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## THE FRIONA STAR

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### COMMENCEMENT

Thursday, May 21, 1953 — 8:00 P.M.  
Friona High School Auditorium

- PROCESSIONAL MRS. ROY MILLER
- INVOCATION REV. C. M. FIELDS  
Pastor Friona Baptist Church
- SALUTATORY SUE GIBSON NAZWORTH
- VALEDICTORY WANDA BEATY
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- THE NEW KING DR. MARTIN L. COLE  
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- PRESENTATION OF AWARDS MR. DILLIE KELLEY  
Principal Friona High School
- PRESENTATION OF DIPLOMAS MR. DALTON CAFFEY  
Superintendent of Schools
- BENEDICTION REV. R. W. WILBURN

\* Audience standing please

### Column Left...

The Cub Scout Palava at Amarillo was postponed last Saturday because of the weather. It will be held this Saturday if present plans hold.

CL  
Jake Lamb says he overheard this conversation:  
One Farmer: "If it doesn't rain, I'll have to rob a bank."  
Second Farmer: "If it doesn't rain, I've already robbed a bank."

CL  
The Retail Activities Committee of the Chamber of Commerce has announced holidays for the year, asking merchants to cooperate in closing on the specified days.  
First to come is Memorial Day, next Saturday, May 30th.

All the holidays are being listed on placards to be delivered to every business house this weekend.  
Other days listed are: Independence Day, Saturday July 4th; Labor Day, Monday, September 7; Thanksgiving, Thursday, November 26; Christmas Friday, December 25; and New Years, January 1.

CL  
The Girl Scouts are sponsoring a show next Tuesday night at the Regal Theatre to help finance their trip to camp in June.  
The show is one of the better known ones — well worth seeing, "I'd Climb the Highest Mountain."

CL  
Our Birthday Calendar:  
May 22: Jacquelyn Cardwell, Phyllis Bainum.  
May 23: John W. White, Kermie E. Deaton.  
May 25: Charlene Hall, Tom Gee, Emma Weis, Gilbert Schuler.  
May 26: Susan Ann Morris, Verna Schlenker.  
May 27: Kathryn Dunn.  
May 28: Wright Williams, George Grant Jr., Joe McLellan.

CL  
So you thought we were kidding about the rapid growth of the lawn at the school grounds!

CL  
The graduates are not alone in their dreams and ambitions; there are onlookers who are almost as enthusiastic in their hopes for these young people.

CL  
Graphic evidence of this is given in the messages found in the ads within this issue. We hope every one of you graduates read and heed these words of encouragement — we know that they come from the hearts of the firms over whose signatures they appear.

CL  
Understand a number of people went out to the oil well on the state line last Saturday when a oil slush pit ignited with the smoke visible for miles. No gusher this time so guess we'll all continue about our regular tasks of farming or printing or whatnot for awhile yet.

CL  
Still undetermined (so far as we know) is the origin of the explosions heard in the Bojina vicinity Tuesday. Several people reported hearing two loud and distant "claps" with concussion of

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### Rouse Funeral Was Held On Monday

Funeral services for John Edward Rouse, 79 years old, were held Monday afternoon at the Friona Methodist Church. Rev. U. S. Sherrill officiated.

Mr. Rouse was born March 27, 1874 at Shelbyville, Illinois. He was married to Jesse E. Bouie in Cloud Chief, Oklahoma in March, 1910 and moved to Texas in 1928 from Oklahoma. He farmed northwest of Friona.

Death occurred at the family home Saturday afternoon.

Survivors include his wife; one son, Dwight Rouse of Farmington, New Mexico; and three grandchildren.

Burial was in the Friona Cemetery.

### Girl Scout Court Of Honor Slated Sunday

The Friona Girl Scout organization will hold its Court of Awards Sunday afternoon in the auditorium of the Friona High School at 3 o'clock.

Seven girls will receive first class badges, the first time in the history of scouting in Friona that these awards have been given. These girls have won twelve badges and have had at least three years scout membership. They are Doris Jane McFarland, Phyllis Trieder, Loretta O'Brian, Patsy Anthony, Gladys Baxter, Marilyn Gibson and Kathryn Dunn.

Mrs. Anna D. Cook of Clovis, program chairman of the Coronado Area, will present the awards.

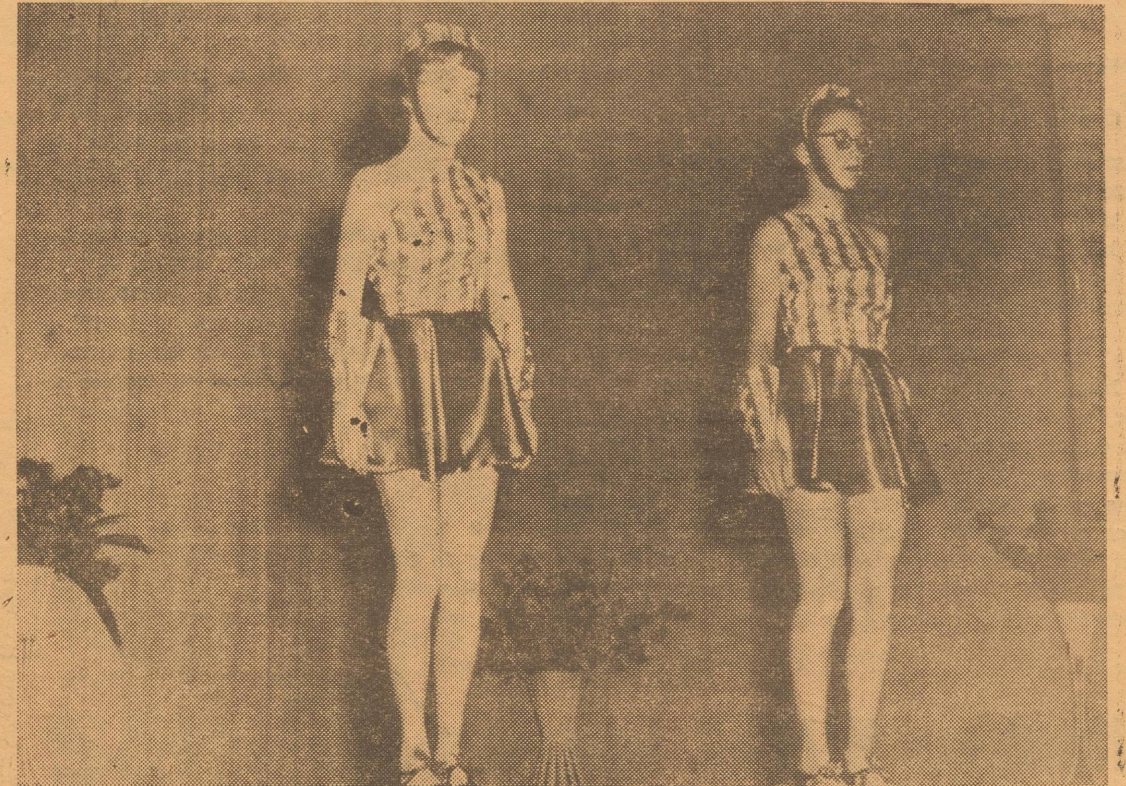
More than fifty girls will participate in the program and the public is invited to attend.

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Fir 2x4's and 2x6's \$7.50 hundred. Friona Lumber Company.



Ira Holt, one of the speakers at the recent FFA Father-Son Banquet, is seen here presenting his report on some of the achievement records of the local organization and individual members.

Seated to the front of Holt is City Manager Roy Wilson, one of the guests at the catfish supper given by the Farmer County Implement Company.



Doris Jane McFarland (left) and Katherine Dunn (right) were two of the talented students presented in the "1953 Stars of Tomorrow" program given before a large audience Monday night by Mrs. Maurine Dunn. In this picture they are in a dance routine entitled "The Stars and Stripes". Piano and tap numbers were presented, with many of the numbers again being given before a Muleshoe audience Tuesday evening.

## These Guided Student Destinies in Friona



Heading the Friona school system again in 1953-54 were (left to right) Superintendent Dalton Caffey, High School Principal Dillie Kelley, and Grade School Principal John Parish. A large number of curriculum and physical building improvements have been effected during their 1953 term.

Graduating in the '53 class are: Patsy Bandy, Wanda Beaty, Katherine Brand, Shirley Coconougher, Oneida Coffman, Sherley Cook, Wayne Cribbs, LaNora Farwell, Arnold Fangman, Shirley Fields.

Tommy Hamilton, Roy Haney, Ira Holt, Calvin Ivie, Beverly Sue Jones, Ben Johnson, M.C. Osborn, Sue Nazworth, David Patterson, George Price, D.O. Robason, Mary Joyce Renner, Darrell Robbins, H.V. Rocky, Lloyd Schueler, and Imogene Shirley.

