewer	998.75
Current Tax	25102.76
Delinquent Tax	5800.46
Paving	8228.80
Trash & Garbage	861.25
Curb & Gutter	3531.68
Less Uncollected tax	25102.76
TOTAL RECEIVABLE	\$ 22290.86

INVESTMENTS—U. S. Bonds \$ 7840.00

FIXED ASSETS

Real Estate	\$ 53383.43
Office, Furn. & Equip.	4833.66
Fire Dept. Equip.	12629.18
Police Dept. Equip.	3849.69
Street Improvements	148666.44
Street Maint. Equip.	8293.88
Water System	267204.64
Sewer System	143036.31
Water & Sewer Equip.	5877.36
Sanitation Equipment	3059.63
Cemetery Equip.	6029.98
Park Equip.	541.49
TOTAL FIXED ASSETS	\$701083.59

LIABILITIES

Surplus	\$302324.74
Withheld Taxes	586.00
Meter Deposits	3185.00
Bonds Payable	392000.00
Accounts Payable	1446.23
Rev. Over Exp.	1541.58
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$701083.59

EXECUTED under my hand and the seal of said City of Friona, Texas, this the 31st day of Dec., 1957.

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3. Farwell County Courthouse
4. Lazbuddie Schoolhouse

County Committeemen:

(Vote for One)

1. John Gammon, Friona
2. \_\_\_\_\_

(Vote for One)

1. A. B. Wilkinson, Bovina
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**Methodists Plan Workers School**

A Christian Workers School will be conducted at the Friona Methodist Church January 12 through 16, according to the pastor of the church, Rev. Hugh Blaylock.

About 100 persons, teachers and officers of Sunday Schools from Friona, Bovina, First Methodist Church of Hereford, and Wesley Methodist Church of Hereford, are expected to attend.

The courses scheduled for the school include "Teaching Younger Children," "Teaching Older Children," "Working With Youth," and "How Adults Learn."

Instructors will be Mrs. H. M. Second of Borger, Barbara Summerville of Lubbock, Mrs. Virgil Patterson of Merkel, and Rev. Jack Riley of McLean.

Roy Grace of Anton, formerly of Friona, was here Monday.

**News From The Hospital**

**ADMITTED:** Mrs. Franklin Bauer, o. b. Friona; Vicki Renee Heck, medical, Hereford; Mrs. Lloyd Hollis, o. b., Friona; Elay Rameno, medical, Clovis; Robert DeWayne Foster, medical, Farwell; Mrs. Ruth Lea Ueckert, surgical, Hereford; Mrs. Janie Duran, medical, Friona; Mrs. Lester Cole, o. b., Friona; Mrs. Alzada Gulley, medical, Muleshoe; Ira Bruce Parr, medical, Friona; Bertha Silguera, o. b., Friona; Doyle Cummings, medical, Friona; Larry Joe Moyer, medical, Friona; Freddy Glynn Hughes, medical, Friona; Della M. Ezell, medical, Bovina; Mrs. Celina Quintana, medical, Farwell; Mrs. Gene Ellis, medical, Friona; Isidro Gutierrez, medical, Friona; Mrs. Ruth Lloyd Smith, o. b., Clarendon; Mrs. Modena Lemus, o. b., Black; W. G. Haws, medical, Friona; Mrs. Flossie Ann Knight, medical, Friona; Tilda Galan Ramon, medical, Hereford; Jim Shaffer, medical, Friona; Mrs. Ben Wayne Jordan, medical, Friona; Mrs. Eva M. Stevick, accident, Friona; Mrs. Claudia M. Blythe, medical, Hereford; Mrs. Clyde Tims, surgical, Friona.

**DISMISSED:** Mrs. Franklin Bauer and Carla Beth, Guadalupe Rodriguez, Robert DeWayne Foster, Mrs. Audie Mae Lewis, Mrs. Louise Slay, Mrs. Janie Duran, Mrs. Ruth Lea Ueckert, Freddy Glynn Hughes, Larry Dale Northcutt, Vicki Renee Heck, Della M. Ezell, Mrs. Alzada Gulley, Ira Bruce Parr, Doyle Cummings, Larry Joe Moyer, Mrs. Lester Cole and Deborah Kay, Mrs. Bertha Silguera and baby boy, Mrs. Mary Francis Crump, I. W. Quickel, Bobby Hart, Terri Marie Williams, Mrs. I. T. Graves, Lu-

**OMISSIONS FROM "PROJECT CHRISTMAS CARD"**

The names of several persons were unintentionally omitted from the list on "Project Christmas Card" which appeared in The Star last week. Known to have been left off:

Guy and Lucille Latta  
Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spring and Family  
Dr. Lee Spring  
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith and Girls  
Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Martinez  
Marvin and Audrey Skinner  
Dr. and Mrs. Loyd Shackelford  
Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Habbinga

ann Hardesty, Phillip Kirk Duggins, Elay Rameno, Jose Rios, Mrs. Ruth Lloyd Smith and baby boy.

**To Make Home In Greenville**

The L. C. Johnsons of two miles east and two miles north of Friona plan to move to Greenville after winding up his farming operation with a farm sale.

The sale is being conducted at his farm today.

Johnson says the family will live on a farm that he owns near the North Central Texas town.

**CARD OF THANKS**

We take this means of expressing our sincere thanks and appreciation for the many kindnesses shown us during the illness and death of our loved one. Especially do we thank those who assisted in sitting up, for the many prayers and kind words of comfort offered, and for the beautiful flowers. May the Lord richly bless each and every one of you.

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**THE BULWARK OF A COMMUNITY IS ITS CHURCHES**

**"YOUR RELIGION IS YOUR BUSINESS"**

(This week's meditation is by The Rev. Hugh F. Blaylock of the Friona Methodist Church.)



REV. HUGH F. BLAYLOCK

The Friona Ministerial Alliance is truly grateful to these merchants and the Friona Star for their generous cooperation in giving us this opportunity to serve you with a spiritual tid-bit each week. Each thought will be offered with a prayer that it may be an appetizer which will stimulate the soul to search for richer and more strengthening food.

May such a search lead you to the church of your choice to worship God in fellowship with your brothers.

We know that each man's religion is a personal matter between him and his God. It is not any man's right to dictate to another in matters of religion. Nor shall we use this column in such a manner.

Your religion IS your business. Have you taken care of it with as careful study and consideration as the other items of your business? It another real sense, your business is your religion. Is your business concerned only with dollars and cents and material things? Is it a business that serves the needs of humanity? The way you take care of your business is the true portrayal of your religious faith. Millions of people will testify that Jesus Christ will make you a most efficient business partner for 1958.

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<p><b>CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH</b></p> <p>Sunday Services Church School 10 a. m. Worship 11 a. m. Pilgrim Fellowship 5 p. m.</p>	<p><b>FRIONA METHODIST CHURCH</b></p> <p>Sunday Services Sunday School 10 a. m. Church Service 11 a. m. MYF meetings 6 p. m. Evening Worship 7 p. m.</p> <p>Wednesday Choir practice 7:30 p. m.</p>	<p><b>UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH</b></p> <p>Sunday Services Sunday School 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. Young People's Meeting 6:30 p. m. Preaching 7:30 p. m. Wednesday Prayer Service 7:30 p. m.</p>
<p>Continental Grain Co. Preach Cranfill</p> <p>Welch Auto Supply, Inc. Phone 2501</p> <p>Ethridge-Spring Agency Insurance and Loans</p> <p>Friona C of C and Agriculture</p> <p>Friona Consumers Co-Op Oil and Grease</p> <p>Friona Motor Co. Ford Tractors</p> <p>Kendrick Oil Company Phillips Jobber</p> <p>Bainum Butane Phone 2171</p>	<p><b>RHEA LUTHERAN CHURCH</b></p> <p>Sunday Services Church Service 10 A. M. Sunday School and Bible Class 11 A. M. Ladies Aid: 2nd Thursday Mens Club: 4th Thursday</p> <p><b>ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH</b></p> <p>Sunday Services Sunday School 9:45 Morning Worship 11:00 Young People's Meeting 6:30 Evening Worship 7:30 Wednesday Service 8:00</p>	<p>Bi-Wize Drug Your Rexall Store</p> <p>Farm Bureau Ins. Raymond Euler</p> <p>Hurst Department Store</p> <p>Vestal-Brewer Hardware Phone 3161</p> <p>Piggly Wiggly S &amp; H Green Stamps</p> <p>Friona Battery &amp; Electric Johnny Wilson</p> <p>Crow's Slaughtering "Wholesale &amp; Retail Meats"</p> <p>Reed's Modern Cleaners Bud and Juanita Reed</p>

