

FROM THE HOPPER

By LITTLE HOP

Sometimes a man has to take things into his own hands. Like the case of Jack White, who had been running a small ad in the classified section of The Tribune. Jack was trying to sell a Hereford bull at a reasonable price, but hadn't had any takers.

Now we don't have any doubt but what if he had kept running that ad in the paper, he'd have sold the bull sooner or later, but Jack is not a patient man. He came into the office yesterday afternoon and told us to kill the ad.

"That darned bull ran down a fence, got into my haystack, and tore it all to pieces," he complained. "So I just loaded him up and hauled 'em off."

Several people who ought to know have advised us this week that there is no need to become greatly concerned over the case of typhoid fever reported in the city.

Water Company officials assure us that the drinking supply is safe. It is checked every month, they point out. Besides, it is the opinion of health officers that were the source of the disease our water, we would be troubled by more than one isolated case of the fever.

So stick to the time-tested rules of sanitation and other protective measures, and maybe we can hold the record to one case of typhoid for the county this year.

People still forget. Leroy Berggren was in from Texico yesterday telling us that he didn't get his Tribune last week. He's been taking the paper continuously since 1939, and this is probably the first issue he's ever missed.

Prices are going still higher, and it seemed as though \$2 per head for the C of C banquet this week was getting a bit steep for the already overtaxed businessman.

But we didn't hear any complaints, and we were there, so we know why. The band members' mothers did a grand job of feeding better than 200 people who turned out Monday night—and they fed them well.

In fact, we didn't see anyone man or woman enough to scrape his plate entirely empty . . . not even Floyd D. Golden of ENMU, well-known around here as a connoisseur and consumer of fine food. His physical appearance speaks the fondness he has for the more palatable things of worldly living.

We're sorry that people of Texico-Farwell did not have the ingenuity of originating the annual fall contest to see who could guess nearest the date of the first frost.

Well, it's too bad that we missed out on that, but why doesn't someone with a little imagination start a contest to see who can guess closest to the year in which it is going to rain? That's a novel, if ironic, way to laugh off the depressing dry spell we're having.

Former Farwell Lady Dies In Clovis

Mrs. Anna Alice McGregor Huber, mother of Paul Huber of Texico, formerly a resident of Farwell, passed away in Clovis Monday, February 12, at the age of 78.

Anna Alice McGregor was born in Nebraska on December 28, 1873. On January 18, 1897, she was married to Carl C. Huber. To this union was born seven sons and three daughters.

In March, 1908, they moved to a farm six miles south of Farwell where she lived until five years ago when she moved to Clovis, where she was living at the time of her death.

Mrs. Huber is survived by six sons, John W., address unknown; Leo M., Santee, Calif.; Max J. and Robert, Clovis; Edwin C., Ft. Sumner; and Paul of Texico. Two daughters, Mrs. Ruth Wall, Clovis; and Mrs. Clara Pulliam, Tascosa, Texas. Also 21 grandchildren, four great-grandchildren; one brother, W. E. McGregor of Clovis; and one sister, Mrs. S. O. Maddox of Marshall, Texas. She was preceded in death by her husband and a daughter, Marie, who died in infancy.

Interment was in the West Camp cemetery.

NOTICE

Members of the Texico Parent-Teachers association extend an invitation to the Farwell group to attend their regular meeting Tuesday night at the high school. Program topic is "The Child in the Community."

Five Specialists Here for Irrigation Day Parmer Red Cross Drive Scheduled for March 1st

Five specialists were featured on the irrigation day program held last Thursday in the district courtroom of the Parmer County court house, with approximately 165 farmers attending the meeting.

First speaker of the day was N. K. Thornton, agricultural chemist with the Extension Service, who discussed soil fertility. Thornton reviewed the beginning of soil study, formation and fertility.

He then took up the various types of crops grown in Parmer County, and the plant nutrients in use. He particularly emphasized the fact that the best way to fertilize any crop is to put fertilizer on the legume and add plant nutrients and organic matter in this way also.

In a last minute reminder, the speaker advised farmers planning to use commercial fertilizer that "now is the time for applications".

Next on the morning agenda was Joe Camp, who outlined the 1951 PMA practices. Camp is secretary of the Parmer PMA office in Farwell.

C. M. Henderson, mayor of Farwell and president of the local Chamber of Commerce, extended a welcome to the crowd and invited attendants to the Farwell school cafeteria, where the CC served as hosts for a barbecue beef dinner prepared and served by the Band Mothers Club.

A. L. Black discussed the Parmer County SCS, describing how, when and why the district was organized. Black pointed out the advantages offered farmers who cooperate with the SCS.

Robert R. Thurmond, Extension specialist on irrigation and water application, presented color slides on irrigation practices and systems, discussing long-range planning on the farm and covering some of the phases of water application.

Discusses Bench Leveling

Miles Kelly, engineer with Soil Conservation, reported on bench leveling for irrigation. His subject also included water application, and Kelly reminded farmers, as did Thurmond, to ascertain the amount of water produced by their well, the passage to be watered, in order to determine their irrigation set-up.

Kelly stressed the use of soil probe to discover the penetration of water into the plant root zone, and pointed out that different crops require different amounts of water, while various soils absorb water at differing rates.

The engineer gave a demonstration showing how organic matter in the soil will influence the rate it will take water, and the amount it will hold.

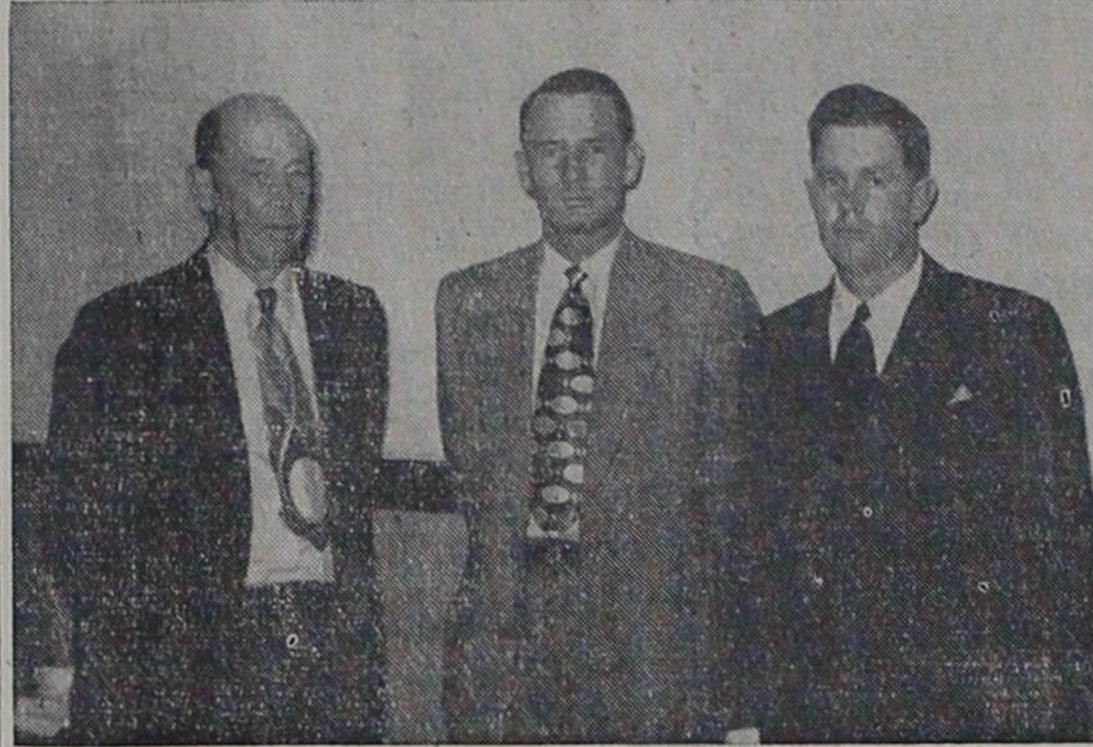
Joe Jones, county agent, who appeared briefly, noted how all specialists of the day had stressed the importance of using legumes in any farming system to keep soils productive.

At the close of the meeting Arlon Hartzog, president of the seven-step cotton committee, reminded farmers that cotton definitely has a place in Parmer County agriculture. From all indications, Hartzog remarked, cotton will be one of the best paying crops, since the government has asked for 16 1/2 million bales for 1951 and has a support price of 90 percent of parity.

Hartzog stated further that Parmer County at one time produced a large amount of cotton, but because of the labor shortage and the good prices for grain sorghum during the war, cotton acreage dropped.

In Hartzog's opinion, farmers in the county who are interested in cotton should plant this year, while there are no restrictions, in order that the county will have a good base if controls should be imposed again.

Hartzog closed by reminding those present that good seed was difficult to find, and urged farmers to make their arrangements now.



MAIN SPEAKERS—N. K. Thornton, Miles Kelly, and Robert Thurmond, pictured above, were featured speakers on the Irrigation Day program at Parmer County Courthouse Thursday. The farming specialists stressed the importance of using legumes in any farming system to keep soils productive.

RURAL TELEPHONE DIRECTORS MEET WITH SWAT REPRESENTATIVES, ON MONDAY

Representatives of the Rural Telephone association and of the Southwestern Associated Telephone company met in Hereford Monday to discuss an agreement on rural telephone lines in the Friona and Bovina areas, Leo Forrest, REA project chairman of Hereford, says.

Those attending the meeting agreed to treat the two telephone associations as a cooperative, using the same lines for installation of phones. Secondly, it was decided that the companies would work with an extended area service, allowing any subscriber to call neighbors within

a two-mile radius with no toll charge Forrest explains.

Representatives at the meeting were R. F. Red, general commercial supervisor of SWAT in Dallas, and G. D. Shelley, branch manager of the company in Lubbock; J. Allen Romich, Bruce Parr, Claude Miller and Frank Spring, all Friona area representatives with the RTA;

C. R. Elliott and Bedford Caldwell of Bovina; Harold Carpenter, Floyd Schlenker and J. C. Morrison, RTA directors; M. C. Locke, engineer representing the RTA corporation in Lubbock, and Leo Forrest.

OUTSTANDING RESIDENTS OF YEAR ARE NAMED AT CC BANQUET MONDAY NIGHT

Single Typhoid Case Reported In County

"So far as I know and believe, there is no need for alarm concerning typhoid fever," Dr. Paul L. Spring, county health doctor, said on Monday night, when questioned regarding such a case from this county.

Mrs. Harry Jesko, of Farwell, was admitted to a Clovis hospital last week and her case diagnosed as typhoid, but Dr. Spring said he had received no other reports of the disease in this immediate area.

Complying with requests of several citizens of the community, Dr. Spring said, however, that he would have a test made on the Farwell water supply, in order to determine whether it was free of germs.

Waterworks officials here said today that the supply is checked regularly, with samples sent each month to the Austin and once weekly to Albuquerque, and has recently been pronounced pure. However, they indicated their willingness to go along with the county health doctor to alleviate any fears which might be felt by the citizenry regarding the purity of the local supply.

Information here is to the effect that there have been a few isolated cases of the disease in New Mexico, and physicians have expressed a belief that typhoid is being spread by a carrier, rather than through milk, water, or food supplies. Dr. Spring also concurred in this belief.

Mrs. Erma Jobs, music director of the Farwell school, and C. M. Henderson, who doubles in the capacity of serving as mayor of Farwell and president of the local Chamber of Commerce, were the surprise honorees Monday night at the Farwell CC banquet, when the two were recognized as the outstanding residents of the year.

Jack Williams, superintendent of schools, presented the two prominent citizens with pen and pencil sets, appropriately inscribed. Williams pointed to the work Mrs. Jobs has done in organizing a school band and other musical activities since she joined the school faculty some three years ago.

Henderson, who finds time for all types of civic work despite the fact that he is an active businessman, has proven his popularity with local citizens, in his re-election as president of the Chamber of Commerce for another term. He is Farwell's first mayor, the city having been organized only a little over a year ago.

Evetts Haley is Speaker

Bringing the main address of the evening was J. Evetts Haley, noted writer, historian, and cattleman of Canyon. Although a man with a colorful background of the Old West, Haley pointed his talk to things of a more immediate nature.

His speech dealt with American foreign policy and the visitor singled out a few points of the policy for critical examination, being particularly interested in the faults of the

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Texico Quiet, Farwell Busy with Lawbreakers

Justice of the Peace Sam Lewis is noting early this week that business for his court has been markedly slack. He said that the only crime the Texico system had been called on to snuff out lately had been one case of truck overloading.

However, it was a different story across the tracks in Farwell over the weekend, and Sheriff Charley Loveace was called on twice to bring in drunken drivers.

The Farwell constabulary even got in a lick for the draft. Early Sunday morning, about 2 a. m., Sheriff Lovelace gave hot pursuit to three young men from Hereford who were well on their way out of town at what was considered a rather unreasonable speed.

After flagging the trio down during a chase with his siren wide open, the sheriff lodged them in the local cooler for the remainder of the evening.

The young men, all drunk, claimed they were to be drafted soon anyhow, so they were doing a little celebrating. That suited the law fine, so a Selective Service official from Hereford was glad to come to Farwell to pick up three recruits—a very novel way of induction.

The other violators were two colored men from Muleshoe who were fined for drunken driving in Farwell Sunday afternoon. They entered the city limits at an excessive speed, and after two minor collisions, were halted in front of Mary's Cafe where Sheriff Lovelace picked them up.

Albert Arnold, driver, was fined \$150 and costs; Arthur Rayborn was fined \$50 and costs.

Deadline Is Set For RTA Subscriptions

Bruce Parr, in charge of Rural Telephone subscriptions for Friona, has announced that a deadline of April 1, has been set for subscription to the RTA program.

"It was only fair that we do this," he explained, "because there are other groups waiting that would be anxious to have our set-up in the event that we were unsuccessful in getting enough subscriptions."

Members of the RTA have been able to secure government approval and a large loan to begin the program of telephone expansion, but it is necessary for the beginning system to have at least 1000 initial users.

Parr has reported good success in his Friona region. Last Thursday he said that he lacked only 20 more signatures before he would have his quota.

"These are people that are paying the full \$50 membership," he was quick to point out.

The deadline was set at a meeting of the RTA directors at Friona Monday night.

CONDITION IMPROVED

Mrs. John Getz, who has been in the Clovis Memorial Hospital for the past few days, is somewhat improved according to reports received early this week. Mrs. Getz is suffering from rheumatic fever, and will remain in the hospital for several more days it was reported.

Official opening of the 1951 campaign for funds to continue the worthy work of the American Red Cross has been set nationally for March 1st, Alan Romich, manager of the Friona Chamber of Commerce, reported this week.

Romich has been named to serve as chairman of the drive in Parmer County during 1950, and along with other chairmen from the area, was in Lubbock the past Friday, when general outlines of the current drive were given and information issued to the county heads.

Asked as to the extent of the drive, Romich said that "it could continue through the entire month of March, but I am slating it to be held in Parmer County for only two weeks, and feel confident that we can have our allotted funds subscribed by that time."

Along with everything else, the price of rescue work carried on by the Red Cross has gone up, and the national quota this year has been set at \$85 millions, Romich said, adding that his information was to the effect that this constitutes about a "one-third hike over the 1950 quota."

As to Parmer County itself, figures were released to the chairman the first of the week by area Red Cross representatives. In all, the county is being asked to contribute \$1340 toward relief work this year. Of this amount, \$500 is listed as "chapter funds," with the remaining \$840 being slated for national use.

Officials explained that of the \$1240 quota, the county is to retain 37.3 per cent in its own treasury, to handle local work, with the other 62.7 percent going into the national treasury. All money contributed in this county in excess of the allotted quota will be divided on a 50-50 basis between the county and national funds.

In setting a two-week deadline on the drive in Parmer, Romich said that it had been his experience that a drive will lag if given too much time, and went on to add that he expected to have his workers assigned and "things ready to roll" by the first day of March, when the campaign officially opens.

In the past, Parmer has continually over-subscribed its quota, and those who will conduct the work over the various areas hope that this year will be no exception to the rule.

Tentative Date Set For Clubber Show

Tentative date for the annual spring showing of swine and livestock by Parmer County FFA and 4-H club boys was set last week as April 13th and 14th, according to J. T. Gee, Friona agriculture instructor.

Gee said that additional plans are to be worked out during the next few weeks. Feature of the show again this year is expected to be the auction sale on the closing afternoon, Saturday, the 14th.

Starting with just a few fat calves some years ago, this spring show has grown into one that attracts visitors from over a wide area, with exhibits filling the show barns at Friona, and the auction sale draws some of the best bids offered clubbers for their stock.

Laymen To Have Service For Local Methodists

A group of church laymen are to conduct the morning services at the Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church Sunday, it was announced this week by Rev. Lance Hurs, pastor.

C. M. Henderson will be the principal speaker at the worship, with a topic of "When A Layman Worships".

Other laymen on the program include John Hadley, who will give the affirmation of faith; a prayer, W. J. Matthews; the scripture reading, H. Y. Overstreet; scripture reading, Loyd Cain; and a male quartet composed of B. A. Rogers, Woody McDermitt, Walter Hardage, and W. W. Vinyard.

The layman's committee drawing up the program was composed of Lenton Pool, chairman; Paul Wurster and Loyde Brewer.

BACK FROM MEETING

Oliver Sikes and Eugene Coffman, of Sikes Motor Company, returned the latter part of the week from Denver, where they attended a meeting of Ford tractor dealers. Mrs. Sikes and Mrs. Coffman accompanied the men to Denver. Sikes reported that the trip home was "rough" with a heavy snow being received in Colorado.

Property Owners Can Tie on Sewers

Connecting lines from residences to the new city sewer lines in Farwell may be started immediately, C. B. Stockton, whose crew has been busy for some time, said on Tuesday of this week.

Stockton went on to report that the ditch-digging crew is currently at work putting in a main behind the business district which backs the Santa Fe railroad line out to Lubbock, adding that, weather permitting, this strip of line down the entire business district would be complete by the end of the week.

So far, the line has been laid completely down the street length of Avenue B, the first block south of the business district, and lines can be tied in, Stockton said. An alley junction line is ready south from Avenue B to the street facing the school. The final strip ready to be tied in

at this time, the contractor said, is along Avenue F, one block north of the school, running to the middle of the block due east of Third Street. Alley lines have been run from this line south on Blocks 42 and 47, between Third and Fourth streets, up Block 41 between Fourth and Fifth, Block 40 between Fifth and Sixth, and Block 39, between Sixth and Seventh.

Charges Are Outlined

Questioned about charges for hooking up to the sewer system, Stockton said that a charge of from \$5 to \$12.50 would be made for connecting to the risers established in the main line, depending on the depth of the line to be sunk.

This, he pointed out, is merely the connecting charge. Other fees will include a flat \$5 per connection assessed by the City of Farwell for

making a tie-in—and Mayor C. M. Henderson stressed the fact that "no lines can be connected to the main sewer system until the city engineer, V. C. Venable, has checked the outlet and issued a permit for such connection."

As for the cost involved in getting a pipe line from the property to the alley, Stockton said that his ditch-digging crew would be available at the rate of \$2 per foot for the work, if he received sufficient requests.

In considering the hook-ups, Stockton stressed the fact that there should be a fall of not less than 10 inches per hundred feet from the private property to the main lines, in order that the system will operate properly. He also pointed out that a depth of from two to three feet for the ditch would be sufficient, adding that risers installed as the

work was done have been elevated to approximately that height from the main line, sunk about eight feet below the surface of the ground.

As for the size of pipe to be used, the contractor was of the opinion that four-inch pipe would be sufficient for all users of the system except laundries, which should have a six-inch pipe outlet to the sewer.

Pipe Is Question

Whether or not pipe can be secured remains the big question, with both Stockton and Mayor Henderson admitting "it may be hard to get". Stockton said that he thought he could get tile, which works fairly satisfactorily, replying to a question that "not as much trouble as you would expect is caused by tree and shrub roots". However, he added that regular sewer pipe would be best, if available.

FARWELL TAX ROLLS NEARLY ALL IN AS FUNDS MOUNT TO THE SUM OF \$3251.51

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FFA Boys Buy Gilt At Swine Sale

Farwell Chamber of Commerce purchased a bred gilt for the local Future Farmers of America chapter, at the Southwestern Swine Breeders sale held in Clovis recently, Robert Morton, instructor, reports.

The Duroc animal was bought to enable the FFA to begin a gilt circle. Morton explained that the animals will be given freshmen boys, who will return another animal at each farrowing. Barrows will also be taken and fed out to repay the Chamber of Commerce, Morton adds.

The recently purchased gilt is now at the Herington farm.

"Through Two Women's Eyes" ••
 It's an absorbing story of Otis E. Dunham, the "candy king", who lived two strangely contrasting lives with two women. What caused his first wife to hate him and his second to adore him? You can read this unusual story in The American Weekly, that great magazine distributed with next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

We should endeavor to be long-suffering, faithful, and charitable with all. To this small effort let us add one more privilege—namely, silence whenever it can substitute censure.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Farwell taxpayers this week swelled the municipal funds to \$3251.51 as assessments levied against 1950 were being paid off regularly. Ray Mears, collector, expressed satisfaction with results, and reported that only "about \$450 remains uncollected."

This is the first formal tax roll Farwell has had since its incorporation in 1949. The amount of taxation for each property owner is determined by a set scale that allots 60 percent of the property valuation for taxes. Valuations are determined by the city tax board.

"I haven't had a bit of kicking about the taxes," Mears said, "but I'd like to say that there are some owners of nice homes in Farwell that should come around to see me."

Two-hundred-eight names appear on the Farwell tax rolls, it was announced, and around 90 percent of these names have been credited with the full payment of 1950 taxes. Fees range from 24 cents to \$423.

Mears also reported that collection of garbage service fees has been satisfactory.

Three Area Pastors To Baptist Meet

Rev. C. M. Fields, of the Texico-Farwell Baptist Church, Rev. Mayo Carpenter of the Oklahoma Lane church, and Rev. M. D. Durham, Bovina pastor, attended the Panhandle pastors and laymen meeting at Wayland College, February 12-13.

Carl Bates, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Amarillo, gave a series of six Bible studies on sin and salvation during the conference. He also gave the closing message, speaking on the importance of the confession of sin.

Rev. Arthur DeLoach, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Odessa, led the devotionals on Monday; and Rev. Douglas Carver, Pampa minister, directed them Tuesday.



William S. Willett To Give Farwell Program On India, March 5

William S. Willett, sponsored by Southern School Assemblies, will present "A Bazaar In India" at the Farwell schools, Monday, March 5th.

In a press release from Southern School assemblies, Harry Byrd Kline director, says that Willett spent six years in India on the construction of a gigantic steel mill which today employs thousands of natives of various castes and customs.

During these years Mr. Willett came face to face with the mysteries of the Orient and the terrors of the jungle. He made an intensive study of the country, its peoples and their life and customs. He collected many curios and items. He has woven the information acquired and the exhibit collected into an illustrated story "A Bazaar In India".

The bazaars of India are mirrors that reflect the handicrafts, Darjeeling and the snowy peaks of the Himalayas, the mystic Lama temples of isolated, adjoining Tibet, Delhi and the fairy loveliness of Agra's Taj Mahal all find expression in the merchandise seen in the great Indian Bazaars.

Included in the exhibit are rugs, native weaving, knives, articles of clothing, dishes and other household effects, weapons of war and the hunt, opium pipe, fruits, tom-toms that carried the cadence of jungle life, temple bells with haunting tones and the beautiful skin of a man-devouring tiger killed by Mr. Willett. To each of these is attached a fascinating story which Mr. Willett tells.

Along with this interesting and valuable exhibit Mr. Willett imparts a wealth of information about India.

and does it with wit and humor. India occupies a grave and strategic position in world affairs, geographically and otherwise.

The communist hordes from China are pouring into Tibet which borders India for hundreds of miles on the north. The future course of India will have much influence upon the future course of the world.

Mr. Willett will bring expert insight into what makes India tick and will give many clues to possible future action, Kline adds.

Final Figures Given On March of Dimes

Loyde Brewer, official of the March of Dimes drive in Parmer County this year, has released final tabulations of the campaign for the county.

A total of \$2352.54 was subscribed this year, as compared with \$3432.06 in 1950, Brewer said, adding that

Farwell, Friona and Lazbuddy were the only stations reporting a gain in contributions over the previous year. Friona turned in the largest total, \$846.23, followed by Farwell with \$554.22, and Lazbuddy with \$288.77. Other reports showed \$217.44 from Bovina; Oklahoma Lane, \$73.67; Black, \$112.40; Rhea, \$252.37; and Lakeview, \$18.94.

