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Cause for Thanks Giving

Thanksgiving time — 1954.

We like to think of Thanksgiving as a very real holiday—with its purpose and meaning close to our everyday lives. It is not in commemoration of some war hero long dead, nor is it an institution borrowed from old-world customs. It is American to the core.

For what can the average man be thankful this day in Parmer County?

First, we would list the life-giving abundance of water—water that not only is the basis of our livelihood, but water in quantity to lift the community and country far above the economics being experienced in less fortunate non-irrigated areas. The blessing of our good water is a very real and present blessing; and our thankfulness can well be shown in its wise use and universal conservation.

Then we are appreciative of the strain of citizenry that feels at home in Parmer County—many being descendants of rugged forebears who in the face of drouth, broad expanses of "nothing", sandstorms and hunger could see the ultimate development and prosperity of the area for their children. For their resourcefulness and examples we are thankful.

We are thankful, of course, for the accommodations in our little towns—the highly developed educational systems, the beautiful churches where those of many faiths can worship, for every institution and business with its niche in a good livable neighborhood.

For the leadership and cooperation among the local citizenry, we are humbly grateful.

For all these things, close to home, we shall join in giving thanks this Thursday, joining with all in national observance.



Jack Anderson scoffs at Senator McCarthy for his prolonged hospitalization from injuries received shaking hands. Jack says he knows lots of politicians, some closer home, who have been handshaking experts for years, and no injuries.

The Man on the South Half says he believes we will be much safer when the horsepower is returned to the horses.

Another street light has been petitioned in the Friona limits, this one at intersection of 12th and Main (the Walter Loveless corner).

Then there's his neighbor who brags that his life is an open book—but hopes the reader will skip a few pages.

Only building permit issued this week by the Friona city office was one to R. L. Fleming for a 30 x 58 residence, \$7,000, to be located at 1103 West 5th Street.

Looks like the 1954 dollar is closely akin to the 1954 auto—built for speed rather than endurance!

Note new paint jobs on some local signs, that of the Friona Hotel, C. L. Lillard Real Estate and Rockwell Bros. & Co., Lumbermen for instance.

Whether or not an elaborate pre-Christmas merchandising program is launched this year, we'll bet Friona will be one of the best decorated and earliest decorated towns of the area. Could be that we are gauging our opinion on the Santa and reindeer already atop the Friona State Bank, the Christmas scene across Lewis Variety front, and the nativity scene ordered by the Chamber of Commerce.

Birthdays of the Week:

Nov. 27: James Rankin, Wayne B. Stark, Sr.
Nov. 29: Clarence Knight, Mrs. Verne Nazworth
Dec. 1: Mrs. Weldon Dickson, J. C. Wilkison, Charles Reeve, Virginia Drager, Orville Whitefield
Dec. 2: Jerry Lynn Daniel, Edd Url Luttrell
Dec. 3: Dixie Chitwood

Football Squadman Is Recovering in Hospital

Dwayne Taylor, Chief football squad member, still is in the local hospital as result of injuries received in the Kress game last week, final game of the season. Taylor's leg was broken—a clean break of both bones. Rushed to the Tulsa hospital where no doctor was available at the time, Taylor was brought on to the Friona hospital before the bones were set.

Lettermen Named On Friona Squad

Eighteen Chieftains this week were named to receive letters for their football activity during the season. Coach Raymond Cook ordered the letters Monday morning. Receiving the honors are: Seniors Dudley Balmum, Keith Battey, Warren Brooks, Gary Panzer and John Thomas. Juniors Joe Allen, Jerry Houlette, Charles Kirk, Donald Petty, DeWayne Taylor, Arnold Taylor and Kenneth Ferguson. Sophomores Wesley Barnett, Jerry Chiles, Don Reeve and Phillip Weatherly. Freshmen Weldon Fairchild and Nolan Johnson. Team managers Larry Fairchild and Cotton Renner also were awarded letters.

Student Program To Benefit Swimming Pool

Friona college students, high school students and some faculty members again this year are arranging a holiday program to benefit the fund for a local swimming pool.

This activity began last year, with the Christmas program netting some \$180 to start the pool fund. Vera Ann Jones and Tim Magness are working this week on script for the December affair, set for the evening of December 22nd. Lois Norwood acts as secretary-treasurer for the enterprise.

OUT-OF-STATE VISITORS

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Terrell recently were her mother, Mrs. J. O. Deloney of Ozark, Alabama, her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Deloney and son of Douglas, Georgia, and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Denzel Ray of Ocala, Florida.

The group arrived in Friona November 12, and the H. I. Deloneys and the Rays flew to Colorado Springs over that weekend to attend a meeting, then returned here where they visited until last Thursday.

Farm Bureau Report



A national farm program designed to eliminate surpluses and discriminatory acreage controls will be recommended to the American Farm Bureau Federation, according to A. J. Ellison, president of the Parmer County Farm Bureau.

The plan was approved at the Texas Farm Bureau's convention Nov. 10 in Galveston, Ellison said. It will be up for consideration by the AFBF at its national convention Dec. 12-16 in New York City.

Under the Texas plan, acreage control would be set up on the basis of a farm's total tillable acreage. The present law places control on the individual commodities. According to the plan, the percentage of acres to be retired from production would be determined by the over-all over-production of all agricultural commodities in this country.

The percentage of acres responsible for surpluses would be taken out of commercial production. According to President Ellison this has been found to average from 5 to 15 per cent of the nation's total

cultivated acreage. If the percentage amounted to 10 per cent, then each farmer would be required to divert 10 per cent of his tillable acreage from production, he explained.

A farmer would have to comply with this provision in order to be eligible for price supports. Good soil conservation practices would also be required for the idle acres. This would be encouraged by soil conservation payments.

Under the plan, a system of price supports would be instituted to encourage the shifting of production of crops in surplus supply to crops in short supply, Ellison said. The Texas Farm Bureau believes that its plan, if administered fairly, would enable farmers to earn full parity for their crops with a maximum of freedom in their operations. Since the government would be concerned with pricing only a small percentage of acres on each farm, the cost to the taxpayers would be much less than for the present farm program.

Delinquent Taxes Being Collected

Concerted effort to collect all delinquent city taxes in Friona has to date brought in \$1195 this month. Some \$5,000 has been carried as delinquent on the city books, some of this being overdue since the early 30's. City Secretary Roy Wilson states that very real estate taxes are far in arrears, with the main infractions being on personal property.

No suits have been filed at this time, but any affected parties are warned that arrangements must be made soon for payment to avoid recourse to court action.

BOYS FALL FROM CAR

Two small boys were taken to the local hospital the past week as a result of freak accidents happening identically at different locations near Friona.

Both boys were two years old and both had fallen from automobiles in which they were riding. They were Randy Dutton, son of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Dutton of near Lazbuddie, and Radford Estep, son of Mr. and Mrs. DeWayne Estep of Friona. Neither of the children were seriously injured and were released after treatments.

Court of Honor Held for Scouts

A Court of Honor was held for Friona Scout Troop 56 Monday evening, with a large number of Scouts receiving recognition.

Field Representative W. M. Teague of Amarillo was on hand to assist in the program and to present a movie. Awards were:

Tenderfoot badges: Tommy Barker and Randy Williams. 2nd Class: Robbie Osborn. Star to Ted Sanders. Merit badge in music to Ira Bruce Parr; merit badges in pioneering and citizenship in the home to Dale Panzer.

Pro marksman award, earned at the summer camp under National Rifle Association rules, went to Kim Caffey, Sterling Prichard, Randy Williams, Joe Reeve and Ira Bruce Parr.

New Head Named For Experiment Station

AMARILLO. — C. E. Van Doren has been named superintendent of the Amarillo Experiment Station, Director R. D. Lewis of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station has announced.

