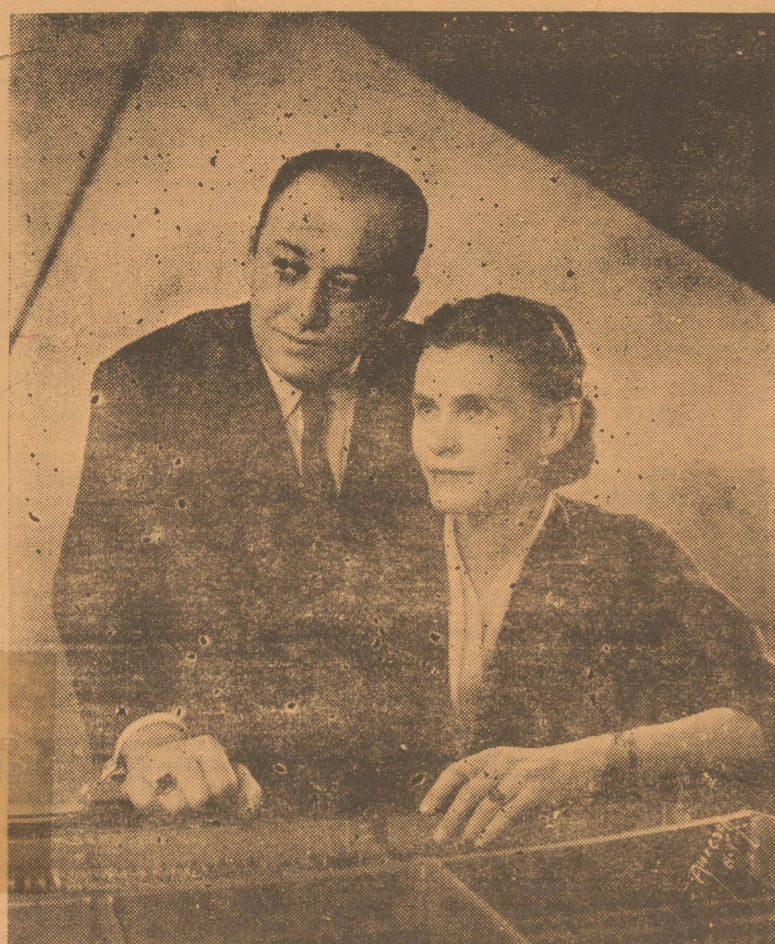


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## Two Entertainment Groups Scheduled March 7th, 12th in Concert Series

The Friona Concert Association will present two concert programs during the second week in March, according to Carl Maurer, president of the Association.

Duo-Pianists, Jeanette Hanson and Lincoln DeDell, will appear at the school auditorium Monday night, March 7. Time for the program will be 8:00 o'clock.

The pianists will bring with them two concert grand pianos and will present a varied and entertaining program, including piano arrangements by Brahms, Bach, Mozart, Beethoven, Rachmaninoff, Rimsky-Korsakoff, Strauss and other well known composers.

The program will include Minuet, Flight of the Bumble Bee, The Blue Danube Waltzes, Five Waltzes, variations from Beethoven's piano Sonata, and several other numbers.

This should prove to be one of the most enjoyable programs presented by the local concert association, according to Maurer.

On Saturday night, March 12, the concert program will be presented by Dr. Franz Polgar.

Dr. Polgar, a master of hypnology, has a very amusing program. The show is hilariously funny simply because it makes some of your

neighbors in the audience do the darndest things. There will be, for example, a group of volunteers under hypnosis, responding humorously to suggestions that it is hot, it is cold, that they are high in a plane looking out the window, etc.

These shenanigans, which with due credit to the Polgar touch, are much funnier in action than in words, are the heart of the doctor's show. The brain of it is his memory tricks, and his startling ability to locate a tiny object hidden anywhere in the auditorium.

Dr. Polgar doesn't look like a man of mystery. He is turbanless and he doesn't brood. Yet, at a few words and a flick of his finger, people are under his spell.

This program should be enjoyable to the entire concert membership, so don't leave the small fry at home when you attend this performance.

Mr. Maurer also reminds the concert members that the Saturday night concert will be Guest Night, with each member allowed to invite guests, so bring your week-end guests, out-of-town friends or neighbors who are not members and come out for the entertainment.

**OLD INKY sez -**

Dear Editor:  
What this community needs is a baseball diamond, equipped with lights. Then a softball team and baseball team should be pushed, creating interest among both the youngsters and adults.  
—Truitt Johnson.

To The Star:  
Why not have the sidewalks fixed where they are all broken up in front of shoe shop and Scotts and paint the front of those buildings sure would improve the looks of that block. How about a street lite every block in the residential district?  
—Same Old Taxpayer.

Congratulations to O. J. Beene for the modern new front being installed at the City Drug. Will admit the present false front rather leaves the impression of a speak-easy—but wait till next week!  
Also notice the Houser brothers have spread considerable paint around the Houser Grocery. Again, congratulations.

### BIRTHDAYS OF THE WEEK:

- Feb. 25: Mrs. Pete Lawton, Jimmy Snead.
- Feb. 26: Jim Bob Jones, Claude Osborn.
- Feb. 27: Mrs. T. A. O'Brian, Charles Reeve.
- Feb. 28: Mrs. R. B. McKee, Joy-linda Norwood, Stevan Thornton, W. H. Plippin, Jr., June Brummett.
- March 1: Joe Osborn, Marilyn Fairchild.
- March 2: Joyce Norwood, John Bill McFarland.
- March 3: Lannette Prichard, Lee Eastep, Maurine Dunn.
- March 4: Robbie Osborn, Ray White, Deborah Knox.

Wish we could tell a lot about new businesses coming in, but all

## Friona - Lubbock Students Selected Truck Line Asked For Austin Trip

Friona businessmen desiring direct motor freight service with Lubbock are reminded this week by Chamber of Commerce President Dillie Kelley that intensified efforts in this matter should be made by next week.

A Lubbock meeting with the Interstate Commerce Commission and the Lang Transit Company has been arranged for Thursday, March 3, at 9 a. m. in the Lubbock Hotel at Lubbock. Any interested businessmen are invited to attend. Already signifying that their firms will send representatives are the Herring Implement firm, Kendrick Oil Company, Plains Hardware, Farmer County Implement, Carl McCaslin Lumber and the Friona Star.

Anyone interested, but who cannot attend the hearing, is urged to write Lang Transit Company, 38th Street at Avenue Q, Lubbock, expressing desire for the direct service.

## Graveside Service Held For Infant Spring Son

Graveside services were held for John Bruce Spring, infant son of Dr. and Mrs. Paul Spring, Monday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock at the Friona Cemetery. Rev. U. S. Sheriff was in charge of the services.

The infant was born at the Farmer County Hospital, Friday night, February 18, and died Monday morning.

Survivors are the parents, one sister, Susan Kay, and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Spring and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Pleszewski of Dunkirk, New York.

### BUILDING PERMITS

H. K. Kendrick to move in building for office purposes.

Glen Harrelson, \$8800 stucco residence at 1007 Woodland.

Glen Harrelson, sidewalk construction.

Application has been made by Mrs. A. H. Boatman for repair of business house (Gib's Cleaners) in the fire zone. Proposed repairs include stucco and Permatone.

Mr. M. A. Bartlett was by the Star office this week, and has the cast off of his foot, which was broken in a fall several weeks ago while visiting in Ohio.

Mr. and Mrs. O. J. Beene and Ramey were in Liberal, Kansas, Tuesday for the Pancake Derby. Mrs. Robert Ramey, a sister-in-law of the Beenes, was the winner from the Amarillo and participated in the Liberal race.

## Farm Bureau Report



By **RAYMOND EULER**

Kent, out near Lariat, were delegated to meet with state officials in Austin some time ago for discussion of the cotton allotment question. Since then, we have had numerous complimentary reports from other county and state officials regarding their ability to present the problem at hand as they represent their constituents. Then, just a week ago, A. J. Ellison was invited to Lynn County's Farm Bureau kick-off meeting in Tahoka, as guest speaker. Farmer County has always had a good reputation for its membership and participation in problems that have come up for action. Men like these, of which we have many more, are the ones who make that kind of reputation. All these services are performed without pay, too.

Farmer County has had more than its usual number of automobile accidents the past two weeks. Fortunately, no one has been seriously injured. We mention this to remind you to be careful in traffic. We would like to see every resident go through the year without serious injury in an automobile accident.

Steady prepayment of dues for March continues to indicate that the goal of 775 will be exceeded the week of the drive. Everyone interested in having a positive voice in agricultural policies originating in Farmer County should be a member. If 51 per cent of your income is derived from agriculture, you can be a full-fledged voting member. If your ideas are not presently embodied in Farmer County's Farm Bureau policies, you can get them in there provided a reasonable number of your fellow farmers agree with you. That's all it takes.

We are rather proud of the recognition some of our members are receiving throughout the state. Gilbert Kaltwasser and T. L.

Two junior students of the Friona schools again this year will be given an expense-paid trip to the Boys State and Girls State activities scheduled during May in the state capital.

Marie White and Harold Taylor this week were named as delegates in the program sponsored by American Legion Post 206 and Auxiliary here. Selection, based on academic skills, aptitude and achievement, was made by the students and faculty of the local school. Alternates named were Phyllis Fairchild and Mickey Ready.

## COUNTY - WIDE LICENSE SALE DATES ARE SET

Auto license sales in Farmer County will be offered for sale in five locations during March, Sheriff, Assessor-Collector Chas. Lovelace announced this week.

Special days have been designated for sales at Friona, Bovina, Black and Lazbuddie, with the usual 6-day week operation at the courthouse location.

Taxes also may be rendered at these locations and on these days.

A representative of the collector's office will be in Friona on each Saturday during March, from hours of 9 a. m. to 5 p. m., at the American Legion Hall.

Bovina visits will be made on each Friday.

The Black area will be served on Wednesday the 16th; and Lazbuddie on Wednesday the 23rd.

Complete details are carried in the announcement on page 8 of this paper.

### RETURN FROM GULF

A group of local fishermen returned during the week-end from Port Aransas and Port Isabel where they had been fishing. Mr. and Mrs. Jake Lamb and Mr. and Mrs. Granville McFarland and boys had been down several days and were joined the last of the week by A. L. Black, Wright Williams, G. B. Buske, and Frank Spring. They saw W. S. Menefee who was also fishing at Port Aransas.

## STORK FEATHERS

Mr. and Mrs. Delton Lewellen are the parents of a baby girl born February 15. She weighed 8 ounces, 4 ounces, and has been named Donna Kay.

A baby boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Taylor, February 16. He weighed in at 7 pounds, 12 ounces and has been named Thaniel Kirk.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Mayben of Bovina are the parents of a baby boy born February 18. He weighed 8 pounds and has been named George William.

