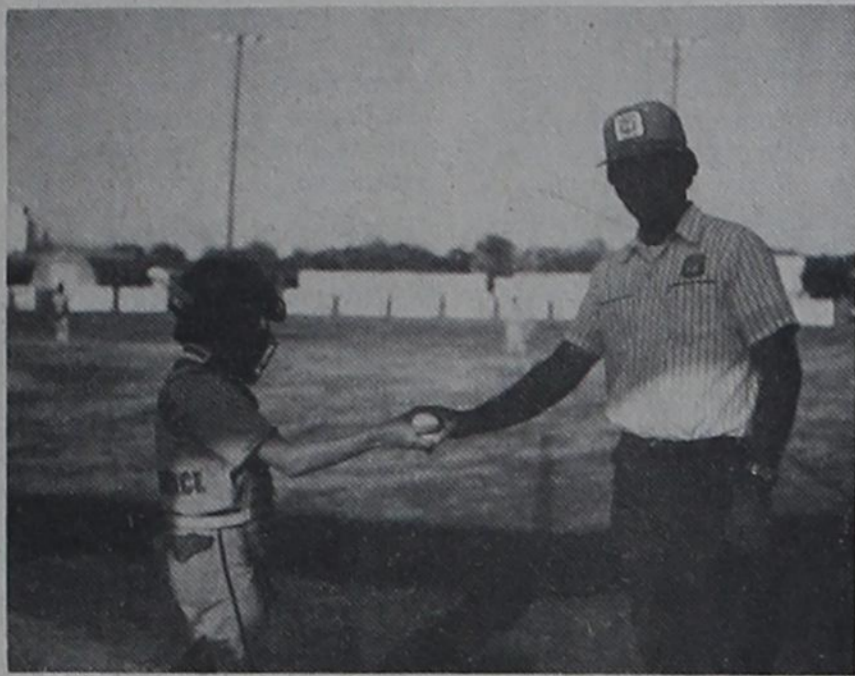
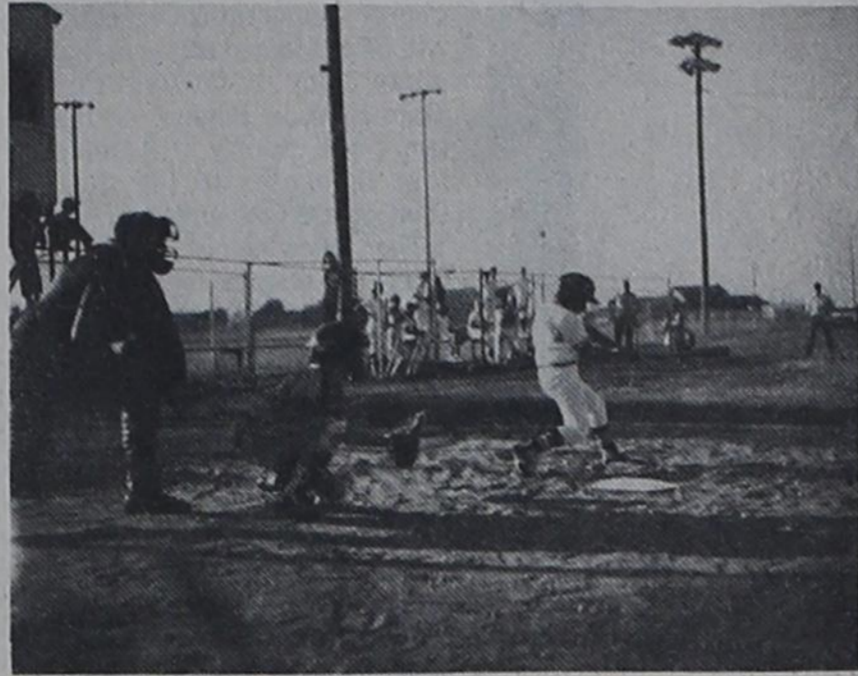


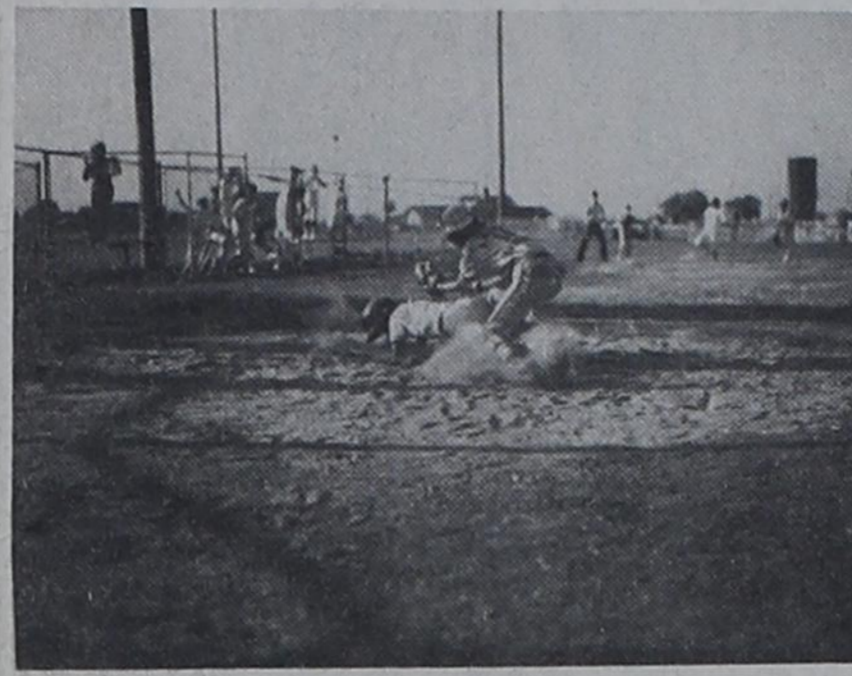
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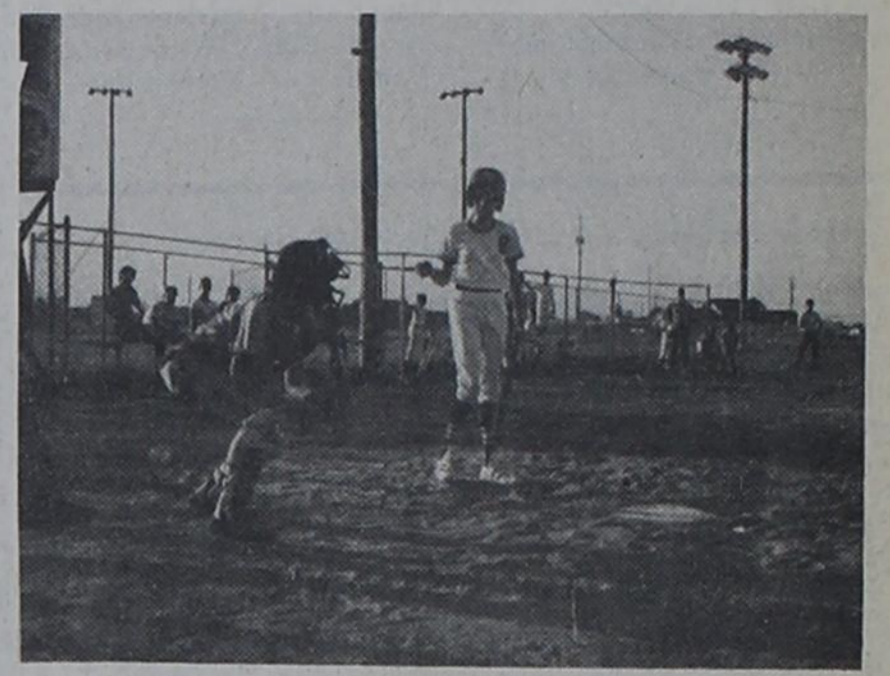
First Ball Of Season



First Strike



First Run



First Girl At Bat



It came across the political landscape loud and clear. Texas is Conservative Country. The voters of the Lone Star State heartily endorsed Jimmy Carter and Ronald Reagan in last Saturday's primary elections.

Carter was perceived as the most conservative of the Democratic candidates and of course Reagan was the conservative standard bearer of the Republican Party. However, this does not equate the Carter social and governmental philosophies with the Reagan stance. There is still a wide gulf separating the political camps of Jimmy Carter and Ronald Reagan. At this stage of the national political races, it looks very much as if Carter will carry the Democratic party banner in the fall general election, while the odds still greatly favor Jerry Ford as the GOP standard bearer.

With this distinct possibility, the voters of Texas need to follow the statements and the actions of these two contenders in order to cast a vote in the fall that will really reflect the political philosophy of Texas.

On the local scene, Parmer County voters endorsed Sheriff Charlie Lovelace by a wide margin. We feel that this is a vote of confidence in this experienced lawman.

Today, law and order are potent political issues with the electorate. The return of Johnny Actkinson as County Attorney can well be ascribed to voter satisfaction with his record in the field of crime and punishment.

We hope that some of the judges running for re-election are getting this message from the grass roots folks. The people in this country are fed up with sloppy law enforcement and feel even stronger toward soft-hearted jurists that turn the criminal element back on the streets with either suspended or very minimal sentences.

However, politics is not completely over for Parmer County as two run-off elections developed. The Farwell precinct and the Friona precinct will both have additional contests to decide on the Democratic candidate for their respective Commissioners. We hope that these run-offs generate as much voter support as the past primary.

The 600 delegates of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs met for their recent convention and took two good whacks at the Federal government. We give three rousing cheers to the ladies of TFWC.

In the first resolution they called for the immediate and complete dissolution of the Department of Health, Education and Welfare. In the second, they urged a Congressional study of the National Health Planning and Resources Development Act of 1974.

Concerning the first, the irate ladies proclaimed that HEW enjoyed excessive growth, an excessive budget and an increasing bureaucracy. They said that the control of education



FIRST MOTHER'S DAY - Both Mrs. Roddy (Ann) Pearce and her daughter, Jaime Leeann, will be celebrating their first Mother's Day this Sunday, May 1. Jaime Leeann is fairly new at the business of being a daughter, as Ann is with being a mother, due to the fact that when Mother's Day arrives Sunday, Jaime will be only 10 days old. Ann is serving as a teacher in the lower grades at Texico Schools and husband, Roddy, farms with his father, L.A. Buddy Pearce of Texico.

Farwell - -

Sports Banquet Slated

The annual Farwell Pep Club Athletic Banquet has been scheduled for Saturday, May 8, at 8 p.m. CDT in the school cafeteria. During the evening outstanding athletes from all phases of the athletics department at Farwell High School will be honored.

Awards to be presented include recognition of Steer of the Year, Most Outstanding Athlete, Highest Scholastic Achievement, Girls' Most Valuable Forward, Outstanding Trackman, Best Blocker and Tackler, Most Outstanding

Football Player, Girls' Most Valuable Guard, Boys' Most Outstanding Basketball Player and other awards.

Also during the evening, Van Tom Whalley, new athletic director for Farwell Schools, will be introduced.

"Sports For All Seasons" will be the theme for the banquet and guest speaker will be a member of the Eastern New Mexico University Greyhound coaching staff.

Tickets for the banquet have been priced at \$5 each and may be purchased from any

cheerleader, Pep Club member or they may be purchased at the door.

Menu for the evening will include steak, baked potatoes, green beans, salad, rolls, cherry cobbler, and tea or coffee.

It has also been reported by Pep Club officials that a Clovis photographer will be present during the banquet to take any type pictures desired. The pictures will cost \$3.50 each and must be paid for at the time they are taken.

At Banquet - -

Texico Athletes To Be Honored

Athletes representing Texico High School and Junior High School during the past year will be honored at the Annual Athletic Awards Banquet scheduled for Monday, May 10. The banquet will be conducted in Wolverine Gymnasium and will get underway at 7:30 p.m. MDT.

During the evening, athletic awards including Outstanding High School Athlete (boy and girl), Outstanding Junior High Athlete (boy and girl), letter awards, individual sports awards and certificates for

junior high participation in athletics are to be presented.

Keynote speaker for the affair will be Bill Silverburg, track coach at Eastern New Mexico University.

Banquet goers will be treated to a menu of roast beef,

green beans, baked potatoes, salad, cherry pie, and tea or coffee.

Tickets for the banquet have been priced at \$5 each and may be purchased at the high school office. Tickets will also be available at the door Monday, but banquet coordinators

Hearings Set, Jury List Released

It has been reported by Parmer County Sheriff Charlie Lovelace that nine cases have been set for hearing Monday, May 10, at 10 a.m. CDT in the District Courtroom, and a list of prospective jurors has been released.

Among the cases on the docket are Cipriano Guerra vs.

Rain Report

According to reports from around the area, the one-half inch rain received Tuesday night was general throughout the Twin Cities and the surrounding areas.

The rains fell steadily and no accompanying wind or hail have been reported.

At press time Wednesday noon, the skies were cloudy and overcast and more moisture was anticipated.

JeDon Gallman, Robert Gallman, David Gallman and Gallman Farms, employee's personal injuries; Juan Garcia vs. Texas Employers Insurance Association, workman's compensation; Twin City Fire Insurance Company vs. Willie M. Braillif, workman's compensation; James Spears, et al, vs. Melvin Loyd, et ux, account; James F. Fitzgerald vs. Mabelle S. Hartwell, collision, personal injuries and property damage;

Also, Bruce Parr vs. Charles Bass, breach of cattle pasturage contract; Newman Jarrell vs. J.E. Beene, automobile-pedestrian collision, personal injuries; Stanley Robert Blackburn vs. Randy Highsmith and Daniel Saiz, collision, personal injuries; and Fernando Longoria, et al, vs. Diamantina Colunga and Bill Neal Brown, collision, personal injuries and

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Tarter, Christian In Runoff - -

Chas. Lovelace Sweeps Race For County Sheriff

Parmer County Sheriff Charles Lovelace swept his opponent, Bill Denney of Friona, by a margin of 597 votes in the Democratic Primary Saturday, May 1, to gain a place on the General Election ballot for the November voting as a record number of 2,566 county voters went to the polls.

The race for the sheriff's position on the General Election ballot was the highlight of Saturday's voting as Lovelace withstood his first challenge since taking office in 1948. The sheriff capped six of the eight voting boxes in the county and also held in the lead in absentee voting. Lovelace pulled in 1405 votes with Denney receiving 808.

Sharing the spotlight with the race for sheriff was the battle between County Attorney Johnny Actkinson and challenger Friona attorney John Black. Actkinson, who was appointed to the county attorney's post to fill the unexpired term of Hurschel Harding who resigned, slapped his first ballot opponent 1255 to 849.

In the commissioners race of Precinct three, former county judge, Archie Tarter, and Wendol Christian polled enough votes to cause a runoff for the position. Tarter collected 271 and Christian received 173 votes over incumbent Cecil Atchley with 111 and A.N. Walls with 101 as a record 500 votes were cast in Farwell.

Incumbent District Attorney Jack Young of Muleshoe pushed back his challenger, Doyle Elliott of Friona, as he received 4127 votes for the multi-

county office as compared with 2873 for Elliott.

Unopposed for the office of county tax assessor-collector, incumbent Hugh Moseley received a total of 1880 votes.

The commissioners race in Precinct One also resulted in a runoff in June between Ernest Anthony, who polled 282 votes, and Raymond Euler, 234 votes. Also on the ballot for the post were Lloyd Rector who received 217 votes and Preach Edelman with 215.

As a result of the record vote

recorded, Georgia Governor Jimmy Carter's forces held a big lead over the other two slates in the Democratic presidential delegates race.

In the Republican Primary, voters turned out 323 strong to cast their support for former California Governor Ronald Reagan's delegates with an overwhelming 12-1 margin. Included in the new record for the county GOP were 30 Farwell votes.

(See inside for county voting results.)

At District - -

Three Qualify For State 4-H Roundup

The final round of District II 4-H Roundup was staged on the Texas Tech University campus on May 1. About 400 4-H boys and girls competed in the one-day event which included 28 contests. Winners received their awards in ceremonies at Texas Tech University Center. Both junior and senior 4-H members gave their method demonstrations. This was the state qualifying contest for senior members.

To qualify for the state contest, a team or individual must have a first or second place win in the senior division which is for 14-year-olds and older. Juniors do not compete beyond the district level.

Ribbons were presented at an awards assembly which followed the contests. The Pioneer Natural Gas Company donated the ribbons for the winners, with Bob Carthel of Pioneer presenting the honors.

Parmer County qualified both

senior entries for State Roundup. Winning first in Senior Horticulture Preparation and Use were Yalonda Martin and Linda Gohlke of Farwell. Gary Don Schueler of Rhea also qualified to go by winning second in Senior Handskills division.

In the junior contests Johanna Mesman of Farwell won first in the Foods and Nutrition-Let's Speak Out division. Susan Hill of Friona won second with her horse demonstration. Tommy and Bernie Mesman of Farwell won third in the sheep division.

