

# The Friona Star

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## Seventy-Two Children Get Diphtheria Toxoid

The diphtheria toxoid clinic held here last week, as announced in the Star two weeks ago, resulted in the administering of the first dose of toxoid to 72 children whose names are as follows:

Barbary Ann Ivy, Iris Joy Reed, Lewis, Lester and Cecil Standifer, Jo Frank and Homer Paul, Margie Green, Duke, Nila Gene and Florence Baker, Dolores Jean, Margie and Dorothy York, Otis, Billie Gene and Jack Hughes, Ruby and Inez Ezell, Rosa Lee and A. J. Meyers, Harold Coffman, Betty Lou, Josephine, and Juanita Standifer, Larry and Maurette Glescher, Jenoyce, Billie Jo and Wynelle Brown, Edna Wagner, Carl Hoffman, C. L. Galloway, Clara Wagner, Ruth and Harold Brown, Patsy Jo and J. R. Saunders, Bobbie Ruth Clements, Billie Jo, Beatrice, Georgie, Vergie and Lillian Tarter, Albert and Aubrey Cannon, Robert Gore, Doris and Junior Tarter, Durwood Kembrough, Roy Lee Jones, Freda Johnson, John Lee Gore, Tesfog, Chester and Helen Lucy, Paul and Laverne Frost, Billie Eugene Guyer, Jesse and Charles Fred Kamradt, Katherine, Earnestine and Doris Gatlun, Roy and Wanda Hart, Nona Leslie, Dorothy Louise, J. F. and Bobbie Gene Williams, R. C. Wilson, Laverne Pyritz.

The above named children should report at the office of Dr. R. R. Willis Monday, August 8, between one and four o'clock for their second and last dose. No others need appear, for those who did not get the first dose see next week's Star for announcement of date.

Melba Nadine, Floella and Willie Mae Saunders, June White and Sharlene Todd received smallpox vaccination at last week's clinic.

## Congregational Church Notes.

Sunday school was attended by about the usual number, and as usual interest in the lesson discussions seemed to absorb the attention of the various classes.

The worship hour was given entirely to a song service, during which quite a number of old time favorite hymns were sung by the congregation. This song service was partly for the pleasure and inspiration of those present and partly as a rehearsal of songs for future hours of worship.

On the coming Sunday our new pastor will be with us and will preach his initial sermon for the Friona charge. Rev. Millford will be with us for a period of six weeks, and all members of the congregation are urged to support him by their presence at each service during the term. All friends of the church and the public generally are most cordially invited to attend any or all the services.

## E. W. Sherman Here, Thursday.

E. W. Sherman of the Sherman Machine and Iron Works, of Oklahoma City, was a business visitor here Thursday afternoon.

Mr. Sherman's firm is the one that installed the Friona water system, and his visits here have formed for him quite a circle of acquaintances who are always pleased to have him visit Friona.

## Visiting Daughters Here.

Mrs. O. E. Adams of Shattuck, Oklahoma, arrived here last week for a visit with her daughters, Mrs. Irene Wright and Miss Nellie Greer. This is Mrs. Adams' first visit to Friona.

## Parmer County Election Returns

### For Governor—

Sterling	420
Hunter	207
Ferguson	698

### For Attorney General—

Allred	653
Calhoun	536

### For Judge Civil Appeals—

Martin	854
Pearson	388

### For Congressman-at-Large—

Phebe K. Warner	453
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### For District Attorney

Richards	19	77	114	145	52	23	86	14	520
Witherspoon	57	319	210	143	114	32	89	41	1005

### For County Judge—

Goodwine	15	266	118	80	61	21	58	16	651
Aldridge	31	103	153	203	72	31	108	13	716
Ray	36	48	69	20	41	8	30	31	268

### For Sheriff—

Hall	57	256	209	159	136	38	106	41	1002
Hawkins	13	144	88	152	16	19	86	13	515
Hawks	14	23	43	13	14	6	10	8	131

### For County and District Clerk—

McCuan	28	88	169	185	65	25	95	12	606
Rushing	56	342	167	120	109	38	99	49	980

### For Assessor—

Magness	28	126	94	123	85	27	52	29	564
McLellan	18	200	45	23	27	9	24	16	362
Booth	37	92	194	156	69	25	100	16	708

### For County Attorney—

Thomas	27	53	115	208	66	23	66	14	572
Brown	44	356	214	92	102	34	120	44	1003

### For Treasurer—

Lander	84	300	329	297	160	64	193	61	1578
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The above is a tabulated report of the Parmer County election returns, showing the entire vote by precincts for county officers and the totals for some of the state and district officers. The Star is indebted to County Treasurer, Walter Lander, for this report.

## New Machinery Being Installed In Friona Gin

C. S. Waddell, local manager of the Friona Gin Company, informed a representative of the Star to the effect that much of the machinery for the new Friona gin has arrived and is being installed.