A baby boy was born February 23 to Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Buchanan. He weighed 9 pounds, 5 ounces and has not been named at this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvie Jennings and Mrs. Fred White flew to College Station, Sunday, in Jennings private plane. Mrs. White visited her son, John Fred, who is attending Texas A. & M. College, and Elvie Jennings attended an agricultural meeting at the college. They returned Wednesday afternoon.

## Fire Department Improvements Are Underway

A committee from the Friona Fire Department met last week to order new equipment for the small fire truck purchased about six months ago. This is a half-ton pickup which will be equipped with a 24-foot extension ladder, blankets, electric flares, respirator and first aid kit, and hand-fire extinguishers.

The fire department boys raised the fire siren about 20 feet last week to give a wider sound range.

According to Fire Chief Charlie Bainum, the short wave radio will be installed in the fire truck sometime within the next six weeks, enabling them to be in instant radio contact with neighboring towns and Friona, in case they should be in the country.

# Soil Conservation Takes Major Significance in Farm Outlook

Soil conservation in Farmer County has become "big business," very near to the heart of most grown, also less wind erosion on the local farming operations, annual report of the Farmer County Soil Conservation District re-emphasized this week.

Many conservation projects have been directed by the local office of the association; and without doubt the influence of results here has reached to many, many farms not actively cooperating in the SCD program.

Since the first "agreement" was approved by the district board of supervisors here in July of 1949, 359 agreements have been entered into, affecting 167,040 acres.

Do the practices pay? Let's look at some records:

Archie McCutchan reports 100 per cent increase in production on bench leveled land, also reporting great saving of time and water due to pile pipelines installed.

## FREE PICTURES!

Want a picture of your child taken without cost?

This has been arranged in a contract signed between the Star and a professional photo studio.

Parents are invited to bring their children to the Friona Star office on Friday, March 4, between the hours of 10 a. m. and 5:30 p. m. for this picture taking.

The studio will supply this paper glossy prints and cuts of each child whose picture is taken that day, and they will be kept on file at the Star, also appearing in the paper within the next few weeks.

Agreement with the studio is that this service is free. Of course, parents may order additional pictures for which charge is made, but express agreement between this paper and the studio is that no special pressure of any type will be brought to bear in this matter.

So we do hope you take advantage of this opportunity. For further details, read the ad on page 3 of this issue, and see further details next week.

Charles Allen returned Tuesday night from Fort Worth where he had attended a Seventh District bankers meeting. He went to Fort Worth by way of Duncan, Okla., where he spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Allen.

Mrs. Harvey Shapley of Amarillo is visiting this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Delton Lewellen.

W. P. McMinn tells of easier plowing in soil where vetch was grown, also less wind erosion on the local farming operations, annual report of the Farmer County Soil Conservation District re-emphasized this week.

## RED CROSS DRIVE COMMENCES 7th

County drive chairman for the Red Cross have been selected this week for the annual county-wide Red Cross fund drive which will begin March 7 and end March 12.

Friona will have a one-day drive, Friday, March 11. The county quota for this year is \$1,480.00, with the Friona quota being placed at \$500.

Heading the local drive will be Charles Allen, chairman, assisted by H. K. Kendrick, Wesley Foster and Loyde Brewer.

Other chairmen over the county are: Mrs. D. G. Hand, Lakeview; Mrs. Rene Snead, Hub; Mrs. Ellis Tatum, Black; Mrs. Johnny McDonald and W. N. Foster, Farwell; Mrs. Floyd Schlenker, Rhea; Harry J. Charles, Bovina; Mrs. Asa Smith, Lariat; Mrs. Melvin Treider, Lazbuddie; and James McGuire and Leon Billingsley, Oklahoma Lane.

## Hospital Notes

### Admitted—

- Mr. Alfred Mills—Acc.—Bovina.
- Mrs. Delton Lewellen—OB—Friona.
- Mrs. Clayton Taylor—OB—Friona.
- Mrs. G. W. Mayben—OB—Bovina.
- Mrs. Paul Spring—OB—Friona.
- Mrs. Jack Tomlin—Med.—Friona.
- Mr. I. W. Quicke—Med.—Bovina.
- Mrs. Raymond Schueler—Med.—Friona.
- Mrs. Clyde Perkins—Med.—Farwell.
- Mrs. E. W. Buchanan—OB—Friona.
- Mrs. Manvel Martinez—Med.

### Dismissed—

- Jim Dixon, Mrs. Thelma Jones, Mrs. Pat Read, Mr. Alfred Mills, Mrs. Jack Tomlin, Mrs. Raymond Schueler, Pedro Guzman, Mrs. Clyde Perkins, Mrs. Delton Lewellen and baby girl, Mrs. Clayton Taylor and baby boy, Mrs. G. W. Mayben and baby boy.

Practices covering most acreage in the 1954 activity of the SCD include cover cropping of 4,857 acres; improved water application on 3,488 acres; and stable mulching of 1,708 acres. All this to say nothing of the many other practices carried out.

Not only have the farmers entered into the spirit of soil conservation, but other categories of county residents have seen and acted on the benefits of soil conservation. For example:

The Friona Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture furnished office space during the year for the SCD, also employing an extra man for two months to help the SCD personnel during the Spring rush.

Newspapers contributed liberally in getting conservation information to the public.

Friona businessmen furnished a booth at the County Fair for the Soil Conservation exhibits.

The Farwell C. of C. furnished free barbecue lunch at the "Soils Day" held in Farwell.

The county commission furnished office space at Farwell, also making available machinery for construction of terraces, waterways and bench leveling.

The Shirley Elevator of Bovina stored and handled vetch seed purchased by district, free of charge. The Friona State Bank donated the N.A.S.C.D. dues.

And countless individuals have entered into the spirit of soil conservation. Other government agencies have cooperated to great extent.

So—with the local SCD resources at well over \$10,000, and annual assistance of the service valued at some intangible figure well above that—Soil Conservation in Farmer County is a decisive factor in the economic picture here.

A. L. Black is president of the board of supervisors, and Joe Blair is secretary-treasurer; with members Clyde Sherman, Carl Schlenker and Matt Jesko.

## Grain Program Is Studied by Bureau

E. T. Ford, chairman, Edgar Walters, James Mabry and Melvin Sachs, members of Farmer County Farm Bureau's Commodity Committee, met in the Friona office Thursday night, February 17, for further study of the grain sorghum support price problem. A. J. Ellison, Farm Bureau President was also present.

Information from USDA Secretary Benson concerning the surplus of this commodity was too vague for conclusive consideration in relation to the 70 per cent parity support announced, and efforts are being made to obtain further information on this subject. Representatives were to be present at the Amarillo mass meeting Tuesday, where USDA officials were to present the complete picture.

The committee agreed that it would not be practical to ask for 90 per cent parity supports unless acreage controls were adopted, and expressed doubt that the majority of growers would favor such controls. Members also agreed that any increase in supports would have to be made on the basis of marketable need. Efforts toward establishment of more favorable marketing practices for Commodity Credit Corporation stocks for depletion of what surpluses may exist were favored by all committee men. Requests for further experiment station studies and reports that would stimulate use of grain sorghums by feeders are being forwarded to appropriate stations.

"We are all grain sorghum producers," said Mabry, "and we fully realize the seriousness of the problem facing so many of us who depend upon this commodity as a cash crop; but we want to be sure we know enough facts to substantiate any claims we make for price support increases before we talk too much. When we have those facts before us, we will be ready to present them to the proper authorities and expect results."

All committeemen expressed opposition to asking Commodity Credit Corporation to finance production of any commodity so far beyond market needs as to be a stumbling block to the farm program in general. Cost of production ranges from \$12.50 per acre to \$35.00 per acre, depending upon the soil, fuel for irrigation, use of fertilizers and efficiency of farm operations, according to various opinions originating in Farmer County.

# FRIONA ITEMS FROM THE SCHOOLS

Dear Uncle Bert,

This is the week that very few of the students have been looking forward to because of the six-week tests will begin Wednesday. The odd-period tests will be Wednesday and the even-period tests will be Thursday.

Monday morning, the General Telephone Company presented a film to the high school about "Courtesy on the Telephone." Many things were pointed out that the students needed to know. It was thoroughly enjoyed by all who attended.

Tuesday afternoon, the tryouts for the cheerleaders will be held. Those who are trying out are: Phyllis Fairchild, Iva Brooks, Phyllis Dean, Eugenia Landrum, Marilyn Fairchild, Barbara Deaton.

### Early Settler Dies At Kansas Home

Word was received in Friona this week that Mr. White, father of Mrs. Annie Wright, a former resident of Friona, died at his home in Barnard, Kansas, on February 11.

Mrs. Wright, with her family, was among the earlier settlers of this community, but has spent the last few years with her father at his home in Kansas.

Eva Woolbright, Betty Dukes, Ruby Grubbs, Judy Bruns, Loretta O'Brian, and Shirley Hogue.

Tuesday at 11 a. m., Bro. Joe Mostenbocker from Idalou will present some films about the Holy Land to the student body. This should prove very interesting as well as educational.

February 25, the two casts of the one-act play will present the play for the student body. At that time, the cast will be selected that will enter the interscholastic competition. Starting this week, Mr. Childers will take Mrs. White's place in directing the one-act play.

Friday night, Bovina and Lazbuddie girls will play at Friona to determine the district champs. Tuesday night, the Bovina boys will play Anton at Littlefield to determine the bi-district champs.

March 2, a drivers license officer will be here to give the written tests to all of the Drivers Education students.

March 2 has been declared "Howdy Day" in Friona High School by the SFC. March 3, the prize of a free shave will be given to the person with the longest beard. All the girls are urged to give the boys some competition.

Well, I will write you again next week, if my six weeks tests don't get me down.

Bye, Love,

—Big Minnie

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# Washington Views -

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## Monday Morning Musings

### For Parallel Parking

We suggest that Friona is ready for parallel parking on Main Street.

The wider travel lanes thus permitted seem ample reason for this change.

No fooling, you have seen the situation as often as ourselves, driving down Main can be downright treacherous during the busy hours, with cars backing from the curb against at least two lanes of traffic.

The added room provided by parallel parking is amazing. We cite as example the streets of Dimmitt. Been over there since they converted from the old angle parking system? The streets seem twice as wide.

Parallel parking not only is the rule in the larger towns, but is required along highways that bisect any town. And we submit that Main Street with the local and Farm-to-Market traffic carries more vehicles than many thru-town highways. The F-M traffic is exceptionally heavy. If not, why then were stop signs placed on the state highway at Hub to permit the F-M through-traffic?

Believe visibility would be improved considerably around the corners also.

What about this, fellow driver and jay-walker? If you like the idea or if you do not like it, why not let a commissioner know your feelings on the matter.

