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COGITATIONS and APHORISMS of JODOK

In last Saturday's Amarillo News there was an item of news that probably was the most important item ever printed in any newspaper ever published. And I am afraid it attracted little attention of the average reader. It was to the effect that there had been invented a device for the converting of the direct energy of sun heat to the production of mechanical power.

By means of a thermocouple an electric current is passed through water. It is well known that this means water can be broken up into its component elements of oxygen and hydrogen. The hydrogen is burned as fuel to produce power, just as oil or coal is usually used. This is produced an unlimited amount of power from direct sunshine.

When this principle is worked out to its logical conclusion we will have at our command an absolutely unlimited amount of cheap power that forever free us from the nightmare of a diminishing supply of coal and oil upon which we now depend for power, light and heat.

Just how long before this new power production era will arrive depends on many factors, not the least of which will be opposition of the present "power trust" and other allied interests. Will they fight this new process? Just watch and see. If nothing, apparently, comes of this new process within a reasonable time draw your own conclusions.

The fear of an "over supply" or "over production" of power filled the "overmoderately" power project, and nothing else mattered.

But, regardless of all selfish interests, the contrary THIS will be the source of power supply of the future. May God hasten the day. THAT would be a "New Deal" that we can all support.

Well, my theory is that we will just keep on finding out how to do these wonderful things until we will satisfy our every need from these various inexhaustible supplies of sunshine, air and light, with no fear or dread whatever regarding the limited supply of coal, oil and other substances now in use for the production of electric energy, for, eventually, we will not need them at all.

My good friend, J. A. Wimberley, who like myself, has been of the opinion all along that irrigation can be accomplished here on the plains by means of wells—well, Mr. Wimberley just called to my mind the fact that in my column last week, I had not mentioned nearly all the good things that can be raised on these plains, if sufficient moisture is provided.

One of the things that he mentioned was sugar beets, and he said he had been told by a man in Hereford, that the growing of sugar beets can be done successfully by the application of water, and more than that, it has been demonstrated that these beets produced over in Grant Smith County have a higher content of saccharine matter or sugar, than those that are grown in the famed beet country of Colorado.

And that is not all, for Mr. Wimberley said that if we can have the water in sufficient quantities when it needed, we can raise as good alfalfa here as in any other locality. Alfalfa has known alfalfa to make as much as \$80.00 per acre in single season, and it occurs to me that such crops as that on a farm could be mighty nice returns for a sugar farmer—or any other farmer, for that matter.

I have a game with Mr. Wimberley on each of these statements, and have tried both the beet and the alfalfa in a small way, and know that they will produce here both in yield and quality, and in size, as to beets.

There is only one question in my mind that might hinder me from being an irrigation enthusiast, and that is the source and application of the underground water. I have seen a farmer in the territory who had installed one irrigation system on 150 acres, eventually to produce an unlimited supply of underground water. Or is the source of this water, and the amount and quality of it, to be used under the same conditions as Verily, I do believe that neither do I believe that the water is the only way to produce crops, and that it is by the use of it, and it would just be too

Parmer County Checks To Arrive Soon

CLEAN-UP WEEK HERE

MAY. 16 - 21

At the regular meeting of the Friona Woman's Club, Wednesday afternoon, it was voted that the club should sponsor a "Clean-up Week" for the city, beginning Monday, May 16, and continuing throughout the week.

The ladies are asking that the local chamber of commerce, the Junior Woman's Club, the American Legion and Legion Auxiliary, and Boy and Girl Scouts cooperate with them in this worthy effort.

The fact has been mentioned that there are in various parts of the city trash piles, junk piles, weeds and open cess pools, that make fire menaces, and threaten property, are a menace to life and health, and mar the beauty and cleanliness of our fair little city.

Surely this is a matter that all loyal citizens should be interested in, for no other reason than to protect their own property and the life and health of the members of their families.

Each person is asked to gather up all the trash and rubbish about his own premises, and place it in containers near the alleys and there will be arrangements made to have it all hauled away.

FRIONA WOMAN'S CLUB REPORT

The Friona Woman's Club met on Wednesday afternoon, May 11, in the J. W. White home, with Mesdames John White and Buford Hughes as hostesses.

The resignation of Mrs. E. W. Matthews was accepted.

The club voted to sponsor a clean-up week beginning Monday, May 16. It was also voted to hold a food sale Saturday, May 14, in the Attaway Variety store. It was decided to have the last club meeting from eight until ten o'clock Wednesday night, May 25, at the girl scout hut, with husbands invited as guests.

"American Folk Music" was discussed during the program, with the following being rendered: "American Folk Music," Mrs. F. W. Reeve.

"By the Waters of Minnetonka," violin solo, Virginia Guyer. "Life of Stephen Foster," Mrs. Minnie Goodwine.

"A Southern Melody," piano arrangement for six hands, Mesdames J. A. Blackwell, L. R. Dilger, and W. H. Attaway.

"Old Folks at Home," and "Massa's in De Cold, Cold Ground," Mrs. L. P. Lillard.

Refreshments were served to the following: Guests, Mesdames J. M. W. Alexander, G. N. Garrett, of Chillicothe, Texas; Grace Hart, Charlie Bainum, and Miss Osie Hadley; club members, Mesdames Roy Slagle, W. H. Attaway, L. R. Dilger, A. H. Boatman, L. R. Dilger, Minnie Goodwine, J. A. Guyer, Ervin Johnson, R. H. Kinsley, L. P. Lillard, H. G. Morris, M. L. McFarland, S. L. McLeland, F. W. Reeve, L. N. Ritter, Bert Shackelford, Fred White, W. B. Stark, J. E. Stover, V. E. Weir, Floyd B. Schienker, J. A. Blackwell.

JUNIOR WOMAN'S CLUB

The Junior Woman's Club met Friday night at the home of Mrs. J. T. Gee, with Mesdames McFarland, Ray Landrum and Neva Raybon as assistant hostesses.

The meeting was called to order by the president and a small amount of business was attended to.

Mrs. Glenn Reeve gave a very interesting resume of the Texas Woman's Federation Convention, which met in Childress recently. Mrs. Neva Raybon discussed the life of Helen Hays, and Mrs. W. H. Ford related some interesting stories from the book "Coronado's Adventures."

A short social followed as refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames W. H. Ford, Glenn Reeve, Chas. McLean, S. H. Osborn, Joe Dwight, G. McFarland, Neva Raybon, R. Landrum, H. Settle, J. T. Gee and H. Lewis; and Misses Orma White and Alice Guyer.

HEREFORD BOOSTERS, HERE LAST FRIDAY

Our citizens were well pleased to have several car loads of Hereford citizens call on us last Friday forenoon and visit with us for a few minutes. These Hereford boosters were advertising their Pioneer Day.

The group was accompanied by the Hereford high school band and the young people delighted us with several excellent numbers, while the men were visiting among our people.

Our good friend Alec Thompson, was one of the number, and apparently laboring under the impression that it rains all the time here at Friona, he was absolutely prepared for such an emergency, by wearing a rain-coat slicker and carrying an umbrella. No Alec, it does not rain all the time here, but we sure were glad to see you, anyway.

MR. E. CEARLEY PASSED AWAY

Mrs. L. G. Simpson received a telegram call last Saturday afternoon calling her to the bedside of her father, Mr. E. Cearley, at Amarillo, who was very low at that time.

Mr. Simpson received word Wednesday morning stating that Mr. Cearley had passed to the Land of Rest about 4:00 o'clock that morning. He was eighty-five years of age, and had been in poor health for some weeks, and was unable to withstand the attack of heart ailment, which assailed him. The funeral was held at Amarillo, Thursday afternoon.

Miss Ruth Reeve, who is attending college at Canyon, came over to spend the weekend with her parents, Mayor and Mrs. F. W. Reeve and to attend the baccalaureate services, Sunday night.

REDS WIN 6-MAN GAME

SCORE 30 - 27

By the looks of the score the game between the Reds and Whites might have been a basketball game, but instead it was a six-man football game with plenty of thrills and action.

Captain Jack Williams kicked off for the Reds and on the first play for the Whites, Denham Smith circled end for 50 yards and a touchdown. With William, Roden and Johnson leading the attack, the Reds scored three touchdowns in the first half to make the score 18-0.

In the second quarter Lyndon Stephens, Whites' captain, received a foot injury which kept him out the rest of the game. But the Whites would not give up, and came back in the last half to score three touchdowns and three extra points. Two of the touchdowns were made on passes, Smith to Routh, Williams to the touchdown parade for the Reds with three, while Truett Johnson, on two well executed reverses checked up the other two.

The game provided plenty of action, thrills, open field running, passing, blocking and tackling. The fans seemed to enjoy the game very much, and a large number were present to witness the first six-man football game in this section. Several out-of-town people, including a burly load from Bovina, were present.

The starting line-up for the Reds: Ends—Watkins, Schmitz; Center—Thomas; Backs—Roden, Johnson, and Williams; Subs—Sagle, Lillard, Wingert, Barker, and Renner.

For the Whites: Ends—Routh, Bradley; Center—Landrum; Backs—Stephens, Smith, and E. Schmitz; Subs—Beens, Key Frost, White, and Collier.

Only two of these boys had ever played a regular football game before.

B. T. Galloway and daughter, Mrs. Edith, and Miss Lillian Ranney departed last Saturday for several days' visit with relatives at Coleman.