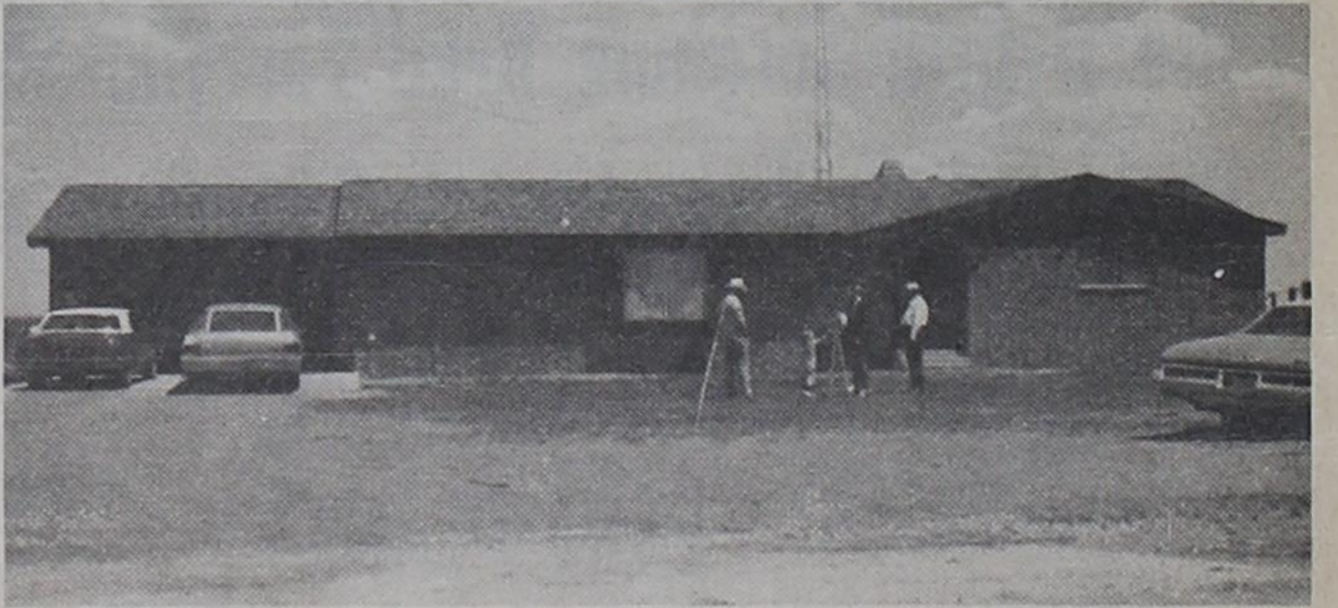
In the judging contests on April 24, Parmer County had five teams entered in three divisions. In addition to the winning senior dairy team, 4-H members from throughout the county made up a junior and senior rifle team and a junior and senior livestock team. The junior rifle team scored 398 points and placed sixth in the

contest. Team members included Johnny McDonald and Frank Jesko of Lazbuddie, along with Ben Landrum and Jeff Lundy of Friona. The senior rifle team totaled up 573 points. Team members included Charleson Steinbock of Lazbuddie, Mike Hill of Friona, Duane Mitchell of Bovina and Kelly Mitchell of Farwell.

The senior livestock team was composed of Joan Carson of Bovina, along with Phillip Schueler and Gary Don Schueler of Rhea. Their team total was 1338 points. The junior livestock team came in 13th with 1031 points. Team members were Russell Windham, Dennis Steinbock, Todd Gregory and David Lust of Lazbuddie.

Parmer County will have six youngsters competing in three separate divisions at State 4-H Roundup. This event will be staged June 1-3 on the Texas A&M University campus in

(Continued on Page 2)



PARSONAGE DEDICATED - The parsonage of the Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church was dedicated Sunday, May 2. The occasion was attended by 61 persons including two former pastors of the church. During the afternoon's activities an open house was conducted with Rev. Moody Smith conducting formal dedication services.

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Dupuy, Mrs. E.L. Cochran, Jerry Ford, Mrs. Buddy Wiseman, Edmund Schlabs, John L. Seaton and Mrs. J.T. Actkinson.

Office To Close

It has been reported that the Friona office of the Texas Department of Public Safety, Drivers License Division, will be closed May 10, 11 and 31, June 14 and 15, and August 24. Drivers License Clerk Carolin Vaughn has reported that renewals and tests will be given on each Wednesday of these weeks.

She also stated that an announcement would be forthcoming as to the time or times when the examiner for licenses will be available.

Purely Personal . . . (Continued from Page 1)

Persons to report at 9:30 a.m. CDT Wednesday, May 12, are Thomas L. Lloyd, Joe Lewellen, Cynthia Jill Watkins, Gary Trometer, J.T. Ford, Mrs. M.T. Glasscock, Mrs. Charles Hough, Lillian D. Benderman, Mrs. Wesley Barnes, Mrs. Max Wells, C.D. Noland, Ruth Page, Mrs. Dan Ethridge, Ed Steinbock, Diane Hamilton,
tion should be returned to the local community and that the financing of education should be a duty of the state, with tax monies remaining within the state.

They also said that the present welfare system discourages free enterprise and encourages dependency upon the government.
With the second resolution, the TFWC delegates voiced serious doubt on the necessity of that massive organization and said that the present plan will cause the people to lose their freedom of choice of hospital and physician. They said that this plan will also increase the federal bureaucracy and, therefore, add to the already high cost of medical care.
It has been our dismal observation that a number of women's clubs tend toward the

And, John Neil Agee, Nora M. Edens, Huston Hoover, Mrs. Frank Hinkson, Mrs. Walter Hughes, George H. Powell, C.W. Balanger, J.E. Sikes, Mrs. Joe F. Bujnosek, Mrs. Dale Hart, Mrs. Alvin

Elsewhere in this issue is an announcement that longtime proprietors, Andy and Dorothy Sutter, are selling their jewelry store. Sutter's has been a diamond institution for this area for longer than most of us can, or want to, comfortably remember.
We don't know how Andy's diamond prices stacked up with the chain operators, but we do know that you got what you paid for, and that it was exactly as Andy said.
We hope the young man taking over the business follows

pinch potatoes to make sure they are firm, not leathery or spongy, two signs that they have been frozen or improperly stored.

Neither the Texico nor Farwell Volunteer Fire Departments report any calls during the past week.

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ON TO STATE -- Yalonda Martin, left, and Linda Gohlke, members of the Farwell Senior 4-H Club, competed in the District 4-H Roundup May 1 and won the right to enter state competition by grabbing first place in the Senior Horticulture Preparation and Use contest. Also qualifying for state was Gary Don Schueler of Rhea who took second in Senior Hand skills.



FIRST IN FOODS -- Johanna Mesman, member of the Farwell Junior 4-H Club, displays the first place ribbon she won in the District 4-H Roundup held Saturday. Johanna competed in the "Foods and Nutrition - Let's Speak Out" division of competition.

Roundup . . .

(Continued from Page 1)

COLLEGE STATION

These 4-H members include Donnie Gustin, Rocky Bartlett and Steve Cockerham in the dairy judging division, Gary Don Schueler in Handskills and Yalonda Martin and Linda Gohlke in Horticulture Preparation and Use.

Are Algae-burgers In Our Future?

A British scientist contends that cultivating algae is the world's best hope for solving the growing protein shortage.

A General Foods publication reports that the scientist notes algae contain a lot of protein—one type 70 per cent. By comparison, wheat contains only 12 per cent. But more than that, wheat produces only 135 pounds of protein an acre, while algae, cultivated in huge lagoons, could produce nearly 150 times that—20,000 pounds.

FIRE CALLS

Neither the Texico nor Farwell Volunteer Fire Departments report any calls during the past week.



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GOP Convention Set . . .

Democratic Delegates Selected In Meetings

During the Democratic precinct conventions held in Parmer County Saturday afternoon, May 1, 48 delegates were chosen for the county convention in the main order of business.

It has been reported that the County Democratic Convention will be conducted at 2 p.m. Saturday, May 8, at the First State Bank in Bovina. At that time, the county will select four delegates to the State Democratic Convention.

The following is a list of delegates selected by the precincts to attend the county convention. The number of delegates allotted each voting precinct was determined by the number who voted for the governor in the 1974 general election.

FARWELL

Chairman: Hugh Moseley; Delegates: Don H. Williams, Maxine Williams, Otis E. McMillan, Jr., Modean McMillan, Charles F. Aycock, Albert H. Smith, Hugh Moseley, Wilfred Quickel; Alternates: Dorothy Quickel, True A. Bell, Johnny Actkinson, Sydney Chadwick, Bonnie Warren, Willie Roberts, Joe Hughes, Loyce McCleskey.

OKLAHOMA LANE

Chairman: Wendol Christian; Delegates: Wendol Christian, Louise Christian, and Julia Symcox.

LAZBUDDIE

Chairman: Ted Treider; Delegates: Jerry Glover, Donna Glover, Ronnie Bullock, Max Steinbock, Shirley Steinbock.

RHEA

Chairman: Raymond Schueler; Delegate: Raymond Schueler; Alternate: Larry Potts.

LAKEVIEW

Chairman: Otho Whitefield; Delegate: Jo Buchanan; Alternate: Mike Buchanan.

BOVINA

Chairman: Ken Horn; Delegates: Ken Horn, Dickie Clayton, Dean McCallum, Arlene McCallum, Bob Turner, Pat Turner, Mina Horn; No alternates.

FRIONA

Chairman: Hollis Horton; Delegates: Hollis Horton, A.L. Black, Steve Bavousett, R.L. Fleming, JeDon Gallman, Kit

ty Gallman, Sloan Osborn, Ilene Osborn, Clarence Martin, Wynona Martin, M.C. Osborn, Anne Osborn, Andy Hurst, Winifred Hurst, Charles Caudill, Bill Ellis, Lois Norwood, Walt Marcum;

Alternates: Bessie Holt, Charles Allen, Nelson Welch, Wendell Gresham, H.K. Kendrick, W.L. Edelson, Albert Cupell, Paul Fortenberry, Clyde Black, Dan Ethridge, Eufaula Ethridge, Percy Parsons, Lunell Horton, Mary Bavousett.

GOP Convention

Parmer County Republicans will hold their county convention at 2 p.m. CDT Saturday, May 8, at Lazbuddie.

Farwell delegates to the convention will be John L. Getz and R.L. Jones.

Friona delegates will be Glenn Reeve, Allo Reeve, Ray Landrum, Peggy Hamil and Forrest Osborn.

Sheriff's Report

It has been reported by Parmer County Sheriff Charlie Lovelace that the sheriff's department has two subjects in custody. The pair is Pedro Dimas and Jesus Garcia.

The two suspects have been charged in the burglary of the Roy Miller farm, three miles north and one west of Friona.

Also reported was a burglary at the Friona White's Auto Store on the night of April 29. Taken in the incident were seven pistols valued at \$577.63. The matter is currently under investigation by the sheriff's department.

A report of vandalism was received from Texaco Vortac located south of Bovina. The firm reported the vandalism of a monitor antenna which was apparently shot four times with a .22 calibre weapon.

Hershel Johnson reported the theft of an air impact wrench from his barn located four miles north of Friona. Entry was apparently gained by breaking padlocks on the barn doors.



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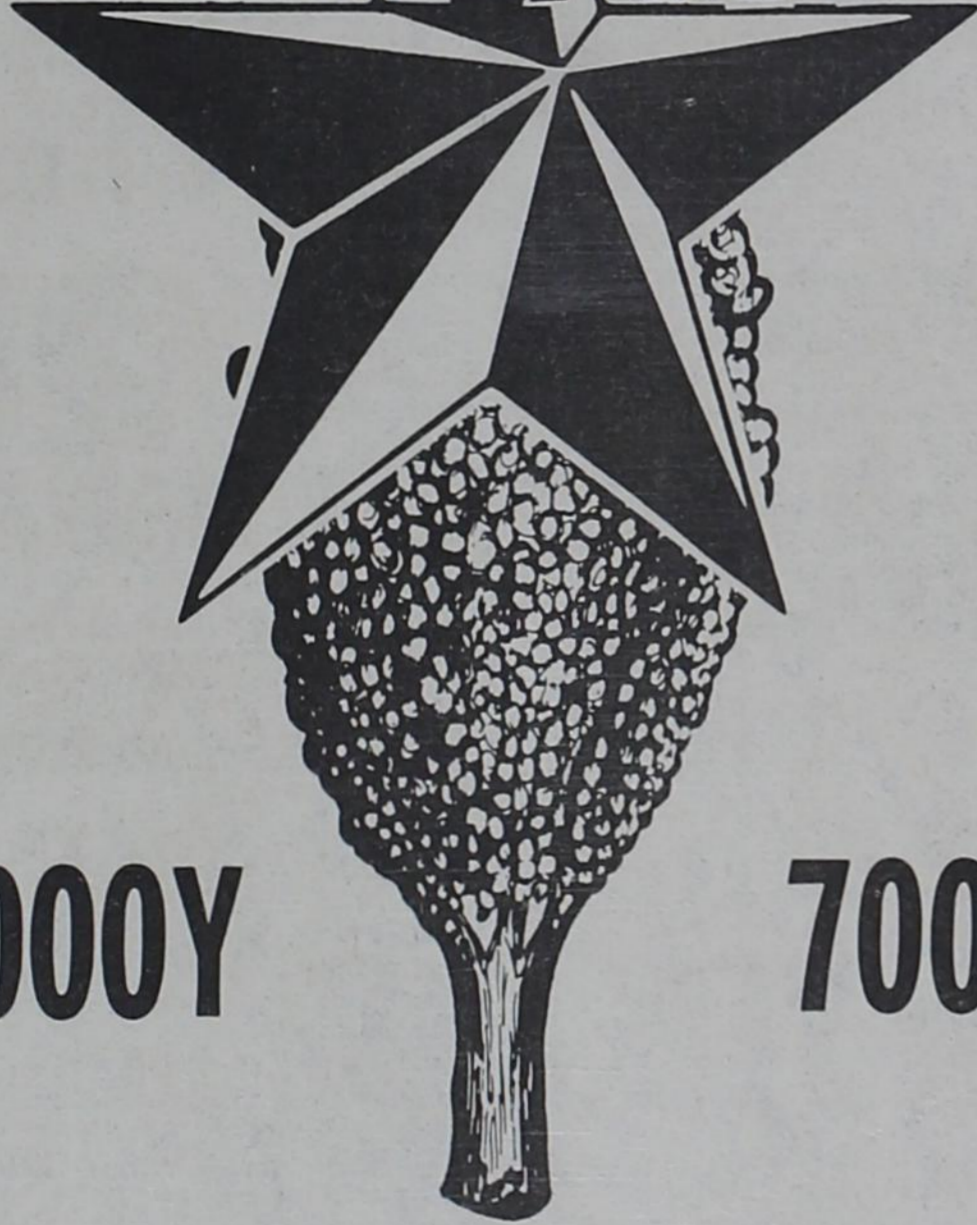
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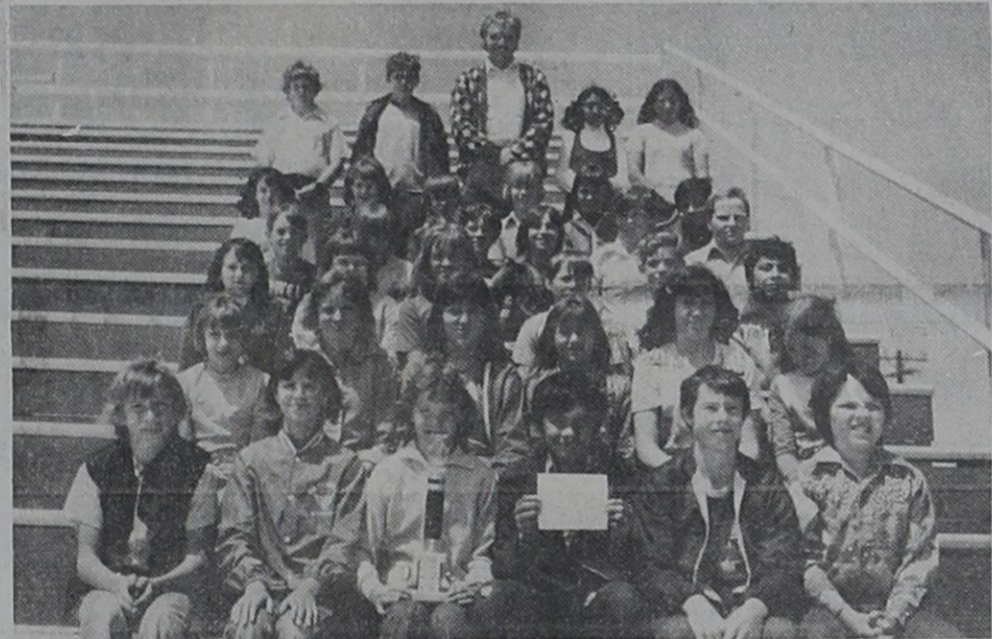
How Parmer County Voted

Democratic Primary

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Friona	848	2	199	130	127	425	378	396	186	150	162	510	186	56	8	348	476	291	516	289	544	184	181	254	207	2
Bovina	326	3	84	47	54	177	158	164	45	33	29	209	49	18	1	193	113	196	90	202	118				3	
Farwell	500	4	99	65	71	208	191	190	96	85	79	288	92	25	3	374	81	413	63	458	36				4	
Lazbuddie	207	5	23	23	21	107	107	109	66	65	68	122	47	12	0	147	58	121	66	191	14				5	
Okla. Lane	133	6	19	16	13	82	73	78	18	16	17	80	38	4	0	112	18	115	15	116	13				6	
Rhea	61	7	4	3	3	42	40	40	12	12	11	27	25	2	0	41	17	32	24	51	10				7	
Lakeview	40	8	10	10	16	16	16	3	3	3	30	7	2	0	21	19	13	27	24	16	11	16	6	7	8	
Absentee	82	9	25	23	25	27	28	25	14	14	13	49	9	11	0	55	22	50	25	54	26	8	9	8	6	9
Totals	2243	10	470	322	329	1107	1014	1041	452	389	393	1354	462	130	12	1312	831	1255	849	1405	808	215	217	282	234	

Republican Primary

REPUBLICAN PRESIDENTIAL DELEGATES	Bov.	Laz.	Far.	Frl.	Total
Allison	6	3	0	21	30
Kirchoff	7	3	1	20	31
Shannon	6	4	1	20	31
Tapp	7	3	1	21	32
Augelo	67	45	27	135	274
Monte	69	46	28	139	282
Monaghan	69	47	30	140	286
Culver	67	46	27	140	280
Lacy	5	5	2	10	22
Leman	2	7	1	11	21
Steelman	39	30	22	87	178
Sweeney	6	3	3	6	18



RECEIVE RATINGS - The Elementary Band of Farwell, top, received a II Division rating in concert and sight-reading and the Cadet Band, bottom, received II Division in concert and a I Division in sight-reading at the UIL Concert contest held Saturday, May 1, in Friona. Judges at the contest were Vic Kyles of Spearman and Tim Youree of Sanford-Fritch. Sight-reading judge was Edra Hudson of Lubbock. Farwell Band Director Lynn Burton stated, "I felt the bands did very well considering the amount of experience they have had in playing. This was the first encounter at a contest for the Elementary Band." He also reported that the Annual Pop's Concert has been scheduled for May 20 beginning at 7:30 p.m. CST. This concert will conclude 1975-76 activities for the school's bands.