Mr. Waddell says the stands are already in their places and a large portion of the other equipment is also installed. Machinery and equipment continue to arrive and there is no question but that everything will be in place and all ready to go long before any cotton is ready to be brought in.

## Ruth Takes Biggest Majority.

Speaking of elections and favorite candidates and big majorities, there is none in all the list of candidates that has as much reason to be proud of his popularity as L. H. Ruth of Friona, who won over his opponent by a vote of seven to one.

Mr. Ruth is one of Friona's most highly esteemed citizens, and was a candidate in Saturday's election for the office of justice of the peace, precinct two, and without any effort on his part was elected almost unanimously by the above named vote.

It is true that Mr. Ruth will not be duly elected until the general election in November, yet the fact remains that he will have no opposition at that time and there is every reason to believe he will then be unanimously elected.

He is being deluged with congratulations of his host of Friona friends on the results of his political race and his unprecedented popularity.

## Singing Convention Here Next Sunday

If the plans of the promoters, Cason Jones, Clarence Day, Odis L. Echols and V. O. Stamps, can be materialized, Friona will be the scene Sunday of one of the largest singing conventions that has ever been held on the Plains.

These gentlemen are very optimistic in their efforts and are working strenuously for the accomplishment of their plans. They plan to have the best and most popular singers in West Texas and Eastern New Mexico present on that date and there will be lovers of song from all over the country, great crowds of them, who will be entertained throughout the day by solos, duets, trios, quartets and choruses by these popular and favored singers.

It was formerly the custom of the town entertaining these singing conventions to furnish food at the noon hour for all who attended, but the conventions have become so popular that it is next to impossible for any one town to arrange to feed the large number who attend. The managers, therefore, request that all who can will bring plenty of luncheon with them.

The local chamber of commerce is cooperating with the managers and will endeavor to have a supply of sandwiches on hand for those who can not conveniently provide their own noon-day lunch.

Everybody is cordially invited to attend this convention and enjoy the splendid program that will be rendered during the day.

Following the convention Sunday, the three weeks term of singing school will begin on Monday

## MRS. A. W. McEWEN DIES AT HOME OF FATHER

Mrs. A. W. McEwen of the Rhea community died at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Blewett, July 29, after a very brief illness. Mrs. McEwen had been in poor health for several years. She had come to her parents home so that she might be nearer a doctor. A heart attack Monday carried her quickly away.

She was born in Wise County, Texas, September 14, 1894. In November, 1912, she was married to A. W. McEwen. One son was born to this union, McCoy, who is now 16 years old. Mrs. McEwen was a member of the Methodist church, having united with that faith in Megaigle in 1925. At the time of her death she was a member with her husband of the Methodist church at Bovina.

She is survived by her husband and son, her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Blewett; five sisters, Mrs. E. P. Sylvester, Mrs. N. A. McEwen, Mrs. D. C. DeBose, Mrs. T. E. Estill, and Mrs. G. C. Pierce; two brothers, Joe and G. H. Blewett.

Her many friends and neighbors join with her relatives in their grief at the passing of this much-cherished loved one.

Funeral services were held at the J. H. Blewett home, six miles southeast of Friona and her body was laid away in the Friona Cemetery, Rev. Butler of Farwell conducting the services.

## Rushings On Vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. E. V. Rushing and family departed Tuesday for Hot Springs, New Mexico for a few days vacation.

Mr. Rushing made what might be termed a "whirlwind campaign" for the office of county and district clerk, working all day every day and well into the nights, and finds it necessary to take a few days off for rest and recreation.

Miss Thelma George has charge of the store during their absence.

## Mrs. Reed Quite Ill.

Mrs. F. L. Reed, living four miles north of Friona, is critically ill at this writing from an attack of erysipelas. The infection began several weeks ago supposedly from a mosquito bite on her ear and has failed, according to reports spreading, according to reports from the home, and fears are being entertained for her recovery.

## Y. W. A. Food Sale.

Members of the Young Woman's Auxiliary of the Baptist church will hold a food sale in the vacant store room of T. J. Crawford on Saturday afternoon, July 30.

Proceeds of the sale will be for church benefits and the general public is invited to visit them at that time and place.

morning at the grade school building.

The faculty for this splendid three-weeks term of vocal instruction and training will include Virgil O. Stamps, Odis L. Echols and Freddie Martin. During this school everything pertaining to vocal music will be taught.

Mr. Stamps is perhaps the most popular singer and teacher of the South, Mr. Echols playing a close second, while Freddie Martin is known as a real musical genius. Friona people and all others who are interested in the development of vocal music will do well to avail themselves of this opportunity to improve their talents and master the art of vocal singing.

## Home Demonstration Agent for Six Months

Parmer county is to have a home demonstration agent for a period of at least six months, owing to the efforts of representatives of the various women's organizations throughout the county.