BEULAH WILLIAMSON FALLWELL

The hearts of the good people of Friona were again filled with sorrow when it was made known that Beulah Williamson Fallwell, wife of our esteemed citizen, William C. Fallwell, had passed to the Great Beyond at eleven o'clock Friday night, May 6th.

Mrs. Fallwell was born September 15th, 1872, in Hempstead County, Arkansas, and had attained the age of 65 years, 7 months and 21 days.

The family made several moves until 1890 they settled in Greer County, Oklahoma; then to Rush Springs, Oklahoma. In 1895 Miss Williamson was united in marriage to William C. Fallwell, and to this union was born three children, Wesley, deceased; Edna, now Mrs. J. N. Lunsford, of Farwell; and Elbert, of Friona.

The Fallwells moved to the Panhandle in 1903, first settling southwest of Dimmitt and later moving to Hereford, where they resided until they moved to Friona in 1930.

Mrs. Fallwell united with the Church of Christ at an early age, and continued as an active member of that church until failing health prevented. She was a devout Christian, a loving wife and mother, a kind neighbor and an esteemed citizen.

Besides her husband and two children, Edna and Elbert, Mrs. Fallwell is survived by six grandchildren, her mother, Mrs. E. S. Williamson; one sister, Mrs. Eudora Mitchell, of Texarkana, Texas; two brothers, Walter and Richard Williamson, of Du-Queen, Arkansas; several nieces and nephews and a host of friends. Mrs. Fallwell had been in failing health for the past five or six years.

The funeral services were held at the Church of Christ at Hereford, cemetery.

We, of the Star, join the many other friends of the family in extending sympathy in their hour of sorrow.

LAZBUDDY STUDY CLUB

Mrs. O. M. Jennings and Mrs. Finis Jennings entertained the Lazbuddy Study Club in the home of Mrs. O. M. Jennings, Thursday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Three visitors and twenty-one members were present.

During the business hour club decided to continue the summer meetings, having no program, just a social hour with the business hour continued.

The club is to sponsor a clean-up day at the cemetery, Friday before Memorial Day. The community in general is invited to participate.

Mrs. R. M. Thompson presented her name for membership. Three new members, Mrs. Frank Hinkson, Mrs. Robert Prather and Mrs. Manuel Jennings were accepted.

The program for the day was a Mothers-Father's Day with Mrs. R. L. Bledsoe directing.

"Seven Proud Women," Mrs. John Gammon very able divided way mothers who had the honor of knowing their sons were Presidents of the U. S. Mrs. Gammon gave a brief biography of each woman, which was exceedingly interesting.

"Dad Has His Day" by Mrs. B. Whitt, had some thoughtful ideas. "A Mother Soaks" was given by Mrs. C. E. Briscoe.

A most appetizing two-course plate luncheon was served, consisting of fruit salad, cheese toast, cookies fruit punch and ice cream.

Visitors were Mrs. R. M. Thompson, Mrs. Jesse Rogers, and Mrs. Cecil Malone. Members present were Mesdames Bruce Abney, C. E. Briscoe, John Gammon, Joe Jarman, Elvin Julian, Sam Layman, Price Prather, W. R. Prather, John, Willie and Shortie Steinbock, Otto Treider, B. Whitt, B. H. Wagnon, Orbie Jarman, R. L. Bledsoe, Manuel Jennings, Frank Hinkson, and the hostesses, Mrs. O. M. and Finis Jennings.

Next meeting will be with Mrs. B. H. Wagnon our president. Program "The Women of Today," date May 19.

CHECKS WILL ARRIVE 15 - 20

As a result of the unexplained delay in receiving the Farm Conservation Checks by the farmers of Parmer County, some of them have asked the local chamber of commerce to intercede for them and make an effort to learn, if possible, the cause of the delay and something about the time they may be expected to arrive.

Accordingly Dan Ethridge, president of the chamber of commerce, sent the following wire to Lester Young, Assistant Field Officer, at College Station: "Advise if there is anything we can do to speed delivery of Parmer County Soil Conservation Checks. Seriously needed for planting."

Dan Ethridge, President of Friona Chamber of Commerce:

To the above quoted telegram the following answer was received: Dan Ethridge, President of Friona Chamber of Commerce:

"Retel you may expect checks between fifteenth and twentieth this month. We know of nothing that can be done in county office or state office to get them there earlier."

Lester Young.

These telegrams were sent also to relieve the local office at Farwell of any blame as to the delay that has been experienced, and Mr. Gordon and his assistants are wholly blameless in the matter.

It is, however, interesting information for all our farmers and the Star is glad to pass it on to them.

Mr. Ethridge sent a letter to Mr. Young thanking him for his telegram of information, and he also sent a copy of his telegram to Mr. Gordon at Farwell.

SPACE-KILLING FILLERS

A newspaper keeps on hand a considerable supply of what are called in the newspaper parlance, "fillers." These are short items of no urgent or immediate news value and may be used immediately or a month later, as they are needed. A little explanation will show why newspaper follows the practice of keeping a stock of fillers on hand.

A column of type is not very flexible. If it is a bit too long it cannot be crowded into the space. It takes a good deal more power than is available in the ordinary newspaper office to compress five inches of type so that it will go into a four-inch space. Likewise it cannot very well be stretched to fill a space. If the column of type is too long for the space something must be pulled out so that it can go in, or it must be shifted to some other space. If it is too short, it can go in all right, provided a filler of the proper size can be found to fill the remaining space.

Now if you happen to be in a newspaper office and hear the make-up man call for a three-line filler or a six-line filler, you will know what he wants and why he wants it.

What started this little story is that its writer got to thinking about some people whom he has known and whom he has had some difficulty in classifying. Perhaps you know some people who are not very forceful, not very strongly for or against anything, not worth much to anybody and not particularly harmful to anybody, and you have wondered what such people are good for. Perhaps they are just "fillers," and the good Lord, like the good printer, keeps a supply on hand when nothing is needed except someone to fill a little space.

FREE AIR SHOW HERE SUNDAY

Friona people who are lovers of aeronautics will be given an opportunity to gratify their desire for this form of sports out at the I. F. Beckner farm northeast of town Sunday, when Floyd Daniels, pilot, and Johnney Holden, parachute jumper, arrive here with their airplane for a full day of pleasure flights and a parachute jump.

These young men were here last year and entertained our people with experiences in aviation and sights above the clouds.

Besides the usual rides of a few minutes, which those who choose to do so may take advantage, there will be, some time during the day, a parachute jump from a point a mile high, given by Mr. Holden, and this will be free for all who care to look on. This will be absolutely free, no collection to be taken before the jump is made, nor after. Read their advertisement on another page of this issue of the Star.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clements departed last Saturday for Greenville and other points in that part of the state for a week's visit with relatives.

BRUNK'S COMEDIANS NEXT WEEK.



MERCEDES REY
Leading Lady With Brunk's Comedians, Here All Next Week.



HERBERT CLARK
Leading Man With Brunk's Comedians To Be Here All Next Week.

The Henry L. Brunk Comedians with their big "tent show" will arrive here next Monday, May 16, to remain throughout the week. The company has had its equipment stored in Amarillo all winter and the show has been playing the larger and better theatres throughout Kansas and Oklahoma, and the company opened its summer season at Dimmitt, Monday, where it is showing this week, and will spread its big tent here next Monday.

Brunk's have used more than twenty plays during their winter season in the large theatres and the best of these have been selected to

be presented to our people here next week.

The opening play, which will be presented here Monday night is "The Woman Tamer," and was written by the late Charles F. Harrison. This fine play is one of those used on the theatre circuit, and is strictly a comedy-drama, the principal comedy part being presented by Walter Pruitt, a new addition to Mr. Brunk's famous show.

Among other shows that will be presented here are "Comedians' Ladies," "City Wives," "The Tenderloin," and others. See their ad in this issue of the Star.



WHO'S NEWS THIS WEEK

By LEMUEL F. PARTON

NEW YORK—Two or three years ago, I was one of a group of newspaper men arguing about who was the best reporter who ever worked around here. One old-timer was holding out for Roy Burton, whom he had known on the Brooklyn Eagle in the nineties. Burton, he said, was the best leg-man and digger, the most fearless, and the most gifted in fanning up a story out of nothing at all. He knew make-up, too, said the oldster.

The diligent reporter has been duly rewarded. He is the Sir Pomeroy Burton whose magnificent French chateau the duke and duchess of Windsor were looking over recently.

With the Northcliffe papers in London, he became a multi-millionaire, as he transformed British journalism with daring American techniques. He became a British citizen in 1914 and was knighted in 1923. In addition to his vast newspaper interests, he is a magnate of electric power and utilities.

He was a printer's devil on his father's newspaper in Youngstown, Ohio, and, at the age of twelve, was knocking about country printshops in Ohio on the same job. He became a compositor on the Brooklyn Eagle. Hearing of a vacancy on the news staff, he persuaded the city editor to give him a try at reporting.

He hired evening clothes to cover a society function. There, Colonel

Boss Liked Youth in Hired Tails Hester, owner of the Eagle, was tremendously impressed with the personable young man with whom he was talking, and thought he had met him somewhere. Young Burton did not remind the colonel that he had seen the young man in a printer's apron a few days before.

He became city editor and managing editor of the Eagle, held important executive positions with the World and the New York Journal and was taken to England by Lord Northcliffe in 1904. Ten years later, he owned all but a few of the Daily Mail shares not owned by Lord Northcliffe.