### Grain Problems Are Very Real

Our sympathy lies with the farmer who fails to get enough revenue from his crops to show profit above the present high expense of farm operations. For that matter, we are in sympathy with any worker or investor whose labors seem fruitless when accounting is made.

Of course local thoughts at present are on the milo situation. Believe little could be added to the airing that subject was given at the publicized Amarillo meeting of Tuesday. Our own Arlen Hartzog evidently did a most creditable job of steering discussions right down the line for which the session was intended—call for higher support prices for the maize farmer in general, and the irrigation farmer of the area in particular.

The fruits of this and similar meetings may not be known for some time. Maybe something has been accomplished—or maybe not.

Because of the uncertainty of the farm programs from year to year, from administration to administration, we DO propose the following in the meantime:

While the bickering and the maneuvering and planning is underway, why can't a comprehensive program be launched by the affected growers to educate the nation on milo as a staple commodity, a feed high in food value, desirable above corn for many feeding purposes?

We know of a fellow who had fattened his show hogs on milo; but upon taking them to a distant show found no milo in stock by feed dealers there who hooted at the idea of milo rather than corn being used to fatten the animals! Looks like somewhere along the line there has been a slip-up, a negligence on the part of the grower and marketing agent.

Increased demand for our irrigated maize would be best combative agent against the favored corn boys, against wavering farm policies on the national scene, against overproduction or idle stockpiles.

We don't propose this as a cure-all or even an immediate help, but in the long pull we are

confident such action is necessary before satisfactory results are obtained.

Maize price isn't the only handicap to the irrigation farmer. With the high cost of production (\$30 or more per acre needed annually in an irrigation program between seeding and harvest of many crops) there are a number of catastrophes that can befall the grower. And there are a few growers to our knowledge who could weather even one crop failure under present expenditures. Which bears out our point that the problem is of much greater magnitude than price alone. Feeding programs on the farm and ranch, improved insurance programs, credit adjustments, demand, and full production at minimum cost all come into the picture.

Looks like there's a mighty big job cut out for the farmer here, a job that calls for long-time planning and unity of purpose among the farmers, grain dealers, marketing channels, financial institutions, newspapers and all.

We believe the price demand program now underway is just a starter on the real task ahead.

### Facts vs. Rumors

So we've been asked why rumors of this project or that project, discussed on the streets, at church or in the pool hall, have not been given publicity in The Star.

We have found, to our disappointment, that some rumors are simply that and nothing more. And we have known promoters who have sought the "news" columns of this and other papers to further a selfish interest, regardless of facts.

We may be late with the news of a new business coming to our community, but we will publish announcement only when the plans are reasonably definite.

We are not referring to the Whiteway addition or Staley addition. These projects are assured; they are good ones and have been handled in a businesslike manner; due publicity has been and will be given them as events merit.

But we do know of an instance where an out-of-town business evidently planned to come into Friona, getting the jump on competitors seeking locations here at the same time. We don't know if this particular man was sincere or not; at any rate he furnished us with announcement including statement of transaction of real estate. Investigation by the editor found that the land had never changed hands, and so far as records on file still show, the situation remains the same.

In newspaper business, the facts should be known before publicity is accorded any transaction.

Will say this however—there ARE going to be some heartening announcements coming up; watch for them.

### Here and There -

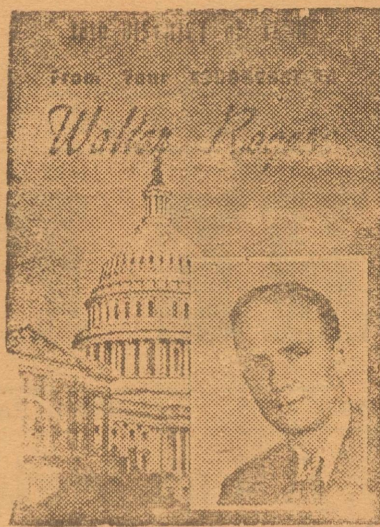
The Curbstone Philosopher opines that the American way is to condemn a questionable movie, go to see it to see whether it is as bad as reported, then squawk because all the naughty scenes have been taken out!

How times change! How often do you hear a farmer, neighbor or friend remark that "I gotta get home before milking time"?

Guess you are too old to worry about the draft is you remember that as a common phrase.

'Twould be interesting to know how many farm families of this region depend on "store-bought" milk and butter.

How long has it been since you've seen anyone drinking clabber?



To the People of the 18th District:

#### THE GAS QUESTION

Much has been said and written about the gas question since the Supreme Court held in effect that you could produce and gather all the natural gas you wanted, but if you sold it to a company engaged in transmission of gas from one state to another subject to the Federal Power Commission under the Natural Gas Act, then you, by virtue of the sale, subjected yourself to federal jurisdiction and regulation of rates by the Federal Power Commission. This holding was another good example of the language construction strain that has been going on lately to centralize this government. The decision was a five-to-three decision. The three who voted against the decision were Justice Douglas, Justice Clark and Justice Burton. The latest addition to the Supreme Court, the Chief Justice from California, Mr. Warren, voted for the decision and therefore for federal control of all these small companies engaged in the production and gathering of natural gas. When this decision was announced, I immediately introduced legislation to correct the grievous wrongs that would follow from it. However, it was so late in the session last year that there was little chance to get anything done. Soon after this session began, I introduced legislation to correct this situation and to preserve in the States those rights guaranteed them under the Constitution and to preserve the status of the individual within the state. I shall press for passage of this legislation, because it involves a fundamental principle, not concerned primarily with the gas business nor any other single type of endeavor, but concerned with every segment of the economy of this nation. We have reached the crossroads and must decide whether or not we are ready to move into centralized government centered in Washington and thereby change the type of government, if not the name thereof, which we inherited from the founding fathers of this nation. I sincerely hope that we can count on a united front of those who love America and constitutional government. There are certain elements in this country who pay lip service to free enterprise, to constitutional government, and to the integrity of the individual, but whose greed prompts them to refuse to support or to contest any proposed legislation unless they can gain some selfish concession. Let us hope that it will not be necessary to come to grips with such a policy in our attempt to correct an invasion of individual rights.

#### VISITORS

Mr. H. H. Miller of Hereford, Mr. Asa Willis, of Teline, and Mr. D. D. Chewning and Mr. B. L. Smith, of Paducah, all came by the train this week on their way home from Atlantic City, where they had been attending the annual convention of the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association. I also enjoyed a nice visit with Reverend James T. Carter, Associate Minister of the Polk Street Methodist church in Amarillo. Reverend and Mrs. Carter are in Washington attending the Churchmen's Washington Seminar.

WALTER ROGERS, Member of Congress, 18th District of Texas

Larger marketing caused by increased hog number will lower hog prices this spring and summer. Later in the year, slaughter should slow and prices improve, leveling off just below those of last fall.

#### Water Is Always Important to The People in the Panhandle

We have been holding hearings recently on the progress that has been made in the projects designed to bring about the removal of salt from sea water. As I pointed out last year, this program has not yet developed a method that is economically feasible, but work continues and we hope and pray for success. Four scientists appeared before the committee and gave a most interesting discussion on the several methods being pursued. Dr. Hickman briefly, concisely and clearly stated the object of the program when he said that what man was trying to do was to construct a giant kidney. He pointed out that the function of the kidney of the human body is to separate the salt from the fluid. Nature has a method of lifting the water from the sea, desalting it, and placing it on earth in the form of rain or snow. When man learns to do this with the degree of efficiency that will make it economically sound, it could well be the answer to wars and the beginning of the perpetual peace which we have all sought.

#### STATEHOOD FOR ALASKA AND HAWAII

Alaska and Hawaii have been given permission by the House Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs to form the forty-ninth and fiftieth states of the United States. The proceeding was somewhat amusing and at times confusing. The Secretary of Interior appeared before the committee on behalf of statehood for Hawaii, but not for Alaska. His testimony resulted in his making out about the same case for both territories. Secretary of Defense Wilson wrote a letter for Hawaii and opposing Alaska. However, his reasoning was completely faulty because the reasons he gave for being against Alaska were more applicable against Hawaii. The whole transaction smelled a little political. An amendment was offered cutting off a tremendous portion of Alaska into a proposed special military reservation, but the amendment was defeated. Im-

## WASHINGTON AND "SMALL BUSINESS"

By C. WILSON HARDER

Washington pundits who claim only "right wing" republicans will oppose Administration's protective tariff wrecking proposal, with democrats supporting it, apparently have not marched through Georgia lately.

Rep. Henderson Lanham, a Georgia democrat takes mighty blast at plan to turn over economy to Acheson-Dulles theories of State Department.

Rep. Lanham feels pending tariff measure would be death blow to nation's cotton textile industry and cotton growers already feeling effects of "One Worlders."

He points out published list of planned tariff reductions includes almost every item produced by U.S. textile industry.

Rep. Lanham also points out while average hourly labor rate in U.S. textile mills is \$1.30, in Swiss mills it is 43c, in England 40c, France 38c, Italy 30c, India 9 1/2c, Japan 13 6/10c.

He further reports it is planned, if Congress approves current tariff-wrecking scheme, to also lower tariffs on foreign made synthetic fibers.

Thus, plans are afoot to flood U.S. with foreign cottons made at wages ranging from 10 to 25% of prevailing U.S. wages but at same time, through cutting tariffs on foreign made synthetics, it is planned to wreck U.S. cotton farmers even now supported by farm program.

The reading from Georgia even states he will ask Congress to send investigation on who drew up list of planned tariff slashes.

From his study, small business alone will bear brunt of tariff wrecking plans. In cotton textile industry, employing over 1,250,000, 75% of industry is composed of small firms who do less than 1% of total industry.

The Georgian also made this highly significant statement: "The American people feel that the great mass production industries of the United States are so much more efficient than foreign industries as to be immune to foreign competition. Hence we expect that articles selected for tariff reduction would include products of great super-efficient mass production industries. They are either not on list at all, or are relatively minor items."