Delegates from these several organizations met with the county commissioners court at its regular meeting in Farwell Monday of last week, and so forcefully presented their plea for a home demonstration agent that the court allowed the plea and consented to the employment of an agent for the above named term.

The County Federation of Woman's clubs will hold its regular July meeting in Friona on Saturday of this week, and the court was asked that the selection and employment of the demonstration agent be made before that time in order that she may be able to meet with the county organization and with those present outline her program for the term.

It is hoped and expected that this request will also be complied with and that the work of the agent may begin at a very early date.

## FARMER COUNTY CLUB MEETS SATURDAY

The Parmer County Club will meet at Bovina Saturday, July 30, at 11 o'clock at the school building. The program will be on Home. The response to roll call is a Household Hint. Mrs. Hamlin Overstreet of Farwell will give a lecture on Home Arts. A covered dish luncheon will be served at noon, each lady attending will contribute something for the luncheon.

Everybody in Parmer county is invited. All members are urged to be present.

## Baptist Church Notes.

There were 121 in our Sunday school and 79 at B. Y. P. U. At the evening-hour little Miss Gertrude sang a solo, "My Father's House," which was greatly enjoyed by the audience.

Next Wednesday night being the first Wednesday night of the month, is the time for the monthly business meeting. As the association meets in September it was decided to elect the officers for the ensuing year. All members are urged to be present.

The following is the program for the senior group of B. Y. P. U. for next Sunday evening:

Type of program: Missionary.  
Subject: Beloved for the Father's Sake.

Captain: Lawrence Dumont.  
Scripture reading and introduction: Group Captain.

Discussion 1. National awakening: Lee Euler.

Discussion 2. Spiritual revivals: Pearl Highfill.

Discussion 3. Our debt to the Jews: Hilton Lansdown.

Discussion 4. Paying our debts to the Jews: Raymond Euler.

REPORTER.

## FRIONA MARKET PRODUCE PRICES

Hens, 4 lbs and over	7c
Hens, light	5c
Colored springs	10c
Light springs	8c
Old cocks	2c
Eggs	7c
Butterfat	12c
Bran, per cwt	60c
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Cottonseed meal	\$1.15
Oyster shell, per cwt	\$1.00

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Mrs. Kinsley Home.

Mrs. R. H. Kinsley who has been visiting her mother and other relatives in Upper Sandusky, Ohio, for the past few weeks, returned home last Friday evening. She says she enjoyed splendid health while away and left her mother feeling greatly improved and able to sit up.

Upper Sandusky was Mrs. Kinsley's former home and she had the pleasure of meeting a number of friends and former neighbors and many relatives. Her many friends here are pleased to have her home again.

Mr. Wiggins of Clovis, New Mexico, was a business visitor here Monday.



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"Uncle Andy" Wentworth Celebrates  
80th Anniversary Of His Birth Today



"UNCLE ANDY" WENTWORTH

One of Friona's most highly esteemed citizens who is also one of its oldest citizens both as to years of actual life and years of residence in and near Friona, Andrew Wentworth, celebrated his 80th anniversary of his birth this Friday, July 29, 1932.

The cut given herewith shows Mr. Wentworth, or "Uncle Andy," as he is affectionately known in Friona, as he recently stood in his flower garden surrounding his pretty home here, standing by one of his favorite posy beds.

He was born July 29, 1852, at Kingsley, in the Province of Quebec, Canada, where he lived until he was one year old, when his parents moved their family to a place called Sherbrook, also in Quebec, but deep back in the heavy Canadian forests.

He lived at Sherbrook for 14 years, or until he was 15 years of age, when the family moved to Bethlehem, in the White Mountain region of New Hampshire, where they remained one year, moving from there to West Newbury, Mass. Leaving there after a lapse of four years, when he was 20 years old, he migrated westward and located as Cresco, Iowa. After spending 35 years at Cresco, he again moved, this time to Friona, Texas, where he is still living, having been at this place the past 25 years.

During his boyhood days, which were spent in the forest region of Canada, Uncle Andy had many novel and pleasant experiences. His father cleared the land by means of what was called a "slash". That is, he would blaze out a strip of timber across his land and go through with an ax, chopping in on the same side of all trees in the strip until they were just about ready to fall, then he would cut the last few trees until they fell, and as they fell against the others they would cause the trees in front to fall until the entire strip had been felled in long windrow, or rather a "slash" as they called it. These trees would lay thus during the dry summer and in the fall a fire would be kindled in one end of the slash and the entire row of trees would be consumed, leaving a clean strip of new ground. This strip would then be planted to turnips, or rather rutabagas, and before freezing weather arrived they would be pulled, great oodles of them, and stored away for use during the long, cold winter. The Wentworth farm also produced grain for the hogs and poultry and hay for the cows and an abundance and variety of vegetables, and grain also for bread,

and there was an abundance of venison and wild turkeys, so that there was no scarcity of food.