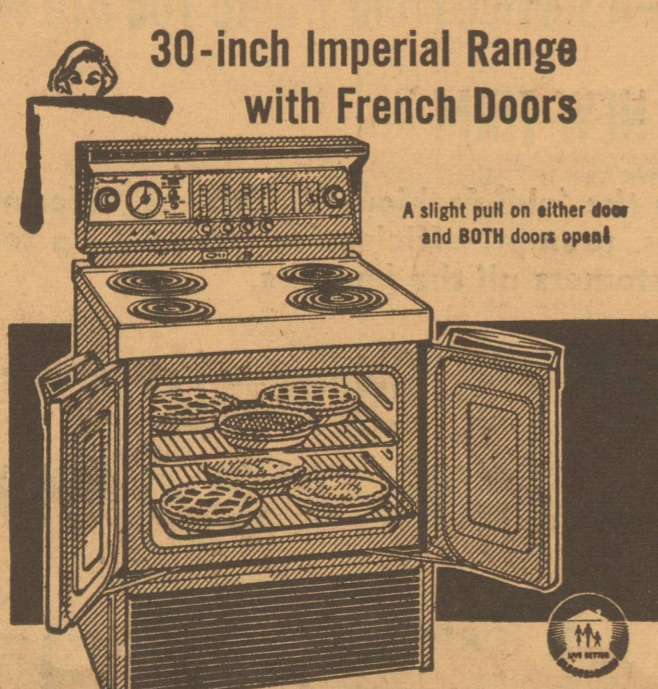
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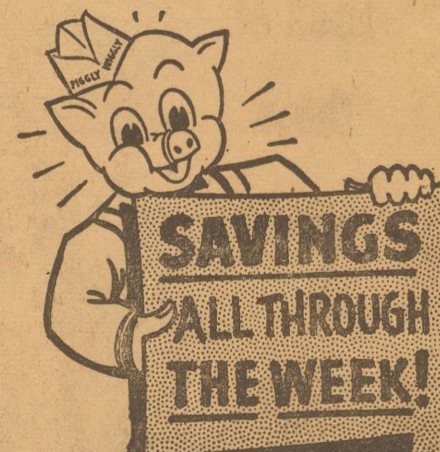
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NEWS FROM

Rhea

By MRS. FRANKLIN BAUER

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schueler and children spent Christmas with Mrs. Schueler's grandparents in Levelland and Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Bauer and children spent Christmas Day in Happy in the I. L. Bauer home.

Visiting in the L. H. Hoffman home in Hereford Christmas night were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schueler, Lillian and Herbert, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Schueler and children, Arnold Schueler, and Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Bauer and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown spent Christmas in Lubbock with Mrs. Brown's sister, Mrs. Brown's nephew returned home

with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Schueler and Beverly spent Christmas Day with Mrs. Schueler's parents in Amarillo.

Pastor Stroebel spent Christmas with his son and wife at Olton.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn, Mr. and Mrs. Pullin of Bellview, spent Christmas Day with Mrs. Vaughn's parents in Albuquerque.

Annual HD Dinner At Parish Hall

The annual HD Christmas dinner was at the Parish Hall recently. Sixteen members and three guests enjoyed the dinner and program.

The Christmas dinner was served by the 4-H girls of the Rhea community.

After the meal, several Christmas carols were sung by the group after which Mrs. Eula Mae Madole of Clovis gave an interesting demonstration on centerpieces made from wax. The group then practiced making several centerpieces.

Catherine and Madeline Chang told of how they spent Christmas in China. They also sang several Christmas carols.

After the program, gifts were exchanged by the group revealing secret pals.

Those present for the dinner were Marie Wall, Helen Potts, Nat Martensen, Martha Schueler, Oretta Schueler, Mary Gibson, Mildred Deyke, Velma Schlenker, Sarah Dean, Emma Schueler, Billie Vaughn, Ona Patterson, Nola Drager, Shirley Brown, Dorothy Bauer, Sue Smith, and the guests Mrs. Madole and Madeline and Catherine Chang.

After the party was a short business session. Secret pals for the new year were drawn and Mrs. Billie Vaughn was voted in as a new member.

Community Party

The annual community Christmas party was at the Parish Hall Monday night, December 23. Visiting and singing Christmas carols were enjoyed by the group until Santa appeared with the gifts. Christmas sacks were given to everyone present.

Lutheran Church Program Held

The Lutheran Church children's program usually presented Christmas Eve was Friday night, December 20 at the Parish Hall.

The children presented their program which consisted of speaking parts and singing of carols. After the program treats were given the children.

Men's Club Meets

The regular men's club meeting was Thursday night at the Parish Hall. The business session was followed by a report by Melvin Sachs on the recent LLL Rally at Clovis.

Floyd Schueler served refreshments of coffee and cake to Florian Jarecki, Raymond Schueler, Robert Schueler, Melvin Sachs, Franklin Bauer, Walter Schueler, Cris Drager, Pastor Stroebel, and a visitor, Arnold Schueler.

Spend Christmas With Parents

Miss Lillian Schueler of Colorado Springs spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schueler.

Also spending the holidays with his parents was Arnold Schueler, son of Robert Schueler, who is attending college at Austin.

TO CHICAGO

Mrs. Sue Smith will leave for Chicago Friday where she will take a three-month course in anesthesia.

After completing the course, Sue will return to Parmer County Community Hospital to give anesthesia.

To Nebraska

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Sullivan and children spent Christmas in Nebraska visiting friends and relatives.

Also spending the holidays in Nebraska are Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martensen and children.

To Kansas

Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Schueler and children spent Christmas in Kansas visiting with Mrs. Schueler's family.

To Austin

Mr. and Mrs. Chris Goetz and family spent the holidays in Austin visiting with friends and relatives. Mrs. Goetz's mother, who had been visiting with them, returned to her home in Austin.

MOVING TO CLOVIS

The community is sorry to lose a couple of its community members.

Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Schueler, who have been living on Robert Schueler's farm, are moving to Clovis.

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Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hall and children spent Christmas holidays at Tres Ritos, N. M., skiing.

Ladies Aid Has Christmas Party

The Rhea Lutheran Ladies Aid had a Christmas party in connection with the regular December meeting.

During the business session officers for the new year were elected. Those elected were president, Loraine Jarecki; vice-president, Martha Schueler; secretary, Nat Martensen; treasurer, Lorna Schueler.

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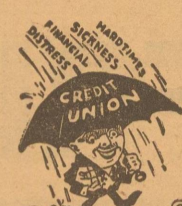
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Carla Beth made her appearance at Parmer County Community Hospital, December 18, at 7:23 a. m. She weighed 6 pounds 12 ounces at birth.

Carla Beth has another sister, Rhonda Gayle, three, and a brother, Dwayne, four. Grand-

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And he said unto them, go ye into all the world, and preach the gospel to every creature. He that believeth and is baptized shall be saved; but he that believeth not shall be damned, Mark 16:15-16. What could be plainer that baptism is one of the conditions of pardon authorized by the Lord?