Steer Golfers Enter Regional Tourney

Farwell High School's Steer golf team finished well behind defending state champions, Rankin, in the Regional Golf Tournament. The golf meet was held in Lubbock April 30 and May 1.

"We did not play well both days, but some of our individual scores were not all that bad. Farwell graduates four of the five-member golf team this year. Rowdy Chandler will be the only Varsity golfer coming back next year," stated Coach Don Alana.

Regional Golf Meet
TEAM TOTALS: Rankin, 623; Memphis, 630; Iraan, 636; Wylie, 638; Spur, 657; Albany, 664; Paducah, 669; Knox City, 672; Stratford, 676; Vega, 678;

Stanton, 684; Sanford-Fritch, 699; Seagraves, 702; McLean, 722; Farwell, 722; Crosbyton, 754.

INDIVIDUAL SCORES: Farwell - Tony Montgomery, 83-81-164; Dwight Green, 85-96-181; Rowdy Chandler, 95-88-183; Brad Jones, 96-88-184.

"The best part of the potato is underground."
 English Proverb

By SPS Company - -

Coal-Fueled Plant Nearing Completion

Southwestern Public Service Company's new Harrington Station northeast of Amarillo, is nearing completion and it will be the first SPS generating plant to use coal as its primary fuel.

The coal that will be used in the plant is low-sulphur western coal mined and brought in by unit train from Gillette, Wyo. The trains have about 110 cars designed and built specifically to haul coal. Each unit train brings about 10,000

tons of coal to the plant on a twice-a-week schedule, report SPS officials.

The lab, located at the Nichols Station plant one mile south of the new Harrington Station, takes coal samples for testing and analyzing from two different sources.

The first source is at the mine site where the coal is being loaded into the unit train. The purpose of the tests of this sample is to assure SPS

that it is getting the kind and quality of coal for which it is paying. The lab analyzes the moisture content, the percent ash, the percent volatile and, most important, the heat value or the BTU content of the coal.

While the price of coal is generally expressed in terms of dollars per ton, Southwestern actually buys the coal on a BTU per ton basis. In other words, it's the amount of energy in the coal that determines its value.

The second source of samples of coal for testing is from the conveyor belt at the power plant where the coal is being moved from the crusher house to the bunker or storage silo. This sample is primarily for operational control. Immediate results indicate the kind of coal that is being fed into the boiler at that particular time.

The coal that SPS is receiving for use at Harrington Station has approximately five

percent ash. This means that in every 100-ton car of coal there will be about five tons of ash. The 350,000 kilowatt unit at the new plant will use about 1-million tons of coal per year, leaving about 50,000 tons of fly ash.

Southwestern Public Service Company engineers are now looking at various markets and uses for the fly ash. It is particularly suited for use as a road-bed material, and an additive for concrete mixes and for landfill uses.

The introduction of coal as a boiler fuel marks a milestone in the energy picture for the 45,000 square miles served by Southwestern Public Service Company. No more power plants will be built by SPS that use natural gas as the primary fuel. However, gas will play an important role for some time to come. But the future belongs to coal and ultimately to uranium and nuclear power.

Texico Schedules Awards Assembly

The Texico High School Awards Assembly will be held Wednesday, May 12, in Wolverine Gymnasium at 2 p.m. MDT. All parents and interested citizens are invited to attend.

Several new awards will be presented this year for the first time. Pins will be given to students who have attended outstanding scholastic achievement in each of the various subject fields.

The traditional attendance awards, American Legion, Daughters of American Revolution and bus drivers awards will also be presented. The winners of the first Southwestern Public Service Company Bake-Off will also be announced.

All athletic awards will be presented at the Athletic Banquet Monday, May 10, at 7:30 p.m. Tickets for the banquet, which is open to all interested persons, may be purchased for \$3 each.

Also, at the Annual Texico Variety Show to be Friday, May 14, winners of all scholarships are to be recognized. One outstanding student in each grade, sixth through senior,

will be awarded special recognition.

The Texico Woman's Club will also reveal the winners of the organization's essay contest and scholarship.

Marriage Licenses

During the past week, three marriage licenses were issued by the Parmer County Clerk. Receiving the licenses were Gilde Mendoza Flores, Jr. and Erlinda Carol Saiz; Johnnie Carl Matthews and Dorothy Helen Jones; and Dennis Charles Acuff and Donna Gayle Shackelford.

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RECEPTION HOSTESSES - Theta Rho chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority hosted a reception Sunday, May 2, honoring Mrs. Ethel Harding, 80, of Farwell upon her graduation from Eastern New Mexico University in Portales. ESA members pictured with Mrs. Harding are, from left, Judy Jones, Rosa Roberts, Ann Liethen, Linda Gerles; Mrs. Harding; Betty Jean Castleberry, Dickie Chandler, Doris Ford and La Moin Williams. Also assisting, but not pictured, were ESA members Dardanella Helton, Maxine Williams, Diane Actkinson and Lillie Christian.



HONOREE AND SONS - Mrs. Ethel Harding of Farwell was honored with a reception Sunday, May 2, upon her graduation from ENMU in Portales at the age of 80. Attending the occasion were Mrs. Harding's sons, from left, Nathan of Odessa, Warren G. of San Antonio and J.D. of Levelland. Also attending, but not available for the picture, was the honoree's son, Hurshel of Farwell.

Reception Honors Ethel Harding

Mrs. Ethel Harding of Farwell was honored with a reception Sunday, May 2, at Farwell First Baptist Church in recognition of her graduation from Eastern New Mexico University in Portales at the age of 80 years young.

Approximately 75 persons were served refreshments of punch and cake from milk glass and silver appointments. The serving table was covered

with white net over a pink cloth and was centered with a fresh floral arrangement in a milk glass container. The centerpiece was a gift to Mrs. Harding from her neighbors.

Special guests attending included Mrs. Harding's sons, Nathan of Odessa, Warren G. of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Harding of Levelland and Hurshel of Farwell. Other out-of-town relatives attending

were two of Mrs. Harding's nieces, Helen Truelove of Alvarado, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Green of San Angelo.

Hosting the occasion was Theta Rho chapter of Epsilon Sigma Alpha sorority. Sorority members assisting were Judy Jones, Rosa Roberts, Ann Liethen, Linda Gerles, Betty Jean Castleberry, Dickie Chandler, Doris Ford, La Moin Williams, Dardanella Helton, Maxine Williams, Diane Actkinson and Lillie Christian.

Demonstration Club To Host Special Program

"Have you ever just wanted to get together with the girls and have some fun? And, maybe learn something too? Well, we've got just the thing for you," comments Parmer County Extension Agent Jana Pronger.

The Oklahoma Lane Home Demonstration Club is sponsoring a special interest program for all women in the Farwell-Oklahoma Lane area on Tuesday, May 11, at 8 p.m. CDT in the Farwell High School Homemaking Cottage.

Judy Murray, a deputy with the Deaf Smith County Sher-

iff's Department, will be on hand to present a program on the art of self defense for women.

The Oklahoma Lane Club invites all women of the community to attend the program and enjoy refreshments and find out about Home Demonstration club work. "We are interested in recruiting new members and/or forming a new club," stated Miss Pronger.

It has been reported that a nursery will be available Tuesday night.

Attend Tech Awards Banquet

Mr. and Mrs. Gil Patschke of Farwell attended the Aggie Honors Banquet in the University Center Ballroom at Texas Tech University April 29. Their daughter, Susan, was one of the students to receive special recognition in the College of Agricultural Sciences.

Rex McCloy was installed as new president of the Aggie Council for 1976-77. He announced the "Outstanding Students of the Year" winners.

Susan and Rex McCloy were weekend guests in the Patschke home.

With Quickels

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. I.W. Quickel, Jr. of Farwell were his uncle and family, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Quickel and Harley of Fargo, Okla. Also visiting with the Quickels were Mr. and Mrs. I.W. Quickel, Sr. of Bovina.

Golden Circle Class Has Devotional

The Golden Circle Sunday School Class of the Texico First Baptist Church met Tuesday, May 4, in the home of Mary Dorris. The meeting was opened with prayer by Frances Boling.

During the business meeting, the curtains for the class room were discussed and it was reported that the project had been completed. Also discussed was the class' book donation to the church library.

Flowers were then made for a Clovis nursing home and for presentation on Mother's Day.

The devotional, "What is a Mother" and "A Mother's Love" from Luke 7:47, was given by Mozelle Kirby. The closing prayer was given by Margaret Horne.

Refreshments of coffee, tea, stuffed celery, cheese and crackers were served to Irene Hughes, Dorothy Rolan, Letha Morris, Nora Day, Frances Boling, Margaret Horne, Mildred Hill, Aileen Pearce, Mozelle Kirby, Evelyn Hadley, Ophelia Billington, Minnie Hagler, Mary Dorris and two visitors.

Null To Present Church Service

Larry E. Null, Disciples of Christ minister, will deliver the Mother's Day sermon Sunday, May 9, at the Oklahoma Lane United Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Null and their son, Phillip, have recently moved to the Oklahoma Lane community.

The minister is presently serving as director on the Council of Alcoholism with offices in Clovis. The Council serves Curry, De Baca, Roosevelt and Quay counties.

Before becoming affiliated with the Council, Mr. Null was with the Atomic Energy Commission and the Sandia Corporation as a research scientist. During that time the Nulls' weekends were spent serving pastorless churches of the Presbyterian, Baptist, Disciples of Christ and Methodist faiths in New Mexico and Nevada, or with the Laguna and Jemez Indians on the reservations, according to Rev. Oran Smith of the Oklahoma Lane United Methodist Church.

McMillans Visit

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Otis McMillan and children in Farwell during a recent weekend were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O.E. McMillan of Lorenzo, and his sister, Mrs. Nell Shoemaker of Ralls.



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Bonus Buy! Facial Tissue Lady Scott - 200 Ct.	51¢	48¢	3¢
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Bonus Buy! Lovin Spoonful Asst. - 12½ Oz.	37¢	32¢	5¢
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Bonus Buy! Beef Dinners Banquet 11 Oz.	68¢	65¢	3¢
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Bonus Buy! Wishbone Dressing 1000 Island 8 Oz.	54¢	50¢	4¢
Bonus Buy! Rice Comet Long Grain 28 Oz.	75¢	71¢	4¢
Bonus Buy! Margarine Chiffon Family Soft 1 Lb.	71¢	64¢	7¢
Bonus Buy! Easy Off Window Aerosol - 18 3/4 Oz.	66¢	59¢	7¢
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TO WED IN JUNE - Mrs. Johnnie Rundell of Farwell announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Sheree Ann of Amarillo, to Richard L. Montgomery of Farwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. L.G. Montgomery of Abernathy. Wedding vows will be exchanged at 6:30 p.m. CDT Friday, June 25, in the Oklahoma Lane United Methodist Church. The bride-elect is a 1975 graduate of West Texas State University and is currently employed by an Amarillo accountant. The prospective bridegroom is a 1975 graduate of Texas A&M and is currently employed by Farwell Schools. No invitations are being sent but all friends and relatives are invited to attend the wedding and reception to follow.



TO BE WED - Mr. and Mrs. Bill Meeks of Farwell and Mr. and Mrs. A.H. Renee of Walnut, Calif., announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their children, Gail and Bob. The couple will exchange vows on July 2 at the Farwell Church of Christ. A 1972 graduate of Farwell High School, the bride-elect received her degree from Lubbock Christian College in 1976. The prospective bridegroom is a 1972 graduate of Clovis High School and is currently a senior student at Texas Tech. All friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend the wedding.



PLAN JUNE WEDDING - Mr. and Mrs. J.D. Kelley of Pleasant Hill announce the engagement and forthcoming marriage of their daughter, Karen Elaine, to Randy O'Neal Cain, son of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Cain of Texico. Both are graduates of Texico High School. The couple will exchange vows at 6:30 p.m. MDT on Friday, June 4, at the Pleasant Hill Baptist Church. Rev. Bob Roberts will perform the ceremony. All friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend the wedding and the reception following the ceremony.



WEDDING PLANS TOLD - Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Defoor of Farwell announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Barbara, to Bruce Kaltwasser, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Kaltwasser, also of Farwell. The couple will exchange vows Tuesday, June 15, at 7 p.m. CDT at St. John's Lutheran Church in Lariat. The bride-elect is a 1975 graduate of Farwell High School. The prospective bridegroom will graduate from Farwell High this spring. No local invitations will be sent, but all friends and relatives of the couple are invited to attend.

Kim Snider Honored With Bridal Shower

Kim Snider, bride-elect of Grady Newton, was feted with a miscellaneous bridal shower Saturday, May 1, at Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church.

The honoree was presented a corsage of white roses and her mother, Mrs. M.A. Snider, Jr., and the mother of the prospective bridegroom, Mrs. J.W. Newton, were each presented carnation corsages.

The honoree's chosen colors of pink and white were used in the decorations with the table covered with a white lace cloth over pink. The centerpiece was an arrangement of flowers in shades of pink. Crystal and sil-

ver appointments were used in serving finger sandwiches, mints, nuts and punch.

Special guests attending included the bride-elect's grandmother, Mrs. M.A. Snider, Sr., of Farwell; the prospective bridegroom's grandmother, Mrs. Johnson; his sister, Camille Newton; and his sister-in-law, Barbie Newton.

Hostesses' gift was an Oster appliance center.

Hostesses were Jean Travis, Lillie Christian, Dot Christian, Marge Meeks, Marilyn Edwards, Carrie Anderson, Jerry Meeks, Beth Howard, Nell Walling and Bernice Norton.



KOPS GRADUATES - Five local women were present during KOPS (Keep Off Pounds Sensibly) graduating ceremonies during the New Mexico TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) State Recognition Days meeting held last week in Albuquerque, N.M. Local graduates are, from left, Louise Brigham, Cynthia Thigpen, Virginia Perry, Mary Bradley and Pauline Castleberry, all of Texico and Farwell. During the meeting, Mrs. Perry was also honored as State Queen and was awarded a trip to the International Recognition Days to be held in Anaheim, Calif. Runner-up was Mrs. Bradley. Winning the KOPS Charm and Beauty Contest was Mrs. Thigpen.

Mrs. Perry Named TOPS State Queen

The New Mexico TOPS State Recognition Days meeting was held last week, April 30-May 1, in the Sheraton Old Town Inn at Albuquerque, N.M. This is an annual meeting of the TOPS organization. TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly) is an international organization to help people who are over-weight, reduce without the aid of fads or special diets.

Chapters from all over New Mexico were represented at this meeting and honors were given to those who had achieved goals. Mrs. Esther Manz, president and founder of TOPS International, was present for this meeting, which was her first visit to New Mexico.

Named as State Queen for

achieving her goal and reaching the status of a KOPS (Keep Off Pounds Sensibly) was Mrs. Virginia Perry of Farwell, who is a member of TOPS NM No. 3 at Clovis, N.M. Runner-up for this honor was Mrs. Mary Bradley of Texico, who is also a member of Clovis Chapter TOPS NM No. 3.

Winning the KOPS Charm and Beauty Contest was Cynthia Thigpen of Farwell, also a member of Clovis TOPS NM

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Pre-Nuptial Shower Fetes Raylene Poe

Raylene Poe, bride-elect of Gerald Gohlke, was honored with a pre-nuptial shower Thursday, April 29, at St. John's Lutheran Church at Lariat.

The bride's colors were carried out in the decorations with the serving table covered with a white lace cloth over blue. The centerpiece was a basket of checked gingham flowers in the bride's colors. Refreshments of banana punch and assorted cookies were

served those attending. The honoree, her mother and the mother of the prospective bridegroom, Mrs. Hubert Gohlke, were each presented a corsage of the same flowers as the centerpiece.

Hostesses' gift was a crocker electric skillet.