### Bible School To Begin Saturday

Registration for the Methodist Vacation Church School will be held at the church Saturday, May 30, from 3:30 to 5:00 o'clock. Mrs. Forrest Osborn, director, announces that the school will begin Monday, June 1 and will continue that week with closing exercises Sunday night, June 7.

All children, ages three through twelve, are urged to attend.

Leaders will be Mrs. Gene Anthony, Kindergarten group; Mrs. Arthur Drake, nursery; Mrs. James McLean, primary; Mrs. Howard Ford and Mrs. Joe Moyer, juniors.

Mrs. Kenyth Cass will direct the music.

## See News On Inside Pages

### Chief Drive-In Opens To Capacity Crowd

The newest business in Friona and Farmer County opened this week when the Chief Drive-In Theatre had its premiere showing Tuesday evening before a near capacity crowd.

Owner-manager Marvin Lawson stated that about 400 adults were present in addition to a large number of young folks and children.

Lawson has sent his appreciation for the reception in a message found in his advertisement on the inside pages of this issue.

### Amarillo Funeral Held, Mother of Mrs. Edens

Funeral services were held in Amarillo Saturday for Mrs. Viola Myrtle Mills, 64, mother of Mrs. Tonie Edens of Friona.

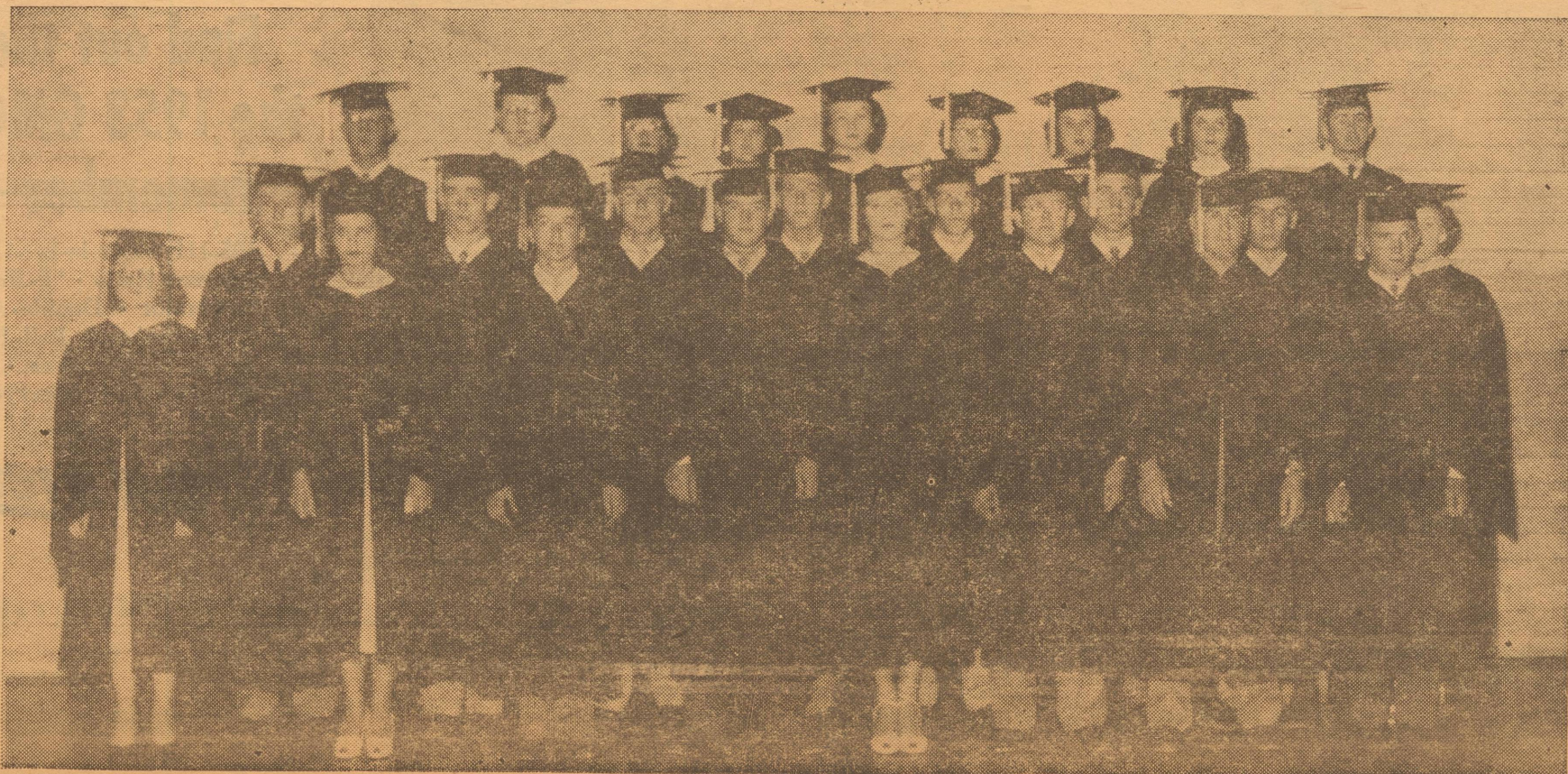
Mrs. Mills suffered a heart attack about a week before her death, and a second one which took her life Thursday night.

Survivors include her husband, seven daughters, one sister, eleven grandchildren, and four great children.

Funeral services were conducted in the Memorial Chapel of the Blackburn-Shaw Funeral Home, and burial was in Memorial Park at Amarillo.

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## Twenty-Six Wear Caps, Gowns in Friona Class of '53



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### The Friona Star—

### Editorially Speaking

"A vigilant press has made the American people the best informed in the world."

### Monday Morning Musings

A Wisconsin editor calls attention to the fact that at one time some strange people must have lived in this country. According to this editor, historians have dug up evidence of a race of people who lived at home, paid their bills and spanked their children when they needed it.

MMM

Have heard a lot of stories about taxes, but here is one we consider most unique though true no doubt. It comes to us from Henry Hazlitt, letter writer extraordinary and feature columnist for such publications as Newsweek.

The other day I met a friend who is a large stockholder in General Motors and he told me a story. A few weeks before, his son had used some

what excessive strength on the mixing valve in his bathroom and broke the handle off. The local plumber couldn't repair it, so he ordered and installed a new valve. The valve turned out to cost \$23.50. The installation, at \$4 an hour, brought the total up to \$100.

That sounded steep enough, but it was not until my friend had made some mental calculations that he realized how steep it really was. His income falls into the 90 per cent tax bracket. So he figured that in order to acquire the \$100 with which to pay this plumber's bill, he had to receive 1,000 in dividends from General Motors. (For the benefit of the non-mathematical, \$1,000 in dividends minus \$900 in taxes on them leaves \$100 to pay a plumber's bill.)

But this is only the beginning. In order to pay \$1,000 in dividends, General Motors has to earn more than \$4,000 before taxes. (General Motors earned \$1,502,000,000 before payment of taxes in 1952. It had to pay \$943,000,000 in taxes leaving it \$559,000,000 in net income, out of which it paid \$362,000,000 in dividends. So for every \$1,000 it paid out in dividends, it had to earn \$4,149 before taxes.)

But in order to earn \$4,149 before taxes, General Motors had to sell \$21,570 worth of cars — say eighteen Chevrolets — to its dealers. (GM total sales and income in 1952 amounted to \$7,645,000,000.) To sum up, because of cost and tax erosion in order for my stockholding friend to replace a bathroom valve, General Motors had to make and sell eighteen Chevrolets.

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Why is it that the news most people seem to prefer reading is that which they would least like to see about themselves?

## "Mile After Mile You'll Prefer Shamrock"



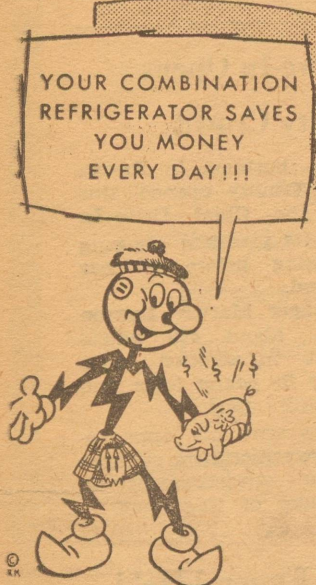
A registered nurse drives a lot at night... in good weather and bad. She needs a gasoline that's dependable... quick and sure to start. SHAMROCK gasoline is fast firing, quick starting. Try it, you'll find that MILE AFTER MILE YOU'LL PREFER SHAMROCK.

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### Asleep On The Deep

## WASHINGTON AND "Small Business"

—By C. WILSON HARDER

Another great Prime Minister of England, Disraeli, once said, "Lather a man before you shave him." There is a great deal of evidence that this advice has remained as British policy.

And at the present time, it points up one of the most serious situations facing the new Administration.

That situation is briefly this:

In Canada, the American dollar is being discounted. This condition is even reflected in the cost of newspaper.