During his four years residence in Massachusetts he worked in a boot and shoe factory, and while there also enjoyed the pleasure of deep-sea fishing. After moving to Iowa he learned the blacksmith trade and followed that occupation during the 35 years he was there, and being both industrious and frugal he saved quite a competence, all of which he lost during the panic of 1883, but undismayed he again began earning and saving until he was again comfortably fixed financially. During all these years he met with a number of accidents, any one of which would have stopped the career of an ordinary man. In one he fell from the top of a 50-foot windmill tower, an unobstructed fall to the ground, in which one arm was broken in two places in addition to many other bodily injuries. One of the fractures of his arm refused to knit and until this day he has labored with this extra "joint" between his elbow and shoulder. In another accident he was severely burned in a gas explosion which almost ended his life, and he has suffered a number of major surgical operations. With his broken arm he still handles the pick and shovel, hoe or hammer with unusual skill and effectiveness.

On coming to Friona he bought

240 acres of land three miles north of Friona and began farming and stock raising. Being unskilled at farming and in a new and then untried country, his operations were not financially successful. At one time blackleg broke out in his herd of cattle, and knowing nothing of the nature or cure of the disease, and fearing he would lose his entire herd, he sold what was left at a severe financial loss. He has since at various times been engaged in well drilling, dairying, installing and operating a small water system in Friona, and the keeper of a variety store. He is at present spending his time growing berries and garden vegetables, poultry, rabbits and fish. Being of a mechanical and inventive turn of mind, he has built and arranged his own rabbit hutches and fish ponds and a number of other convenient and labor saving devices which add to the comforts of life.

In addition to the several mishaps and reverses already mentioned, Uncle Andy has from time to time been obliged to give heavily and freely of his hard-earned funds for the support and relief of stricken and dependent relatives, and has always been a friend to the needy and distressed.

In spite of all his hardships, his 80 years seem to bear quite lightly upon him and he is still active, industrious and energetic in his daily life, and there are few if any who will care to try to double him in the labors of a day.

In addition to his strenuous life of earning and saving, he has been a devoted sportsman, and few if any have enjoyed an outing with dog and gun, or with line and rod, and even today we dare say he would not refuse an opportunity to engage for a few days in these nimrod activities. He enjoys sociability with his friends and neighbors, and was at one time one of Friona's most popular hosts.

The Star joins the large number of Uncle Andy's Friona friends in wishing him health, wealth and long life on this, his 80th natal day, and may these added years be his best and happiest and bring to him the greatest degree of peace and contentment.

Mr. Lawrence Improving.

T. F. Lawrence, who fell from a wagon last week and was severely injured, as reported in last week's Star, is reported to be gradually improving.

Mr. Lawrence was in a critical condition for several days and grave fears were felt for his recovery, which now seems assured, barring complications.

Miss Nellie Greer, assistant operator at the local telephone central office, spent from Sunday until Thursday of last week visiting relatives in Perryton.

Methodist Church Notes.

The revival services being conducted at the Methodist church under the leadership of Rev. I. N. Lipscomb, presiding elder of the Amarillo District, will continue through Sunday.

Dr. Lipscomb is a preacher of unusual force, always holding his audience with rapt attention and bringing to them messages with earnest appeal and forceful argument.

The congregations are increasing in size and a deepened interest is being manifested. The general public is invited to attend these services.

Had Visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Kamradt were most agreeably surprised on Monday when a number of relatives from New Mexico arrived to take dinner and spend the day with them.

The guests were Mrs. Fred Kamradt and Mrs. Enoch Collins and daughter of Grady, mother, sister and niece of Mr. Kamradt; Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Miller, of Quay; Richard Kamradt of Estancia Valley, a brother of Oscar; and Alfred Mitchell, of Grady, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Kamradt.

Otto says they brought a liberal supply of good New Mexico food and all enjoyed together a big and delicious dinner and spent one happy day together.

Mrs. Miller, one of the party, is another of Mr. Kamradt's sisters and her husband is one of the teachers at Quay.

Moved to Oklahoma.

H. E. Nailon who for the past six years has been one of the most aggressive farmers of the Friona territory, has this week moved his family to Snyder, Oklahoma where they will make their home for the next six months and perhaps longer.

Mr. Nailon told a representative of the Star that he is planting his land near Homeland to wheat again this season, in all about 700 acres, but as this will not require his attention after sowing he will remain with his family at Snyder where he will perhaps enter business, he having been in business there before coming to Friona. Should his business venture prove satisfactory, he will probably remain there, but should he decide to continue farming he will return to his place here, as he says there is no better place for farming than right here.

Mr. Nailon's many friends here hope he may see his way clear to return to Friona, but should he decide otherwise they wish him abundant success in his new location and business.

Mrs. D. W. Hart of Perryton is spending this week here visiting her sisters, Mrs. Irene Wright and Miss Nellie Greer.