Hostesses were Jo Geuther, Mary Kalbas, Mary Sutton, Eunice Schilling, Mary Mesman, Sandra Turner, Mary Alice Ramm, Alma Lingnau, Berna Dean Kube, Bobbie Jones and Liz Kaltwasser.

Mothers Tea Set Saturday

A tea honoring all mothers in the area will be held Saturday, May 8, at 2:30 p.m. CDT at the First Baptist Church of Farwell.

Loved ones of mothers in the area are invited to attend, according to members of the Baptist Women of the church, sponsors of the tea.

Anyone needing transportation to the tea may call 481-3635.

Son Born To Rushings

Mr. and Mrs. George Rushing announce the birth of a son, William Marc (Will), born April 28, at Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cooper of Farwell and paternal grandparents are Mrs. Ruth Rushing of Friona and the late Eric Rushing. Mrs. E.V. Rushing of Clovis is paternal great-grandmother.

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Bridal Shower Honors LeeAnn Williams

Lee Ann Williams of Farwell, bride-elect of Kyle Jones of Bovina, was honored with a bridal shower Thursday, April 29, at the First Baptist Church of Farwell Fellowship Hall.

The honoree was presented a corsage of blue rose buds while her mother, Mrs. Bert Williams; mother of the prospective bridegroom, Mrs. Byron Jones of Bovina; and the honoree's grandmother, Mrs.

Roddy Pearcees Parents Of First Child

Mr. and Mrs. Roddy Pearce of Clovis, formerly of Texico, are parents of their first child, a daughter named Jaime Leeann, born Thursday, April 29, at Clovis Memorial Hospital.

The new daughter weighed seven pounds, one-half ounce and was 20 1/2 inches long at birth.

Maternal grandparents are Rev. and Mrs. Carlos McLeod of Plainview and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. L.A. Buddy Pearce of Texico.

Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Luther Pearce of Clovis, Denver May of Texico, Mr. and Mrs. H.N. Lloyd of Snyder, Tex., and Mr. and Mrs. C.H. McLeod of Farmersville, Tex.

The ancients believed that rubbing a sty with a gold ring would cure it.

Johnie Williams of Farwell, and grandmother of the prospective bridegroom, Mrs. Bonnie Jones of Clovis, were each presented a corsage of blue carnations.

The serving table was covered with white net over blue and was centered with a blue and white floral arrangement of fresh cut flowers. Milk glass and silver appointments were used in serving punch, finger sandwiches and assorted cookies to the approximately 60 persons attending.

Assisting the honoree in the opening of gifts were her

mother and Mrs. Jones. Hostesses' gift was a kitchen center. Hostesses were Carrie Anderson, Jerry Meeks, Marilyn Edwards, Dickie Chandler, Dot Christian, Lillie Christian, Dardanella Helton, Mary Jane Wilson, Sue Naegle, Liz Phillips, Mina Sheets and Joann Getz.

Out-of-town relatives attending included the prospective bridegroom's sister, Mrs. Bonnie Sorensen of Friona; his sister-in-law, Dottie Neal of Bovina and her daughter, Mindy; and his great-aunt, Eva Nuzum of Clovis.

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Open House, Dedication Held At Baptist Church

Approximately 61 persons, including two former pastors, were present for the open house and dedication of the Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church parsonage Sunday, May 2.

During the come-and-go event, gold punch, fruit breads and cakes were served guests from a table covered with a white linen cloth trimmed in wide lace. Centerpiece for the occasion was an arrangement of yellow, pale orange and white carnations and daisies. The cake, which was in the form of an open book, was decorated with yellow and orange flowers and was inscribed with the words "God Bless This House." The cake had been prepared by Sharon Eubanks. Mrs. Eubanks, Mrs. Gale Dale and Mrs. Dorris White pre-

sided at the serving table. The program for the afternoon was under the direction of Mrs. Avis Carpenter. Bro. Moody Smith read a scripture taken from Joshua 24:15 urging the people to serve the Lord. Mrs. Julia Symcox sang "Bless This House" and Mrs. Claude Watkins presented a prayer of dedication.

To conclude the program, those persons attending sang "Blessed be the Tie that Binds."

Former pastors present for the open house and dedication were Bro. and Mrs. Jesse Terry of Bovina and Bro. and Mrs. Bob Roberts of Pleasant Hill.

Chairmen of the open house committee were Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Donaldson. Other members of the committee included Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Symcox and Mr. and Mrs. Monty Barrett.



OPEN HOUSE PARTICIPANTS - Among the 61 persons attending open house and dedication activities at the Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church parsonage Sunday were, from left, Sterling Donaldson, Mrs. Sterling Donaldson, Mrs. Moody Smith and Bro. Moody Smith. Mr. and Mrs. Donaldson served as chairmen of the parsonage committee and Bro. Smith conducted official dedication ceremonies at the parsonage.



PROCLAMATIONS SIGNED - Texico Mayor Manford Turnbough is shown with Texico City Clerk Clara Wiehl, left, and Maurine Caywood, right, as he displays proclamations declaring the second week of May "Municipal Clerk's Week" and May 15 "Senior Citizens Day." Mrs. Wiehl has invited all residents to visit Texico City Hall and see government in action during the week and Mrs. Caywood has announced that an open house will be conducted at the Senior Center May 15. During the open house refreshments will be served and various works of art will be on display and some articles may be purchased. All election candidates from Parmer and Curry counties are invited to attend as special guests. Farwell Mayor Gil Patschke also signed a proclamation this week declaring Clerk's Week to honor Farwell City Clerk Janie Bowery.



TOPS QUEEN - Crowned State Queen of TOPS in New Mexico last week was Mrs. Virginia Perry of Farwell. She will now represent New Mexico TOPS at the International Convention to be held in June in Anaheim, Calif.

GOOD PSYCHOLOGY



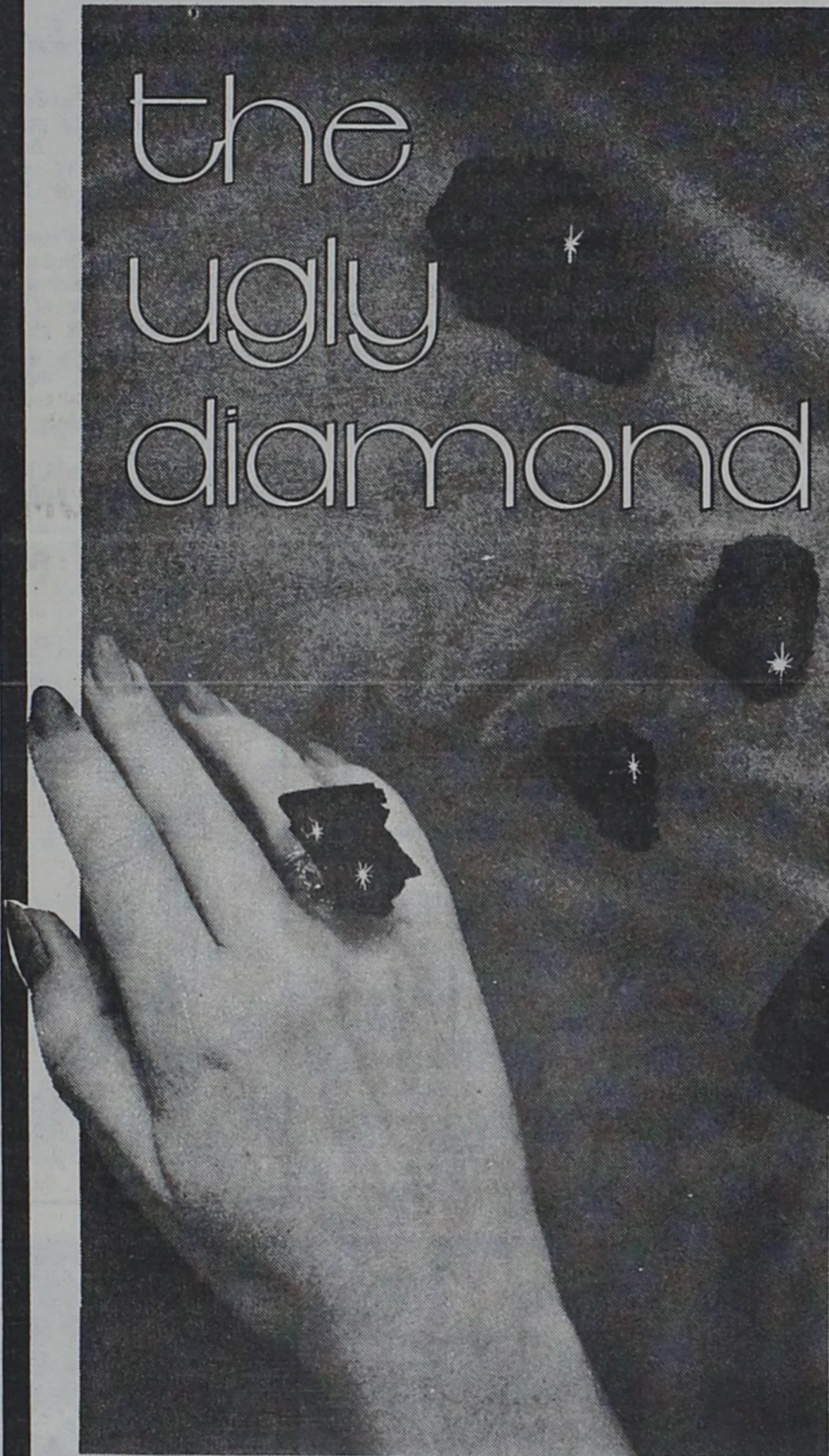
Children, according to psychologists, fear being abandoned by their parents. Many mothers who cannot be home when their children return from school leave loving messages on a bulletin board or tape recorder.



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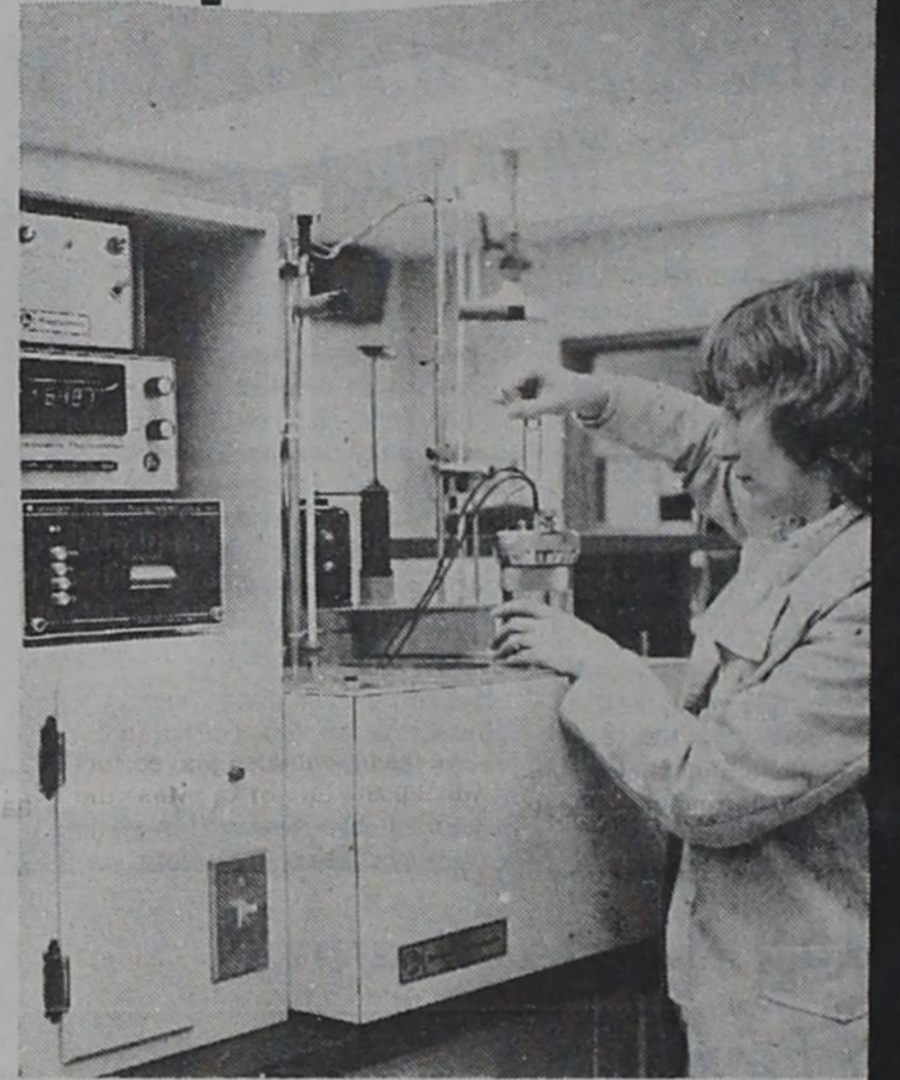
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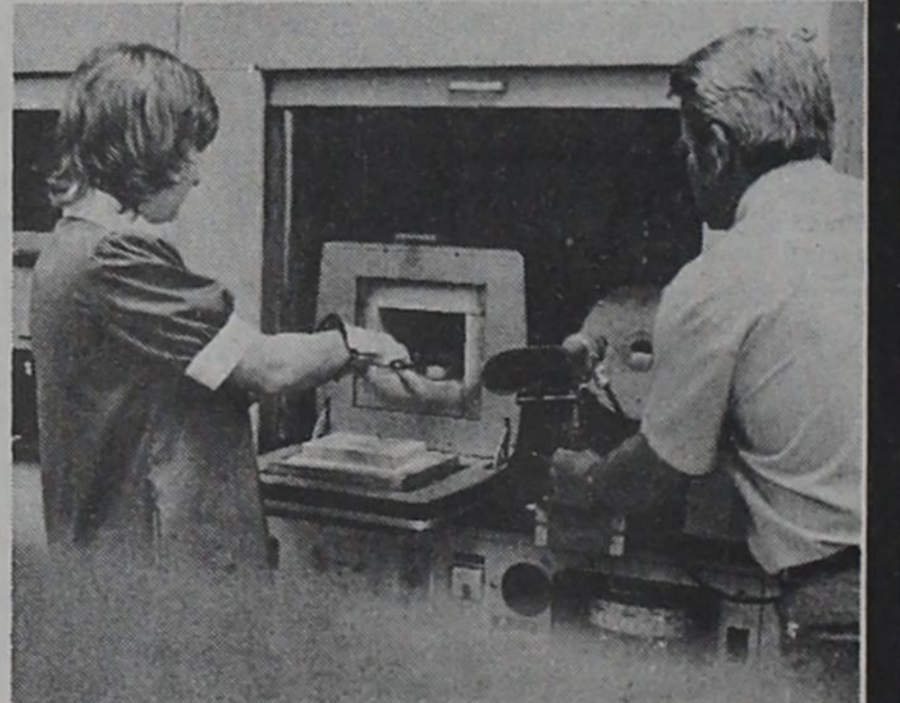
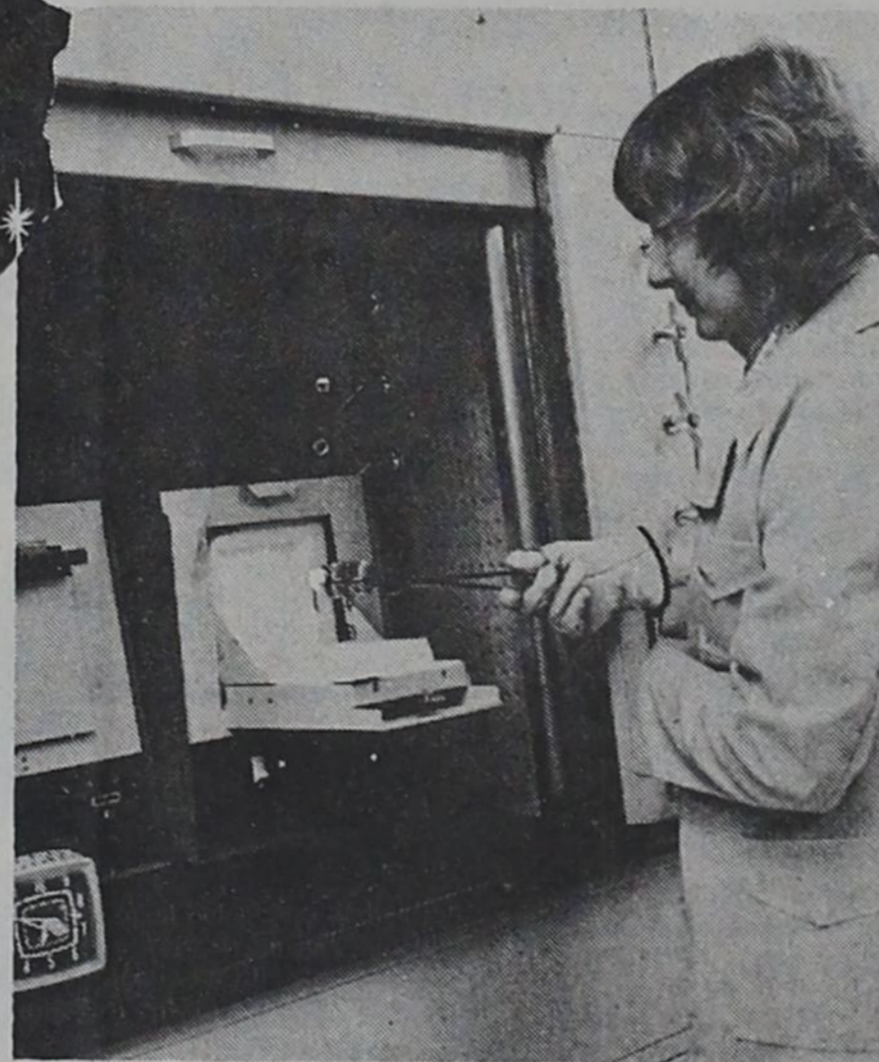
With natural gas in short supply and becoming more expensive, it makes good sense to use coal to generate



Southwestern Public Service Company production chemist, Diana Price, prepares a coal sample for analysis and tests at the electric company's system laboratory.