In the meantime, in the new Congress, members of the majority party cannot decide among themselves on the merits of scrapping controls, reducing taxes. Despite ample evidence government controls, plus high taxes, have done great injury to the progress of independent business.

Before the election, there was strong agreement that control, high taxes should end now.

Then the British Prime Minister arrives in this nation, has secret conferences.

It may be sheer coincidence, but immediately after these visits, some leaders of the majority party in Congress express themselves that perhaps too much haste should not be exercised in cutting taxes, ending controls.

There are also these facts.

Although the United Kingdom is receiving half of the aid given Europe, supposedly as a measure to help in the common defense, with Russia supposedly the nation that defense against is

needed, British business with Russia is increasing.

In 1952 Britain exported manufactured goods worth \$10 million to Russia, and in the first ten months of the year, British exports of rubber to Russia amounted to \$84.5 million versus only \$5 million in 1950.

Now it is understood that Britain will sell even more rubber to Russia directly through London, instead of through Singapore.

In the meantime, MSA continues to ship scarce materials to the United Kingdom. MSA Bulletin No. 215 reports on a recent day that copper bought in Canada was given to the U. K.

But in Canada, the American dollar is now being discounted.

On the following day, MSA sends a big shipment of the U. S. supplies of tin plate to Tito's Communist Yugoslavia.

This action was taken just a short time after the National Production Authority virtually put out of business a small independent packer of dog foods in San Francisco because it had used more tin to meet the demand for the company products than NPA had allocated.

Today, in Washington there is wavering, even among those who were the loudest opponents of controls, of high taxes, other evils.

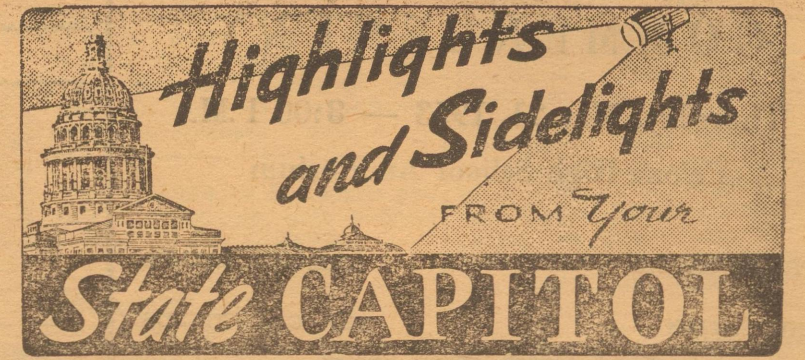
It doesn't seem possible that a visit from an elderly politician from England could cause this wavering. In Washington there is a strong sentiment for appointment of a committee to investigate and reveal the extent of foreign influence in government in much the same way that the Communist plans in America are being exposed.

## Outboard Races Train Italian PT Boat Commanders



In an unusual method of training future PT boat commanders, the Italian Navy sponsors stock outboard races for officer trainees. In order to make sure that the outcome of the races will depend solely on driving skill, the boats were constructed from identical plans, modeled after the American Power Boat Association's popular B Stock Hydro class. In addition, the boats are powered by identical Mercury outboard motors with Quicksilver lower units. Trainees are assigned boats by drawing numbers from a hat. Italian Navy spokesmen assert that trainees learn more about the effects of wind and waves on small craft through these outboard races than would ordinarily be gained by years of experience on larger boats. Racing forms a major part of a course in fast boat handling, and is compulsory for men destined to serve on torpedo boats.

# Austin - Washington Comments ..



By VERN SANFORD  
Texas Press Association

Austin, Tex. — Wednesday May 27, has been set by the Legislature as the date for final adjournment.

This makes it a relatively short session — only 15 days past the allotted 120 days.

This Legislature has been notable for its refusal to pass new taxes, despite pressure from the teachers for salary increases.

In the closing days members worked on a compromise measure to give the teachers \$306 more per year, rather than the \$585 they had demanded.

Payment of the increase would come from a natural gas tax bill passed two years ago, but held up by court tests.

Recently the State Supreme Court held the tax to be valid.

TPA

Compromise legislation includes points urged by Governor Allan Shivers: it would bring pay raises of state employees and college teachers up to \$300 per year and provide money for new state buildings for the prison system, deaf school, medical and dental schools of the University of Texas and Texas Southern University.

Representative Joe Kilgore of McAllen is the author of the bill. Kilgore said the money involved in the bill is within the amount the state will receive if and when the gas tax is finally declared to be valid.

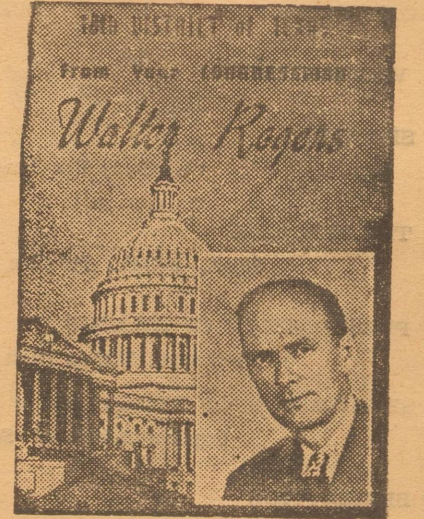
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Under the compromise pay bill, supervisors and counselors would be dropped from the state payroll after one year. It is estimated this part of the Gilmer-Aikin program has cost about \$2,500,000 per year.

In support of this change, Representative Floyd Bradshaw of Weatherford said that these specialists often duplicate the work of superintendents and principals.

Representative Maurice Pipkin of Brownsville took the opposite view on the change. He thinks counselors are good for public school students.

"I'd had a counselor in



TO THE PEOPLE OF THE 18TH DISTRICT

FROM YOUR CONGRESSMAN  
WALTER ROGERS

Washington, D. C.  
May 15, 1953

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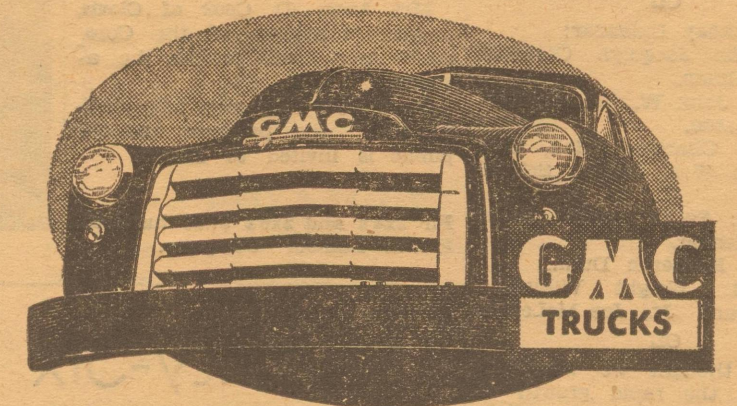
FIREPOWER: You will hear and read much in the next few months about economics, proposed economies, budget balancing, tax reduction, the elimination of waste and graft, and other incidental items. It presently appears from the recent announcements of congressional leaders that the proposals to balance the budget and reduce taxes will be confined to talk for about two years. These announcements are confirmed by action that is being taken by Congress on the appropriations bills. These bills are coming to the House Floor and sailing through after relatively short debate and with too little time for the entire House membership to study them. Most of them still provide for a substantial portion of the services that the federal government has been called upon to perform in the last two decades: the big guns being in the construction and not the administrative field.

A good example is the appropriations bill for the Department of Interior, which includes the Bureau of Reclamation. The Department of Interior is the caretaker of the real property of the

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## Get a lot more truck!



### Find out the low cost of the 1953 GMC Pickup. Then remember—it includes:

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Highlights—

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school I might not be here in the Legislature," Pipkin quipped. Senators battled with a House passed bill relaxing the car inspection law. An amendment was adopted which exempts from inspection trailers with a load capacity of 4,000 pounds or less. This was for the benefit of farm trailer operators.

Senator Carlos Ashley of Llano, who sought outright repeal of the inspection law, argued bitterly against the House bill.

He claimed that speed carelessness and drunk driving are the main causes of highway accidents.

"More people caught hell on this car inspection law than any other thing in the history of Texas politics," he exclaimed.

According to Senator Dorsey Hardeman of San Angelo the state doesn't need an auto inspection law.

"They ought to inspect the heads of the drivers instead of the cars," he said.

Changes in the bill included one dropping the annual inspection rule before a license can be obtained. Another change reduces the number of items to be inspected.

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Both Senate and House considered ways to help the old folks and the handicapped.

House members worked on a bill, approved by the Senate, to increase the ceiling on welfare grants from \$35 million to \$42 million a year.

At the same time the Senate considered final legislative action on an aid bill for persons over 18 who cannot make a living because of mental or physical handicaps. It was proposed that state grants not exceed \$20 monthly and be matched with federal funds two for one.