Last year's reports from the various areas were: Bovina, \$361.16; Farwell, \$356.81; Lazbuddy, \$245.29; Oklahoma Lane, \$129.40; Black, \$222.82; Rhea, \$311.50; Lakeview, \$110.45; and Friona, with the largest total by far, \$1644.63.

Half of the money subscribed will go to the National Foundation, explained Brewer, with the remaining half staying in Parmer County for use with local cases of polomyelitis.

The drive began January 15 and was to have concluded on January 31. However, bad weather interfered with special events planned, and the campaign was extended to February 15.

Junior Play Makes Over \$100 Tuesday

Farwell High School juniors were encouraged over the turn-out for their play last Tuesday night, Miss Jett Byerley, director, says, adding that over \$100 was netted for the performance.

The play had been scheduled two different times and postponed, and the third try was scheduled for last week. Although hampered by bad weather, students presented their play anyway.

Playing before a large crowd, the three-act comedy, "Set for a Spell," received a favorable reception from the audience.

Cast members included Marcia Foster, Wilma Nell Smith, Joan Spurlin, Katherine Magness, Doyle

Vaughn, Jo Veta Billingsley, Bobby Joe Crume, Donald Joe Pipkin, Sonny Spurlin, Oneta McMath, and Delores Goldsmith.

Miss Byerley, assisted by Kenneth Livingston, directed the play.

Area Farmers Buy Swine At Clovis Sale

Results of Southwestern Swine Breeders sale Feb. 10 at Clovis show that several people in this immediate area participated in buying and selling at the sale.

Spencer Haugh of Friona bought several animals, one of them from Albert Magerus, who lives southwest of Texico. John Lee Howard, Duane Herington, and Joe Menefee, all of Muleshoe, also were purchasers.

Alfred Steinbock and Vandy Tipton, both of Muleshoe, bought swine from F. T. Schlenker of Friona. Lester McDaniel of Texico, Farwell FFA, and Shirley Kizer of Muleshoe also participated in the sale.

County Volleyball Meet Comes to Texico School

F. D. Stout, girls coach at the Texico school, announced today that the annual Curry County volleyball tournament will be held at Texico on April 14. Rules for the tourney were set up at a schoolmasters meet at Ranchvale, Thursday, February 16.

Stout also reported that sufficient girls are reporting for practice at Texico to comprise two teams. Included are Violet Curry, Bobbie Allred, Jo Beth Engram, Carmen Roth, Margie Reid, Patsy Doshier, Neva Sparks, Marsha Peterson, Alva Jane Moss, Bobbie Williams, Esther McDaniel, Jo Sandra Magerus, Betty Bridges, Yvonne Horton, June Breeze and Anita Brown.

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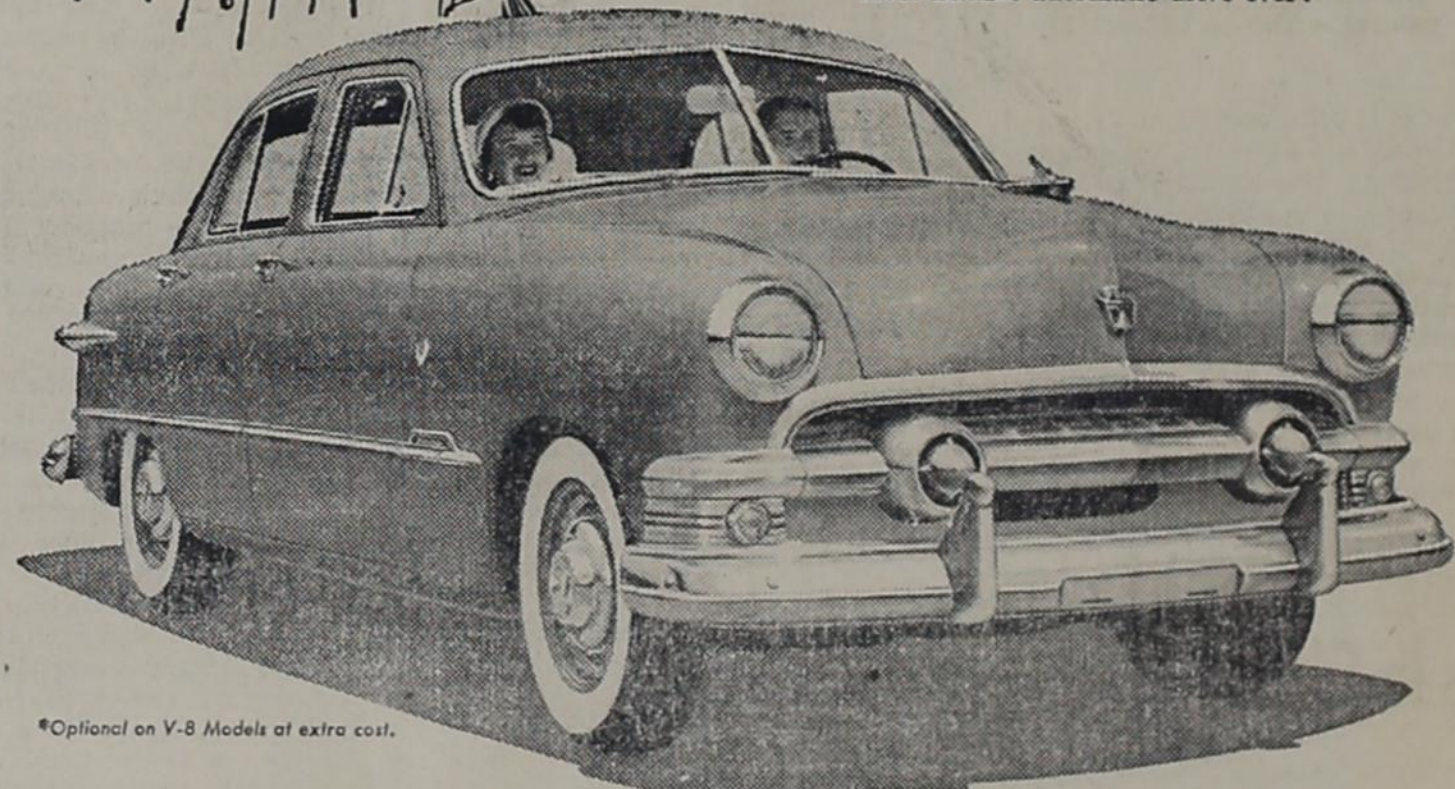
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FARWELL RESIDENTS BEGIN 1951 BUILDING SPREE, SEVEN NEW HOMES CONSTRUCTED

Apparently the tight supply of building materials due to the Korean war has not impaired residence building in Farwell to any great degree. In the past few months four new homes have been erected or are in the final stages of completion, and three others are now being built.

Builders are almost evenly divided over types of construction. The Johnnie Williams, G. T. Watkins, and Bill Hannas prefer brick residences, and the Joe Blairs, O. H. Reynolds, Dale Rules, and V. L. Martins are putting up frame-type homes.

In either case, all of the new residences are or will be well-furnished and attractive places for the city. There is a marked trend for picture-windows that is evidenced in every one of the seven new homes except the Blair's, which has double windows overlooking the porch.

Few cities comparable to Farwell can claim such an extensive residential building boom even in the past several years, and certainly, there are few that have seen such a prolonged surge of building.

The Tribune surveyed the new homes in their various stages of completion this week, and presents

the findings as an encouraging sign that interest and speculation is still uppermost in the minds of the people of the city.

Families already are living in four of the newly constructed homes. They are Mr. and Mrs. Hanna, Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds, Mr. and Mrs. Watkins, and Mr. and Mrs. Blair.

Watkins' Home

The G. T. Watkins home, located three blocks north of the courthouse, features a large, rambling style. It contains two bedrooms, a den, living room, dining room, kitchen, a utility and breakfast room, garage, and garage-apartment. Cement floors are covered with rubber tile, and two picture windows are featured.

Something new for this part of the country is the radiant heating unit, which utilizes electricity. The exterior of the home, which has not been completed, will be a light-colored brick with a white composition roof.

Blair's Home

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blair chose a white stucco finish for their new home, located two blocks west of Farwell schools. The home has two bedrooms, a living room, kitchen, service room, bathroom, and a dou-

ble-garage.

Outstanding features are the pastel-finished walls, natural woodwork, and slab doors. Hardwood floors are used throughout the house, and the closets emphasize spaciousness with a walk-in arrangement and featured shelves.

The large front porch gives a rustic touch to the structure. The grounds have not yet been planned.

Hanna's Home

The Bill Hanna home is unique in that it is the only home of asphalt blocks that has been constructed. The neat five-room house has plaster walls, and natural woodwork. Three bedrooms, a living room, kitchen, and bathroom are included.

Located one block north and one block west of Farwell Schools, the home has an inset entrance, emphasized by an enclosed flower box situated directly under the picture window.

Reynolds' Home

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Reynolds built their new home three blocks south of the Security State Bank. Formerly of Lelia Lake, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds moved to Farwell only recently.

Their new home has two bedrooms, a living room, a kitchen, and bath. Hardwood floors and natural woodwork are used.

Though the outside of the house has not been completed, the Reynolds hope to finish it in the near future. A stucco finish will be applied.

Three new homes are under construction with owners hoping to have them completed in the next month or two.

Williams' Home

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Williams are

constructing a large ranch style home three blocks south of the courthouse. The home will have three bedrooms, a den, kitchen, living room, dining room, utility room, two bathrooms, and a double garage.

The Williams hope to have the house completed by summer. A brick exterior with a tile roof will be featured. Floor space in the living quarters will total 2560 square feet.

Martin's Home

Three bedrooms, a kitchen, living room, dining room, and bathroom are to be included in the V. L. Martin home, now under construction. An asbestos shingle finish will be applied to the outside, with an asbestos shingle roof.

A picture window extends along the east wall in the living room. Another feature is hardwood floors. Floor space totals 1100 square feet.

The home is located four blocks south of the bank. A garage will be added later. "We hope to move by the middle of March, anyway," Mr. Martin says.

Rule's Home

Also building a new home are Mr. and Mrs. Dale Rule. The three-room home will contain a living room, a kitchen, single bedroom, and bathroom, and will also feature a picture window. Located next door to the Martin home, the structure will be finished in white dash stucco with composition shingle roof. Pecan floors will be used.

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Parmer County Boys Show Prize Swine At Hereford Show

Members of Parmer County 4-H clubs and the Friona FFA chapter won top honors at the Hereford Fat Stock show last weekend, showing the champion Hampshire pig, the champion and reserve champion in Poland-China entries, and the reserve champion Chester White.

Friona FFA chapter had a total of nine animals entered in competition, while 4-H club members exhibited eight entries.

Huey Lowrie of Bovina entered four Hampshire pigs at the show and carried away first, third and fourth place awards in the light-weight division. The first place Hampshire also was breed champion.

Lowrie won a \$10 award and a five-year subscription to Farm and Ranch magazine for first place in showmanship. His selection was based on preparation of animals for the

show, cleanliness and attractiveness of pens, and the manner in which the animal was conducted in the ring.

Jerry Geason, of Lazbuddy, entered the Chester White pig which carried off reserve champion honors, and another of his entries was third place winner in the light-weight class.

Troy Christian, of Farwell, exhibited the fifth and sixth place Chester Whites in the light-weight class.

Harris Dunn, of the Friona FFA, placed two animals, showing the champion and second-place animals in the Poland China division. First and second place awards in the heavy class of Poland Chinas went to animals belonging to Jimmy Gore of Friona, with the first-place animal also the reserve champion.

Other Parmer County winners included W. A. Tinney Jr., Friona, with third and fifth winners in the heavy Poland China group; and Jackie Rule of Friona, fourth place winner in the same class. Rule was also owner of a spotted Poland China which won third in the all-breed group.

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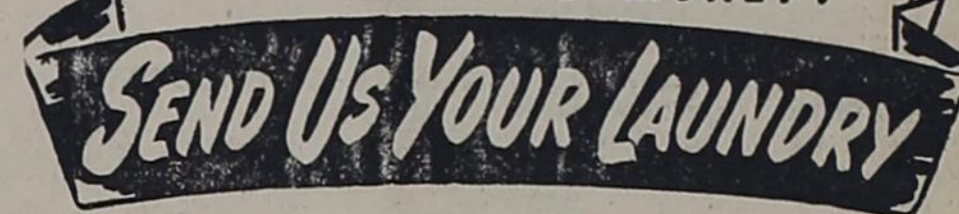
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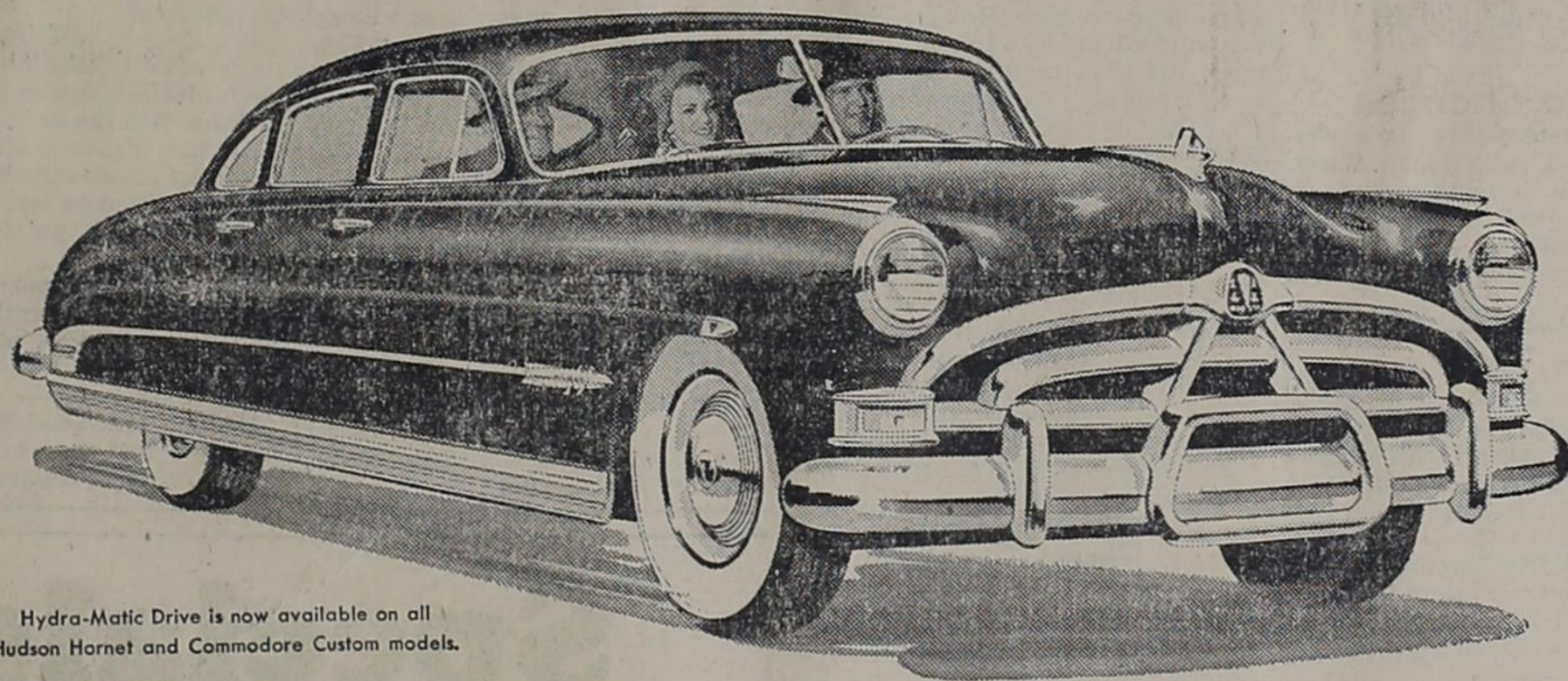
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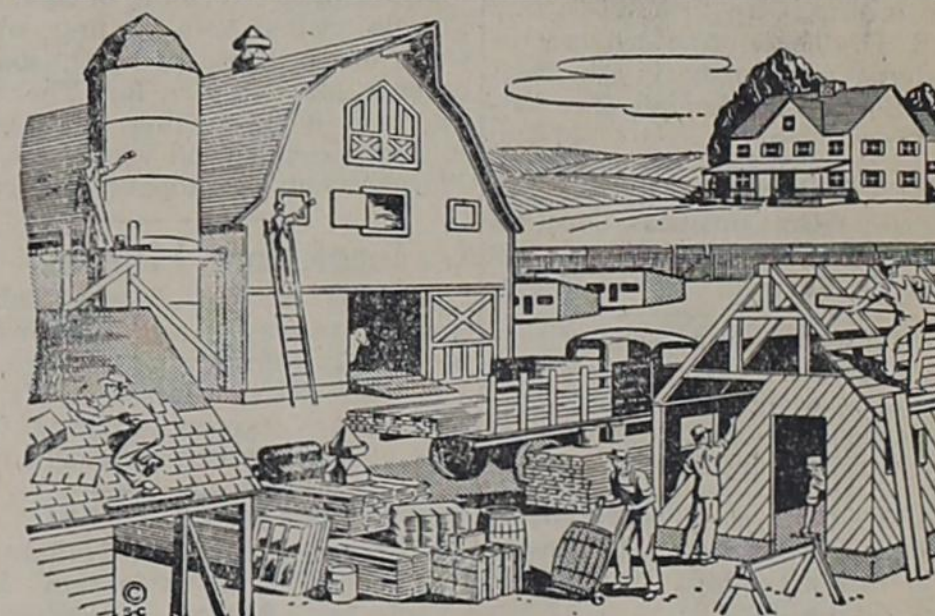
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Guests Of Hardings

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Harding had as dinner guests on Sunday Juanita Turner and James Harding of ENMU; Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Harding, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Matthews, J. T. Harding, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Klump of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Carlyle of Lubbock, Hurshel Harding, Nathan Harding Jr. and Jack Greathouse of Texas Tech, and Mr. and Mrs. Ed McDaniel of Clovis.

Visit Relatives

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hamilton and daughter, Kay, spent several days the past week visiting in the home of Mrs. Hamilton's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jud E. Stone, and her brother and family, the Henry Jacks. The Hamiltons returned to their home in Quitaque on Sunday afternoon.

Hurst To Treat Choir

Rev. and Mrs. Lance Hurst will treat choir members of the Texico-Farwell Methodist Church tonight (Wednesday) following choir practice at the church. The pastor and his wife have asked that all members of the choir be present in order that the ham and other edibles be put to good use.

Guests of Moores

Dinner guests in the home of Rev. and Mrs. A. D. Moore at Oklahoma Lane, Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. Wendol Christian and daughters, Gwendolyn and LaNell; Mr. and Mrs. Ross Blankenship and Miss Hazel Dishman.

Works in Clovis

Miss Wilma Dell Doshier, who recently returned to her home in the Oklahoma Lane community from Amarillo, accepted a position as a practical nurse at the Clovis Memorial Hospital on Saturday of last week.

Visit Here

Mr. and Mrs. Paulie Jones and family, Billy Walter and Nancy, of Amarillo, were visitors in the W. H. Graham home, Sunday. They had been in Clovis visiting Paulie's father, who has been ill. Paulie is a former Tribune employee and is now employed on the Amarillo Times.

In Utsman Home

Mr. and Mrs. Homer McCluskey and son, Billy Dean, of Wichita Falls, returned to their home Sunday after having spent several days the past week in the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Utsman.

In Thornton Home

Mrs. Julian Thornton, of Shalimar, Florida, visited here the first of the week in the home of her husband's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Thornton. She had been visiting her parents in Albuquerque, and was enroute to Florida when she stopped in Farwell.

In Lockhart Home

Visiting in the John Lockhart home this week are his brother, George Lockhart, of Chicago, Ill., and his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. James Harper, of Tracy, Calif. The visitors arrived Tuesday.

GIRLS AND MORE GIRLS!

Mr. and Mrs. B. N. Graham are in receipt of a cablegram from their son, Benton, reporting the birth of twin girls on February 19. The Benton Grahams reside in Cucuta, Colombia, South America, where Benton has been employed with an oil company for 12 years. This makes a total of four girls for the family, with older sisters Patricia and Sandra. Proud grandfather B. N. Graham was strutting around Farwell on Tuesday, bragging about the new twins.



ESQUIRE CALENDAR GIRL . . . Miss Barbara Harvey, Colorado College co-ed, was chosen from among more than 5,000 college co-eds as "Miss Esquire Calendar Girl 1951." She gets trip to New York, screen test, television appearances. She is 5' 5 1/2" tall, weighs 103 pounds; has blue eyes and blonde hair. Her dimensions: hips, 34; waist, 23; bust, 34.

FFA Boys Give Chili Supper For Fathers

Members of the Farwell Future Farmers of America chapter will entertain their fathers with a chili supper Friday night, planned in conjunction with national FFA week. The father-son affair will be held in the school cafeteria at 8 o'clock, with J. T. Gee, Friona agriculture instructor, as principal speaker. The boys will prepare the food for the occasion, and facilities will be available for table games after a short program.

Texico Woman Performs At Clovis High School

PORTALES (Special)—Music students of Eastern New Mexico University will perform for Clovis High School students Friday, Feb. 16. Featuring piano duets, violin and vocal solos, the program also will include numbers by the University clarinet quartet.

Included among the students on the program will be Mrs. Peggy Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Rogers of Texico.

Son Is Born

Mr. and Mrs. Graham Thornton are the proud parents of a son, Michael Graham, who arrived on Tuesday, February 20, at the Clovis Memorial hospital. The young man weighed in at 8 pounds and 4 ounces. Both mother and baby are doing fine.

Party Date Changed

Farwell sophomores will hold a social on March 8, rather than March 9, as originally planned. Students and their guests will leave the school house at 5 o'clock for Clovis, where they will go bowling and attend a movie.

Here from Tech

Ernest Lokey, student at the Texas Technological College in Lubbock, spent the past weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Lokey, in Farwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Renner and son, Dickie Lee, were visitors in the home of her parents in Amarillo, during the weekend.

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Week of Dedication Communion Thursday

The local Methodist Church is putting special emphasis on Week of Dedication, according to Rev. Lance Hurst, pastor. Holy communion will be administered tomorrow (Thursday) night at the church sanctuary from 6 until 8 p. m., the minister said.

Rev. Hurst explained that those who desired to participate could go singly or in groups and remain as long as they desired.

Freshmen Change Date For Party

Members of the Freshman class of Farwell schools changed the originally scheduled date for their class party to March 8. It was planned for March 9.

To be held at the Oklahoma Lane gymnasium, students have planned a skating party. Each student may invite one guest. In charge of arrangements are Shirley Smith, Beverly Lovelace and Calvin Barber.

Banquet Date Set By Juniors

The junior class of Farwell school aid plans for the annual junior-senior banquet at their regular class meeting, Monday.

The affair is planned for March 30 at the Eastern New Mexico University student union building, in Portales. An Irish theme will be used, and formal attire will be worn.

On the decoration committee are Joan Spurlin, Katherine Magness and Rex Pool.

Legion Zone Meeting Postponed Tuesday

Zone meeting which was scheduled for Tuesday night of last week in Dimmitt was postponed until March 13, Loyde Brewer, zone commander, says.

The meeting was postponed because of bad weather.

Hear Piano Quartet

Mrs. Raymond Ross and children of Morton, Howard Graham of Three Way and Mrs. B. N. Graham were in Amarillo, Friday night, to hear the First Piano Quartet in concert.

Safety Authorities Speak At Texico

"We want you to have a good time and have it safely. If you are driving your dad's car, your own car, a pick-up, or a hot-rod, drive it with extreme caution," J. T. Holmes, head of the safety education department of the state of New Mexico, told students at Texico schools in a special assembly, Tuesday.

Holmes gave statistics regarding school children involved in accidents stating that 170 were injured last year, 166 in 1949, and 162 in 1948. The estimate for 1951 is 174, showing an increase of four accidents for each year.

The safety expert concluded his speech with the plea "We hope that these few words have aroused in you an interest to the extent that you will become more and more conscious of safety."

A film on safety, narrated by James Stewart, was shown to the group. Holmes was accompanied by Lindsey Ross, assistant administrator for the state highway department.

Last Minute Plans Are Made For Game Night

Game night, sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary, is scheduled for Tuesday at the Legion Hall, Bea Sudderth, of the planning committee, reports.