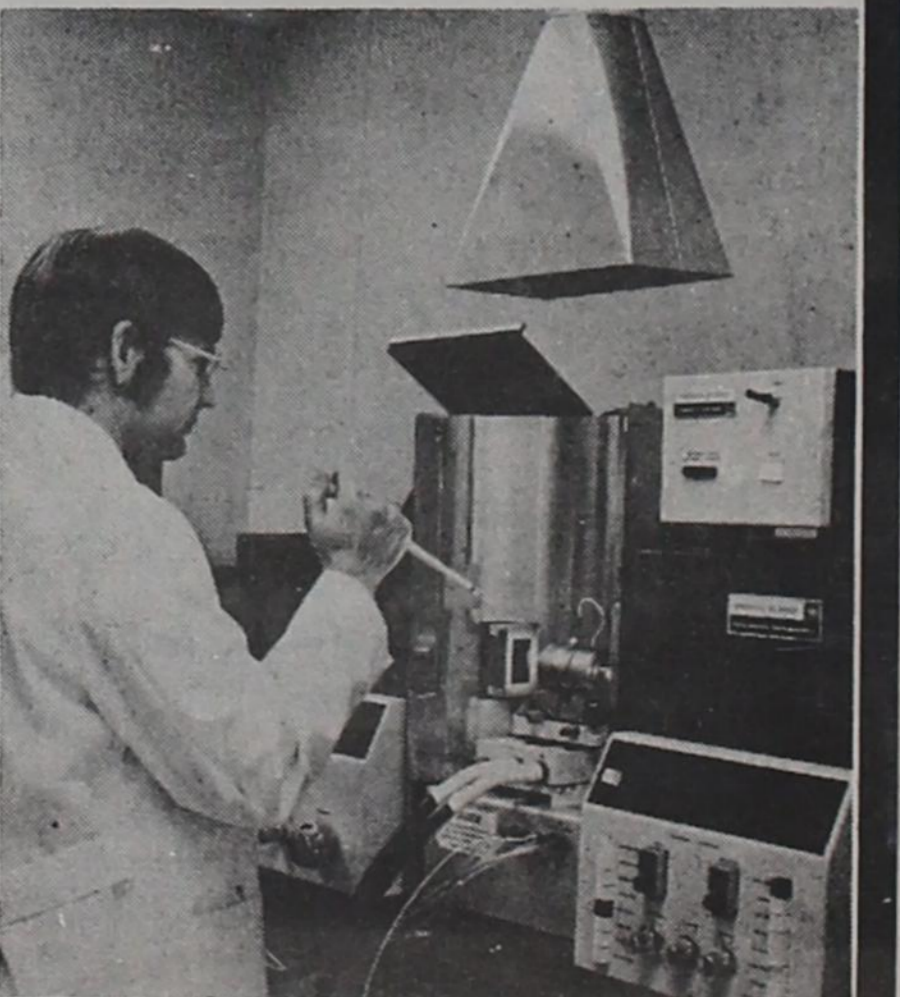


Analyzing the heat value of BTU content of a coal sample is one of the many tests performed at the Southwestern Public Service Company system laboratory, near Amarillo. Production chemist, Diana Price uses computer controlled equipment to make the test.



Southwestern Public Service Company system lab supervisor, Murry Leith, and production chemist, Diana Price, place coal samples in an electric furnace to determine the amount of ash in the sample.

Determining the percent of a coal sample that is volatile is all in a day's work for Diana Price, production chemist, for Southwestern Public Service Company. A complete analysis of coal samples is the responsibility of the SPS system laboratory.



Jerry Carpenter, system chemist for Southwestern Public Service Company, uses an atomic absorption spectrophotometer to determine the percent of trace materials in a sample of the coal being brought in from Gillette, Wyoming for use in SPS's new Harrington Station, near Amarillo.

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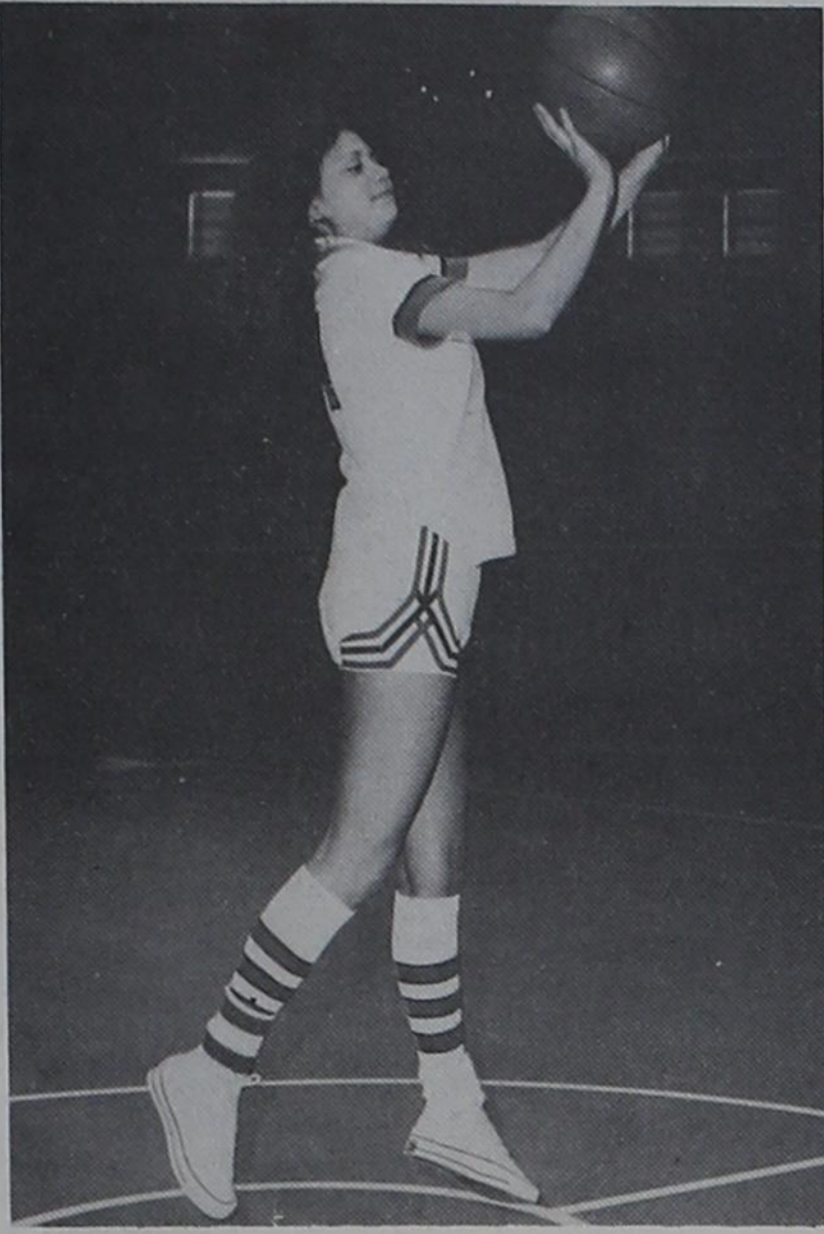
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RECEIVES ALL-CONFERENCE HONORS - Sharon Booth of Farwell has been named to the Western Junior College All-Conference second team by WJCC coaches. The 5-8 freshman forward was the number three scorer for South Plains College, averaging 12.5 points a game. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert (Toby) Booth of Farwell. Also named to the WJCC all-conference first team from SPC were Lisa Risinger of Bula and Jane Goheen of Abernathy. The trio helped the Texanettes to an 18-6 record this year under first-year coach Gayle Nicholas, former Farwell Steerette coach.

Former Steerette - -

Sharon Booth Named WJCC All-Conference

Three Texanette basketball players have been named to the Western Junior College Conference first and second all-conference teams for 1975-76. Named to the WJCC first team were freshmen Lisa Risinger of Bula and Jane Goheen of Abernathy. Freshman Sharon Booth of Farwell was selected as a WJCC second-team member by conference coaches.

Other players named to the first team were Marilyn Payton and Theresa Beal of Western Texas College and Micky Henderson of Clarendon College. Members of the conference second team also include Carol Vincent and Teresa Cudren of Clarendon, Annie Tillman of Western Texas and Sherry Griffin of Howard College. Risinger and Booth earlier had been named to the Region V all-regional team. They also were chosen as all-tournament players at the women's regional playoffs in Snyder this season.

Booth, a 5-8 forward, averaged 12.5 points a game for the

Texanettes to rank number three in that category. Most of her points came on outside shots. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert (Toby) Booth of Farwell. Risinger, a 5-10 forward-post player for the Texanettes, led the team in scoring this season with 370 points in 21 games for an average of 17.6. She also tied for the lead in rebounding, averaging 8.7 a game. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W.C. Risinger of Bula.

Goheen, who also played forward-post for SPC, was the number two scorer this year. She averaged 16.5 points a game. The 5-11 freshman was just behind Risinger and Capri Kimbrow of Midland in rebounding, averaging 8.6 a contest. She is the daughter of Mrs. Dora Goheen of Abernathy.

The Texanettes, under first-year coach Gayle Nicholas, were 18-6 for the year. The record included a 12-game winning streak from Nov. 14, 1975, to Jan. 26, 1976.

Portraying Area Homemakers



FUTURE HOMEMAKER - Taking lessons from her mother on how to use the blender is Michelle Foster, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Foster of the Oklahoma Lane community. Mrs. Foster (Beverly) is our area homemaker this week. Among her hobbies, Beverly enjoys cooking good things to eat for her family.

Being a farmer's wife isn't always easy and you can bet that it is usually a busy life to lead. Our area homemaker this week, Mrs. Buddy (Beverly) Foster, is a busy housewife and mother of a one-year-old daughter, Michelle Ann. The Fosters have a pet poodle, Wilber, and four cats that live in the barn to help keep the mice population down.

Buddy farms in the Oklahoma Lane Community and like a lot of farmers' wives in this community, Beverly helps whenever she is needed.

"I have helped Buddy plow. Michelle and I go out and help him change the water and move pipe," she commented. Beverly also drives a grain truck for her father during harvest.

Our homemaker enjoys sewing for Michelle and herself. Her mother helped her make shades for her kitchen window which she also enjoyed doing.

Beverly said that she would like to refinish some old furniture but she just hasn't yet found the time. She mentioned that she had recovered a seat for a kitchen step-stool.

Like other area homemakers, Beverly cans most of their vegetables during the summer. "We get our vegetables from both our parents' gardens. Last year I canned beans, peas, pickles and stew and just a lot of other things."

The Fosters enjoy going to the lake during the summer to "just spend a day away." They like to ski and will be glad when Michelle is old enough to learn how to swim.

Beverly enjoys cooking for her family and consented to share two recipes with our readers.

MEXICAN CASSEROLE

- 1 1/2 lb. hamburger meat
- 1 t. salt
- 1 small onion (cut up)
- Chili powder to taste
- 1/2 can El Monterrey sauce
- 1 can mushroom soup
- 4 or 5 tortillas

Quarter tortillas in baking dish. Top with cooked hamburger meat and onions. Then add El Monterrey sauce mixed

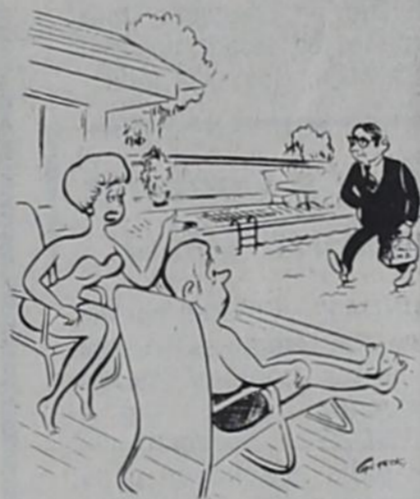
with soup. Top with grated cheese. Cook at 350 degrees until cheese is thoroughly melted.

BROWNIES

- 1/2 c. butter
- 1 ounce chocolate
- 1 c. sugar
- 1/2 t. salt
- 2 eggs
- 3/4 c. sifted flour
- 1/2 t. baking powder
- 1 t. vanilla

Melt chocolate and butter together slowly. Cool. Add sugar and beaten eggs. Mix well. Add flour sifted with baking powder; then add vanilla. Pour into well greased pan. Bake at 350 degrees for 25 minutes.

My Neighbors



"There, now, maybe you'll have more faith in him."

TRIBUNE RIVIA

from across the desk of Joann Getz

With Economy In Mind: Stretching food dollars in today's markets is a challenge to most shoppers. If you're guided by a limited budget, sharpen your food shopping skills, advises General Foods Consumer Center. Educate yourself with the excellent guides available from reliable sources, such as the U.S. Department of Agriculture and local extension agents.

Every shrewd shopper knows that it takes effort to be a better manager; that it takes more time to learn about foods, more time to plan, and more time to shop. In the long run, the tangible reward is greater value for the time and money spent.

Fruit Buying Tips: Buy in season when quality is usually higher and prices more reasonable. Don't buy on size alone; large-sized fruits are not necessarily the best quality, nor are they always economical. They may appear to be bargains, but may be unsuited to the purpose you have in mind.

It's a warmish day. You're in the mood to call a few friends in for lunch. But what to serve? Something quick and refreshing like Easy Fruit Salad.

Combine in a large bowl 1 cup each of fresh orange sections, banana slices, diced apples, and seedless grapes. Add 1 cup sour cream and 1 cup flaked coconut; mix well. Chill at least 3 hours. Makes 5 cups or enough for 10 servings.

Cutting food costs starts with a watch for specials on canned and frozen products. Stock up on good buys if you can store them properly. Watch for specials on your favorite brands. Keep a 16 oz. can of stewed tomatoes on the shelf so that you can prepare a molded Stewed Tomato Relish to brighten up a supper.

Pour 1 can (16 oz.) stewed tomatoes into a saucepan, saving the can to use as a mold. Bring tomatoes to a boil. Reduce heat and simmer 2 minutes. Add 1 package (3 oz.) lemon or strawberry flavor gelatin, 1/2 teaspoon salt, and 1 tablespoon vinegar; stir until gelatin is dissolved.

Pour mixture into the can and chill until firm - about 4 hours. To unmold, dip can in warm water and puncture bottom. Shake out on plate. Makes about 2 cups or 6 servings.

A complete list of foods based on planned menus simplifies shopping. You are less likely to buy haphazardly, and one trip to the market may be enough. If you prefer, make a partial list with general needs and plan actual menus later.

based on the special buys you discover during the shopping trip. After comparing costs at the store, buy a variety of foods and prepare meals from these selections.

Fresh milk is probably the first staple food written on a shopping list. Buy fresh milk in 1/2- or 1-gallon containers if you can use this much milk without waste. You can usually save a few cents per quart by buying containers larger than quart size. Having a good supply of milk on hand enables you to supplement your family's daily quota of milk with recipes that call for milk as an ingredient.

Pudding Tart-in-a-Dish is a fine example of a nutritious dessert. It's likely you have the makings on hand. For 4 servings or 2 1/2 cups, combine 1/2 cup graham cracker crumbs with 2 to 3 teaspoons melted butter or margarine. Press mixture on bottom and sides of individual dessert glasses.

Prepare 1 package (4-serving size) vanilla or chocolate instant pudding and pie filling with 2 cups cold milk, according to directions for pudding. Spoon the pudding into the crumb-lined glasses and chill. Garnish with prepared whipped topping and additional crumbs, if desired.

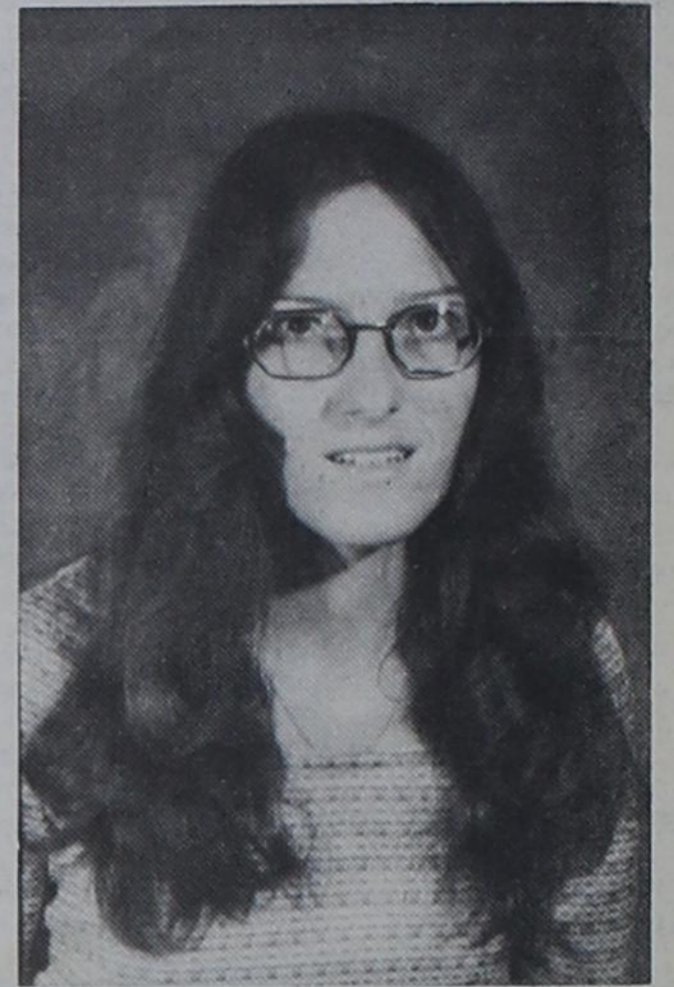
Thoughts

From The Living Bible

For I will pass through the land of Egypt tonight and kill all the oldest sons and firstborn male animals in all the land of Egypt, and execute judgment upon all the gods of Egypt—for I am Jehovah. The blood you have placed on the doorposts will be proof that you obey me, and when I see the blood I will pass over you and I will not destroy your firstborn children when I smite the land of Egypt. "You shall celebrate this event each year (this is a permanent law) to remind you of this fatal night. The celebration shall last seven days.