TPA

A proposed constitutional amendment aimed at making pension rolls public was passed by the Senate. The vote was 26-2. But the proposal must be approved by the voters before it becomes effective.

Proposals to place state mortgages on the homes of old age pensioners were defeated. Senators Gus Strauss, Hallettsville, and Grady Hazlewood, Amarillo, who supported the moves, said this was an effort to take the "chiselers" off the public pay roll.

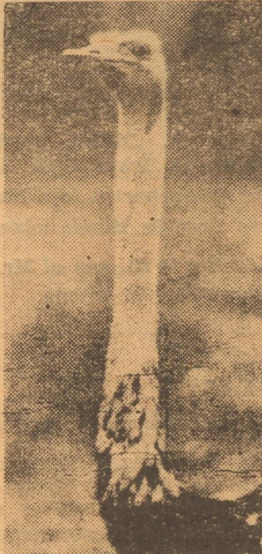
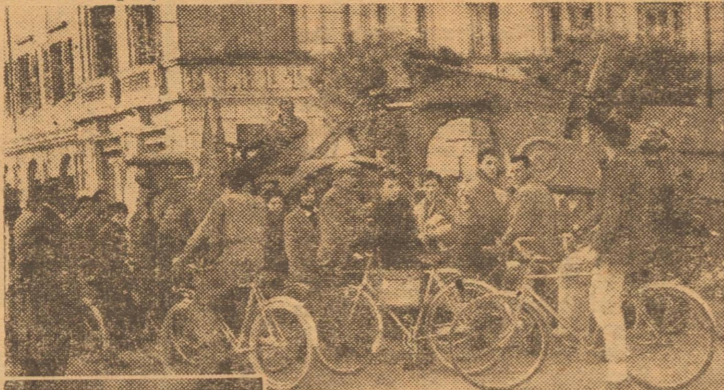
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The Legislature has authorized the fixing of open seasons on deer as well as bucks in Gillespie, Kerr and Mason Counties.

The governor has approved a bill allowing the Texas Game and Fish Commission to set seasons and bag limits on deer in this area. The bill will become effective 90 days after the Legislature adjourns.

NATIONAL VIEWS & NEWS

BICYCLE-RIDING population in Udine, Italy, stares popted at a 24-ton Caterpillar DW21 Tractor-Scraper enroute from Trieste to Bologna. Police escort sped the huge earthmover to dike construction project on the Po River.



DEEP-THROATED chuckle is heard from this ostrich in Chicago's Brookfield Zoo when someone commented that he has three feet more pain than a human when his throat tickles. Jokes about ostriches are a pain in the neck, says Mr. Neck.



CINDERELLA GIRL of CBS-TV, sparkling Lynn Connor rocketed to spot on Bert Parks' quiz show within a few weeks along with becoming potential RKO star and heavily booked Conover model. She's five-foot one, hazel-eyed and talented.

Adlai Stevenson last year are already planning a comeback in 1954.

An informal strategy meeting was held this week at a Lake Buchanan lodge near Burnet. Invitations were sent to leaders who supported the Stevenson Sparkman ticket in the presidential race.

Governor Shivers, titular head of the party organization, and U. S. Senator Price Daniel campaigned for Eisenhower. Both were elected by the Republicans and Democrats under cross-filing procedures. The Legislature has been under heavy pressure to outlaw cross-filing of candidates.

The Stevenson backers are believed planning a candidate for governor, prior to the next state convention in September of 1954.

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SHORT SNORTS: Governor Shivers had proclaimed June as Dairy Month in Texas. . . . Coke R. Stevenson Jr., administrator of Texas Liquor Control Board, has been named vice president of the National Conference of State Liquor Administrators. . . . He is scheduled to be named president at the organization's convention next year at San Francisco. . . . The Senate passed a bill aimed at more protection for postmen against dog bites, city dogs, that is. Dog owners would be made liable for civil damages in such cases. Towns under 25,000 population and rural areas would be exempt under the proposal.

TPA

Journalists of the state met in Austin the past week-end for the first annual statewide meeting of the professional chapter of Sigma Delta Chi in Texas. At the opening session the group named Jack Butler of the Ft. Worth Star-Telegram as president.

Quebec, North Shore and Labrador Ore Cars to Roll on Timken Bearings



ABOVE—A worker demonstrating the ease with which a Timken-Roller-Bearing-equipped ore car can be moved.

LEFT—Some of the rough eastern Canadian terrain over which the Quebec, North Shore & Labrador Railroad is being built.

The Quebec, North Shore and Labrador Railway has placed an order for 32,000 roller bearings with The Timken Roller Bearing Company. Every ore car on its line, or a total of 2,000, 97-ton ore cars, will each be equipped with sixteen Timken bearings. The first road to equip one hundred per cent of its freight cars with roller bearings, The Quebec, North Shore and Labrador Railway is scheduled for completion in 1954.

Prior to receipt of the order for bearings, the Timken Company conducted an exhaustive economic study which compared the costs of friction bearings with roller bearings. The study showed conclusively that roller bearings assured substantially longer service with much lower maintenance costs than did the friction type bearing. The results of this study assisted The Quebec, North Shore and Labrador Railway in its decision to select Timken tapered roller bearings for its iron ore cars.

The railroad will extend 357 miles north from the St. Lawrence River at Seven Islands, Quebec, to within only 850 miles of the Arctic Circle, through some of the roughest terrain on the continent of North America. The line will connect Labrador iron ore deposits, being developed by The Iron Ore Company of Canada, with the St.

Lawrence River. Hollinger Hanna Limited is the operating agent of The Iron Ore Company of Canada, a company comprised of the Hanna Coal & Ore Corporation, Hollinger Consolidated Gold Mines, Ltd., National Steel Corporation, Wheeling Steel Corporation, The Youngstown Sheet and Tube Corporation, Armco Steel Corporation and The Republic Steel Corporation.

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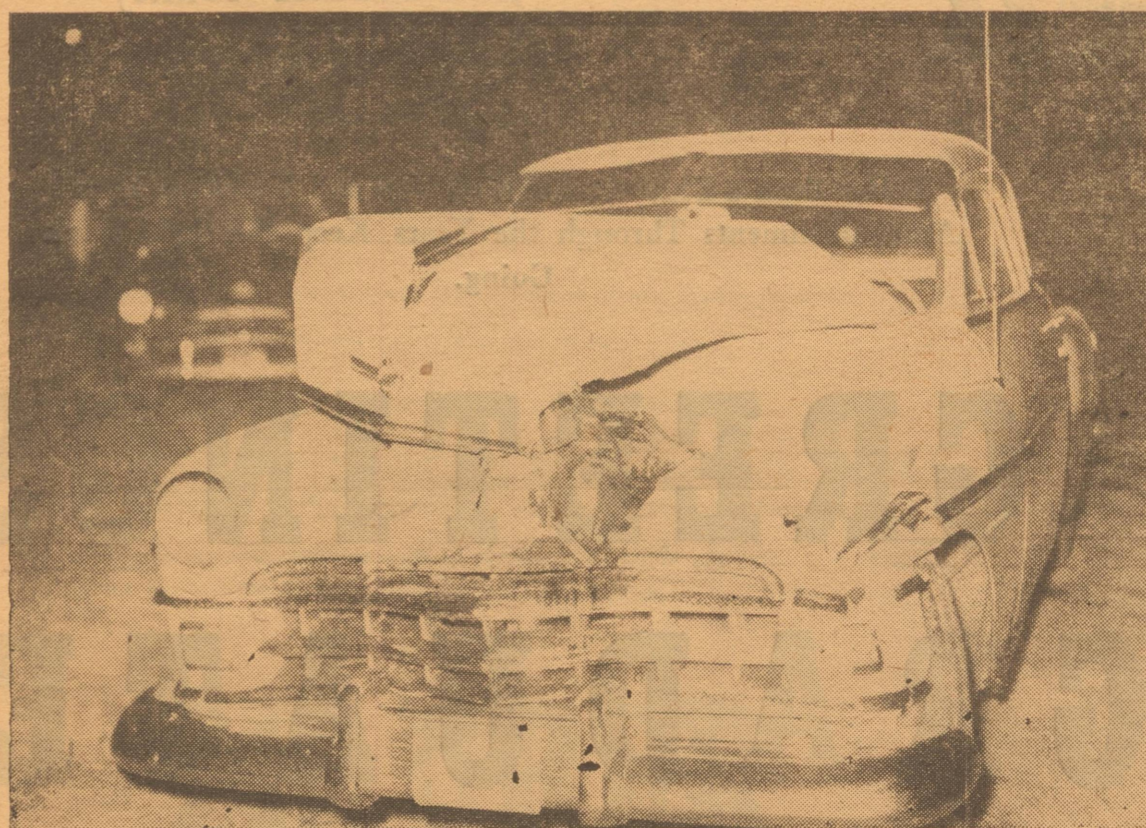
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Another bill signed into law permits life insurance benefits to be made payable to business associates of the insured. Formerly, business associates were not considered to have "an insurable interest."