Mr. Van Doren, who is widely known to Panhandle area farmers and ranchers for his soil conservation research, became associated with the station in 1939. He succeeds C. J. Whitfield, who is now with the U.S. Department of Agriculture located in Denver.

The Amarillo Experiment Station is operated cooperatively by the USDA and the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. It is located about 16 miles west of Amarillo.

Superintendent Van Doren will continue his research work in tillage operations, planting practices, crop rotations, as related to moisture conservation and erosion control and other phases of research related to agriculture in the Panhandle area.

Mr. Van Doren received his degree in agriculture from Kansas State College in 1933. The Van Dorens reside at 1303 Beverly Street in Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Brown returned to Midland Sunday after spending the weekend visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. F. N. Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stewart left Sunday for a 10-day pleasure and business trip taking them to Dallas and on to points near Little Rock, Arkansas, where they will visit relatives.

At Dallas Mr. Stewart will attend an insurance school as representative of the local Etheridge-Spring Agency of which he is a member.

Cotton Dominates Agricultural Picture; Gins on 24-Hour Basis

Farming activity in Parmer County during the past week has made a fast switch from the grain fields and elevators to the cotton patch and gins.

Most of the cotton of the area has reached stage where machine stripping is successful, and this method is being used in practically every instance, with the Mexican pickers, that were in evidence earlier, now moving on.

High yields and grades are not uncommon, report the ginners.

Wright Williams of the North Plains Gin states most cotton is grading low middling and better, with prices of 30c and up. Market price at present is hovering a few cents above the 28c loan.

Two-bale per acre yields have been reported on the J. L. Stowers

farm southeast of Friona, the C. W. Wright land west of town, and others of equal or near equal yield.

All gins in the vicinity are working around the clock, and the crop is being handled much faster than last year. This is due to decreased acreage, together with new gins dotting the area.

Mills & Fleming Gin at Hub yesterday had ginned 5490 bales, with about 450 waiting in trailers on the yard. Officials there estimated the cotton picking about 60 percent completed.

The North Plains Gin reports near 3000 bales ginned, with 300 on the yard.

The L & H Gin, also working around the clock, has ginned about a thousand bales, with 200 waiting on the yard.

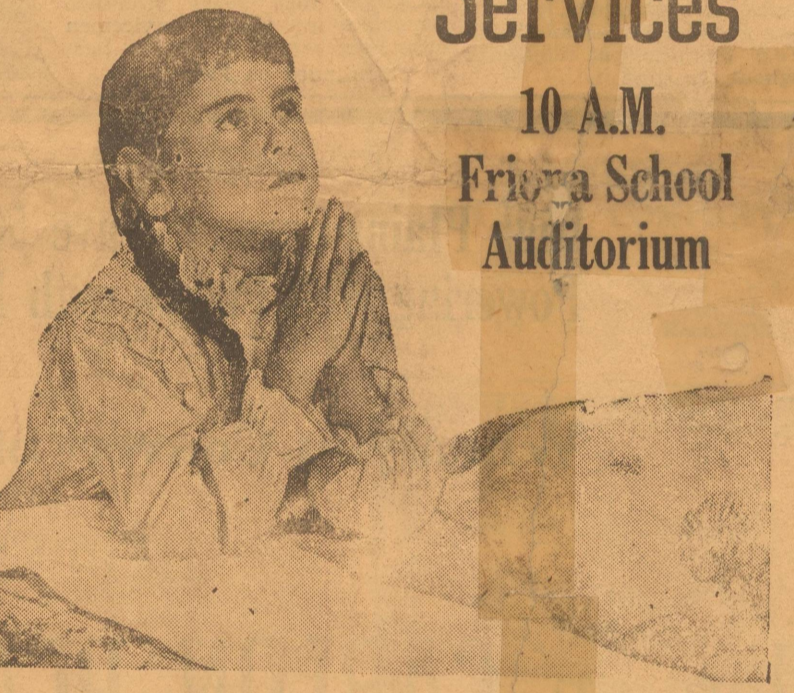
GRAIN HARVEST OVER

Grain harvest is over in the area, with record amount of grain handled in the few days when most combines were in the field. Ideal weather contributed to the speedy harvest. Plenty of combines and trucks were in the area in most instances.

One elevator alone, the Friona Wheat Growers, Inc., reported 938 cars shipped from their elevators in the six-months period ending this month, and this does not include many loads sent out by truck, manager Arthur Drake reports.

THANKSGIVING Services

10 A.M. Friona School Auditorium



Re-Appraisal of Irrigated Land For Loan Purposes Seen by Farm Bureau

A. J. Ellison, president of the Parmer County Farm Bureau, this week expressed optimism in the efforts of that group to have local irrigated land values increased for loan purposes by the Federal Land Bank.

According to Ellison, the county bureau has worked since 1951 for re-valuation of the land in the area, recognizing the irrigation factor.

Quoting from the Farm Bureau President:

"Since 1951 the organization has done considerable work toward this goal, and last week we began to get reports that possibly our efforts are securing results.

"We've learned that the Federal Land Bank is having a meeting this week of its officers and directors in Washington for the purpose of considering establishment of new values on land for lending purposes.

Our local organization went through the Texas Farm Bureau, and that group in turn contacted and no doubt influenced the Washington levels.

"Of course programs of this nature are necessarily large, bungle-prone and time consuming, but we think machinery has been set in motion that will affect us favorably in the not-too-distant future.

"It is our understanding that the possible change in the Federal Land Bank loan program will be considered and worked with in large part from the Commodity production of our land, based on the present commodity prices and expenses of operation.

•Where Are Those Slogans?

Deadline entry date in the contest to select a slogan for Friona and vicinity has been extended until December 1st, Wesley Foster announces this week.

Foster head the Lions Club committee seeking an appropriate slogan to use in the publicity and advertising of the local irrigation belt.

A \$10 award will be made to person submitting winning entry. Have you entered? Then why not do so—you might be rendering a real service to the community (and who wouldn't like \$10 extra for Christmas spending?).

Mrs. Virginia Loflin of Springfield, Colorado has been visiting this week with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Murphee and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Boggess returned this week from a vacation trip to Florida. They were gone about two weeks.

W.M.U. of Baptist Church met Tuesday at 2:00 p.m. for a mission study on Brazil.

Officers of the union will meet with the field representative of credit unions in this area in the very near future, after which the organization will be in full operation. Ray Ersland of Dallas is expected to visit Friona in the next few days, setting up the books.

Only \$9,000 Needed To Start Hospital

Less than \$9,000 stands in the way for construction planning for the new Parmer County Community Hospital, Manager Janice Baxter says this week.

The organization drive still is underway to secure all needed funds in the next few days, and over one-half of the contacts remain to be made in Friona alone.

At last accounting, \$32,504.73 was in hand in cash toward the project; \$8,600 on the books in pledges.

It is hoped to have a final and successful report before the annual meeting of the hospital members called for Tuesday night of next week. The meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. on that date at the American Legion Hall in Friona.

Hospital Notes

ADMITTED

Alan Dale Carson—T&A—Muleshoe

Gary Carson—T&A—Muleshoe
Jose Aguilar—med—Friona
Raymond Euler—med—Friona
Mrs. P. D. Barron—med—Bovina
Mrs. Richard Engelking—OB—Muleshoe

Jesus Mendez—med—Friona
Mrs. Howard White—med—Friona
Mr. G. A. Collier—med—Friona
Mr. J. R. Caldwell—med—Bovina
Mrs. Bob Hart—OB—Farwell
Mrs. Rinaldo Gardnes—OB—Friona

Mrs. Juanita Burhman—surg—Muleshoe
Mrs. Mary Charles—med—Bovina
Mr. Ed Massey—acc—Friona
DeWayne Taylor—injury—Friona

DISMISSED: Jose Aguilar, Mrs. Gregaria Madrid and baby boy, Alan Dale Carson, Gary Carson, Mrs. Reynaldo Martinez and baby, Mrs. P. D. Barron, Mrs. Howard White, Fay Spurgeon, Jesus Mendez, Raymond Euler.