In the World war, he virtually headed the organization of British propaganda, and many of the most damaging anti-German stories were attributed to him. His enemies charged that he had "debauched British journalism with degrading American sensationalism."

His friends insisted he had enlivened and regenerated it. He

Sir Pomeroy Visits U. S. With Valets makes an occasional trip to America with a staff of valets and secretaries, suave, dressy and still fit and impressive at seventy-two, with more than a touch of British accent.

Over here, he always hated the name Pomeroy and shortened it to Roy, but picked it up again in England. He had been named for "Brick" Pomeroy, the cyclonic journalistic disturber of the latter half of the last century, and he held Mr. Pomeroy in low esteem. Pomeroy was almost, but not quite, a winner.

From a Wisconsin crossroads, he rammed around the country in newspaper and financial brawls, and, in his old age, just through sheer animal spirits, started plugging a tunnel through the Rocky mountains, at Georgetown, Colo.

He was flattened by the '93 depression and died soon after, with nothing to show for his life's work but a hole in the ground. Then it was discovered that the tunnel had gouged into fabulous mineral wealth in Kelso mountain. Eight years ago, the tunnel went on through the mountain, as the Moffatt tunnel.

REPORTING the return of Poultney Bigelow from a visit to his friend, the former kaiser, and his fervent approval of dictators, has become a matter of annual routine. It is an old story, but the freshness and vehemence of Mr. Bigelow's disgust with democracy and enthusiasm for fuehrers always makes it interesting.

He is the patriarch of Malden-on-the-Hudson, with relatives and descendants, down to great-grandchildren, all up and down the river. He will be eighty-three years old on September 10. His father, John Bigelow, was American minister to France under Abraham Lincoln.

He hunted birds eggs with the kaiser, forming a lifetime friendship, broken only by the war, which he charged the kaiser with having started. He recanted afterward and the two old men meet annually to salute "Der Tag" when only the all-wise and all-just shall rule again.

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FOTO-FEATURE

Husbands Become 'Golf Widowers' As Ladies Commandeer the Links

GONE are the days when Mother kept dinner waiting for her golfing husband. Nowadays Father must shift for himself, because American women golfers have become almost as numerous as men. Enthusiastic professional teachers are now devoting more than half their time to teaching women the ancient Scotch game of "pasture pool."

A comparatively recent development, golfing for women wins addicts because it's good reducing exercise. Doctors encourage it, and wives have found golf a convenient mutual hobby to share with their husbands. Today, most Amer-

ican country clubs set aside special days for women golfers, and numerous are the social activities built around the club house.

Except during the war years of 1917 and 1918, a National Women's Amateur tournament has been held annually since 1903. Most of the current leaders (some of whom are pictured below) can outplay the average male golfer. Helen Hicks, now on the Wilson advisory staff, shows in the accompanying motion pictures how she has perfected remarkable form in driving (left) and putting (right). If you're a golfer, these action pictures may offer some suggestions.



Glenna Collett Vare (above) is the Bobby Jones of women's golf. She has been national champion six times since 1922; the last time was 1935.

Helen Hicks first won national honors in 1931 and has been a top-flight contender in tournament play ever since.

Above: June Beebe, one of the current crop. Right: Pamela Barton, who won the United States women's amateur championship and the British women's open title in 1936, a record that has not yet been tied.

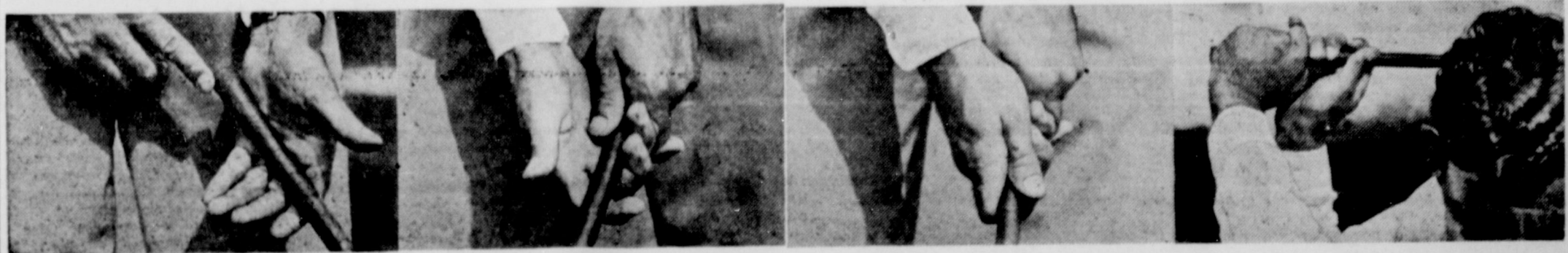
Mrs. Opal S. Hill, once an invalid, is three-time winner of the Western amateur title.

Patty Berg of Minneapolis, 18, has never won a national championship but most likely will some day. She is one of the most promising members of the younger crop and has given old-time golfers hard competition.

In 1927, when Bobby Jones and Tommy Armour were at their peak, the national women's champion was Mrs. Miriam Horn. She held the honor only one year, another victim of Glenna Collett Vare.

In 1932 Virginia Van Wie won her first American title after dogging Glenna Collett Vare's trail for five years. Miss Van Wie kept the title until 1935.

Mary K. Browne, long since out of the national picture, was at her peak in 1924 after she deserted tennis (in which she was national champion) for the golf links.



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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

The Friona Star is authorized to announce the following list of persons as candidates for the offices shown above their respective names, subject to the decision of the Democratic Primary Election, to be held on Saturday, July 23, 1938.

- FOR SHERIFF
A. D. HINSON.
EARL BOOTH (Re-election)
CHAS. LUNSFORD.
FOR COUNTY JUDGE
Walter Lander (Re-election).
LEE THOMPSON
D. K. ROBERTS.
FOR COUNTY AND DISTRICT CLERK
E. V. Rushing (Re-election).
A. M. EZELL
LEO McLELLAN.
For County Treasurer:
ROY B. EZELL (Re-ction)
E. G. (BLACKIE) WILLIAMS.
For County Attorney
A. D. SMITH.
For County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:
J. M. W. ALEXANDER (Re-election).
L. F. LILLARD.
A. B. (BEE) SHORT.
W. E. (TOM) FROST.
I. L. (JIM) SHAPPER.

For District Attorney: JAMES W. WITHERSPOON

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bad if it were learned, when too late, that the source of supply should not be ample to meet such demands.

One of our government-paid geologists has stated that is underground supply is provided from the surface water that falls on this territory, and should be correct (which I am almost certain he is not), it will just be too bad if we use all this supply for irrigation and leave none for domestic use and for watering stock.

Mr. Mangum, who helped to install the well on the McGreed farm four and a half miles northwest of Friona about two weeks ago, stated that in his opinion the supply is amply sufficient to meet any irrigation strain that may be placed upon it, and he gives as his reason for thinking so, the fact that in the region around Plainview, where they have been irrigating extensively for the past twenty-five years, there has never been any perceptible lowering of the water supply in THAT locality.

But now comes the Texas Planning Board (whatever that is) and states that in all the places where underground water is being used for irrigation purposes, with a very few exceptions, the supply of water has been decidedly lowered and in some cases, exhausted, thus proving that it is decidedly unsafe for any locality, which depends upon an underground supply of water for domestic purposes, to use this water for irrigation. Hence, we people here on the plains are in a dilemma as to whether we shall use our present supply of underground water for irrigation and thus reap bountiful harvests for a few years and then abandon farms, or shall we conserve our water for domestic uses and content ourselves with only moderate incomes from our land.

But, someone, who is evidently not an optimist along the line of well irrigation says—we need not worry about this thing of exhausting our water supply in that way, for the reason that the cost of raising the water from so great a depth will be prohibitive with all farmers of moderate means, and only those of practically unlimited wealth can afford to practice such a method of irrigation.

Well, maybe so! But I have heard it said that those who are now operating such wells, have stated that

the total cost of each irrigation after the well has been installed, does not exceed 25 cents per acre, and that two complete irrigations per season are sufficient for insuring a bountiful crop, thus making the total cost for pumping not to exceed 50 cents per acre per season.

I do not know the facts regarding these reports, but—it occurs to me that an investment of 50 cents per acre is a mighty small investment for insuring a \$50.00 to \$80.00 crop each year as compared to a \$4.00 to \$10.00 crop per year without the irrigation.

Well, it just occurs to me that we people of Texas are going to have an ample crop of candidates from which to select our governor this year, as almost every mail brings the announcement of some new candidate for that office, among whom are McGraw, Thompson, Hunter, King, Brooks, and that fellow that has given up a good "bureau" job at Washington to come back home and run for governor, I have forgotten his name; but he says he is going to bring a real "New Deal" to Texas, (for my part, he can stay in Washington and keep his New Deal with him) and many, many others—practically too numerous to mention, as the phrase goes, that usually winds up the list of articles mentioned on a "public sale" bill.

Well, these candidates interest me but very little, as, so far as I can tell, they will all go through the same strainer, and for my part, I had just as soon have our dear "Mother Ferguson" as any of them, for I have never been able to distinguish the difference in my personal conditions and that of my neighbors, regardless of who has been governor during the past quarter of a century.