Efforts in the Senate to remove District Judge C. Woodrow Laughlin of Alice from office were killed. But plans to seek State Supreme Court action were announced by Senator William H. Shireman of Corpus Christi.

Opponents of the move argued that the proper way to oust a judge from office would be through the courts. This method requires 10 lawyers to petition the Supreme Court for a review of misconduct charges.

Judge Laughlin was elected last year with the aid of George B. Parr political boss in the Duval County area. Texas Democrats who backed



CHICKEN DINNER by Science Features

A generation ago the chicken dinner was something to enjoy only on Sundays and festive occasions. Last year you and other Americans ate 886,000,000 fried chickens. Thanks to modern mass growing methods, chicken has become an every-day dish, fitting easily into the food budget of the average family. Your nutrition and health are the better for it.

However, along with intensive production have appeared new and costly poultry diseases which threaten to disrupt the poultry industry. Unless such diseases are quickly controlled, chicken may revert to its old status as a luxury dish and a rich source of protein will be cut off.

A bright spot in the battle to control poultry diseases is the recent announcement that "air sac" infection of chickens can be cured. This disease, properly known as chronic respiratory disease, has killed millions of dollars worth of broilers and laying hens annually since 1951.

According to Dr. E. T. Simms, chief of the U. S. Bureau of Animal Industry, half the chickens in an infected flock frequently die.

The fight against "air sac" is being won with the help of a new weapon—terramycin. It's the same drug used to treat more than 80 human ailments. In this case, the antibiotic is mixed with mineral oil and injected into the birds.

We may expect the chicken dinner to continue to delight the palate and sustain the health of us all.

CATHOLIC OR JEW FOR PRESIDENT?

If you ask a blunt question you usually get a blunt answer. Asked in a nation-wide survey if they would just as soon vote a Catholic into the U.S. presidency as a man of their own religion, many U.S. Protestants and Jews said "No."

Fifty-one per cent of the 71.1 million adult Protestants and 31 per cent of the 3.5 million Jews gave this answer, the May Catholic Digest reports in an article on religion in American politics.

Catholics, asked if they would vote willingly for a Protestant, were 92 per cent agreed that they would as were 90 per cent of the Jews. This is not, the article points out, proof of less bigotry among these groups. Other indications show that the strong Protestant tradition in this country is readily accepted.

On the question of voting for a Jew for president, 57 per cent of the Catholics reported that they would while only 31 per cent of the Protestants shared their reaction.

"All answers to this critical question seem to indicate that Catholics and Jews are less distrustful of each other than their Protestant neighbors are of them. However, Catholics and Jews must yet convince large numbers of their neighbors that, although they may be different, they are not necessarily less patriotic or less able than others."

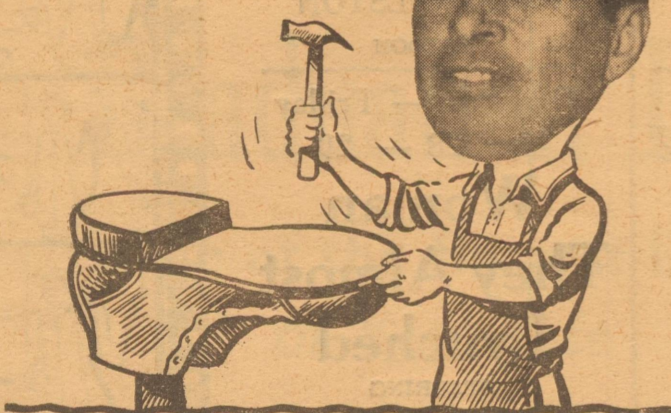
This article on religion in American politics is part of a nationwide survey of U.S. belief and practices conducted by a commercial opinion research firm for the Catholic Digest.

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### STATED MEETING



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Each Month  
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APARTMENTS for rent. Furnished. Walter Loveless. Ph. 2432 1tp

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SCHOOL teacher desires job for summer. Willing to work. Call 3881. 41-tfc

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FOR SALE: JI Case Mower, M. C. Watson. 2 miles south of Friona. 41-1tp

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FOR SALE: Tomato, Pepper, Flower Plants and Hot Caps, Out Flowers. Mrs. J. P. Ward, North Main St., Hereford. 38-tfc.

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Seven-room house, Two L-screned in porches. It's newly finished semi modern, on about 3 1-2 acres joining Friona. Windmill overhead cyprus tank. Three large granaries, barn and out-buildings. Sewer line crossing property. Butane tank.

One M-M UTU Tractor, one Chat-tin ditcher, one aluminum house trailer sleeps 4, heats and cooks with butane. Sell each or all on time, or trade for pickup truck.

Good terms. J. W. PARR 38-2p

WE WANT to list a few good building lots for residence purposes bordering on pavement, and a few just good lots. We also want to list a few quarter sections within a few miles east of Friona. We have for sale a good half section about 7 miles south of Friona, dry.  
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### CITY DRUG

### MISCELLANEOUS

MAN school teacher desires job for summer. Willing to work. Call 3881. 42-tfc

### STAR ADS GET RESULTS

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### Three Frionans Will Graduate at Tech

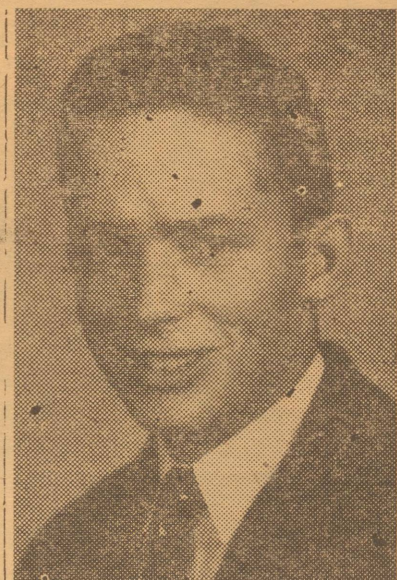
Three of the Texas Tech College candidates for degrees this month are from Friona. Roy V. Miller will receive a Bachelor of Science degree in Agriculture with a major in agricultural education. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Mosely.

Hugh Edward Mosely will receive a Bachelor of Science degree in Agriculture with a major in agricultural education. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. David Mosely. Receiving a Bachelor of Music degree with a major in music education will be Dorothy Gaimn Magness. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Guinn.

A Fort Worth minister and a Ford Motor Company executive make up the commencement speaking team for the 1953 graduating class. Commencement speaker for approximately 643 members of the class of '53 will be Lewis D. Crusoe vice president of the Ford Motor Company. His address is scheduled for 8 p.m. May 25 in Jones Stadium.

Tech's graduating class is somewhat smaller than in previous years. The number includes 505 undergraduate and graduate students who complete requirements in May and 138 students who finished their work in January.

Mrs. Vera Bainum and Phyllis spent the week-end in Amarillo visiting her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. V. G. Cogdill.



Roy V. Miller, receiving his degree at Texas Tech this semester has reported to a Naval Training Base in Rhode Island. Miller is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Miller of Friona.

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air following. Raymond Euler, on the Aubrey Ellison farm at the time, went on in to Bovina and though most everyone heard the noise—there was no explanation.

Wonder if it couldn't have been the maneuvering of jets from nearby bases. Understand at super-speed pull-outs.

### K. P. A. N. RADIO LOG

#### WEEKDAYS

- A. M.
- 6:30—March Time
  - 6:45—Breakfast Time Frolic
  - 7:15—News
  - 7:30—Tomorrow's Kits
  - 7:45—Gen Griffin At The Organ
  - 8:00—Local and Texas News
  - 8:10—According To The Record
  - 8:15—Morning Melodies
  - 8:45—Son's of The Pioneers
  - 9:00—News
  - 9:15—Harmony Lane
  - 9:30—Church of Christ
  - 9:45—Margarets Meanderings
  - 10:00—Sesame Secret
  - 10:15—Homemakers Harmonies
  - 10:45—Teen Age Record Review
  - 1:00—Organais
  - 1:15—Morning Devotional
  - 11:35—Musical Varieties
  - 11:45—Chuckwagon Gang on Hymn Time
  - 12:00—Texas News
  - 12:05—Commentary
  - 12:10—Eddie Arnold
  - 12:15—Trading Post
  - 12:30—News
  - 12:45—Western Ramblers
  - 1:00—Tops in Pops
  - 4:35—Western Jubilee
  - 5:45—Sports
  - 5:00—U. P. War Analysis

# THANK YOU!

Words cannot express our true appreciation for the reception accorded us on our opening night, Tuesday, at the Chief, Parmer County's first Drive-in Theatre.

The best way we know to return the favors and merit your continued trade and confidence is in showing the best pictures we can obtain, at the same time rendering a service in our snack bar and trying in every way to say "Welcome" to every patron.