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Credit Union Activity Increases

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FRIONA PARMER COUNTY TEXAS



By VERN SANFORD

Identical Bids

Texas Press Association AUSTIN, Tex.—Attorney General John Ben Shepperd's office is engaged in another investigation.

This time it's a multi-pronged one in which the state auditor, the department of public safety and DeWitt County Attorney Wiley Cheatham are also interested.

It has to do with the one hundred million dollar veteran's land program.

Managing Editor R. K. Towery of the Cuero Record unearthed the story.

He discovered that some Texas veterans in and around Cuero had signed up for what they thought was a free bonus of land, only to learn that they had purchased land with down payments they had never made.

Towery said promoters sold large tracts of land to groups of veterans, that the veterans had never seen the land, had never made a payment on it, and had no means of paying for it.

They are also checking appraisals. State Land Commissioner Bascom Giles, whose office administers the program, said that he would "stand behind the appraisals in their entirety."

Another investigation being undertaken by the Attorney General has to do with identical bids for electrical supplies for the capitol city.

Under scrutiny are identical bids for \$32,122.80 which five firms gave the Austin City Council on underground cable.

Dope Traffic Eyed

Texas' new law providing imprisonment or hospitalization for dope addicts will get its test in Austin soon.

Charges were filed here against six men and women, following 17 arrests by city and county officers and Texas Rangers last week, in a raid on a small Congress avenue hotel.

Narcotic agents said recently that Austin is rapidly being drawn into "an alarming and expanding black market drugs problem."

Radar Roundup

Highway patrolmen, armed with radar, have already nabbed 11 central Texas speeders.

Warned were 63 others. These automatic eyes are being placed on principal highways throughout the state.

Financing Freeways

Bond financing to provide needed state highway construction has been advocated.

Executive Director James E. Taylor of the Texas Motor Transportation Association asked for dedication of one per cent of the present four-cent gas tax for highways.

He says the plan would provide immediate construction of 1,000 miles of four-lane freeways.

Amendments Effective Now

Proclamations declaring the recently voted amendments part of the constitution have been issued by Governor Allan Shivers and Secretary of State C. E. Fulgham.

Amendments provide for women jurors, higher pay for members of the Legislature, longer terms for some public officials, and increased pensions for the aged.

There is talk here of a suit by some members of the Legislature to test the attorney general's ruling made prior to the election, that the public officials amendment did not extend legislator's terms to four years.

DWI Penalties

Three days in jail is the minimum penalty for drunk driving and the judge may not reduce the sentence.

That was the decision of the Court of Criminal Appeals in the case of an El Paso man.

Held unconstitutional by the decision was that part of the Texas law which authorized the judge to commute the jail sentence in drunk driving cases.

Insurance Charges

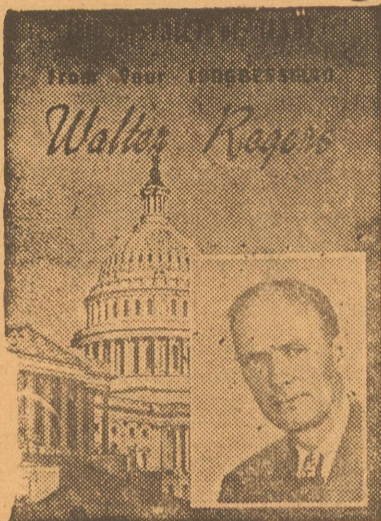
Charges that Texas insurance companies are gypping servicemen have been denied sharply by Gar-

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Regulation in the Public Interest

- Washington Views



PROBLEMS IN THE U.S. (Unstatutory FEPC)

Many people think that if a law is not passed by the Congress, it is not a law and cannot be enforced. This conclusion is basically sound and, according to the Constitution, is exactly correct. However, much as I regret it, the theory seems to have become outmoded. It has apparently been supplanted by what is known as a "Presidential Directive." For example, the Congress has never passed a law dictating to a man who he can or cannot hire in his business. However, under a Presidential directive, a business man cannot get a contract with the Government unless he is willing to comply with certain Fair Employment Practice requirements

that do not leave him free to act independently. Several other directives of the same nature concerning other segments of the economy are now in the making. It will be nothing less than the use of economic pressure to force compliance with rules and regulations that have not been enacted into law in conformity with the procedure outlined in the Constitution. This is dangerous business.

Foot longer automobiles are being advertised by the manufacturers. One mathematician figured out that if 50 million of these are produced, it will require 10,000 miles of additional parking space. That is six times the distance from the Panhandle to the Nation's Capital. One engineer has suggested that the wheel base be cut in half and the cars made double-deck. He says that would help solve the parking problem although it might

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ON THE LIGHT SIDE

ANNUAL MEETING

Parmer County Community Hospital

TUESDAY NIGHT, NOVEMBER 30

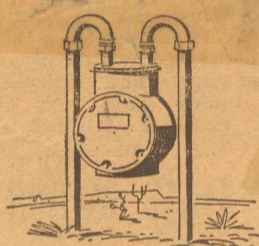
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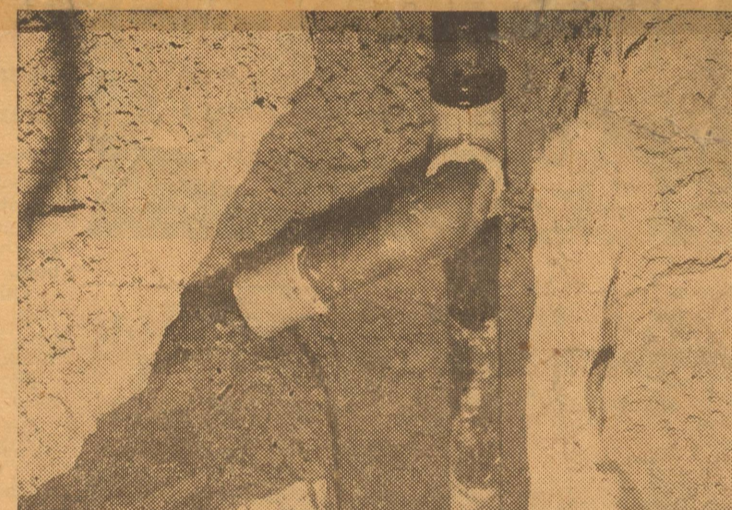
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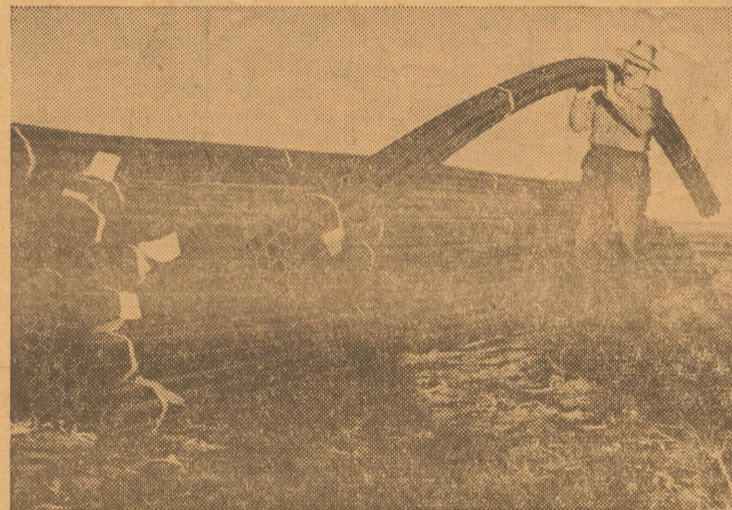
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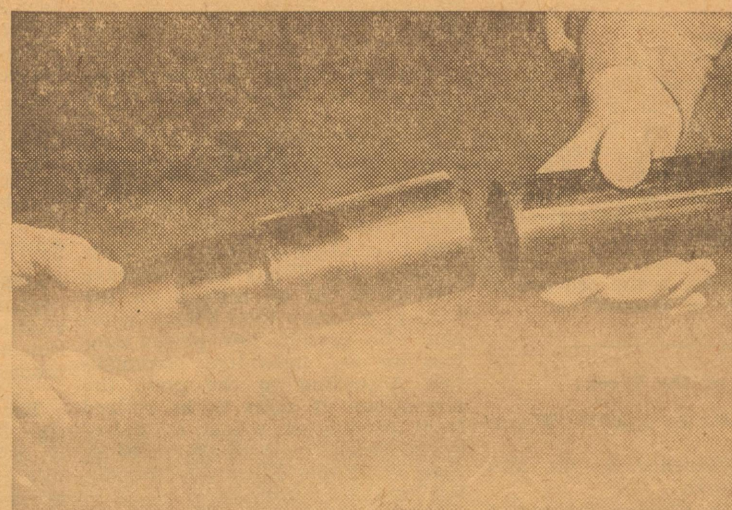
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MOVIES SHOWN

