

THE STAR'S EDITORIAL COMMENT

How Many Men Should Wield Only One Axe?

As a party of men walk down a narrow path, they arrive at a place where their further progress is blocked by a tree. In their possession is a two-bladed axe, but it has only one handle. In order to continue their progress they decide to let a stocky man among them take the axe and chop down the sapling. They tell him to chop it off near the ground so none of the party will stub a foot on the stump during the continued journey. They tell him to chop it down in short strokes so chips will not be thrown in their direction. This the chopper does, and according to their specifications.

The party could have agreed to let all that space allowed, gather around with their pocket knives and whittle away until the tree fell, or until darkness arrived and it was too late to work without cutting one another. They could have tried to cut the tree by letting three men handle the axe, and may eventually have felled the tree. In either case, time and effort would have been consumed, and each could have blamed the other for not whittling fast enough, or for wanting to start the stroke of the axe at the improper time.

Compare the above fiction with the factual story of the City of Friona.

The group of people banded together as a city have come up a long path, with steps paved with growth. How near Friona is to a "blocked path" is a matter of opinion, but it seems wise at any point of the path to select a way to remove the obstruction without a lot of whittling.

At this particular time would not a switch to the city manager form of government be timely? Until now, the matters of the city have not been terribly tedious for the present form of government, but as the city continues to expand, minute details that have been occupying the attention of the city commission meetings will require longer and longer sessions, with mem-



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Under a city manager form of government, an elected commission under the leadership of a mayor hires an administrative officer. The commission sets the policy and leaves it to the manager to carry out their intent. If he does not, their alternative is to relieve him of his job, then hire someone who will do their bidding.

Under the manager would come all the activities of the city administration. He would be head of all departments and be held responsible for their smooth operation.

A city manager does have considerable power. Discretion would be necessary in hiring such a person, but power could be used when it is needed. This would get the job done more efficiently than if the job is left to whittling, with no one being able to take credit or blame, depending on whether the tree fell in time or not.

This type of government can be obtained by city ordinance or by an election.

Dog Bounty Starts Today In Friona

A dog is worth at least \$2.50 today in Friona—if the animal's owner has not secured a license. The city commission on July 15 voted to enact the bounty August 1.

A bounty may be collected by making arrangements with City Clerk Roy Wilson to leave the unlicensed dog at the city pound.

The commission took the action in the hope it will clear stray dogs from city streets. They are regarded as a nuisance and danger in event that rabies got started among the city canines.

To avoid the possibility of having a dog impounded, owners must have their dogs vac-

inated for rabies and pay a \$2.50 registration fee.

Several residents have secured their dog a license, according to Wilson.

Since the nearest veterinarian is in Clovis or Hereford, Mike Pavalus has been doing vaccinations. Pavalus is lab technician at Parmer County Community Hospital. Expecting a rush to get dogs vaccinated, Pavalus stocked four cases of vaccine, but had used only a small portion of it Tuesday afternoon, he said.

Owners may bail their dogs out of the pound by getting the animal licensed and paying the \$2.50 bounty.

NEWS FROM BLACK

By MRS. CLAUDE EDELMON

Mr. and Mrs. John Benger left Monday morning for Beaver, Okla., where they will attend to business and visit relatives and friends. They expect to return later this week.

Mrs. E. M. Tim of Alan, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Nall and William Nall of Dodge City, Kan., were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Benger last week.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hays last week were R. C. Burnett of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Carpenter of Fort Worth. Mrs. Hays, Burnett, and Mrs. Carpenter are sisters and brother.

Mrs. Coy Patton received word this week that her niece, Mary Towner of Colorado Springs, will be a participant in the ice review in that city in the near future.

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Benger were Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Clarke, Mr. and Mrs. Allan Bridges Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Allan Bridges Jr. and baby, Shirley Bridges, and Jenay Howard, all of Amarillo.

Mrs. Ralph Price left Monday for Houston where she will at-

tend the convention of the Texas Home Demonstration Clubs. She plans to return late this week.

Weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lewellen and family were Mrs. Lewellen's parents, Rev. and Mrs. Alvin Lynch of Holyoke, Colo.

Harold D. Cain Wins First Place

Army Pfc. Harold D. Cain whose wife, Iva Nell, lives on Route 2 at Snyder, Texas, won first place in the light truck division of a recent Truck Rodeo in Augsburg, Germany.

Cain, who is a truck driver in the 596th Transportation Company in Munich, entered the Army in August of 1956 and completed his basic training at Fort Bliss.

The 22-year-old soldier is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas J. Cain, Route 2, Friona.

Skinners Have Guests Recently

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Skinner last week were Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Miller of Dodge City, Kans., and Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Skinner of Riverband, Calif. Miller is Mrs. Skinner's father and the W. N. Skinners are parents of Marvin.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Reed and Mr. and Mrs. Bee Westbrook spent Sunday in Lubbock. They visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Pfingston and family. Mrs. Pfingston is Reed's sister.

★ TO CLASS ON TIME

Getting to class on time has become such a habit with Charles Osborn that almost nothing interferes anymore. Osborn, who is a student at West Texas State College at Canyon, has been commuting this summer and has had to get up early to get to his 9 o'clock class on time.

Tuesday morning he had to get up earlier than usual. Between four and seven he and his wife, Jane, drove to Amarillo. Jane was admitted to a hospital, and their second son was born.

He made that 9 o'clock class, though.

The new addition to the family made his appearance at 6:45 a. m., weighed 7 lbs. 15 ozs., and was named William Sloan. The Osborns have an older son, Charles Burt, who is 19-months-old. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Sloan H. Osborn of Friona and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Burt of Hollis, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McFarland of Friona are paternal great-grandparents.

Hub Booms Along

Signs of growth are evident at the Hub this week. Two fertilizer companies announce building plans and a garage will soon be under construction.

Hub Fertilizer Company has moved in a new office building. This is the first step in a planned expansion of the company's operation in the community. Plans include installation of scales and enlargement of service facilities, says Bill Wooley, owner.

Kendrick Fertilizer Company of Friona is to have an outlet at Hub after getting storage facilities set up near Fleming and Son Gin. Forms for fertilizer tanks are under construction.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baker, formerly of Needmore, have moved their house to a location just south of the community center. Construction of a new building to house a garage will be started in the near future they announce.

Baker formerly operated a garage at Needmore.

DOLLAR DAY Specials!

LADIES' BLOUSES a whole table full \$2.00 each	PIECE GOODS another full table, regular \$1.20 to \$1.95 reduced to 79c — \$1.00 — \$1.29
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What's Doin' In Friona

Thursday, August 1
Community get-together at Mildred Walters home
4-H girls "day camp", Hub Community Center
Friona Firemen
Parmerton HD Club

Friday, August 2
Magic of Fire Program, high school auditorium, 8 p. m.
Rhea Farm Bureau
4-H girls "day camp" ends

Saturday, August 3
Drawing at City Park, 4:30

Sunday, August 4
Y. A. W. begins at Methodist Church, 7 to 9:30 p. m.

Monday, August 5
Rhea HD Club
American Legion
\$ Day in Friona
Friona Rainbow Girls
4-H boys and leaders leave for camp

Tuesday, August 6
Masonic Lodge

Y. W. A., 8 a. m.
Wednesday, August 7
Congregational Women's Fellowship

Thursday, August 8
Black Community meeting
Lakeview HD Club
Friona Lions
Hi-Point HD Club
4-H boys return from camp

Friday, August 9
Lazbuidde school board public meeting

JONES IS IMPROVING
Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Cummings visited J. D. Jones, who is a patient at the Veteran's Hospital in Amarillo, Tuesday. They report that J. D. is improving and that he is able to go home on Friday afternoons and stay until Sunday. He is able to go in a wheel chair now.

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Housing Facilities Needed for Teachers

Superintendent Dillie M. Kelley requests that anyone who has rooms with kitchen privileges, bedrooms, apartments for couples, or furnished houses for rent, to get in touch with him.

Housing accommodations for teachers moving in for the coming school year are badly needed. The most urgent need at this time is for rooms for single men, according to Kelley.

Many of the teachers are desirous of moving in soon, so it would be greatly appreciated if listings would be made as soon as possible.

CARD OF THANKS

Our recent bereavement leaves us with grateful hearts toward neighbors and friends. Your helpfulness and comforting expressions of sympathy will always be remembered.

Jim Richey
Mr. and Mrs. Jim Owens
W. C. Dalton
Mr. and Mrs. Don Owens
Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kelly

Lions Hunt B'weed

A proposal that Friona Lions Club cooperate with farmers in hunting out and controlling bindweed was adopted in the club's meeting Thursday night and members decided to look in town for the weed.

The club heard a report from Gus Schlab of Black that the highway department has taken steps in getting their right-of-way cleared. He reported that the railroad agreed to control the bindweed along their tracks if everyone in the county would handle other locations of bindweed.

Lions President Andy Hurst said in supporting the proposal that it was not merely a gesture of aid on the part of the club to help control the bindweed, but that it would benefit the city because the farmer is the source of trade for city business.

A plan of action is to be drawn up later.