Then Peter said unto them, Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ for the remission of sins, and ye shall receive the gift of the Holy Ghost, Acts 2:38. Remission means forgiveness. These people are told to "repent and be baptized" for the forgiveness of sins. They had already believed up to that point and were now to repent and be baptized in order that their sins might be forgiven.

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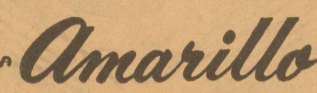
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# Social Events of Interest

## Trebelaires Sing For Servicemen

For special holiday entertainment for the servicemen, the USO Club in Amarillo presented the Trebelaires of Friona in a program of holiday music at 8 p.m. Saturday. This was the third appearance for this group at the USO Club.

The group of young ladies was organized three years ago by Mrs. Roy Miller, who has served as director of the group since that time.

During this time the Trebelaires have become quite popular in Amarillo, Lubbock, Clovis, Hereford, and other cities of the area. They entertain for military service clubs, civic and church groups, and make radio and television appearances.

Trebelaires making the trip to Amarillo were Betty Agee, Lila Gay Buske, Phylla May Buske, Kitty Black, Eva Nell Thomas, Lavon Fleming, Lucille McLean, Luann Hardesty, Nancy Outland, Nelda Douglas, Linda Gay Gee, Judy Smith, and Pat Foster, who is the accompanist.

Parents and chaperones making the trip were Mr. and Mrs. Joe B. Douglas, Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Outland, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Gee, Mrs. A. L. Black, Mr. and Mrs. Roy V. Miller, Mary Lou, Donna, and Janice, and Wesley Hardesty all of Friona and Mrs. James Smith of Big Spring.

## Circus Party Honors Two

Mrs. W. R. Riethmayer was hostess at a birthday party in her home recently honoring her daughter, Jill, who is four; and Billy Ross Procter, who is six. The circus theme was carried out in the decorations and refreshments. A circus tent, constructed in the dining room, was covered with red, white, and blue streamers.

Clowns and balloons were suspended from the ceiling. The serving table was covered with a white cloth and centered with a chocolate birthday cake in the form of a circus tent. The icing was white and blue and animal cracker animals marched around the cake.

After a game session refreshments were served to Mrs. Ed Boggess, grandmother of Jill; Johnny Bandy, Joe Boggess, Miles Lillard, Gay Welch, Ann and Nancy Blackstone, Tim Elmore, Kirk Cummings, Billy Ross Procter, Bill and Steve Thompson, and Jill and Kay Riethmayer.

Also Mesdames Louis Welch, Harvey Blackstone, Harold Lillard, James Procter, Doyle Cummings, and Kenneth Thompson.

## Christmas Dinner In Potts Home

Mr. and Mrs. Cordie Potts were hosts to a Christmas dinner in their home for members of the Schlenker family. Those present were Mrs. Charles Schlenker, Mrs. Mabelle Hartwell and Tommie, Tom Hartwell, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Wilson, and Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Schlenker of Portales.

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Welch and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Dean and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schlenker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sifford and Kenny, and Madeline and Catherine Chang.

## Kindergarten Pupils Present Carols

Members of Mrs. O. J. Beene's kindergarten class spent several mornings last week caroling and playing their band instruments for different persons in town.

Some of the places and persons they visited were the Parmer County Community Hospital, the Friona Star office, the elementary school, and the following homes:

Mr. and Mrs. David Moseley, Mrs. F. L. Reed, Mrs. A. A. Crow, Mrs. C. L. Vestal, Mrs. Ida Merrill, Mrs. Mayme Adams, Mrs. Virgil Zeman and Allen, Mrs. H. K. Kendrick, and Mrs. C. A. Reagan;

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The children and grandchildren of Mr. and Mrs. L. J. McKenzie met at the Friona Club House for their ninth annual get-together since their marriages. They were joined by a number of other relatives and friends. About 85 were present for the noon meal.

Just before the covered dish meal was served, L. J. McKenzie Jr. announced the engagement and approaching marriage of his niece, LaRoyce Triplett, to Joe Cheek of Cortez, Colo. The wedding will be in June. Musical numbers were played throughout the afternoon and evening.

The musicians were L. J. McKenzie Jr. of Pecos; Rance McKenzie of Bronco; Mr. and Mrs. John Mann of Canyon; and Mrs. Audie Hefner of Clovis. J. H. Kuykendall, a grandson of McKenzie and a student at DeCatur Baptist College studying for the ministry, gave a message on Paul's writings and travels.

The places represented at this gathering were Cortez, Colo., Clovis, N. M., Bronco, Pecos, Canyon, Hereford, Needmore, and Fort Worth. Mrs. W. W. Hulen of Fort Worth, sister of McKenzie, was a special guest. This was the first Christmas she and her brother had spent together in 65 years.

The McKenzie clan wishes to extend greetings to Friona and the surrounding community.

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Girl Scout Troop 237 met Monday afternoon at the Methodist Church annex. During the business meeting, which was presided over by Carolyn Herring, president, plans were made for the next two meetings. Next Monday if the weather permits, the girls will have a campfire meeting in the City Park.

The third Monday in January

## Whites Have Dinner Guests

Christmas Day dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. S. White and children were Mr. and Mrs. Roy L. Campbell of Crosbyton; Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Hamilton of Dimmitt; and Mr. and Mrs. Edward White Jr. and son of Friona.

Mrs. Campbell and Mrs. Hamilton are daughters of the Whites.

## Visitors From Chicago Depart

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Adair of Chicago left by train from Amarillo Monday morning after spending several days visiting in the homes of the A. O. Drakes, Arthur Drakes, and Earl Drakes. Adair is Mrs. A. O. Drake's nephew.

This was the first time the Chicagoans had ever been to Texas. They were taken on a tour of the elevators, cotton fields, and maize fields. Mrs. Adair took a stalk of cotton from which the bolls had not been pulled, home with her. Says Mrs. Drake, "They were sure carried away with this country."

## Tannahills To Lockney

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Tannahill and family were Christmas Day dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Allen of Lockney. The Allens are Mrs. Tannahill's parents.

Others present were Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Allen and family of Crosbyton; Dr. and Mrs. R. Von Allen and family and Bill Allen of San Diego, Calif. This was the first time the Allen family had all been together since Christmas Day of 1951.

## Coffee Honors Guests From Dallas

Mrs. Percy Whilden and children, Lisa, Woody, and Jeff, and Mrs. K. D. Watkins all of Dallas were holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Sheehan and children. Mrs. Whilden and Mrs. Watkins are Mrs. Sheehan's sisters.

Mrs. H. K. Kendrick honored the guests from Dallas with a coffee in her home Monday morning. Those present besides the guests of honor and Mrs. Sheehan were Mesdames Bonnie Wilson, Thelma Coffey, Clarence Knight, Steve Bavousett, David Carson, Carl Maurer, Roy Simmons, H. C. Kendrick and the hostess.

## Reeds Host Class Reunion

The graduating class of 1955 met Sunday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reed. Slides were shown of the senior trip, old times were discussed, and there was a get-acquainted session for the husbands, wives, and children of the class members.

Refreshments of coffee and cake were served to Dudley and Bennie Mae (Grubbs) Bainum and Debora; Billy John and Zelma Faye (Beaty) Thorn and Garvin; Frank and Betty (Ashcraft) Reed all of Friona;

Also Mr. and Mrs. John Thomas and Darrell of Arlington; Tommie and June (White) Hamilton of Dimmitt; Neil and Carol (Blackburn) Pounds of Amarillo; Duane and Joan (Agee) Martin of Farwell; and Denise Magness and Evelyn Ray, who attend Texas Tech at Lubbock.

## Millers To Oklahoma

Mr. and Mrs. Roy V. Miller Sr., Mary Lou, Donna, Janice and John David; Mr. and Mrs. Ross Miller and Kent; and Mr. and Mrs. Roy V. Miller and Dan Roy of Fort Collins, Colo., spent several days last week in the home of Mrs. Miller's mother, Mrs. Walter Roysden, at Ninnekah, Okla.