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Two films were shown by Jones. one showing methods of feeding hogs for less yet increasing weight; the other was a movie taken at the last 4-H summer camp.

Christmas Party Planned by Club

The Hi-Point Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Ethel Mingus Friday afternoon, November 19, with thirteen members and one guest present. Mrs. Gertrude Renner volunteered

Toy Making Studied By Rhea H. D. Club

Mrs. Herman Schueler was hostess to the Rhea Home Demonstration Club in her home Friday afternoon, November 19.

A demonstration on stuffed toys suitable for Christmas gifts was given by Mrs. Potts and Mrs. Markham.

The club members decided to have one meeting in December, which will be a buffet supper and gift exchange in the home of Mrs. Willie Wall on December 3.

Mrs. Watson gave a quilt to the club which will be presented to the Girls Ranch at Whiteface.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to Mesdames Markham, Kunkel, Watson, Gibson, Jack Patterson, Lawrence, Walls, Potts, Chandler, Walter Schueler, Bauer, Dean, and one visitor, Mrs. Pullman.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Welch, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lillard, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Watson and Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bogess are spending Thanksgiving day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bates in Sunray.

ed to be the clothing demonstrator for living room improvements.

During the business session, Mrs. Lilly Mae Baxter was elected as assistant secretary. A Christmas party for the members and their families was planned for December 15 at 8:00 p.m. in the Friona Legion Hall.

Mrs. Lilly Mae Baxter and Mrs. Naomi Oldham presented an interesting program on "Toys for Children", and give instructions on making stuffed toys.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to the following members: Mesdames Alice Hough, Blanch Boyle, Clara Renner, Gertrude Renner, Lilly Mae Baxter, Jane Brummett, Eva Lou Rector, Naomi Oldham, Cherry Ann Mingus, Mildred Mingus, June Collier, Inez Hamilton, and one guest, Mrs. Mildred Agee.

The next meeting of the club will be December 3 in the home of Mrs. Mildred Mingus.

RHEA

By GLADYS DEAN

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sifford and Mrs. Elmo Dean, Lindy and Gladys spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Schlenker.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Jack Gibson went to Childress, Texas, over the weekend to visit with his mother.

The Rhea 4-H Club met at the home of Cynthia Patterson after school Thursday. They drew names for Christmas.

Joan Crince from Rosedale, New Mexico, spent Sunday with Cynthia Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schueler and family visited with Mr. and Mrs. Norbet Schueler and family of Clovis, New Mexico, Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Schueler visited Mr. and Mrs. Kunkel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rubin Messinger of Illinois are the proud parents of a baby girl, Cynthia Ceth. Cynthia Ceth was born on November 11, 1954, and weighed 8 lbs. 1 oz.

Mr. Floyd Schlenker had two bulls and four heifers at the Polled Hereford Association sale at Clovis, New Mexico last week. Walter Britten was the auctioneer for the sale. New Mexico, Colorado, Oklahoma and Texas were represented at the sale. The sale day was November 20, 1954.

Student Program Well Received

Good attendance was reported and much favorable comment has been heard regarding the meeting of the P-TA held in the school cafeteria last Thursday night. Approximately two hundred were present.

The program was presented by the members of the Student Faculty Congress and was a panel discussion with audience participation in the question and answer portion of the program.

The group discussed such subjects as social behavior, family, school and community relations and other problems relating to teen-age groups and their parents.

Members of the program were: Mickey Ready, president of the Congress who presided during the panel, and Harold Taylor, Gordon Wright, Patsy Anthony, Denise Magness, Ruby Grubbs, Jerry Houlette, Phila Mae Buske, Doris McFarland, Ann McKee and Denise Bender.

Green Acres Club Met Wednesday

Mrs. Charles Howell was hostess to the Green Acres Home Demonstration Club in her home Wednesday afternoon, November 17, with eleven members present.

The business session was conducted by Mrs. Clyde Sherrieb. Interesting ideas for gifts and decorations for Christmas were given by the club members, and a family party was planned for December 10.

The club will dismiss through December, with the next meeting scheduled for January 5 at 2:00 p.m. in the home of Mrs. Meryle Massey.

Refreshments were served by the hostess to Mesdames Gene Anthony, Ernest Anthony, Floyd Brookfield, Wesley Hardesty, Gordon Hough, Meryle Massey, A. Mitchell, Al Reznik, Clyde Sherrieb and H. C. Wells.

Thanksgiving dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Miller will be Mrs. Cleo Kirk, Key and Charles, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Taylor, Diana, John and Jimmy, Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Renner, Kathy Lynn and Amy Sue, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Miller and Joyce, all of Friona and Glenn Cunningham of Bowie.

Dolls Made By Parmerton Group

The Parmerton Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. W. C. Wright Thursday afternoon.

Each member was asked to bring a sock and needle and thread, and Mrs. Marion Pite demonstrated methods of making dolls from a sock. Each member made a doll from a sock.

The only meeting scheduled for December will be a Christmas supper for members and their families on December 2 at the home of Mrs. G. H. Brock. Mrs. Brock is serving the turkey and other members will furnish the rest of the supper.

Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies and cokes were served to Mesdames Sue Barrett, Bonnie Barrett, Marion Fite, G. H. Brock, Rosella Landrum, Corda Battey by the hostess, Mrs. Wright.