I had, however, rather fastened my choice upon Mr. Thompson, of Amarillo, simply because he was a "Panhandle" man, but here comes the report from what I consider a very reliable source, to the effect, that, while Mr. Thompson has been a member, and part time, chairman, of the Texas Railroad Commission, he has placed, or allowed to be placed upon the people, especially the farmers of Parmer County, a very unfair and discriminating freight rate, and which is costing our farmers of the Friona community, an additional cost of an average of \$24.00 for each car of grain that is shipped out of Friona.

Now! Personally, I am for Friona and her people, especially my fellow farmers, but I MOST DECIDEDLY am NOT for any man that causes or allows any additional financial penalty to be placed upon us, when he is or has been in a position to prevent such being done.

And, while this penalizing freight rate does affect the farmers more than it does the business man, owing to the fact that they receive the greater part of their freight by way of the trucks, the railroad rate is hurting them, so I am told, by a great deal of trade going to neighboring towns, where the rate is cheaper, that should naturally come to Friona.

But where I get my "kick" out of elections is from the candidates of our home county, and they are all mighty good men, and I like every one of them, but there are so many of them, that none of them know just where the ax will fall, come election day, and this keeps them all on the "Anxious Seat," so to speak.

But regardless of the large number of choice candidates already in the field, I still continue to hear rumors of an independent candidate, or that the "durned" republicans may place some candidates in the field, and just recently I have heard at least two men say that they are not going to vote in the primary election, and thus leave themselves free to vote for a republican or an independent candidate should one appear.

This sentiment does not seem to be prompted by any dislike for our present candidates, but rather from a seeming spirit of general political dissatisfaction that seems to be brooding in the minds of some of our good people. And I have heard the names of one or two good men and stalwart citizens mentioned as probable candidates, so there.

"My business is not to remake myself, But to make the absolute best of what God has made." Robert Browning.

COMMITTEE RECEIVING ESTIMATES

The building committee of the Parmer County Fair Association is now receiving estimates of costs of the various proposed buildings for the accommodation of all future sessions of the fair.

The structure now under consideration will be 40 feet square with a 20 foot wing on each side. Nothing definite, however, has yet been done regarding a permanent location for the fair.

WITH THE CHURCHES

BAPTIST CHURCH ANNOUNCEMENTS

Sunday Services: Bible School 10:00 a. m. Preaching Services 11:00 a. m. B. T. U., 6:45, Evening. Preaching Services 7:45, Evening. Prayer Meeting, Wednesday Evening, 7:30. W. M. S., Tuesday, 2:30 p. m. Joe Wilson, Pastor.

Notice of Services Summerfield Baptist Church

Sunday school each Sunday at 10:00 a. m. Preaching each second and fourth Sunday at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. W. T. Legg, Sunday school director. Thurman Atchley, B T. U. director. Rev. H. B. Naylor, Pastor, Evangelist.

Lazbuddy Baptist Church

Sunday school each Sunday at 10:00 a. m. Preaching services each first and third Sunday at 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. G. C. Tiner, Sunday school supervisor.

UNION CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

"In essentials, unity; in non-essentials, liberty; in all things, charity."

Each Sunday: Church School at 10:00 a. m. Otho Whitefield, superintendent. Worship Service and preaching at 11:00 a. m. Carl C. Dollar, minister. Choir practice each Friday night, Milford Alexander, choirister; Mrs. Floyd Reeve, pianist. Business meeting on Monday night after the third Sunday of each month. Young People's meeting each Tuesday night, 8:00.

FARM CLUB MEETING NEXT TUESDAY NIGHT

Leo McLellan, president of the Friona Farm Club, has authorized the Star to announce the regular meeting of the club for Tuesday night, May 16th.

Mr. McLellan is very anxious that a full attendance be present at this meeting, primarily that our farmers may be kept posted as to the workings of the new farm law and what is expected of them in compliance therewith.

FARMERS ALL SIGN

Wednesday was "sign-up" day for the 1938 wheat reservation lands for farmers, and it is stated that there was practically a unanimous response.

Saturday will be the dead line for signing in this county, and all those who did not sign their work sheets here will have to go to Farwell on that day for signing.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUBS

LIVE AT HOME CLUB

"From old furniture to a usable bath room" was demonstrated by our Demonstration Agent, Miss Margaret St. Clair, at the home of Mrs. Rosa Terry on Wednesday afternoon, May 4th.

Old furniture, such as a dresser or wash stand, can easily be converted into a usable bath room; also a home made one was demonstrated by Miss St. Clair, having drawer for cosmetics, etc.; also convenient shelves to make it possible for a quick bath. It was suggested to make or have both mats and a chair cover; also a screen is nice for a one or two-room house.

Eighteen jars of non-acid vegetables and fruit were brought to be entered in Ball Jar Contest.

Refreshments were served to the following visitors: Mmes. J. L. Smith, Louis Smith, Alta Wylie, Parr, Paul Mellenger, Ruby Roberts, J. R. Coleman, and mother; Grandma Mahon, Misses St. Clair, Georgia Nell Coleman and Nova Wylie. Live At Home members present were: Mmes. Barnett, Davis, Miller, Moyer, Schmitz and Wimberly, and Miss Talbot.

The next meeting will be at the home of Mrs. E. E. Taylor, on Wednesday, May 18th.

FRIONA HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Friona Home Demonstration Club met at the School Cafeteria, May 5th, with seven members present. Roll call response was "I have screens on all my windows and doors."

The lesson was given by our Bed Room Demonstrator, on "Ways and Means of Controlling Flies," and interesting discussions followed.

There were fourteen jars of canned fruits and vegetables brought to be checked for the Ball Fruit Jar Contest.

Report of the last Council meeting was given by our Council representative, and votes were taken for the "Short Course" candidate, Mrs. Will Osborn, our president, being elected.

We were glad to welcome as our guest Mrs. Ed White. The following members were present: Mmes. Will Osborn, J. D. Hamlin, Raymond Jones, Opal Jones, Earl Watkins, B. A. Hughes.

Our next meeting will be on May 19th. Demonstrations will be given by Miss St. Clair. The lesson will be "Using Old Furniture to make a Usable Bath Room."

GOOD SHOWS AT THE REGAL

Those who have not been patronizing the Regal Theatre during the past few weeks, have been denying themselves the pleasure of seeing really good pictures, as some of the most popular screen plays have been put on by the proprietors, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Landrum.

These shows have been of such high merit that the Regal might well be termed "The Little House With the Big Shows."

COUNTRY CORRESPONDENCE

LAZBUDDY NEWS

Mrs. Alma Steinbock, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Steinbock and daughter, Jane and Mr. Sartin have returned from Frederick, Oklahoma, and Dalks.

Mrs. D. W. Winn, Jr., returned to her home at Plainview, Wednesday.

Mrs. Cecil Malone and small son of Friona, are visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Jennings.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Burton, of Clovis, visited Mrs. Joe Jarman Thursday and brought her a birthday cake.

LaVerne Pyritz left for El Paso, Friday morning, where he will visit his sister, Mrs. Gertrude Wilson, and his brother, Clarence Pyritz. While there LaVerne will try to obtain employment.

Mrs. Jesse Rogers, of Midland, a guest here of her sister, Mrs. Glenn Dunn.

Miss Betty Bledsoe spent "Mother's Day" with her parents.

Mrs. Opal Jennings is confined to her bed with an attack of rheumatism.

Mrs. Shorty Steinbock's father, Mason Propps, of Portales, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Steinbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Treide; and family took Tuesday night supper with the Willie Steinbocks.

Mrs. Ralph Dyck and children will visit her mother, Mrs. Joe Jarman over the weekend and spent Mother's Day, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Vaughn and family, of Berger, visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Vaughn, over the weekend. Mrs. Vaughn's sister, Mrs. Mary Nixon, also accompanied them on their visit to Portales, where they visited their father, Mr. Willie Hodge.

A number of early gardeners here report onions large enough to eat and English peas up, as well as mustard greens, spinach, carrots, beets, etc. Everyone is hoping for a successful garden this year. Farmers have begun general planting, although they report the soil as somewhat dry.

HUB NEWS

The entire community was saddened last Thursday when we heard of little Ethel Horton passing away after a brief illness. Heartfelt sympathy is extended to the mother and father, one sister and two little brothers.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Boatman went to Portales last Sunday, to visit her father, who is ill.

Mrs. Sam Jones entertained a group of children Sunday in honor of her little daughter, Betty Delores, that being her sixth birthday. Among those present were Bob and A. L. Jones; Patsy and Norma Lee Loflin; Elwin, Mildred, Nelda Joe and Buddy Collins, and Peggy June Fayfield.

A group gathered at Hub last Friday night and drove over to Mr. Collier's to charivari LeRoy and his new bride. He advises all young people to get married in warm weather, as the water is just a little chilly yet. They were brought to Hub and outdoor games were played and then

treats of candy and pop were passed around, and they were returned to their home at a late hour, with best wishes for a long and happy life.

Among those attending singing at Progress last Sunday were: Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Day and son, Hubert; Mr. and Mrs. Cayson Jones; Marleen Keatin and son, Lowell, from McLain; Mr. and Mrs. Bud Reed and Mrs. Juanita Johnson, of Friona.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Loflin and daughter, Miss Thelma, returned from Oklahoma, Sunday.

Mrs. G. A. Collier is visiting her daughter at Wellington, this week.

Mrs. R. F. Jones honored Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gibson with a shower, last Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Green carried their baby to Clovis, last Tuesday, to see a doctor. Mrs. Joe Johnson, accompanied them.

HUB NEWS Too Late For Last Week

Mr. C. F. Loflin is the proud owner of a new car.