Thursday all of Mrs. Miller's brothers and sisters and their families met in the Roysden home. Also present was her grandfather, Dan Roysden, who is 93. Five generations of the Roysden and Miller families were represented at the gathering.

The Roy Millers returned home Friday and the Ross Millers came back by way of Rush Springs where they visited Mrs. Miller's grandparents, Mrs. Oscar May and Jud Shotts. They returned home Sunday afternoon.

## From Colorado

Holiday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Fleming and Lavon were O. D. Fleming and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Mumm of Alamosa, Colo. O. D. Fleming is Raymond's father and Mrs. Mumm is his sister.

## To Hereford

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## Girl Scouts



# H. D., AG. AGENT REVIEW THE YEAR

## Agent Predicts Downturn In Outlook on the Farm

"As a whole, not as good as last year" is the way County Agent Joe Jones describes the outlook for the Parmer County farmer. The statement is in the annual narrative report filed recently by the county agent.

Both land owners and tenant farmers are faced with heavy debts, a trend of lowering farm income and rising production costs which, Jones predicts, will force many out of the farming picture if it continues. Lowering of grain sorghum prices this year, poor cotton yield and grades will put many farmers in greater financial stress than was expected.

Too much late watering, excessive use of fertilizers, and an early freeze are cited as the causes for the poor yield and low grades in the cotton crop estimated at 43,000 bales from 42,000 acres. Should the 43,000-bale crop prove to be a reality, it will mean something like a \$5,000,000 gross income from cotton. Total cotton acreage ran 43,298. Losses from hail, rain, and wind damage and 612 acres in the soil bank left approximately 42,000.

In 1957 one county-wide and 17 community meetings brought the farmers the benefit of Experiment Station irrigation research. Specialists in most phases of cotton production addressed the meetings. Included were specialists in irrigation, fertilizing, insect control, weed control, and cultural methods. These meetings are a part of a long-range program to encourage cotton production begun about seven years ago by the county agent and Cotton Improvement Association.

More irrigated and dryland was planted to grain sorghum in 1957 than in the past six years. Yields were good, but low prices and wet weather prevented a profitable year for the grain sorghum farmers as a whole.

Five years ago the agent and farmers began working on solving some of the problems in producing grain sorghum. Some of the problems are lowering production on land that had been irrigated several years, lack of an assured price program or market high enough to bring reasonable income from water and land, and the limited number of acres that can be watered adequately from one well.

Some of the methods with which they are experimenting are use of legumes, breaking land, fertilizers, narrow row seeding, and close drilled grain sorghums. Farmers agree that a combination of these methods can increase production.

Crop production contests for 4-H and FFA members were

sponsored by the Grain Sorghum Growers Association and the Cotton Improvement Association. The county agent has commended this activity and points out that the contests encourage boys to keep good records and give them a chance for recognition not possible heretofore. Entries totaled 46.

Wheat, one of the major crops on dryland, is taking its place under an irrigation system and allotments. Experiments with fertilizers in both irrigated and dryland wheat have brought about a 25 to 50 percent increase, demonstrators report. The county has about 108,000 acres of wheat allotted for the 1958 crop with several thousand acres seeded for irrigation.

Due to the increase of irrigation and the break in prices of most all animal products, the livestock industry has continued to decrease. Majority of the work done with beef cattle, dairy cattle, and swine was done through 4-H club work and personal contacts. This included demonstrations on grooming and caring for show animals and on performance testing and record keeping as a means of increasing beef production. The agent also arranged a meeting at which a veterinarian explained the Brucellosis program and arranged milk tests for the interested dairymen.

Farmers used more fertilizer in 1957 than in any previous year and the plan is paying off in higher yields in most instances. With assistance from the agent, several farmers have kept careful records on yields from fertilized land in comparison to the yield from check plots of unfertilized land. The outlook is for a still greater quantity to be used each year.

In 1958 approximately 23,000 wells will water 350,000 acres of land. Such factors as high production costs, lowering prices for farm products, and lowering soil fertility have levelled off the number of wells being put down over the county. The agent feels that in spite of tours of good irrigation set up, news articles, and feature stories, the farmers as yet don't seem to realize the value of water as they should.

As a result of the weed control program, the County Commissioner's Court and the Texas Highway Department have treated all hindweeds on highway rights-of-way, weed control has been added to the teaching plans of the vocational agriculture teachers, and plans for an intensified weed control program for 1958 are under way.

Three of six demonstrators in improvement of house and surroundings achieved their goals in 1957. The agent and the

home demonstration agent cooperate in assisting the families in landscaping, insect control, increasing safety on the home grounds, and addition of recreation areas.

Organization of a County 4-H council was realized in November. Prior to that time, special committees handled plans for county-wide activities such as camps, dress revues, parties, contests, and achievement shows.

County 4-H clubs total 17, eight boys clubs and nine girls organizations. They assist the County Program Building Committee in planning the Extension Program. Reports on their activities are included with the reports of the adult programs.

## Staple, Grade Shown

The average staple length of cotton harvested on the Texas High Plains from the 1957 crop through December 14 is approximately one-inch in length, statistics from the USDA and the Plains Cotton Growers, Inc., indicate.

Staple length average on that date from more than 800,000 samples classed was 31.7/32 of an inch. Statistics show that 58 percent of the cotton was one inch or longer, 23 percent was 31/32, and only 18 percent 15/16 or shorter.

In grade, 46.4 percent of the cotton was classed as white, 43.3 percent light spotted, and only 9.5 percent as spotted. Tinges amounted to 0.8 percent.

Micronaire tests have dropped from the previous average of 4.3 to 3.7 for the cumulative average of the High Plains crop. Approximately 15 percent of the crop falls below 3.0 in micronaire with the remaining 85 percent above 3.0. The largest single division is 40 percent in the 4.0 to 4.9 range.

In the tensile strength tests, figures show the average Presley test for the High Plains crop has dropped to 73,000 pounds per square inch. Approximately 29 percent tests below 70,000 pounds. About 58 percent of the crop falls in the 70,000 to 80,000 pounds division.

## County Agent Has Tax Guides

County Agent Joe Jones announced this week that he has "about 400" new Farmers' Tax Guides he will be glad to distribute to those who need them.

Jones is mailing out some to those he knows will be interested, and invites requests from others.

Spomer, Wis., Advocate: "Safe gun handling means that you and the other fellow will come back. The hunting seasons are designed for trophies rather than tragedies. Good luck, enjoy the hunt—but be careful!"

## «The High Plains Farm and Home»



This picture spells out the Parmer County area harvest scene. In the foreground is picked corn. Stripped cotton is in the center of the picture, and ricked bolls can be seen in the background where it waits its turn at the gins.

## Soil Management Essential On Farm

Good soil management practices and well adapted cropping systems are the basis for a long continued and prosperous agriculture. Those who depend on the soil for livelihood are likely to become too careless with this main resource, and this can prove costly, warns Jack Barton, extension soil conservation specialist.

The physical condition of soil is of much importance in crop production, says Barton. Physical properties can be controlled by good use of crop residues, crop rotations, green manure and cover crops and barnyard manure. A deep, moderately porous soil should be maintained, rather than one that is too tight and hard to work or the other extreme, too porous.

Organic matter is of prime importance in keeping soil in good physical condition, points out the specialist. It insures a good population of beneficial soil bacteria, aids in water penetration, increases the water-holding capacity of the soil, improves soil structure and adds nitrogen and humus.

Texas soils are likely to be deficient in nitrogen, phosphorus, potash and lime, so in many instances fertilization is necessary to insure maximum yields. The addition of these essential plant nutrients can result in much higher production. A soil test is helpful in determining the proper amounts that are needed, says Barton.