Fronans Attend Fertilizer School

Attending a school on anhydrous ammonia equipment in Amarillo Saturday were S. T. Thornton, Tom Darnell, Raymond Auburg, Mutt Hollis, Jack Redfern, and Ernest Beavers, all of Friona.

The school dealt with repair and maintenance of pumps and other equipment for handling the fertilizer.

Man Fined For Giving Bad Check

Bill Francis of Lubbock was returned here Friday to face charges of passing a worthless check in Parmer County.

He pled guilty in Judge A. D. Smith's county court Saturday morning and was fined \$1 and costs. The check was given to E. R. Day in Friona.

On Fishing Trip

Nelson Welch and Bob, Rene Snead and Jimmie, and D. C. Herring and Tim left Tuesday morning for Roy, N. M., where they will spend several days camping and fishing. The group plans to return later this week.

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Lustre Cream Shampoo \$2.00 Val. \$1.59	Sleeve Westinghouse—\$1.89 Val. Flashbulbs 99c	65c Size Pepto-Bismol 59c
100 Rexall 5 Grain Aspirins 59c	65c Size Gleem Toothpaste 49c	Lind-Cense Cones Kills Insects 98c
King Size Elkays Aerosol Insect Killer \$1.59	Mennen 60c Size Skin Bracer 43c	65c Size Alka-Seltzer 54c
	\$1.00 Size Halo Shampoo 69c	
	50'—15 yr. Guarantee Garden Hose \$4.98	
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Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Ivie attended the homecoming at the Broadway Church of Christ in Lubbock Sunday. They also visited Mrs. Ivie's mother, Mrs. G. A. Hayslip, and other relatives.

GUEST SPEAKER

Loren Thompson, minister of the Church of Christ at Lariat, was guest speaker at the Sixth Street Church of Christ at the morning and evening services Sunday. E. A. Freeman, local minister, spoke at the services of the Lariat Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. M. G. Fairchild and family of Blackwell, Okla., and W. E. Fairchild of Medford, Okla., spent last week in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Fairchild and Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Fairchild.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Berry of Hobbs, N. M., visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Lafavers of Friona over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Deon Awtry and family attended a family reunion of Mrs. Awtry's relatives last weekend at Lampasas.

Bridge Club Meets Friday Afternoon

The Senior Bridge Club met Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. O. F. Lange. Mrs. Wayne Stark played high. Cantaloupe sundaes were served by the hostess.

Those present were Mesdames Wayne Stark, Pearl Kinsley, H. C. Kendrick, Bill Woodley, Bert Shackelford, and Ethel Chitwood.

Colorado Preacher Is Baptist Speaker

Rev. Alvan Lynch of Holyoke, Colo., was guest speaker at the First Baptist Church here Sunday night. He delivered a sermon after being invited by Rev. L. A. Sartain, pastor.

Rev. Lynch was in Friona visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Lewellen. Mrs. Lewellen is his daughter.

Mrs. C. A. Turner of Friona is visiting her sister in Visalia, Calif., this week. She plans to return this weekend.

Shulks Have Visitor

Tom McCabe of Dawn is spending this week with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Shulk. Tom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim McCabe.

The McCabes left Tuesday for a vacation trip to Espanola, N. M., and Pagosa Springs, Colo. They plan to return by way of Campo, Colo., where they will visit Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Nidey and daughters.

GUEST SPEAKER

Rev. and Mrs. Sam Stowers from Orange, Calif., are visiting relatives and friends in Friona. Rev. Stowers, who is a former pastor of the United Pentecostal Church, was guest speaker there Sunday morning and evening.

The flag of the 11 Confederate States of America was known as the "Stars and Bars."

Blackstones Honored

About 100 persons attended a get-acquainted party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Procter and sons Friday evening. After an evening of games, the guests of honor, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blackstone and daughter, Leslie, were showered with gifts. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served.

Mabrys Have Guests

Mr. and Mrs. John D. Boen and children, Mike, Donna, and Robin of McAllen, arrived Monday for a visit in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Mabry and children of the Hub community. The Boens plan to be here until the last of the week. Boen is Mrs. Mabry's brother.

William Henry Harrison was the oldest U. S. president to take office. He was 68.

TO RECEIVE DEGREES

Three teachers in the Friona school are candidates for degrees at the summer commencement at West Texas State College at Canyon. John R. Cook, Luther Hayes, and Mrs. Margaret Duggins will receive a master's degree in education.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carroll returned Sunday after spending a week fishing at Coos Bay, Ore.

Rushings Return

Mr. and Mrs. Eric Rushing, Eric Vance, George, Janet, and Jane returned Wednesday evening after a week vacation trip which took them through several Northwestern states. They went to Salt Lake City, Yellowstone National Park, and Cheyenne, Wyo., where they attended the Frontier Days Rodeo. Bill visited in the home of the Webb Gobers while the rest of the family was gone.

Cement Shortage May Clamp Building

Building permits issued by the City of Friona for the month of July total \$21,230, with the total for the week ending July 30 amounting to \$7,800.

Permits issued this week include:

R. L. Rule, 701 Euclid, construct office building, estimated costs—\$7,500.

Guy Latta, 1006 West Fifth Street, construct concrete drive and rear and front walks, estimated cost—\$300.

A cement strike by manufacturing workers may put a severe clamp on building in Friona, local builders indicated this week.

Cason Jones of Jones Construction Co. says his operations are closed down by the cement shortage. R. L. Rule, builder of the new gas company office, says he may not get to complete the building within the 60 days as it is planned because of the shortage.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Shackelford and children, Terry, Danny, and Molly of Perryton were weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Shackelford.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Jones and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jones left Monday for Pagosa Springs, Colo. They expect to be gone about three weeks.

Lois Norwood returned home Sunday evening after a vacation trip to Denver, Boulder, and Aspen, Colo. On the return trip she visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Norwood Jr. at Albuquerque.

Mrs. Mabel Jones spent the weekend as a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Tomason, at Midland.

Success comes before work only in the dictionary.

Molokai, the leper colony in the Hawaiian Islands, is supported by the U. S.

Polo was developed in India.

Texas owned an estimated 8,500,000 head of cattle worth approximately \$561,000,000 in 1955.

Iowa has 25 per cent of all Grade-A soil in the U. S.

Texas' Longhorn cattle resulted from fusion of Moorish and French cattle with milk cows from the Atlantic Seaboard.

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SPECIALS FOR DOLLAR DAY

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White Swan Apricot PRESERVES	33c
18 oz. jar	
Hi-C ORANGE DRINK	29c
46 oz. can	

Borden's Charlotte Freeze MELLORINE	49c
1/2 Gal.	
Bake-Rite SHORTENING	79c
3 Lb. Can	
Kraft Dairy Fresh CARAMELS	33c
1 Lb. Bag	
Kraft Miniature MARSHMALLOWS	23c
10 1/2 Ozs.	

FROZEN FOODS	
DULANEY BRUSSELS SPROUTS	29c
10 Oz. Pkg.	
DULANEY CAULIFLOWER	29c
10 Oz. Pkg.	
DULANEY SLICED PEACHES	23c
12 Oz. Pkg.	

- MEATS -	
KRAFT LONGHORN CHEESE	45c
Lb.	
ARMOUR BOLOGNA	41c
Lb.	
FRANKS	49c
Lb.	

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Thompson Seedless GRAPES	23c
Lb.	
CABBAGE	5c
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FIRST TWIRLING — Batons are getting fancy workouts as of Monday evening when practice of the Friona twirlers started in advance of school opening, a little more than a month away. Members of the group this year will be (l to r) Nancy Outland, Lila Gay Buske, Betty Agee, Ruby Grubbs, LaVon Fleming, and Phila May Buske, not present for the session.

County Voters Back 30-Cent Tax Raise

Farmer County voters, in a light turnout, approved a 30-cent tax rate Thursday, which had been recommended by the commissioners court. The vote was 118 to 81.

Little interest was evidenced in the election, and it passed about as quietly as any vote ever conducted in the county. Six of the eight precincts in the county approved the increase, and gave the "ayes" a margin of 37.

The vote by box (unofficial tabulations):

Farwell—25 for, 11 against.

Friona—44 for, 23 against.
 Lakeview—7 for, 2 against.
 Bovina—17 for, 9 against.
 Black—3 for, 17 against.
 Oklahoma Lane—7 for, 2 against.
 Rhea—10 for, 1 against.
 Lazbuddie—5 for, 16 against.

The 30-cent tax increase was proposed by the commissioners as a means of increasing funds for the purpose of acquiring right-of-way for farm-to-market roads in the county.

It was pointed out by the

court that the 30-cent increase for this purpose would be better than an across-the-board jump for all taxes (including the portion that goes to the state), and all of the various funds the county must provide for.

County Judge A. D. Smith this week says it has not been determined when the increase will become effective. He indicated it might come up for consideration this month (August) because it is customary for the county to review its budget in February and August.

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School Vote Fails At Lazbuddie

A request by the Lazbuddie school board that the district adopt the provisions of Public Law 116 was rejected by voters Saturday in one of the lightest turn-outs on record. Only 40 of the approximately 200 qualified voters went to the polls.

Voters refused the proposal 24-16.