Exodus 12:12-15
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Teen Of The Week At Texico School



DEBBIE LEDBETTER

Debbie Ledbetter, a junior student, is Texico's "Teen of the Week" for May 10-14. The daughter of Mrs. Ann Ledbetter of Texico and Delbert Ledbetter of Portales, Debbie is an active member of the Texico Chapter of Future Homemakers of America, Pep Club, and National Honor Society. She has participated in volleyball and track this year, and she lists tennis as one of her favorite sports. Debbie is talented in art, leathercraft, and in many types of arts and crafts.

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Preliminary indications are that the 1976 Texas peach crop should exceed last year's short harvest of 313,000 bushels, despite damage to the crop in some areas, according to Agriculture Commissioner John C. White.

"Gillespie County growers report a good to excellent set this year. The crop there is expected to be an

outstanding one," White said.

In East, Central and South Texas, good fruit crops are expected in most areas, while in the Cross Timbers, a few peaches were hurt by a light freeze.

The worst damage occurred in Gaines County and the Northern Low Plains, where a late freeze destroyed most of the crop, White noted.

In 1975, a late freeze that hit much of the state in March severely damaged the peach crop.

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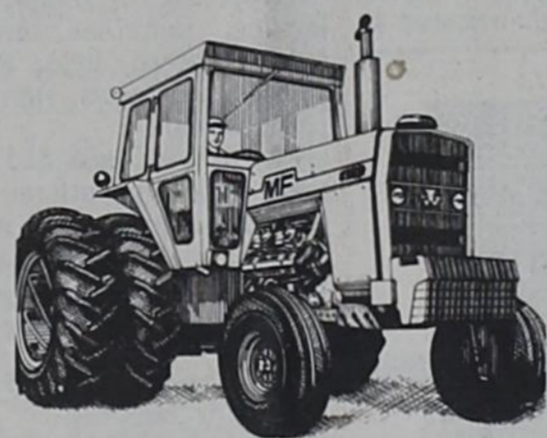
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Farwell - -

Coach Lauds Track Team

The 1976 track season for Farwell High School has closed and Varsity Steer Coach Jim Yakubovsky has submitted his report on the season's activities.

"We had a very good and productive year. Everyone did an outstanding job of training and performing. The young men were excellent representatives and ambassadors for Farwell everywhere we traveled this year.

"Our times started out slow but finished fast. I was very lucky to have been able to work with such a fine group of young men this year.

"Some of our bright spots this year were a second place finish in district without any senior team members, and Billy White winning district in

the 330-yard intermediate hurdles, and setting a new district record in the high jump. Billy's time of 43.2 in the hurdles and high jump of 6'4 1/4" set new school records. Billy also ran on the mile relay team which is the district champion team. In addition, he ran on the regional qualifying 440-yard relay team.

"Russ Jones also contributed by winning the 120-yard high hurdles in district and setting a new school record of 15.7 in the preliminaries at the regional meet. Russ also qualified for the regional high jump and placed third in the region. He also ran on the mile relay team.

"Travis Bibbs entered four events in the district meet and qualified for regional in the

events which included the 440 relay, long jump, 440 dash and mile relay.

"Other people who did a 'super' job were Mike Goettsch, Chip Craft, John Defoor, Terri McCully, Kent Goldsmith, Bruce Mayfield, Dwayne Obenshain, Richard Yruegas, D.D. Foster, Terry Miller, Steve Hargrove and Carlos Lucio.

"The three most outstanding events of the season had to be, first of all, Billy White's new district record of 6'4 1/4" in the high jump; second, Russ Jones' third place finish in the region in the high jump; and last would be our mile relay. At Lorenzo, the first meet of the year, we ran a 3:52.1, at the district meet, we ran a 3:37.9, and two weeks later, at the regional meet, we ran a 3:35.0 in

the preliminaries and a 3:28.9 in the finals for sixth place. The young men who ran that final time were Russ Jones, Mike Goettsch, Billy White and Travis Bibbs. Carlos Lucio, John Defoor and Kent Goldsmith also ran on the relay this year.

"Credit also must go to Coach Bert Roanhaus and Coach Don Alana, who assisted me this year with the track team.

"When so fine a group of young men come together, such as we have in Farwell, the task of coaching becomes pure enjoyment and pleasure all the time. As head track coach I have had one of my exciting and enjoyable years in coaching." Coach Yakubovsky concluded.



HIGHLIGHTER - One of the highlights of the Farwell Varsity Steers track season was when Russ Jones took third place in the regional track meet in the high jump. Jones is displaying his regional medal for the win.



DISTRICT CHAMPS - The mile relay team of Farwell High School, from left, Mike Goettsch, Travis Bibbs, Billy White and Russ Jones, took the title of district champions during the 1976 track season. The season has now ended and Coach Jim Yakubovsky commented that the district championship win was only one of several highlights of the year for the Varsity Steers.



1976-1977 VARSITY CHEERLEADERS - The girls who will be leading the cheers at the '76-'77 athletic events at Farwell High School will be, left to right, top row: D'Lynn Eubanks, Toby Curtis, Peggy White and Vicki Vinton; bottom row: Penny Hughes, Sherri McCully and Sherry Perkins.

Tennis - -

Farwell Junior Highers Place In District Meet

Farwell's Junior High School Steerette and Yearling tennis players traveled to Kress Monday, May 3, where they participated in the District Tennis Meet with Farwell grabbing several places in competition.

James Castleberry took first place in the eighth grade singles competition with Blaine Buchenau and Mark Owen taking first place in the doubles.

In eighth grade girls competition, Jana Berry and Gina Eubanks took first place.

Seventh graders Clay Williams and Gary Hardage teamed up for doubles competition and placed fourth. Randy Herington took fourth in the boys singles.

In girls singles competition for the seventh grade, Tori Hardage placed third with Robin Ennen and Sharmy Christian taking second place in doubles play.

Serving as coach for the junior high tennis participants is Joe Allen.

Little Dribblers Box Scores

The Girls Little Dribblers continued action this week with the Queens winning 24-18 over the Tigerettes.

Janene Berry led all scoring with 17 points for the Queens. Lezie Castleberry had 5, Darissa Ford had 2, and Karen Magness and 18 for the Tigerettes.

The Steerettes won over the Patriots 13-9 Tuesday, May 4.

Traci Williams had 9 points for the Steerettes, Kay Geuther had 4, and Ginger Ellison led the Patriots with 9.

In game action April 29, Karen Magness led all scoring for the Tigerettes with 11 points with a win of 28-6 over the Patriots.

Adrienne Allen had 6, Carrie Montgomery had 3, Donna Meeks had 4 and Missy Haden and Kenda Hager had 2 for the Tigerettes.

Ginger Ellison had 4 for the losing Patriots and Tammi Lovelace had 2.

The Queens won 28-14 over the Steerettes with Janene Berry leading the Queens with 16 points. Lezie Castleberry had 8 and Sandra White and Suzahn Inman each had 2.

Traci Williams led the scoring for the Steerettes with 10 while Diana Coleman scored 4.

School Lunch Schedule at Texico

MONDAY - Corn chip pie, buttered corn, celery stick, loaf bread, fruit, milk.

TUESDAY - Hot dogs with chili, onions, pickles, French fries, orange juice, chocolate cake, milk.

WEDNESDAY - Pinto beans, beef tacos, lettuce and tomato salad, peach cobbler, milk.

THURSDAY - Fried chicken, potato salad, green beans, hot rolls, peanut butter and syrup, milk.

FRIDAY - Spaghetti, meat sauce, tossed salad, hot rolls fruit gelatin, chocolate milk.

What's Cooking Farwell School

MONDAY - Chicken pot pie, lettuce and tomato salad, peanut butter cookies, pears, bread, milk.

TUESDAY - Spaghetti and meat balls, blackeyed peas, celery sticks, hot rolls, butter, applesauce, milk.

WEDNESDAY - Vegetable-beef stew, crackers, pimento cheese sandwich, plain gelatin, iced cake, milk.

THURSDAY - Hamburgers, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, onions, cheese slices, French fries, baked beans, supremes, peaches, milk.

FRIDAY - Roast and ham, potatoes, gravy, buttered corn, hot rolls, butter, pears, milk.



There are some people who say that if a fly lands on your nose, somebody has something to tell you!



STEER TRI-CAPTAINS - Members of the 1976-77 Varsity Steer football squad recently elected tri-captains for the forthcoming football season. Selected by their teammates to serve as captains were, from left, Mike Goettsch, Travis Bibbs and Chip Craft. All of the captains will be senior students when the new season begins. Serving as head football coach and athletic director for the forthcoming program will be Van Tom Whalley.

Little League Rosters, Scores Given

The 1976 session of Little League Baseball was kicked off for the Twin Cities with the first games being played Monday, May 3.

In the first clash of the season, Aldridge Insurance slid by Kelly Green 15-14. In the second game, Tide bounced over Worley 23-11.

Team rosters for the current season are as follows:

ALDRIDGE INSURANCE - Willie Bibbs, Billy Bibbs, Earl

Bibbs, Billy Askew, David Cain, Danny Reid, Timmy Watkins, Curtis Billington, Robert Meier, Tracy Walker and Dennis Dollar. Coach is Kent Gast, manager is Jerry Walker.

TIDE - Manuel Cantu, Frank Cantu, Johnny Cantu, Johnny Daniel, Tony Bradley, Ken Harding, Lynn Tubbs, Terry Tubbs, Lezie Castleberry, Kenda Hager, George Jaime and Ronnie Galvan. Coach is Robert White, manager is John Curtis.

KELLY GREEN - Buddy Adkin, Gary Cain, Daren Dar-

by, Jeff Day, Jay Duncan, Jeff Dunsworth, Ronnie Dunsworth, Oppie Kelly, Santiago Lucio, Joe Mickell, Roger Robertson, Sammy Sanchez, Kevin West and Danny Lovato. Coach is Eddie Dunsworth, manager is Max Winkles.

WORLEY GRAIN - Alan Eubank, Steven Smith, Jimmy Garza, William Garza, Allan Hadley, Paul Salguero, Rodger Hobbs, Brad Stewart, Joe Stewart, Lloyd Williams, Rodney Dickerson, Kim Longo, Mike Arnold, Arthur Chavez and Tony Cavallero. Coach is Eddie Smith.

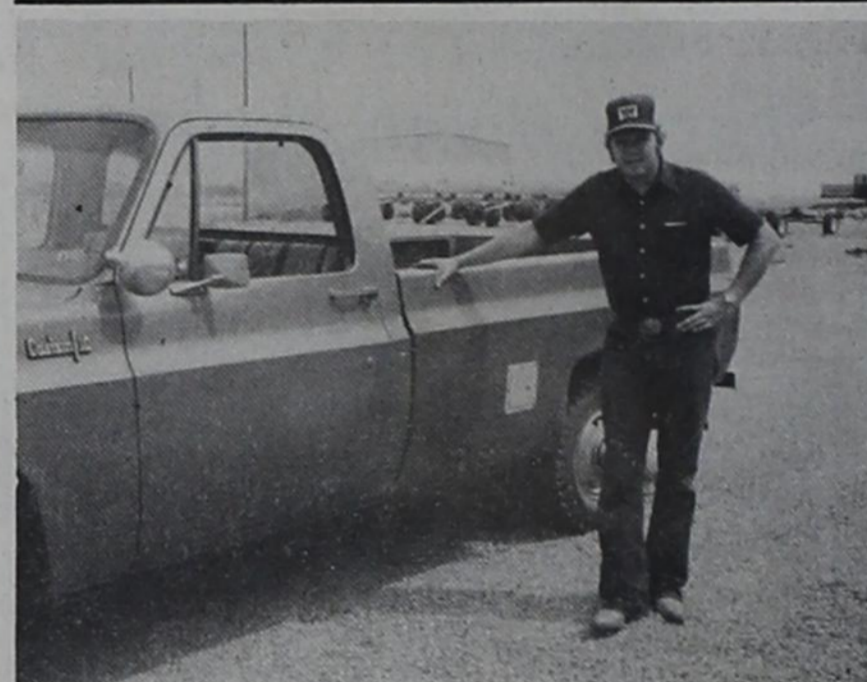
Deborah Harding Selected For Internship

Deborah Harding was one of eight students chosen by the Baylor Marketing faculty to do an internship with Dillard's of San Antonio, Texas Division, and Titches in Dallas, April 12-16.

Deborah was chosen to work with Dillard executives for a week including one day with a buyer and one-half day with a merchandise manager.

This summer, Miss Harding will do research to complete the requirements of the internship for three hours credit at Baylor University.

Deborah is a senior merchandizing and marketing major and will graduate this summer upon completion of research and work experience with a B.S. degree.



FARWELL CHEMICAL MANAGER - A native Farwellite, Steve Birchfield, has returned to his hometown to serve Farwell Chemical Company in the position of manager of sales and service. The new manager is a graduate of Farwell High School and Commercial College of Lubbock. Birchfield and his wife, Sharon, have two children, Sonya, age five, and Michael, one and one-half. They are affiliated with the Church of Christ.

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(E) ASSURANCES (Refer to instruction E) I assure the Secretary of the Treasury that the non-discrimination and other statutory requirements listed in Part E of the instructions accompanying this report will be complied with by this recipient government with respect to the entitlement funds reported herein.

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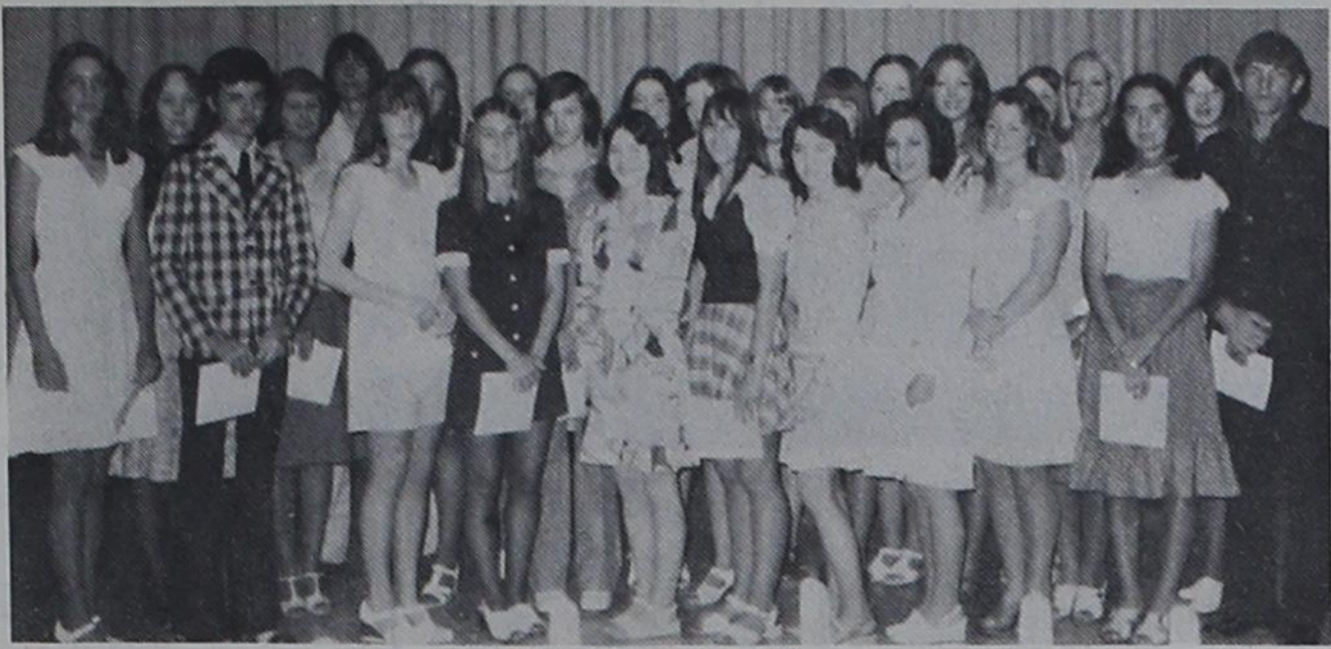
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HONOR SOCIETY INSTALLATION - New members of the Farwell National Honor Society were installed during ceremonies Monday, May 3. Among new members participating in the ceremony were, from left, front row: Dana Ennen, Mike Smith, Missy Taylor, Sherry Perkins, Leigh Ann Kirkland, Penny Hughes, Gay London, Charla Norton, Pam Erwin, Rhonda Walls and Billy White; second row: Sharon Sudderth, Deana Williams, Rene Garner, Dwayne Shults, Gaye Coffman, Linda Gohlke, Lori Norton, Cindy Watts and Sandra McMillan; third row: David Harding, Phyllis Mayfield, Sheryl Taylor, Jan Bradshaw, Cheryl Gohlke and Delia Dollar.