Crop rotations can play an important role in improving soil productivity, and legume or grass should be included in the rotation program, he says. The legume will add nitrogen to the soil and both the legume and grass can be a good source of organic matter and grazing. Naturally, grazing would take away some of the organic matter, he adds.

Almost every farm operator follows a plan, though sometimes unconscious of the fact, points out Barton. The choice of a good or poor plan is up to the operator. His choice can mean the difference between a profit or loss.

## Two Committeemen To Be Elected For Water Board

Two committeemen will be elected January 14 to serve on the Parmer County water board of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District.

John Gammon, Friona-Lazbuddie; and A. B. Wilkinson, Bovina; have been nominated to fill vacancies for this year.

Polling places in the county include the Legion Hall in Friona, Wilson and Brock Insurance Agency office in Bovina, the county courthouse in Farwell, and the schoolhouse at Lazbuddie.

## It's Done With Mirrors

In the French Pyrenees 3,500 mirrors arranged in a bowl-shaped focusing device produce higher temperatures than does

a regular furnace. The heat is used in the fabrication of special steels and other valuable metals. This is one example of the use of solar energy discussed by the Economic and Social Council of the United Nations in its report to the General Assembly, now in session.

## 1957 Busy Year For Homemakers

Covered in the report released by Miss Jimmie Lou Wainscott, county home demonstration agent, are the activities of the Home Demonstration Council, the 10 HD clubs in the county, and the 4-H clubs.

The council, a demonstration in organization, an advisory committee, and a means of communication between the clubs and the agent, had 10 regular sessions during the year. In addition to routine business the council participated in such activities as the Friona Maize Days celebration, National HD week, numerous 4-H programs, mosquito control, county program building committee, Texas HD Association training meeting, and a county-wide meeting and luncheon.

Work in the mosquito control program and with the 4-H clubs was termed outstanding by the chairman and she recommended that the two activities be continued. Entire expenses of the council were covered by the \$350 budget set up by the 1957 recommendations.

Projects in individual clubs included landscaping, work simplification, better breakfasts for the family, frozen foods, clothing storage, and a number of workshops on semi-tailoring.

Bedroom improvement was one of the major demonstration topics for the 4-H clubs. Co-ordinated with the plans of the Program Building committee, the demonstrations were designed to encourage members to arrange bedrooms which meet their needs for health, comfort, and convenience. Five demonstrations along this line were attended by 631 members and leaders.

Considered one of the most valuable was a demonstration on "Organize Your Dresser Storage." A check revealed that 96 out of 156 members had

profited by the suggestions offered in the demonstration.

Planned for 1958 are similar activities which will help girls make their rooms more comfortable and attractive.

Another integral part of the 4-H and HD club study was clothing. All phases, storage, selection, construction, and care were covered.

As a result of the 4-H clothing program, three leaders were trained in all phases of the program and taught 46 girls; 11 leaders were trained in clothing construction and taught 47 girls; 47 girls participated in clothing workshops and 30 in the dress revues; 178 garments were made; and 25 girls were assisted with wardrobe planning and 160 girls were taught good grooming.

Goals for the adult clothing program were to help families understand points to consider in providing clothing for children, to help homemakers learn and appreciate professional details of tailored garments, to help club members put in hems correctly, and to improve storage of clothes.

More workshops, including one in "Beginner's Dressmaking," are planned for 1958.

As a result of a study in work simplification 120 adults, 48 leaders and junior 4-H leaders, and one agent report changing practices in their homes. Plans have been made to correlate work simplification principles into next year's programs.

Better breakfasts were emphasized in the foods and nutrition area of the 4-H and HD clubs. Demonstrations were attended by 634 persons and the agent helped families in producing and providing adequate home food supplies and in planning family meals. Members reported 1150 pints of fruit canned, 1525 pints of vegetables

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**NEWS**

"The Place Where Most People Trade" Wednesday, January 1, 1958 Friona, Texas

We are sure everyone had a most enjoyable Christmas and are having a Happy New Year. Holidays are lots of fun and we look forward to them, but they are sort of like vacations. Everyone's glad when it is all over and things get back to normal, the decorations are put away, the turkey hash is all gone, the company has gone home, and the children are back in school (thank goodness!).

Don't ride on wornout tires. Bring them to the Parmer County Implement Company and trade them for some new Goodyear tires. More people ride on Goodyear tires than on any other kind.

Company at our house for the weekend was our mother's sister, Mrs. Ray Wilson from Merkel, Texas, and mother's niece, Barbara Wilson, who is a senior at McMurry College in Abilene.

This didn't happen at our house, but it might have: Small boy to his Dad: "Daddy, if Santa brings all our toys, and the Lord provides food and clothing, and the stork brings our babies, why do we need Dads?"

Have you seen the new McCormick Farmall 450? There's no place like your farm to prove the superiority of the Farmall 450 Tractor. As soon as you can, call us or stop at our store and let us arrange a demonstration of the country's greatest 4-5 plow tractor.

Friona is losing one of its oldest business firms when the Spring Mercantile Store closes its doors. Mr. and Mrs. Spring have, we are sure, donated a carload of candy to youngsters who have visited their store. We shall be sorry to see the store close, but wish Mr. and Mrs. Spring much happiness in their retirement.

The International heavy duty V-8 trucks offer you more of everything you want. More go at the lights. More tons per gallon. More power per payload pound.

You have heard that when you wear out a pair of boots in West Texas you have become a native. Think maybe the Ralph Sheltons will qualify soon. They visited in Greenville, that's East Texas, during the holidays and didn't enjoy the rain and mud at all. Other Friona folks in Greenville for the holidays were the John L. Rays, the Clyde Weatherleys and Jay Perryman.

You probably plan to buy a stalk shredder soon. Have you seen the ones the Parmer County Implement Company sells? We have Servis and International stalk shredders.

Our forefathers went without sugar until the 13th century, without coal until the 14th, without buttered bread until the 15th, without coffee, tea, or soap until the 17th, and there was no pudding to eat until the 18th century; gas, matches, and electricity were developed in the 19th century; and our ancestors did without canned goods until the 20th century and we have had automobiles only a few years. Now, what was it you were complaining about?

Sure, we are proud of our parts department! If we don't have what you need, we will get it very soon.

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taxation without representation was bad, he should see it with representation.

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Mr. Jim Shaffer is home again. At least in Friona again. He will be at Parmer County Community Hospital for awhile, but is happy to be that near home. Mr. Shaffer, who says he never thought he'd be able to be still for thirty days, (but was) is able to walk about some with the help of a couple of crutches. Mr. Shaffer was injured in a car wreck near Perryton several weeks ago and was hospitalized at Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo until Saturday.

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Better lunches and suppers will be stressed in the next year's program.

Winner of the Parmer County 4-H Bake Show in August participated in the Tri-State Fair at Amarillo.

Community development problems have been increased as a result of the consolidation of many rural schools. The County Extension Program Planning committee has tackled two of them, county and community recreation and community organizations.

Two communities have been organized in the past year.

The Black Community has placed second in the Rural Neighborhood contest for two years and the Hub Community has built a community house since its organization. Monthly meetings and parties for the children have become popular.