Very sincerely,  
MARVIN LAWSON.

## Parmer County Implement Co. NEWS

Friona, Texas — May 21, 1953

Greetings Graduates of Friona and Parmer County 1953



It Has Been a Pleasure Boosting You and Watching Your Accomplishments Through the Years. Keep the Good Work Going.

# GREETINGS GRADUATES 1953

Saturday Only  
May 23  
**Silver City**

STARRING  
EDMUND O'BRIAN  
YVONNE DeCARLO

ALSO CARTOON

Tuesday - Wednesday  
May 26-27

**The Lone Hand**

STARRING  
JOEL McCREA  
BARBARA HALE  
CARTOONS

Sunday — Monday  
May 24-25  
**Fair Wind to Java**

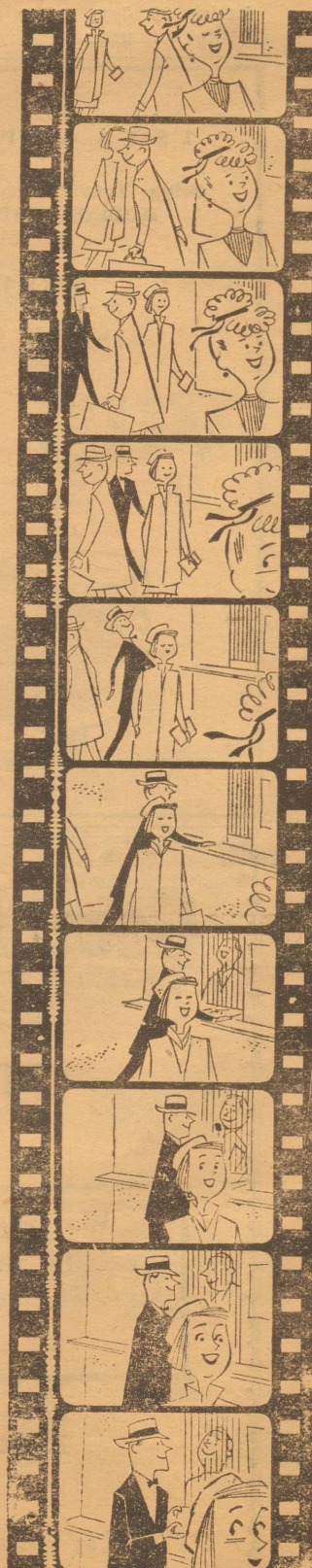
STARRING  
FRED MacMURRAY  
VERA RALSTON

CARTOON

Thursday — Friday  
May 28 — 29

**Woman They Almost Lynched**

STARRING  
JOHN LUND  
JOAN LESLIE  
CARTOONS



# CHIEF DRIVE-IN

ADMISSION PRICES  
ADULTS 50c  
CHILDREN UNDER 12 FREE  
WHEN WITH PARENTS

Cartoons and News Begin at 8:00 P.M.

# TORNADOES - How to Anticipate And What to Do

This is the tornado season in the Central and South Central States. Already there have been two tornadoes of major proportions in Texas and several smaller ones. Here is some information about the violent storms that might prove beneficial.

1. Tornadoes are not peculiar to Texas. They have occurred in every state in the Union. They are more common in the central United States.

2. A tornado is usually seen as a spinning funnel-shaped cloud, extending toward the earth from the base of a thunderhead. When close by, it sounds like the roar of hundreds of airplanes. Oftentimes the funnel cloud is obscured by rain dust or low clouds, or cannot be seen because of darkness. Sometimes two or more funnels may be seen in the cloud; or it may be barrel shaped or like a huge elephant's trunk.

3. Familiar thunderstorm clouds are present. An hour or two before a tornado the under part of the clouds may be seen bulging down instead of up. Often there is a greenish-black color to the clouds. Rain and hail often accompany the tornado. The funnel-shaped cloud of a tornado should not be confused with a low or ragged cloud remnants which frequently are seen hanging down from the main cloud, often where the visible cloud leaves off and the uncertain of rain begins.

4. Tornadoes are localized. They usually cover a very limited area. Most tornadoes are less than a block wide. A few have had paths over 2 miles in width, but this is unusual. Tornado paths are usually short, less than five miles long. Because they are extremely localized, the chances for tornadoes striking a given area are very slight. Most Texans will never see nor ever experience a tornado in their entire lifetimes.

5. Tornado damage varies greatly with the storm and where it strikes, and many tornadoes cause little or no damage and no loss of life nor injuries.

6. Tornadoes have occurred every month of the year but about two-thirds of all tornadoes occur between April 8 and June 9.

7. Tornadoes are most likely to occur in the late afternoon or early evening. Thirty-five per cent of all tornadoes occur between 3 p.m. and 6 p.m. Twenty-nine per cent between

6 p.m. and 9 p.m. Less than one-fourth of all tornadoes occur during school hours, 8 a. m. to 4 p.m.

8. Tornadoes usually move from southwest to northeast; less frequently from west to east. Tornado spotters should particularly keep watch in these directions. There are exceptions — they have moved from practically every direction. In some few cases they have traveled almost in a circle.

9. Tornadoes moves forward at a rate usually from 15 to 40 miles per hour average, but the rate of progress has been somewhat less as well as much greater.

10. Warnings about an approaching tornado are seldom possible longer than an hour in advance, usually less and sometimes only a few minutes, but despite any disadvantage occasioned by a brief warning period, the warnings can be extremely effective in saving human lives.

11. School officials should become familiar with factual information regarding the characteristics of tornadoes safety precautions to be taken in case a tornado is sighted in their immediate locality, and recommended procedure to be followed when forecasts and warnings are in effect and until an "All Clear" advisory is issued. The same suggestion holds for the public in general.

12. In the great majority of cases, the tornado affects less than one-tenth of 1 per cent of the "warned area" and is seen by less than 1 per cent of the population. Safety precautions generally need not be taken until the tornado cloud is seen or local community warning given or until unusually threatening thunderstorm type clouds are observed.

13. School officials and instructors have a special responsibility to remain calm and thus prevent school children from becoming excited. Do not wait until a storm is approaching but have a prearranged plan well thought out beforehand and be ready to carry it out should the necessity arise. It would be a good plan to have two or more good pictures of tornadoes in action in Texas or nearby states in order that school children and others might easily and easily recognize such a storm, either while in attendance or in going home from school.



Miss Melissa Elizabeth Blackwell

### Engagement Revealed Of Former Frionan

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Blackwell of Corpus Christi have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Melissa Elizabeth, to Second Lieutenant William S. Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson of Fort Smith, Ark.

The wedding will take place June 5 in the Chapel at Fort Sill, near Lawton, Oklahoma.

The Blackwell family will be remembered by many as one time residents of Friona moving to Corpus Christi several years ago.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

### ADMITTED

- Mrs. Paul Spring—OB—Friona.
- Mrs. O. L. Lambert—medical—Friona.
- Mrs. T. K. Baten — medical—Follett, Tex.
- Troy Christian— medical—Farwell.
- Mrs. J. L. Ivy—medical—Friona.
- Mrs. Tiny Walling—OB—Bovina.
- Mr. T. D. Stanberry—medical—Bovina.
- Mrs. A. L. Carlton—OB—Friona.
- Mrs. A. L. Stokes—OB—Friona.
- Mrs. Lucille Collier—medical—Friona.
- Mrs. W. R. Mabry—OB—Friona.

### DISMISSED

- Mrs. Curtis Murphree.
- Mrs. Glenn Floyd and baby girl.
- Mrs. Burke McGee and baby girl.
- Mrs. Jack Lane and baby girl.
- Mrs. O. L. Lambert.
- Troy Christian.
- Mrs. Hershel Johnson.
- Mr. B. T. Galloway.
- Mrs. T. K. Baten.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Sanders returned Tuesday from Ohio where they had gone to attend the funeral of her father.

## Jones Gives Hints, Bindweed Control

County Agent Joe Jones this week again urged farmers of this area to declare war on bindweed. The plant, which is known as possession vine, spreads by both root and seed.

Small lots of 1-2 acre or less are a constant source of infestation for surrounding area so when bindweed is found in small patches, it should be eradicated, regardless of cost. Jones says. Once bindweed makes a crop of seed and the seeds are turned under, there is the possibility that it will take as long as 40 years to rid the group of the seeds as the plants have been known to come up after such a long time.

Cultural practices to prevent the spread of bindweed should be followed, when cultivating through plots of the weed. However, before eradication can be accomplished, farmers will probably have to resort to either selective or non-selective herbicides. When non-selective herbicides are used, farmers should realize the rate it takes to kill bind weed will leave the soil bare and unproductive for a limited period of time. This depends on the soil and what is used, Jones adds.