MEMBERS OF HONOR SOCIETY - Installation ceremonies for new members of the Farwell National Honor Society were conducted Monday, May 3. Among present members of the society who attended the installation were, from left, front row: Kim Magness, Karen London, Sherri McCully, Lanni Mason, Carol Vinton, Natalie Dollar and Dean Cooper; back row: LeeAnn Williams, Estelle Embry, Terri Boling, Terri McCully, Kathy White, Ron Hancock, Jacquelyn Langford, Wesley Hukill and Bruce Kaltwasser.



JV CHEERLEADERS - Leading cheers for the Junior Varsity at Farwell High next year will be, left to right, Lisa Hughes, Carole Perkins, Dondra Geries and (on the floor) Jana Berry.

Cheerleaders Named - - Play Day Winners Announced

Last week in Texico Junior High and High School's traditional Play Day, new officers for the Student Council were elected and announced. Voted in by acclamation were Richard Hadley, president, and Don Cherry, vice-president. Cheerleaders for the 1976-77 school year were also announced. Varsity cheerleaders will be Debra Coffey, Raynette Shankles, Teresa Turner, Jana Jesko, Pam Southard and

Marie Steward. Junior High cheerleaders will include Kelley Dobbs, Leslie Elliott, Liz Cavallero, freshmen; Rhonda Sharp, Sonya Thigpen, Laurie Miller, eighth; and Tracy Dobbs, Lisa Crooks, Jill Jesko, seventh. Play Day activities included a tug-of-war with the juniors coming out as overall victors; obstacle course with the seniors as winners; goat tying with the junior team of Susan and Mike Snodgrass as win-

ners; a foot-race (one-fourth mile walking) with the seniors winning; and volleyball matches with the seniors defeating the rest of the teams. Elementary students will have their annual track meet on Tuesday, May 18.

Bicentennial Notebook - -



France Aids Colonies With Munitions Supply

by Donald Whisenhunt

Two hundred years ago in early May, events occurred in Europe that proved to be instrumental for the American colonies to maintain their resistance to Great Britain. For some time efforts had been underway to secure the assistance of France and other European countries. On May 2, 1776, King Louis XVI of France made his first gesture of support when he authorized that one million livres' worth of munitions be supplied the Americans.

Louis was not yet ready to openly embrace the American cause. He had too much to lose in international politics if the American effort should fail. Therefore, he ordered that the materials be given to the Americans through a fictitious company known as Roderigue Hortalez et Cie. The company was actually administered by

secret agent Pierre de Beaumarchais.

Shortly thereafter, Charles III of Spain made a similar commitment to the American cause. Spanish involvement was the result of efforts begun in March by the Foreign Minister of France, County Vergennes.

The significance of this foreign aid cannot be overestimated. Through this assistance the colonies received over 80 percent of their gunpowder and other supplies for 1776 and 1777. Without the help, one can only speculate that the American cause would have been irreparably damaged. Without a functioning government and a stable and available currency, the Americans probably would not have been able to resist the British military operation.

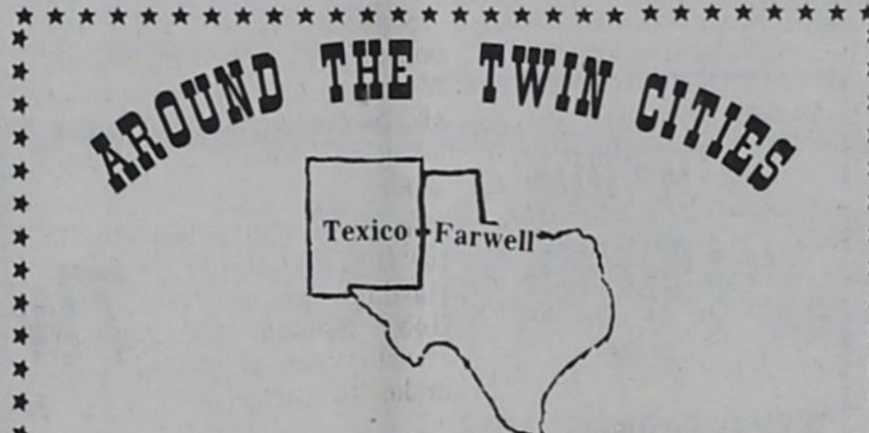
Even though France, and Spain to a lesser degree, were instrumental in bringing about

American independence, we have to remember that the reason for the assistance had nothing to do with the ideas of the American Revolution. France and Spain were interested only in humiliating Britain in the realm of international politics.

This is why France was not yet ready to support openly the American effort. The king waited for evidence that the Americans could successfully challenge Britain with some certainty of success. That eventually came at the battle of Saratoga in 1777.

Meanwhile, in the Spanish Southwest, there was no knowledge that Spain was involved in the American effort. Spain was certainly not anxious for residents of Texas to know of her involvement. Such knowledge might lead Texans to assume that the home government was supporting the democratic principles being expressed on the Atlantic coast. Such assumptions could possibly lead to similar actions in Texas.

Spain saw no relation between her actions with the English colonies and the administration of her own colonies. As far as Spain was concerned, her colonies would continue just as they had in the past.



The Texico City Council will meet in regular session Tuesday, May 11, at 6:30 p.m. MDT. City Clerk Clara Wiehl reports that a cost structure on contracting for trash hauling for the city is to be presented at the meeting.

The Farmer County Young Farmers will meet Monday, May 10, at 8 p.m. CDT in the Oklahoma Lane Community Center. During the session Micky Ramsey of Lubbock, representative of Stauffer Chemical Co., will present slide presentations on herbicides and related subjects. Anyone interested in the Young Farmers organization is urged to attend the meeting.

The Farwell Independent School District Board of Trustees will meet in regular session Monday, May 10, at 8 p.m. CDT in the high school library. Representatives of the senior class will attend to present

Energy Hints

- Turn off incandescent light bulbs even if you leave a room briefly. But it's bad economy (tubes burn out faster) to turn off fluorescent lights unless you'll be gone more than 30 minutes.
- Locate your room air conditioner in a window or wall where it receives the least amount of direct sunlight.
- Pulling the drapes on hot days can reduce outside heat penetration by up to 50 percent.
- Setting the temperature for your central air conditioning at 75 rather than 70 degrees can save up to 20 percent on energy.

plans for the senior class trip, the 1976-77 school calendar is to be presented and members of the Equalization Board are to be appointed.

Also, Van Tom Whatley, new athletic director, will be present to present the 1976-77 athletic budget and reports will be heard on the Regional School Board Workshop held in Canyon Tuesday, May 4.

Tuesday, May 11, at 7:30 p.m. MDT, members of the Texico School Board of Trustees will convene in the high school lounge. On the meeting agenda are reviewing of bids on playground equipment for the elementary school, discussing quotations on installing ceilings in the old elementary building and lowering the lights, and a discussion of installation of new clocks in the high school and junior high.

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Gary Patrick



Insect Report

For Area Farmers . . .

by James Moody & David Meeks

SMALL GRAINS - Although occasional hot spots do exist, greenbug populations have dwindled to insignificant numbers due to increased beneficial activity and insecticide applications.

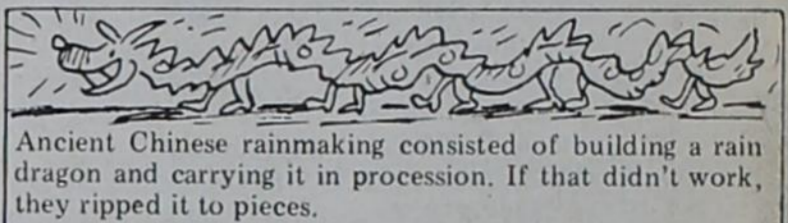
Spider mite levels have remained fairly stable but are expected to increase dramatically as the wheat reaches physiological maturity. Maintaining a high level of plant vigor and a good beneficial insect population appears to be the most effective course of action at this time.

CORN - Early season pests such as thrips and flea beetles

may be found in large numbers but control is seldom needed. Spider mites may be found in large numbers but control is seldom needed. Spider mites may be found where wheat is the adjacent crop. Control is only rarely necessary at this early stage.

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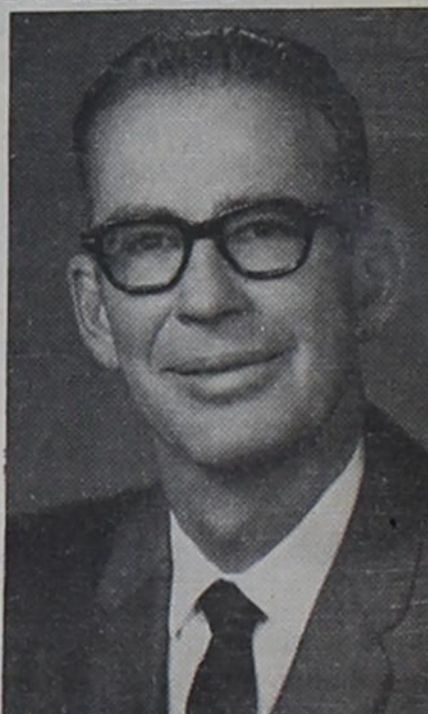
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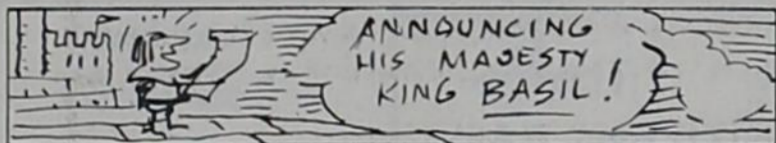
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James P. Fortenberry
County Judge
Box 506, Farwell, TX

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COURTHOUSE NOTES

Instrument report ending April 28, 1976, in County Clerk Office, Bonnie Warren, County Clerk.

- WD - Mike Nabers - John R. Ortiz - lots 1 & 2 & N 1/2 lot 3 Blk. 35, Bovina.
- WD - Harold I. Stovall - Richard L. Montgomery - lot 8, Blk. 2, Hillcrest, Farwell.
- WD - David L. Barclay - Joe Cantu - lots 23, 24, 31, 32, Blk. 33, Farwell.
- WD - Jane Overstreet Barclay - Jose M. Cantu - lots 6 thru 16, Blk. 25, Farwell.
- WD - Jose M. Cantu and Javair Galvan - lots 23 & 24, Blk. 33, Farwell.
- WD - Jose M. Cantu - Jesus G. Cantu - lots 31, 32, Blk. 33, Farwell.
- WD - Jose M. Cantu - Jose M. Ceniceros - lots 6 thru 16, Blk. 25, Farwell.
- WD - John D. Terry - Mike Nabers - NE 75ft. lot 3, Blk. 91, Bovina.
- WD - Ernest L. Howard - O.L. Winkles - tract out Garden lot 22, Sec. 31, T9S; R1E.
- WD - J.B. Sudderth et al Tr. - Sam Sudderth - part lots 1 & 4 & alley betw., Blk. 86, Bovina.

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- WD - Larry Duane Byrd - Doris Chapel, et al - SW 1/4 Sec. 20, Blk. H, Kelly, NE 1/4 Sec. 3, Blk. V, Oliver.
 - WD - Ross Ayers - Tom S. Arnett - und. 1/2 int. in E 100 ac. out S 1/2 Sec. 22, T5S; R4E.
 - WD - Tom S. Arnett - Ross Ayers - und. 1/2 int. in W 220 ac. out S 1/2 Sec. 22, T5S; R4E.
 - WD - June McCown Floyd, O.J. "Pete" Smith - W 80' lot 7, Blk. 4, McMillen & Fergus, Friona.
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We would like to thank all of our friends and relatives for the flowers, cards, visits and prayers extended to us during Harold's illness. Also, a special thanks to the Fire Department for their ambulance service. Harold & Jean Travis Terry & Nedda Travis Mike Travis 34-1tp

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TWO MINUTES WITH THE BIBLE

BY CORNELIUS R. STAM PRES. BEREAN BIBLE SOCIETY CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60635

"GRIEVE NOT THE SPIRIT"

The first lesson each believer in Christ should learn is that immediately upon believing he is given everlasting life. Referring to this fact Ephesians 1:13,14 says:

"In whom (Christ) we also trusted, having heard the word of truth, the gospel of your salvation in whom also having believed, YE WERE SEALED WITH THAT HOLY SPIRIT OF PROMISE."

Mark well, the believer is not sealed by the Holy Spirit, but "with" the Holy Spirit. The Spirit Himself is the seal. Every sincere believer in Christ, then, should rejoice in an accomplished redemption and rest in the fact that the Holy Spirit will keep him eternally safe.

But while we cannot lose the Holy Spirit, we can, and often do, grieve the Holy Spirit as we read in Eph. 4:30. This is why we read in Rom. 8:26 that the Spirit "helps our infirmities" and makes intercession for us, that we might live lives which please and honor God.

The wonderful fact is, however, that "nothing," not even an aggrieved Spirit, "shall separate us from the love of God" (Rom. 8:38,39). Thus in the same breath with which the apostle exhorts us not to grieve the Spirit, he again reassures us that this same Spirit keeps us eternally safe:

"And grieve not the Holy Spirit of God, whereby YE ARE SEALED UNTO THE DAY OF REDEMPTION" (Eph. 4:30).

Does this encourage careless living? Those who think so have missed the whole point of Paul's appeal. The apostle does not warn the believer that if he grieves the Spirit he will be lost. Rather, in grace he exhorts: "Do not grieve the very Spirit who in mercy and love has sealed you as forever His own. Do not repay such love with such ingratitude."

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Pleasant Hill Baptist Church

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New Light Baptist Mission

Pastor - Thomas J. Spikes
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Evening Worship - 6 p.m.

Texico First Baptist Church

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Evening Worship - 6:30 p.m.

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SWDC NEWS

by Herb Evans

The April wind erosion report has been prepared by the Soil Conservation Service. It has good news for Parmer County.

We had only six days in April on which the wind blew enough to cause damage. You know the soil surface conditions effect how much wind it takes to cause erosion. The soil surface in Parmer County has been in good condition not to blow in April. The fields blowing the worst are the ones

that had the crop residues burned off in the fall. The wind erosion report showed we had some damage, but no additional acreage that had not already been blowing in previous reports. The one factor now of concern is the crusted surface caused by the rains the week before Easter. These crusted surfaces are in good condition to blow. Farmers with this condition should be alert for possible damaging winds.

I AM EXTREMELY GRATEFUL FOR THE WONDERFUL FRIENDS WHO SUPPORTED ME IN THE FIRST PRIMARY. I WILL CONTINUE TO RENDER SERVICE TO THE BEST OF MY ABILITY FOR THE REMAINDER OF THIS TERM. IT IS MY DESIRE TO CONTINUE TO BE A GOOD NEIGHBOR AND FRIEND TO EACH OF YOU.

CECIL ATCHLEY



On The Farm In Parmer County

By R. MACK HEALD
County Agent

"Research package" is the term used by Texas Agricultural Experiment Station leaders to describe a multi-phase program getting underway which they hope will provide some solutions to corn production problems on the Texas High Plains.

Research studies comprising the package will focus on fertility, water, insects, varieties and weed control, with virtually all the work to be conducted at the Experiment Station at Halfway.

Seven research scientists by associates and technicians will join in the effort. Resident director, Dr. Bill Ott of Lubbock, says the research package will bring the experiment station's best resources to bear on needs and problems facing corn producers in this area.

Nearly all the corn in this area is grown under irrigation. Yields of 130 bushels per acre or more have far outclassed the rest of the Texas acreage, most of which has been grown without irrigation, averaging 45 bushels.

Corn is adapted to the soils and climate of the High Plains and responds to proper irrigation, fertilizer and management practices. Despite these distinct advantages, corn uses relatively more water than most crops, is plagued by the southwestern corn borer and several other insects, and more needs to be known about fertility requirements.

One of the most important needs is that of new breeding lines suitable to the High Plains area.

Evaluations will be made of breeding lines that have characteristics needed in the High Plains area, such as heat tolerance, corn borer resistance, lodging resistance and improved leaf type for increased photosynthesis.

New hybrids should be capable of performing under high plant populations, well above the 20,000 per acre mark, a level needed to achieve a 200-bushel yield.

To handle the irrigation part of the research package, Dr. Bill Lyle, newly appointed agricultural engineer at Halfway, will work jointly with Dr. Charles Wendt and Dr. Otto Wilke of the Lubbock Experiment Station. Their research will be in addition to the extensive work being conducted at Etter, north of Amarillo, by Dr. John Shipley, experiment station scientist at Bushland.

The three men plan to investigate alternate furrow irrigation, the use of tension-meters in applying water at various stages of growth and comparing yields with water applications during these various stages.

Dr. Charles Ward, newly appointed research entomologist at the Lubbock Experiment Station, will conduct studies dealing with insect pests of corn.