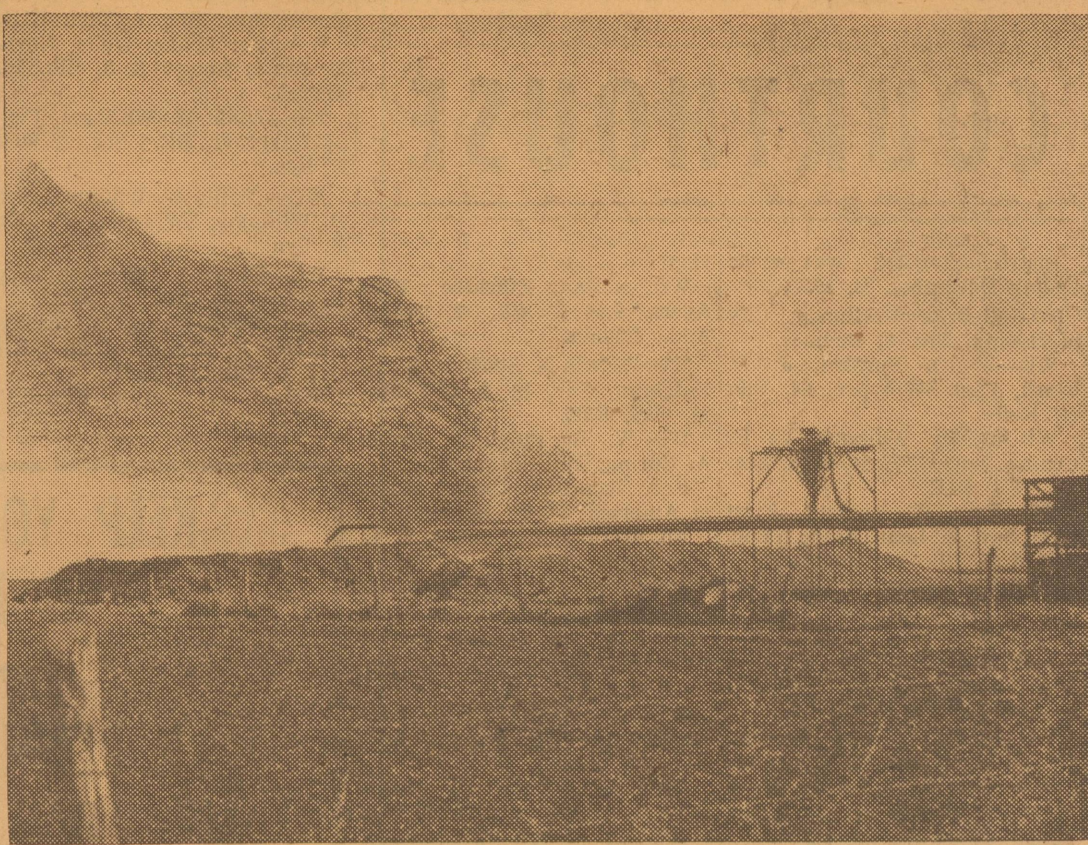
Organization of the Rhea Community has been completed and tentative plans for a community house are underway. Interest in organizing the Lakeview community is high.

Forty-seven adults and 4-H members attended the Recreation School conducted in the spring by Miss Lucille Moore. Persons who attended have directed recreation at numerous affairs including community and county-wide parties and county-wide 4-H camps.

Agents Jones and Wainscott feel that the program of developing recreational leaders will come more interest in communities and maybe more communities will be organized. They also cite the annual Lazbuddie School Fair where 4-H, FFA, and FHA members exhibit livestock, field crops, vegetables, baking, canning, and sewing as a great aid in developing community spirit.

High Plains Farm and Home wishes everyone a happy and prosperous New Year!

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Smoke rising from a burning burr pile in a pit near a gin is a less common sight each year. Farmers are making good use of the burs as a soil conditioner, and cattle feeders are interested in them as a forage portion of the feeding diet. Pictures such as this will probably be a rarity within a few years.

## THE PARMER FARMER

By W. H. Graham Jr.

On the threshold of 1958, as we peer into the future and think about things that are to come, what do you, our readers, think will be the most revolutionary development in American farming in the future—say, the next five years?

Will it be linked to the atom, and take the form of new, almost undreamed-of varieties of plants that can be achieved with controlled radiation? Will it be the perfection of the "laboratory" farm where food is produced economically under precisely controlled conditions in test tubes? Will America take to the "algae food" that offers such startling possibilities vol-

ume-wise? Our idea of the major breakthrough in the scientific advance of American farming will be in the field of de-salting seawater. For centuries, this has been a dream of man, and today, he is coming close to making it a practical reality.

The fact is, turning salt water to fresh has been done for many years, but only on a very small scale. Most large ships carry refining facilities to convert salt water into fresh, and during the war, de-salting units were reduced to the size of a small radio for use in life rafts and what-not.

However, large-scale production of fresh water at a cost that is comparable to pumping it from wells or bringing it from the mountains has not yet been achieved. Claims have been made recently that the cost for producing fresh water from the sea has been lowered to about 17 cents a thousand gallons.

That rate, if true, would make converted seawater a good buy for many cities, which now pay up around 25 cents a thousand for water. Of course, domestic users will always be able to pay a "high" price for water they drink, bathe in, and even wash their cars and raise their lawns with, because they buy in terms of thousands instead of millions or billions of gallons.

But for agricultural purposes, 17 cents is still too high, unless the water is used in very specialized cases where returns are much above average. When converting salt water to fresh has reached an economical level—say about five cents a thousand gallons—consider for a moment the effect this development will have on America's farming outlook.

Millions upon millions of acres of land lie idle in the extreme southwestern part of our country, that could be made fantastically productive with water. This water is not available underground in most cases. It is not available from streams in many others.

Sometimes, water is available underneath the earth, but it is brackish or just plain salty. At other times, fresh water reserves are limited, and make development a short-sighted affair.

Much of this land we speak of has a year-round growing climate, which would make it suitable for the production of

anything imaginable. This land lies close enough to the Gulf of Mexico on the east and the Pacific Ocean on the west so that water, if available at an economical rate, could be transported by pipelines and would convert waste lands into veritable gardens.

A dream? Well, hardly. The solar still, which uses the energy of the sun to convert salt water into fresh, is bordering on practicality at the moment, and that part of the Southwest certainly has the sunshine for a cheap source of power.

Scientists now predict that when scaling is conquered—and it will be—there will be some tremendous developments in this field. (The scaling we speak of is the residue that is left after water evaporates. Look inside your wife's teakettle for an idea.)

Nobody knows what the future holds for farming, but we suspect that de-salting seawater has good possibilities of being America's next major breakthrough on the scientific front of agriculture.

### Rhinehart Sale Next Tuesday

The farm auction sale of Lester Rhinehart will be Tuesday, January 7 at his place two miles north of Bovina on the farm-to-market road. The sale begins at 10 a. m.

Col. Dick Doshier and Dean Sanders will auctioneer the sale, and Jerrell Doshier will clerk. The auction list is headed by six tractors, a cotton stripper, a combine, and other equipment, supplemented by cars, trucks, and miscellaneous items.

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## NEWS FROM THE FARM BUREAU