Beginning at 8 o'clock, festivities will continue until 10:30. The public is cordially invited to attend, Mrs. Sudderth emphasizes. A 25c admission charge per individual will be made, and tables of bridge, Canasta, pitch, 42 and dominoes are planned. Coffee, cocoa, doughnuts and soft drinks will be available, and a door prize will be awarded.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means to thank each and everyone for the kindness shown to us during the illness and death of our dear mother, Mrs. Anna Alice Huber.

The Huber Family.

Rev. and Mrs. J. V. Pace and daughters, Nevalene and Evadale, visited briefly with their niece and cousin, Miss Hazel Dishman in Farwell, Monday. They were enroute to their home in Morton after attending to business matters in Clovis.

To Dallas

Mrs. Claude Rose, of the Rose Drug and Gift Shop, in Farwell, spent the first of the week in Dallas where she purchased many new items for the local store.

Returns Home

Mrs. Jack McManigal, who has been ill and confined to the Clovis Memorial Hospital, for the past few days was returned to her home Wednesday.

In Snider Home

Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Snider in Farwell were their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Liner, of Plainview, and Joe Jones of this city. Liner returned to Plainview Monday morning, while Mrs. Liner remained here until Tuesday night.

Mrs. Penny Anderson, of Bovina, returned late Tuesday from Washington, D. C., where she visited Mrs. Mary Zerkel for ten days.

John Aldridge and Buddy Jones of Farwell, Jack Dunn and V. Scott Johnson, of Clovis, have gone on an extended fishing trip.

Border

Thursday



Friday-Saturday



Sunday-Monday



Tuesday-Wednesday



'Church School Of Mission Week' Is Observed Locally

The annual Church School of Mission Week, which is held every spring, in the Plains Association, is being observed this week at the Texico-Farwell Baptist Church, according to announcements the first of the week from the pastor, Rev. C. M. Fields.

To start the services, on Sunday morning, Mrs. Josephine Ward, who has been a Baptist missionary in Northern China for the past twenty-eight years, was guest speaker at the 11 o'clock hour, with Mrs. George Wilson of Albuquerque, who is a missionary in the Indian reservation near Albuquerque filling the pulpit at the evening hour.

On Monday night, Mr. Horton, who heads the Home Mission Board, in Amarillo, was guest speaker, followed on Tuesday night by Mrs. Melvin Roberts, who is a missionary to the Navajo Indians in New Mexico.

Tonight (Wednesday) Miss Newman who is here from Nigera, West Africa's missionary field, will fill the pulpit and Thursday night, Mrs. Josephine Ward will again be the evening speaker.

The Mission week services will be brought to a close on Friday night when Mrs. Glass who is a missionary in China will speak.

All the speakers will base their theme on Missionary Work, and will tell of experiences and advancements made in their particular mission field.

Rev. Fields extended a cordial invitation to the general public to attend these services, each night at 8 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Wurster spent Sunday of last week in Portales, New Mexico, visiting relatives.

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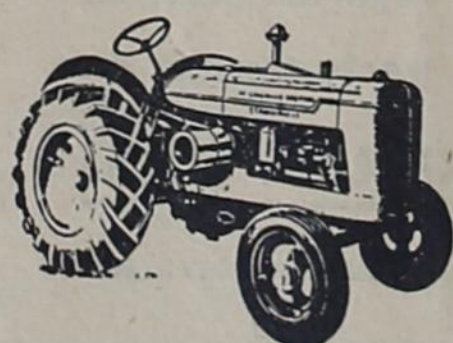
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Social Events of Interest

LOCAL WOMAN'S CLUB IS RE-ORGANIZED; OFFICERS, COMMITTEES ARE NAMED, 20th

The Texico-Farwell Woman's Club which was disbanded in 1945, was re-organized in a special meeting Tuesday night, February 20th. The meeting convened at 7:30 in the Home Economics department of the Farwell school, with Mrs. Sam Rundell, president of the Club when it was disbanded, presiding. Mrs. Johnnie Williams acted as secretary for the meeting.

Fifteen ladies were present at the meeting, all of which were booked as charter members at the close of the meeting.

Membership of the Club is "unlimited", according to announcements made by the executive committee. Ladies interested in becoming a member of the Club are urged to contact the president, the membership committee, or any member of the Club, fill out an application blank, and pay the annual dues of \$3.00. Dues are to be paid at the time application is filed, it was further stated.

The Club will have two regular meetings each month, the 2nd and 4th, Tuesdays, respectively. All regular meetings will be held in the Farwell Home Economics department, beginning promptly at 7:30. All members are urged to be on hand at that time.

In opening the Tuesday night meeting, Mrs. Rundell asked each lady for their personal opinion and type of programs preferred. It was decided that the programs would be miscellaneous, including such work as textile paintings, interior decorating, leather and coppercraft, needlework, book reviews and many other interesting projects, along with an occasional book review.

Officers named are as follows: President, Mrs. Nina Glasscock; vice-president, Mrs. Thelma Perkins; secretary, Mrs. Johnnie Williams; assistant-secretary, Mrs. D. W. Bagley; treasurer, Mrs. B. A. Rogers; parliamentarian, Mrs. F. E. Kepley; and reporter, Mrs. Claude Rose.

Committees named are the following: Program—Mrs. LaMoin Williams, chairman, assisted by Mrs. M. C. Roberts and Mrs. Dickie Magness.

Year book—Mrs. Mae Porter, chairman, assisted by Mrs. Willie Williams and Hazel Dishman.

Membership—Mrs. Ruby Stone, chairman, assisted by Mrs. E. G. Williams and Iris Thornton.

Social—Mrs. Sam Rundell, chairman, assisted by Mrs. Irene Dyer and Mrs. John Aldridge.

Finance—Mrs. Grace Snider, chairman, assisted by Mrs. Mae Means and Mrs. Carrie Hardage.

At the close of the meeting a social hour was enjoyed, and refreshments of cookies, mints, nuts and spiced tea were served by hostesses, Mesdames D. W. Bagley, Lura Rundell, F. E. Kepley, E. G. Williams, Thelma Perkins, Johnnie Williams, Nina Glasscock and Dickie Magness.

Ladies present were Mesdames Willie Williams, Bert Williams, Irene Dyer, Mae Means, Ruby Stone, and Misses Iris Thornton and Hazel Dishman and the hostesses.

The next meeting, which will be the first regular meeting of the Club, will be held Tuesday night, February 27th. Mrs. Thelma Perkins and Mrs. F. E. Kepley will serve as hostesses.

In Freeman Home

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Ford of Portales visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Freeman over the weekend. Ford is Freeman's brother. They returned to Portales Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Faville Is Guild Hostess

Mrs. LeRoy Faville was hostess to the Wesleyan Guild of the Hamlin-Memorial Methodist Church, Wednesday evening in her home.

Mrs. B. A. Rogers, program leader, presented an interesting program on the health of the American Indian, and Mrs. Jim Moss and Mrs. Paul Wurster gave related talks.

Mrs. Lance Hurst gave an interesting talk about some of her experiences as a nurse at Farmington, N. M., which is located in the Navajo Indian country. Special music was played by Mikala Faville and Mrs. W. W. Vinyard. Mrs. John Armour led the group singing.

A short business session was presided over by Mary Lou Cason, president.

After the program, refreshments of coffee, ice cream with red hearts molded in it, and cake in the shape of hearts with pink frosting, carrying out the Valentine motif, were served to members and guests.

Those present were: Mesdames Cason, Rogers, Wurster, Moss, Vinyard, Lance Hurst, John Aldridge, John Armour, N. W. Peyton, C. B. Stockton, John Porter, Loyde Brewer; three guests, Mesdames Buddy Jones, Gilbert Watkins and D. W. Bagley, and the hostess, Mrs. Faville.

A Valentine motif was used for the meeting. Pink-tinted heart-shaped individual cakes, and heart-shaped ice cream were served with coffee to the guests.

Carmen Roth Is DAR Pilgrim

Carmen Roth represented Texico High School as DAR Pilgrim in the annual contest sponsored by the Daughters of the American Revolution to select a good citizen of each state.

Five contestants, representing various Curry county schools, took the special tests in the office of the County School Superintendent in Clovis. The papers will be graded by state officers of the DAR, with results to be announced later. First, second, and third places will receive recognition.

Miss Roth is editor of the school paper, "The Wolverine"; vice president of the senior class, secretary of Quill and Scroll and the FBLA Club, and is active in dramatics club, FHA, student council, pep club, basketball, baseball and volleyball.

Alternate was Jo Beth Engram, who did not take the test.

Rainbow Girls Meet Monday Afternoon

The Rainbow girls met Monday afternoon at the Masonic Hall in Bovina for a regular session.

Group members balloted Jo Elaine for receiving of degrees, organization members reported.

Special visitors were Mrs. Jewel Barry and Mrs. Julia Leake of Bovina; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Buchanan of Friona, and Tom Foster of Farwell.

Members present were Betty Foster, Joan Spurlin, Kathryn Magness, Marcia Foster, Nancy Aldridge, Peggy Hardage, Ysleta Brown, Gloria Sanders and Lavoyda Billington, all of Farwell;

Margie Leake, Lillie Elison of Bovina; Joyce Ann Miller, Mary Lou Miller and Gay Ann McFarland of Friona.

Eastern Star members will entertain the Rainbow girls at their next meeting, March 19.

Mrs. M. A. Snider, Jr. Friona Shower Honoree

Mesdames Herbert Day, Calvin Talley, D. O. Robason, Claude Blackburn, Juan Eskew, Sam Jones, Leonard Haws, and J. M. McFarland were hostesses Tuesday afternoon for a shower in honor of Mrs. M. A. Snider Jr.

The shower, which was held in the Friona Women's Club House, was attended by many guests. Mrs. Roy Miller played soft piano music as the guests entered, and later accompanied a trio composed of Joyce Miller, Sue Jones, and Lara Hardesty as they sang "Whispering."

Mrs. Herbert Day read a poem to complete the afternoon program, and refreshments of lime sherbert, punch, and cake were served by Mrs. Talley and Mrs. Keith Blackburn.

Mrs. Haws presided at the guest-book.

Present were Mesdames Hubert Day, Bob Roder, Calvin Talley, D. O. Robason, Claude Blackburn, Juan Eskew, Sam Jones, Leonard Haws, J. G. McFarland, Jack Williams, Ollie Liner, V. R. Jordan, M. A. Snider, Sr., Roy Miller, H. D. Mayfield, Chas. Lovelace, Keith Blackburn, Jimmy Cruse, Richard London, Bert Williams, Johnnie Williams, Robert Lloyd, Austin Jones;

Arthur Drake, Carl Fairchild, Julia Fairchild, M. S. Weir, Lloyd Rector, Leo McLellan, Woodrow Lovelace, John Lovelace, T. E. Blackburn, Sloan Osborn, A. V. Warren, and Miss Pattie Gonser.

Eastern Star Brothers Hosts To Ladies, 15th

The Brothers of the Order of Eastern Star entertained ladies of the organization Thursday night, February 15th, when the regular meeting was held in the Bovina Masonic Hall.

Worthy patron Woody McDermitt, assisted by Mrs. C. M. Henderson, presented a very interesting musical program during the evening.

Guest speaker for the occasion was Karl Lovelady from the Muleshoe chapter who gave a very interesting talk on "Angel in The Sun".

Special guests for the evening were the Worthy Matron and Worthy Patron of the Muleshoe chapter, Margaret Collins and Mr. Clump; and Elizabeth Harding and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Dunn.

During the social hour refreshments of sandwiches, cake, coffee and chocolate were served by Hubert Ellison, Sam Rundell, Woody McDermitt, O. W. Rhinehart and Bev Buchanan.

Guild Plans Class On Corsage Making

The Wesleyan Guild of the Methodist Church will sponsor a special class on "how to make corsages" Wednesday, February 28, Mary Lou Cason, president, says.

Beginning at 8:30, the course will be held in the Methodist church parlor, and an experienced instructor will be present. A 50c admission charge will be made.

Money from the event will be used to buy floor covering for the basement rooms of the church, Mrs. Cason says.

Home from Kansas

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stone and young daughter, Kathryn Ann, returned to their home here Sunday, after spending a week in Kansas with relatives and friends.

Bovina Fashion Show Staged Tuesday Night

Approximately 200 people were guests at the Bovina Half Century club's fashion show at the Legion hall Tuesday night.

Background for the show was a greenery-entwined archway banked on either side by palms. White and peach colored gladiolas emphasized the arrangement.

Models entered the stage through the arch and walked down a carpeted stage extending through the center of the room. Both children and women's fashions in the spring motif were highlighted.

Mistress of ceremonies for the affair was Mrs. A. V. Warren and fashion commentator was Mrs. Dorothy Gameral of Clovis. Mrs. Art Mast, Mrs. Warren and Mrs. Howard Looney served as hostesses.

Models were present from Muleshoe, Bovina, Farwell, and Friona, representing spring ensembles featured at Vohs company in Clovis, and Dillons children's wear.

Suits were the order of the day for Easter finery, and spring cottons were shown. The style trend was toward full skirts, fitted bodices, soft materials and lavish color, with particular emphasis on purples, lavenders, and pinks. Pill box or sailor type hats, with a trend toward veils and patent leather accessories were shown extensively. Another new spring trend is the use of velvet trim for summer.

Refreshments of coffee and cookies were served; and musical numbers were presented at intermissions by Aubrey Tucker, Doris Wilson, Mark Charles and Billy Derrick.

Forty-Two Tourney Slated At Ranchvale

Members of the Texico Farm Bureau went to Pleasant Hill Tuesday night where they participated in playing Forty-two, for practice. The local groups won by a 38-34 margin with 12 players representing both groups.

High points for the games went to E. U. Scott and Guy Cox of Texico who had 8½ points out of 12, while Leonard and Oliver Kimbrough had 8 for Pleasant Hill.

Another team from Texico tied with the Pleasant Hill runners-up, with an 8 point decision. They were Clyde McDaniel and Olan Schlueter.

A county-wide Forty-two tournament will be held at the Ranchvale school house Monday night, Feb. 26, beginning at 6 p.m.

Groups participating in the tourney will include Pleasant Hill, Texico, Ranchvale, (2 teams); Clovis, (3 teams); Port Air, Melrose, and Rose dale.

Mrs. H. N. Aldrich Feted with Luncheon

Mrs. A. D. Smith honored her house guest, Mrs. H. N. Aldrich with a luncheon Monday afternoon of last week. Mrs. Aldrich has been visiting in the Smith home for the past ten days.

Guests at the affair were Mesdames B. N. Graham, A. H. Overstreet, Jess Newton, Albert Thomas, the honoree, Mrs. Aldrich, and the hostess, Mrs. Smith.

The ladies spent the afternoon doing needlework and enjoying a social, Mrs. Smith said.

Mrs. Aldrich has returned to Clovis where she is visiting in the home of her cousin, Mrs. L. V. Coburn.

Gives Valentine Box

The Ruth Sunday School class of the Baptist church presented Mrs. R. L. Day with a Valentine box last Wednesday, according to class members. Gifts included stamped vanities and scarfs to embroider.

FHA Students Attend ENMU Hospitality Day

Members of the Texico chapter of FHA and their sponsor, Mrs. Jimmy Allman, attended the fourth annual Hospitality Day at Eastern New Mexico University in Portales, last Saturday, February 17.

This meeting of clubs from over Eastern New Mexico and West Texas was sponsored by the home economics club at the University.

The morning program in the University theater was begun with a welcome address by Dean Martin L. Cole, after which the freshmen home ec classes presented a skit. Movies of campus life were shown and movies of each club present were taken at noon.

After lunch in the cafeteria, tours of the campus were made by different groups, guided by home ec girls, followed by a musical program featuring piano, saxophone, vocal and tap dancing numbers, presented in the theater.

Finale of the afternoon was a tea in the lounge of the Student Union Building. Punch and cookies were served to all those attending.

Representing Texico were Carmen Roth, Bobbie Allred, Patsy Doshier, Violet Curry, Phyllis Tucker, Roxie Henson, Doris Leavell, Jo Sandra Magerus and her mother, Mrs. Albert Magerus, Esther McDaniel, Betty Eridges, Anita Brown, Aloma Palmateer, Charlene Allen, Clodine Allen and Mrs. Jimmy Allman.

Auxiliary Meets On Thursday Night

Mrs. Dardanella Helton, president, presided over the regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary, Thursday evening at 7:30. Iris Thornton was secretary in the absence of Mrs. Wilfred Quickel.

The finance committee submitted final plans for game night, planned for next Tuesday night.

Mrs. Helton urged all members to plan to attend the district meeting at Borger, April 14-15. Members voted to buy a piggy bank for money contributions on birthdays, and at the end of the year, the money will be spent for a barbecue.

A program was given on Americanism, with Mrs. Mae Porter presenting the principal address, "What Is The Cost of Being an American?"

The March meeting will be centered around community service.

Mrs. Ray Sudderth served hot chocolate, brownies, and angel food cake to Dardanella Helton, Maude Thornton, Bea Sudderth, Iris Thornton, Ardith Bruce, Ellen Wurster and Mae Porter.

Texico P. T. A. Plans Meeting on Tuesday

Texico P. T. A. will meet Tuesday, Feb. 27, with the Farwell organization as special guests as they study the child in his community.

The program will feature the results of a survey among high school students on student activities outside of school. The questionnaire also reveals the student's thoughts about parent responsibility to him in his social life.

The rhythm band, directed by Mrs. John Armour, will march on the stage to the music "The Doll Dance." They will present two numbers, "Genny Wren," which will be sung, and "Rose Song," which will be an instrumental.

John Adams, teacher, will show a movie on the development of the child in his community. A short business session will follow.

Mr. and Mrs. John Moore of Amarillo visited in the Guy Cox home, Sunday.

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FFA Presents Comic Play at Assembly

Members of Farwell Future Farmers of America presented a humorous one-act play in assembly program Friday, with a large cast participating in the production.

Entitled "The Great Chicken Stealing Case of Ebenezer County", the play centered around a negro trial for chicken stealing.

Cast members included John Christian, judge; Gerald Curtis, prosecuting attorney; Buil Dollar, defense attorney; Bob Gerics, defendant; Duane Martin, plaintiff; Ori Jones, plaintiff's husband; Harold Doshier, defendant's wife; Charles Phillips, reverend; Ronnie Dial, one of the witnesses;

Ted Magness, court clerk; Beryl Nix, sheriff; Jesse Coburn, jury foreman; and Sonny Spurlin, Donald Joe Pipkin, Robert Armstrong, Charles Kellogg and Phillip Cassidy, jurors.

Preceding the play, Gerald Curtis played several numbers on the steel guitar, accompanied by Mrs. Erma Jobs. Jesse Coburn, Robert Armstrong and Charles Phillips also sang a special number.

Companion Class Has Valentine Social

Members of Companion Sunday School Class and their guests were entertained with a Valentine social Tuesday night of last week, with 15 attending the affair.

The devotional emphasizing the class name and history was given by Mrs. Buddy Pearce. Entertainment featured a ping-pong tournament. Winners were Rev. C. M. Fields and Buddy Pearce.

Cake and ice cream were served to Rev. and Mrs. Fields, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Camp, Mr. and Mrs. Ansel Doolittle, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Blain and son, Mr. and Mrs. Pearce, Mrs. T. E. Roth and sons, and Peggy Schleuter.

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Bovina Happenings

BY MARIE VENABLE

Mrs. Katherine Jefferson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jefferson, entered the Friona hospital on Monday, to receive medical care.

Mr. and Mrs. Red Boatman leased their home to Emmitt Tabor, last week. They are moving to Arkansas.

Mrs. Emmitt Tabor, Mrs. Cash Richards and Mrs. A. M. Wilson made a business trip to Amarillo, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gooch have purchased the Buck McCuan home. The McCuans will move to Lubbock the first of the month.

Mrs. Bob Johnston Jr. is working at the City Drug in the absence of Mrs. Pat Kunselman. Rickie Kunselman is ill, but showing improvement.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Gaines and son of Friona and Mrs. Pete Frazier and daughter of Amarillo, visited in Bovina, Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Venable and son, of Amarillo, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd and Oscar Venable, Thursday.

Fidel Baca is on the sick list, suffering with a back ailment.

Mrs. John T. Hartwell is now at her home after receiving treatment last week at Clovis Memorial Hospital.

A covered dish supper was enjoyed by several Legion members and auxiliary members, Monday night at the hall. Canasta and 42 was enjoyed by all.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Minter and son spent Sunday in the J. W. Gooch home.

BOVINA BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The church is looking forward to the spring revival which begins Wednesday night, March 21, and will continue through Sunday, April 1. The pastor, Rev. M. D. Durham, will do the preaching, and Mrs. Vernon Ward will direct the music with Mrs. R. C. Everett playing the piano. The public is invited to attend this revival meeting.

Services were well attended last Sunday for both morning and evening. The attendance record is as follows:

Sunday school, 142; morning worship, 181; training union, 66; evening worship, 111. The pastor has challenged the people to try to increase the Sunday school attendance by five each Sunday and to build the Training Union attendance to average at least 100 each Sunday night.

The W. M. U. met Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 14, for the royal service program. Mrs. Vernon Ward had charge of the program. There were nine members present.

The church welcomed into its membership Sunday Feb. 4, Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Durham, and Mr. and

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Mrs. Henry Young on promise of letter.

The pastor attended the pastors' and laymen's conference Monday, Feb. 12 at Plainview. Rev. Mayo Carpenter, pastor of the Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church, accompanied him to this meeting.

Every community needs spiritual guidance during these trying times. You will receive spiritual food when you attend the services of the Bovina Baptist Church.

If you live within the vicinity of Bovina and you are looking for a church home, the Baptists of Bovina extend to you a most cordial invitation to visit and worship. It is the church that does not substitute anything for the gospel. Why not come and worship with us next Sunday?

BOVINA CHURCH OF CHRIST HAVE SPECIAL SERVICES

The Bovina Church of Christ will hold a series of special services beginning Friday, March 2. The services will continue through Sunday, March 11.

Services will be held twice daily, at 11 o'clock in the morning and at 8 o'clock in the evening. Minister Guy N. Woods will be speaker at these services.

Plans Continue For District Meets

Plans are continuing for the district spring meets to be held the latter part of March and the first part of April. The district will include Farwell, Bovina, Friona, Lazbuddy, Vega and Adrian.

Director general will be Jack Williams of Farwell, W. M. Roberts of Farwell is secretary; and Tommy Hestand and Kenneth Livingston of Farwell are athletic directors. Supt. Smith of Vega will be director of declamation.

Director of debate and of slide rule is Cecil Robason of Friona, with Miss Jett Byerley of Farwell selected as director of one-act play and of ex-temporaneous speech. Supt. Simms of Lazbuddy will be director of number sense, and Miss Verna Thompson of Vega heads the shorthand division.

In charge of typewriting is Prin. Kelley of Friona, and director of ready writing is Mrs. Earl Booth of Friona; Supt. Reno of Adrian heads spelling and plain writing.

Directors of each event are to be responsible for making all arrangements and for solving any problems which arise, it was decided. The officers will help draw up plans for the annual district interscholastic league activities scheduled at Farwell, Friona, and Bovina schools.

Scheduled at Farwell are literary events on April 6, track events on April 7, volley ball on April 6, and one-act play competition on March 22 and 23.

Tennis matches are slated at Friona, April 14, followed by softball April 15.

The County spelling Bee will be at Bovina, April 24 at 2 o'clock.

Junior Tourney Comes To Bovina March 1-3

Entries from eight schools have been received for the Bovina Invitation Junior Tournament to be held March 1-3, school officials announce.

Students who are 15 years of age before May 2, 1951, are ineligible for participation in the tournament. Players who meet the age requirements are eligible for competition, regardless of school classification.

Terrors Take Third In Tourney Play

Texico's Tuckerite Terrors coached by Wayne Tucker, captured third place in a grade school invitational tournament at James Bickley school in Clovis, Saturday.

In the opening game of the meet Friday evening, the locals slid by a James Bickley quint by one point to win, 17-16. In the second game, opposite Melrose, the Terrors lost, 23-33.

The Texicoites were not out of the running however, and in the consolation game Saturday evening, gave the Clovis La Casita team a thorough drubbing, winning with a top-heavy 40-12 score to capture third place.

Nematodes Infest Light Sandy Soils

COLLEGE STATION—Nematodes, microscopic worms which cause root-knot on various plants, infest many of the light sandy soils of Texas. According to J. E. Hutchison, associate extension horticulturist of Texas A and M. College, they are seldom found in the heavier type soils.

Nematodes enter the plant roots from the soil and cause small knots on the roots. This usually stunts the plant's growth and gives it a sickly appearance.