If the election had passed, the board would have been empowered to flex the tax ear-

marked for maintenance (local use) and interest and sinking (used to retire bonded indebtedness) in a way more nearly meeting the needs of the school. They had reported that an increase of 10 percent in taxes was needed to maintain present standards at Lazbuddie.

"We're not sure what we'll do now," indicated Supt. James Ward this week. He expressed disappointment with the response of voters to the election.

Plans for the coming school term will remain indefinite at least until after a special board meeting next Friday, August 9, at which time the budget will come under close study.

Taxpayers of the district are being invited by the board to attend the public meeting and participate in the hearing on school financial problems.

Supt. Ward this week says the school is short three teachers for the coming year, and that he will not make any attempt to fill the vacancies until after

the board meeting. It could be possible that the faculty is to be reduced, he said, on account of the money shortage.

Supt. Ward said that the board has not given serious consideration at this time to raising school district valuations as a means of increasing tax revenue.

LETTERS To The Editor

Editor
 Friona Star

Our clipping service has today sent us a clipping from your fine paper of your story covering the July 8 fire at the plant of the Kendrick Oil Company at Friona. We wish to express to you the thanks of the butane industry of Texas, as represented by the Texas Butane Dealers Association, for the thorough and accurate coverage by your paper of this news event.

We also desire to voice our appreciation to the writer of the story for the workmanlike manner in which it was handled and for his careful and logical presentation of the facts.

It has been our sad experience that in far too many cases butane fires are made the occasion for "scare" stories which fail to present the true facts and aim for sensationalism rather than factual reporting. It is a refreshing experience for us when a newspaper demonstrates such a high degree of professional and dedicated journalism as your story reveals.

We should not forget to mention the excellence of the art used in connection with your fire story. The pictures were highly revealing and gave your readers an additional understanding of the event covered so excellently.

It is our sincere hope that the community you serve is fully conscious of the fine type of service your publication is performing and of its vital contribution to the public good.

Yours very truly,
 Jack Walcher
 President

Heavy Court Docket

Justice of the peace court of Walter Loveless had a busy docket after the judge was out of town on a two-week vacation. Seven cases of traffic violations were disposed of this week.

Convictions and fines included:

Larnie G. Blake pled guilty to charges of excessive noise and was fined \$20.50. On a charge of speeding Blake pled guilty and was fined \$30.50.

Ralph Taylor Roden pled guilty to charges of excessive noise and was fined \$20.50.

Weldon Tatum pled guilty to charges of an improper start and was fined \$20.50.

Billy Wayne Burness pled guilty to charges of speeding 80 m.p.h. in a 55 m.p.h. zone and was fined \$40.50.

Robert Wayne Bolton pled guilty to speed causing collision and was fined \$25.50.

Dare Doniquez pled guilty to charges of an improper start and was fined \$20.50.

All arrests were made by state highway patrolmen.

City Court Fines Three

The following cases were disposed of in city corporation court this week by Judge Walter Loveless.

Nelson Weldon pled guilty to charges of driving without a license and was fined \$5.

R. Taylor Jr. pled guilty to charges of excessive noise and was fined \$5.

Sam Wilks pled guilty to charges of being drunk and disturbing the peace and was fined \$25 on each count, for a total of \$50.

Extension Range Specialists A. H. Walker and G. O. Hoffman say that proper range management at this season should include feed reserves, deferred grazing and brush control. Excess forage should be stored for future use. Deferred grazing should be practiced even if it is getting dry and best brush control at this season will come from individual tree treatment.

Largest of Texas' state parks is Big Bend National Park, comprising 708,000 acres.

TOPDRESSING PAYS OFF

Topdressing winter wheat with nitrogen fertilizer paid good dividends in extra yields in tests at the Southwestern Great Plains Field Station near Amarillo. The plots which received nitrogen fertilizer also produced more wheat per inch of irrigation water than the unfertilized wheat. Alex Pope, assistant agronomist at the station, said application of 60 pounds of nitrogen per acre in the form of

ammonium nitrate (33 percent nitrogen) gave the greatest return per fertilizer dollar. At one of the test locations where no nitrogen fertilizer was applied the yield was 25 bushels per acre, compared with 52 bushels on wheat which received 60 pounds of nitrogen per acre. He said also that ammonium nitrate appeared to be a better source of nitrogen than ammonium sulfate for topdressing winter wheat in late February.

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Training Union 7 p. m.	Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.	Morning Worship 10:30
Preaching Service 8 p. m.		Evening Worship 6:00
Wednesday Prayer Meeting at 7:30		
CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH	FRIONA METHODIST CHURCH	UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH
Sunday Services	Sunday Services	Sunday Services
Church School 10 a. m.	Sunday School 10 a. m.	Sunday School 10 a. m.
Worship 11 a. m.	Church Service 11 a. m.	Preaching 11 a. m.
Pilgrim Fellowship 5 p. m.	MYF meetings 6 p. m.	Young People's Meeting 6:30 p. m.
	Evening Worship 7 p. m.	Preaching 7:30 p. m.
	Wednesday	Wednesday
	Choir practice 7:30 p. m.	Prayer Service 7:30 p. m.
Continental Grain Co.	RHEA LUTHERAN CHURCH	Bi-Wize Drug
Preach Cranfill	Sunday Services	Your Rexall Store
Welch Auto Supply, Inc.	Church Service 10 A. M.	Farm Bureau Ins.
Phone 2501	Sunday School and Bible Class 11 A. M.	Raymond Euler
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Phone 3161	Mens Club: 4th Thursday	Claborn Funeral Home & Flower Shop
Mary's Cafe	ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH	Piggly Wiggly
Mary and Hayden	Sunday Services	S & H Green Stamps
Ethridge-Spring Agency	Sunday School 9:45	Tasty Cream Drive-In
Insurance and Loans	Morning Worship 11:00	Friona Battery & Electric
Friona C of C and Agriculture	Young People's Meeting 6:30	Johnny Wilson
Friona Consumers Co-Op Oil and Grease	Evening Worship 7:30	Rushing Insurance Agency
Friona Motor Co. Ford Tractors	Wednesday Service 8:00	Eric Rushing
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PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 5, 1957.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 3 proposing an amendment to the Constitution of Texas adding a section to be known as Section 49-c of Article III, providing for the issuance and sale of bonds of the State of Texas to create the Texas Water Development Fund to provide financial assistance to certain political subdivisions or bodies politic and corporate of the State of Texas in the conservation and development of the water resources of the State; providing for the payment of such bonds; creating an agency to administer said fund and to perform other duties prescribed by law; limiting the period during which financial assistance may be granted; and providing for the calling of an election and the publication and issuance of the proclamation therefor.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:
Section 1. That Article III of the Constitution of Texas be amended by adding a new section thereto to be known as Section 49-c, as follows: "Section 49-c. There is hereby created as an agency of the State of Texas the Texas Water Development Board to exercise such powers as necessary under this provision together with such other duties and restrictions as may be prescribed by law. The qualifications, compensation, and number of members of said Board shall be determined by law. They shall be appointed by the Governor with the advice and consent of the Senate in the manner and for such terms as may be prescribed by law.

"The Texas Water Development Board shall have the authority to provide for, issue and sell general obligation bonds of the State of Texas in an amount not to exceed One Hundred Million Dollars (\$100,000,000). The Legislature of Texas, upon two-thirds (2/3) vote of the elected Members of each House, may authorize the Board to issue additional bonds in an amount not exceeding One Hundred Million Dollars (\$100,000,000). The bonds authorized herein or permitted to be authorized by the Legislature shall be called "Texas Water Development Bonds" and shall be executed in such form, denominations and upon such terms as may be prescribed by law, provided, however, that the bonds shall not bear more than four per cent (4%) interest per annum; they may be issued in such installments as the Board finds feasible and practical in accomplishing the purpose set forth herein.

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available upon such terms and conditions as the Legislature may prescribe, to the various political subdivisions or bodies politic and corporate of the State of Texas including river authorities, conservation and reclamation districts and districts created or organized or authorized to be created or organized under Article XVI, Section 49 or Article III, Section 52, of this Constitution, interstate compact commissions to which the State of Texas is a party and municipal corporations, in the conservation and development of the water resources of this State, including the control, storage and preservation of its storm and flood waters and the waters of its rivers and streams, for all useful and lawful purposes by the acquisition, improvement, extension, or construction of dams, reservoirs and other water storage projects, including any system necessary for the transportation of water from storage to points of treatment and/or distribution, including facilities for transporting water therefrom to wholesale purchasers, or for any one or more of such purposes or methods.

"Any or all financial assistance as provided herein shall be repaid with interest upon such terms, conditions and manner of repayment as may be provided by law.

"While any of the bonds authorized by this provision or while any of the bonds that may be authorized by the Legislature under this provision, or any interest on any of such bonds is outstanding and unpaid, there is hereby appropriated out of the first moneys coming into the Treasury in each fiscal year, not otherwise appropriated by this Constitution, an amount which is sufficient to pay the principal and interest on such bonds that mature or become due during such fiscal year, less the amount in the sinking fund at the close of the prior fiscal year.

"The Legislature may provide for the investment of moneys available in the Texas Water Development Fund, and the interest and sinking funds established for the payment of bonds issued by the Texas Water Development Board. Income from such investment shall be used for the purposes prescribed by the Legislature. The Legislature may also make appropriations from the General Revenue Fund for paying administrative expenses of the Board.