By RAYMOND EULER

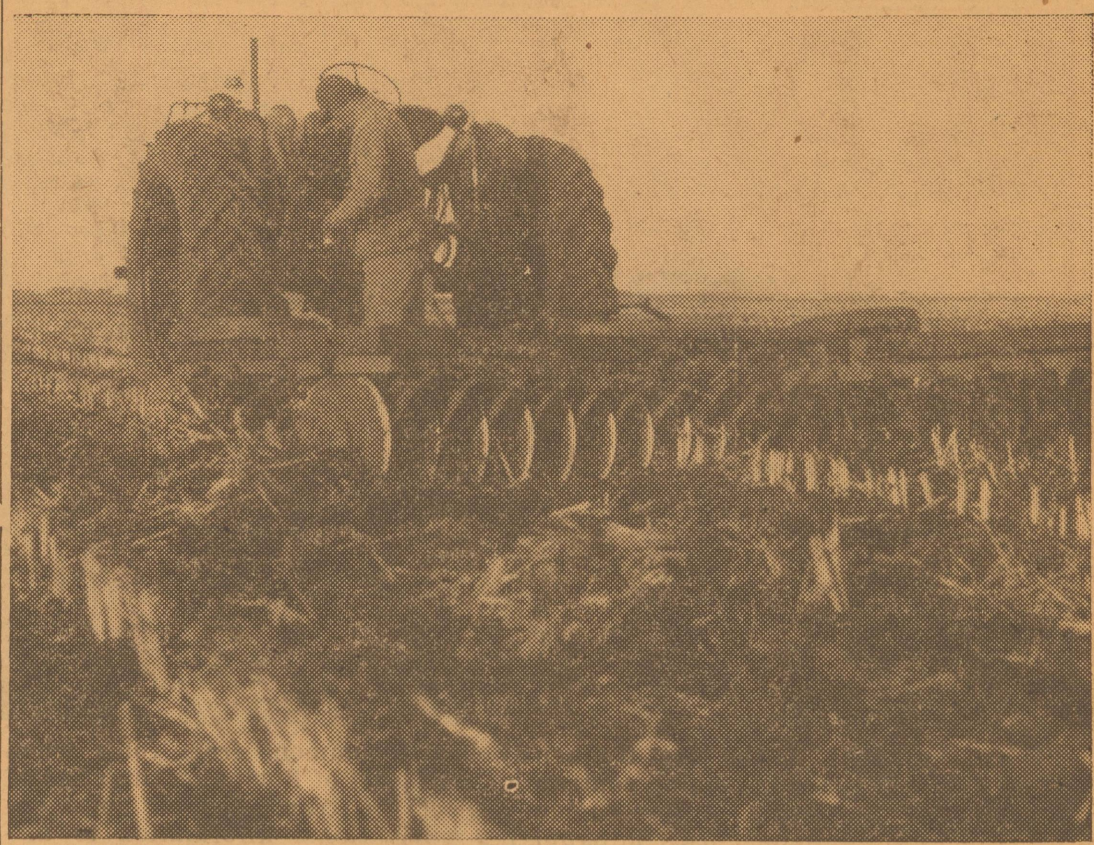
Farm Bureau Directors will meet in regular session at the Farm Bureau Office Monday night about 8. Anyone interested in agricultural matters is cordially invited to attend any of these meetings, which are always open to the public. You may have a suggestion that would help your directors in their service to you in the coming months. President Kaltwasser and the other directors jointly welcome your attendance.

Vice President Jack Patterson, asks us to mention again the draft authorization cards you received. If you see fit, you can help cut down on expense of operation of the local Farm Bureau by signing and sending the card in. And whether you sign it or not, your directors would appreciate your suggestions for improving the service program of Farm Bureau. You may write them on the back of the card and send it in and be assured of consideration of your suggestion.

It is our considered opinion that this bird, called a professor, down at A&M College who has decided that man's ancestor is a brown seaweed ought to be in the nut house instead of teaching in a state financed institute of higher learning. How that deduction rated front page headlines escapes our imagination.

Congressman Walter Rogers is taking a most important step toward correcting a bad situation in America by proposing legislation endowing our elected representatives with the power to veto decisions of the supreme court if they see fit. In cases involving alleged Communist activities, every decision of the court has favored the accused for the past several years. This cannot be exactly a normal, unprejudiced situation, considering the integrity of some of the investigators presenting the evidence in most of the cases. We think Congressman Rogers should be commended and supported in this move in the interest of the future of our American heritage.

It appears that farmers are going to have to be on guard in the coming session of congress if they expect to come



Discing in stubble is a traditional after-harvest operation on area grain sorghum farms, but it has been long delayed by unusual conditions this year. This Parmer County farmer is doing a job this week that he would long since have completed in a normal year.

out with advantages necessary to profitable operation. Farm Bureau's representatives will be there in full force throughout the session, upholding the requests and demands of its members.

Consider this: A man that doeth violence to the blood of any person shall flee to the pit; let no man stay him. Proverbs 28:17

1957 per capita consumption, however, will still be well above average figures. He credits the rise in beef consumption to a number of factors but chief among them is the favorable competitive position beef has been holding in comparison with other red meats. To further emphasize this point, Snyder says consumers ate more beef in 1956 than all other red meats

combined, about 51 percent of the 163.5 pounds consumed per capita was beef. This total figure was also a record.

Promotion and advertising are also cited by the specialist as factors in the increase. Special attention has been called to the nutritive and economical values of the lower priced cuts with beef organizations playing a big part in this promotion.

### Beef Producers Have Better Outlook

Beef producers in Texas and the nation have seen consumer demand for their products steadily increase for the past several years. Roy W. Snyder, extension meats specialist, says beef consumption on a per capita basis in the United States reached a peak of 83.5 pounds in 1956.

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TERMS: CASH

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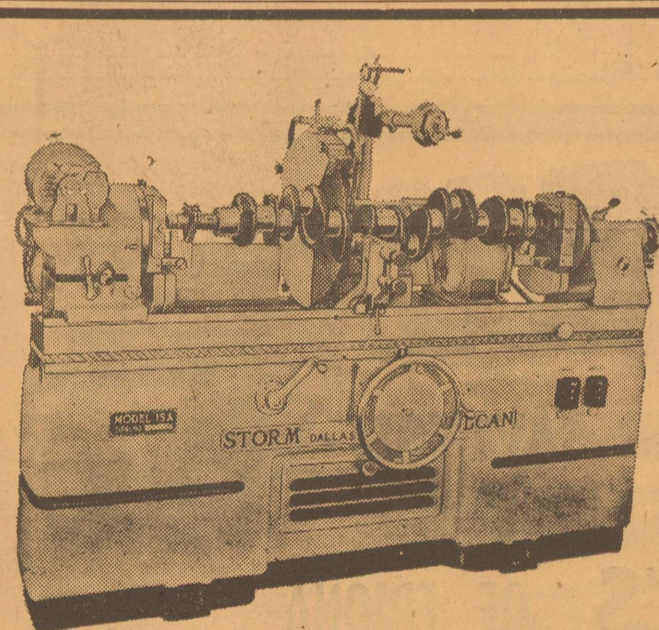
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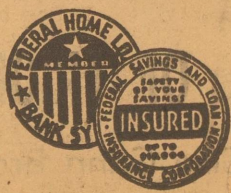
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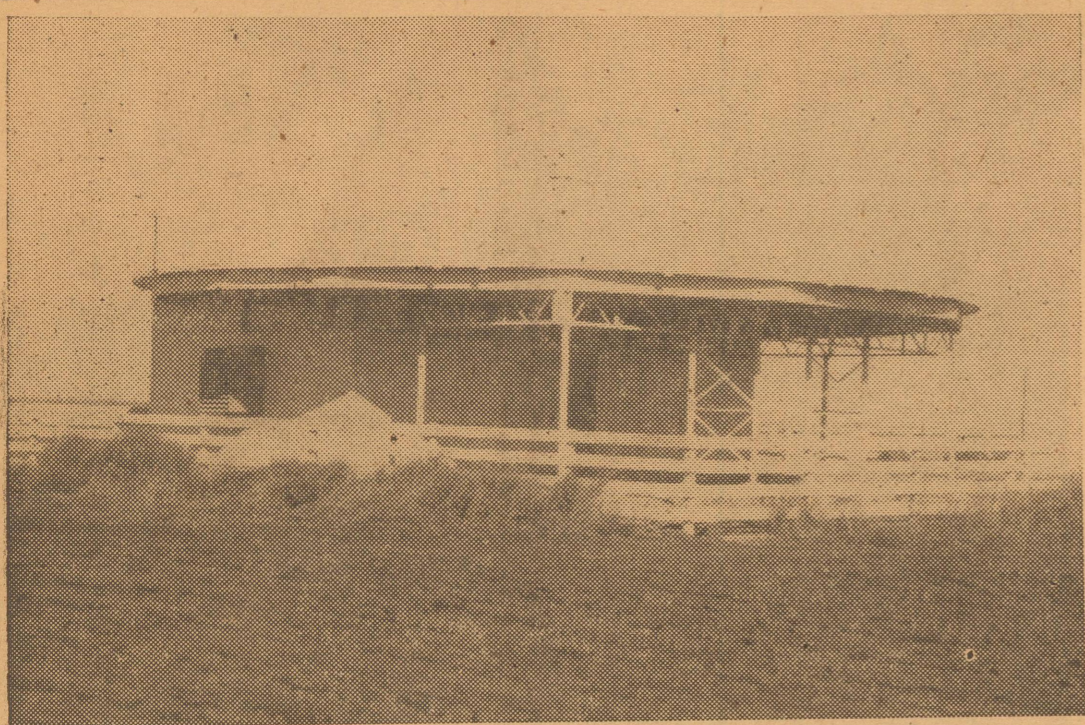
Amount You Want At Age 65	YOUR PRESENT AGE												
	20	22	24	26	28	30	32	34	36	38	40	45	50
\$5,000	\$3.84	\$4.19	\$4.59	\$5.03	\$5.53	\$6.10	\$6.74	\$7.47	\$8.32	\$9.30	\$10.45	\$11.41	\$21.14
\$10,000	7.67	8.38	9.17	10.06	11.06	12.19	13.48	14.95	16.64	18.60	20.91	23.83	42.28
\$15,000	11.50	12.57	13.76	15.09	16.59	18.29	20.21	22.42	24.96	27.91	31.36	35.24	63.43
\$20,000	15.34	16.76	18.34	20.12	22.12	24.38	26.95	29.89	33.28	37.21	41.82	47.65	84.57
\$25,000	19.17	20.95	22.93	25.15	27.65	30.48	33.69	37.36	41.60	46.51	52.27	59.06	105.71
\$30,000	23.00	25.14	27.52	30.18	33.18	36.57	40.43	44.84	49.92	55.81	62.73	71.06	126.85
\$40,000	30.67	33.51	36.69	40.24	44.24	48.76	53.90	59.78	66.55	74.42	83.64	94.50	169.14
\$50,000	38.34	41.89	45.86	50.30	55.30	60.96	67.38	74.73	83.19	93.02	104.55	118.13	211.42