Hutchison says that most of the common garden vegetables are susceptible to nematodes, but only half of them are readily attacked. The other half are somewhat resistant to the tiny worms.

Beans, beets, cantaloupes, cucumbers, eggplants, lettuce, peas, Irish and sweet potatoes, pumpkins, squash, and tomatoes are some of the more highly susceptible vegetables. Some of the less susceptible ones are turnips, spinach, rhubarb, onions, radishes, cabbage, cauliflower and asparagus.

Hutchison says the best way to control nematodes is to keep them out of the fields. To avoid bringing nematodes from infested areas, he advises cleaning the soil from all farm equipment that has been used in infested fields.

Nematodes can be carried in drainage water; therefore, run-off from infested fields should be diverted around the clean areas.

Precautions should be taken to prevent bringing nematodes into clean areas on nursery stocks, bulbs, seedlings, tubers, and roots. Nematodes can also be spread in manure, so Hutchison advises against feeding plants from infested fields to livestock.

Nematode populations can be reduced by including certain resistant plants in the crop rotation. Resistant varieties of soybeans are Biloxi, Laredo, O-too-tan, Acme and Haberlandt. Brabham, Canc, Iron, Monetta, and Victor are resistant varieties of cowpeas. Other root-knot crops are bur clover, crotalaria, and velvet beans.

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According to Reba Staggs, home economist, for this colorful combination you may use ready-to-serve canned ham, "boiled" ham or perhaps leftover slices of roasted ham. Cook the broccoli until just tender. Wrap the broccoli within the ham slices and fasten with a wooden pick. Place in a 300 degree oven until heated through, about 10 minutes. Serve with a cheese sauce (with a hint of Worcestershire sauce.)

If you like, asparagus may be served in this same manner. Ham, also combines in many casseroles for satisfying luncheon dishes. Ham and macaroni is just one example. Chopped cooked ham is combined with finely cut onion and cooked macaroni, moistened with a thin cream sauce and baked in a moderate oven 350 F. for one hour. Or strips of ham may be heated over scalloped potatoes or combined with cream of mushroom soup and served over chow mein noodles.

SPINDLETOP'S 50TH

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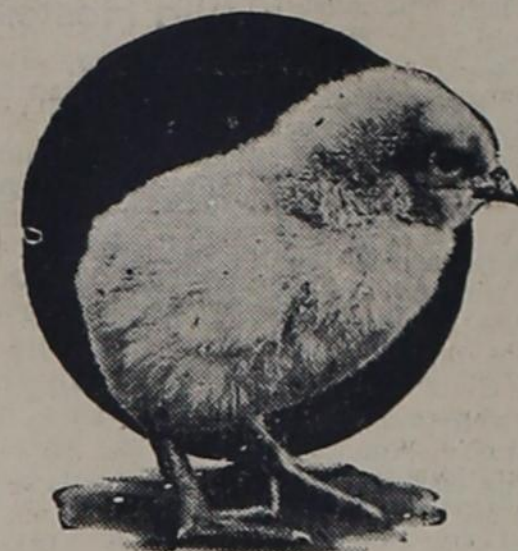
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Canasta Social Is Enjoyed By Class

Members of the Young Adult Class of the Methodist Sunday School were entertained on Valentine night with a Canasta social in the lovely new home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Osborn.

At the conclusion of the evening, refreshments of cake and coffee were served to Mr. and Mrs. Horace Kendrick, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Osborn, Miss Jo Phillips, Miss Peggy Hanson, Mr. and Mrs. Alan Romich, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Massey, Eric Rushing, and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Osborn.

Laymen's Day To Be Noted Sunday

Annual Laymen's Day will be observed by the Friona Methodists on Sunday, February 25th, Rev. James Tidwell, pastor, said today.

Laymen of the church will have charge of the morning worship service, and the guest speaker will be Wilson Arden, district lay leader and a member of the San Jacinto church, in Amarillo.

All members are urged to be on hand to hear Mr. Arden.

Alaska Film To Be Shown To Lions

The regular meeting of the Friona Lions Club is slated for Thursday night, February 22nd, officials of the group announced Monday, urging that all members be on hand.

Ed Boggess, local farmer, has been invited to shown his film made in Alaska.

THORNTON TAKES OVER

S. T. Thornton took over the management and ownership of the Friona locker plant last Monday, having

recently purchased the property from Ray Landrum. Thornton has announced that his poultry and feed business will be moved into the west end of the large locker building in the near future. Landrum and his family will move to Colorado, to operate a tourist court out from Trinidad, as soon as the children recover from mumps, he announced.

BACK ON JOB

J. T. Gee, local ag director at the Friona school, went back on duty last Friday, after having been confined to the Parmer County Community hospital for several days, suffering an attack of influenza.

Lenten Programs

Special services commemorating the Lent season are being held at the Immanuel Lutheran Church in the Rhea community. The services are slated for each Friday night preceding Easter Sunday, March 25th.

To Hot Springs

Mr. and Mrs. Jake Lamb, accompanied by Mrs. Bertie Stowers, departed the latter part of last week for Hot Springs, N. M., where they will enjoy a brief vacation and Jake will try the fishing at Elephant Butte Lake.

In Louisiana

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Anthony Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Antohny left the past Thursday morning for Vinton, Louisiana, where they will spend a week or so visiting relatives.

Visits Here

E. D. Gibbs and daughter, Mrs. Dorma Lee Cooper, both of Hobart, Oklahoma, visited Tuesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Anthony, near Friona. Mrs. Cooper's son, Bobby, who had been here for several weeks, returned to Oklahoma with them.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Anthony and son, Darrell, were in Amarillo on

Monday, where the youngster received medical attention.

C. R. Foote Buried Here On Tuesday

Funeral services for C. R. Foote, who for the past eight years has made his home in Tulsa, Oklahoma, were held at the Friona Holiness Church Tuesday morning at 10:30, with the pastor, Rev. E. E. Houlette in charge.

Interment was made in the Friona cemetery by the side of his wife, who preceded him in death in 1939.

Foote, who passed his 78th birthday in December, passed away the past Friday night in Tulsa. Survivors include four children, Otho Foote and Mrs. Elvin Love, of Lavern, Oklahoma; Mrs. Lucille Cole, of Tulsa; and Asa Foote, of Chicago. One child died in infancy. Other survivors are 12 grandchildren, four great-grandchildren; two sisters and one brother.

The family lived in Friona for a number of years, with the deceased joining his daughter and family in Tulsa in 1944.

Couples Bridge Club Meets Monday Night

The Couples Bridge Club held a regular meeting at the Friona Club House, Monday night, with some nine tables of players enjoying the evening.

High score awards went to Poy Clements and Mrs. Tom Lewis, and refreshments were served by the hostesses, Mrs. Steve Struve, Loraine Welch and Willard Stewart.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Love and son, of Tulsa, Oklahoma, visited Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Day, in Friona.

Weekend guests in the E. R. Day home were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Jasper, of Amarillo.

Wayne B. Stark was hospitalized the first of last week and later taken to Amarillo for medical care required by excessive nosebleed.

Mrs. Estes Bass was released from the local hospital on Tuesday, having been confined there since Friday for medical attention.

Mrs. John Gaede visited the first of the week with her mother, in Tulsa.

TSPE Offers Awards For High School Essay

The Texas Society of Professional Engineers is offering students of Texas junior and senior high schools a chance to enter an essay contest on the subject of "Engineering as a Profession."

Five state awards are to be made of \$50, \$35, \$15, and \$5. It has been the endeavor of the local Souths Plains chapter of the society to advise all school principals of the contest in their area.

Those who desire further information should write John R. Ragland, 1310 Avenue Q, Lubbock, and participating students are instructed to present their papers to Ragland by March 15.

Two Bovina Students Enrolled At WT

Two students from Bovina are enrolled at West Texas State College for the spring semester.

Bob Kelley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Odis White, is a junior physical education major at the college. Also attending is Robert W. Berggren, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Berggren. He is a sophomore agriculture major.

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FARMERS TO BE NOMINATED FOR \$5000 AWARD FOR AGRICULTURAL ACHIEVEMENT

LUBBOCK, TEXAS, (Special)—Call for nominations which will lead to a Texas farmer, rancher or agricultural worker becoming the possessor of \$5,000.00 cash and a gold medal for distinguished agricultural achievement during 1949 and 1950, was issued throughout Texas this week.

In the Panhandle-Plains area, Ray L. Chappelle, Head, Agricultural Education Department, Texas Technological College, Lubbock, and Chairman of Regional Committee No. 1 for the Hoblitzelle Achievement Award for Advancement of Texas Rural Life, announced his committee is ready to receive nominations in its sector.

Other members of the Region No. 1 Committee are: Jason Gordon of Plainview, Lee Roy Colgan of Lamesa, Joe Morris, Merit Mills at Amarillo, and Fred A. Story, Editor of Farming for Profit, at Childress.

Meanwhile, four other regional committees are in like manner set to receive the names of nominees within their respective Texas areas.

The Award, with its \$5,000 cash and its medal, offered as prizes each two years by Karl Hoblitzelle of Dallas, will go to the Texan who has made the most notable two-year contribution to the advancement of agriculture.

This is interpreted as being work or activity, the effects of which have more than any other, caused people to progress in the field of agriculture. It may have contributed to leadership or to inspiration, but it must have had a direct practical application.

Anyone who wishes may nominate any farmer or rancher of Texas, or their wives, or practically any professional agricultural worker, administrator, educator, editor or writer, specialist, etc., other than persons assigned to formal research, provided their contributions have made definite agricultural progress possible in Texas. The nominee may live either within or outside the Region in which he is nominated.

These nominations are to be forwarded, not later than March 1, to the Chairman of the Regional Committee, together with description of the achievement of the candidate and with any available clippings or publications.

Public announcement of the Award winner will be made at the Texas Research Foundation's annual Open House at Renner, in May.

Fred M. Shaw, heading the Foundation's agricultural relations department, is working closely with the various committees in pushing the search for suitable contributions to vie for the Award. Also, the Foundation is chief clearing agency for nominations coming from the regional Committees, to a final Awards Committee of recognized agricultural leaders and laymen.

Members of the State-wide Committee are: Sterling Evans, Houston, President of the Federal Land Bank of Houston, Chairman; J. Walter Hammond, Tye Texas, President,

Texas Farm Bureau Federation; Paul H. Walser, Temple, State Conservationist, Soil Conservation Service; Miss Maurine Hearn, College Station, Vice Director for Women and State Home Demonstration Agent, Texas Extension Service; and L. J. Cappleman, Dallas, State Director, Farmers Home Administration.

Annual South Plains Jr. Fat Stock Show Comes March 19-21

LUBBOCK — The South Plains Junior Fat Stock Show is scheduled to take place here March 19-20-21, it was announced recently by Arles Graham, chairman of the show.

Increased premiums and five additional places in the Angus division indicate that this year's show may be the most successful in 18 years' history. Premiums are expected to hover around \$8000 as compared to last years high of \$7300, Graham announced.

Premium lists and entry blanks have been mailed to all county agents and vocational agriculture agents on the South Plains for distribution to 4-H and FFA Club members.

Dave Sherill, Lubbock County agent, will serve as general superintendent of the show this year. He will be assisted by N. J. Robnett. Other officials in the various divisions are listed below.

Fat steer division—W. B. Griffin, Tahoka, superintendent; Earl Sears, Lamesa, assistant superintendent; and W. L. S'angel, dean of agricultural division at Texas Tech, judge.

Fat barrow division—Ollie Liner, Plainview, superintendent; Lee Roy Colgan, Lamesa, assistant; and N. C. Fine, Texas Tech, judge.

Fat lamb division—J. L. Browning, Snyder, superintendent; Richard M. Cade, Seagraves, assistant superintendent; and Ray C. Mowery, Texas Tech, judge.

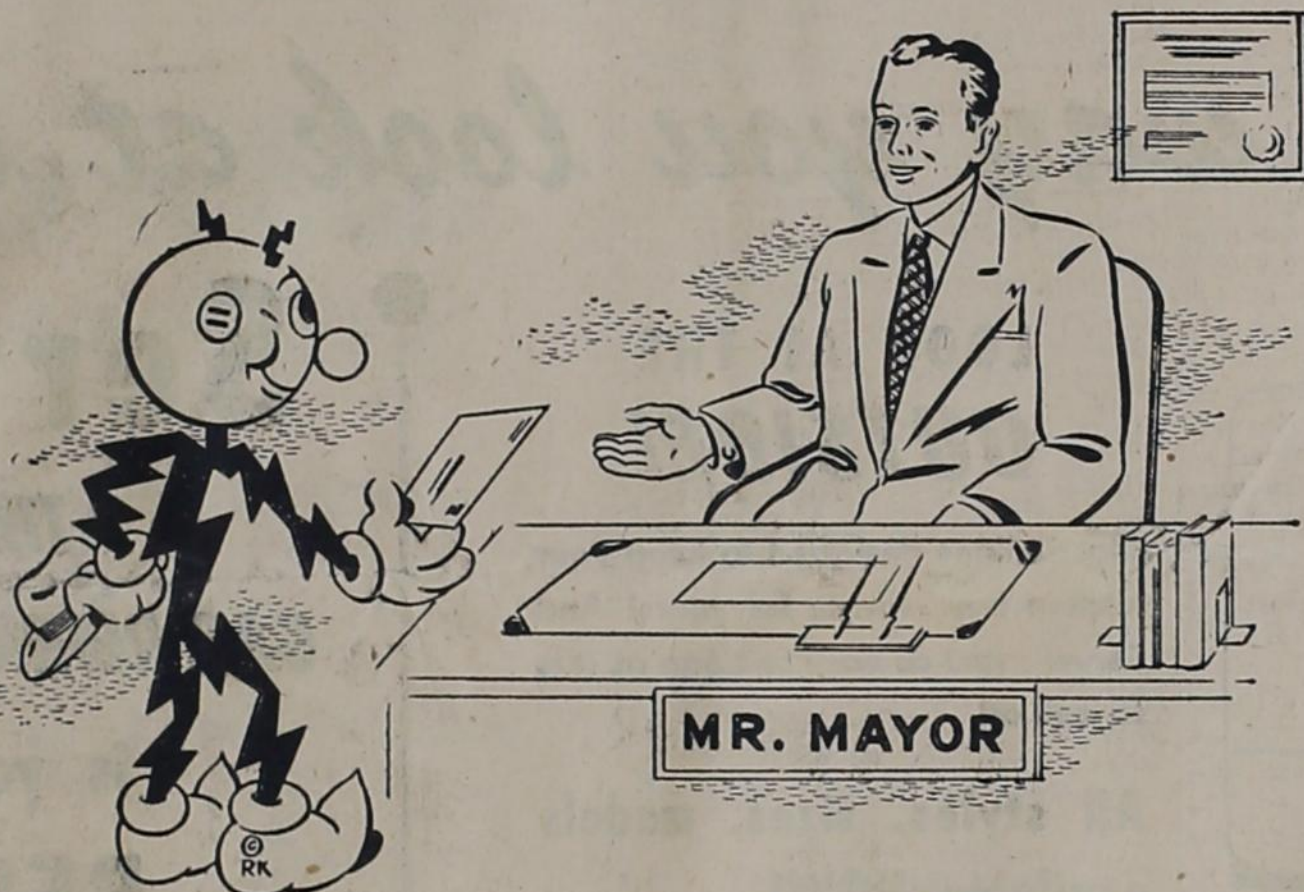
The auction sale of livestock will be staged at 10 a.m. on the last day of the show and will be handled by Kenneth Bozeman and Sons, auctioneers.

DOOSE ATTENDS WORLD PREMIERE SHOWING

John C. Doose, engineman second class, USN, of Farwell, was a guest at the world premiere showing of Warner Bros. motion picture "Operation Pacific", at the U. S. Naval Submarine Base, New London, Conn.

The premiere, which depicted the dramatic actions of U. S. submarines during World War II, was staged exclusively for the submarine force personnel and their guests.

Doose, who entered the Naval service in March, 1946, is presently serving aboard the sub USS Chopper, operating with the Atlantic force.



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Reddy's letter went to your mayor and the governing body of your community to tell these officials, who are in charge of Reddy's rates—his wages, so to speak, why he needs a raise in those rates or wages.

Reddy told them that the costs of the equipment necessary to provide you with dependable electric service have gone up and up in the last few years, and that they've reached the point now where his wages must be raised a little to help him meet these increased costs.

Another part of Reddy's letter told them about the expansion program that Reddy has had underway for about seven years. Because of this expansion program, Reddy has spent more money during several years to improve his service to you than he has taken in for his services. To keep this expansion program going, Reddy has had to borrow money from folks all over the country, from insurance companies, fraternal organizations, savings and loan societies, and just plain folks, butchers, bakers, teachers, the 11,000 individuals who are stockholders in this company.

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service—to bring "new" money into our part of the country, money that creates jobs, taxes, business for stores and shops here—he's asked by the folks from whom he wants to borrow if he's going to earn enough out of providing your electric service to make it a good investment for these folks to loan him money. In other words, Reddy has to convince these folks that loaning him money is a sound investment, just as you want to know that a new job will offer you a sound future.

Up to now, Reddy has been able to borrow this money, and meet his obligations when due, just as you have to meet your bills. But now Reddy has more than \$100,000,000 invested in providing you with dependable electric service, and his earnings on that investment have been reduced to the point where he must get a little more in wages from you.

Reddy is asking for a 10 per cent increase in his wages. He hasn't had a pay hike for many years. Reddy is sure you'll agree his request is a reasonable one for a worker who serves you 24 hours a day.

Reddy wants our area to have plenty of electric power to attract new industries, new people, and new businesses. With this small wage increase, he'll be able to borrow additional money, and be reasonably sure of paying the interest, the wages for borrowing, on the money. And, most important to you, and to Reddy, electric service will continue to be the biggest bargain in your family budget.



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Neill Is New SCD Farm Cooperator

K. W. Neill, farming B. E. Roberson's place in the Black community, is a new Farmer SCD cooperator, Bill Kennedy, supervisor of the county office, announces.

In the opinion of Kennedy, "Neill has one of the best farm plans we have seen in a long time. It takes in a host of conservation practices and shows a balance in farming operations."

Directly behind the farmstead is a good-sized plot of native grass, next to which is 30 acres of irrigated pasture. The irrigation well sits next to 21 acres which will be devoted to sorghum, with a second irrigation well adjacent to a 21-acre plot which Neill plans to use for lettuce. Just off the road will be a 65-acre patch of Hubam clover.

On the east side of the farm, directly in front of the farmstead will be a 30-acre patch of sorghum, a good-sized grass strip followed by another 50 acres devoted to sorghum. Next comes 15 acres planned for beets, 30 acres more of sorghum, 55 acres of wheat, and another grass strip. At the south end of the farm will be a divided plot, 40 acres of beets and 30 acres of wheat.

Looking over the set-up, Kennedy pointed out that applicable conservation practices could include cover cropping (legumes), stubble mulching, strip cropping, seeding pasture, pasture improvement, irrigation land preparation, rotation of hay or pasture, and improved water application.

The clover plot will be nothing new to Neill, who last year grew clover, improved his land, and harvested the seed. "If anyone is looking for good Hubam clover seed, he has 2 to 10 thousand pounds for sale," Kennedy added.

Week's Work Listed By SCS Supervisor

Engineers of the Parmer County SCS office made a topographic map for Roy and J. R. Euler in the Black community last week. Nearly all of the Euler land lays almost perfectly for irrigation except 10 or 12 acres in the southwest corner.

Sanders and Terrell, working with ideas offered by Euler, will be able to use the map in planning an irrigation system for the steep area.

J. R. Euler is considering getting a one-and-one-half-yard carryall, and asked that if anyone else is interested they contact him.

F. T. Schlenker, out in the Rhea community, would like to get trees

for a windbreak. According to Harry Peevehouse, SCS technician in Hereford, the regional nursery has Chinese elm, green ash, honey locust, cottonwood, red cedar, Austrian pine and Western pine. However, Peevehouse thinks it may be too late to order such trees this year.

Farmers visiting in the SCS office last week included C. D. Greeson of Black; Eric Rushing, Friona; J. A. Lamb, Friona; V. H. Bewley, Muleshoe; and L. E. McKillip, Farwell.

Spring Revival To Be Held By Methodists

A spring revival will be held in the Friona Methodist Church the week following Easter Sunday, beginning on Sunday night, March 25, and continuing through April 1.

Rev. James Tidwell, pastor, announced that the speaker during the week would be Rev. Carradine R. Hooton, executive secretary of the Methodist board of temperance, of Washington, D. C. Rev. Hooton is well known over this area, having served as a pastor in Amarillo, Dallas and Oklahoma City, as well as filling the position of district superintendent.

Tentative plans call for a men's breakfast to be held each morning during the revival at the church annex, but Rev. Tidwell said definite plans would be announced later.

Mrs. McKenzie Dies Here On Saturday

Mrs. Nancy Elizabeth McKenzie, 77 years of age, passed away at the Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona the past Saturday morning, February 17, at 6 o'clock, following an illness of some three months.

Funeral services were held at the Avenue Baptist Church in Hereford, Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with Rev. H. V. Fields, pastor, in charge. Interment was at Hereford, with Gilliland Funeral Home in charge.

Mr. and Mrs. McKenzie moved to Deaf Smith county from Grosbeck some years ago, residing in Hereford. Shortly before the end of 1950 the couple took up residence in Friona.

Survivors include her husband, L. J. McKenzie of Friona; five daughters, Mrs. Eula Kuykendall of Friona, Mrs. Etta Mae Kuykendall of Hereford, Mrs. Elizabeth Triplet of Cimarron, N. M., Mrs. Jenny Lee Triplet of Farmington, N. M., and Christine Denny of Elgin, Okla.; five sons, Adell, Edell and Keith, all of Hereford; Rance and L. J. of Muleshoe; 29 grandchildren and 11 great-grandchildren.

Bids For New City Hall To Be Asked

Construction bids for Friona's new city hall will be asked this week, Roy Wilson, city manager, said on Monday, with the advertisement setting the deadline as March 12th.

Architect's plans were okayed by the city fathers the past weekend, following some slight changes which would include additional space for storage of fire equipment and a work room.

City officials are hopeful that the contract can be let shortly and work on the project done in the summer.

Re-Advertise On Paving
Wilson also reported that paving plans for the city residential districts would be revamped and the city will again ask for bids on such work.

Recent advertising brought no bids on the project, Wilson said, due principally to the financial set-up, and it is hoped that changes can be worked out so that a contract will be secured.

The paving project will fairly well cover the main residential sections of the town, according to current plans.

Special Program At Church, Wednesday

On Wednesday night, February 21, a special program will be held at the Friona Methodist Church, when Dr. Robert F. Harrington, president of Sam Houston Methodist College of Austin, will appear as a speaker.

Dr. Harrington will be accompanied by the Williams Brothers Quartet, the group being composed of Earl, Cecil, Maurice and Jack Williams, all sons of a Methodist minister. Cecil is also a pastor. Dr. Harrington will speak in behalf of the college and tuition scholarships for talented and deserving young people.

All residents of the community are invited to attend the program, slated to begin at 7:30. Rev. James Tidwell, pastor, said today. Rev. Tidwell added that regular choir practice would be held following the program.

Local FFA Boys Win Places At Hereford

Friona FFA clubbers, exhibiting swine at the four-county club show held in Hereford during the past weekend, came home with a fair share of honors, J. T. Gee, ag instructor, reported this week.

Harris Dunn carried off both first and second place honors in the light Poland division, while in the heavy-weight division of the same breed the Friona boys practically made a clean sweep, with Jimmy Gore taking first and second, W. A. Tinney rating third and fourth, and Jackie Rule, fifth.

In the auction sale conducted as the finale of the show, all animals owned by the Friona group were sold, Gee added. Dunn drew top money of 60c per pound for his 200-pound animal, and Gore got 40c per pound for a 245-pound hog.

Interest Is Shown In Cotton Gin

Considerable interest in erection of a cotton gin in Friona was evidenced the past Tuesday night, when farmers of the community held a meeting at the school building.

With cotton planting restrictions lifted for 1951, indications during the past several weeks have been that quite a bit of acreage in this area would be turned to the staple, providing, of course, that weather conditions are right.

Friona has been without the services of a gin for more than a year, the building and contents being owned by Bert Chitwood having burned to the ground on Christmas Eve, 1949.

Committees have been named to contact interested farmers and businessmen over the area, with a view of building a corporation gin.

Water Main Work Is Almost Finished

The switch-over from small to large water lines over a major portion of Friona is expected to be completed this week. The work is under contract to H. B. Jordan & Co., of Plainview.