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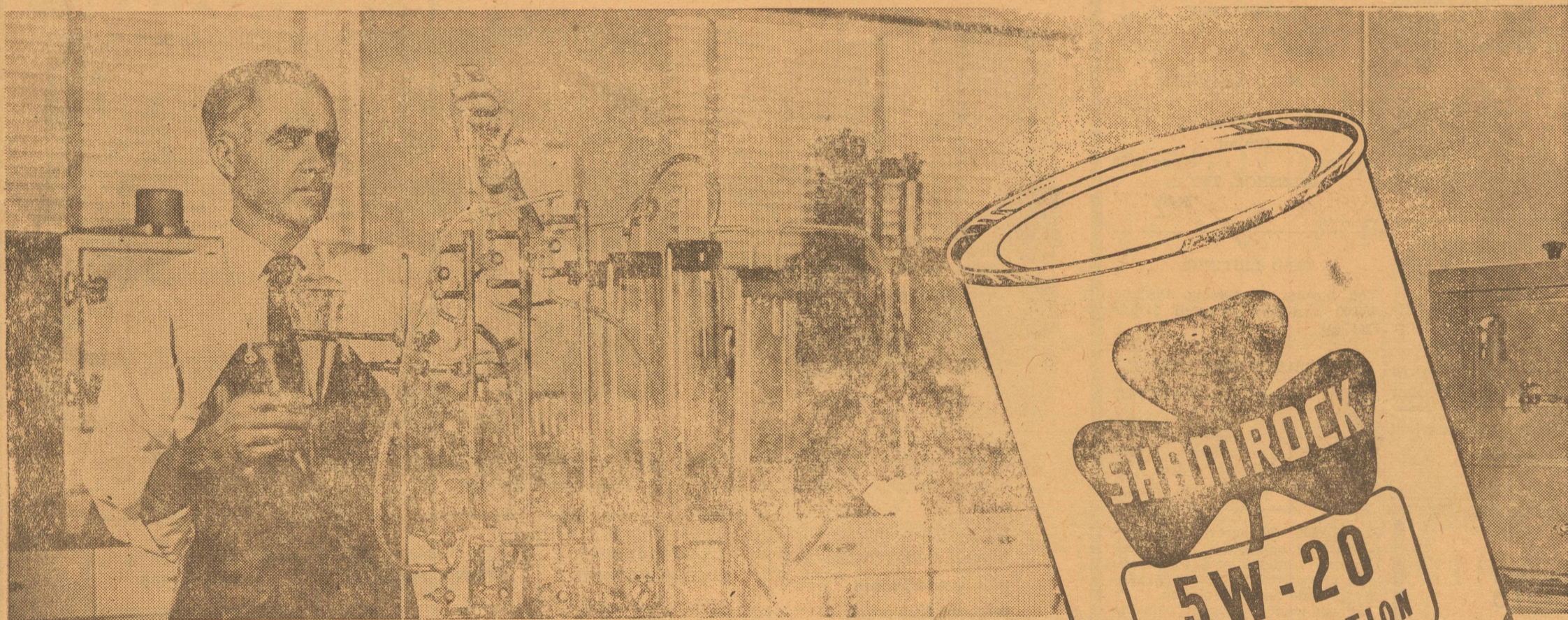
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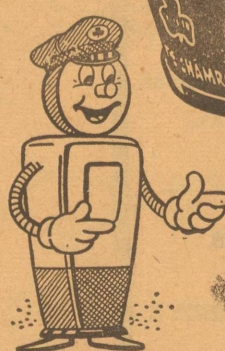
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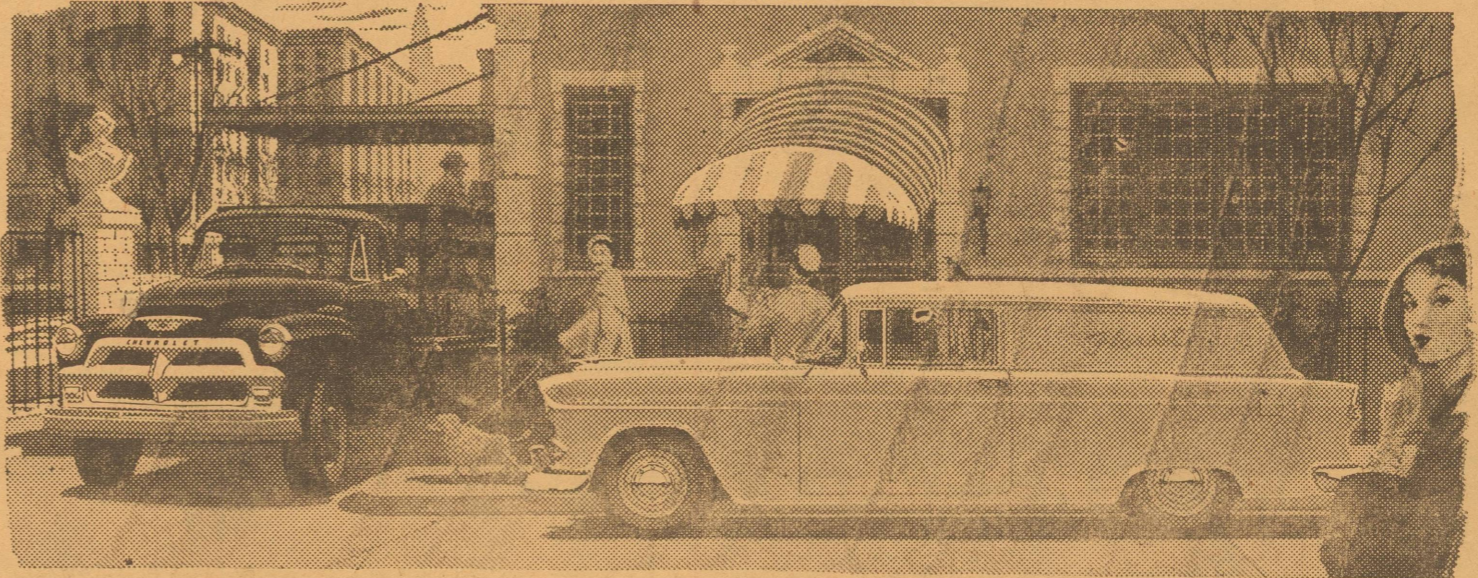
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Texas school children will be drinking more milk at cheaper prices if the recently inaugurated Texas Education Agency-U. S. Department of Agriculture special school milk program is successful.

Established under the provisions of the Agricultural Act of 1954, signed by President Eisenhower on August 28, the program provides \$50,000,000 annually of funds of the Commodity Credit Corporation to be "used to increase the consumption of fluid milk by children in non-profit schools of high school grade and under."

Texas schools will share \$2,888,500 of the special milk fund, provided that the eligible schools want the program.

Members of Dairy Products Institute of Texas have pledged their full support and cooperation in the program, not only in providing high quality milk but in the changing of delivery schedules to fit the school programs so that all milk will be properly chilled at the time offered to children.

J. W. Edgar, state Commissioner of Education, has announced plans whereby schools can determine their entitlement to the USDA funds. The funds will be used to reimburse participating schools a part of the cost of each additional milk serving over and above a "base" milk consumption figure established by the schools to represent normal milk consumption during the 1953-54 school year.

Schools which served no milk last year will be reimbursed at a rate of three cents per half pint for all milk served in the milk program this year. Schools which served milk last year will receive four cents per half-pint for milk served over their base consumption rate.

Participating schools must agree to operate their milk and food service on a non-profit basis and to serve fluid whole milk which meets local and state standards for butterfat and sanitation.

Milk served under the program will be bought by schools directly from local dairies and distributors, Dr. Edgar said.

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Traditional Holiday Pies Have Interesting History

It's pumpkin pie and mince-pie time again! These traditional favorites in America since before the War for Independence now are being featured by bakers throughout America, to grace the tables in millions of homes at the Holiday Season.

The exact origin of mince pie has been lost in antiquity, but it is known that the pie's ingredients once symbolized the gifts of the Magi and its shape, originally oval, represented the cradle of the Christ Child.

Frequent reference to this Christmas favorite in English literature dating as far back as the Fifteenth century, enabled the American Bakers Association to reconstruct the appearance and contents of the mince pie and customs surrounding it over the centuries.

Always considered an essential part in the Christmas observances in England, the pies once were more of a main course than a dessert. They contained a large portion of boiled pork mixed with minced dates, cloves, mace, raisins, salt and ginger during the reign of King Henry V.

Boiled pork was replaced by finely shredded mutton as the chief ingredient in the mince-meat pies at the time of Henry VIII, Edward VI, and Queens Mary and Elizabeth. Thick rolls of dough were used to line large deep-dish dishes and this in turn was covered with another layer of thick pastry to form the top crust of the pie.

In America, the fruit content

of the pie gradually was increased until today the mince pie has become a mixture of fruit and spices, with the addition of meat optional.