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## 28 New Businesses In Parmer County During Past 2 Yrs.

"There are 28 new business concerns in Parmer County today than there were two years ago," says Wayne A. Clark, manager of the Amarillo office of Dun & Bradstreet. Basing his facts upon the figures in the current January, 1958 Reference Book, Clark points out that in 1956, 149 businesses were listed by Dun & Bradstreet; today there are 177 enterprises.

The Reference Book, incidentally, lists only manufacturers, wholesalers, retailers, and some service companies, such as laundries and gasoline service stations. It does not include

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some of the service and "professional" businesses, such as barber and beauty shops, real estate and stock brokers. Thus the figure for businesses in Parmer County would actually be higher than the 177 quoted above.

Better than 95 per cent of all commercial transactions in the United States are made on credit terms and the buyer and the seller are brought together by means of credit information.

When the owner of a business or his accountant returns his financial statement to Dun & Bradstreet, the owner has taken the first step in establishing his responsibility as a seeker of credit, says the company.

The statement becomes a part of the credit report on his business along with a financial analysis, a description of what the business does, and a record of how it pays its bills.

On the basis of the information in the report, a rating is assigned and the businessman is listed in the Dun & Bradstreet Reference Book. This makes it possible for his suppliers and insurance underwriters, who use the book, to look him up and in this way he is assisted in getting goods and insurance.

In other words, should a manufacturer or wholesaler receive an order for merchandise from a merchant in Parmer County, the listing and the rating of the merchant can be checked in the Reference Book. And it makes no difference where the seller is located. The listing of the Parmer County businessman appears in every issue of the Reference Book in the United States.

A Reference Book listing contains the name of the business and the rating. The rating consists of two symbols. The first, a letter of the alphabet, indicates financial strength or capital. It is the difference between what the business owes and what it owns. The second symbol, a numeral, reflects a composite of financial stability and payment record.

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### SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS



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Applications for the Great Plains Conservation Program are now being taken for interested farmers in Parmer County. For the convenience of interested farmers you may sign up at the Soil Conservation Service Office in the Legion Building in Friona, or the Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Office in Farwell. You may also obtain complete information at either of these offices as well as the County Agent's office in Farwell and the Farmers Home Administration office in the County Court House in Farwell.

As most of you have probably already been informed this program is designed to assist those farmers or ranchers who are interested in applying a complete conservation farm plan. This program is not set up to take the place of any existing agriculture program. Other programs may be entered into along with the Great Plains Program as well as being used to supplement it.

For complete information on the Great Plains Program drop in and let's talk it over.

Well, we have just about wound up another crop year in Parmer County SCD. In some instances it has been a hard year financially and we have had to stand by and see a whole year's labor not turn out as well as many of us had hoped it would. We would like to take this opportunity to tell each of you with whom we have worked that we have enjoyed assisting you with your soil and water conservation problems and it is our aim and hope that we can get around to help more of you this coming year than in 1957.

### Study Recharge Rates at Station

Research in the storage of ground water has begun at the High Plains Station of the Texas Research Foundation. The study of the controlled movement of water into water bearing sands is being conducted by pumping water from an irrigation well into the recharge well, ¼ mile away, adjacent to the east lake at the station. The experiment, which will be continuous for six weeks, is to discover the behavior of recharged water in the underground sands.

Three four-inch wells are located 8, 50, and 100 feet from the recharge well so that observations can be made to get data. Wells ½ and 1½ miles away are being checked to determine any effect the test has on them.

During the first five days of testing, 5,889,000 gallons of water had been pumped into the recharge well. A rise in the water level of 24.61 feet was recorded at the recharge well, 21.31 feet at the test well 8 feet away, and 20.93 at the well 100 feet from the recharge well. The irrigation well supplying the water showed a draw-down of 21.45 feet during the five-day period while a well 350 feet away showed a drop of only 5.07 feet.

### THE HAPPY HOMEMAKER BY JUNE FLOYD

Experts on flower and vegetable gardening advise early planning, so perhaps it would be wise for all of us who plan to do a better job gardening in 1958 to get to work on our plans. Pretty soon we will be getting seed catalogs and other advertising material through the mail.

All of these are interesting to look at and many of the products are very colorful. Before we invest any money in bargain offers from nurseries we know nothing about, it is always wise to investigate. Many times we can secure plants from local sources at the same or lower prices than those quoted in material from far away places.

In addition to saving some money, we can always call on local nursery men for assistance or replacements if they are needed. If you plan to buy any shrubs or other plants, be sure to check the proper date for setting them out in our area.

For those of you who make your own income tax returns, there is a booklet on farm income tax computation available at the County Agent's office in Farwell. Since farmers need to mail their income tax reports early, these should be made in the very near future. If you are a farmer's wife and book-keeping is part of your job, be sure you have a good record book to begin the new year with.

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DT—Ezra H. Englant, First Fed. Sav. & Loan Assoc., Lots 3, 4 & 5, Blk. 34, Bovina.  
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WD—Norvin Neff Preston, Gage Helms, Sec. 28, T2N, R4E.  
WD—George McKinney, Steve Mumoz, Lots 6 & 7, Blk. 5, Bovina.

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WD—Edwin A. Steffens, W. B. Fulgham, Sec. 21 & N/2 Sec. 28, T3S, R3E.  
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E/429. 70 a. Sec. 4, T1N, R1E.  
WD—Harold Joe Wells, Noyle E. Wood, Lots 7 & 8, Blk. 10, Friona.  
WD—Willie W. Williams, Peggy Hargrove, SE/4 Sec. 22 Blk. B, Syn.  
WD—Willie W. Williams, Don H. Williams, SW/4 Sec. 22, Blk. B, Syn.  
WD—Elmer L. Hargrove, et al N/2 Sec. 22, Blk. B, Syn.  
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