Mr. John Benger and daughter, Lucille, are visiting in Oklahoma this week.

Several from here attending Singing at Bovina, last Friday night.

On account of the weather, not so many were there, but we had a good lively singing. The Class will meet here on Friday night, May 6. A cordial invitation is extended to all.

Mrs. J. W. Shults, Mrs. Clarence Day, Mrs. A. S. Curry, Mrs. Juanita Johnson and Miss Edna Earle Curry were shopping in Amarillo, last Saturday.

Mr. Leroy Collier and Miss Arletta Boren were married in Clovis, N. M., last Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Haney Tate and small daughter spent last Sunday with her mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Loflin.

The Hub home demonstration club will meet with Mrs. R. F. Jones, Friday, May 6. All members are requested to be present, and visitors are welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Loflin and Miss Thelma Loflin left for Oklahoma last Tuesday to attend the funeral of Mr. Loflin's brother-in-law.

Mrs. Truett Collier had her tonsils removed last Wednesday.

M. and Mrs. R. F. Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Othel Jones were shopping in Clovis last Saturday.

Pug Collier happened to a very painful accident, Wednesday, when his foot was caught in a chain on a planter.

Mr. Marlin Keaton and son, Lowell, from McLain, Texas, is visiting in this community this week.

WHEAT PROSPECTS HERE

The prospects for even an average crop of wheat in this territory at this time are anything but flattering, and unless rain comes in the very near future, there will be according to reports, many fields that will make a complete failure.

Some farmers report, however, that their wheat is looking quite promising and that they will have some wheat whether they receive rain or not, while others say they must have rain soon if they are to make any wheat.



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The Baccalaureate services were well attended on Sunday night, and many who heard the sermon expressed themselves as well pleased with it.

Glenn Reeve, who was ill the greater part of last week, is still unable to be about his work at the dairy farm.

Many Texas meat dealers are equipping their show cases with ultra violet ray lamps which kill in a few seconds time all the disease bacteria which spoils meat.

More than 5,000,000 head of livestock was shipped from Texas last year, including cattle, sheep, lambs and hogs, according to Texas Planning Board statisticians.

FOR SALE—80 acres, \$3,000.00 in improvements. Orchard, Well, Grass Leave. Price, \$2,500.00. W. M. White.

UNITED STATES SAVING BOND SALES

Local Post Master, H. S. Osborn has given the Star quite a lot of information relative to the sale of United States Saving Bonds, through the local post office, as well as that throughout the nation as a whole.

Secretary Morgenthau has announced that the total maturity value of United States Saving Bonds sold through the close of business March 7, 1938, amounted to \$1,584,462.875. This total was purchased by more than 1,360,000 investors, and represents an average sale for each business day since March 1, 1935, when these bonds were first sold, of \$1,720,000. A record for one day's sales of these Saving Bonds was set on Monday, January 10, of this year, when \$10,029,775, maturity value, of these bonds were reported sold in a single day.

Detailed analysis of the daily sale of each of the post offices throughout the country authorized to sell Savings Bonds was begun on September 1, 1936, and for the year ending August 1, 1937, showed that there was a maturity value sale of 1,336,748,000, or an average sale of \$2,101,500, for each business year for the first year these records were kept. The majority of these registered owners of Savings Bonds are small investors who are buying the bonds out of income. Purchases by individuals represent approximately 85% of the amount of bonds sold.

Recently a questionnaire was forwarded to the owners of Savings Bonds and to date several hundred thousands of replies have been received by the Treasury Department. Preliminary examination of the replies indicate that most purchases are made to provide funds for education of children, for retirement funds, or to set up a reserve for emergencies.

The \$100 bond unit is the most popular denomination. The \$25 unit ranks next, the \$50 unit is third, the \$1,000 unit is fourth, while the \$500 unit accounts for all the remainder of the sales.

From September 1, 1936, through August 31, 1937, there were \$7,893,750 worth of these bonds sold through the Friona Post office.

FRIONA WEATHER

We have had a great variety of weather here during the past seven days, ranging from the delightful to otherwise.

We have had clear weather, cloudy weather, still weather, windy weather, clean weather and dirty weather, and mostly cool throughout.

We had a very "leetle" bit of wet weather, as it rained slowly (very slowly) Tuesday afternoon for about an hour, giving us about a "steenth of an inch" of moisture, but it was mighty gratefully received, withal.

Wednesday afternoon there was considerable promise of rain, for a while, but the "cockeyed" wind got into the clouds and soon blew them all "hither and yon." It became quite cold Saturday p. m., and ice was formed during the night.

Citizens should be getting ready to join in the effort to heal our city of all its "eye-sores," "fire men-ages," and "disease spreaders," during the "clean-up" next week.

SCHOOL CLOSED WEDNESDAY

So far as the actual work of the present term of school is concerned the school closed on Wednesday, and the busses did not run on Thursday.

The busses, however, did run on Friday in order that the students might come in to receive their report and promotion cards, which were prepared by their teachers during Thursday.

A group of our young ladies drove over to Hereford, Wednesday, to enjoy the close of "Pioneer Day" there.

JOHNNIE DECKARD IMPROVING

According to reports reaching the Star office, Johnnie Deckard, who had one of his legs broken when a truck tire exploded while he was replacing it on the truck, is gradually improving.

It was found necessary to reset the broken limb, and this has been done and he is now well on the way to recovery, although he will be confined to the hospital at Hereford, where he has been since the accident, for quite a while yet.

Reports did reach Friona to the effect that it had been found necessary to remove the broken limb, but this was altogether an erroneous report.

The 1,000,000th case of Lower Rio Grande Valley grapefruit juice was packed during the first week of April by the Rio Grande Valley Citrus exchange, according to word received by the Texas Planning Board. The Board estimates that Texas now controls about 60 percent of the grapefruit juice industry of the United States. Considerable grapefruit juice is being shipped from the Valley to California.

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

The Commencement Exercises of the Friona High School for the Senior class will be held in the school auditorium Friday night (tonight), with Prof. S. H. Condon, of the State College at Canyon, to deliver the commencement address.

Prof. Condon is an eloquent speaker, and will bring a message to the class, worthy of the occasion.

The commencement exercises for the Seventh Year students was held on Thursday night, with Prof. Jack Davis as speaker.

CARD OF THANKS

The many friends who were so thoughtful and kind to us during the illness, death and burial of our dear little boy, and for their many floral offerings, will never be forgotten. Your ministrations to our every need is appreciated beyond expression.

Mr. and Mrs. Golden W. Horton and Family.

VISITED FORMER SCHOOL MATE HERE

Mrs. Rosa Terry, whose farm home is northwest of town, has been made happy by a visit from her friend and former school mate, Mrs. Paul Mel-lenger, of Rogers, Arkansas.

Mrs. Rogers arrived at Mrs. Terry's home on Saturday, April 30th, and remained until Friday of last week.

VISITED SON AT MARLAND

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Pope returned Monday from a few days' visit with their son and brother, Lloyd Pope, at Marland, Texas, who is in a sanitarium there, receiving treatment for a heart ailment.

Mr. Pope reports that Lloyd is gradually improving in health, and hopes soon to be able to return to his home here. Oscar also stated that the corn in that locality is now in tassel.

INSTALLING NEW GRAIN SCALES

The Santa Fe Grain Company has had a force of men busy this week removing the grain scales that have been in service at their newer elevator.

These scales have been removed and installed at the little office building near the original elevator building, and will be used for weighing grain while a new 20-ton scale, with a total floor length is being installed at the large elevator.

This new scale will afford ample room for weighing trailer trucks or cars with trailers, and will be a valuable addition to the equipment of the Company.

Mrs. S. Michell, who has been quite ill during the past week, is reported as slowly improving.

A report by the Texas Planning Board shows there are 310 chemical and allied product industries plants in Texas, with annual production valued at \$74,456,000.

Tons of sawdust from Texas lumber mills will be used this year to control grasshopper plagues in the State, according to the Texas Planning Board. The sawdust is mixed with mill-run bran and sodium arsenite. The grasshoppers like the mixture, gobble it up, then die instantly.

UTHEL HORTON

The sympathy of the entire community goes out to Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Horton, living several miles southeast of town, in their sorrow caused by the death of their small son, Uthel, which occurred at their home on Wednesday night of last week, May 4th.

Uthel was but eight years old and was a member of the Friona school and was ill but a short time, with an ailment of the intestines, and his death followed an intestinal surgical operation at Clovis, New Mexico.

The remains were buried at Bovina, Friday afternoon at four o'clock.

PIE SUPPER AND POLITICAL RALLY, OKLA. LANE

The Star is authorized to announce that there will be a pie supper and political rally held at Oklahoma Lane on Tuesday night, May 24th, sponsored by the Primary Departments of the Union and Baptist Sunday schools.

All candidates of Parmer County are invited to attend and speak, and a good time generally may be expected.

GONE TO PAMPA

Miss Lola Goodwine, who has been at home with her mother for the past few weeks, returned again to Pampa, Sunday, to resume her work there.

She does not know how long she will remain at Pampa, but will probably return home again about June 1.