While the pumpkin pie always has been synonymous with the holiday season in America, it has changed its appearance and taste much more drastically over the years than has its mince-meat cousin.

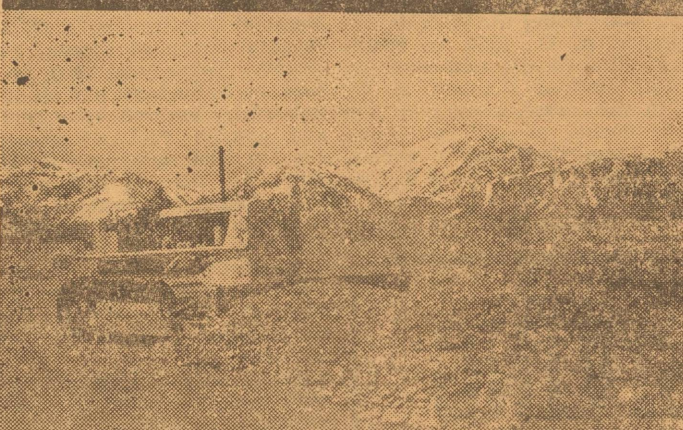
Shortly after the Pilgrims arrived in the New World, failure of the grain crops resulted in a shortage of flour for pastry. However, their craving for bakery delicacies was satisfied because of the never-failing pumpkin crop which the Indians had taught them to raise. Pilgrim women used pumpkin flour to make pastry goods and the filling also was made from the pumpkin after it had been cooked and sweetened with sugar and honey.

For many years before, a variety of gourd similar to the American pumpkin was cultivated and eaten throughout Europe. An early English recipe called for the "Pom-pion" itself to be stuffed with apples.

It was not until the sea trade, on which the early colonists depended, was free to bring in the spices of the West Indies and the Orient, that the pumpkin pie began to taste anything like it does today. And it was the early Pennsylvania Dutch cooks who are credited with developing the flat pie as we know it now and with making the greatest improvements in all types of pies.



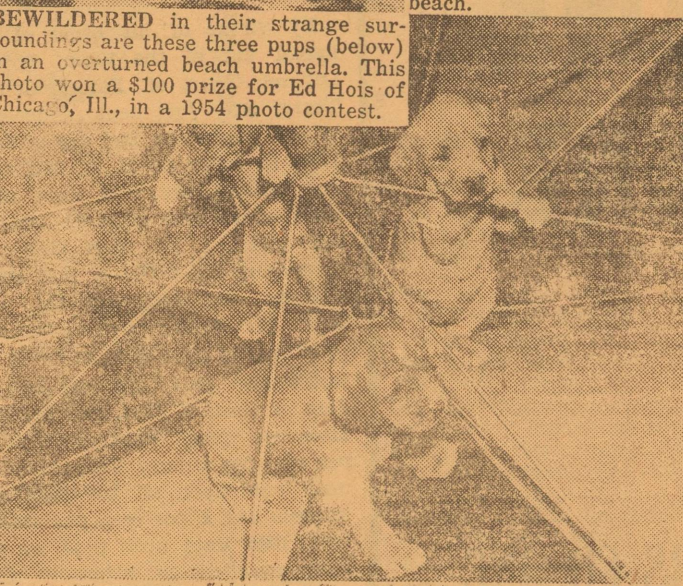
NATIONAL VIEWS & NEWS



SNOW COVERED mountains provide a forceful reminder that winter is with us. The crawler tractor (above) is filling existing levees and dikes before the full force of winter sets in and halts this work on the Gross Ventre River near Jackson, Wyoming.



BEWILDERED in their strange surroundings are these three pups (below) in an overturned beach umbrella. This photo won a \$100 prize for Ed Hois of Chicago, Ill., in a 1954 photo contest.



'55 Crop Program Is Clarified

COLLEGE STATION. — WILL crop loans and purchase agreements still be available for 1955 production, even under the new adjustable price support plan?

The answer is "Yes," says Claude K. McCan, chairman of the state ASC committee, who said this and other questions about price supports under new farm legislation are being asked by farmers.

One common question, says McCan, is: "Do all basic crop price supports drop to 82 1-2 percent of parity for 1955?"

In answer to that, he said U. S. Department of Agriculture spokesmen have emphasized that "There is no basis in fact to the charge that price supports would 'drop out from under' basic agricultural commodities" in 1955.

"Department spokesmen have said that necessary moderate adjustments will be made gradually, and in line with realities of the supply situation," he explains. Under existing law, supports on basic commodities can be set at or anywhere between 82 1/2 and 90 percent of parity. Supports will depend on supplies of the commodities involved, but now the picture for 1955 looks like this:

Wheat—Supports have been set at 82 1/2 percent of parity, or a national average of \$2.06 per bushel.

Rice—Under the present supply situation, 1955 price supports would be indicated at around 85 percent of parity, or possibly a little less. However, if marketing quotas are in effect next year, lower production in 1955 could reduce total supplies so that final price support might be in the upper 80's.

Corn—Supports are expected to be about 88 percent.

Peanuts—Supports are expected to be at or very close to 90 percent.

Cotton—Supports will remain at 90 percent of parity.

Another recurring question, McCan says, has to do with price supports for 1955 small feed grains such as oats, barley and grain sorghums. He points out that Secretary of Agriculture Benson recently said no decision had yet been made in connection with small grains. Such a decision, he said, would be made only when final crop reports are in, and after further study of the current drought.

Cold Prevention Is Outlined

AUSTIN, November 18, 1954— You catch a cold from a person who has a cold when you take in more of his cold germs than your body defenses can destroy. This is apt to happen when you are tired, and somebody is coughing or sneezing around you, says Dr. Henry A. Holte, State Health Officer.

Avoid taking in large masses of the germs by staying away from the person who has a cold; by staying out of crowded places during a cold epidemic; by washing your hands before you eat and after contact with a cold-infected person, or articles he has handled.

Keep your general health high by getting plenty of sleep; by eating regular well-balanced meals and drinking plenty of water; by getting some outdoor exercise every day; and by letting sunshine and fresh air into your home, office or factory.

Don't lower your resistance by getting too tired, over-heated or chilled. Avoid sitting in dried out, smoke-, dust- or chemical-laden air. Dress according to the weather and the temperature in which you must work.

Go to bed if you possibly can at the first sign of a cold. If you can't stay in bed, get as much rest as possible. Protect others by covering your mouth and nose when you cough or sneeze, and by washing your hands frequently, especially before handling food, cooking utensils or dishes.

Don't try to treat yourself. If your cold symptoms persist or if you develop fever or chest pain, call your doctor and follow his advice.

WALTER ROGERS —

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require the rebuilding of some underpasses and bridges. His status as an engineer is being questioned.

INFLATION

All chili eaters beware of Washington. Chili is selling for 70 cents a bowl, and it's about 75 percent beans. The bowls are smaller, the crackers fewer, and they won't let you get your hands on the catsup bottle. This may be an indication that we can't possibly have a depression. What will the American people live on, with chili at 70 cents a bowl?

VISITORS

We had a visit this week from a former Panamanian who now resides in Oklahoma City. She is Mrs. Opal J. Green, who formerly employed at the Post Office at Pampa. We also had a nice visit with Mrs. Paul C. Christian, of Pampa. Walter Rogers, Member of Congress, 18th District of Texas.