"From the moneys received by the Texas Water Development Board as repayment of principal for financial assistance or as interest thereon, there shall be deposited in the interest and sinking fund for the bonds authorized by this Section sufficient moneys to pay the interest and principal to become due during the ensuing year and sufficient to establish and maintain a reserve in said fund equal to the average annual principal and interest requirements on all outstanding bonds issued under this Section. If any year prior to December 31, 1952 moneys are received in excess of the foregoing requirements then such excess shall be deposited to the Texas Water Development Fund, and may be used for administrative expenses of the Board and for the same purposes and upon the same terms and conditions prescribed for the proceeds derived from the sale of such State bonds. No grant of financial assistance shall be made under the provisions of this Section after December 31, 1952, and all moneys hereafter received as repayment of principal for financial assistance or as interest thereon shall be deposited in the interest and sinking fund for the State bonds; except that such moneys may be required to meet the administrative expenses of the Board may be annually set aside; and provided, that after all State bonds have been fully paid with interest, or after there are on deposit in the interest and sinking fund sufficient moneys to pay all future maturities of principal and interest, additional moneys so received shall be deposited to the General Revenue Fund.

"All bonds issued hereunder shall after approval by the Attorney General and registration by the Comptroller of Public Accounts of the State of Texas, and delivery to the purchasers, be incontestable and shall constitute general obligations of the State of Texas under the Constitution of Texas.

"Should the Legislature enact enabling laws in anticipation of the adoption of this amendment, such acts shall not be void for reason of their anticipatory nature."

"FOR the amendment to the Constitution of Texas adding a new section to be known as Section 49-c of Article III, authorizing the issuance and sale of Two Hundred Million Dollars (\$200,000,000) in bonds by the State of Texas to create the Texas Water Development Fund to provide financial assistance to certain political subdivisions or bodies politic and corporate of the State of Texas in the conservation and development of the water resources of the State."

"AGAINST the amendment to the Constitution of Texas adding a new section to be known as Section 49-c of Article III, authorizing the issuance and sale of Two Hundred Million Dollars (\$200,000,000) in bonds by the State of Texas to create the Texas Water Development Fund to provide financial assistance to certain political subdivisions or bodies politic and corporate of the State of Texas in the conservation and development of the water resources of the State."

"Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for said election and have the same published as required by the Constitution and laws of this State. The expense of publication and election for such amendment shall be paid out of the proper appropriation made by law."

WANT ADS

FOR SALE—Sorghum Almut seed. See Eric Rushing. Phone 2493 or 5301. 37 tnc
FOR SALE—Good clean Kenney winter barley seed. 1957 crop free of Johnson grass. \$3.20 per hundred. Tri-County Elevator, Black, Texas. 37 tnc
FOR RENT—Furnished apartments. Call Robert Schuler. Phone Parmer 3403. 38-tnc
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ATTENTION CAMERA FANS—You can save \$3.40 by buying a good used camera outfit. Original cost, Polaroid camera, \$69.95; carrying case, \$21.50; exposure meter, \$13.95; flash attachment, \$12.95. Total cost \$118.35. Cost to you \$84.95. Raymond Euler, Friona. 36-tnc
FOR SALE—Chrysler 22A motor in good condition. See Nolan Morris 8 miles east and 4 south of Friona. 41-3tp
FOR SALE—Upright piano in good condition. Prichard Furniture Company. 43-1tp

SEE AT TRACTOR SALES, CLOVIS—four Massey-Harris 90-special combines, 14 ft., in A-1 condition. Power steering, lights, maize bar attachments. Phone 7511, Clovis. 42-4t
WANTED TO TRADE—Ten unit furnished rock apartment house for irrigated farm. Will pay cash difference. Desire 1/4 to 1/2 section in Parmer County area. See M. J. Stacy, Route 1, Friona, or call Hub 2179. 42-3tp
WANTED TO RENT—4 or 5 room furnished house in Friona. Bob Wilson, Phone 3001. 42-3tp
WANTED—Lady to operate a card inventory control system. See John Blackburn. 42-tnc
START a Raleigh Business—Real opportunity now for permanent, profitable work in Castro County. See Clifford Leake, Bovina, or write Raleigh's, Dept. TXH-211-K, Memphis, Tenn. 43-4tp

NEW COTTON DISEASE
A previously undescribed disease of cotton occurring in the lower Rio Grande Valley has been found to be caused by a virus. Studies already are underway by researchers of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station to identify the virus and seek methods of its control. Dr. David W. Rosberg, of Texas A and M College's Department of Plant Physiology and Pathology and the experiment station, said the virus is not carried over in the seed from one year to the next. Affected plants are somewhat stunted and bolls are one-half to two-thirds normal size. The seed are small and poorly filled. Leaves of infected plants are mottled and red-spotted and the veins are cleared and banded by dark green areas. Older leaves become buff colored, are conspicuously red-spotted and fall readily.

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School Chow Hall To Use Tickets

Friona School cafeteria will use the meal ticket system for the coming year, says Dillie Kelley, superintendent. The cafeteria has previously used a token a day method.

Reasons for the meal ticket adoption is that students will not be required to stand in line each day, it will simplify and eliminate much record keeping and reduce the chance for errors through daily counting of money, Kelley says.

ONCE IN A HUNDRED YEARS

When Gen. Lucius Du Bignon Clay (then a major in the Army Engineers) supervised the construction of the great Denison Dam, forming Lake Texhoma, he made the prediction that it wouldn't go over its spillway more than once in 100 years. Seventeen years later, on Tuesday, May 28, the Denison Dam went over its spillway for the first time.

Meal tickets will be sold on a cash basis at 30 cents a meal for students in grades one through eight, and for 35 cents to students in grades 9 through 12. Meal tickets will be sold on weekly or monthly basis. In order to prevent the danger of smaller children losing tickets, homeroom teachers will issue and recall tickets at each meal.

"Lucius Clay's words, "Once in a Hundred Years," are the title of a booklet just off the Denison Herald's presses. It tells the "high-water story of Lake Texhoma" in dramatic text by John Clift and in excellent pictures of the mighty rush of waters by John Crawford and Clift.

Different colored tickets are planned for elementary, grade and high school, Kelley says.

SAYS MILK HAS CURDLED

Speaking before the Rotary, Lions, Optimist and the Trinity Valley Boat clubs in Liberty, Inspector C. O. Layne, CD liaison officer for Department of Public Safety, said "it would appear that the milk of human kindness has curdled in our veins." He added: "Civil Defense today is just being a good neighbor. We need to go back and renew some of those bonds of civil defense that were welded by our ancestors, because the threat to our well being in peace and in war is greater than ever before. Tornadoes and catastrophes will be with us as long as man lives on this globe, and civil defense is nothing more than preparedness for the protection of lives and property when such tragedies occur."

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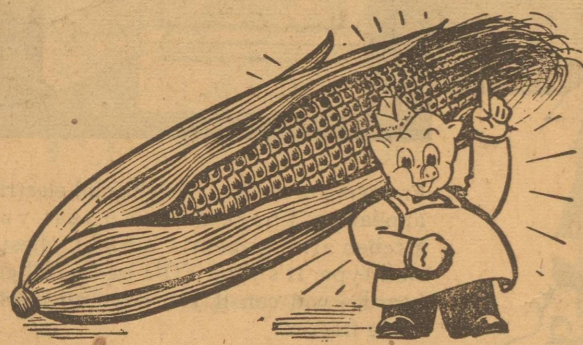
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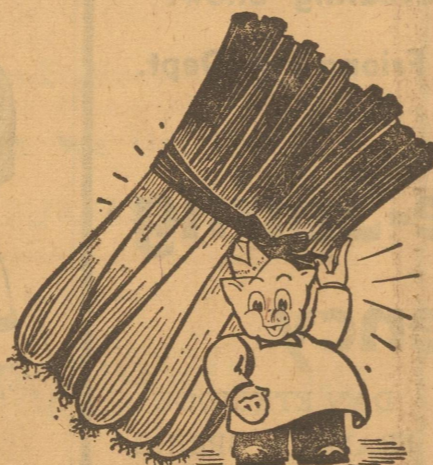
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COACHES ATTEND SCHOOL

Colie Huffman, Roy Simmons and Baker Duggins, with the athletic department at Friona Schools, are in Dallas attending a summer coaching school. The school is to last a week.

Mrs. Myrtle Crow and L. M. Crow of Friona and Mr. and Mrs. Tob Painter of Littlefield attended the annual Parson-Crow family reunion at Comanche over the weekend.

Car Inspectors Attend School

Charlie Bainum, Sterling Graham, Troy Young, Walter Cochran and Robert Collier, all of Friona, Thursday night of last week attended a session in Friona city hall, on vehicle inspection, learning of the changes in regulations for the 1958 stickers.

Al Eblen of Amarillo, inspector with the Department of Public Safety, Vehicle Inspec-

tion Division, was present to explain the new regulations. One change he pointed out was that wheels must be pulled off and the brake fluid checked. New inspection stickers will be available Sept. 1, he announced.