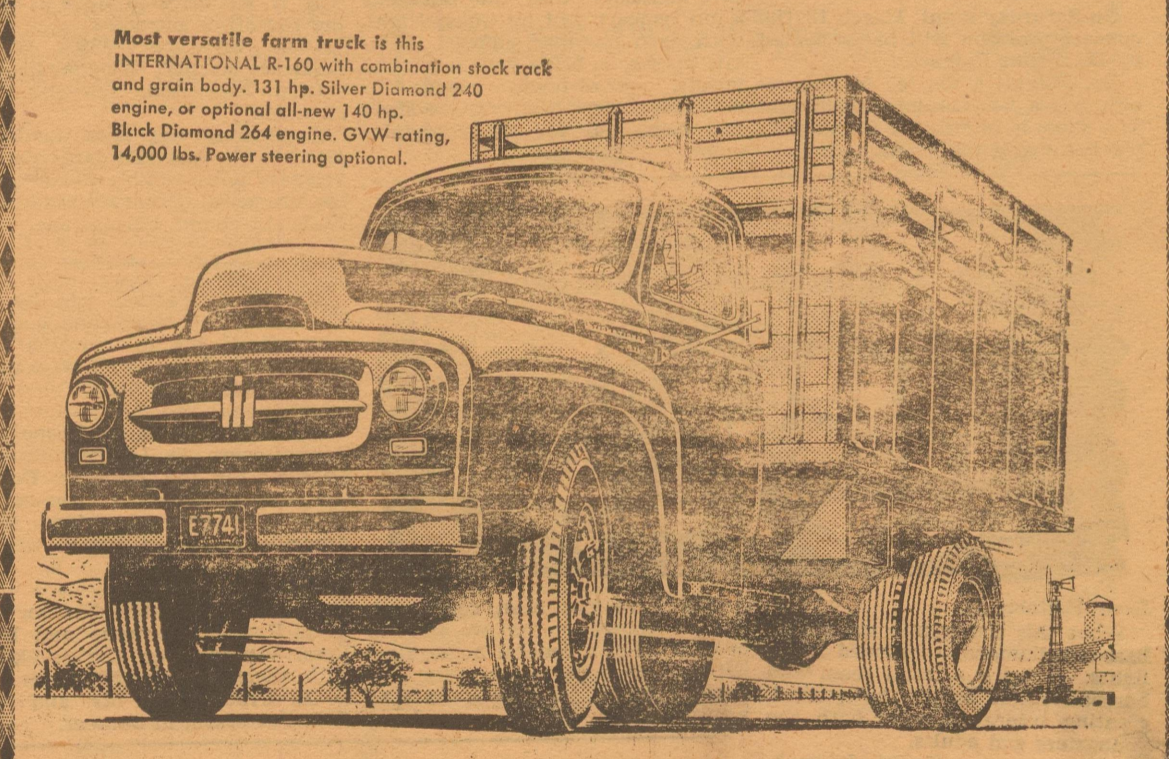
But he does charge through list of tariffs to be reduced Washington planners have selected for destruction many industries composed of small operators, or agricultural operators.

It is interesting that at the same time Congress is being asked to raise by law U.S. minimum wage rate to more than twice prevailing skilled wage rate in England.

It is also interesting to note that one of the first to testify in support of tariff wrecking was a cabinet officer who formerly headed nation's biggest manufacturing firm which also operates branches in many of world's cheap labor nations. He was joined by Harold Stassen, whose experience in world trade has been confined to giving away U.S. tax billions as head of Foreign Operation Administration.

In meantime published figures show that since 1937, while U.S. tariffs have been slashed by 68%, England's have been increased by 20%. Thus many feel it is good they still whistle "Dixie" in Georgia instead of "God Save the Queen."

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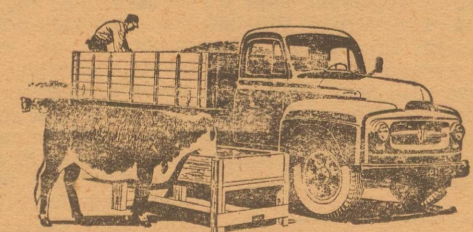
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# Social Events, Parties, Clubs

## Minister Shows Films To Friona Woman's Club

Instead of the scheduled program at the Wednesday afternoon meeting of the Friona Woman's Club, Rev. Joe Motesbocker of Idalou was guest speaker. He is conducting revival services this week at the First Baptist church. Films on the Holy Land were shown to the group. Rev. Motesbocker had taken the pictures on a trip to the Holy Land. He talked during the showing, explaining the various scenes and answering questions.

The hostesses, Mrs. O. F. Lange and Mrs. F. W. Reeve, served apple crisp pie and hot chocolate to 25 members and three guests, Rev. Motesbocker and Rev. and Mrs. C. M. Fields.

## Progressive Club Met With Hereford Member

Thirteen members of the Progressive Study Club went to Hereford, Tuesday night and held their regular meeting in the home of Mrs. Avis White, a club member who recently moved to Hereford.

The program was on "Creative Arrangements" and a demonstration of the use of dry material for floral centerpieces and other decorations was given by Mrs. Herring of Hereford, mother of Mrs. White. Hostess for the meeting was Joylene Costen, who served cake squares with cherries and coffee. The George Washington birthday theme was carried out in the refreshments and napkins.

## GUEST SPEAKER

Miss Naomi Hare, former missionary to Lima, Peru, will be guest speaker at the Methodist Church, Sunday night, March 6. The public is invited to attend.

## Panel Discussions Marked P-TA Meet

Panel discussions touching numerous facets of school and home life featured the Parent-Teacher Association meeting in Friona last Thursday evening.

The entire audience was divided into small discussion groups, these being led by Jamie Lu Lillard, Mattie Fay Crow, W. L. Edelman, Katie Osborn, Nelson Welch and Mae Magness. Subjects discussed included "Correct Emphasis of Athletics," "Classroom Instruction," "Music and Fine Arts," "Home-work," "Penmanship," the "Necessity of a Dean of Women in the Local Schools," etc.

Reporters from each group then spoke before the entire assembly on the findings.

Next program of the organization will feature a talk by Dr. Shackelford on the subject of "How to Care for Your Children's Teeth."

## Friona Band Banquet Set for March 26th

The music department has decided on a date and theme for the band banquet, which will be given March 26. The chosen theme is Hotel Style, and will be a formal affair.

There will be a meeting soon of the band parents.

The Choir and Band have been practicing on the contest music. The band for the first time will enter in the marching contest. We wish them luck.

—Gladys Baxter, Reporter

## Couples Bridge Club Met at Clubhouse

Twenty-one members and two guests attended the monthly Couples-Bridge Club meeting Monday night at the Friona Clubhouse. Hosts and hostesses for the evening were Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Cayce Dunn and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Dickson.

High score prize was won by Mrs. Bill Woodley with low score prize going to Bill Buchanan. Bingo prize was won by Carl Maurer.

Refreshments of cherry pie with whipped cream and coffee were served to the members present and the guests, Mr. and Mrs. David Carson.

## "Teenagers' Topic Of Black Study Club

Mrs. T. J. Presley was hostess to members of the Black Study Club in her home Thursday afternoon, February 17.

The program was on "Teenagers" and was presented by Mrs. Ellis Tatum.

The hostess served refreshments of cake, hot tea and coffee to Mesdames Mildred Barnett, Ethel Bengert, Christine Braxton, Janice Patton, Beulah Mae Deaton, Jessie Douglas, Maudine Edelman, Emma Elmore, Anna Mae Hays, Elnor Prewett, Maxine Price, Carrie Tatum, Louise Robason, Lucille Rockefeller, and one guest, Lois Whitaker.

## Club to Assist In Swimming Pool, Hospital Funds

The Greenacres Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. A. Mitchell, Wednesday, February 17. The club members filled in the yearbooks and voted to help finance the swimming pool and building fund as their goal for the year.

Mrs. Ernest Anthony gave a report of the county council meeting, February 7.

Mrs. Meryle Massie presented the program on "Fabrics and Finishes."

Mrs. Glenn Taylor and Mrs. T. E. Lovett were present from the Northside Home Demonstration Club and plan to take the program to their club in the near future. One new member, Mrs. L. C. Johnson, joined the club.

The hostess served refreshments of angel food cake and coffee to Mesdames Meryle Massie, Wesley Hardesty, Ernest Anthony, Gordon Hough, Clyde Sherrieb, Charles Hough, Al Reznik, L. C. Johnson, R. H. Coconaugher, and guests, Mrs. Glenn Taylor and Mrs. T. E. Lovett.

The next meeting of the club will be March 2 in the home of Mrs. Ernest Anthony.

## Legion Social Held Monday Night in Friona

Fourteen Legion and Auxiliary members were present at the social held by these Friona organizations Monday night.

States Commander Brummett: "A good time was had by all. Good, clean games were enjoyed, and no one could enjoy them more than V. R. Jordan and John Bengert!" and I hope to see more of you at next meeting on March 21st."

Hosts and hostesses were Mr. and Mrs. S. T. Thornton and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Stevick.

Zone meeting for the Legion will be held at Vega on March 8, followed by the Spring Convention to be held at Hereford in April.

## Mission Study, Picnic Featured for Children

Mrs. Frank Spring and Mrs. Hollis Horton met Tuesday afternoon at the Methodist Church with 21 members of the Busy Workshop.

They continued their Mission study, and prayers were said by Karen Osborn, Ronnie Ellis, Donna Fulks, Linda Rector and Richard Neelley. Following the mission study, the group played games, sang and went on the picnic.

Attending were Larry Hollis, Karen Osborn, Jeanene Wiley, Ronnie Ellis, Eddie Gore, Donna Fulks, Janet and George Rushing, Jan and Rex Wells, Gail and Phillip Varner, Darrell Anthony, Eugene Weatherly, Kenny Ford, Linda Rector, Richard Neelley, David May, Billy and John Duke and Teddy Osborn.