Roy Wilson, city manager, said on Monday that the ditch-digging crew had "only one more block" to go in laying new lines, but that they would then back-track to pick up some of the discontinued smaller lines still underground.

Providing the weather continues good, the work is expected to go forward rapidly and will be concluded in a few days.

Steel Standards Are Erected On Main

Steel light standards with their accompanying new street lights have been erected in the principal business district of Friona during the past few days by workmen representing the Southwestern Utilities company.

The new lamps will be a great improvement in the business area.

Workmen the first of the week began removal of the old wooden poles except in a few instances where crossing lines necessitate their remaining.

Study Clubs Act As Joint Hostesses

The Modern Study Club and the Friona Womens Club were joint hostesses at their February meeting, February 13th, at 2:30 p. m., at the Club House, with the Junior Study as guests.

Minutes of the previous meetings were dispensed with and Mrs. Wesley Hardesty, president of the Friona Womens Club, welcomed the guests and introduced the guest speaker, Mrs. O. G. Hill, member of the Pioneer Study Club of Hereford.

Mrs. Hill reviewed the book, "Room For One More", by Anna Perrott Rose, in a very interesting and instructive manner to the 37 members and guests present.

Following Mrs. Hill's talk, two vocal solos, "Viennese Melody" and "Rain on the River" were rendered by Don Edwin Lewis, accompanied by Mrs. Roy Miller at the piano. The program was thoroughly enjoyed by all and received with applause.

During the social hour, members and guests were served refreshments from a tea table laid with a lace cloth and centered with an artistic arrangement of red and white sweet peas, flanked by white tapers in silver holders. A Valentine motif was carried out in the serving of sandwiches and cookies. Mrs. J. T. Gee, president of the Modern Study Club, presided at the silver coffee service and Mrs. Floyd Reeve, Friona Womens Club, presided at the silver tea service.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mesdames J. T. Gee, Wesley Foster, Roy Miller, Mack Bainum, Eugenie Boggess, of the Modern Study Club; and Mesdames Wesley Hardesty, Roy Slagle, Charles Russell and Floyd Reeve, of the Friona Womens Club.

The next meeting of the Friona Womens Club will be February 28, at the Club House.

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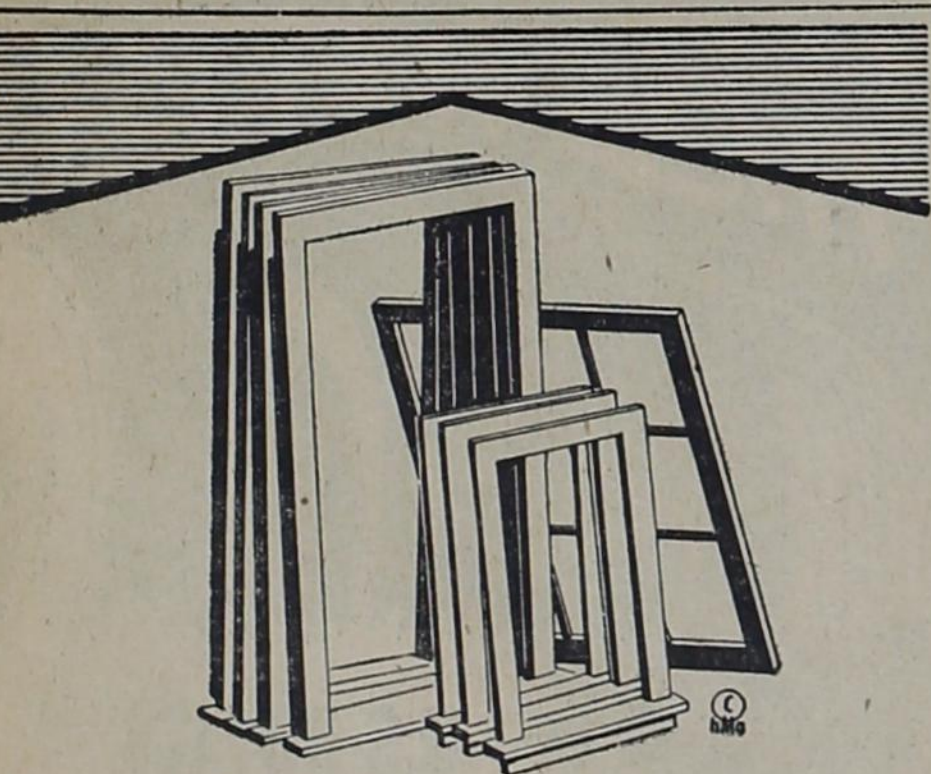
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FFA BOYS PRESENT ASSEMBLY

Texico FFA chapter presented an assembly Thursday. The boys gave an exhibition of a regular meeting and initiated the Green Hands, the boys that enrolled in Ag this semester.

Each officer sat at his station representing an emblem of FFA. W. O. Reid, president, presided over the meeting and sat at the Rising Sun. James King, vice-president, at the Plow, Aryle Crooks, secretary, at the Ear of Corn, Gayle Doolittle, treasurer, at a Bust of Washington, Jesse Cox, reporter, at the American Flag, and Carl Schmitt, advisor, at the Owl. Each of the Green Hands was presented with a bronze emblem.

Those receiving emblems were: Bobby Christian, Terry Horton, Keith Scott, Clyde and Claude McDonald, Roy Snodgrass, Kenneth Allred, Emory Baker, T. A. Autry, Darrel Harris, Paul Crooks and Billy Joe Gates.

Other members of the FFA club

are J. B. Taylor, Kenneth Doolittle, Jimmy Moss, T. W. Parton, Dee J. Brown, Bobby Pendagrass, Billy Murdock, Ronnie Ferguson, Donnie Engram, Kennard Harris, Andre Palmateer, Jerial Doshier, Gene Armstrong and Ronald King.

FFA marches were played by Mrs. John Armour on the piano preceding and following the meeting.

FEATURE ON VALENTINE DECORATIONS

The Texico grade school rooms featured Valentine decorations including calendars, boxes, Valentine girls and boys, and Lincoln and Washington pictures.

For their fathers the first grade students made calendars covered with white lace with red hearts in the center and inside the hearts were pictures of each student. These calendars bordered the black boards. For their mothers, they made Valentine dolls which were placed in a heart shape on one of the black

boards.

The refreshment table was covered with white paper with a strip of red paper down the middle. Some of the cookies were heart-shaped and others were cream colored with the students' names in red. Place mats which were made by the students were white with red Valentines.

The second grade students had calendars and heart-shaped vases bordering their room. They also made Valentine dolls for their mothers.

Third-grade pupils made Valentine dolls with hankies for their mothers and their room was bordered with Valentine calendars, Valentine faces, and hatchets and cherry branches representing Washington.

On their bulletin board they had pictures of Washington and Lincoln, and it was bordered with Valentines. Their Valentine box was red, and the table it sat on had red and white streamers hanging from it.

SENIOR OF THE WEEK

Bobbie Dawn Allred, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Allred, who operate the Allred Service Station, was born May 25, 1933, at Wellington, Texas. She moved to Texico with her parents when she was in the fourth grade, and has lived here since.

Bobbie is a candidate for Wolverine beauty, vice-president of the F. H. A. Club, and a leader in the Pep Club. She is also an active member in the Quill and Scroll club, dramatics club, and F. B. L. A.

Bobbie has lettered for four years in basketball, baseball, and volleyball. She likes the colors green and white, the song "Harbor Lights," and to please her at mealtime there is nothing better than fried chicken.

After her year's work in high school, Bobbie plans to be a secretary.

COME TO THE CIRCUS

Mrs. C. B. Stockton, second grade teacher, reported today that her students have taken up the unit on the circus. In this unit they are learning the names of different animals, what they are fed, and how they are cared for.

Each student is working on a circus book containing such subjects as "The Circus Is Coming," "Getting Ready for the Circus," "The Parade," "The Circus Begins," "The Circus Is Over," and "Going Home."

When the books are completed they will be put on display in the room. The pupils are also making circus pictures to go with the books.

Jerry Thigpen and Judy Adams have been absent this week with colds.

FIRST GRADE PARTY

First grade room mothers, Mrs. Gilbert Watkins and Mrs. John Lock-

hart, assisted by Mrs. LeRoy Faville, teacher, sponsored a Valentine party for the room Wednesday, February 14.

Several Valentine songs were sung and the gifts from a huge Valentine box were distributed to the pupils.

Refreshments of decorated Valentine cookies and soda pop were served to the first graders and their guests.

Special guests were: Shari Schmitt, Dorothy Hapke, Tony Tunnell, Jeanie Rhea, Linda Hadley, Oriol Curtis, and Wayne Crawley.

FOURTH GRADE NEWS

The fourth grade students made dolls for their mothers, but in this class no two dolls were alike. They also made Valentine men. Their Valentine box was red with a gold heart in front.

The fifth and sixth grade room was decorated with Valentines and calendars. Both grades had separate Valentine boxes.

CLASS PARTY CONSIDERED

Members of the Junior Class met Monday afternoon and voted to have a class party with guests.

A committee was appointed by the president, Andre Palmateer, to secure information on when the party could be held, and what to serve.

Members of the committee, to report at the next meeting are, Patsy Doshier, Bobby Christian, Margie Reid, Marsha Peterson and Andre Palmateer.

SECOND GRADE HAS VALENTINE PARTY

Texico second grade students were entertained with a party February 14 in their classroom, sponsored by room mothers Mrs. Jack Wilmeth, Mrs. John Adams, and Mrs. Jim Moss, who served refreshments of punch and cookies.

A musical game using Valentine rabbits was played, with Alfred Stover winning the prize. After the game, Valentines were distributed to the students.

TEXICO 1950-51 ANNUAL IS COMPLETED

"The Wolverine", Texico school annual, has been completed and forwarded to Taylor Publishing company for finishing and printing, according to Mrs. Agrie Jones, sponsor.

"The annual this year has the best cross-section of a whole year's activities that we have been able to provide for the past several years," she commented.

Division pages are novel this year and are completely different from any others ever used in Texico year books in that they have been drawn by hand by three young artists—Jimmy Horton, Jerry Jester, and Mary Lou Hatcher. Pictures of the Wolverine engaged in various school activities are featured.

Several special pages, among them the Wolverine Beauty, will be included this year. Judges have chosen the beauty and she will be revealed when the annuals arrive. The eight girls selected by various clubs over the campus to compete for the title are Yvonne Horton, Margie Reid, Bobby Allred, Violet Curry, Jo Beth Engram, Mary Lou Hatcher, and Anita Brown. Other pages will feature the remaining contestants as "blossoms".

Also revealed will be the most popular boy and girl, the student with the best personality, class favorites throughout the school, and the best all-round boy and girl, selected by the faculty on the basis of scholarship, personality, sportsmanship, etc.

DAR Pilgrim Carmen Roth and alternate Jo Beth Engram, FHA Prince Charming, Aryle Crooks, and FFA Sweetheart, Roxie Henson, will also be pictured.

Mrs. Jones stated today that more action pictures of softball, basketball and track are included this year than ever before, as well as each ac-

tivity and school play or program which has been given, including the junior-senior banquet.

This year's copy of the school yearbook will contain 85 pages, and is expected to arrive for distribution about April 17. Deposits may still be paid to any member of the senior class.

SPEAKS TO STUDENTS

Agrie Jones, superintendent, gave an impromptu speech on "The Importance of Public Speaking for a Student" to members of the Dramatic Club when they met in regular session, Wednesday.

Jo Beth Engram, president of the club, announced that books of stunts and pantomimes have been ordered for the group to use in assemblies.

THIRD GRADE NEWS

In observance of George Washington's birthday and in connection with their art work, third graders have made pictures of Washington, Liberty bells, cherries and axes. All of this art work has been used on the border around the blackboard.

Members of the third grade have completed work in their geography book, "Our Earth", and have now started work in a science book, "Our Earth and Sky", stated Mrs. Frank Seale.

Two new items have been contributed to the third grade room. The room is very proud of a world globe given them by Mrs. B. A. Rogers' room and a goldfish given them by LaDonna Stewart.

THIRD GRADE PARTY

Members of the third grade and their guests were entertained with a Valentine party Wednesday afternoon in Mrs. Frank Seale's room.

Valentines were passed out then refreshments furnished by the room mothers, Mrs. W. E. Harvey and Mrs. John Hadley, were distributed.

Valentine cookies, candy and pop were served. Favors for the party were dolls made out of Valentine suckers.

FIFTH, SIXTH GRADES HAVE VALENTINE PARTY

Members of the fifth and sixth grades and their guests enjoyed a Valentine party in E. U. Scott's room Wednesday afternoon.

Valentines were passed out from both the fifth and sixth grade boxes, and refreshments consisting of pop and cookies were served.

Guests for the occasion were Mrs. E. U. Scott, Mrs. John Adams, Mrs. Henson, room mother, and Wayne Crawley.

SOPHS PLAN PARTY

Members of the Sophomore class met Monday and voted to have a party soon after the close of basketball season.

The meeting was presided over by President James King, who appointed a refreshment and game committee consisting of Esther McDaniel, Marjorie Brown, Gene Armstrong, and Robert Tucker.

The committees will report at the next meeting.

NEW HISTORY BOOKS

Fifth and sixth graders have received new history books. It is New Mexico history and tells about the beginning of New Mexico, and important historical data of the state.

STUDENT COUNCIL MEETS

Student Council met last Tuesday for their regular meeting with President Walyne Tucker in charge.

The council discussed fund raising campaigns and the fire drill system, which they established. The Council is planning to join the Student Council Association and the National School Assembly Organization next year.

IMPROVEMENTS MADE

Several new improvements were made on the Texico school grounds last week. The fence which the boys recently built was painted silver, old shrubs and trees were removed and new trees set out.

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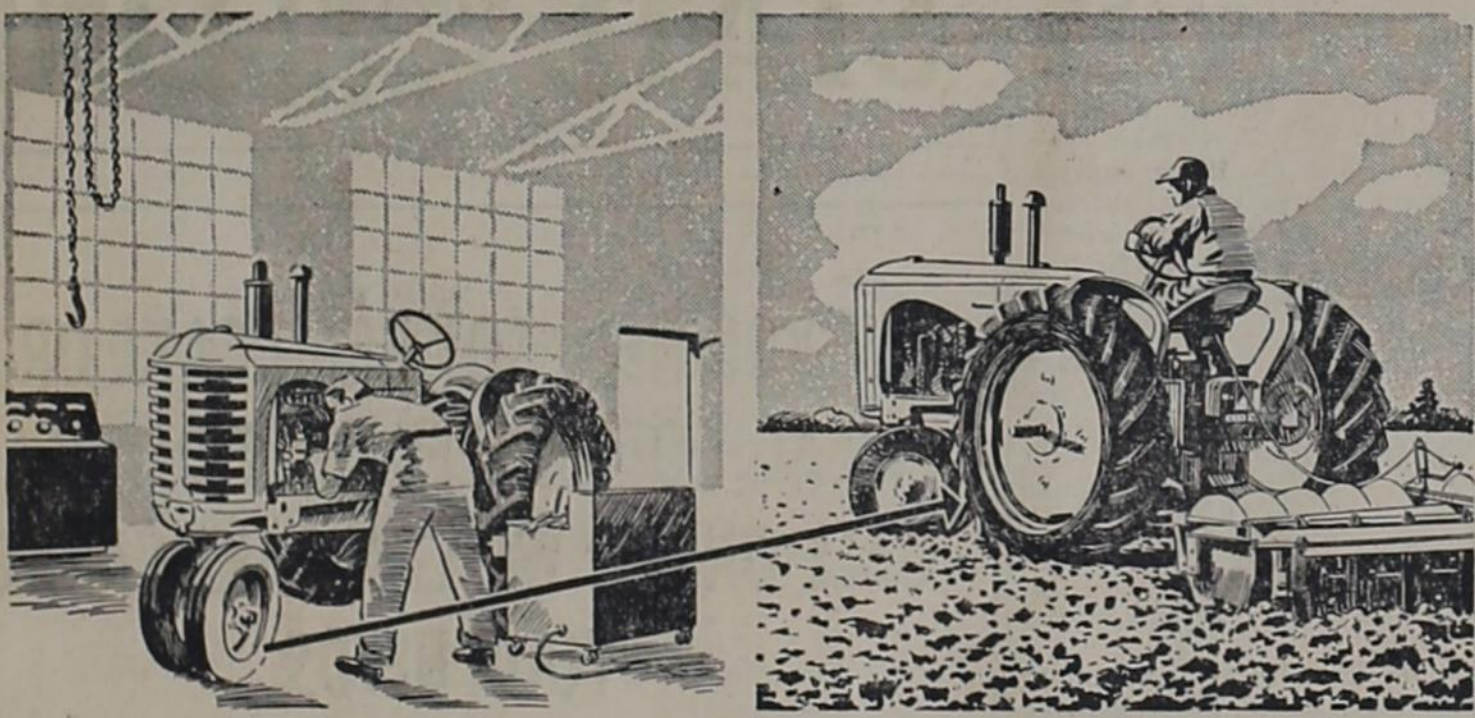
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FARWELL GIRLS WIN CO. CHAMPIONSHIP; THREE MAKE ALL-TOURNAMENT TEAM

Farwell girl's basketball team won the county championship title Friday night in a bitter point for point battle with the Bovina sextette. Both teams are slated to enter the district play-offs this weekend at Happy.

Four girls teams were vying for the two top rankings in the annual Farmer County girls' basketball tournament on the Farwell court Thursday and Friday nights, with Bovina, Friona, Lazbuddy and Farwell in stiff competition.

The county champions were selected on conference games during the season in conjunction with the tournament. Farwell was ahead in the league having lost no conference tilts all season.

All-County Team
Following the final championship game Friday night, W. H. Willoughby, superintendent of Bovina schools, presented the first place trophy to Farwell and the second place award to Bovina. He then introduced the all-county team.

Three Farwell girls won top honors, along with two Bovina team members and one Friona player. Forwards for the team included Betty Foster and Caryetta Grissom of Farwell; and LaVell Pounds of Bovina.

In the guard positions were M. Renner of Friona, June Gay Looney of Bovina; and Bobby Christian of Farwell. Each girl was presented a minute gold basketball award.

Caryetta Grissom was top scorer of the entire tournament with a total of 30 points for two games. She was topped in single game statistics by R. Shaffer of Friona who hit 19 counters in the tilt against Lazbuddy.

Bovina Swamps Lazbuddy
The first game of the contest was Thursday night when the Bovinaites overpowered the Lazbuddy sextette by a top-heavy 31-12 count. The teams began on even footing with the underdogs holding their opponents to eight points the first quarter as they chalked up five points. But the girls from Bovina began hitting in the second to lead 13-7 by halftime.

The third quarter was the best period for Bovina as they racked up ten points and held the Lazbuddians to four. By the fourth period the girls from Lazbuddy were already resigned as they hit only one free shot and allowed the Bovinaians four field goals.

LaVell Pounds sparked the Bovina group with 14 counters, followed closely by Young with 10. Steinbock was mainstay for Lazbuddy with eight points. Six, or half, of Lazbuddy's counters were from free shots.

Two of Bovina's team members, Pounds and Kelley, fouled off; and Koehn of Lazbuddy was ruled from the court.

Farwell Tops Friona
In the second match Thursday evening, the Farwell team doubled Friona 33-16, in a lop-sided tilt, for a chance at the championship match.

The opponents kept both feet on the floor the first period making point for point with the locals, who led a scant 8-6 at the end of the first quarter. But the Frionans lost their rabbit's foot in the second, racking up only one free shot before halftime, as Farwell looped nine counters. Score at the half was 17-7.

Santa Rosa Five Trim Wolverines

Texico's Wolverines fell before a second-half onslaught to lose to the Santa Rosa squad, 38-54 in a game on the Santa Rosa court, Saturday night.

The Wolverines, with half the regular players out due to illness, held the Santa Rosa team to a 21-21 tie in the first two periods, but the opponents smashed through the shaken defenses of the locals to run far out in the lead as the game wound up.

Moving into the last half, the Farwellites weren't to be stopped as they chalked up a record 11 points for that period holding the opponent's to one field goal. Both teams hit steadily the waning minutes of the game, but Friona was too far in a slump to pull out.

Foster and Grissom were neck and neck for scoring honors on the winning team with Grissom hitting 14 and Foster chalking up 13 counters. For Friona, scoring was fairly evenly distributed, with Haws hitting seven and Miller racking up four.

In the consolation tilt Friday night Lazbuddy was pitted against Friona. It was Friona's game from the beginning whistle, as they began hitting, racking up 10 in the first to the opponents four. Moving into the second quarter, the Frionans gained momentum, with a 24-10 count at halftime.

The Lazbuddy team didn't make a point in the third period as they saw the Friona sextette reach 35 on the scoreboard. In the rough and tumble last quarter, both teams were giving all they had, with the Lazbuddians surging to 18 points and holding their opponents to no goal. But time ran out, and Friona won 35-18.

R. Shaffer was sparkplug of the winning group with 19 counters, and Clark and Ivy, hit 6 and 5, respectively, for the Lazbuddians.

Championship Game
Both teams were out to get the other in the championship tilt, which highlighted the tourney. Although Farwell led all the way, Bovina gave the locals a run for their money in the fast moving ball game.

The locals maintained only a two point lead at the end of the first quarter; but moving into the second, both teams were baffling, with the locals topping the Bovina sextette 19-13 by halftime.

In the third period, both Farwell and Bovina's defenses were tight, with forwards moving goalward, only to be pushed back by the guards. Farwell only hit three points during the period and Bovina made two.

Bovina was determined to surge ahead in the last period, but they couldn't seem to get on their feet, while Farwell racked up one point after another, to end the championship session with the locals topping the Bovinaites 10 points, 28-18.

Grissom was point maker of the game with 16 counters, Young paced the opponents with nine.

Katherine Billington was out of school Tuesday, due to illness.



ALL-COUNTY TEAM—Pictured above are members of the girls' all-county basketball team, who were presented after the local tournament Friday night. Left-to-right, they are Bobby Christian, Caryetta Grissom, Betty Foster, all of Farwell; LaVell Pounds and June Gay Looney of Bovina; and Mary Joyce Renner of Friona.

Outstanding Residents—

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present Marshall plan for the rehabilitation of Europe.

Haley could be called well-qualified for commenting on the American plan to get devastated countries of Europe back on their feet, since he has recently returned from a comprehensive tour of these countries.

The speaker pointed out, with considerable irritation, that of all the countries he visited, none needed aid so badly as Spain—"and Franco's Spain," he said, "is as yet a government unrecognized by the United States."

"We've got to build up our strength at home," he said. "If our nation is to survive, we must re-appraise our foreign policies—not with what we would like to do, but with what we must do." Haley contended that the significance of the present US policy toward Europe "was sold to us on a false assumption—and that assumption 35 years ago."

He pointed out that America feels bound to protect Europe because of the common Anglo-Saxon heritage between this nation and many of the countries of Europe. Two of the most over-powering heritages, he said, are Christianity and democracy.

"World War II destroyed titanic powers on both sides of Russia," Haley said, "and now we must contend with Russia herself."

Not Optimistic

Haley was pointed un-optimistic about the present tension between this country and Russia, speaking of the mounting breach between the two nations, and considering for a moment what might be the consequences of an overt act that would plunge Russia and the United States into total war.

"What is the answer?" Haley challenged. "We can't go on sending our boys into other wars. . . . The State Department seems to have made a habit of cleaning up its mistakes with the blood of our soldiers."

Haley here took time to tell of four countries included in his European tour, France, the first country visited, he painted in a picture of good health and prosperity for the nation at present receiving a large share of Marshall plan aid. He saw a similar favorable light in Italy and Switzerland, but again referred to his visit to Spain, the country ignored in the American foreign policy.

The banquet, an annual affair, was held in the Farwell school auditorium, with around 250 guests from the Twin Cities and other areas on hand. Out-of-town visitors from Muleshoe, Lubbock, Hereford, Clovis, Portales, Canyon and Bovina were among those introduced at the affair.

Other numbers on the evening's program included a vocal duet by Kayla Felts and Shirley Smith; a clever skit, "Wild Bill Hiccup" with a cast including Gerald Curtis, John Christian, Charles Phillips, Kayla Felts and the boys' chorus; the welcome address by Mayor Henderson; introduction of the directors of the CC, and presentation of the speaker by Hamlin Overstreet, director.

Mayor Henderson closed the program by naming a number of local men and women whose absence was caused by illness, and expressed the Chamber's hope that the absentees would be on hand "for our next banquet".