News From LAZBUDDIE

By MRS. CLYDE MONK

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Pendergrass and Susan attended an annual family reunion of the Pendergrass family at Brownfield Sunday. Stella Pendergrass returned home with them for a two-week visit before she will go on to Arizona with her sister and family, the G. A. Wingfields.

Visiting in the Purl Tippie home over the weekend were their sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Tippie, Vicki and Brent, from Whitesboro, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tippie from Amarillo.

Pony Leaguers Complete Season

The Lazbuddie Pony League has wound up its season with eight wins to their credit, and no losses.

Those playing on the team were Ronald Elliott, David Tarter, Odis Bradshaw, Norman Brantley, Robert White, Smithy Lawrence, Roy Max Miller, Jimmie Dale Seaton, Joe Tarter, Paul Wilbanks, Don Glover, R. L. Porter, and Larry Strayhan. Mr. Tippie and Mr. Bond are the coaches.

Miss Carolyn McGuire from County Line spent the weekend with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Don McGuire.

Mr. and Mrs. Shanks Ivy and girls, Eva Dean and Johnny, vacationed the latter part of last

week and over the weekend in Colorado. They visited in Denver, Estes Park, and attended the rodeo in Cheyenne. They report it was a wonderful trip and well worth their time.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Williams from Odessa visited his mother, Mrs. W. C. Williams Sr., Sunday.

In Ruidoso for the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McGehee, Mr. and Mrs. Demp Foster, Shan Foster, and Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Foster from Lamesa.

Mrs. Juel Montgomery from Amherst visited over the weekend with her daughter and family, the David Johnsons.

Annual Reunion Held In Lubbock

The annual Brown, Watkins, and Blankenship reunion was held at Mackenzie Park in Lubbock Sunday.

Those attending from here and Muleshoe were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Watkins and Kie, Carolyn Kirk, Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Harlan and children, Sammy, Connie Sue and Lee Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Jones, Bobbie Jo, Billy Don and Johnny, Mr. and Mrs. Murrell Brown and Kay;

Also, Larry Hicks, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Watkins, Coretta and Glen, Mary Surratt, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Brown, Sandy, Judy and Jody, Mr. and Mrs. D. Brown, Jimmy and Gary Mae, Mrs. R. L. Jones, William Edd and Jack;

And, Mrs. Lora Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Blankenship and Judy from Wilson, Mrs. Warren King and Kirby from Grand Prairie, Carolyn and Highland Baldrige from Tulsa, Okla., Mrs. Virginia McGee and Jill and Miss Patricia Pig from Vernon, Lynn and Larry Wharton from Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Deaton and family from Clovis, Katherine Ann, Shirlene and Peggy Martin, Dianne Suddeth, and Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Blankenship and family, all from Farwell.

Local Girls In 4-H Dress Review

Local girls participating in the county-wide 4-H Club dress review in Bovina Saturday afternoon were Catherine and Beverly Smith and Pat Chitwood, who made dresses, and Jan Nowell, Linda Lesly, Charlotte Seaton, and Linda Monk, who modeled skirts.

They are 10-year-olds who are just starting in 4-H work this year.

All these girls received blue ribbons on their garments which showed that their grades were above 90.

From Slaton

Mr. and Mrs. Juel Bradshaw and children, Carolyn and Carlton, from Slaton, spent the weekend with his brother and family, the Neal Bradshaws. They were accompanied by his mother, Mrs. Mae Melugian, who visited with them also and with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Matthews. Carolyn Bradshaw remained here this week for a longer visit with her cousin, Lloyd Bradshaw.

Mrs. Katie Crouch and son, Bill, from Muleshoe visited in the home of their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Euel Hall and family, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Littlefield and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Glover visited Sunday in Springlake with Mr. and Mrs. Odell James.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Nowell and Jan were guests of their nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nowell and family, at Anton on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Freisen are visiting with their son and family in Wyoming.

Joe Paul, who is 90, had major surgery last week at the Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo. He returned to his home here Wednesday.

Mrs. Aaron Mitchell is attending the school of missions for the Woman's Society of the Methodist Church this week. The school is being conducted at St. John's Methodist Church in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Greene were guests Sunday in the home of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Greene and family in the Pleasant Valley community.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Darling and children, Janice, Terry and Evelyn, visited relatives in Portales Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hall were in Plainview Tuesday to be with their grandson, Kelly Beavers, two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. James Beavers of Kress, who had minor surgery at the Medical Center there.

Mrs. Barnes Home From Vacation

Mrs. Perry Barnes returned to her home here Friday after a four-week vacation trip through the Eastern states. She accompanied her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Scott Menefee and Carolyn, on the trip.

From here they went to North Carolina where they visited another daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Donnell

and family. From there they went to Washington, D. C., where they spent some time sightseeing and then drove leisurely down the coast line to Miami Beach, Fla. They spent some time there and then came back to Corpus Christi where the Menefees live.

Mr. and Mrs. Tice Hugg and Clifford visited in Amarillo on Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Foster and boys, Jim and Tony.

Mrs. John Littlefield and Carrol, Mrs. Gene Smith and Mrs. Max Steinbock visited Wednesday in Levelland with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wesley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Parham, Sharon and Terry, accompanied by Gail Robinson and Buster Steinbock, were at Buffalo Lake, Sunday.

Mrs. Ellen Ingram from Dallas spent the weekend in the home of Mrs. Ethyl McCurdy. Other visitors on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Simpson and granddaughter, Shirley Simpson from Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vise from Dinuba, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Merman Vise and son, Dale, from Muleshoe.

To Lubbock

Mrs. Dick Scott and Ronald returned Sherri Scott to her home in Lubbock on Wednesday, after spending a week with her grandparents. They were accompanied to Lubbock by Mrs. Clyde Monk and Linda and Mrs. Paul Scott and girls of Muleshoe who visited with Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Scott and new daughter, Sharla Ann.

Mrs. J. D. Carpenter and James visited last week in Ol-

ney with her father, J. R. Jackson.

Mrs. Jack Smith, Catherine and Beverly, and Jack Finley vacationed three days last week in Ruidoso.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Horsley and children, Max and Jean, enjoyed a vacation in the mountains at Cowles, N. M., last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tooner Coffman

and girls, Peggy and Lynn, from Amarillo visited Friday in the Duane Darling home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Zahn, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. John Zahn and boys from Farwell, visited in Amarillo Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Dunn and daughter. In the afternoon they visited the park and enjoyed a watermelon feed.

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"CAN PROVE ANYTHING BY THE BIBLE?"

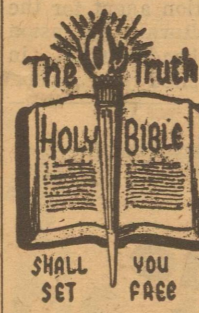
Many religiously inclined people claim any doctrine can be proven by the Bible. This is as far from right as darkness is from light. The Bible does not teach contradictory doctrines. Truth does not contradict truth. The gospel is the word of truth (Eph. 1:13).

PERVERTING THE GOSPEL

The apostle Paul wrote "... but there be some that would trouble you, and would pervert the gospel of Christ" (Gal. 1:7). The language of the Bible can be perverted and abused and made to appear to teach things it does not teach. Many did corrupt the word of God in Paul's day (11 Cor. 2:17). Many more are doing so since that time: "But evil men and seducers shall wax worse and worse, deceiving, and being deceived" (11 Tim. 3:13).

The above passages are only a few of the many given in the Bible to warn of the danger of being led astray from the truth of God, therefore it is important that we each study the Bible to know and obey the truth. "Wherefore be ye not unwise, but understanding what the will of the Lord is" (Eph. 5:17). Jesus said, "And ye shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free" (John 8:32).

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CRACKERS—

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Talk with others and let's get the ball rolling. Personally, we think a harvest festival or something on that order would be the ticket. How do you feel about it? We've got to get going.

A few years ago (was it in 1948?) some farmers in the Friona area planted a crop known as safflower. It didn't do too well, but then, it wasn't grown under irrigated conditions, and what would have done well?

Safflower, a member of the thistle family, is another oilseed crop, but unlike sesame, yields an oil of special quality. From it comes linoleic acid. And linoleic acid, taken orally, reduces cholesterol in the bloodstream, we understand.

If this all sounds a little bit mysterious to you, chances are you've never been to see a doctor about heart trouble. For the increasing number of people

who are aware of the dangers of heart disease, these chemical-medical terms have great significance.

In street corner language, safflower, then, is sort of a "super lubricant" that cleans the "carbon" from your veins and arteries just as various additives remove deposits from your car's engine. We may hear more about safflower. There are a few Friona folks still working on the idea of bringing it in, and there is even talk of a small mill here to extract the oil from the crop.

A recently released survey on High Plains irrigation reveals that 4,568,880 acres are now under irrigation in 42 counties in the area. Water is supplied by 42,225 wells and grain sorghums, cotton and wheat the major crops produced. D. W. Sherrill, irrigation agent for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service with headquarters in Lubbock, compiled the report.

Lazbuddie—

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Miss Connie Powers from Muleshoe visited Monday with her sister and family, the Al E. Jennings family.

The R. L. Kimbroughs have had as their guests this past week her cousin, William Hardy, from Arlington.