MY GRATITUDE

I take this method of expressing to the people of Parmer County my unbounded gratitude toward them for the splendid and enthusiastic support in votes and influence given me during the recent campaign and election.

I fully realize that in this campaign I had to combat one of the best officials Parmer County has ever had, and I hold not the slightest resentment against any who cast their vote for him.

In the way of service I will give to all the people of the entire county the very best that lies within by power.

I THANK YOU

E. V. RUSHING

**POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS  
PARMER COUNTY, TEXAS**

The Star is authorized to announce the following candidates for the offices under which their names are listed, subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries on August 27th, 1932:

**For District Attorney, 69th District:**  
JAMES W. WITHERSPOON

**For County Judge and Ex-Officio County School Superintendent:**  
CLYDE V. GOODWINE  
JOHN ALDRIDGE, Jr.

**For Tax Assessor:**  
J. W. MAGNESS  
EARL BOOTH

**For Sheriff and Tax Collector:**  
W. W. HALL (Re-election)  
R. A. HAWKINS

**For County and District Clerk:**  
GORDON M'CUAN (Re-election)  
E. V. RUSHING

**For County Treasurer:**  
WALTER LANDER (Re-election)

**For County Attorney:**  
J. D. THOMAS (Re-election)

**For Commissioner, Precinct No. 1:**  
J. M. W. ALEXANDER (Re-election)

**Summerfield**

MISS GLENN CURRY

The Home Makers Study club met July 21 with Mrs. Ky Lawrence, Mrs. Wilburn Eddlemon as leader. The leader was absent and no program was given. Mrs. L. L. Cannon was chosen council delegate substitute, Mrs. D. C. Walser wardrobe demonstrator. Miss Buzzell talked on First Aid, Mrs. Bob Wilson on Marketing and plans for the federation convention in Hereford in 1933. At the social hour refreshments were served nine members and Miss

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FOR SALE: 1,000 subscriptions, \$1.00 each if sold soon; either singly or in quantities. See the Friona Star.

FOR SALE: Packer wheels for grain drill, used. See Blackwell's Hardware and Furniture. 521c

BOARDEERS: Board and rooms for two boys and two girls during school. Mrs. C. H. Fallwell, Friona. 2-2c

Nola Neill, Merkel; Miss Eva Blakemore, Amarillo; Mrs. Bob Wilson and Miss Buzzell, Hereford. Next meeting will be August 4 with Mrs. Adam Flowers, Mrs. Henry Kendall leader.

Mrs. Jim Florey and Virginia of Amarillo visited her parents. Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Churchill over the week end.

C. R. Walser and Escal Walser of Chillicothe visited relatives at Bovina Sunday.

Mrs. Wm. Reed and children of Sayre, Okla., are staying with her daughter, Mrs. Oscar Jay, who is ill in the hospital at Hereford.

J. R. Oglesby and family spent the week end in Plainview

Mrs. G. W. Mills and daughter and Miss Eva Blakemore returned to Amarillo after visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Blakemore.

Miss Mary Lee Curry returned Wednesday from a visit with her grandparents at Clarendon.

Misses Sylvia and Edna Behrends attended the Presbyterian encampment last week

B. C. and Barnard Roberson were business visitors in Portales, New Mexico, last Monday.

Miss Jean Florey visited her aunts, Mmes. Andrew Behrends and J. D. Storey, last week.

Miss Nola Neill who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Barnard Roberson, returned to her home at Merkel last week.

Miss Thelma Humphries who has been in school at Canyon, is visiting her aunt, Mrs. J. N. Nolan and family.

Chas. McManus and family returned to Grimes, Okla., after he helped in the harvest here.

Miss Eva Blakemore, Mrs. G. W. Mills and daughter, of Amarillo and Mrs. A. J. Blakemore visited their sister and daughter, Mrs. Ed Peacock, at Big Square Saturday.

Andrew Behrends and family spent Sunday at Kress.

Ray Johnson and family were in Amarillo Monday.

Wm. Meyers and family of Anson, Mrs. Hall, Farwell, visited the M. D. Weltz home last week.

Louie Huckert and family and Mrs. Lewis Jay visited the John Hiseman home at Vega Tuesday.

Art Davis and wife of Sayre, Okla., are visiting the Oscar Jay home here.

J. L. Mann, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Mahler of Black spent Sunday in the Clayburn Carr home

Geo. Beck and family of Texico visited here Monday.

Mack Noland and Walter Huntley were in Tulla Monday.

Mrs. M. D. Weltz and children visited in New Mexico Wednesday.

Harry Cannon was in Bellview, N. M., on business Monday

Several young people enjoyed a picnic and swimming party at Hereford Sunday afternoon.

Lawrence and Elton Johnson were in Dimmitt Monday.