Major efforts will be centered on the Banks grass mite and other species of spider mites which have become economically harmful insect pests on the High Plains and in New Mexico, Colorado, Oklahoma, Kansas and Nebraska. His first objective will be to evaluate effectiveness of several new pesticides labeled for corn insects, and determining the population levels necessary before economically damaging thresholds are reached.

Long-range plans call for evaluations of corn lines that carry host plant resistance to mite damage. Pest management concepts will be used in determining the roles of predator enemies of corn insect pests.

Observations also will be made of the southwestern corn

borer, corn rootworm and white grub.

Dr. Art Onken, experiment station soil researcher at Lubbock, will carry out studies dealing with fertility requirements of corn. Using soil test data and projected yields for given nutrient levels, Onken plans to correlate nutrient requirements of corn at various stages of growth.

Weed control studies round out the research package. Dr. John Abernathy, experiment station weed scientist from Lubbock, will evaluate pre-plant, preemergence and post-emergence applications of corn herbicides to find the most effective chemicals against economically important annual grasses and perennial weeds.

Included in Abernathy's studies will be the effects of rotational herbicides, or those which are used as preplant control agents for weeds in cotton and soybeans. Abernathy plans to measure their residue effects on corn which is planted following cotton, soybeans and other crops.

Shade trees seldom require supplemental fertilization in lawn areas where a good lawn maintenance program is followed. Fertilizing trees once every three years is generally sufficient except in sandy areas.

Over-fertilization of trees can force excessive top growth, making them vulnerable to storm damage. Over-fertilization is especially probable if a tree's root zone is confined to a limited area and this fact is overlooked.

The safest method of computing the amount of fertilizer to apply to a tree is this: figure the number of square feet included in the branch spread of the tree and then use two pounds of actual nitrogen per 1,000 square feet.

For example, a tree having a 36 foot branch spread would cover about 1,000 square feet. This would require 24 pounds of a complete fertilizer with an analysis of 8-8-8 to supply the two pounds of actual nitrogen required (24 x .08 = 1.92). A fertilizer analysis of 16-20-0 would require 12 pounds of the material to supply the needed nitrogen. The same complete fertilizer recommended for lawns use will be satisfactory for fertilizing trees in the country.

If a tree's zone is confined due to buildings, curbs, walks or streets, compute the fertilizer application on the basis of actual root zone. If the root zone area of the tree in the above example is 22 feet by 20 feet, then the fertilizer application would be based on 240 square feet rather than 1,000 square feet. Thus only one-fourth as much fertilizer would be needed. More frequent applications may be needed when root zones are confined.

Normally, trees should be fertilized in late winter or early spring. However, trees with restricted root systems can be fertilized a second time in late fall.

Broadcast the fertilizer evenly beneath the branch spread of the tree and then water thoroughly. Without moisture the tree roots cannot utilize the nutrients.



"And what do you do in real life, Senator?"

Ginners Assn. - -

Guy Nickels Honored With Service Award

Guy Nickels of Muleshoe was honored with a distinguished service award, presented by the Texas Independent Ginners Association at its annual meeting in Houston recently.

This was the first such award that has been presented during the history of the organization; being initiated in what is hoped will become a traditional event each year.

The distinguished service award was presented for exceptional service to the cotton and ginning industries. The recipient is selected from nominations received by a special committee formed from among the gin members and associate members.

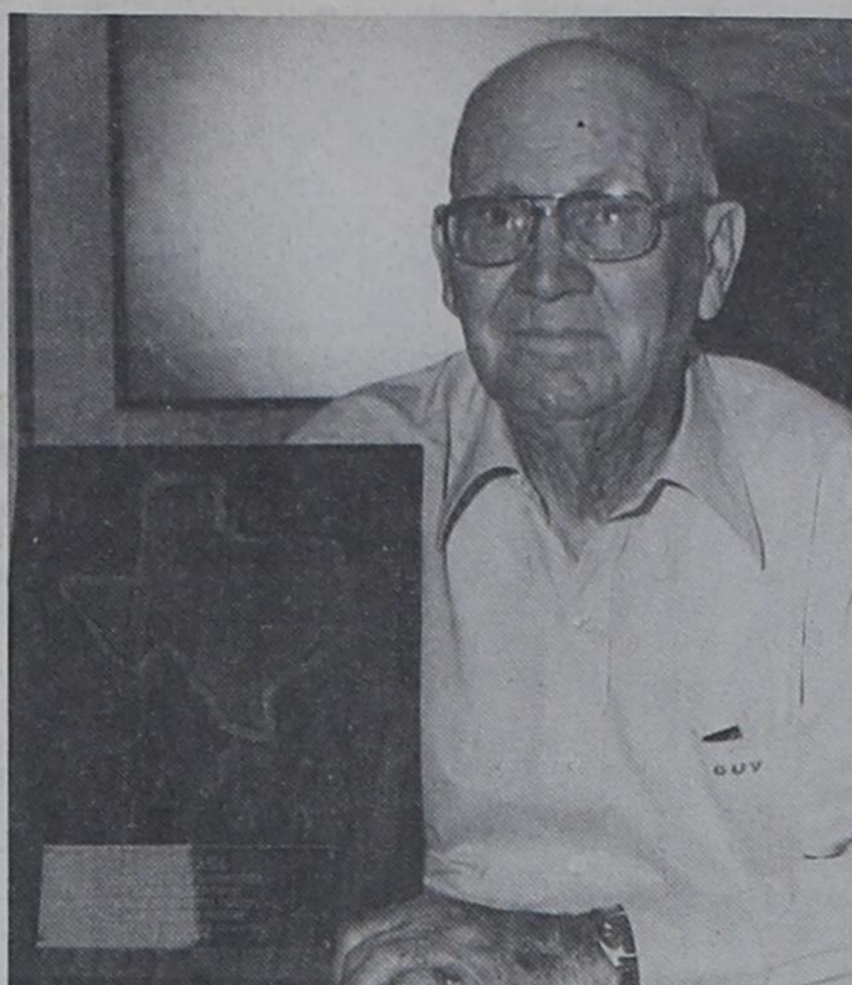
Nickels, this year's honoree, has had ginning and compress interest in this area for many

years; having started 62 years ago in Spur, Tex., in the year 1914. The Nickels Gin at Farwell is just one of the family's many interests.

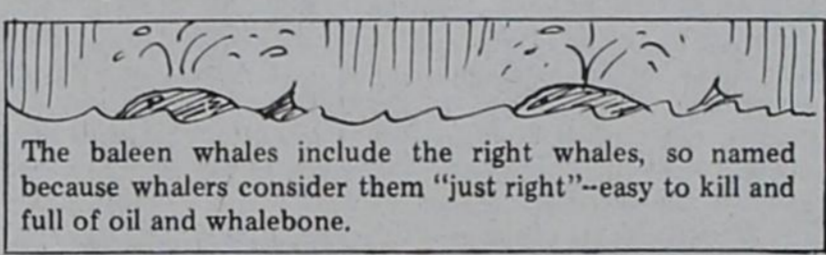
The Nickels family came to the Bula area where they had a gin and later went to Lariat where they farmed and operated a gin. In the past they have had gins at West Camp, Clays Corner and four in the Rio Grande Valley. They presently have gins in Farwell, Pleasant Valley and west of Earth.

Feeling that he knew what ginners needed in cotton compressing and services for storing their cotton, Nickels went into the compress business in 1955. Recently, the Nickels Ginning Company acquired 100 percent interest in Central Compress and Warehouse Company in Sudan.

It's a family group that is involved in the ginning and compress businesses. Mr. and Mrs. Nickels live in Muleshoe and they have seven children, and most of all of them are involved in some way with cotton. One of their daughters, Doris Reeves, operates the Farwell gin.



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The baleen whales include the right whales, so named because whalers consider them "just right"--easy to kill and full of oil and whalebone.

YOUR GARDEN

Tips To Help You

THE LAWN BELOW

If you're a homeowner, you probably take a lot of pride in having a good-looking lawn. One way you can help to keep it a thing of beauty is to be alert to the presence of pests that might threaten it.

When you look at your lawn are you confronted with any yellow or brown patches? You could have sod webworms, the larvae of lawn moths that fly over a lawn of early evening. The webworms chew off grass at the soil line and bring it into their web-lined tunnels. Areas of dead



turf appear; these areas merge as more eating goes on and your lawn is on its way to ruin.

Or maybe you have chinch bugs? They're small black and white insects that suck plant juices from grass plants and cause yellowing of turf in spots. To find out if you have chinch bugs, remove both ends of a coffee can, push the can halfway into the outer rim of damaged turf and fill with water. Chinch bugs will float to the surface.

Whatever the lawn insect, you can probably root it with an effective insecticide, such as Ciba-Geigy's Spectracide®. This broad spectrum, non-persistent pesticide can control almost every lawn and garden insect that may bug you—at least 120 of them!



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By John Ricci

Intensifying the inspection of grain destined for export markets is being classified as a number one priority by several top officials in the USDA. Under Secretary John Knebel is one of those who has detailed what the Agriculture Department is going to be doing during the next several months. According to Knebel, inspectors will be increasing the number of unannounced shipboard inspections. United States Attorneys will be acting to suspend licenses of those indicated by local grand juries, and a special team will be working out a system for following up on complaints from export customers concerning grain quality. Officials say the crackdown is especially necessary at this time because of the abuses in the system during the past year and because of the record volume of export tonnage to be shipped during the next several months.

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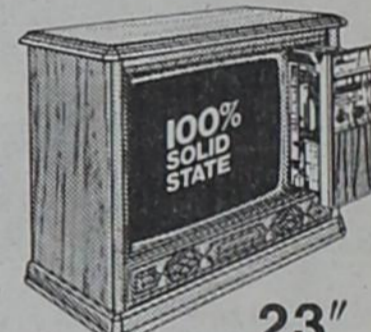
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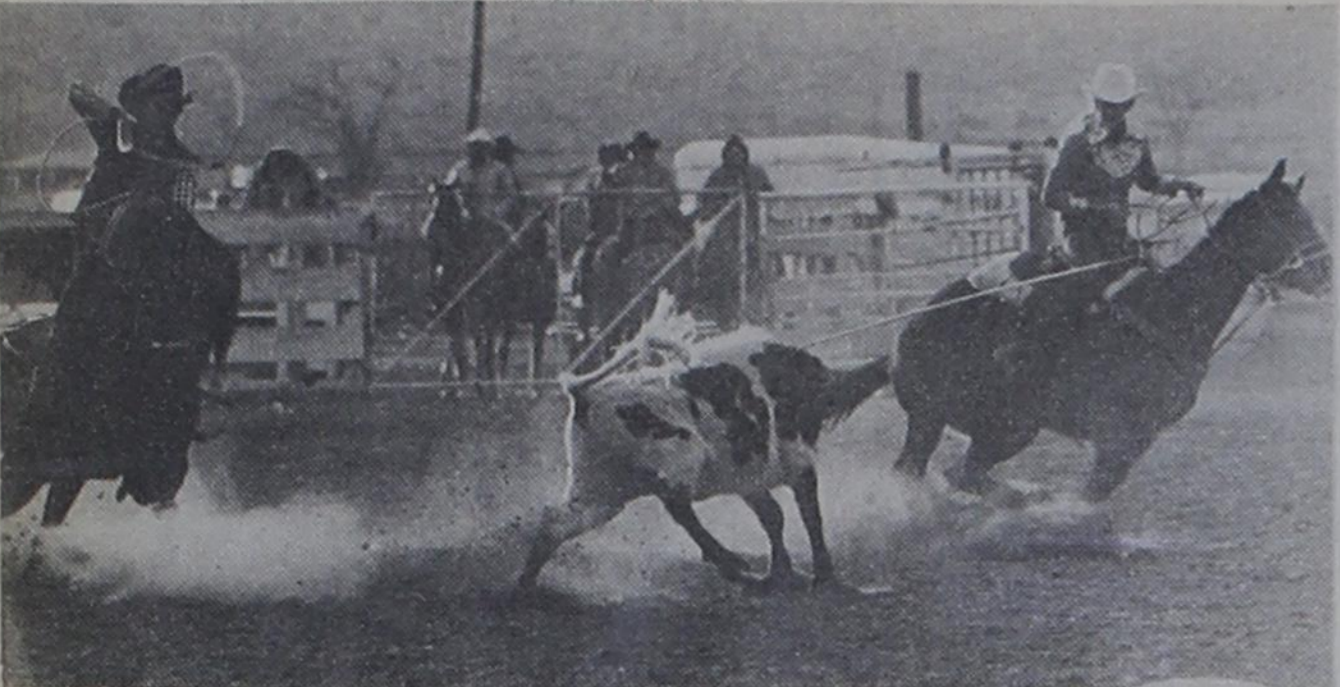
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MY THANKS - -

I extend my deep thanks to all who voted in the past primary.

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... Archie Tarter



A PERMANENT TEAM - Team roping involves a lot of practice by the participants, known as a header and a heeler. LeeAnn Williams of Farwell, right, the header, and Kyle Jones of Bovina, the heeler, have decided to become a permanent team. The couple plans to exchange wedding vows in June. This photo was taken at the Belen Junior Rodeo held recently during which the pair took fourth place in team roping.

Hitchin' Up And Ropin'

In order to perfect a working team roping execution, it takes lots of practice which means that the header and heeler of the team must spend quite a bit of time together.

And, LeeAnn Williams of Farwell and Kyle Jones of Bovina have decided to become a permanent team.

The following article spotlighting LeeAnn and Kyle recently appeared in an area newspaper when the two entered competition in the Taylor County Junior Rodeo.

Kyle Jones and LeeAnn Williams have decided they make a very good team.

The 18-year-old Bovina youth and the 17-year-old Farwell girl have been roping together about a year now. They're coming along well, too, Kyle says.

Together they extend beyond the rodeo arena for them. They intend to (a) get married in June; (b) attend Texas A&M; and (c) major in pre-veterinary science.

The young man, the more talkative of the two, explained how they got together as a team.

"We started driving the same pickup to rodeos," he said.

Then he began teaching her team roping. Although LeeAnn prefers to be modest about her progress, Kyle is lavish in his praise.

"She's an instinctive header," he said.

One member of the roping team lassoes the calf's horns, Kyle explained. The second then tosses his loop at the animal's hind feet.

"She picked up some things it takes guys a lifetime to learn," Kyle insists.

Both members of the roping team are veteran rodeo performers. LeeAnn is a barrel racer and pole bender, and Kyle participates in individual roping events. They also team up in ribbon racing.

They insist that both had



TO RECEIVE DEGREE - Randy Stewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Stewart of Farwell, will receive a B.A. degree in psychology from Wayland Baptist College during commencement exercises May 15.



Superstition has it that if there is a ring around the moon, expect bad weather.

Texico Affected - -

Gas Co. Of N.M. Begins Operation

Southern Union Gas Company announced that beginning this month its gas utility operations in New Mexico will be conducted by a new company it has formed to operate solely within the state.

The firm, Gas Company of New Mexico, will have its home office in Albuquerque. The president of the new company will be W.T. (Bill) Barnhouse, a veteran of the gas utility business who has long been associated with New Mexico.

It has been stressed that Gas Company of New Mexico is only a division of its parent company, Southern Union Gas. Persons within the state of New Mexico, including Texico residents, will be billed and make payment to Gas Company of New Mexico.

Farwell residents will remain customers of Southern Union Gas, will be billed by the company and will make payment to Southern Union as always. It has also been reported that residents of the Twin Cities may still remit their monthly payments at Citizens Bank, Texico Branch.

According to Southern Union president Byron W. Cain, the management of Southern Union for some time has considered forming a separate business entity to serve the natural gas requirements of New Mexico residents. "As part of our continuing efforts to be more responsive to the energy needs of the citizens of the state we felt it was appropriate to make the change at this time," Cain

Many Adults Lack Skills for Living

The U.S. Office of Education, after examining various aspects of American living, disclosed that 14 per cent of the nation's adult citizens can't fill out a check properly; 29 per cent can't figure out a weekly paycheck if it includes overtime, and many can't pick the best buy from a supermarket shelf or name their state's U.S. senators.

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said. Gas Company of New Mexico, which will serve more than 235,000 gas customers throughout the state, will employ the approximately 980 people who have been working for Southern Union Gas Company in New Mexico.

Heading up four operating districts within the state will be James V. King of Farmington, Bill Hay of Albuquerque, and James Wyman of Carlsbad, all of whom have been elected district vice-president.

The other district will be directed by district manager Orval Oldham of Silver City.

All four executives were formerly associated with Southern Union as district managers in their respective areas of the state.

Another officer appointment at this time, according to Cain, is the election of Jack Hertz as vice-president, general attorney and secretary. Like the other officers and key personnel of Gas Company of New Mexico named to date, Hertz

has long been associated with the natural gas industry in the state.

Barnhouse has been in the gas utility business for almost 20 years. Since he joined Southern Union he has worked in various managerial capacities for the Company including office manager in Albuquerque. Prior to being elected president of Gas Company of New Mexico he was vice-president of district operations for all of Southern Union's utility operations.

PSYCHOLOGY



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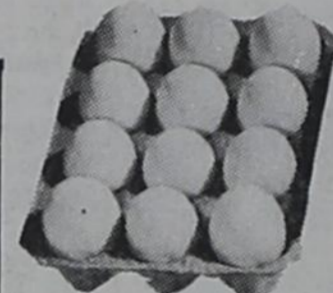
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