Local Juniors Will Play Bovina Teams

The junior basketball teams of Farwell will play the Bovina squads on Thursday night, S. S. Jobes, coach, announces.

Scheduled are tilts between the seventh grade boys, the eighth grade boys, and the seventh and eighth grade girls' teams.

ANNUAL DEADLINE SET

The deadline for submitting material to the engravers for the Farwell high school annual has been extended until March 1, Caryetta Grissom, editor, says.

Former deadline was February 15. Staff members are re-touching cartoons, and making last minute arrangements on the book.

Farwell Will Meet Dimmitt Thursday In District Tournament

The Farwell girls, champions without reservations of the Farmer County tournament last weekend, will have their strength put to test this weekend in the district meet at Happy.

The outcome of the first few games should mean a great deal in determining whether the local girls have a chance to reach the finals. Thursday night at 7 o'clock they meet the No. 1 team from Castro County — Dimmitt — which is considered by most coaches to be the strongest six entered in the tournament.

This assumption is based on the fact that the Dimmitt lassies were state winners last year, and in addition, handed a defeat to the girls' state champs from Iowa at Waco in a post-season inter-state match.

Virtually all of Dimmitt's best players of last year are scheduled to take the court against Farwell, so Coach Jack Williams is bracing his team for stiff competition at the very beginning of the tournament.

Twelve teams have entered in the Happy tourney, and unlike the boys' district playoffs, the matches are arranged in double-bracketed, single-elimination arrangements. This means that if a team is to win the tournament, it must win every game it plays.

Teams included in the district meet are Gray, Adrian, Collin, Castro County No. 1, Farmer County No. 1 (Farwell), Swisher County, Briscoe County, Farmer County No. 2 (Bovina), Castro County No. 2, Donley, Vega, and Wheeler.

Games are to begin Thursday night at 6 o'clock as Adrian and Gray start off competition in the top half of the bracket. Farwell's game follows at 7, as both Swisher and Collin drew byes.

In the lower half, Briscoe meets Bovina Thursday night at 8, Castro No. 2 and Wheeler drew byes, and Donley meets Vega at 9 o'clock.

If the Farwell girls win their first encounter with Dimmitt, they will move against Swisher Friday night at 7. A victory over Swisher would pit them against the winner of the upper quarter of the top of the bracket, which could be Gray, Adrian, or Collin. This game will be played Saturday morning at 10.

In the lower half of the bracket, a win over Briscoe No. 2 would place Bovina opposite Castro Friday night at 8 o'clock, and semi-finals for winners of the bottom half would be Saturday morning at 11.

Third-place playoffs will begin the play Saturday evening at 7:30, followed by finals for first and second places.

Coach Williams, asked to comment on the strength of the Farwell team, said he hoped to have the same team on the court that won the county tournament last weekend.

The girls have been unfortunate in losing three first-string players since the beginning of the season.

Seniors Discuss Plans For Graduation

Senior students at Farwell schools discussed plans for baccalaureate and commencement exercises, and also made plans for the senior trip, at a regular class meeting Monday.

Rev. Herbert Foust, who is pastor of the Paducah Baptist Church, has been invited to address the group at baccalaureate services, due to be held May 20.

An invitation has been issued to Martin L. Cole, dean of the Eastern New Mexico University, to speak at commencement exercises, scheduled for May 22.

Seniors decided to make their annual trip to Colorado Springs, and also announced that play books have arrived for the class play, with try-outs to begin next week.

Joe Jones, county agent, attended the Hereford Fat Stock Show last weekend, where he served as superintendent of the sheep division.

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Texico Draws Causey For District Opponent

Superintendent Agrie Jones attended a coaches meeting in Portales when brackets for the district six cage tournament were drawn.

The meet will be held at the ENMU gymnasium in Portales this weekend, beginning February 22 and concluding the 24th.

Jones reported that Texico was seeded third, which gave them the chance of drawing in either bracket. "Since Clovis is in the upper bracket and seeded first," Jones said, "I drew in the lower bracket with Portales seeded second."

The Wolverines will play Causey in their first game Thursday night at 9:30, Texas time, with the winner meeting the top team of the Portales-Elida scramble at the same hour on Friday night. Going on up the line, this winner plays the champ of the Clovis-Ranchvale and Rogers-Dora bracket in the finals at 10 o'clock, Saturday night.

SPECIAL SESSION HELD

County school trustees held a special session Friday night at 7:30, County Judge A. D. Smith reports. Purpose of the meeting, he added, was to re-define the Hereford rural high school district.

Membership Finale Held Tuesday Night

Johnny "Uncle Jay" Linn of KGNC in Amarillo was guest speaker at the Farm Bureau Report party ending the official membership drive of the organization Tuesday night.

Approximately 320 people attended the affair and over 200 new members were gained. Walter Kaltwasser and Charlie Thompson won Stetson hats for enlisting the most members in the drive. Second place prizes of hand tooled billfolds were awarded to Melvin Sachs and J. Seaton, and Bruce Parr and D. B. Ivy received one and one-half gallons of anti-freeze each for third place.

"Uncle Jay" was also presented with a billfold and given a membership to Farmer County Farm Bureau. Bruce Parr, president of the organization, reported on the telephone progress and reminded people to contact their representative, not to wait for him to contact them. Carl Schlenker discussed the state legislative activities and Melvin Sachs tabulated the membership drive.

A report on cotton was given by Arlon Hartzog.

Coffee, cold drinks, and doughnuts were served to guests.

Mrs. T. E. Roth will go to Canadian, Friday, where she will attend the funeral of her brother, Owen Haines, who passed away following a heart attack at his home in Colville, Washington.

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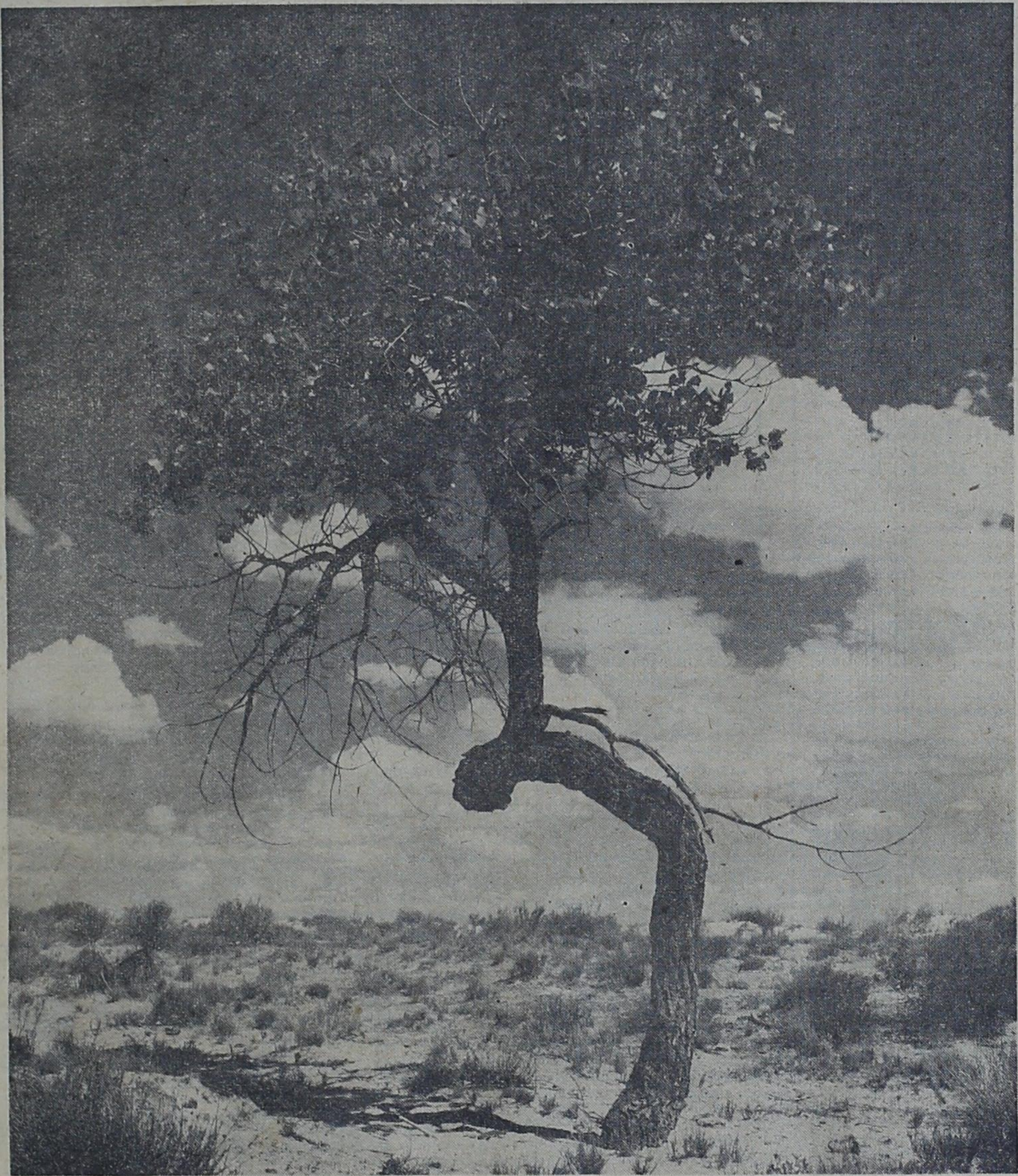
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BATTLE IN THE SUN . . . A lonely tree struggles for existence in the New Mexico desert, where earth and sun wage a continual battle against the elements of Nature under the ancient law of survival of the fittest.

Southwest's 'Human Tiger' Was Crafty Gent

When Teddy Roosevelt was inaugurated as president for the second time he wanted a show with a lot of Western flavor — including Indians.

And so, when the big parade streamed down Pennsylvania Avenue on March 4, 1905, some of the greatest of the American 'originals' — looking like Remington paintings come to life — formed one colorful section of the show.

All of them had fought against the white man — Buckskin Charlie the Ute, Quanah Parker the Comanche, Little Plume the Blackfoot, American Horse and Hollowhorn Bear, the dignified Sioux. All chiefs — these five.

But who was that out in front, daubed in war paint and leading the delegation on a calico pony?

'Human Tiger'

A lot of people present, Army officers in particular, knew him for what he was — an unlovely character, a cross-grained, sour, mean, selfish old curmudgeon, a wholesale murderer who had well-earned the name of 'Human Tiger.'

He wasn't even a chief, like the others. He was Geronimo, medicine man of the Apaches, who for many years had spread death and destruction across New Mexico and Arizona. Geronimo, scourge of the Southwest!

Many people wondered what he was doing there, when he was supposed to be a prisoner on the military reservation at Fort Sill, Indian Territory, now Oklahoma.

An Army officer remarked: "If he had been hanged as a murderer when he was first caught in 1877 more than 500 human lives and 12 million American dollars would not have been sacrificed."

Old Handle-Bars May Be Back Soon

HOLLYWOOD.—Adolph Pagano, prominent "beauty stylist" of Hollywood, and brave as the first oyster man, is the one to be held responsible if all robust men of America suddenly should convert their upper lips into a fertile field for mustaches.

Professor Pagano, who admits he already has many sins on his head, now says he may just as well go the limit and reveal the result of a national survey, personally conducted, which indicated that "women are simply going crazy over men with mustaches."

Well, that may be the way it stands on the distaff side, but there may be dissenting cries from the opposite camp.

Famed 7th Cavalry Picks Sweetheart

The Seventh U. S. Cavalry, which proudly boasts the most front line action of any combat unit now in Korea, has chosen redhead screen newcomer Polly Bergen as its official sweetheart and has bid for the world premiere of "Warpath," the picture in which she comes to stardom as the early-day sweetheart of the same regiment, which is normally stationed at El Paso, Texas.

Notification of this was received by Miss Bergen from Lt. Col. W. A. Harris, present commander of the regiment which first won lasting fame as General Custer's command, and which distinguished itself in the Pacific in World War II.

In a separate letter to her studio, Col. Harris suggested that "Polly, subject to war conditions, be dispatched to pay an official visit to her regiment at whatever may, at the time, be its base of operations."



Geronimo (center) and some of his Apache warriors—a photo made at the time of his final surrender to General Crook on March 27, 1886. The Apache medicine man probably killed more people in the Southwest than any other man.—Photo from N. H. Rose Collection.

Hearse Suggested

The Denver Post said, editorially: "Some of us who knew the old rascal in his war days feel that his proper place would be in a black-plumed vehicle at the head of the procession . . ."

But Teddy Roosevelt rose to his feet and clapped his hands in delight as Geronimo dashed up to the reviewing stand in typical Wild West style. When asked why he had brought to Washington the greatest single-handed murderer of his day, Teddy's only excuse was:

"I wanted to give the people a good show."

This is just one of the little-known stories you will find in a new book by Katherine C. Turner, associate professor of English at Arizona State College. The title is 'Red Men Calling on the Great White Father,

and it is volume No. 32 in the American Indian Series issued by the Oklahoma University Press.

Lots of Humor

The author, an authority on Indian lore, presents an interesting segment of American history. She goes back as far as the time of George Washington to tell, from documents and letters, about the trips of tribesmen to the 'Great White Father' on treaty and reservation business.

It's filled with humor as well as dignity—as, for example, how the confidence of Miguel, the suspicious Apache, was won when he was given a glass eye to fill an empty socket in his face.

You meet in this book the head men of many great tribes, but the story of vicious old Geronimo is outstanding.

A Financier

He was wily and crafty, that one. When he was preparing to leave Fort Sill in response to the Roosevelt inaugural invitation the commandant at the fort gave him \$171 to cover expenses.

Geronimo took the check to a Lawton, Oklahoma bank and deposited all of it but \$1. Then, wherever the train stopped on the way to Washington, he sold autographs to scores of people for 50 cents apiece. He came back to the post with a trunkful of clothes he had purchased, and with a good sum of money in his pockets.

Only four days after the inaugural Geronimo went to T. R. and pleaded for his freedom. But Roosevelt didn't give it to him, and the 'Human Tiger' went back to Fort Sill to die—a captive.

Footnote to History—Era of the WPA

New Orleans Has a Hill—Honest, It Has!

NEW ORLEANS, La.—In some future civilization our wondering descendants, while investigating the terrain now making up this city's Audubon Park, may think they have discovered a strange example of early mound building art.

That's what makes this story a footnote to history. For New Orleans (no kiddin') has a hill—the only one in this part of the country.

As you know, the Delta country is flat and marshy, the monotony of its terrain broken only by the contours of the levees that prevent the Mississippi from dunking the landscape.

Even when a road is built the contractors must excavate down about 15 feet and then fill in with sand and gravel and shell before stringing the hard surface ribbon, and that always means a lot of left-over earth, such as it is.

Well, W.P.A., back in the 1930's, was building some canals and other things of a beautification nature in Audubon Park, and a goodly supply of this excavated dirt was thrown aside. It might have been trucked away and disposed of in various ways, except that someone had a brilliant idea.

Accordingly, a wire went away to Washington asking permission the transfer the surplus dirt to another section of the Park for the unprecedented

purpose of "building a hill."

That, of course, puzzled the big-wigs at national headquarters.

"A hill?" Washington wired back, "What in the world did New Orleans mean? Why in . . . well, why in the name of reason did the city want to build a hill?"

It was all very simple, according to the New Orleans office. Countless thousands of the flat country children never had set eyes on a hill and probably never would have the opportunity, though many were large boys and girls.

"We just want them to see one," said the state headquarters to the national, "and besides, the dirt must be moved anyway."

And so the hill (around \$2000 worth) was erected and planted with greenstuffs, and it's now one of the curiosities of the old port city.

Chief admirers, of course, are the school children, who sometimes go in classroom groups to visit the place for a look-see and a gander . . . and to ride their bikes down its sloping sides.

They think it something of a strange sight, but they can't be blamed for that. Any "hillbilly" from the uplands is inclined to think pretty much that way about it, too . . .

Increased Cotton Production Asked

Cotton farmers of the Southwest are being called upon for all-out production in 1951, and a wide survey is now being made to determine the maximum feasible acreage that can be planted.

Cotton, only recently a surplus farm product, has now become a critical war material, and the government would like to have 16,000,000 bales of it this year. That's about 6,000,000 bales over last year.

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Early Railway Lines Neighborly in Spirit

There has been a time of drouth on Northwestern Texas and to the railroad line which ran between Wichita Falls and Seymour farmers were coming from miles around with water barrels in their wagon beds.

For in this rainless season, with the earth parched and the tanks dry, the meeting of the westbound train amounted almost to a matter of life and death.

Eager eyes in sun-browned faces scanned the sky, but not for a vagrant thounder-cloud. These farmers had almost abandoned hope for any such luck as that. They were looking for the wisp of smoke on the horizon that would herald the approach of the westbound—with the tank car it was pulling.

Water Was Free

Engineer Percy Jones would stop his locomotive at every point along the right-of-way where a farmer waited with a barrel, and, when it was filled with free water from the tank car, would pull on down the line, his ears ringing with such benedictions as:

"God bless the Wichita Valley Railway."

Such was the personal and neighborly service offered in the early days of the century by the Wichita Valley, which Contractor Morgan Jones strung between Wichita Falls and Seymour, a link now included in the Fort Worth and Denver System.

Ran the Show

In those early days this particular line had but one train, and Percy Jones, a nephew of the track builder, was chief of operations, roadmaster, superintendent and engineer. He was, in fact, the whole show, and something more—a personal 'express messenger' who didn't charge a fee.

It is said that he carried many a plug of Star Navy chewing tobacco to farmers along the route, and quite often supplies of snuff to women—the 'customers' many times flagging the train the day before and asking him to bring out

the stuff as a favor.

And once, in a more prosperous time, one farmer had ordered a grain binder which, the train crew set out on the right-of-way adjoining the farmer's fields.

Next day, on the return run, the engineer saw this farmer and his son flagging the train. He stopped.

A Helping Hand

"This binder business is new to us," the farmer explained, "and we can't make the danged thing work. We thought you might show us how to get it goin'."

It took quite awhile but the engine crew got the contraption into operation. That's why the Wichita Valley was late that night at the eastern terminus.

Incidental stories from the history of Western Texas rail development include one about ranchers in West Texas who, though they liked to have rails handy for transportation of livestock, quite often were engaged in lengthy arguments with the lines over claims for cattle killed by locomotives.

Turned Tables

For example, there was Bill Grant, a cattleman who lived at St. Jo. He had, at various times, presented claims and on each occasion that had involved voluminous correspondence—letter after letter in which he was told by the railroad: "when writing relative to this claim refer to file No. 23."

Bill Grant suffered in silence through this maze of red tape. Then one day the railroad, finding that it had under-charged him on a shipment of cattle, sent him a bill for \$1.50.

Grant chuckled to himself and hurried to the nearest postoffice, where he purchased 100 penny postcards. Then he went back to his ranch house, and proceeded to write every day, until all those cards were gone, a few paragraphs calculated to cause extra delay in paying that \$1.50 to the road.

And every card that went out bore an added line which read:

"When corresponding regarding this claim refer to File No. 8."

New Mexico's Oldest Press Being Preserved at Hatch

HATCH, New Mexico — What is reputed to be the first printing brought into this state still is being preserved in the barn of a farm home near here, the Hatch Reporter says in a story commemorating that newspaper's 25th birthday.

It is an old George Washington hand press which was once used in old Mesilla when that town was capital of the territorial government, and it appears to have had a lot of adventures before it was finally put 'out to pasture'.

Thrown in River

When Confederate troops entered Mesilla during the Civil War they wrecked the newspaper office and threw the press into the Rio Grande. It rested there several months before it was taken out, cleaned, and transported to Kingston, where it saw service during that town's boom days.

Still later it was brought to Hatch and used by the Reporter until it was replaced by more modern equipment. In 1940, when Owners Lawrence Simpson and Mrs. Evelyn Brewster, sold the newspaper to L.

J. Fulmer they retained rights to the old press.

They felt that since it had recorded so much history in these parts it should always remain in the Rio Grande Valley, and it was stored at Mr. Simpson's farm.

Jessee Now Owner

The Hatch Reporter, since September of 1948, has been owned by Mr. and Mrs. Grover Cleveland Jessee. Mr. Jessee recently celebrated his 66th birthday and his 50th anniversary as a printer in Oklahoma, Texas and New Mexico.

He started in Tulsa in 1900—first year without pay, second year at \$2.50 a week. In his latter years he has followed the printing trade in Levelland and Sudan, Texas, and in the new Mexico towns of Las Cruces, Artesia, Carlsbad, Hobbs and Truth and Consequences.

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TUNE IN "GRAND OLE OPRY", SATURDAY NIGHTS ON NBC

New Cantaloupe Type

WESLACO, Tex.—A new and mildew-resistant cantaloupe variety has been developed at the Lower Rio Grande Valley Experiment Station and is now ready for distribution to seedmen and growers. It is derived by crossing Hale's Best with a wild melon that grows in this area.

ADVICE ON ORCHARDS

Select the site for the home orchard with care. A well-drained, sandy loam soil is preferable. It should be free of nematodes and away from the old orchard. Newly cleared land is not recommended and the site should have a slight slope and be free from air pockets.

Spring is at your door

The world of fashion will be seeing double this Spring and Summer.

That's the word from the New York Dress Institute as it casts the shadows of things to come.

The rule-of-two will dominate the entire fashion picture. There will be two distinct silhouettes, ultra slim for suits and dresses, super-full for coats and afternoon and evening clothes.

There will be two colors to every costume, with the monotone ensemble a rarity.

There will be combinations of two fabrics, usually contrasting thin-with-thick, or soft-with-stiff.

Double Details, too

Spring fashion sees double in details, too—twin collars, twin belts, double lapels, sleeves, hemlines and brims on hats, double tiers on capes and twin flounces on skirts.

Daytime suits have moulded but not constrained waistlines, skirts look strict even though they usually compromise for walking ease with "back flips" or morning-glory flares.

Evening dresses, on the other hand, have all the intricate furbelows of 18th Century or Edwardian dressmaking — boned bodices, puffed overskirts, back buttons, petticoats, crinolines and even hoops. Many short party dresses have crinolined full skirts.

Silhouette Shifts

The magnetic center of the silhouette will shift from the bosom to the hipline or the back. The taut hip is noticeable in skin tight suit skirts and dresses. Necklines have risen discreetly but backs are coming out into the open, daringly bared at night.

Watch for: A widening effect to the shoulders, still without padding. . . . Extra deep and wide dolman sleeves. . . . Yokes, flanges, big cape collars, elbow-length puff sleeves called lantern, parachute or cabochon and the briefest and fullest of boleros all give bulk to the shoulder area.

Fabrics Light

You'll see unpressed hems on afternoon and short evening dresses. Various called the harem skirt, the lantern skirt, the "marquise cut", the puffed out hemline is interesting and new.

Fabrics are light as air and lightly colored, and never anything but the best. Both textures and tints are termed "atmospheric".