ECONOMY AND WES-TEX

Poultry Feeds, are the Kinds that MAKE YOUR CHICKS GROW AND YOUR HENS LAY We Have Them. Also Bran, Shorts, Dairy Rations and Salt. WE WANT

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Each,		pound,	
Fresh Tomatoes, 7 1-2c		Hominy, No., 2 Cans,	19c
Nice Ones, lb.		3 for	
Bread,	8c	Peas, No. 2 Cans,	15c
16 oz. Loaf,		2 for	
Prunes	28c	Post Toasties,	25c
No. 10 Can,		3 boxes for	

UNUSUAL SERVICES AT METHODIST CHURCH NEXT WEEK

There will be services at the Methodist church each night next week featuring Methodism and its cardinal doctrines. The services will start at 8:30 p. m. There will be a different preacher for each service.

Some of the best preachers of this section are being scheduled for these services, such as Dr. George W. Shearer, presiding elder of the Clovis district, who will preach on "Salvation by Faith"; Dr. J. O. Haynes, presiding elder of this district, who will preach on "The Witness of the Spirit of Assurance"; Rev. M. M. Beavers of Hereford, who will preach on "The One Baptism"; and we have asked Rev. Joe Strother of Miami, to give a program on "Methodism and Hymn Singing" which will include music by that noted musician.

The pastor will preach for both of the regular services, Sunday. The public is cordially invited to attend all of these services. They will be especially attractive to Methodists who desire to learn more of their church and its doctrines—the largest Protestant denomination in the world.

Flexible Farm Lease To Be Introduced

Seeking to establish a greater mutual trust and confidence between landowners and tenants to their mutual advantage, the Farm Security Administration will soon introduce a new written flexible farm lease, according to Thomas G. Moore, county rural rehabilitation supervisor in Parmer county.

The tenure improvement leases will be made available to all landlords and tenants in this county, Mr. Moore said, and will supplement the FSA's tenant purchase program.

Mr. Moore said the new lease forms are designed to improve relationships between tenants and landowners generally; to advance tenants more rapidly up the ladder toward farm ownership; to strengthen the regular rehabilitation loans and supervision to low-income tenants; to increase the security and the length of tenure and reduce the economic loss involved in the annual transfer of approximately a million tenant families from farm to farm.

One of the major possibilities offered in the new lease form, he said, is that of providing an incentive for the greater interest on the part of the tenant and his family in the care and preservation and improvement of that half of the nation's agricultural land which is operated by ren-

WHAT TO EAT and WHY ★ ★ ★

C. Houston Goudiss Noted Food Authority

Describes the **ACID- and ALKALINE-ASH FOODS** and Explains Their Role in Maintaining the **ACID-BASE BALANCE** of the Body ★ ★ ★

By C. HOUSTON GOUDISS
6 East 39th Street, New York City.

ACIDITY is the topic of the hour. On every side we hear people complaining that they have too much acid in their systems, that they suffer from acid stomach, acid headaches, acid mouth, acidosis. In fact, most adults fancy themselves victims of a great battle between acid and alkaline forces, with the acid having the better of it.

They confuse gastric acidity—which is entirely normal, for the healthy stomach is always strongly acid—with the potential acidity of foods which leave an acid residue following digestion. And many of them are convinced that they should take drastic steps to overcome the danger of acidosis.

The Vogue of Acidosis

There are fashions in disease, just as in dress, home furnishings and automobiles. Ten years ago, we heard much about the evils of auto-intoxication, and it was some time before people realized that they had been misled by the extreme claims of those who had some sort of remedy to sell. And now it is acidosis that is the most talked of complaint. Friends caution one another against this or that food, with the mistaken idea that it causes or aggravates an acid condition. Food faddists have frightened thousands by suggesting that acidosis is brought about by mixing various kinds of foods.

Health Endangered

Indeed, we have come to a point where the fear of a so-called acid condition is assuming proportions which indicate the possibility of real trouble unless the American people get the true facts and put aside these foolish delusions.

Physiologists believe that fear and worry have a detrimental effect on digestion, and, in turn, on the general health. Thus eating meals in constant fear of acidity may upset the digestion and bring about the very symptoms that you are trying to avoid. One well-known authority contends that perhaps 90 per cent of digestive distress, attributed to the kind or combinations of food eaten, is actually due to unfavorable mental or emotional states, and other causes such as over-eating, even when fatigued, or consuming at one meal too many foods that are difficult to digest. It, therefore, becomes apparent that thousands of people are contributing to their own discomfort as a result of fear, ignorance, or a blind belief in misleading claims which are opposed to scientific facts.

Acidosis Uncommon

The danger is not from acidosis, but from the fear of this bugbear, and from self medication in the belief that certain remedies are required to overcome a fancied condition.

Send for This FREE CHART

Showing Which Foods Are Acid and Which Alkaline

ONE of the principles in planning a balanced diet is to include at least enough alkaline, or base-forming foods, to balance the acid-forming foods.

To help you distinguish the foods that belong in each group, C. Houston Goudiss offers to send a free chart listing the principal acid-ash and alkaline-ash foods. Address C. Houston Goudiss, 6 East 39th St., New York City.

Have You a Question? Ask C. Houston Goudiss

C. Houston Goudiss has put at the disposal of readers of this newspaper all the facilities of his famous Experimental Kitchen Laboratory in New York City. He will gladly answer questions concerning foods, diet, nutrition, and their relation to health. You are also invited to consult him in matters of personal hygiene. It's not necessary to write a letter unless you desire, for post-card inquiries will receive the same careful attention. Address him at 6 East 39th Street, New York City.

tatoes, though somewhat similar to bread in flavor and food value, are one of our most valuable alkaline foods, and dried lima beans are the most highly alkaline of any food known.

If it seems curious that such bland foods should have an acid ash, you may find it even harder to believe that oranges, lemons, grapefruit, peaches and tomatoes, which taste acid in the mouth, leave an alkaline ash following digestion. But the fact is that the body performs a clever bit of chemical engineering and the final effect on the blood is alkaline.

Homemaker's Responsibility

A balanced diet must include sufficient base-forming foods to neutralize and counter-balance the effects of the acids formed in metabolism.

That is one reason why it is so important for the homemaker to provide her family with plenty of milk, fruits and vegetables, in addition to the necessary meat, fish, eggs and cereals.

In general, one is likely to feel better when base-forming foods predominate, at least slightly, in the diet over acid-forming foods. Some authorities believe that this may be due not so much to their effect on the acid-base balance as to the fact that they provide such splendid amounts of vitamins, minerals and fiber.

However, one must not make the mistake of becoming so enthusiastic over building a highly alkaline diet that one overlooks good foods necessary to round out a balanced diet.

To those homemakers who take seriously the important job of feeding a family, and wish to be correctly informed, I shall gladly send a chart showing which foods are alkaline and which acid. It can be used as a helpful guide in planning a balanced diet.

Send for this chart and increase your food knowledge. In the meantime, don't under any circumstances allow misguided individuals to frighten you into joining the vast army of acid-minded people who are so concerned over the possibilities of acidosis that they haven't time to enjoy life.

Questions Answered

Mrs. S. T. R.—No, egg whites most certainly are not toxic, except to people who have an allergy toward this food. For all normal individuals, they offer an excellent source of protein.

Miss M. V.—Indeed I am not against the eating of fried foods, except in abnormal conditions where, for some reason, the fat intake must be restricted. The moderate use of fried foods, which have been properly cooked, makes the diet palatable and interesting.

Mrs. R. McK.—Generally speaking, the ideal weight for men and women over thirty is their normal weight at the age of thirty. From that time on, the scales should be watched, and the food intake reduced as soon as a gain is noticed. When maturity is reached, food is no longer required to support growth, and unless muscular activity is maintained at a high level, the total energy requirement will gradually decline.

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The Acid-Base Balance

To understand this phrase, you must know that every food leaves an ash when burned in the body, just as ashes remain when coal or wood is burned in a furnace. In the body, the ash consists of valuable minerals which are required in large amounts to maintain optimal health.

Some foods, such as meat, fish, eggs and cereals, leave an acid ash because the predominating minerals are phosphorus, chlorine and sulphur. Other foods, chiefly milk and most fruits and vegetables, leave an alkaline ash because the remaining minerals are principally calcium, magnesium, potassium and sodium. These are the base-forming foods.

Besides the alkaline ash and acid ash foods, there is a group of foods, including sugar, cornstarch and purified fats, which are so highly refined that no minerals remain after they are burned; and some other foods, such as butter and cream, leave a balance of the two types of ash. These are known as neutral foods.

Cannot Trust Your Tongue

The sense of taste cannot be relied upon as a guide in determining which foods are acid and which alkaline. For example, cereals, which are bland to the taste, have an acid reaction following digestion. Bread, likewise, is acid forming, although you would not suspect that fact from its taste. On the other hand, po-

AROUND THE HOUSE

To Peel Oranges Quickly.—Put them in boiling water for five minutes or so. This will also make them juicier.

Proper Heat for Cake.—Angel food cake is apt to be tough if the oven is too hot; 250 degrees Fahrenheit is the proper temperature.

Salt for Lard Shortening.—Many cooks add a small amount of salt when using lard for shortening in pastry and pies. This insures better results and flavor.

Improving Corn Beef.—A spoonful of vinegar added to water when cooking corned beef makes it more tender.

One Creamed Dish.—In selecting a soup for a meal remember that creamed soups should not be served when there are creamed vegetables or creamed fish to follow.

Cleaning the Tub.—A badly-stained enamel bath can be cleaned by being rubbed all over with a cut lemon. Leave for a short while and then clean in the ordinary way.

When Baking Apples, Etc.—Use muffin tins for baking apples, onions, stuffed peppers, etc. They will keep their shape much better.