Guests for an outdoor chicken supper Sunday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Chitwood Jr. and family were Mr. and Mrs. M. F. Barnes and family from Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Buchanan and family from the Hub community.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Templeton and family were dinner guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Templeton at Amherst, Sunday. The occasion was Mr. J. L. Templeton's birthday and was a family celebration and get-together.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gammon, Jean and Marianna, and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Daniels are vacationing this week at Lake City, Colo.

Dinner guests in the James H. Jennings home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Malone from Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Jennings and family from Friona and Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Jennings. Jo Ann Jennings remained with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Jennings, for a longer visit.

Mrs. LaDema Hair from Olton visited her niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Wright, Sunday. Mrs. Hair is 74 years of age but drives her own car

and does quite a bit of traveling over the country.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Splawn, Sunday, were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Tate from Lubbock.

Thursday of last week Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Rannals visited in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Liville and family.

Betty Floyd from Plainview, accompanied by Lee Palmer and two other girl friends, visited Friday with her parents, the Barney Floyds.

The J. B. Young Jr. family was at Monument Lake, Sunday afternoon.

John Boren from Enid, Okla., visited Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Boren, of the Needmore Community and with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wilson and family. John had been in attendance at a class reunion at Abernathy so his visit with the family was a short one.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Templeton and family enjoyed an ice cream supper in the home of the John Norwoods at Amherst, last Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bates Jennings and family spent a few days the latter part of the week at Ponca City, Okla., and also in Oklahoma City where Jennings and Joe Brian had medical check-ups.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Treider Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Barney Floyd were Amarillo visitors Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Conner and Patsy of McAllen, visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Mitchell and daughter, Ara Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Lesly and girls, Linda and Hazel Gay, attended a family reunion of the Lesly family at Ralls on Monday.

J. T. Bostick from New Deal is visiting with his daughter and family, the Raymond Houstons.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Scott Menefee and family from Corpus Christi are here visiting their parents, the W. S. Menefees and Mrs. Perry Barnes.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vise from Dinuba, Calif., are here this week visiting their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Merimian Vise and family in Muleshoe and with the Alfred Steinbock family. Mrs. Steinbock is a sister of Vise.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mimms and children, Kelly, Jill, Clay and Tracy, are in Durango, Colo., on vacation this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Carter visited the first part of the week with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Duke Baker, at Big Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hardage and Billy and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mason and girls, Jan and Brenda, visited in Burk Burnett over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jim A. Buntion.

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Runyon and Marilyn Pugh from Amarillo visited Friday in the Smith-Floyd home and Kay Ann Smith returned home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morris from Portales spent the weekend in the home of their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Walton Morris and family.

Guests Visit With Pendergrasses

Visiting in the Jess Pendergrass home last week were Mesdames James Hester and Kenneth Hester and their children from Amarillo. They brought Mrs. C. L. Hester of Abilene, mother of Mrs. Pendergrass, who remained here for a few days visit.

Also visiting in the Pendergrass home last week were Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Wingfield from Buckeye, Ariz. Mrs. Wingfield is a sister of Jess Pendergrass.

The Wingfields are parents of Mrs. Pat Montgomery of Earth whom they are also visiting.

Doyle Crim Has Birthday Party

A birthday party in the form of a wiener roast honoring Doyle Crim on his 5th birthday was held recently at the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John N. Crim.

Others enjoying the party were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crim, Mr. and Mrs. Winn Henley of Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. Cleve Bland and Rhonda, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Hawkins, Regina and Ladonna, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hawkins, Richard, Ailene and Melva, all of Muleshoe.

Relatives Are Visiting Morris

Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Morris and family from Texarkana are visiting in the Alton Morris home. Also spending the weekend in the Morris home were his sisters, Mrs. Robert Mars from Ft. Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Clark and children, from Brownfield.

On Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Morris and family, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Morris and family, and their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morris, left for a visit in Durango with a sister and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Don Hill and family.

With Menefees

Weekend guests in the W. S. Menefee home were their son and family, the Joe Scott Menefees from Corpus Christi, and their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Long and family from Hereford. Randel Long, who has been visiting his grandparents, returned to his home and Carolyn Menefee also returned to Hereford for a visit.

Lullaby Shower For Mrs. McGuire

The home of Mrs. John Agee was the scene of a lullaby shower given in honor of Mrs. Don McGuire, Thursday afternoon. Assisting Mrs. Agee with hostess duties were Mesdames Jimmie Black, J. B. Wright, Jess Pendergrass, Dick Scott, June Wagon, Leroy Pierce and Clyde Monk. The house was attractively decorated with fresh cut flowers.

Rosemary Agee registered the guests as they arrived. Mrs. Agee read some poems and scripture concerning the joy and pleasure a child gives to the home. Mrs. Jimmy Black sang "Mighty Like A Rose," and was accompanied at the piano by her sister, Rosemary.

The honoree was presented with a corsage made up of rosettes from baby socks of pastel colors. She was assisted with the opening of the gifts by her mother-in-law, Mrs. Martin McGuire from County Line.

Refreshments of pinwheel and ribbon sandwiches, pickles, olives and punch were served. Plate favors were miniature bottle brushes made from pipe cleaners. Mrs. Black and Mrs. Wagon presided at the serving table.

Attending besides those already mentioned were Mesdames W. B. Wagon, E. J. Hall, Jack McGuire, Verlon Barron, Zollie Clark, Doyce Newton, Lee McGuire, Paul Scott, Luke McGuire, Ira Griffith, Richard Engleking, Walter Hutton, Bobby Gable, Gene Foerster, Varney Rannals, John McGuire, A. R. McGuire, Gerald Bass;

And, Misses Carolyn McGuire and Barbara McGuire. Sending gifts but unable to attend were Mesdames Lacy Hardage, Lee Mason, Truman Kent, Margaret McGuire, E. E. Engleking, T. R. Smallwood, Burt McGuire, Howard Allen, L. A. Jones, Alma Allen, J. C. Roberts, F. C. Bishop, Clifton Henry, J. H. Clay, Delton Stone, Tom Lesly, H. A. Douglass, and Jessie Waldrup.

Recent visitors in the L. M. Hardage home were her aunt, Mrs. Nannie Powell, and Mrs. Powell's daughter, Mrs. Virginia Faith and children, Sandy and Gary, from Wilcox, Ariz.

Guests this past week in the J. D. Carpenter Sr. and Howard Carpenter homes were Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Wright and Marilyn from Boulder, Colo., and Mr. and Mrs. John Bloomfield and boys, Carl and Johnny, from Clovis.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Brown and Sonja, Mr. and Mrs. Ted Treider and Brad, Mr. and Mrs. Max Steinbock, Laurence King and Janice Clark, were water skiing at Tulsa Lake on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Harris and family spent the weekend at Ruidoso, N. M.

Dal Hartsell from ENMU spent the weekend with his parents, the R. A. Hartsells.

Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Rannals were Sunday guests in the home of his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Rannals and family at Borger.

Marie Houston celebrated her 16th birthday Sunday. Besides her family enjoying the occasion with her, she had as her guests, Patsy Cox and Derrell Jennings.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Boone from Levelland were weekend guests in the home of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Littlefield and Carroll.

Attending the drag races in Big Spring Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Chilli Jordan and Pamela Don, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kimbrough. The Smith car was awarded a trophy for being a winner.

Mr. and Mrs. Chilli Jordan and Pamela Don from Lubbock are visiting in the community with her mother, Mrs. Mae Mahon, and other relatives and friends. This is Chilli's vacation time.

Cooper and Steve Young and Pat Chitwood returned last week from a visit with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Chitwood Sr., in Wichita Falls.

Jerry Gleason met a group of friends from Amarillo at Buffalo Lake Sunday where they spent the day.

Johnny Nowell and her grandmother, Mrs. F. C. Wagon, are visiting relatives this week in Sidney.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Shuping from Kress were Sunday guests in the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Steinbock.

Sunday was the day of the Horsley reunion at Mackenzie Park in Lubbock and was attended by Mr. and Mrs. Doug Horsley and children.

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On Monday of last week, Mr. and Mrs. Manton Brown and children from Byers were overnight guests in the Luther Hall home. Mrs. Brown is a niece of Mrs. Hall. On Wednesday night, Mrs. Ed Bevering and Mrs. Paul Dowdy from Wichita Falls were overnight guests of the Halls. These ladies are cousins of Mrs. Hall.

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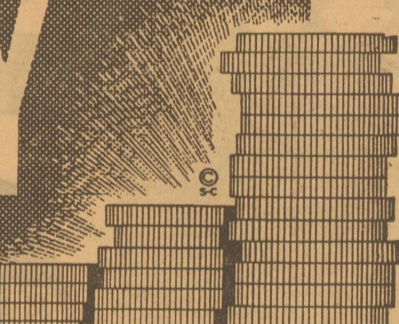
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THE PARMER FARMER

By LELAND BOYD

Parmer County holds the top spot among Panhandle counties on average yield per acre for cotton during 1956.

That is what figures shown to us by Frank Spring of Friona indicate. The average for the county—648 pounds per acre.