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TO: J. E. Staley, Mrs. J. E. Staley if living, and the unknown heirs, devisees and assigns and legal representatives of any of the aforementioned parties, who are deceased, Defendants Greeting:

You are hereby commanded to appear before the Honorable District Court of Parmer County at

the Courthouse thereof, in Farwell, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 29th day of November, A. D., 1954, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 15th day of October, A. D., 1954, in this cause, numbered 1746 on the docket of said court and styled Arma Coffman, a widow, Plaintiff, vs. J. E. Staley, et al, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature

of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff brings this suit in trespass to try title, alleging that on or about October 1, 1954, she was the owner in fee simple of Lots Numbers Seven (7) and Eight (8), Block Number Seventy-One (71), of the Original Town of Friona, Parmer County, Texas, and that on such date the Defendants and all of them unlawfully entered upon said land and ejected Plaintiff therefrom; and in the alternative, Plaintiff prays for title to and possession of her land, for costs of suit, and for general relief, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and seal of said court at Farwell, Texas, this 15th day of October, A. D., 1954.

Attest:
LOYDE A. BREWER, Clerk
District Court Parmer,
Parmer County, Texas
By BONNIE WARREN, Deputy.
(Seal)

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF PARMER

NOTICE OF SALE

By virtue of an order of sale issued out of the 108th Judicial District Court of Potter County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 2nd day of June, 1954, in favor of H. C. McDowell and against the said Bert Chitwood in the case of H. C. McDowell, plaintiff, v. Bert Chitwood, defendant, No. 28806 in said court, wherein said judgment the said H. C. McDowell recovered the sum of \$13,849.06 principal, \$1,413.07 interest and past due interest to date of June 2, 1954, and \$1,526.22 attorneys' fees, together with 10 per cent per annum from said date until paid upon all principal and interest and 6 per cent per annum from said date until paid on the sum awarded as attorneys' fees, and all costs of suit, and said judgment further ordered foreclosure of plaintiff's Vendor's Lien and Deed of Trust lien on the

real property as described below and further ordered the sheriff to seize and sell the below described realty and place the purchaser of such property in possession thereof thirty (30) days after date of sale, which said judgment is entitled to a credit of \$3,000.00 paid on July 12, 1954.

I did on the 11 day of November 1954, at 11 o'clock A. M. levy upon the following described tract or parcel of land situated in the County of Parmer, State of Texas, as the property of the said Bert Chitwood, being the property described in the order of sale, to-wit: Lots Nos. One (1) and Two (2), Block Seventy seven (77) Original Town of Friona, Parmer County, Texas, and commonly known as

Friona Locker Company, and on the 7 day of December, 1954, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10:00 A. M. and 4:00 o'clock P. M. on said date at the courthouse door of said county, I will offer for cash all the right, title and interest of the said Bert Chitwood in and to said property.

DATED at Friona, Texas, this 11 day of November, 1954.
Charles Lovelace
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W. M. U. Tues. 3:00 p.m.
Sunbeams Tues. 3:00 p.m.
Prayer Meeting, Weds. . 8:30 p.m.
- Emmanuel Lutheran Church**
Geo. H. Pullmann, Pastor
Church Services 10:00 a.m.
Bible Class and Sundry School 11:00 a.m.
Ladies Aid .. 2nd Friday of every month.
Men's Club .. 3rd Friday of each month.
- Congregational Church**
Rev. Lewis J. Knight, Minister
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Pilgrim Fellowship 5:00 p.m.
Woman's Fellowship, 1st & 3rd Wednesdays every month.
Mid-week Bible Study
Wednesday evenings 8 p.m.
Church Family Night—1st Sunday of each month.
- Sixth Street Church of Christ**
M. B. McKinney, Minister

- SUNDAY—**
Worship Service 8:45 a.m.
Bible Study 10:00 a.m.
Worship Service 10:55 a.m.
Worship Service 7:00 p.m.

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Mid-Week Bible Study .. 8:00 p.m.
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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.
Prayer Meeting, Wed. . 8:00 p.m.
- Methodist Church**
U. S. Sherrill, Minister
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Meth. Youth Fellowship 6:45 p.m.
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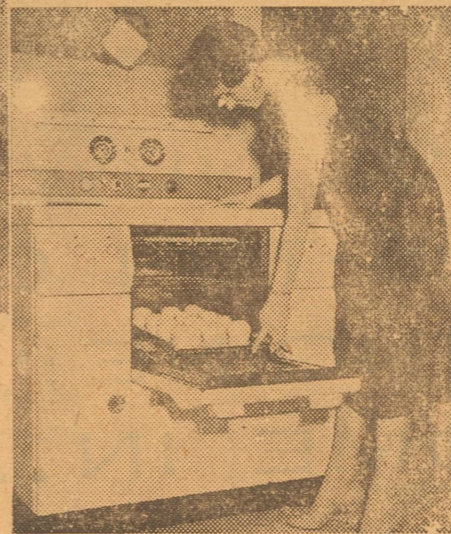


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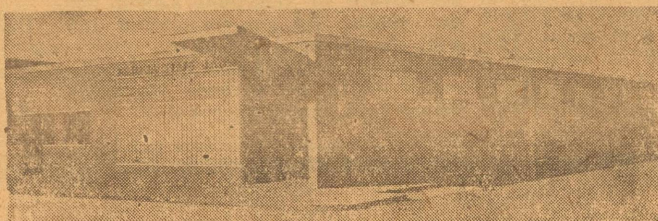
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You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty-eight days before the return day thereof, in a newspaper printed in Parmer County, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the herein below following is a true copy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: James M. Finley, Mrs. James M. Finley, if living, and the unknown heirs, devisees and assigns and legal representatives of any of the aforementioned parties who are deceased, Defendants, Greeting:
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court of Parmer County at the Courthouse thereof, in Farwell, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 3rd day of January A.D. 1955, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 19th day of November A.D. 1954, in this cause, numbered 1752 on the docket of said court and styled Ralph A. Smith, Plaintiff, vs. James M. Finley, et al, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff brings this suit in trespass to try title, alleging that on or about 1st day of November, 1954, he was the owner in fee simple of lot 5, block 67, of the Original Town of Friona, Parmer County, Texas, and that on such date the Defendants and all of them unlawfully entered upon said land and ejected Plaintiff therefrom; and in the alternative, Plaintiff prays for title to and possession of his land, for costs of suit, and for general relief, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

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TO: Alvin Beckett, Mrs. Alvin Beckett, A. Beckett, Mrs. A. Beckett, Ellzey Charles, Mrs. Ellzey Charles, Eva Charles, if living, and the unknown heirs, devisees and assigns and legal representatives of any of the aforementioned parties who are deceased, and the First National Bank of Kansas City, Missouri, and Marcus F. Perkins and Mrs. Marcus F. Perkins, who reside in Montezuma County, Colorado, Defendants, Greeting:
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A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff brings this suit in trespass to try title, alleging that on or about October 20, 1954, he was the owner in fee simple of Lot 3, Block 87, Original Town of Friona, Parmer County, Texas, and Lot 7, Block 49, Original Town of Friona, Parmer County, Texas, and that on such date, the Defendants and all of them unlawfully entered upon said land and ejected Plaintiff therefrom; and in the alternative, Plaintiff prays for title to and possession of his land, for costs of suit, and for general relief, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

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Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Farwell, Texas, this the 19th day of November A.D. 1954.

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By Bonnie Warren, Deputy,
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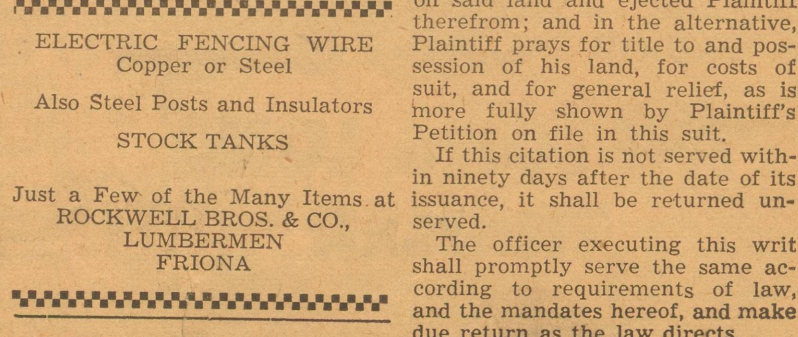
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VETERANS ? Box

Q—I have a nephew who is a World War II veteran drawing a VA pension because he is paralyzed from the waist down for reasons not connected with his service. He gets an extra amount because he needs regular aid and attendance. He has just been admitted to a VA hospital for treatment. Will his extra allowance continue, or will it be cut off?