The county agent lists one lb. of 2-4-D Ester per acre mixed with a sufficient amount of water to cover the acres, to thin out stands of bindweed. This should be applied when the weed is in the bud or bloom stage and is actively growing.

The Agent goes on to say be sure to get the weed along the road ditches and fence row as they are always a source of infestation. He further states that 2-4-D is very dangerous when used around Cotton, Gardens and trees so be careful when using.

For blueweed per acre, Jones says farmers should use two lbs. of 2-4-D Aneme acid, 39 gallons of water, one gallon of diesel fuel and an emulsifier such as Dref to cause the water and oil to go into solution. This weed should also be actively growing.

The weed should be actively growing for the process to be effective.



Lucky Visitors at Friona Motor Party

These received special awards at the Ford Family Party recently held in Friona by the Friona Motor Company Jim and Oscar Baxter, owners. Picture left to right are John Gosnell, Bill Gibson Jimmie Tedford, W. A. Tinney, Jr., Mrs. Alvin Gaines, and Mrs. H. L. Outland. The awards are placed on the table to the front.

## Irrigation Well Data Withheld by Farmers

Several farmers who were issued permits for irrigation wells have not provided the log and registration data they agreed to when the permits were issued according to Raymond Euler, Farmer County Water Conservator.

This latter data is necessary for the permit is legally approved, as it is promised in a statement on the permit signed by the applicant. There have been some reports of wells being drilled without a permit. It is possible that in the future such well owners will have complications requiring that they shut down.

The permit, properly executed, protects a well owner from such wells drilled since February 1, 1953.

A possibility. Actually the Water District can cause operators of 1953 without a permit, to cease pumping. It is illegal to drill any well that may produce 100,000 gallons of water per day without first securing a permit.

Moving, or even deepening an existing well, requires the exact proposed location and existing wells and hi-points within one-half mile can secure a permit in less than half a day normally.

The committee wishes to express its appreciation to the majority who have been very cooperative in completing their arguments, and asks that those who have not done so comply immediately so it will not be necessary to notify them individually.

There is a 120 day limitation from the date of issuance of permit until the drilling operation should begin. Extension can be secured by submitting to the committee reasons why drilling has not begun.

### CARD OF THANKS

It is with sincere appreciation that we extend our thanks to all of you for the kind and beautiful expressions of sympathy and comfort in our recent bereavements. The untimely passing of each of our fathers would have been near unbearable without your prayers and words of comfort.

May God's richest blessings abide with each of you.

Mr. and Mrs. Lyndon Sanders

Mrs. Fred White was in Mule shoe Wednesday to see the dentist.

## GREETINGS GRADUATES

# May 21 Is One of the Truly BIG Days of Your Life

AND NOW THAT THE TIME HAS COME TO DECIDE YOUR FUTURE COURSE, MAY EACH OF YOU ADOPT THESE TEN POINTS WHICH EVERY TRUE AMERICAN SHOULD LIVE BY.

1. Live at all times in fellowship with God.
2. Live in true comradeship with humanity.
3. Let all your dealings with your fellow man be gentle, generous and just.
4. Scorn what is petty mean and contemptible.
5. Be careful in speech and act.
6. Be loyal to your own convictions, yet tolerant of others' fidelity to theirs.
7. Keep your self-respect, self-control and self-reliance.
8. Have the courage to face ingratitude and not be bitter.
9. Have the heart to lend a helping hand; to extend the handclasp of sympathy and to speak a word of encouragement.
10. Keep your personal appearance at all times up to proper standards and have the strength to live up to the fullness of your possibilities.

## Graduation Day One of the Biggest Days of Your Life

There will be others. Days that will live in your memory, as step by step . . . mile by mile — year by year you progress through life, improving with knowledge, learning by experience as you go.

The foundation of this business is experience and knowledge, blended with service. It is available to each of you whenever you feel you need it.

# REEVE Chevrolet Company

# MAURER MACHINERY CO.

## FRIONA



# Courthouse Records

## INSTRUMENTS FILED WEEK ENDING MAY 16

County Clerk's Office  
Farmer County

Ab. of Judgment Muleshoe Liquefied Gas Co. L. F. Bruns & Fred Bruns.

D.T. Ben Foster, et us Warren M. Holmes, Tr. W 12 Sec. 81, Thos. Kelly Sub.

Cert. District Clerk, Farmer Co. Public.

Change of Depository Veterans Land Board Union Producing Co. W 12 Sec. 2 28, Blk. "C" Rhea.

Change of Depository Tom S. Breedlove, Union Producing Co. W 12 Sec. 28, Blk. "C" Rhea.

Depository Luther H. Edwards Union Producing Co. W 12 Sec. 28, Blk. "C" Rhea.

Depository Ivy L. Holt Union Producing Co. W 12 Sec. 23, Blk. "C" Rhea.

"C" Rhea.

Part Rel. Fed Land Bk. E. M. Ruslinca 7 A. out of NW 12 Sect. 1, T-3-S, R-3-E.

Ab. of Judgment S. E. Cone Grain & Seed Co. B. N. Koelzer. Ab. of Judgment Houston Lumber Co. Felix Monroe.

D. T. Trans. Loyd Cayson Jones, Weldon Dickson, Sam Aldridge, F. F. S. & L. Assn. Lot 5, Blk. 16, Friona. Lot X, Blk. 16, Friona.

D. T. H. W. Carpenter, et ux, W. P. Hiltabrand Tr. N 2-3 of N E 1-2 of Sec. 85 Thos. Kelly Blk. H.

Rel. J. D. Carpenter, Jr. H. W. Carpenter, et ux, Thos. Kelly Blk. H.

Assign D. H. Sneed, John Hancock Mutual Life Ins. Co. Thos. Kelly Blk. H.

M.M. Lien Arnod Hromas, et ux, Farmer Co. Pump Co. E 12

Sec. 33. Syn. Blk. "B" Rel. Conn. Gen. Life Ins. Co. L. R. Vincent.

W. D. C.G. Landrum, R. B. Rundell, Lot 21, Blk. 5, Farwell.

ROW Raymond Melnee, J. R. Southward, N 1-2 of L. K. Snellson Sub.

Affi. Dale McCuan, et ux. Public W 1-2 Sec. 27 Blk. "A" Syn.

Trans. B. D. Garland, Citizens Nat'l Bank W 12 Sec. 27, Blk. "A" Syn.

Affi. Desig. Home. Fred bruns, et ux, Amicable.

D. T. Jesse F. Landrum et ux, Sam Aldridge, Tr. Lots 27 & 28, Blk. 28 Farwell.

W. D. Ernest Kube, et ux, Jesse Landrum, Lots 27, & 28, Blk. 28 Farwell.

Home Desig. Jesse F. Landrum et ux. Public Lots 13, 14, 15 & 16, Blk. 5, Farwell.

Trans. C. E. Layne, The Citizens Nat'l Bank Lubbock, SE 1-4 Sec. 88, Blk. "H" Kelly.

D.T. C. D. Gustin, et ux, Edward N. Maker, Tr. SE 14 Sec. 88, Blk. "H" Kelly.

Affi. C. D. Gustin et ux, et al. Public, SE 1-4 Sec. 88, Blk. "H" Kelly.

Affi. John Aldridge, Public, N 1-2 of NW 14 Sec. 27 Blk. "B" Syn.

W.D. Roy R. Ivey, Veterans Land Board, 83a. out of NW 14 Sec. 27, Syn. Blk. "B"

Cont. Amos T. Shockey, Veterans Land Board, Syn. Blk. "B"

D. T. Douglas L. Carver et ux, Sam Aldridge, Tr. Lots 9, 10 &

W. D. Carl Rea, et ux Douglas SW 1-4 Lot 8, Blk. 79, Bovina. L. Carver, Blk. 79, Bovina, Lot 8, Blk. 79, Bovina.

Subord. Carl Rea, F.F. S & L Assn. Lots 9, 10 & SW 1-4 Lot 8, Blk. 79, Bovina.

Rel. James H. Bradley, R. H. Schueler, Lots 23 & 24 Blk. 22 Friona.

Rel. Brown & Root, Inc. Robert Shueler, Lot 13, Blk. 22, Friona. D.T. G. L. Mingus et ux, Holt Massey, Tr. N 12 Sect. 26, T-3-S, R-3E.

ental Div. rdre, J. A. Wallace

# Star Recipes

## RECIPE OF THE WEEK

### Quick Raisin Loaf

- 2 1-2 cups flour
- 2 tablespoons sugar
- 3 teaspoons baking powder
- 12 teaspoon salt
- 12 teaspoon cinnamon.
- 1 cup milk
- 2 eggs beaten
- 4 tablespoons melted butter or margarine
- 1 1-2 cups raisins.

Lien M. C. Watson, et ux, J. G. et al Placid Oil Co. McFarland, NW 1-4 Sect. 15, T-4, S, R-4 E.