Prospects look favorable that the county will stay on top this year, too. Reason for the estimate—cotton in the county got a sizable jump on the competition for the top notch when rains and unfavorable weather kept them out of the fields longer than it did Parmer farmers. I'm clannish enough to hope the county stays on top. Too, that is another thing one can boast of when telling skeptics this is the best county in Texas.

Friona Lions Club last Thursday night heard an outpour of relatively fresh ideas in the field of cotton marketing and producing.

The speaker was W. L. Edelman of Friona, who told of the program the Plains Cotton Growers are supporting hoping to get cotton out of what may be taken as a rut.

The program he told of is a double barreled attack on low consumption of cotton, as compared with potential output. One of the shots would be an increase in domestic usage of the fabric, already foreseeable because of research results and the possibility of an advertising program.

The other aspect is export markets.

Edelman told of the success of the present export program of the USDA, that the amount exported already far exceeds the amount which Agriculture Secretary Ezra Benson forecast before it was adopted.

European millers want American cotton to fill a backlog of orders. Some millers have orders enough to keep them busy for the next nine months, Edelman says.

Why do they want American cotton?

Edelman says, "American cotton is far superior to any other cotton because of its milling qualities. American cotton is uniform in milling quality. A miller can adjust his loom and spin bale after bale of American cotton. This is not so with other cotton, and each bale might require an adjustment of the machinery."

"But before the European millers will furnish the market for American cotton, they want to be assured of a fairly constant price and stable supply. The price they would like is about 25 cents a pound.

"I have heard several farmers say they would like to grow cotton for 20 cents a pound, if they could produce all they want to," Edelman says.

What the program would mean to the farmer is a domestic and export allotment, he says. The acreage under domestic allotment would be supported at a near parity price, whereas the export allotment would all be marketed without support.

Edelman supported this program before the house agricultural committee when he attended hearings there about a month ago.

One thing that has happened because there is a possibility that the United States might adopt such a program—Swiss bankers who had intended to finance factories producing synthetic fibers have closed their pocketbooks on the financing idea, at least temporarily, Edelman says.

One thing Edelman pointed out that should not be done is for the control on acreage to be junked.

"Farmers would go wild over planting cotton and would upset the supply so much there is no telling what the price would fall to," he said.

I remember when I was a kid that farmers in Central Texas planted cotton on all their suitable land, and remember one who planted cotton in his back yard.

From the July release "Economic Facts and Opinions" prepared by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service:

"Stocks of cotton owned by the Commodity Credit Corporation or held as collateral for outstanding loans in early June totaled 5.8 million bales, the smallest since October 1953. This is favorable and should help."

"If feed crop prospects continue generally favorable, feed grain prices probably will average somewhat lower the rest of 1957 than for the same period in 1956."

The release says hog prices will probably continue above a year earlier during the rest of the summer and early fall. However, there is a slight possibility that prices at the end of the year may be below the prices of late last year, but not much below.

In this column last week, hog feeding was proposed as a way by which a farmer could sell his grain at a higher price. Now, here comes the hint of a drop in hog prices.

Nevertheless, along with it comes a stronger hint of a feed grain price drop. Seven come eleven—who knows how to farm without being the biggest gambler in business anyway?

Time for providing storage space for your grain sorghum is rapidly growing short. If you do not have storage space and need financing for this, you will find loans available through the Commodity Credit Corporation.



Ordinarily, this would be a "dryland" milo crop—but it isn't. The irrigation water here is waste or "tail" water from a neighboring farm, and Harrison Gee makes good use of it for his crop. The water runs through a culvert under the road bordering the south side of Gee's place, and he has cut special ditches to carry it to thirsty crops. This land is on Parmerton Hill and slopes steeply.

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A brother of mine in Falls County got himself a grain bin last year right at milo cutting time, stored the grain in it until about a month ago, and then sold it for \$2.30 per cwt., quite a pleasing experience rather than selling it for about \$1.50 during cutting time. An instance like this is not as likely to happen in Parmer County, because of the presence of considerable stocks of grain, but an instance that could happen is selling it through 200 pound hogs at considerably more than the price at harvest.

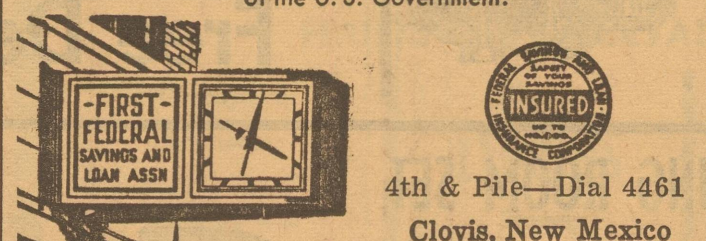
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Grain Sorghum Fertilizer Tests Generate Interest

Grain sorghum fertilization tests are receiving a great deal of attention in the fertilizer research program at the High Plains Station at Halfway.

Nitrogen is the fertilizer element that has been found to be most effective in increasing the yields of grain sorghum, but more information is needed as to how much nitrogen is needed, when it is needed, when it should be applied, and whether any phosphate fertilizer is required along with the nitrogen. The grain sorghum fertilization tests are set up to find answers to these and other questions.

In one grain sorghum test, 40, 80, and 120 pounds of nitrogen and phosphate per acre are applied alone and together at all rates of each. The results of this test should help answer the question of how much nitrogen is required for the greatest return to the farmer, and also if phosphate is required as well as nitrogen and if so, how much.

To answer the question as to whether nitrogen should be applied before planting or as a side-dressing, an experiment is underway in which 40, 80, 120 and 160 pounds of nitrogen applied before planting is being compared with the same rates of nitrogen applied as a side-dressing.

The 40, 80 and 120 pounds per acre rates are also being applied before planting and again to the same plots as a side-dressing. A total of 240 pounds of nitrogen will thus be applied in some treatments.

"Planting grain sorghum in closer rows for increased yields is receiving more attention all the time," states Dr. T. C. Longnecker, head of the station. "So, we considered it important to conduct some tests with combination of row spacing, seeding rate and fertilizer application."

In this test, one and two rows per bed are being compared at four seeding rates: 5.6, 7.0, 8.9, and 10.1 pounds per acre. In addition, no fertilizer, 100 pounds of nitrogen per acre before planting, and 100 pounds both before and after planting are being compared at each rate of seeding and with one and two rows per 40-inch bed.

"I believe that the proper use of fertilizer and irrigation water along with the new hybrid grain sorghums that we now have offers the opportunity to boost yields of grain sorghums from present yields of 3,500 pounds per acre to 7,500 pounds," says Dr. Longnecker.

"If you're afraid of being killed by a tornado, then you'd better stay off the highways," warns James H. Garner, Deputy coordinator Division of Defense and Disaster Relief. "Statistics," Garner points out, "prove that the automobile is 187 times more dangerous than a tornado. In the 41 years that records have been kept by the Weather Bureau, tornadoes are credited with killing 8,984 people. Last year alone, 40,200 lost their lives in the slaughter on our highways."

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THE HAPPY HOMEMAKER

BY JUNE FLOYD

It has been said that a person's most important assets are his friends and we see things almost daily that prove the statement. Haven't quite figured out how the Floyds rate friends like the R. E. Barnetts, but we surely are grateful that we do.

Mrs. Barnett is a wonderful cook and we are invited often to share the delicious cakes, jams, jellies, preserves, and other things which come from her kitchen. One day this week we called and asked for her recipe for Pound Cake.

She not only brought in a recipe for us to share with our readers, but brought a cake along with it. We really didn't need the cake to vouch for the goodness of the recipe, but appreciated it very much just the same.

Somewhere we picked up the idea that a pound cake was so called because the ingredients used were a pound of this and a pound of that. Mrs. Barnett's recipe disproves that theory. Hope everyone that tries it enjoys it as much as the folks at our house.

Ingredients:
2 cups sugar
1 stick oleo
1/2 cup vegetable shortening
4 unbeaten eggs
3 cups flour
3 teaspoons lemon extract
1 teaspoon salt, and 1/4 teaspoon soda
1 cup buttermilk
Mix sugar, oleo, shortening and salt together and cream well. Add eggs one at a time and mix well after each addition. Then add extract, flour, buttermilk and soda, which has been mixed into the flour. Blend thoroughly, then bake 1 hour at 350 degrees in tube pan.

Surely there are some homemakers among our readers who would like to benefit financially from their years of experience. There are two contests coming up in the near future that should be of interest to some of you. As many good cooks as we have in our area, there must be

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One of the most beautiful sights in the world is the heading out of feed in the Parmer County area — heart of the grain sorghum industry. This is hybrid milo just east of the Hub.

some who have recipes that would make good entries in Pillsbury's annual \$25,000 recipe contest. At present we do not have the details, but know that contest time is near.

Then there is the nationwide crochet contest that is always held in the fall. Contest rules have been printed in several publications and it will soon be time for the fair over the country. If the information we have is correct, a crocheted article must place in a local fair before being eligible for national competition.

If you don't know the details for either of these contests and are interested in en-

tering, call us and we will obtain the information for you. There is no story head we had rather see than one reading PARMER COUNTY HOME-MAKER WINS.

One thing our daughters learn in homemaking at school is, "When sewing, always read instructions on pattern before cutting." Some of us who are older, and wiser—or so we think, do not always do this. One of the visible results of our failure to do so has caused us some unhappiness.