A—It will continue while he is hospitalized. In many instances, the extra allowance stops when a veteran enters a VA hospital. But it generally is continued for paralyzed veterans and those who lost their sight.

Q—Would it be possible for me to take on-the-job training under the Korean GI Bill on a part-time basis?

A—No. The law requires that on-the-job training under the Korean GI Bill must be on a full-time basis.

Q—My daughter has been receiving VA compensation payments based on the death of my husband, a World War I veteran. She reached her eighteenth birthday during the summer vacation between school terms. Will she be eligible for payments for the time between her birthday and the time she resumes school?

A—Yes. Payments may be authorized for the period between your daughter's birthday and her re-entry into school.

Q—I am the widow of a World War II veteran, and I have never remarried. I also am a World War II veteran myself. Would I be eligible for two GI loans—one on the basis of being an unremarried widow, and the other based on my own eligibility.

A—No. You would be eligible for only one GI loan—based on your own eligibility as a veteran.

Sunbeams Met

Mrs. Claude Osborn and Mrs. Pete Buske were in charge of the Bonnie Baptist Sunbeams at the Tuesday afternoon meeting. The songs were led by Sharon England.

Mrs. Osborn read 100 Psalm and the children learned several Thanksgiving verses, and had Mission study of Japan and Africa. Present were Jackie Stowers, Johnny Grant, Mars, Mike Fallwell, Darrell and Rita Collier, Howard Rhodes, David Bales, Kim Buske, Jeanne Taylor, Judy Edelman, Lorene and Lenore Jackson, Gay Singleterry, Sharon and Judy England, Betty Fields, Jonell and Eddie Woods, Danny and Joe Murphy, Jimmy Roff, Richard Neelley, Marcus Connelly, and the leaders, Mrs. Osborn and Mrs. Buske.

Car Inspections Are Necessary

Texas, individualists that they are, have already started a potential waiting line at the State's automobile inspection stations.

Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., Director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, said today that the waiting line was shaping up now to precede the inspection deadline next April 15.

The Public Safety Director based his conclusion on the fact that auto inspections at mid-October were running more than 100,000 behind the figure for the first month of the 1953 inspection period. He said that undue waiting to secure a check of their vehicles may be averted by motorists if they will visit one of the 4,000 inspection stations at an early date.

"None of the 4,000 stations are too rushed to give you prompt attention at this time," Garrison stated, "but if the figures for the first month's operation under the new inspection period are any indication, we can expect long lines at most of stations in April. This situation can easily be averted if motorists will visit a station in the near future and secure the annual inspection."

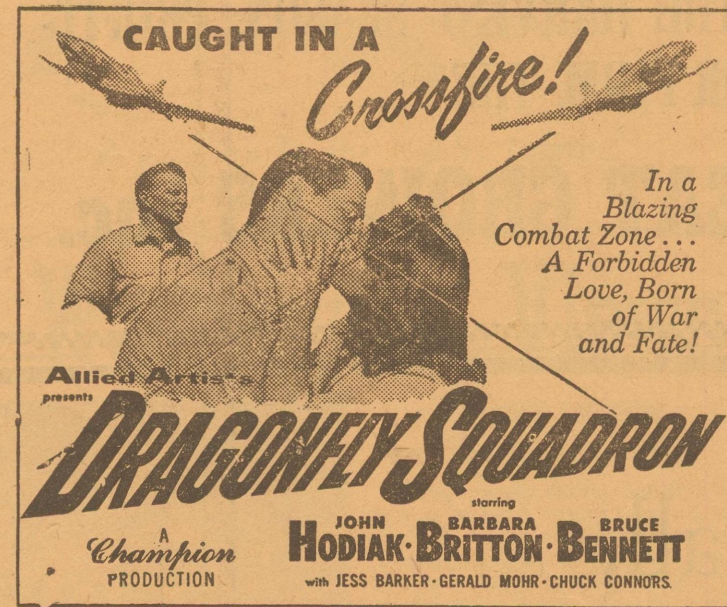
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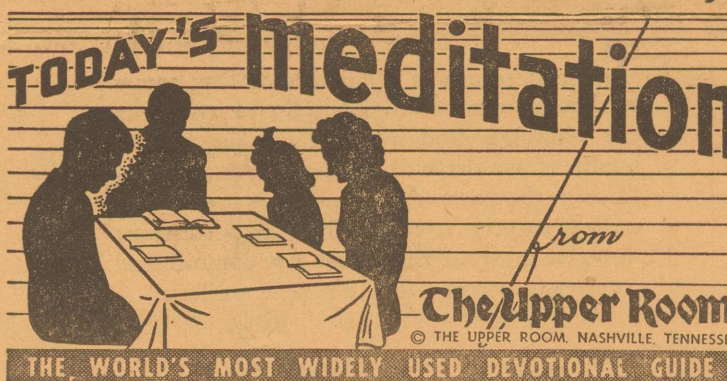
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Wednesday and Thursday

ROCKET MAN

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Read John 12:44-50

Whatever I speak therefore, even as the Father said unto me, so I speak. (John 12:50)

Jesus looked upon Himself as a person through whom God, the Father, met human needs. He was gracious in His manner of meeting the physical, material, spiritual, and social needs. He became for many in past centuries, and has become for us, the Christ through whom God heals the heart.

In our doing of every task worthy of the name Christian, we are persons through whom God meets human needs. To be Christlike we are aware of the dual aspect of our tasks. We are interested in both the material and in the spiritual. In our daily task and business, we seek to be persons through whom God can bless people.

We need to do this lovingly and humbly, so that daily we be persons through whom God may touch the heart life of others and bring to them the fullness of life in Christ.

PRAYER

Dear Lord, help us today to be Christlike in meeting all types of human need. Only so will it become natural for us to say something through which Thou mayest touch the hearts of others and so meet their soul needs. For Jesus' sake. Amen.

THOUGHT FOR THE DAY

Until we become channels of God for meeting the needs of others, our task is not complete.

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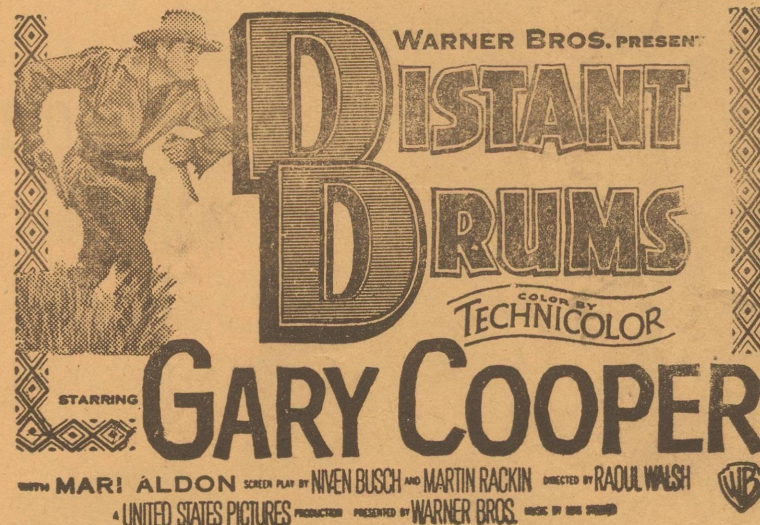


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