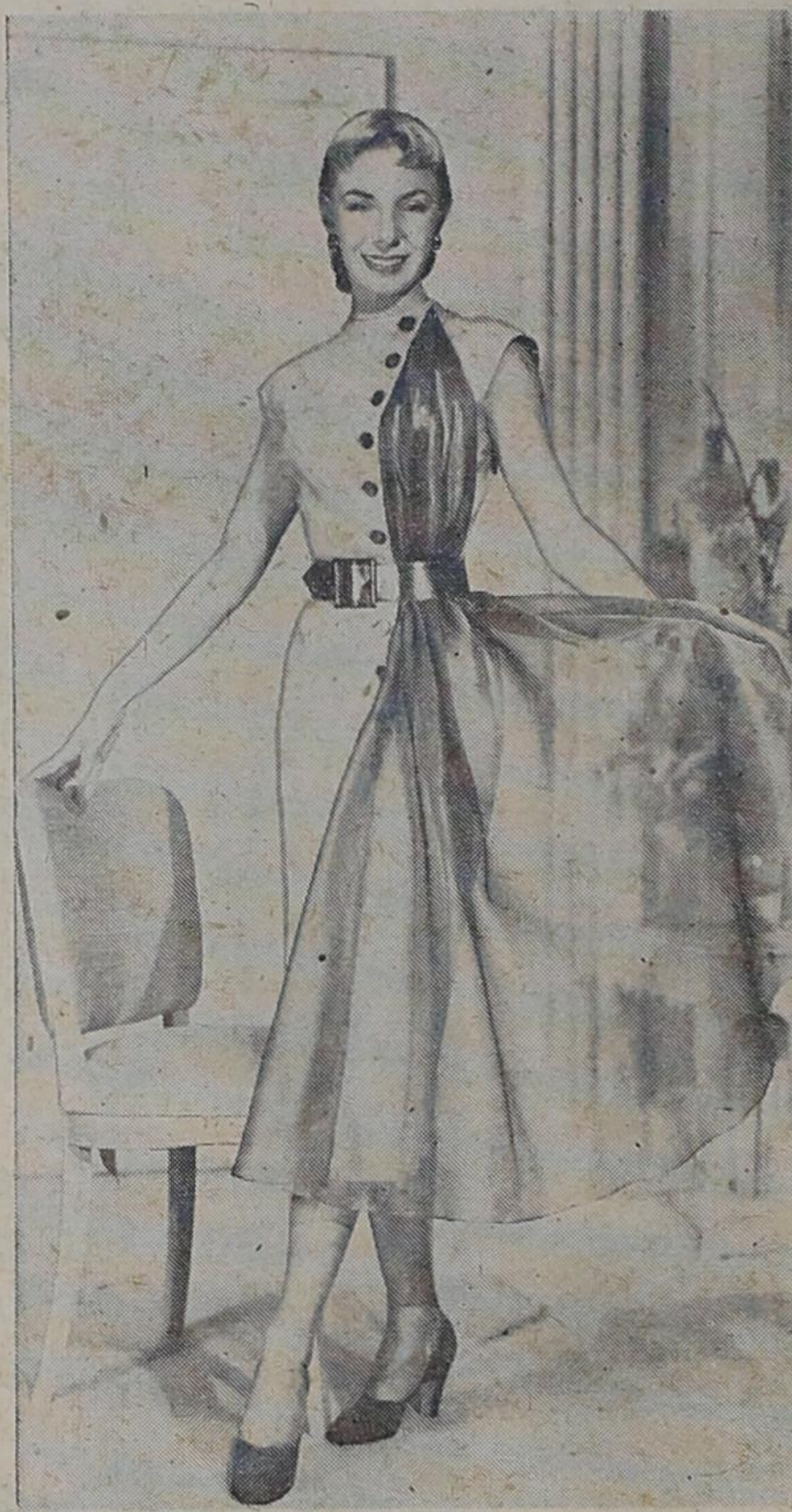
Watch for the return of silk prints for daytime - - Abstracts and florals, very few of "conversation" prints . . .

You'll find sculptured handling of inset fabric bands. Many suits have delicate modelling of self-bows or loops of fabric set into the jacket front. There's much braid and embroidery, ranging from just a touch on a pocket or collar to a pattern over the entire dress; flowers appliqued on bodices and under filmy overskirts.

Good Colors

Colors look good enough to eat. . . and mostly with culinary names: Iced coconut, banana, honey, butter, strawberry ice, currant, white wine, French vanilla, pumpkin, tabasco. . . . Many tones of white . . . wax, white rose, magnolia. Blue-tinged pink called sherry orchid . . . Violet tones from pale mauve to wood violet.

That's the Spring fashion picture. Otherwise, little change.



The Pictures--

ABOVE—Tunic effect in grey-blue dress with white dotted silk taffeta shown by Capri. Suspended pockets are edged with tiny white-balled fringe.

LEFT — In the Jacques Fath manner, Halpert shows a sheaf afternoon dress twinkle-blue handkerchief line paneled with gunmetal silk organza.

Patent Leather In Black Sets New Shoe Pace

Black patent leather vies with smooth calf in wonderful colors for first place in the spring fashion parade, according to the National Shoe Institute.

Women who find it hard to choose between them will find plenty of uses for both in their spring shoe wardrobes. The black patent pump which accompanies a light suit will carry on after five o'clock with colorful printed silk dresses or party bound black silk suits.

New Melon Shades

The smooth calf shoe, perhaps in a bright pastel or one of the new melon shades as a change from the classic red, is right for shopping or country doings in a walking heel height, and transfers smoothly to separates and summer cottons.

Strippings and strappings, bareness, openness, and detail keynote the new shoe designs. Leathers have been pleated, stitched, and combined with other leathers and fabrics.

A Midway Heel

Dressy flats are often open-backed, highly-colored. Heel heights vary but the new midway heel, graceful and slender-looking with an illusion of height, is increasingly popular.

Are You a Fashion Rebel?

Disregard Dress Experts When They're Oversevere

Many women find the stark simplicity of dress, as prescribed by fashion experts, a bit too severe for their taste. Essentially fluffy and feminine by nature, they like to express themselves in their costumes.

Often this expression takes the form of rebellion. Finding the rules not quite to their liking, they deliberately break every one in the book in an attempt to establish their own personalities.

Just Take Stock

When this is overdone, the effect is often unfortunate. No woman can look attractive with a hat quivering with flowers, feathers or veiling; neck, fingers, ears and wrists bedecked with jewels; dress fancied up with bright buttons and lavish embroidery; purse sporting a glittery catch, and shoes made up of intricately wound strips of multi-colored leather.

If you are one of those women who have been rebelling, perhaps unconsciously, it's time to examine your clothes in the revealing light of your shining ideal.

Let no one deter you if your preference is to look soft and feminine, rather than stark and severe.

Map your own road and follow it in your own way. You need only common sense and good taste to serve as brakes.

Many well-dressed women, with a liking for this sort of style, choose one particular item to accent.

This may be hats, gloves, shoes or jewelry—any one of the touches that complete an outfit. They channel all their lavish impulses into one outlet.

When the rest of the costume is toned down, the favorite accessory is highlighted for its best effect. The finished result is feminine but not cluttery.

GOT YOURS YET?

The largest apple harvest in history is reported by the Washington State apple growers. This year's crop of approximately three and a half billion apples will provide about 23 apples for every man, woman and child in America.



Washington himself would be proud to sit down and enjoy a liberal slice of this tempting cherry layer cake.

Here's Cake Even George Would Like

Serving a luscious layer cake piled high with fluffy white icing and gaily circled with red maraschino cherries is a favorite way of celebrating Washington's birthday. Here's your lavish treat if you have entertainment in mind or simply to capture the feel of the season at your family dinner.

Cherry Nut Cake

- 3 cups cake flour
- 4½ teaspoons baking powder
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 1 cup cherry juice and water
- ¾ cup lard
- 1½ cups sugar
- 1½ teaspoons vanilla extract
- ¾ cup chopped walnut meats
- 1 8-ounce bottle maraschino cherries
- 4 egg whites

Sift flour, measure and sift again with baking powder and salt. Drain cherries and chop. Add water to cherry juice to make 1 cup liquid. Cream lard. Add sugar gradually. Add 3 tablespoons of liquid and continue creaming until light and fluffy. Add sifted dry ingredients alternately with remaining liquid and vanilla, beating after each addition until smooth. With last addition of dry ingredients, add nut meats and cherries. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Line bottom of three 9-inch pans with waxed paper. Pour in batter. Bake in moderate oven (350° F.) for 25 minutes. Cool and frost with Fluffy Frosting. 16 servings.

Fluffy Frosting

- 1¼ cups sugar
- ¼ teaspoon cream of tartar
- ½ cup water
- 3 egg whites
- ½ cup confectioners' sugar
- ½ teaspoon vanilla extract

Cook 1 cup sugar, cream of tartar, and water to medium-hard ball stage (250° F.) Beat egg whites until stiff, but shiny. Add remaining one-fourth cup sugar, a tablespoon at a time, beating after each addition. After last addition of sugar, beat until mixture stands in peaks and sugar is dissolved. Slowly beat syrup into egg whites. Add sifted confectioners' sugar and vanilla. Beat well.

Some Help Heat Cold Days

Cold weather means soups in many household and there is none better than one which uses a meaty cracked bone as the basic ingredient.

Many homemakers like to make a large quantity of soup at one time because reheating enhances the flavor. Here's a recipe that makes two quarts.

Cook cracked beef or veal bone in 2 quarts of water until meat falls from it—about 3 hours. Remove the bone, then add the following: ½ cup chopped onion; 1 cup chopped celery and leaves; 1 cup cooked or canned tomatoes; ½ cup each diced carrots and turnips; 1 cup diced potatoes; 1 teaspoon salt and pepper. Cook slowly until vegetables are tender but not mushy—about 40 minutes. Use more salt and pepper if necessary.

Complete the meal with scalloped corn, lettuce salad and gingerbread.

Interesting variation to this soup is to omit turnips and reduce potatoes to ½ cup then about 15 minutes before soup is removed from heat, add ½ cup macaroni pieces.

New Gadgets



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HOLLYWOOD TAKES A BOW . . . AND A PRIZE

Mrs. K. Condon, Hollywood, California, always adds GEBHARDT'S Chili Powder to sauce for Spanish Omelette. She uses garlic, onions, green peppers and canned tomatoes, but it is the GEBHARDT Chili Powder that makes it different from the usual. Of course, you have your own favorite recipe; so just add some GEBHARDT'S Chili Powder to it the next time you make a Spanish Omelette. Other chili powders just do not have the flavor of sun-ripened Chili pods from Old Mexico.



AFTER SCHOOL SNACK

You would think my children hadn't eaten for weeks the way they head for the kitchen soon as they get home from school. One favorite is GEBHARDT'S Sandwich Spread mixed with cream cheese and spread on bread or crackers. I like GEBHARDT'S Sandwich Spread because the flavor furnishes a real treat in taste and it's so nourishing because of its good meat content.

QUICK ENCHILADAS

Enchiladas stand high on the list of Mexican food favorites but they cannot be made hurriedly. Here's a fine substitute for real enchiladas. Place steaming hot GEBHARDT'S Tamales on platter. Then cover with heated GEBHARDT'S Chili con Carne. Grate American cheese over chili and place into oven until cheese melts. Remove from oven and sprinkle with fine-chopped onions. This recipe does not require tortillas—a big time saver.



BUY BY LABEL . . . AND SAVE

When selecting canned meats, the packer's label should be the buyer's guide. Do you know how to read a label? I never buy a canned meat product that does not bear the U. S. Government Inspection symbol. On the label all ingredients must be named and listed in order. Recently while examining labels I found that of 12 different brands of Chili con Carne, GEBHARDT'S was the only one that listed Meat first and ahead of all other ingredients. In GEBHARDT'S the meat is good and lean . . . and there's lots of it. — HELEN HARVEY, 4008 Station A, San Antonio 7, Texas.

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--- Short Cuts in Kitchen Arts ---

Stuffed prunes are so easy the junior miss in the family can fix them. Steam prunes over hot water until soft and remove pit. Fill prune cavity with marshmallow, nutmeats, slices of dried apricots or figs. Roll the stuffed prunes in sugar, if desired.

A colorful winter salad and a very good-tasting one: Calavo cubes, shredded raw carrot, sliced celery and strips of pimiento in lemon-flavored gelatin. Serve on salad greens with your favorite dressing. Nice to prepare hours or even a day before the serving time.

One of the best oven desserts goes like this: Arrange canned cling peach halves, cup side up, in baking dish. Almost cover with a half-and-half mixture of syrup from peaches and orange juice. Sprinkle coconut over peaches and bake a slow oven (300 degrees) for about 20 minutes.

A simple yet all-American dessert is ice cream. It is good to eat "as is". According to dessert fan-

ciers, it is even better when dolled up a bit. Butterscotch or chocolate sundaes take on a new air when crowned with blanched salted almonds.

No party is a complete success unless salted almonds are served. Buy them shelled, in 8-ounce cellophane packages, roast in a slow oven (300 degrees) for 20 to 25 minutes. Add a bit of oil or butter and salt. It isn't necessary to blanch the nuts, they taste good with or without the skin.

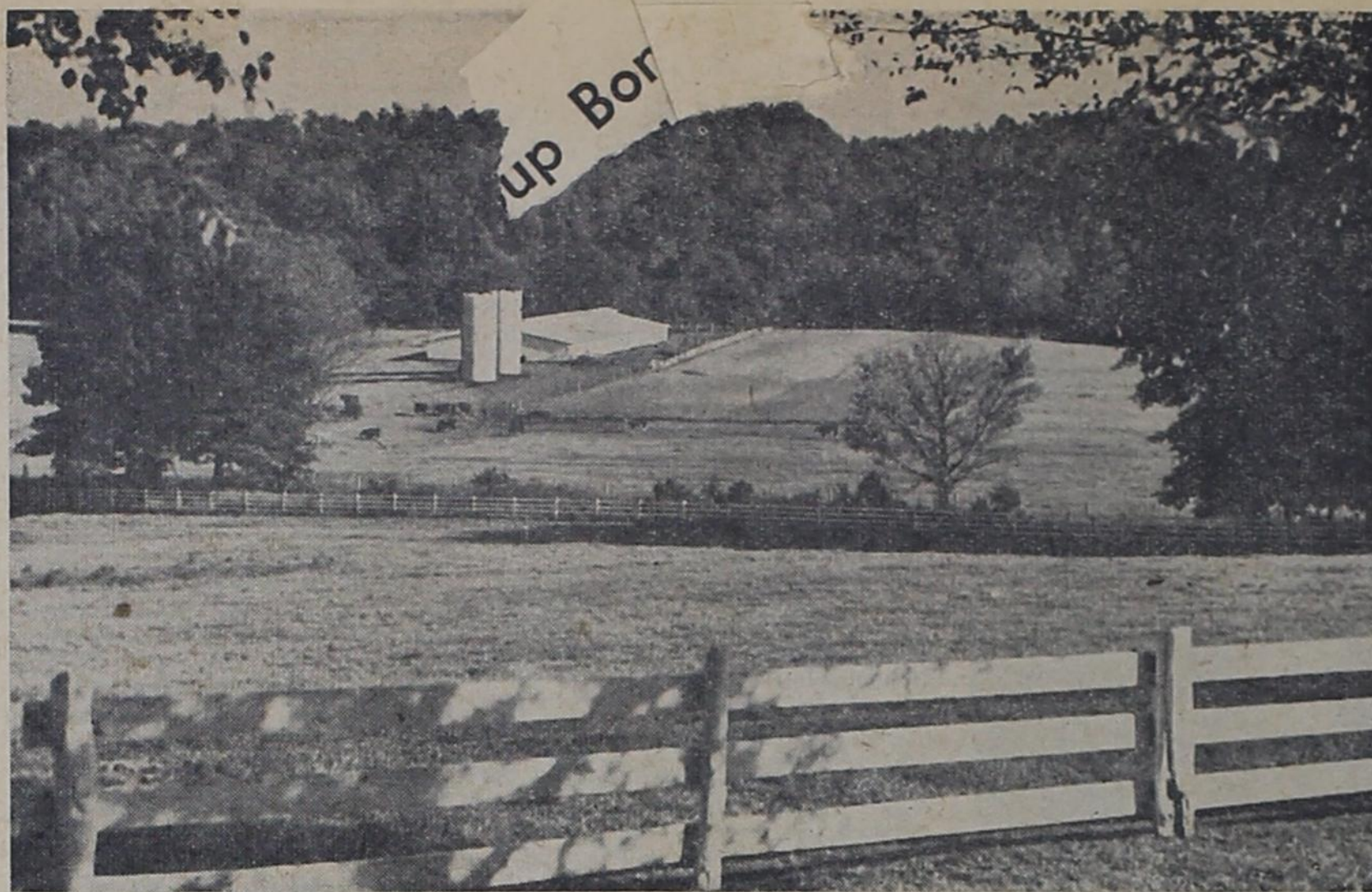


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THIS IS ARKANSAS — The livestock industry is becoming an increasingly important factor in the agricultural economy of Arkansas, with sales of cattle, dairy and poultry products amounting to more than \$150,000,000 a year. This scene shows the K. Rogers Ranch and Stock Farm near Van Buren, in western Arkansas.

Dixie Now Rocking Southwestern 'Cradle' That Fostered American Cattle Industry

A great new cattle empire is rapidly developing within the American family of states and with such strides that the traditional chorus of "Home on the Range" is no longer peculiar to the Southwest alone.

The Old South—the Deep South "ob de land o' cotton"—is undergoing a creeping change as the romantic plantations of other days are being converted into cattle ranches and feeding lots.

And this change, which is becoming more and more significant, all stemmed directly from the Rooseveltian New Deal policies of the 1930s in reducing cotton and corn acreage in such Southern states as Georgia, Florida, Mississippi and Alabama.

Real Competition

Henry Bell, secretary of the Texas & Southwestern Cattle Raisers Assn., agrees with a recent statement by Loren Bamert, president of the National Livestock Assn., that the Old South is giving the Southwestern states—cradle of the cattle industry—some real competition in beef production.

The number of cattle being raised in these Deep South states has been increasing steadily for the past 10 years, said Mr. Bell, and most of the two million gain in the nation's cattle population for the past year is credited to the South—and to the Midwest feeder states.

Economy Upset

"It all started," Mr. Bell pointed out, "with the first New Deal crop control programs in the 1930s. Southern planters, in the face of acreage reduction and no longer able to pay field hands the wages demanded, had to look for new sources of income.

"Many of them began buying Southwestern breeding cattle and turning former cotton fields into pastures," he said. "There was one great drawback—although some of the Southern states have year-around grass, the grass lacks vital minerals. But this deficiency has been overcome to some extent by the planting of vetch and other legumes in the Delta states and by feeding minerals with molasses."

The result, over the past 10 years, has been an increasingly good type of beef cattle in Dixie.

At the present time every week sees from eight to 10 carloads of Hereford heifers, good breeding stock, being shipped out of Texas points like Midland, Amarillo, Pecos, Marfa and dozens of other places—all bound for the Delta states.

This may sound like a trickle when viewed locally—at Midland for instance—but it means hundreds of head a week in the overall picture. And, too, the time has arrived when these new Southern cattlemen think nothing of paying \$10,000 for a bull.

Planters Praised

"The former planters are doing a fine job and making long strides," said Mr. Bell, "but still I think it will be a long time before the South produces the weight in beef cattle that we do in the Southwest."

It is also highly significant that many Western stock raisers are deserting the old ranges and moving into the South.

Florida, long a major cattle producing state, is getting a lot of new residents. A group from Utah has moved into clear and drain 200,000 acres and convert the tract into a cattle ranch.

For years the Lykes Brothers Steamship Line of Houston has operated extensive cattle holdings in Florida; and, as Mr. Bamert points out, many Midwesterners are flocking into the black loam country of Mississippi.

Mr. Bell cites the example of some

Texas ranchers who have pulled up stakes in the semi-arid country around El Paso and headed for the Deep South.

Wider Range

"They're particularly enthusiastic," he said, "because they have found that in the South they can run a cow and calf on two or three acres as compared with 20 or 25 head per section around El Paso."

The Southerners have had rather easy sailing during the past decade, but they've hubbed a little trouble this winter—with the unseasonably cold weather in Georgia, Alabama and Mississippi. Could be that, for this reason, the South won't register this year the cattle population gain of 1950.

But, in any case, the Deep South seems to be gettin' along with its dogies—and shaking the cradle that fostered the industry in the old Southwest.

Arkansas Reports Increase in Deer

Instead of the deer population of Arkansas decreasing, it is growing by leaps and bounds.

Twenty-five years ago the deer population of the Ozark state was less than 1000.

This year the legal kill was 3075 and estimates by the game commission places the population of deer in the state now to be around 75,000, maybe more.

No Middlemen—

Farm Women Making Own Market Pay

COLLEGE STATION, Texas — Home Demonstration Club women near Marshall, Harrison county, have carried on an outstanding project of marketing fresh vegetables, fryers, sausage, and baked goods during the past year.

Myrtle Murray, extension specialist in home marketing, says that a total of \$2,496.18 in produce has been taken in by six of the Home Demonstration Clubs in that county.

One of the market's steadiest producers and sellers is Mrs. D. W. Fogle of Gill who, in a 12-month period, produced and marketed \$1,240.16 worth of produce.

Her average monthly sales amounted to \$103.34. Her net profit for last year is estimated at \$900.

The market is located on West Border Street in Marshall. This demonstration was begun in June, 1949, with the idea of giving the home demonstration women a means of putting into practice the things they learned in their club work and to earn money for home improvements they all wanted.

All items sold on the market are produced under the methods taught the club members by extension service workers.

Regular Customers

By establishing a high standard of quality, this group of women has developed a list of customers who buy out each Saturday's display of vegetables, chickens, eggs, cakes, and breads within an hour or so after opening time.

Mrs. Fogle has never missed a Saturday at the market. She says that fresh roasting ears are the top seller in their season.

"This market has been a big help to me and my family," she says. "With the money I have earned we've been able to install a butane system in our home and my daughter was able to go away to college."

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Canada Bird Flocks Hit New Mexico

Aerial invaders from Canada are giving New Mexico and West Texas farmers plenty of trouble, and the Southwesterners are ready to turn loose the ground guns—peace treaty or no peace treaty.

The invaders are long-necked and tall-legged sandhill cranes, a species of migratory birds that like to eat their meat meals in Canada and their vegetables down here.

That is to say, they spend their summers helping rid the Dominion of grasshoppers, and then move south in the winter to see how much of the New Mexico grain and peanut crop they can consume.

\$50 Per Bird

Naturally, Canada likes the birds, but what Southwesterners say about 'em is usually unprintable.

The rub is that the U. S. Government, under a treaty agreement with Canada, protects the cranes. Federal law imposes a \$50 fine on any person who kills one, and under that restraint New Mexico and Texas farmers have been suffering losses.

The birds seem to know they are protected and have become arrogant. They're even disrespectful to scarecrows, as one farmer lamented: "We can't set up enough scarecrows to do any good. The cranes just leave a 20-foot circle around the spots and eat the rest of the field clean. Fireworks doesn't seem to faze them, either. Chased off of one field they just settle on another."

The Last Straw

It's not so bad when the farmers are lucky enough to finish the grain harvest before the cranes drift south, but this season the harvest was late and the migrants arrived in time to help gather the grain.

That's been about the last straw for the farmers. They haven't made any official protests to the government, but a lot of them are now carrying shotguns and take a crack at the cranes every chance they get—treaty or no treaty.

The worst trouble spot this winter is in the area around Roosevelt county, New Mexico.

Official Act

Deputy Game Warden R. E. Lebow of Portales, and Charles Hayes of Albuquerque, U. S. game management agent, have tried to be helpful.

They brought in some rockets designed to scare the cranes but not harm them, but whenever they were used the cranes just moved from one field to another and kept right on eating.

A solution of the problem is not yet in sight.



February has an ample share of special occasions—Valentine's Day, Lincoln's birthday and Washington's birthday — and any of these may call for pretty tables. Photo shows result of perfect preparation, featuring America's newest choice—glass tableware.



To properly fold napkins, do not crease down the center. The fold always should face the plate. This permits the guest to grasp the edge with the left hand and open it.



Water glasses, whether tumblers or stemware, should be directly at the top of the knife. If wine glasses are used, these should sit to the right of the water glass.



Simplicity and balance keynote smart decoration. And there is no need for centerpieces to be expensive. Common flowers, arranged with tasteful care, provide focal points.

How to Make Setting Fit the Feast

It's the little things that make all the difference between the table setting hastily thrown together and the one, properly prepared, that evokes compliments.

The proper way to fold napkins, for instance, and the correct spot for water glasses are important.

So is the centerpiece. All little things, but just as necessary as hav-

ing the knife on the right side of the plate and the fork on the left.

Smart glass tableware, a sign of gracious living, is the perfect complement to any table.

Available in sparkling patterns, designs and colors, economical American machine-made glassware rapidly is becoming the popular choice of hostesses everywhere.

Especially on a dark tablecloth does this truly American dinnerware show off to its best advantage.

It provides all the delicacy of prized crystal of the past and answers the American housewife's demand for practical, low-cost matched tableware.

Texas Preacher Has 'Close Call'

CLAUDE, TEXAS—It looked like a scene out of the Wild West — that day recently when the Potter County sheriff received a tip that the First National Bank here was about to be visited by robbers.

The rumor was started by a prisoner in the Potter County jail, and it wasn't long before all available peace officers in this Panhandle area were converging on the Armstrong County capital.

The possemen put a heavily armed watch on the bank, the postoffice and the railroad station. The officers waited. The situation was tense.

And then—a stranger appeared on the scene. Calmly and casually, he visited first the depot, then the postoffice, and finally the bank.

Officers were just about to close in when somebody realized that the 'stranger' was a newcomer to Claude—Ernest Grizzard, new minister for the Church of Christ.

Said the Claude News: "One false move from Brother Grizzard might have brought dire results but luckily he was identified before steps were taken."