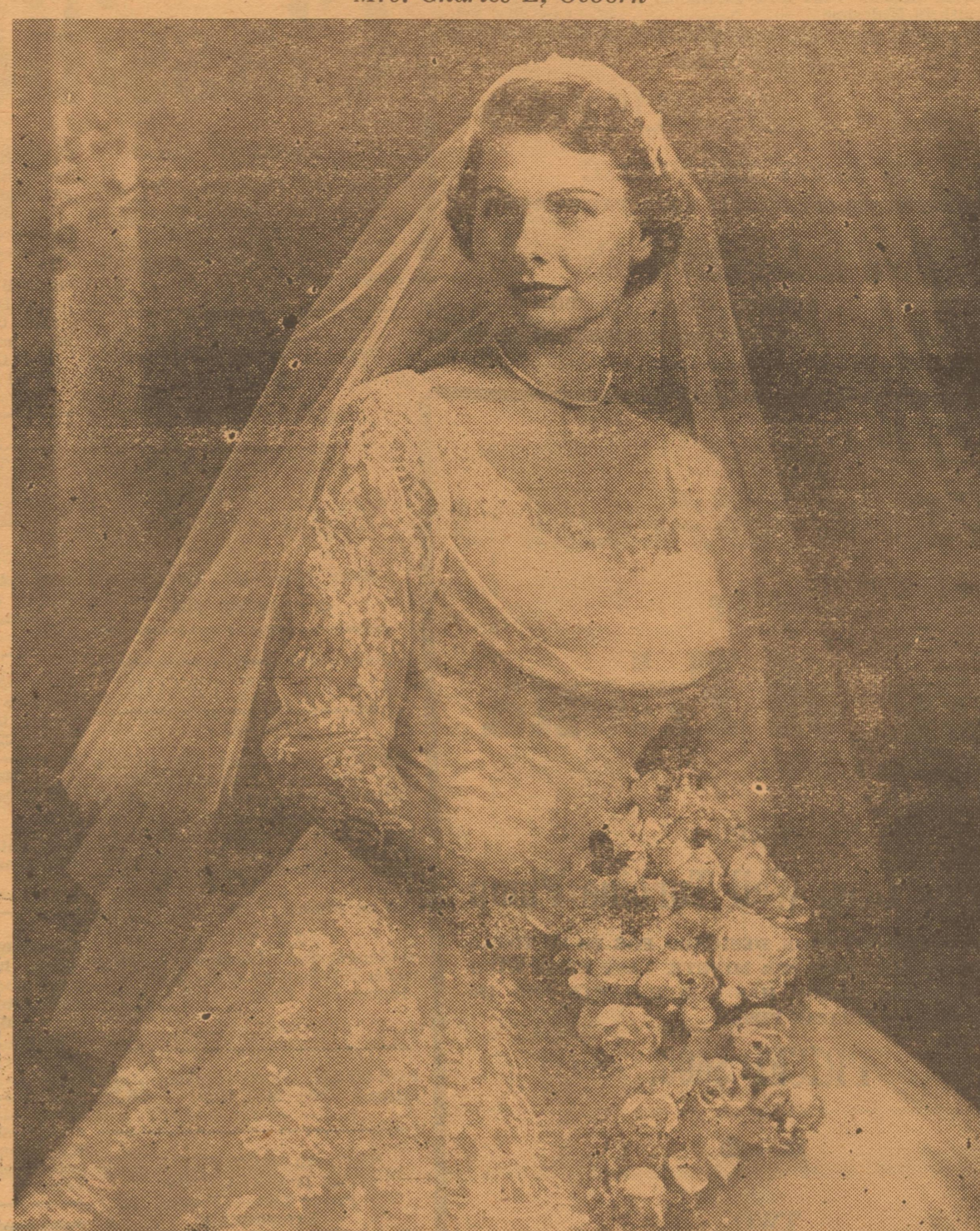
## Family Night Is Slated at Rhea

The Rhea Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Martha Schueler, Friday, February 18, with the vice-president in charge of the meeting.

The club members voted to have a family night next Friday night, February 25, at the Rhea Parish Hall. Everyone is to bring sandwiches, potato chips and a dessert.

Sarah Dean and Helen Potts gave a demonstration on aluminum trays and copper pictures. Each one present made a copper picture.

Refreshments of coffee and cake were served to Mesdames Doris Hall, Helen Potts, Sarah Dean, Irene Markham, Grace Patterson, Ona Patterson, Velma Schlenker, Malinda Schlenker, Emma Schueler, Frances Spencer, Marie Wall, Ruby Watson, Lenora Kunkel and the hostess. The prize pieces of cake were given to Ruby Watson and Ona Patterson.



## Burt - Osborn Vows Solemnized In Twilight Church Ceremony

In a twilight service Miss Jane Burt of Amarillo, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Burt of Hollis, Oklahoma, became the bride of Charles E. Osborn, Amarillo, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Osborn, Friona. Vows were exchanged at the First Baptist Church of Hollis, Saturday, February 19, with the pastor, Rev. Robert S. Jackson, reading the double ring ceremony.

As a musical prelude, Mrs. Wayne Jones, organist, played "Largo" by Dvorak, and "Intermezzo" by Provoost. Mrs. Don Prock sang "Because" by D'Hardlot and "Through the Years" by Youmans. Traditional marches were used for the processional and recessional and Mrs. Prock sang "The Wedding Prayer" by Dunlap as a benediction.

The candlelight ceremony was read before an archway of lemon leaves and plumose fern entwined with pink carnations and silver wedding bells. Baskets of pink gladioli, palms and pink tapers flanked the archway. The bridal aisle was decorated with tapers tied with pink satin bows.

When the bride entered on the arm of her father she was wearing a chapel length gown of white Chantilly lace over satin, designed with a sweetheart neckline and long sleeves tapering to petal points. Miniature lace buttons fastened the dress down the back. The bouffant skirt of tulle had an overskirt of scalloped lace which gave a redingote effect. The fingertip veil of French illusion was secured by a crown of lace accented with seed pearls. She carried an arrangement of lilies-of-the-valley and orange blossoms centered with a white orchid with streamers of ribbon, net and orange blossoms.

Mrs. Anita Gee of Dallas served as matron-of-honor, and Miss Sally Osborn of Friona, sister of the bridegroom, was bridesmaid. They were attired in identical dresses of sugar plum pink silk shantung, fashioned with tightly molded bodices with wide decolette necklines enhanced by crushed elbow sleeves. The extremely bouffant gathered skirt was designed with a princess panel in front and was 3 1/2 lengths. Their headpieces were of matching material, and each wore matching satin sandals and white lace gloves. They carried cascade bouquets of deep rose and light pink carnations.

Little Miss Billie Joy Ford, cousin of the bride, served as flower girl. Her dress, fashioned after the bride's, was of sugar plum pink lace and net. Miss Anita Jo Ensley and Miss Jorene Heflin, cousins of the bride, were candlelighters. Their dresses were styled after those of the attendants.

Best man was Joe Osborn, of Austin, brother of the bridegroom. M. C. Osborn of College Station, cousin of the bridegroom, and Duane Logan of Woodward, Oklahoma, cousin of the bride, were ushers. Ringbearer was Tommy Crow, of Moorland, Oklahoma, who carried the ring on a satin pillow.

Mrs. Burt, mother of the bride, wore a navy and white dressmaker suit with white accessories and a pink rosebud corsage.

The bridegroom's mother wore a navy suit with white accessories and a red rose corsage.

## Playlet Given At WSCS Meeting

The Women's Society of Christian Service met February 22 at the Methodist Church with twenty-three members present, and two guests, Mrs. Guy Latta and Mrs. McGee.

Hostesses were Mesdames Cordia Slagle, Willard Stewart, Ruth Jones and Fern White.

The program concluded the study, "Under Three Flags," which had been under the direction of Wilma Jones. The leader was Fay Reeve who presented a playlet, "The Heaven of Freedom," with Mesdames Jean Gore, Valoris Osborn, U. S. Aiken, Gwen Graves and Lois Weatherly, participating. The play concerned a girl's school in India.

Following the program a short business session was held by the president.

The next meeting of the W.S.C.S. will be in the home of Wilma Jones, with Joy Lindeman as program leader.

## Junior Fellowship Elected Officers

Twenty-four members of the Junior Fellowship met at the Methodist Church, Tuesday afternoon with their leaders, Mrs. Eugene Ellis and Mrs. Jean Anthony.

The group elected officers for the year. They are: Jimette McLean, secretary; Hank Outland, president; and Floyd Reeve, vice-president. They continued the study on City Missions, with the story being on "Lucky."

Refreshments were served by Mrs. Opal Jones, Mrs. H. C. Kendrick, and Mrs. M. B. Buchanan to Patricia Barker, Virginia Patton, Carolyn Barker, Boyd Jones, Carl Osborn, Charles Fields, Betty Drake, Beth Akens, Donna Fields, Sharon Reeve, Lynda Johnson, Linda Beaty, Tom Gee, Joe Johnson, Pamela Roden, Jimette McLean, Larry Anthony, Floyd Reeve, Hank Outland, Douglas Gaines, Portia McGee, Celia Weatherly, Jerry Parker and Stanley Varner.

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the honor roll are Frieda E. Allen, freshman (2.94); Joyce Miller Cunningham, junior (2.65); and Edmund Schlabs, senior (2.63). The honor roll consists of undergraduate students enrolled for 12 or more semester hours who ranked in the upper five per cent of the student body.

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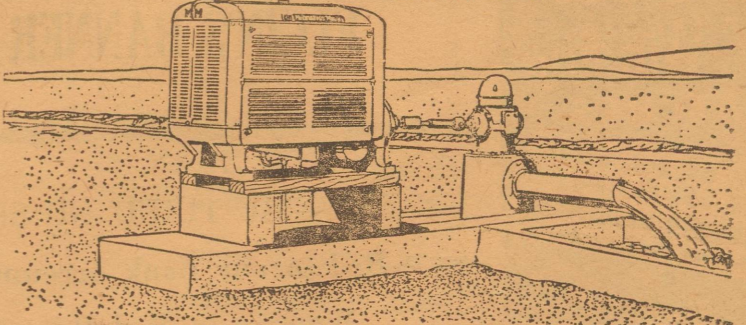
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By TED GOULDY

## TEXAS CATTLE NUMBERS ESTIMATED OFF 1 PERCENT

FORT WORTH.—Estimates just released by the USDA show Texas' cattle population still better than eight and a half million head. Inroads of the drought continued in some Western sections of the State, and the Eastern third probably more than held its own.

The official guess was 8,501,000 cattle on farms and ranches, one per cent less than a year ago.

Observers at the Fort Worth livestock market noted that marketings of cows and calves tapered off sharply in the final quarter of 1954. Therefore the minuscule total change in the total numbers was not considered surprising.

In fact, some cattlemen at Fort Worth recently expressed the view that if Texas' Panhandle wheat grazing had developed and the cattle in that area had not been moved out so early, that actual numbers would have been the same as a year ago.

The State's total cow herd was estimated at 4,815,000, or two percent smaller. (The Nation's calf crop last year was estimated 3 percent larger than a year ago.) Texas looks for nother big calf crop in 1955 on the basis of today's cow numbers.

Milk cow numbers are estimated at 1,031,000, against 1,052,000 last year. Beef cow numbers estimated at 3,784,000, are two percent below a year ago.

## FED YEARLINGS HIGHER AT FORT WORTH

Fed yearlings and heifers sold around 50 cents lower and fed steers were 25 to 50 cents lower at Fort Worth, Monday. Cows were strong. Bulls sold fully steady. Slaughter calves were strong to 50 cents higher, and stockers and feeders were fully steady to strong. Choice fed steers and yearlings

drew \$22 to \$24 and were quotable to \$25 or better. Fat cows drew \$11 to \$14, and canners and cutters sold from \$7 to \$11.50. Bulls cashed at \$10 to \$14.50.

Good and choice slaughter calves sold from \$17 to \$21.50, a few higher. Common and medium sorts sold from \$10 to \$17.

Stocker steer calves of the better kinds sold from \$18 to \$22, and steer yearlings sold from \$21.50 down. Stocker cows cashed at \$10 to \$13.

## SHEEP POPULATION HOLD ITS SOWN

The USDA reported that Texas' sheep population was estimated at 5,191,000, the same as a year ago. Some increase in the native population in Central and Eastern parts of Texas, offset any further decrease in the Western parts of the State.