Mrs. J. H. Murdock visited Mrs. Geo. Garrison at Hereford last week.

Durwood and Gladys Enoch.

Wayne and Murrell Harris and Maston Burton of Melrose, N. M., visited the M. D. Weltz home this week.

Louis Thornton was here from Crosbyton last week, visiting the Will Shultz home.

Misses Laura Black of Clarendon and Betty Curry of Plainview are guests of Glenn and Mary Lee Curry this week.

Messrs. and Mmes. S. L. Walser and Crump of Hereford visited the C. R. Walsers Wednesday.

Miss Allene McCants of Canyon spent the week end with Miss Dorothy Harris

Miss Fanny Manning and Chas. Bubee were married last week. Mrs. Bubee taught school here last year. All her friends extend best wishes.

Geo. Flowers of Plainview, W. H. Flowers of Des Moines, N. M. spent Sunday with their brother, Adam Flowers

**To the Voters of Parmer County**

Let me thank everyone for the kindnesses, encouragement, as well as the votes given me in the recent election. I appreciate the privilege and honor of serving you these years as your District Attorney, but I appreciate most, the friendships which I have made. These shall always be held in grateful remembrance.

Very respectfully,  
B. N. RICHARDS.

**FUTURE FARM FEATS**

(Devoted to the Interest of Vocational Training.)

Reginald Henley, first year vocational agriculture boy at Walnut Springs high school, produced 183 eight-weeks old S. C. W. Leghorn chicks from 214-day old chicks at an average cost of 9 1/2 cents per chick and with a labor income of 86 cents per hour. He used home grown feeds supplemented by a starting mash.

More than 20 watermelon growers attended an organization meeting of the Richland Springs Watermelon Growers Association sponsored by R. J. Powell, vocational agriculture teacher, recently. The group plans to ship 75 cars of melons cooperatively this season.

State Superintendent Chas. N. Shaver, executive officer of the State Board of Vocational Education, has announced that the state contests for the winners in the 14 districts of the State will be held in Huntsville at the teachers' college August 2 and 3. This contest will be in public speaking, debating, chapter opening and closing, and hand work.

As a result of cholera breaking out in the Edwards herd near Whitehouse, J. M. Hancock, vocational agriculture teacher, and his students double treated 1013 hogs for 22 farmers in that community. The boys treated 1585 White Leghorn pullets for intestinal worms.

More than 1200 cans of food have been canned in less than two weeks of operation of the Haskell cannery. This cannery is run by the Progressive Farmer Club, an organization of former vocational students, who are now farmers in the Haskell community. When a demonstration of the work of the cannery was given recently, 32 women in the Haskell trade territory attended.

Guy Luske of Bovina called on friends here Thursday.

W. W. Hall of Farwell called on friends here Friday.

Mr. Mincher and Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Jones and small son left Thursday morning for Forney where they will visit friends and relatives.

Try a Want-Ad in the Star.

**On Texas Farms**

By W. H. Darrow, Extension Service Editor.

"Enough soil was saved during the first rain to pay for building terraces on my brother's place," states Walter Cardwell of Lockhart, who says that a 4-inch rain failed to wash away any appreciable amount of soil, while bordering fields showed a heavy wash.

An attractive house dress can be made for about 76 cents, it has been found by 65 home demonstration club members in Wichita county, who entered the annual house dress contest.

Mrs. Joe Rogan, 4-H pantry demonstrator of the Berry Creek home demonstration club in Williamson county, has passed on to the neighbors what she learned in a meat canning school last fall. She has given 23 canning demonstrations in which 3600 containers of meat were put on pantry shelves.

**TO THE PEOPLE OF THE 69th JUDICIAL DISTRICT**

I am indeed grateful to the people in this district for their loyal and liberal support at last Saturday's election, at which they nominated me as the Democratic candidate for District Attorney of this district.

When I am elected and take up the duties of the office, I assure you that I will render the very best service of which I am capable in the discharge of my official duties; and I take this opportunity to ask all of the good people of the district to cooperate with and assist me in my efforts to do so.

Very truly,  
JAMES W. WITHERSPOON.

Mr. Hollingworth of Bovina was in Friona Thursday.

**Eleven-Mile**

Miss Eunita Williams, Reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. Short and children spent Saturday night in Hereford with friends.

Ed Curtsinger and Taylor Oglesby of Hereford were in this community Saturday.

Mrs. Minnie Lansford and baby, and a girl friend of Oklahoma, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hancock, this week.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Howard and Miss Hattie Franks were in Hereford Thursday.

L. M. Williams and family, J. T. Guinn and Bert Doyle attended the box supper at Bippus Saturday night.

Mrs. L. M. Williams, daughter and son, and Bert Doyle were in Hereford Friday.

Babe Russell was in Hereford Saturday night.

An ice cream supper will be given at Messenger school house Saturday night, July 30. Everybody is invited to come.