The expected robbers didn't show up—for which Brother Griz-

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Stars Over Hollywood - Previewing New Films



MONICA LEWIS of the radio has joined the ranks of Hollywood glamour, making her film debut in "Inside Straight". It's a romantic musical, in which Monica has a couple of hit songs worth listening to.



SARAH, daughter of Winston Churchill, opens her film career with Fred Astaire in "Royal Wedding".



LANA TURNER and Ezio Pinza take time out for lunch during the filming of the new technicolor picture "Mr. Imperium", on location near Monterey, Calif. Picture may be an Oscar maker.

Hottest Lad in Hollywood—

Phoney Ballyhoo Shunned In Kirk Douglas' Story

The guy can act. That's the basic, simple explanation for Kirk Douglas's success in films. No offbeat ballyhoo. No front-page escapades. No phoney promotion.

Sheer acting ability—and that alone—has shoved this alert, magnetic young man to his present position among the most highly regarded performers on the screen.

In "Ace in the Hole," directed and produced by Billy Wilder (who also wrote it), Kirk reaches the summit. He plays a complicated heel through whose machinations Wilder tells a story of greed and intrigue.

Difficult Role

It is a role such as few stars could handle, but Douglas gives it full value in what is certain to be acclaimed his best performance to date.

"Best" is quite a mouthful when you're speaking of Douglas. He won an Academy nomination, and many observers think he rated an Oscar for his chore in "Champion."

The first phase of Kirk's screen career commenced in 1945 when Producer Hal Wallis signed him from the Broadway show, "The Wind is Ninety," and teamed him with Barbara Stanwyck in "The Strange Love of Martha Ivers."

Hit the Top

Following his celluloid debut

Brennan Kids Gabby

Because Walter Brennan wore a luxuriant beard while working in Utah on "Best of the Badmen," many natives mistook him for George "Gabby" Hayes. When anyone made the error, Brennan simply signed his autograph thusly: "I'll never be the actor Walter Brennan is. Yours truly, George 'Gabby' Hayes."

Kirk played second leads in a number of films, but he seemed to be making little progress until Producer Stanley Kramer offered him the lead in "Champion."

Kramer was at that time virtually unknown. An independent movie maker, he could scarcely offer Kirk the money the actor was used to. But Kirk had sufficient story sense to know that if the picture clicked he would be the hottest thing in town.

It did—and he was.

Today Douglas is under a multi-million dollar contract.

Alan Ladd Advocates Action Films of 'Escapist' Nature

Motion pictures, like the rest of the world, have been getting too complicated, says Alan Ladd, now appearing in Hal Wallis' "Quantrell's Raiders," a story of the famous Civil War Confederate guerilla. Ladd appears as a Confederate captain, hero of the fast moving Technicolor action film.

"People don't want problems and brain food when they go to motion pictures these days," says Ladd. "They're looking for escape from the pressing problems of today. They want relaxation."

Ladd bases this estimate not on the old Hollywood adage that films are made for teen-agers, but on the fact that some of the great minds of our times, including the late F. D. Roosevelt and Winston Churchill, found release from their pressing burdens in reading pulp fiction.

"Stories are simple and direct as the pulps are what picture audi-

Gay Ninety Boys Busy?

CORPUS CHRISTI, Tex.—Who were those characters who broke into the shop of Dayton Owens here? Must have been old-timers. Anyway, they had strange tastes.

Mr. Owens, who makes most of the store mannikens for this section, reported that the burglars took a 35-year-old model whose figure is definitely out of style - - along with three old wigs and a \$20 bill.

They passed up the figure of a dead man that Mr. Owens was making for a lodge ritual.

ences want," says Ladd. The too-involved psychological picture has alienated audiences, and has had as much to do with box office failure as television or any other factor," says Ladd.

Ladd has carried this belief into the selection of three recent films including Wallis' "Raiders," "Whispering Smith" and "Branded", Western type stories with directly told plots and plenty of action.

Pressman Are Welcome

SAND SPRINGS, Okla.—Father Francis McGoldrick's St. Patrick's Church here has some new doors, and although they are open to all, anybody connected with the printing trade is especially welcome. Reason: the new oak doors, with bronze plaque, were presented to Father McGoldrick by the pressmen's union of the Boston Post, of which the pastor was a member from 1917 to 1922. They passed the hat and raised \$661 to buy them.

Tierney Finds Her New Role Trifle 'Weighty'

"Every woman must speak for herself, but as for me I don't trust those low, strapless gowns," says Gene Tierney, one of Hollywood's leading glamour stars.

Miss Tierney, considered one of the best-dressed women in America, says that while she wears svelte, seductive gowns in her pictures, her studio finally decided to unveil her shoulders for "On the Riviera," her next technicolor picture.

"After scenes all day with Danny Kaye I go home worn out from holding up my dress," Gene says.

She explains that one gown she wears in the romantic comedy has 60 yards of tulle hanging from her hips. "The gown is so heavy," she told Kaye, I won't be able to sweep up to you unless a couple of wardrobe women help me carry it."

Until Producer Sol Lesser sent a Hollywood troupe into the African jungles to film "Tarzan's Peril," no movie camera ever had recorded the wild tribal dances of the Wakamba natives.

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NEW CAREER — Herbert Rawlinson, once an idol of the silent screen, is now narrating 'Hollywood Star Playhouse' on Monday nights.

Rod Brasfield of "Grand Ole Opry" reveals that the favorite reading of the program's Minnie Pearl is "The History of the Northwest Mounted Police." Rod says Minnie is looking for tips from the Mounties who always get their man.

— Mel West, as engineer on "Strike It Rich" is not known to the audiences of that popular show but he is fast becoming nationally famous as a hit songwriter. His last effort, "Oh, Marguerite," was an immediate success.

Although he's not a detective in real life, Ralph Bellamy, star of the "Man Against Crime" series, gets letters from viewers who seek answers to questions concerning crime activities.

Bobby Guy, trumpet player in the Monday night Bob Hawk Show, has a daytime occupation which is extremely remunerative. He is Hollywood's foremost breeder of Boxer dogs. His dogs have won hundreds of blue ribbons.

Gaining steadily in popularity is the series of western and folk music broadcast and emceed by Al Turner over the Liberty Network. Turner started his show in 1947 from the Sportatorium in Dallas, Texas. In addition to this series, Turner also handles a disk jockey show. Turner is only 28 years old but has a wealth of microphone background.

A musician in Vaughn Monroe's orchestra was complaining about losing on the horses. "The nags I bet on," he said, "run so slowly the owners have to pay the jockeys time and a half for overtime."

The Jordanaires, NBC "Grand Ole Opry" singing group specializing in spirituals, whose sudden rise to

fame and fortune reads like a Horatio Alger story, are celebrating their second anniversary in show business. It was just two years ago that the five Missouri boys sang together for the first time on a small radio station, in Springfield, Mo.

George O'Donnell sums up 19 years experience as CBS "Let's Pretend" sound effects man in a "Book of Knowledge" supplement article.

Joey Adams of "Rate Your Mate" spent most of a two-week "rest" in Florida writing a new book.

Virginia Kaye of "Rosemary" attended dramatic school and stenography classes at the same time, the latter at her parents' insistence.

Don Briggs of "Guiding Light" worked simultaneously as actor and broker, until dramatics won out.

Eve Arden, "Our Miss Brooks," has taken up knitting. It started as a way of passing time between motion picture takes.

Jo Stafford, "Carnation Contented Hour" songstress, is heard in Europe as star of a weekly Radio Luxembourg song program.

Another Mitchum

John Mallory, playing a featured role beside John Wayne and Robert Ryan in Edmund Grainger's RKO Radio drama, "Flying Leathernecks," is a brother of Film Star Robert Mitchum. Close as the brothers are, John never has asked help from Bob, however, and is making good via his own earnest efforts.

Faith Is Feminine

Faith Domergue, star of Howard Hughes' picture, "Vendetta," is genuinely feminine. She abhors short hair, blue jeans and sloppy sweaters, likes earrings and beautiful fans.

TARZAN'S HOME TERRITORY

With Lex Barker in the title role, scenes for Sol Lesser's "Tarzan's Peril," were filmed in British East Africa, actual locale of the story, for the first time in the history of the series.



COWBOY KING — Long a radio favorite, Gene Autry is making new popularity strides in his new series of Western dramas filmed especially for TV.



TOPS IN RADIO—Mindy Carson has become a Wednesday night regular on the 'Perry Como Show'. Both tops in radio, they are shown together in this photo.

Flashes From 'See' Screen

A one-broadcast request by Garry Moore for penny contributions for a charity brought the TV comic thousands of pennies.

Watson Davis of Science Service has designated color television as the fourth most important scientific development of 1950.

Louise Leslie of TV's "Homemakers' Exchange" spent several years of her career developing electrical home appliances.

Conductor-guitarist Carmen Mastren accompanies Morton Downey on his TV "Star of the Family," and in his radio and personal appearances.

Pierce Knox, TV "Horace Heidt

Show" winner, though blind since four, is an expert wood craftsman, makes excellent outdoor furniture.

Danae Sullivan, whose husband, Francis L. Sullivan, portrays Fate on TV's "Sure as Fate," once designed sets for the Stratford-on-Avon Shakespeare Theatre.

Though Somerset Maugham, teller of tales on TV's "Somerset Maugham Theater," is dean of English novelists, he was born in Paris.

Norman Jenson, "Fashion Magic" legerdemain expert, runs his own magic shop in off-camera hours.

Sam Levenson, comedy star, used to be a school teacher in Brooklyn. He taught Spanish.

Southwestern Vignettes

Editor W. H. (Hop) Graham being in the hospital at Clovis, N. M., his paper, the State Line Tribune at Farwell, Tex., wants to keep the record straight. It announces:

"Hop denies fiercely insinuations that all is not what it seems. He declares that being located on the maternity floor of the hospital is all an accident, and that he is truly suffering from hardening of the arteries."

The conductor of the "Relaxin' With Rick" column on the front page of the Stockdale (Tex.) Star puts in a plug for American art. He writes:

"As I sit at my typewriter I have difficulty keeping my eyes on my copy on account of the calendar on the wall in front of me. I've never objected to the 'art' one finds so often on calendars, but I question the wisdom of advertisers using it. After all, who looks at the advertising?"

John W. DeVine, in his "Here and There" corner of the Six Points News of Corpus Christi, Tex., grows a little irate over the prospects of

the telephone company getting a rate increase. He says:

"If Patrick Henry had to pay \$4 per month for his telephone he wouldn't have said anything about free speech."

Plan All-Girl Rodeo

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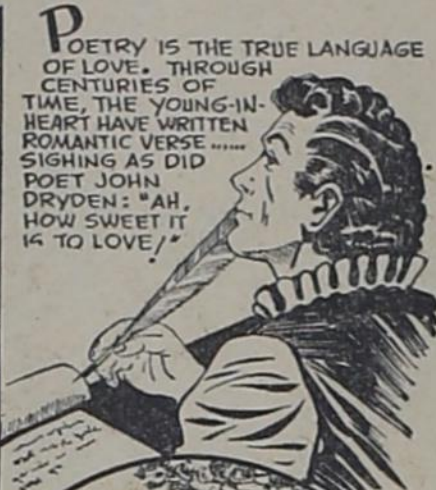
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Tips on Helping Daughter Make Most of Her Looks

The task of aiding your daughter in making the most of her looks is not one that should be stumbled into blindly.

It's a problem that should be given much advance thought and planning, lest your prodding prove more harmful than helpful.

Tact and a proper choice of words are extremely important if you are to avoid tearing down the self-confidence you are attempting to build.

Positive Thinking

First of all, try to make your own thinking positive. Instead of selecting clothes to minimize her skinniness, help her choose a wardrobe to make the most of her slenderness.

Instead of just sympathizing with her about her height—whether she's too tall or too short—help her see that there are advantages to be played up either way.

Above all, avoid harping upon defects that can't possibly be corrected. It avails nothing but misery for your sensitive adolescent if you continually speak about her misfortune in inheriting a too-long nose from her father's family.

Mirror tells Story

If the defect is one that can be remedied, such as posture, it's still a good idea to stick to your no-nagging policy. Putting your daughter on the defensive will only prolong the unfortunate trait. You may be sowing seeds of rebellion or inferiority that could have serious consequences later.

Every mother, of course, wants her child to look her best. But it's not wise to tackle the job of helping her with such dogged seriousness that you're both more miserable.

Eventually a mirror will inform her, with much more telling effect, the very things you're trying to say.

Here's How It All Happened--

Folks who claim that "time is money" aren't just making an idle observation. Our present measurements of sixty seconds to the minute and sixty minutes to the hour originated from the standards of counting money in Ancient Babylon.

All because of a river, there are 365 days in a year. When the ancient Egyptians made the first calendar about 4241 B. C., as a means of measuring time from the moon and sun, they decided to reckon a year by the 365 days between the highest points of the Nile flood.

It wasn't until six hundred years after the death of Christ that the modern method of reckoning time as so many years B. C. (Before Christ) or A. D. (Anno Domini, in the year of the Lord, or after Christ), was worked out by a monk named Dionysius.



TOY AIDS MAMA — Baby Brother admires Big Sister, who finds it fun to play housekeeping with this miniature sweeper, which performs all the functions of Mother's own carpet sweeper. This is a toy that is practical as an aid to parents.

What's Score With Junior

Conducted by the editors of the Book House Plan for Child Development:

Q1. Different children in the same family can be expected to start walking at about the same age. (True or False)

Q2. Should a child be "made" to walk without holding on to walls, tables, and chairs if he seems obviously ready to do so?

Q3. Early rhythmic training is important for the child who seems to be having difficulty in developing the proper coordination of hands and feet. (True or False)

Q4. Self-consciousness in the small child is usually a sign that he is (a) timid and bashful; (b) mentally slow. (Select one) (Please turn page upside down for correct answers)

A1. False. Every child develops at his own rate of speed, depending on his individual differences in physical build, temperament, courage, and initiative.
A2. Not forcing him to do anything before he is ready for it, will only serve to upset him emotionally and to place an unnatural emphasis on the need for acquiring natural skills. Many parents do not realize the amount of courage it takes for a child to take those first, few steps without any help or support.
A3. True. Such a child not only needs help, he needs it early, at home, even before he reaches nursery school or kindergarten age. One of the most effective ways of helping him is through little songs that coordinate words with actions of hands and/or feet, like "Found Mr. Hammer," which is ideal for the two-year-old.
A4. Usually (a), although this cannot be regarded as an absolute statement of fact. The child who continues to be backward socially after he has had sufficient opportunity to lose his difference through free play and association with other children, may need special care and attention.

Junior Zoo--

Animal Facts for Small Fry

Wolves, or wolf pups, do not lap up water like coyotes or dogs — they sip it in the manner of a horse or cow.

Fawns (that's baby deer) have no body odor during the first days of their lives; that's their only protection against other wild game.

With good care the singing canary sometimes lives to be 16 years old.

Most fish are hatched from eggs, but the guppies you see in goldfish bowls are born alive — and swimming. If they don't swim away fast as soon as they're born the mama guppie will eat them up.

Cotton Congress to Hear Texan's Views

Dr. A. B. Cox, University of Texas professor and world authority on cotton marketing, has accepted an invitation to present a paper at the International Cotton Congress meeting February 24-March 3 at Cairo, Egypt.

The paper will discuss effects of cotton export taxes as levied by various nations.

The Chinese like crickets. They keep them as pets — in beautiful little ivory cages. The Chinese think the cricket chirp is musical.

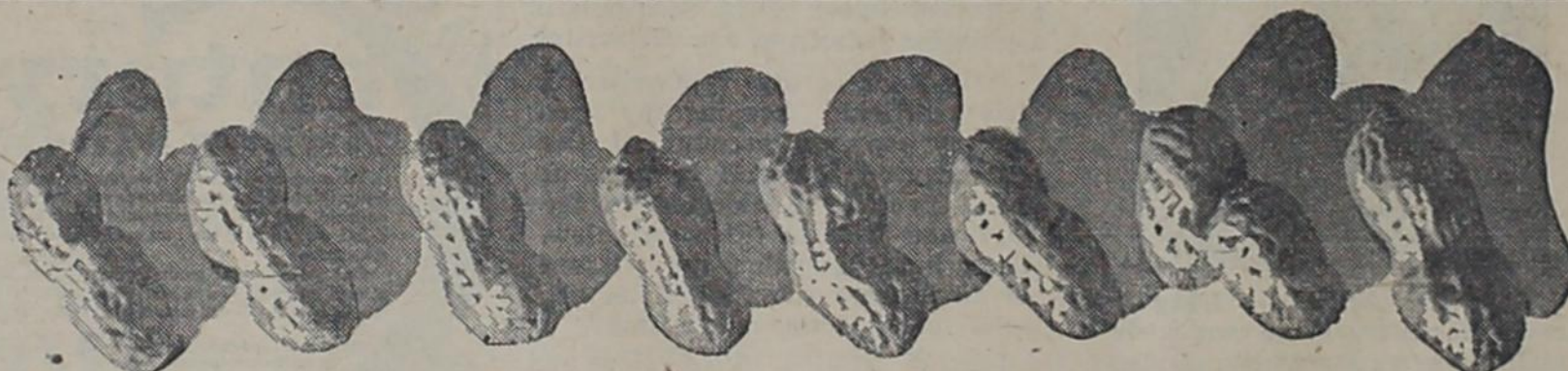
White rats and mice are particular how they look. They spend lots of time combing their fur with their mouths and feet.

Small turtles make good pets. They do not bite and they never make any noise at all.

A colt is a fast growing animal. Within an hour after a colt is born it can stand on its feet.

Horses lived on earth thousands of years before people appeared, but they weren't much bigger than a fox, and had four toes on each front foot and three on each hind foot.

The zebra is a fierce fighter. He uses his strong jaws and flying heels when attacked by other animals.



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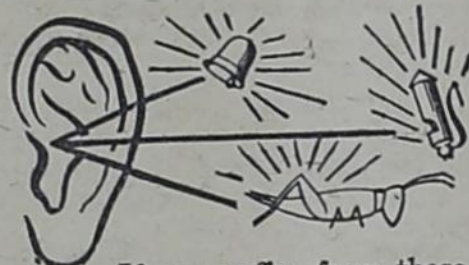
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By JOE AUSTELL SMALL

The Pichaquate is a light, green snake that inhabits the wild Yaqui Indian country of Sonora, Mexico. The venomous reptile lives in trees and sails through the air like a fly-ink squirrel.

The little snake is not equipped with wings but flattens itself out like a ribbon before sailing from one tree to another. The reptile has a hook or fang on the end of its tail resembling the stinger of a scorpion.

Yaqui Indians, when traveling, carry a short stick with which to ward off the snake. The Indians walk single file along the narrow paths and when a snake is sighted sailing through the air, they pass the word down the line by shouting "Pichaquate."

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Bubble Fish

Fish called Labyrinth Bubble-Nest Builders construct a floating nest of bubbles in which eggs, numbering from 100 to 500, are repositied, hatched, and the young tended.

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Feather Ears

Dr. Christian A. Wolf, internationally known psychic, a native of Denmark, states that experiments which he has made prove definitely that birds hear through their feathers, especially their tail feathers. While birds have regular ears, much of their acute sense of hearing, Dr. Wolf says, comes through the auditory aid of feathers.

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Fur, Fur Away

The seal herd is doing well in that far outpost, the Pribilof Islands. At present this famous herd numbers over 3,155,200 animals.

The herd, which has a capital value well in excess of \$100,000,000 shows an average annual increase of 209,000 animals. When the U. S. government took over direct management of the herd about 35 years ago, fewer than 120,000 animals remained following decades of slaughtering. It is believed that the herd at one time had consisted of upwards of 4,000,000 seals.

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New Gun Book

The people who instituted the first time payment plan for the purchase of guns, cameras and allied equipment have come out with their new "Colonel Whelen's Gun Catalog and Complete Handbook," authorized by the famous Townsend Whelen himself and selling for only one buck. This is good news to shooters who have had to pay two dollars and up for any type of gun book lately.

This time payment plan is a lulu. As stated, Parker-Whelen originated it and the plan has made a terrific hit with sportsmen. You make an order, make a down payment and then pay it out monthly as you would anything else.

The catalog part is cram-jammed with guns, accessories, scopes, fishing tackle—doggone-nigh anything a



MR. TOUCHDOWN, U.S.A.—Bob Reynolds, University of Nebraska, nation's leading football scorer in the season just past, receives a reward—a TV set and a silver-plated copy of the recording "Mr. Touchdown, U.S.A." from Band Leader Hugo Winterhalter, who waxed the ditty.

sportsman could want, even clothing!

And, of course, Townsend Whelen himself is there with dope on shooting, marksmanship, scopes, rifles, shotguns—the whole field. And the price is just \$1. Write Parker-Whelen Co., Inc., 827-W, 14th St., N. W., Washington 5, D.C., for complete dope.

Box Finally Made It

BASTROP, La.—In 1943 Sgt. Sidney Harrison mailed a box of souvenirs from the Pacific isle of Guadalcanal to his sister, Mrs. John F. Day of this city. The box arrived all right, but eight years late. Sergeant Harrison, now on recruiting duty at nearby Wardville, wonders where it has been all this time.

A thorough soaking at intervals of a week or ten days is far better than a daily shallow watering for flowers, trees, shrubs and vegetable garden during hot dry weather.



SOMETHING NEW . . . George (Left) James, Cornell coach, shows off the new ring cleat football shoe (left) which is designed to reduce injuries to ankles and knees. Old type shoe is shown at right.

Stronger Game Laws Studied

Oklahoma game enforcement officials are advocating a game-law amendment which will permit confiscation of guns and other hunting equipment as punishment for flagrant violators of the game laws.

From time to time, news releases from the Sooner State intimates that many rural citizens resent the enforcement of game laws and just dote on beating said laws.

But the case which brought on the talk of equipment confiscation was that of two Negroes who were making good money selling quail for six-bits apiece to legal hunters.

They killed and marketed 46 quail on opening day of the season; hunted over four well-trained dogs; apprehended by wardens who asked if they had any quail for sale.

Suspects readily sold the quail. They were fined \$75 plus court costs and forfeited the birds they possessed at the time of the arrest.

Maximum fines could have been \$200 fine each, plus court costs, and a 60-day jail sentence. Hence when the fine was only \$75, the commission started talking about a confiscatory amendment to the law which would be mandatory.

Middleweight Title Holder Most Hated Man in Sports

If it is true that sports writers shape the tastes and opinions of the fans, then middleweight champion Jake LaMotta is the most hated man in sports.

Fight fans, says veteran sportswriter W. C. Heinz, "go to see Jake get licked, and they shout against him. They would go into hock if they thought they could see him stretched on the canvas, but he has never been knocked out."

Has Self to Blame

Heinz asserts that sport writers do not like Jake, but adds that LaMotta himself is directly responsible for his bad press.

The champion acquired a reputation for abusing his managers. His first wife accused Jake of beating

her and LaMotta was suspended and fined \$1,000 by the New York State Athletic Commission after he lost to Billy Fox. At the time, Jake claimed he had suffered a ruptured spleen before the fight.

In 1949, two boxing officials were suspended after LaMotta won a very unpopular decision from Robert Villemain. Later in the year, Jake won the championship from Marcel Cerdan who had injured a shoulder muscle in the first round after being thrown to the floor out of a clinch.

Cerdan Was Killed

Cerdan fought the next eight rounds one-handed. Less than a week before their scheduled return bout, LaMotta complained of a back injury and withdrew. Cerdan was killed in a plane crash enroute to this country for the re-match.

"Cerdan was a fine athlete and a gentleman," says Heinz. "Although LaMotta had not been piloting that plane, the public and the press recalled that he had been the one who had necessitated the original postponement."

Compact Flyrod Latest Gadget

A Denver tackle manufacturer has solved the problem of the henpecked husband who likes to wet an occasional line while traveling without his home office or his wife knowing about it.

The happy answer is the "smuggler," a four-sectioned split bamboo fly rod packaged in a 24-inch aluminum case. It can be stowed, out of sight, in any average-size suitcase.

Even with its handy carrying case, the rod makes up to seven and one-half feet. It weighs just four and one-half ounces.

The rod idea, as well as the name, were suggested to the manufacturer by a Dallas traveling man who could never explain to his wife why he carried a fishing rod with him on "business" trips to New Mexico.

Manfisher

The Piranha is a man-eating fish native to the Amazon River. If "fisherman" is the term used for a man who catches fish, then perhaps "manfisher" would be the appropriate term used for a fish who eats man! The Piranha travels in immense schools which rend and devour any wounded man or beast in a few minutes.

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