Fort Worth market men specializing in sheep reported some shift in the population was evident with larger numbers in the Central parts of the State than a year ago. Considerable feeding has resulted in a big percentage of fat lambs early this year.

The Easter market will develop earlier and those milk lambs of the new crop variety should move a little earlier than usual where breeders aimed at this specialty trade. A few lots of genuine spring lambs are already appearing in the runs at Fort Worth.

The sheep population is 31 percent under the 10-year average. Breeding ewes number 3,665,000, and ranchmen are reputedly holding near a million ewe lambs for stocking purposes, some 24 percent above a year ago.

## LAMBS STEADY TO 50 PERCENT HIGHER AT FORT WORTH

Good and choice fat lambs sold for \$18 to \$21, woolled lambs and milk fat lambs at the higher figure. Feeders sold at \$20 downward. Yearlings drew \$12 to \$17, and aged wethers drew \$14 down. Ewes sold

# New Texas Hi-way Map Available

AUSTIN, Feb. 23.—A special accordion wrap-around fold has been developed and is one of the features of the 1955 Official Texas Travel Map which was released this week, it was announced in Austin by D. C. Greer, State Highway Engineer. The old wheeze about needing another map as a guide for refolding an opened travel map is not true of the Texas map, he pointed out.

In addition to the simpler folding used, the map is also easier to read than ever before. The rapid growth of the Texas Highway System has presented more of a problem each year in preparing the map. The system has been growing at the rate of about 3,000 miles a year, he said, and space must be found somehow for this additional mileage. Most of the topographical relief has been taken off this year, so that more essential information may be read easily and quickly.

"The map can also be truly considered a Texas production," Greer went on to say, "since the paper is made in East Texas from Texas trees, and the map is printed right here in Texas too." The colored pictorial life of the map this year features events and state scenes

from \$6 to \$9, and old bucks sold around \$3 to \$7.

## SWINE POPULATION UP TWENTY PER CENT

Estimates of 1,087,000 swine on Texas farms is 20 percent above a year ago, when the all-time record low was tabulated at 906,000 head. Ten-year average swine population for Texas is 1,850,000 head. Further expansion of production is expected but at a slower pace.

Market men at Fort Worth say the development of a better market for meat-type hogs here is an encouraging sign. Mondays' top was \$17.75 and sows sold from \$16 down.

of general interest, and emphasizes the fact that regardless of what you want to see, it's in Texas, Greer stated.

One-half million copies of the 1954 map were distributed to travelers last year. Requests were almost equally divided between out-of-state tourists and Texans, Greer said.

In addition to being distributed by the Austin Office and the Highway Department's 25 district offices, the maps are distributed through the seven Highway Travel Information Bureaus on the state's borders, and are sent to those who return a special map card which they can obtain when purchasing license plates.

February and early March is the best time to cut pecan budwood and graftwood for propagation work. Vigorous shoots from last season's growth make the most desirable budwood.

English peas, Irish potatoes, carrots, mustard and head lettuce are cool season vegetables which can be planted in the home garden now.

Visiting in the home of Rev. and Mrs. U. S. Sherrill over the weekend was their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Sherrill and Beverly, and their son, Nelson, who was on his way to Pueblo, Colo., where he will live. He has been living in Abilene.

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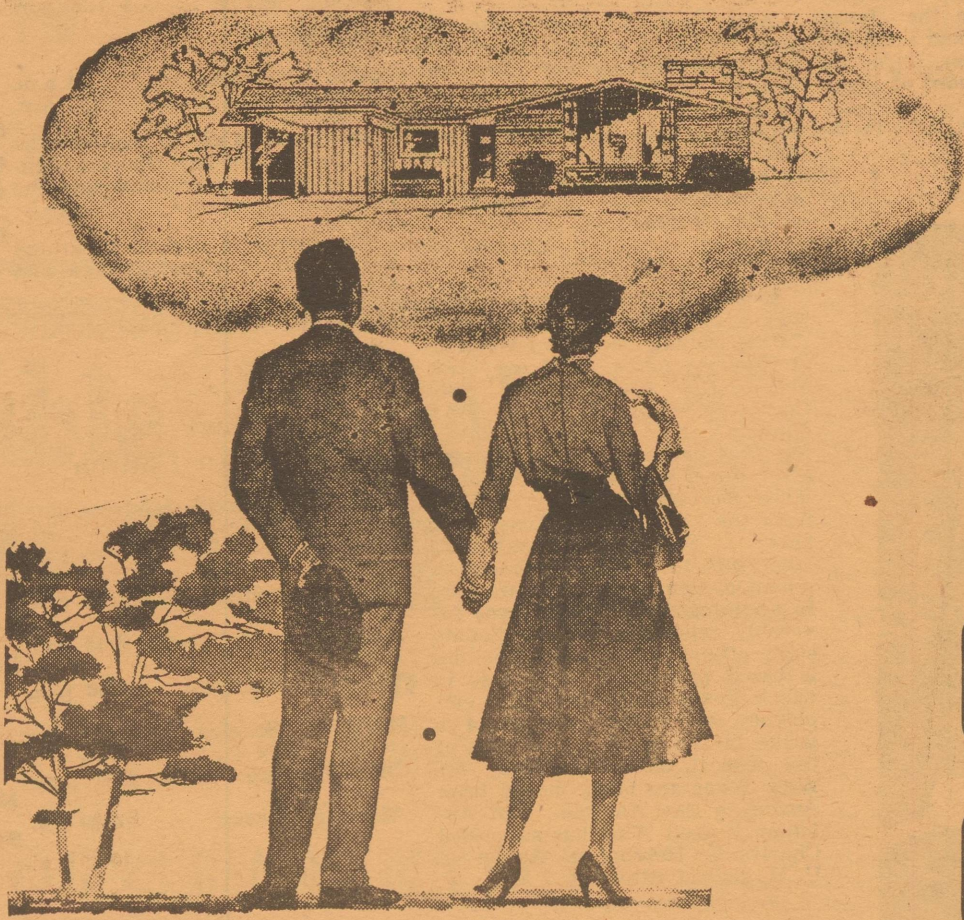
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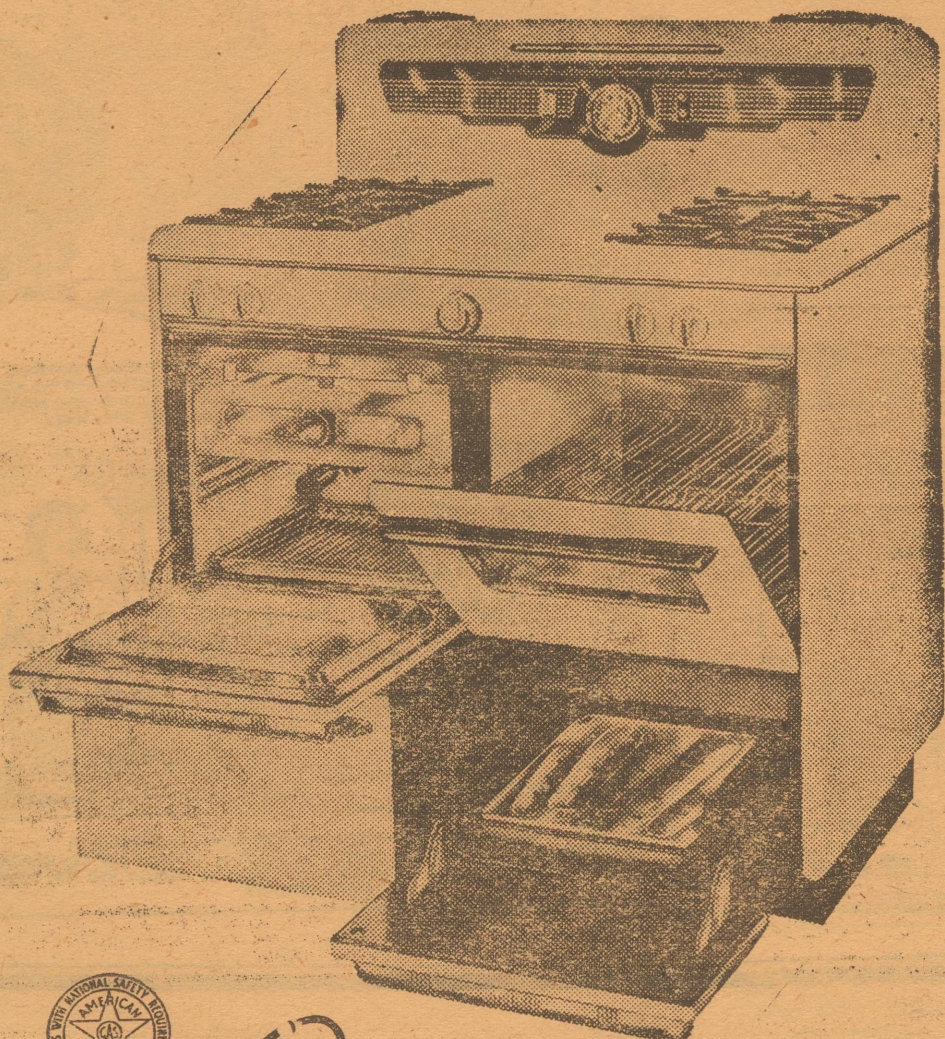
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AUSTIN. — Veteran land sale scandals overshadowed lawmaking in both branches of the Legislature for another week.

Investigations spread still wider. Involved were three departments of the state, both chambers of the Legislature, grand juries of Travis, Bexar and DeWitt counties, and probably others.

More of the approximately 80 "block deals" were brought before investigators.

Mike Rowan, a former executive secretary of the Veterans Land Board, testified that several legislators had exerted "unusual influence" to push veterans' applications through.

He named Senators Doyle Willis of Fort Worth and Warren McDonald of Tyler and Representative Douglas Bergman of Dallas. Rowan said it was "unfair" but he couldn't remember names of the others.

Dennis Wallace, longtime chief clerk of the Land Office, reported that his name had been "signed" by someone else, to minutes of the Veterans' Land Board.

So far Attorney General Shepperd has filed nine suits for forfeiture of block sales and recovery of a total of \$1,539,505 to the state.

Tax Slow Down

With land sales taking legislative precedence, taxes, the Legislature's big problem, have taken a back seat.

Rep. Jerry Sadler sharply reminded the House revenue and taxation committee that the session was one-third over and no revenue bills had been reviewed or acted upon. He demanded an "immediate" hearing on his bill for a \$3.30 per barrel hike on beer tax.

Rep. Charles J. Kirkham of Cleburne offered a new tax plan—a "road use" tax, as a substitute for the administration's two-cent gasoline tax hike proposal. So far the gas tax hasn't been heard by committee.

Kirkham's plan would levy a \$5 fee on commercial motor vehicles, plus a graduated tax scale based on gross weight, ranging from six mills to 22 mills, all estimated revenue to go to highway purposes.