Mrs. J. L. Smith is on the sick list this week.

George Reynolds was in Friona Sunday.

Mr. Stine and son of Canyon are spending a few weeks in the home of his son, Charley Stine.

Harvest is about over in this community.

W. D. Nafzger of Walcott was in this community Thursday.

Mrs. Herman Gray of Westway called at the L. M. Williams home Tuesday.

Johnnie Biggs of Hereford was here on business Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Foster, Mrs. Boyd, Mrs. Earl Watkins and son, Kenneth, spent Thursday in Amarillo visiting friends and relatives of Mrs. Boyd.

Mr. Johnson of Black was a business caller here Thursday.

Mr. Pickett of Hereford was in Friona Thursday.

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If someone came to you and said: "For ten cents a day I will postpone old age, give you better health and more leisure," what would you say? "Yes," of course. Or, if you were inclined to be more skeptical, "rot," or something equally expressive. But we are prepared to promise that.

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**To the Voters of Parmer County**

—I take this means of expressing to you my profound gratitude for your generous support in the primary elections. It is my purpose to so perform the duties of the office to which I have been nominated as to merit your good will and esteem.

Very respectfully yours,

**Perry T. Brown**

**Young Pullets Laying**

Mrs. E. M. Sherrieb, whose home is four miles northeast of town, is the first one this season to bring to the Star a report of her laying pullets.

Mrs. Sherrieb has a flock of Barred Rocks that were hatched on March 23 by a local hatchery and a pullet in this flock began laying on July 20, lacking three days of being four months old.

She says these chicks started off well and never stopped growing and are now a fine bunch of pullets. Mrs. Sherrieb believes firmly in giving chicks the proper care and feed that they may have every advantage for full and early development. She selects her breeding stock from her best layers and keeps her flock up by the introduction of fresh high grade breeding stock at intervals. This season she has some of the finest cockerels to be found anywhere.

**Their Appreciation.**

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Dunham of Snyder, Oklahoma, parents of G. W. Dunham, the young man who came to his death here last week as a result of the fire that destroyed the Sylvester garage, express their appreciation of the kindness shown their boy by the good people of Friona, in the following short letter:

To the People In and Around Friona:

G. W. knew you and loved you. Through him we know you and love you, and words can't express our gratefulness to you for the strong hand of kindness that you gave our boy while in your midst. We sincerely wished that we could have had all of G. W.'s friends from out there yesterday to pay our last respects to one we dearly loved, and we hope that we can meet each of you in person some day, and may God's richest blessings rest upon each of you is our prayer.

G. C. Dunham and Family,  
Snyder, Oklahoma.

**Amarillo People Here Sunday.**

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Winn and Mr. and Mrs. William Benton of Amarillo drove over from Amarillo Sunday afternoon for a few minutes to visit with old friends and neighbors, calling in the homes of L. F. Lillard, R. M. Kinsley, C. C. Maurer, Mrs. Geo. Maurer and Mrs. Minnie Goodwine.

Mr. and Mrs. Winn and Mrs. Benton who was formerly Miss Inez Winn, once lived in Friona and have a large circle of friends among the pioneer settlers of Friona and locality.

**Visiting Parents Here.**

Messes. and Mmes. Earl and Joe Foster, all of Brownwood, arrived here last week for a short visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Foster. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Foster returned to Brownwood the latter part of last week, but the others remained for a few days longer.

These gentlemen are engaged in farming in their locality and are giving special attention to the poultry and dairy branches of the vocation. Joe is devoting his special attention to poultry and Earl to dairying, and each are proving successful in these lines.

**Card of Thanks.**

We take this method of thanking our many friends and neighbors for their kindness and help thru our hours of sadness and grief upon having to give up our loved one, Mrs. A. W. McEwen.

Our prayers are that each of you may be prepared to go when God calls you home.

A. W. McEwen and Son, McCoy,  
Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Blewett and Family.

A. H. McEwen and Family. It

Mr. and Mrs. Rufas Brewer and son, Billie, of Bovina called on Friona friends Sunday.



One dollar, if kept in your home town or community, may easily pay \$100 worth of debts for you

and your neighbors. If sent away its local debt-paying value is gone.

**Pentecostal Church Notes.**

Services last Sunday were interesting. A goodly number were present for Sunday school, and the lesson was studied with good interest.

The theme of the preaching services, both morning and evening, was along the line of Christian living. Just plain truth of the word as to what it will take to be ready to meet the Lord when He comes. Brother Houlette believes that the word is plain, that those who live after the flesh shall die, but they that do crucify the deeds of the flesh and live godly in Christ Jesus shall have a glorious life hereafter.

**Attend Funeral of Mrs. McEwen.**

A large number of out-of-town people attended the funeral of Mrs. A. W. McEwen here Thursday, among them being Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Blewett of Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Carsvell McSpadden, and Mr. and Mrs. B. B. McSpadden of Amherst; Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hennings, Olney; Miss Lee and Morris McEwen, and Mr. and Mrs. Nat McEwen, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Estill and Mrs. D. C. DeBose all of Meagargle, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilner Grayson of Bovina.