Recently we made new dresses for the two youngest girls in our family. The pattern was very pretty and the material was beautiful. Upon finishing the dresses, we were quite proud of them, but noticed that the collars didn't have the new "stand up" look so many collars have.

A few days later we observed a dress a friend had made using the same pattern. Upon inquiring it was soon learned that the friend had followed the pattern instructions which read, "use pelon for interlining the collar." Of course, our pattern carried the same instruction but we didn't read them and

MOISTURE

An area-wide moisture map is not justified this week, since rainfall has not been general, but scattered, during the past seven days. However, showers fell Thursday of last week and Tuesday of this week, and left the following records:

Friona	.64
Texico-Farwell	.16
Bovina	Trace
Oklahoma Lane	.61
Rhea	.45
Lazbuddie	Trace

the result was that our dresses did not look as fashionable as they should have.

If you need a quick, easy, substantial dessert to fill out a meal that doesn't seem like it is going to quite measure up, try this recipe for "Lemon Rice Fluff Pudding."

Put 3/4 cup uncooked white rice, 1 teaspoon salt, and 1 1/2 cups water in a 2-quart saucepan. Bring to a vigorous boil and turn the heat down low. Cover with a lid and leave over this low heat 14 minutes. Remove the saucepan from the heat, but leave the lid in place for 10 more minutes.

Prepare lemon pudding by the directions on a package of lemon pudding mix. Stir the warm rice into the hot pudding. Follow lemon pudding mix package directions for making a meringue of egg whites. Fold this meringue into the warm rice mixture. Serve hot or cold topped with toasted coconut. This will make about 10 servings.

An estimated 1,250,000 servicemen trained in Texas during World War II.

An estimated 750,000 Texans served in World War II.

San Jacinto Monument, 574 feet, 4 inches, is the tallest in the world.

Texas' population on July 1, 1955, was 8,657,000.

60 POUNDS BEST

Fertilization of irrigated grain sorghum with nitrogen at the rate of 60 pounds an acre produced the most economic yield increase of all fertilizer tests conducted the past three years at the Southwestern Great Plains Field Station at Bushland, near Amarillo. The fertilizer applications resulted also in more efficient use of irrigation water, and were conducted on land which had been in irrigated grain sorghum for five years, Dr. Kenneth B. Porter and Alex Pope, Texas Agricultural Experiment Station agronomists at the Bushland Station, said.

There was no response of the sorghum to application of phosphorus alone or in combination with nitrogen, although there was a tendency of response to phosphorus when applied with 160 pounds of nitrogen an acre. An application of 160 pounds of nitrogen an acre increased the protein content of the grain compared with sorghum which received 80 pounds and another test which had no nitrogen. Yield increase associated with the application of nitrogen were due to increased head size and, in part, to increased bushel weight.

Texas is regarded as one of the most fertile fields in America for archeological research.

Ysleta del Sur, established in 1682 near El Paso, is Texas' oldest permanent settlement.



Jimmie Lou Wainscott, right, congratulates Judy Billingsley, center, and Barbara Jean Rea, left, for winning top honors at the county 4-H dress review in Bovina Saturday afternoon. Miss Wainscott is home demonstration agent.

30 4-H Members In Dress Review

Miss Judy Billingsley, member of the Farwell chapter of Parmer County 4-H Clubs, was the winner of the annual Parmer County 4-H dress review Saturday afternoon. Runner-up was Miss Barbara Jean Rea of Bovina.

The dress review was a presentation by the girls of the clubs of Parmer County. They modeled the dresses and skirts which they made in their summer projects. It was held in Bovina School Auditorium, with Miss Jimmie Lou Wainscott, county home demonstration agent, in charge. Miss Lexie Stevenson was monitor for the day and Miss Verna Marie Estes played background music during the showing.

About 30 girls competed in the four categories — skirts, school dresses, best dresses and party dresses. In the skirt division, Barbara Fallwell of Friona

sole contestant in the party dress division.

Participating in the review were Judy Billingsley and Zell Bollingsley, of Farwell, Marilyn Potts, Gladys Dean, Sandra Patterson, Cynthia Patterson and Lindy Dean, all of Rhea.

Bovina participants were Virginia Rea, Barbara Rea and Lexie Stevenson. Friona girls were Jan Wells, Cordelia Parr, Patricia Fallwell, Katie Blackstone and Barbara Fallwell.

Representing Black 4-H Club were Tommie Lewellen, Doris Barnett, Billie Barnett, Andrea Milligan, Brenda Deaton and Iva Ben Parr.

Also participating were seven girls from the Lazbuddie 4-H club. They were Katherine Smith, Pat Chitwood, Beverly Smith, Jan Nowell, Charlotte Seaton, Linda Monk and Linda Lesley.

Special mention was given to Terry Sue Mabry, eight-year-old honorary member of the county 4-H clubs. She has been attending the meetings with her mother for the past four years and this summer made her first skirt. In the showing, Terry Sue wore a skirt of blue school design print, which she had made herself.

Following the showing, Miss Barbara Rea demonstrated the use of milk in the diet, showing

the use of dry milk in the preparation of barbecued hamburger meat. Miss Rea used this demonstration at the annual district foods contest in Canyon in June and also did it over KICA-TV earlier this month.

Judges for the review were Mrs. Harriett Brummett, Bailey County home demonstration agent, and Miss Dorotha Powell, assistant home demonstration agent of Deaf Smith County. Not only the construction of the garment was judged in the review, but also taken into consideration were the girl's general appearance, attitude and poise.

As first place winner, Miss Billingsley will represent Parmer County at the district dress review in Amarillo, August 13. She won the nomination with a dress of blue shantung weave cotton and rayon blend, featuring an empire waistline and button tabs. Miss Rea, as second place winner and alternate to the district review, wore a dress of cotton print, highlighted with a pinafore ruffle and detachable bows.

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Texas' 1955 population was estimated 67.3 per cent urban and 32.7 rural.

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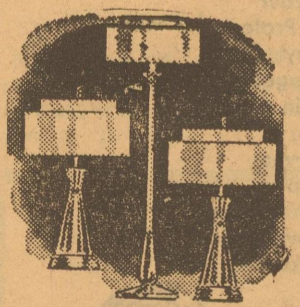
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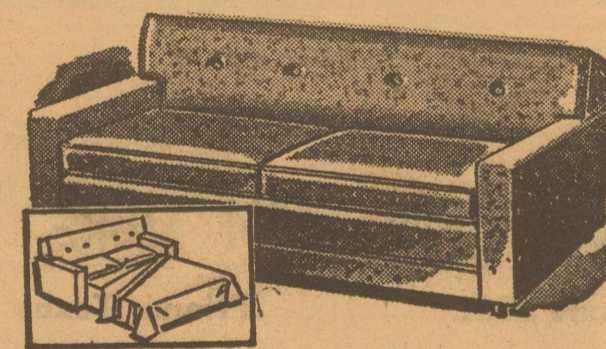
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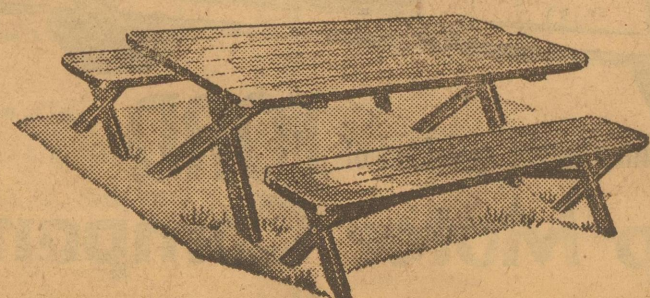
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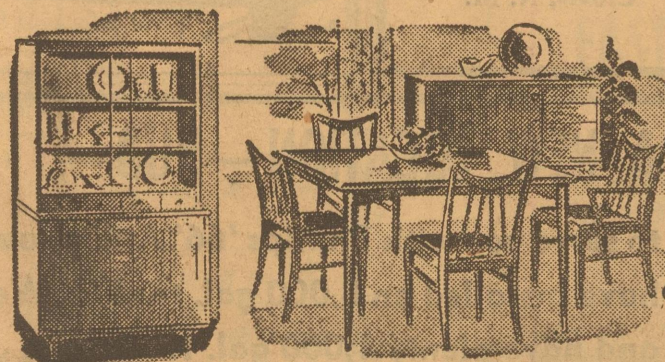
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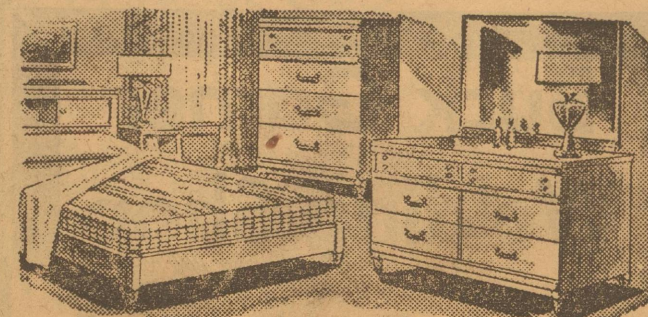


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