Insurance Clean-Up

Final passage of the first major bill to "clean up the insurance mess" was voted by the House. Control of the stock and securities of insurance companies, under the bill, will go to the Board of Insurance Commissioners.

This bill is in for a fight in the

Senate where a counter measure would give insurance stock supervision to the securities division of the Secretary of State's office. The Senate bill has been heard and parked in sub-committee.

Water Bills, Too

Favorable report has been given by a Senate committee to the administration's \$100 million state bond issue plan for aid to water districts. Rival measures for the same amount of bonds have been put in House sub-committee.

Passed by the Senate were two of the water bills, regulating pollution from oil wells, and requiring reports to the state by water districts.

Advertising and Newspapers

Representative Vernon E. Smith of Fort Worth introduced a bill specifically prohibiting the Board of Examiners in Optometry from making any regulations restricting optometrists' advertising.

Attorney General Shepperd had previously ruled void such an order made by the board but rescinded.

Rep. E. "Kika" de la Garza of Mission introduced a bill to prohibit any court, grand jury or legislative committee from attempting to compel a newspaper or press service employee from revealing the source of his information.

Rudder Honored

Newly appointed Land Commissioner J. Earl Rudder received honors this week. He has been promoted from colonel to brigadier general in the U. S. Army Reserves.

He also received appointment to a commission to revisit the Normandy Invasion Beachhead, where he made part of his outstanding military record in the invasion.

Red Ling

"In the red" for the first time in 13 years is the State Treasury's general revenue fund. Treasurer Jesse James announced that banks have agreed to cash warrants without discount.

Treasury calls were set for the 5th and 20th of each month, and James said the time lag would not exceed 20 days. The general fund is to get back on a cash basis around May 1.

Auto Dealers Fight

Authorized car dealers won the first round of a bitter fight with the "independents" or used car dealers. A Senate committee voted a favorable report on Sen. Gus Strauss' bill to license all dealers. The bill also would prohibit sale of new cars by dealers not having agreement with manufacturers or distributors.

Sidelights

Expunged from Senate records was a resolution by Sen. Kilmer Corbin calling for the retirement of Maurice Acres, chief executive aide to Gov. Allan Shivers. Oply Corbin voted for it. . . . Rep. J. O. Gillham's bill to double college fees was parked in sub-committee, after much discussion in which a large representation of students from the University of Texas took part. . . . Sen. George Parkhouse's labor bill, to prohibit payment of unemployment benefits to workers in an integrated industry was favorably reported by the Senate state affairs committee. The bill is based principally on a case in which Texas Ford Motor Co. employees were idled because of a strike in the East. . . . Offices of the federal district attorney for West Texas are being moved from Austin to San Antonio. San Antonian Russell Wine has succeeded Charles F. Herring of Austin as U. S. district attorney.

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Local Church Notes

**RHEA COMMUNITY Baptist Church**  
Rev. O. M. Fields, Pastor  
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Preaching . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 8:00 p.m.  
W. M. U. Tues. . . . . 3:00 p.m.  
Sunbeams Tues. . . . . 3:00 p.m.  
Prayer Meeting, Weds. . . . . 8:30 p.m.

**Sixth Street Church of Christ**  
M. B. McKinney, Minister  
SUNDAY—  
Worship Service . . . . . 8:45 a.m.  
Bible Study . . . . . 10:20 a.m.  
Worship Service . . . . . 10:55 a.m.  
Worship Service . . . . . 4:30 p.m.  
WEDNESDAY—  
Ladies Bible Class . . . . . 9:15 a.m.  
Mid-Week Bible Study . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
Two services of the regular worship period will be held each Sunday morning to accommodate the increased attendance.  
The public is invited to attend any or all of these services and classes.  
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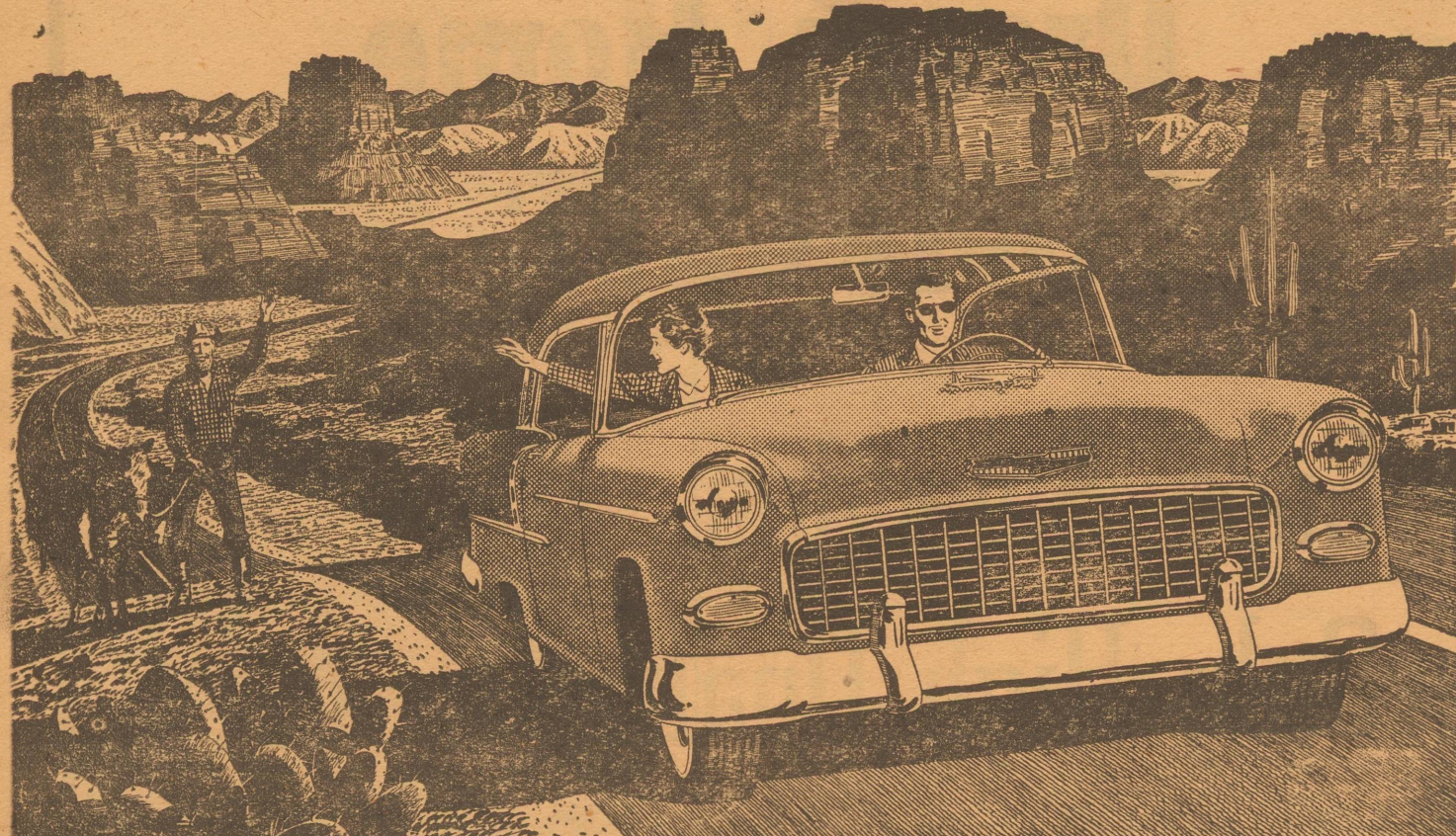
**United Pentecostal Church**  
Rev. M. W. Stowers, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
Bible Study, Wed. . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
Young People, Fri. . . . . 7:30 p.m.

**Assembly of God Church Friona**  
REV. W. C. WADE, Pastor  
Sunday School . . . . . 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship . . . . . 11:00 a.m.  
Young People's Service . . . . . 7:30 p.m.  
Evening Worship . . . . . 8:00 p.m.  
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### HEALTH HORIZONS

#### The Hazards of Obesity

An abundance of food available to people with unrestrained appetites may be as much of a hazard to health as starvation. Both can lead to serious illness and even death.

Dr. W. H. Sebrell, Jr., Director of the National Institute of Health, the U.S. Public Health Service, recently stated in an address that "about a quarter of the adult population (in this country) is sufficiently overweight to impair health."

According to life insurance companies mortality for those hearty eaters who fall into the obese category is well above normal at every age and rises with increasing weight.

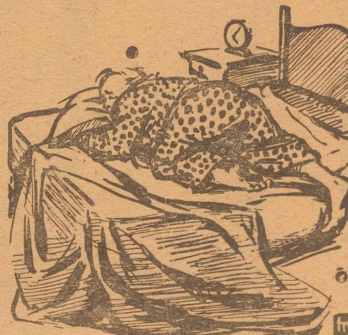
Dr. Sebrell points out that obesity is associated with a high death rate from cardiovascular-renal disease, diabetes, liver disease and childbirth.

For instance, there are three times the number of deaths among obese diabetics as there are among the normal weight variety. The overweight also have a high incidence of hernia, urinary impairments, a type of cancer and gout.

#### How Overweight Develops

Most authorities believe that the heavy jawed, corpulent individuals become that way simply because they like to eat to excess. In some instances, of course, this condition may be due to a poorly functioning thyroid; but this represents the minority of cases.

Although obesity in itself may not be the direct cause of a variety of chronic diseases there is little question that it does play a part in their development. In this con-



Shakespeare was wrong about fat men sleeping well at night.

nection it is interesting to note that during both world wars in Europe when food was scarce and stomachs flattened, there were striking decreases in the incidence and severity of diabetes and high blood pressure.

Dr. Sebrell has a few pointers for those wanting to lose weight. He warns that since obesity is a matter of too many calories, "a martini cocktail in excess of energy requirements is just as fattening as a doughnut or a 2-inch portion of custard pie." But he also points out that in reducing caloric intake care should be taken to prevent deficiencies of vitamins, minerals and proteins.

### Thursday Deadline For Lubbock Show

LUBBOCK, Feb. 23. (Special.) — Deadline for entries of animals in the 1955 South Plains Junior Fat Stock Show has been set for March 3, according to the announcement this week by John Key, general chairman of this 22nd annual regional show.

All 4-H Club and FFA Chapter members in the 29 West Texas and Eastern New Mexico counties served by the show must submit their entry blanks, along with entry fees no later than the March 3 deadline to be eligible to compete for the many awards being offered this year. The dates of the Lubbock show are March 14-16.

Catalogs and entry blanks have been mailed to vocational agriculture teachers and county agents throughout the area.