**Truly Appreciated.**

I take this method of expressing to the voters of Parmer county my sincere appreciation of the courtesies and support given me in the way of votes and influence during the recent campaign and election.

To those who did not cast their ballots for me, I have not the slightest ill will.  
S. L. McLELLAN.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Foster and children, LeTrelle Charlotte, Earl Ray and Hubert, and Mrs. Foster's mother, Mrs. Boyd of Brownwood, arrived Wednesday and will spend several days visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Foster, and his sisters, Mmes. Earl Watkins and R. L. Chiles.

**Black**

BY MRS. J. J. CRAWFORD

Leon Welch left Thursday for Canadian to spend a few weeks. L. Nash and Mr. Cook of Enid, Okla., visited H. H. Elmore this week.

Miss Opal Hays spent last week with friends in Hartley.

Aldon Hawks made a trip to Enid, Okla., this week.

Fred Melers was slightly burned this week when a combine gasoline tank exploded. The combine was damaged.

Mrs. G. L. McLean, Jack and Cleo; Mrs. Raymond Bass and baby, all of Albuquerque, N. M., visited the H. L. McLean home Thursday, enroute to Lubbock to visit relatives and friends.

Chas. Hays and Buck Johnson, Misses Lucile and Noble McLean spent Sunday picnicking in the Palo Duro Canyon.

W. D. McKinney and family, Bill Lindsay and family, Westway, Roy Coker and family of Summerfield spent Sunday in the J. J. Crawford home.

Rev. Annis of Friona preached here Sunday.

Dr. Frye of Lubbock has resigned as Baptist pastor here.

The ladies club met Thursday with Mrs. Clyde Hays, with 14 members present. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Chas. Hays August 4.

Mrs. Tom Presley is in the hospital at Hereford, and her condition is about the same.

There will be a pie supper at the church here Saturday night, to raise money to pay for our singing school. Visiting singers will be with us and everybody is invited to attend, the ladies each to bring a pie.

Miss Etta Brumley of Missouri, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Nola May Bennett, is visiting in Hereford this week.

Miss Theima Price who has spent the past three months here visiting in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Smoky Price, left Sunday for her home in Oklahoma.

**To the Voters.**

I take this method of expressing to each of you who supported me in the recent primary my thanks and appreciation.

I hold no ill feeling toward those who did not support me.

Thanking you one and all. Yours very truly,  
GORDON McCUAN.

David W. Ray of Black was in Friona Tuesday.

Judge E. F. Lokey of Farwell was a business visitor in Friona Thursday afternoon. Judge Lokey has a large number of friends here who are always pleased to have him visit our town.

Mrs. Irene Wright, operator at the local central office, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. D. E. Adams of Shattuck, Oklahoma, and her sisters, Mrs. D. W. Hart of Perryton and Miss Nellie Greer, drove over and spent Sunday in Clovis, New Mexico.

Mr. Hawkins of Farwell called on friends here last Friday.

Miss Lucille Truitt of Gainesville arrived in Friona last week and will be the house guest of her cousin, Miss Marylou Truitt.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Foster of Brownwood, who have spent the past week visiting relatives here, left last Friday. They were accompanied home by their niece, Miss Mary Lou Chiles, who will spend the remainder of the summer in Brownwood.

Glenn Brewer of Woodward, Oklahoma, is visiting his brother, Floyd Brewer, and uncles, Art and John Benger, of Friona.

Mr. Frye of Dawn was in Friona Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Englant and small son of Bovina called on friends and relatives here last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Gischler and children left Wednesday for Abilene where they will visit Mrs. Gischler's parents.

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Rates Effective March 10, 1932

Lv.	Read Down		Read Up	Ar.
a. m.	p. m.	rate	p.	a. m.
8:30	5:30		Amarillo 3:20	3:20
10:05	7:05	1.65	Hereford 1:45	1:45
10:20	7:20	2.10	Summerfield 1:30	1:30
10:30	7:30	2.35	Black 1:20	1:20
10:45	7:45	2.45	Friona 1:05	1:05
11:05	8:05	2.90	Bovina 12:45	12:45
a. m.	p. m.		p. m.	a. m.
11:30	8:30	3.30	Farwell 12:20	12:20
11:00	8:30	3.60	Clovis 10:00	11:00
11:35	9:05	4.25	Portales 9:30	10:30
p. m.	p. m.		a. m.	p. m.
2:30	11:45	7.15	Roswell 5:30	7:45
5:00	2:10	9.45	Ruidoso 3:10	5:00
9:30	6:20	12.05	El Paso 11:00	1:00
a. m.	a. m.		p. m.	p. m.

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