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The Patterns.
1505 is designed for sizes 4, 6, 8, 10 and 12 years. Size 6 requires 3/4 yard of 35-inch material for the bolero; 2 1/4 yards for the dress. Contrasting collar (if desired) requires 1/4 yard. 2 1/2 yards of braid for trimming.
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There's the Rub

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Bach did not compose until he was past forty.

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Pattern 1709

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OUR COMIC SECTION

SnooPie



My Friend Joseph

By Lillian Oakley

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THOUGH a strong wind was blowing, driving sheets of rain across my front yard, I wasn't surprised to see Joseph, my little seven-year-old neighbor, making his way up the front walk. Yesterday was my birthday and he was here when the postman brought me a five-pound box of candy, and Joseph has a weakness for good chocolates.

He comes puffing in and while he sheds his waterproof coat he looks around for the candy. But all the candy spots are vacant. My bonbon resistance is below normal on bad days and I have put all the sweets away and resolved not to bring them out for a week. But now from past experience I know that without once asking me for any candy Joseph will soon have me bringing out my five-pound box and urging him to take all he wants. He has an indirect method all his own that never conflicts with any of the rules of etiquette and always gets him what he wants.

He pulls a low stool in front of mine, looks up at me and says, "Guess who I'd be if I could be anybody I wanted to be?"

"This is easy for he always wants to be Tarzan or Dizzy Dean. But I'm all wrong."

"Not today," he says with emphasis, "today I'd be 'Laddin An' His Lamp."

"And guess what's the first thing I'd tell that old genie to do after I rubbed my lamp?"

"This isn't really meant to be a question so I simply sit still and look interested."

"I'd tell him to build my mother the finest house in town an' furnish it full of the finest furniture in town an' have a hot supper on the table ready for her when she got home from work. And I'd make him give me some money an' I'd go down town an' pay all of her bills an' put 'em on the table by her plate." He finishes exultantly.

Joseph has no father and the bills that have to be paid at the end of every month hang heavy over his head.

He clasps both little hands around one knee and rocks himself backwards and forwards on the stool and smiles over this happy surprise for his mother. Then he looks around at me as if afraid I am feeling neglected.

"Then," he says with enthusiasm, "I'd rub my lamp an' when that old genie came I'd tell him to bring me a motorcycle just like the road cops ride only littler, an' a police uniform an' a machine gun that could shoot forever an' a five-pound box of candy just like the one you got for your birthday yesterday. And," he adds with a smile that shows all of his dimples, "I'd bring you down about half of the candy."

The object of his visit has been attained. And he leaves with his pockets full of my birthday chocolates, the rain having let up somewhat.

Wise and Otherwise

Some people look on the bright side of things so persistently that they wind up the proud possessors of a gold brick.

Big men get the best jobs, I'm told. Because the small men are so often overlooked?

Then there was the man who was so lazy he bought a Great Dane so he wouldn't have to stoop over to pet it.

Money doesn't grow on trees. Just the same, it's the smart birds that get it.

Name Is Poetry

It seemed curious that any place should be named "Llanfairpwllgwyngyllgogerychwyrndrobwllllyandsiiliogogoch." Yet a little Welsh village bears this 58-lettered name. It is a locality of charm and beauty. Llan is "church," Fair is "of Mary," Pwll Gwyngyll is "the pool of White hazels," Gogery is "rather near," while Chwyrndrobwll is "the swift whirlpool," and Tysilio gogoch is "of Tysilio of the red cave." Is it not therefore suggestive of romance and beauty enough to visit the village of the Church of St. Mary by the Pool of White hazels near the swift whirlpool of St. Tysilio's Church of the Red Cave?—Detroit News.

"What Knows He of England Who Only England Knows?"

"Even after months in England my wife sometimes had to call upon the housemaid to translate some item in the laundry list, or to interpret between her and the grocery boy," declares Mr. Harry A. Franck, the irrepressible globe-trotter, in "Footloose in the British Isles." "In England a 'vest' is an undershirt, not a waistcoat. 'Suspenders' are garters, and 'braces' are suspenders. A child's underwaist is a 'bodice,' while rubber boots are 'Wellingtons.' The word 'sweater' still strikes many of the English as a trifle low-class and odoriferous; they call it a 'jersey,' 'jumper,' 'pullover,' or 'cardigan.'"

"In the draper's shop (which means drygoods store) unbleached muslin is 'calico' and calico is 'cottonprint.' Cheese-cloth is 'butter muslin,' and instead of using cutting flannel for a

child's pajamas one buys 'winceyette' and asks for a 'sleeping suit.' A spool of thread is a 'reel of cotton.' An American who asks for crackers will get firecrackers or a package of those Christmas paper bonbons that explode when pulled. In England a cracker is a 'biscuit,' and biscuit is a roll. A muffin is something else again, and cookies are as unknown as if the word were Persian.

"Our kind of bacon is 'streaky rashers'; a slice of ham is a 'gammon rasher,' and the best cut of beef is a 'piece of topside.' Gasoline is 'petrol,' kerosene is 'paraffin,' and paraffin is 'paraffin wax.' An English cook does not rinse the dishes, she 'swills' them. When my wife told the nursemaid to bathe the children, or to give them a bath, the maid proceeded to 'bathe' them or give them a 'bathe.'"

Once Upon a Time

There Was a—

Baseball announcer who announced an entire game without utilizing the adjective "beautiful" in describing the weather, the crowd, or the plays.

Book reviewer who never wrote that it was "a book you simply can't put down."

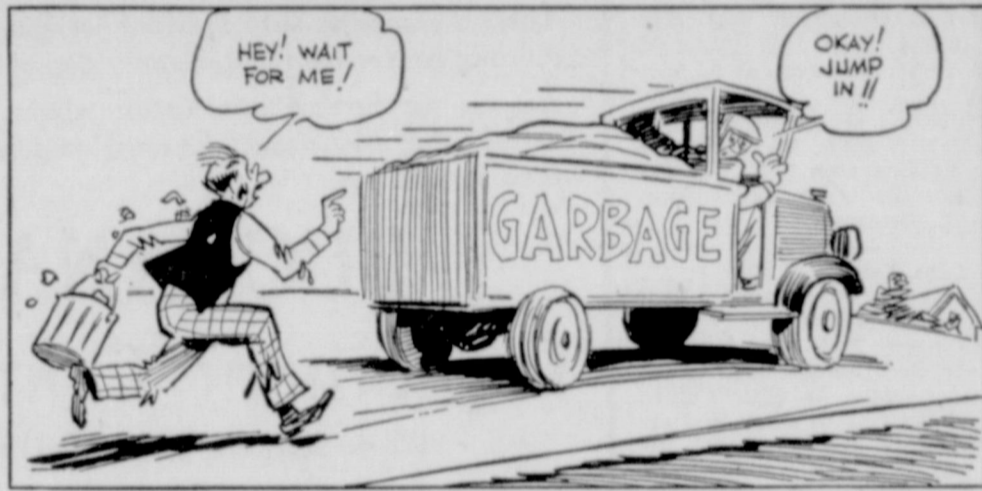
Neighbor, who, when scooping snow or mowing the yard, went several feet past his boundary line into his neighbors' territory.

Group of relatives who didn't heckle the young male member of the household by inquiring as to his status with girls, and add, whether it was true or not, "Look at him blush!"—Kansas City Star.

The FEATHERHEADS

By Osborne

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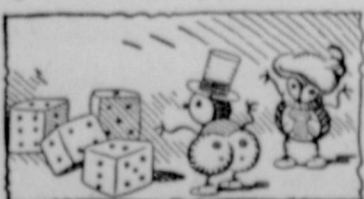
FINNEY OF THE FORCE

By Ted O'Loughlin

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FINE FOR THE KIDS



Papa Bug—Hey, Mom, look what fine building blocks for the children.

Home Treatment

Mrs. Jiggins, who was reading a newspaper, observed to her husband that the journal contained an article entitled "Women's Work for the Feeble-Minded."

Now Mr. Jiggins was in a reactionary mood. So he grunted and said "I should like to know what women have ever done for the feeble minded."

"They usually marry them, my dear," replied Mrs. Jiggins sweetly.—Philadelphia Ledger.

ALONG THE RAILS



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"Yes?"

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HEALTH NOTES

AUSTIN, Texas—Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, urges everyone to be careful to prevent snake bites when in the country in Texas the chief offender is the rattlesnake, and, contrary to common belief, it does not always rattle before it strikes.
 About seventy-five percent of all bites occur on the lower extremities and could be prevented, to a large extent, by wearing high top boots or leggings. About twenty percent occur on the hands and arms. Care should be exercised in not putting the hands in invisible places when climbing rocks, and to look before picking up anything that may be obscured by vegetation, brush or rocks.

If one is bitten, prompt action is necessary and a physician should be obtained as soon as possible. No time should be lost in removing the poison by suction; this can be done by a suction cup. First, a tourniquet should be applied above the wound, so as to increase congestion and assist in washing out the poison. A cross cut incision with a sharp, clean knife or razor blade should be made over each fang mark, or preferably to connect the two fang punctures. These cuts should be at least a quarter of an inch deep and at least that long. Suction should be applied for at least a half hour. The tourniquet should be released every ten or fifteen minutes for a minute at a time.
 If bitten by a snake, do not run or get over-heated; do not take alcoholic stimulants; do not use potassium permanganate (which is now known to be of no value as an antidote) to cauterize the wound; and do not depend on home remedies.