For the third consecutive year, two Princesses will be selected to represent the 4-H Clubs and FFA Chapters. Show officials are expecting approximately 35 attractive young girls from the area to compete for the coveted titles. The contest will be staged in the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce building the morning of March 12.

All clubs and chapters planning to enter a candidate in the Princess Contest must submit the entry blank no later than March 9. Blanks can be obtained by writing the Lubbock Chamber of Commerce.

The two Princesses will be official hostesses throughout the show and will present all of the banners and ribbons to the boys who exhibit prize winning livestock.

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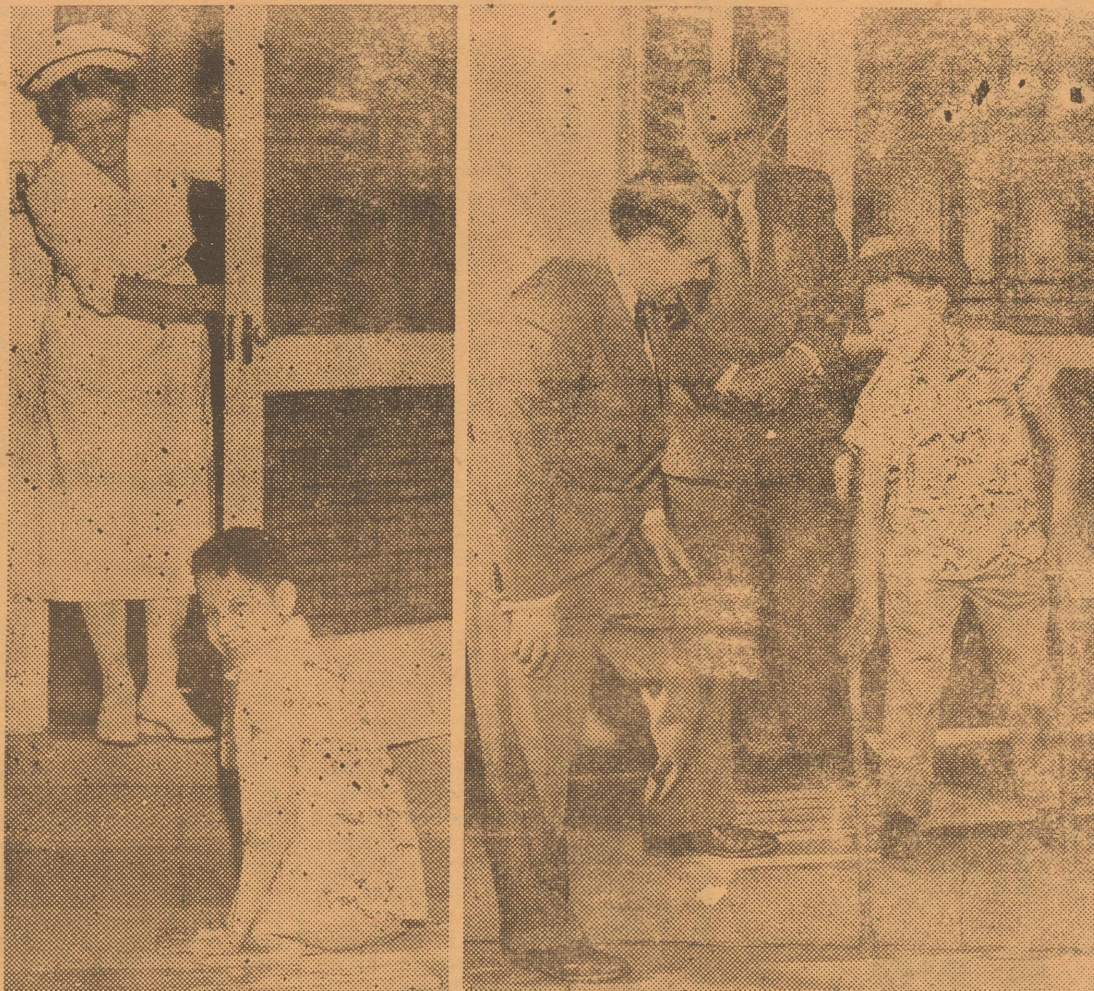
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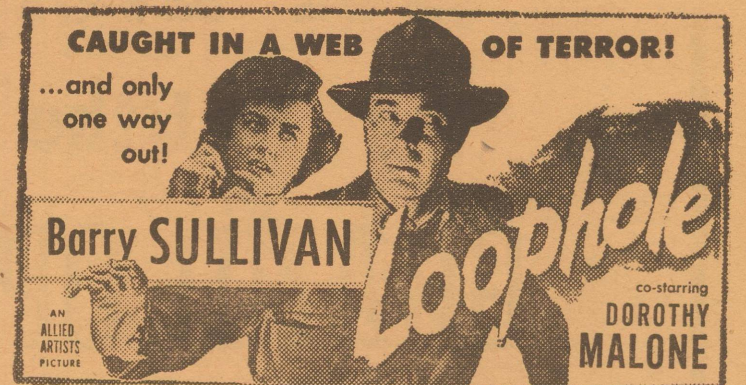
### SMILE OF TRIUMPH



A RADIANT SMILE OF TRIUMPH spreads across the happy face of Manuel Greigo as he tries out his new artificial limbs at the Texas Scottish Rite Hospital for Crippled Children at Dallas. The 13-year-old San Antonio boy lost both legs in a rock quarry accident last year and doctors were dubious whether Manuel could wear artificial limbs, since the amputations were almost at the hip line. Another great triumph was scored last week at the hospital when the homeless boy found he could walk again. At the left, Manuel is shown as he entered the Masonic-sponsored hospital last September and being received by Mrs. Alma Power, superintendent. At the right he wears a proud smile for John McKee, president, and Asher Mintz, secretary of the Scottish Rite Hospital.

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FRIDAY	March 11	Bovina, City Hall
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WEDNESDAY	March 16	Black Store, Black
FRIDAY	March 18	Bovina, City Hall
SATURDAY	March 19	Friona, Legion Hall
WEDNESDAY	March 23	Lazbuddie Store, Lazbuddie
FRIDAY	March 25	Bovina, City Hall
SATURDAY	March 26	Friona, Legion Hall

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### RHEA

Lindy Dean spent Saturday night with Charlotte Hromas of Bovina.

Janice Richards and Barbara Taylor of Bovina spent Saturday night with Gladys Dean.

Connie Lynn Schlenker has the mumps.

Mrs. Elmo Dean, Gladys, Barbara Taylor and Janice Richards had Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Schlehker.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Bauer of Happy visited with Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Bauer and family Thursday and Friday. They are the parents of Franklin Bauer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Patterson and family visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Mears.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Calaway, Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Calaway and boys, rs. Joe Wilson, Mrs. Nat Read, Mrs. Lula White, Mrs. Jack Bergeran, Mrs. Paul Jones and Randy, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Woodson and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reynolds, all of Bovina.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Reynolds of Bovina visited with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Calaway, Monday evening.

### Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Chet Mattox of Oklahoma City spent the week-end with Mrs. Mayne Adams. Mrs. Mattox is a niece of Mrs. Adams.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Lawson took their small granddaughter, Dana Roden, back to her parents in Littlefield, Tuesday afternoon. She had spent several days with the Lawsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Jenkins of Brownfield spent the week-end with Mrs. J. M. Bradley. Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Coldiron of Amarillo visited with her Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Berdine of Lowell, Ind., arrived Friday afternoon to visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Bartlett. They are friends of Mrs. Bartlett and visited here about ten years ago. They reported that they could see a great improvement in Friona. They left Wednesday for San Antonio and Florida before returning to Indiana.

Dr. and Mrs. Bud Barnett called his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Barnett, from Honolulu, Sunday. He is there for a spinal operation.

Mrs. W. E. Foist of Abilene visited her daughter, Mrs. Dan Lacey, last week. She also visited the J. A. Wimberleys, W. M. Whites and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Lewellen and daughter of Center, Colo., have been visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Osborn. The Lewellens have bought the Bud Barnett farm near Black and are planning to move here shortly.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Miller visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Riley, in Noble, Okla., last week. They also spent the past week-end in Bowie visiting their daughter and son-in-law, Joyce and Glenn Cunningham. Joyce celebrated her birthday on Saturday.

### Schoolmen Study New Program

School superintendents from Friona, Bovina, Farwell, Lazbuddie and Muleshoe met in Friona last Saturday to discuss and set up the program on the appraisal and instructional programs for the schools.

This is a state-wide move to set up standards for teaching throughout the state of Texas. Meeting with the superintendents was Dr. Emmett Smith of West Texas State College in Canyon, who discussed methods for collecting data on this new system.

On Thursday afternoon of last week, the Friona schools dismissed early in order for the teachers to work on this program.

### FAMOUS TEXANS' RECIPES

#### "First Lady of the Cabinet" Favors French Beef Stew



Fort Worth — French cookery with a Texas accent is the way Mrs. Oveta Culp Hobby, Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare, describes her savory Beef Stew. In this recipe the dainty Houstonian, who is the only feminine member of President Eisenhower's Cabinet, combines the delicate French technique of long, slow, moisture cooking with wine, with traditional French economy in using nourishing economy beef to feed eight persons.

Mrs. Hobby listed the Beef Stew as her favorite beef recipe in response to the Texas Beef Council's request for contributions to its "Famous Texans' Recipes" cookbook, now in preparation. A cultured, studied recipe, the Hobby Beef Stew gives evidence of a great deal of forethought and planning, exemplifying the Secretary's philosophy that "anything worth doing is worth doing well."

Minimum time for preparation and cooking is seven hours. But what a success is the hostess who serves the delicate, tender, wine-permeated vegetable and beef triumph! Ingredients for eight generous servings:

- 5 lbs. aitchbone (from the rump)
  - 4 cups potatoes, cut thick
  - 2 cups carrots, cut in 1-inch cubes
  - 1 cup onions, cut in thin slices
  - salt and pepper to taste
  - 1/2 bottle red wine
  - 2 cans bouillon
- Soak the vegetables in red wine for about four hours, Mrs. Hobby advises, for most flavorful results. Remove the meat from the bone, cut in two inch cubes and dredge with flour.
- Cut some of the fat into small pieces and dry out in frying pan. Add the beef and stir constantly, until browned. Remove the well-browned pieces to a kettle.
- Pour into the kettle the wine from the vegetables and add bouillon. Allow to simmer for about three hours, or until the meat is tender. Add more wine if more moisture is required. Cook the bone with the meat for "character."
- Add carrots and onions during last hour of cooking. Cook the potatoes separately to prevent their becoming mealy, and add them at the last minute.
- Now remove the bones and fat, skin, and thicken with the flour which has been mixed with 1/2 cup of cold water. Cook five more minutes, and serve.
- Heavy, brown gravy, enriched with wine, fully develops the characteristic flavor of the beef, according to Mrs. Hobby.

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