REPORTERS HAVE ASSOCIATION

(From State Line Tribune)
 An organization of reporters from the Parmer county home demonstration and 4-H clubs was organized the past Saturday, when a group of representative members met at the Methodist church in Bovina.
 Miss Margaret St. Clair, demonstration agent, stated that Mrs. M. B. Puchanan, of the Lakeview community, was selected to head the organization, with Miss Lois McGuire of Oklahoma Lane, being named as secretary.

Monthly meetings will be held for the association, meeting regularly on the first Saturday of each month in the Bovina Methodist church with the hours being set from 1:30 to 2:30.

Mrs. R. L. Henson, of Oklahoma Lane, has been named as the program chairman. Miss St. Clair further stated that this work would be directed under the supervision of Mrs. Minnie Fisher Cunningham, head of the extension service publicity department.

Ten reporters were present for the initial meeting.

DELEGATES ARE CHOSEN

(From State Line Tribune)
 Delegates representing the county as a whole were chosen by demonstration club women the past Saturday to attend the annual Short Course, which will be held at A. & M. college in July.

Mrs. Frank Hastings, of Bovina, will be chairman of the Parmer county representatives, accompanied by Mrs. John Crim, of the Midway club and Mrs. R. L. Jones, of the Hub club.

Five others, chosen from the individual clubs will also make the trip to College Station to see the Short Course this week from Miss Margaret St. Clair, home demonstrator.

VISITING SAN ANTONIO AND HOUSTON

Rev. C. B. Hardy and family left Thursday morning for San Antonio and Houston where they will attend to business and visit relatives. They were accompanied by W. H. Elton of Friona, and Mr. Frank of Farwell. Rev. Hardy will return before Sunday in order to fill his pulpit at the Methodist church that day.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this method of expressing our sincere thanks and deepest gratitude to all our good neighbors for the many comforting words and kind deeds shown us during the illness, death and burial of our beloved wife and mother, Beulah Williamson Fallwell.
 W. C. Fallwell,
 Mr. and Mrs. Ebert Fallwell,
 Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Lunsford.

Miss Reba Hill, who is teaching at Hale Center, came over to spend the weekend with her mother, Mrs. S. Michell, who has been quite ill. Miss Reba returned to her school work Sunday afternoon.

CANYON SHORT COURSE TO BE HELD THURSDAY

Thursday, May 12, will see the annual meeting of the Canyon Short Course, sponsored for cooperative farmers, woman's clubs, and boys and girls 4-H clubs. It was learned this week from Miss Margaret St. Clair, demonstration agent.

Arrangements are being made to have Parmer county well represented by a group of demonstration women she stated, and added that a bus has been secured, by means of which the ladies will go together and make a creditable showing for this county.

The program will begin at 10:00 in the morning, with the high light of the day expected in the speech "Rural Life in Denmark," by H. H. Williamson, of the extension service.

Schedules for the women's club bus is as follows: leave Oklahoma Lane school 8:00; Bovina drug store, 8:30; Phillips 66 station on new highway Friona, 8:45. The group plans to spread lunch together, and all ladies of the county interested are urged to be on hand when the bus leaves.

Weekly Schedule:

- Wednesday 11: a. m., office; p. m., Homelang club, grooming center.
- Thursday 12: Canyon, short course.
- Friday 13: a. m., judging master farmer, accompanied by Miss Lida Cooper and K. J. Edwards, district agents, and Jason O. Gordon, county agent; p. m., Bovina club, grooming center.
- Saturday 14: a. m., office; p. m., meeting of sponsor's committee, Bovina Methodist church, 2:30.
- Monday 16: Farwell office.
- Tuesday 17: a. m., Farwell office; p. m., Farwell office, county.
- Wednesday 18: home visits over county.

Midway 4-H Club Report

The 4-H club met at the Midway school building Thursday with president in chair. Roll call was held, the minutes approved, and business transacted. We plan to go on a picnic sometime in June.

The meeting was then turned over to Miss St. Clair, who gave a demonstration on hanging pictures.

We have \$5.50 in our club treasury.

Oklahoma Lane Club

Pathing center, for saving time and steps in the farm home was demonstrated by Miss St. Clair, agent, to the Oklahoma Lane club on May 6, at the club room.

Plans for home-made bathing centers of Panhandle farm homes were made, some in the form of showers of refrigerator crates, etc.

Ten minutes recreation was held, and arrangements made for attending the Canyon short course.

Visitors in attendance were Mesdames Bill Parr, G. W. Magness, Ellis R. Berry. Members were: Mesdames P. E. Kopley, George Lindop, Lee Johnson, A. B. Wilkinson, W. J. W. E. Verner, Lee Thompson, Claude Watkins, Sam Sides, Ed McGuire, Alta Roberson, Clyde Magness, R. L. Henson.

Okl. Lane 4-H Club

The Jr. 4-H club of Oklahoma Lane had a regular meeting, May 6, in the club room. Four new members joined the club. We attended to our business, and Miss St. Clair showed and explained how to select and arrange our pictures in our home. We played some games at our recreation period and the club was adjourned.

To Display Vegetables

Saturday, May 14, has been set as the show date for frame garden vegetables, which have been grown by home demonstration club members, according to the demonstration agent, and displays will be arranged in store windows in Bovina, Friona and Farwell. Mrs. Will Jones, of Hub and Bovina clubs, Mrs. Garvin, Thorn of Midway and Lazbuddy and Mrs. Clyde Magness, of Oklahoma Lane and Farwell, as the members of the exhibit committee, will arrange the showings.

(From the Happy Herald)

"Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Giles, of Friona, have purchased the Burgess Hardware Store in Happy, according to an announcement made Tuesday by H. A. Burgess, Manager. In making the announcement Mr. Burgess stated that he was retaining the implement business, however, and that he will give his entire time to the J. I. Case line of implements in the future.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Burgess and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Burgess have owned and operated the Burgess Hardware Co. here since 1931 and have enjoyed a nice volume of business. The sale of the store was made in order that Mr. and Mrs. A. Burgess might retire from active work."

COUNTY AGENTS

- Weekly Schedule:
- Wednesday 11: Friona, ACP.
- Thursday 12: Lazbuddy, ACP.
- Friday 13: Farwell, ACP.
- Saturday 14: Farwell, ACP.
- Monday 16: Farwell office.
- Tuesday 17: Farwell office.

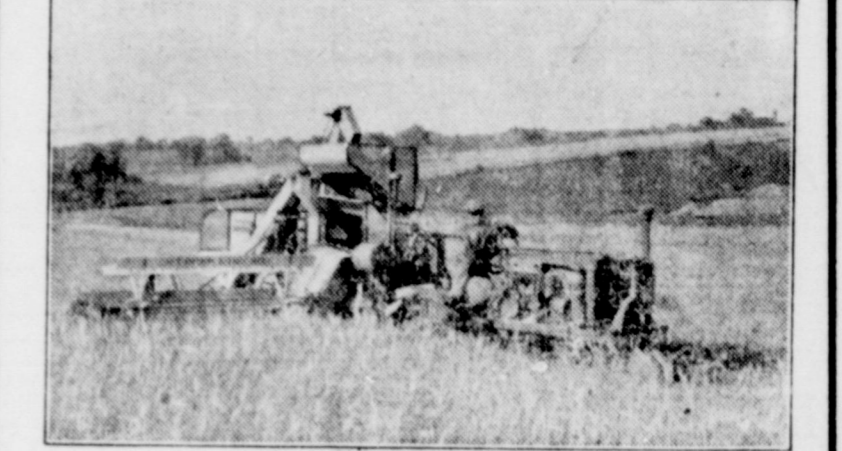
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PLAN FOR STORAGE OF WINTER BEDDING NOW

At this time—the season between garden planting and early spring canning—farm women have an opportunity to finish their spring house cleaning work and prepare their homes for a more healthful and comfortable life during the summer months, according to Miss Eunice Florence, home management supervisor for the Farm Security Administration, with offices in the courthouse in Farwell.

Miss Florence is encouraging the farm women with whom she is working in Parmer county to begin making definite plans for taking care of winter clothing and bedding during the warm weather months. She notes the savings to be effected if winter bedding and clothing is cleaned and wrapped up and put away until needed next fall.

With the season of flies and mosquitoes near at hand, Miss Florence is also encouraging her farm women friends to make sure the homes are well screened, and damaged screens repaired. She is asking each farm wife to check drainage and garbage disposal facilities, noting that dampness near the back doors is a great drawing card for filth-bearing flies. Elimination of places near the farm home where flies and mosquitoes are most likely to breed is another concern of Miss Florence's. She is especially anxious that farm women see that weeds are kept at a minimum and that outdoor toilets be kept as sanitary as possible.

"Although screens are an important factor in health and sanitation," Miss Florence said, "we should not stop there. Every farm home can have one or more inexpensive, heat-made fly traps as an added precaution against serious disease outbreaks during the hot summer months."

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 Peter Lorre, Jane Regan,
 "Radio Patrol" Chapter 2
 Comedy

Sunday, Monday and Tuesday
"45 Fathers"
 with
 Jane Withers, Thomas Beck
 News and Shorts

'True Confessions'
 Starring
 Carol Lombard and
 Fred McMurtry

The city officials have had piles of caliche dumped at various points in the city, with a view to permanently improving some of our more objectionable street crossings.
 Some of our crossings, when it rains, become veritable mud holes, and some times almost impassable. This contemplated improvement will be greeted with approval by our people.