Trans. First Nat'l. Bk., Amarillo James Shelton, N 1-2 Sect. 2, Roberts.

C udg. Frank L. Reed, Jr., Minor T. Oscar Pope, et ux, E. Paul Public.

Home Design Oscar Pope, Et Dague, Tr. Sect. 36-Harding, ux, Connecticut Gen. Life Ins. Co., Lots q & 8, Blk. 39 Friona.

Subord. I. T. Graves, Jr., Conn. Gen. Life Ins. Co.

Lien William E. Thornton et ux W. R. Simpson, S 1-2 Sect. 3, Synd. "A"

D. T. Grady Herington, et ux, E. Paul Dague Tr. Lts 3, 4, 5, 6, 10, 11, 12, 13 & 14 Sect. 28, T-9-S, R-1-E.

Home. Desig. Grady Herington et ux, Conn. Gen. Life Ins. Co. Lots 3, 4, 5, 6 10, 11, 12, 13 & 14 Sect. 28, T-9-S, R-1-E.

Trans. W. R. Simpson, Conn. Gen. Life Ins. Co. Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 10, 11, 12, 13 & 14, Sect. 28, T-9-S, R-1-E.

Trans. John R. Armstrong Conn. Gen. Life Ins. Co. Lots 4, 5, 8, 9 & 10, Sect. 29 T-9-S, R-1-E. Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 11, 12, 13 & 14.

Affi. Grady Herington, et ux Public, Lots 3, 4, 5 6 10, 11, 12, 13, & 14, Sect. 28, T-9-S R-1-E. Affi. John Aldridge et al, Public

Rel. G. C. Buchanan Gordon Guiberson 40.472 A. out of NW 14 Sect. 8, T-4 1-2-S, R 5 E.

D. T. Gordon Guiberson, Edgar W. Lagton.

D. T. Jack Tedford et ux, Sam Aldridge Tr. Lot 10 & N. 6 ft. of lot 9, Blk. 18, Friona.

Trans. & Assign. R. B. Tedford F. F. S. L. A., Lot 10 & N. 6 ft. Massey, Tr. W 1-2 Sect. 6, T-1-W of lot 9 Blk. 18, Friona. R-1-E.

Affi. Marie Harper, et al Public, Part of Roberts Sub.

## Let's Eat This For One Day

### Breakfast

Fresh cubed pineapple, Scrambled eggs, Bacon, Quick Raisin Loaf, Butter or Margarine, Coffee.

### Dinner

Tossed Salad of Garden Fresh Vegetables, French Dressing, Garlic - Butter Bread, Vanilla Ice Cream, Spritz Cookies, Iced Tea.

### Supper

Open Faced Ham Sandwich on Whole-wheat Bread, Baked Irish Potatoes, Relish Tray, Milk.

### Timely Tips

1. Raisins are on the plentiful food lists. Foods that are plentiful are usually economical to serve. Serve raisins often.
2. Raisins contain valuable minerals and vitamins necessary for good health.
3. Raisins fulfill the daily requirements listed on the Texas Food Standard as "Other Fruits."

Speakers for West Texas State College's Baccalaureate services ceremony Monday, May 25, are Rev. Richard B. Clayborne, minister of the First Christian Church of Borger, and Dr. Delyte W. Morris, president of Southern Illinois University. Some 219 candidates for degrees will participate in commencement activities this year.

## Stone Handled Like Eggs



Believe it or not it is just as important to handle those big pieces of stone used for building construction gently as it is in handling an egg shipment. In many ways the chances of expensive damage are greater in the case of stone. It is imperative that every piece of stone arrive in perfect condition since the damage of one small piece can delay construction in the section of the building in which it is going to be used. This is the way Ingal's Stone Company does the job. It employs the trailer illustrated here which is a Fruehauf unit 30 feet long with a gentle gravity torsion tandem suspension. To date the gentle riding of the load due to the easy riding suspension has given a 100-percent perfect delivery of this costly material. The distance over which the stone is hauled is great, the run being from the quarry in Texas to the finishing plant in Bedford, Indiana.

Charles Wayne Bainum of Friona is among the 96 East Texas State college air force ROTC students who have received summer camp orders. Bainum will be stationed at Williams air force base, Chandler, Ariz. Required of all ROTC students who will receive a commission after completing course requirements, the four-week camp are designed to acquaint students with actual air force life. Bainum is a junior business administration major and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles E. Bainum of Friona. He is formerly of Tarleton State college.

## LOCKETT STORMPROOF NO. 1

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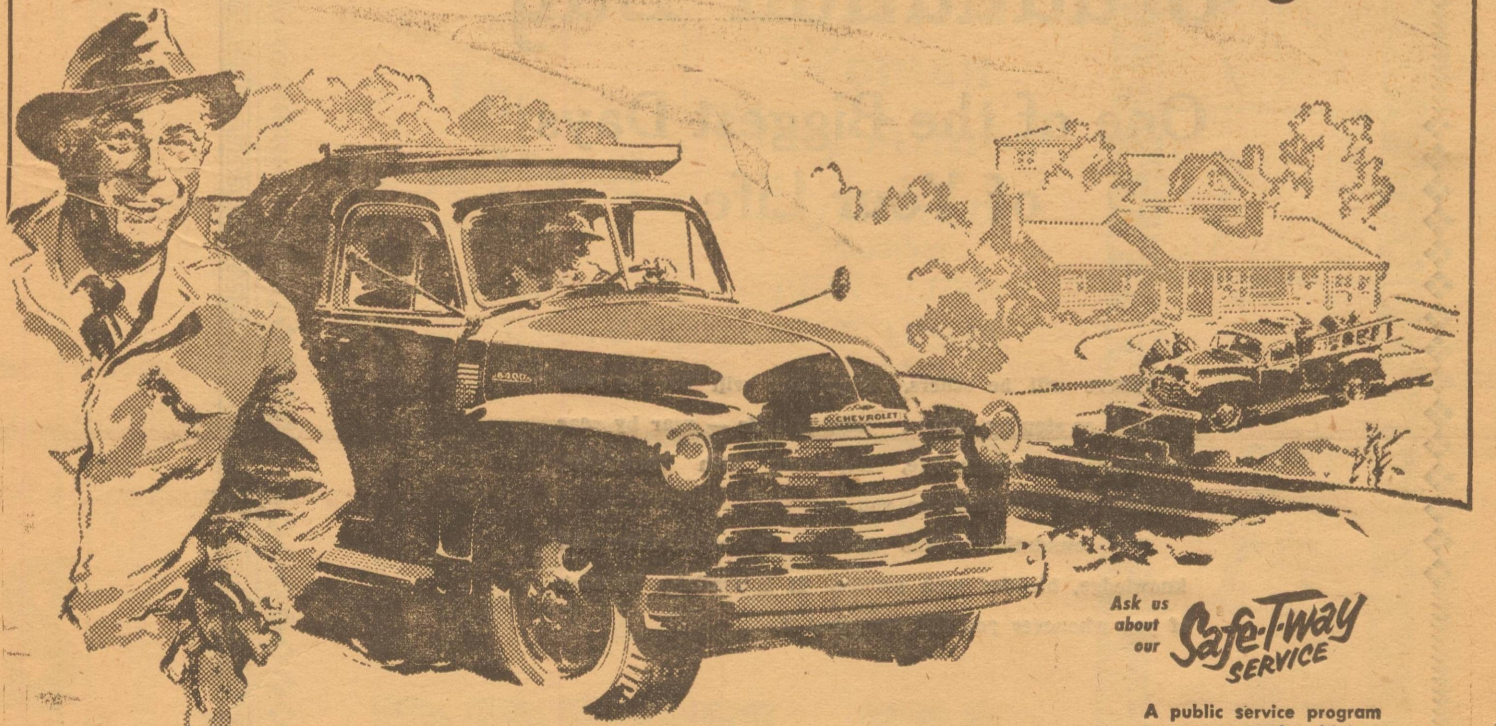
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The farmer would be helpless in our modern economy if he did not have all the services which enable him to produce and sell in a profitable manner. One service which has been offered is a guarantee of a fair price for farm products. This "guarantee" is the parity program - and it has had many ups and downs on the popularity scale of public opinion. Most of those who understand the workings of the program realize its value in maintaining a sound farm price structure. The majority of its opponents have a distorted picture as to its operation and costs.

When a farmer plants his crop, he starts production on goods which will not be ready for market for months or even years. In the meantime, economic or military events can send the sales price of crops soaring or crashing. The price of cotton, for example, will be more affected this fall by talks now going on in Korea than by any other single factor.

Parity price, then, is merely the farmer's equivalent of the laborer's minimum wage law. It helps assure him of a fair price for his time and labor, materials and money, utilized in making a crop.

If market conditions are favorable, he can sell for a profit. But if the market is temporarily gutted and the going price is below his profit margin, he can "sell" to the government at the parity price. As conditions improve and demand increases, the government places these products on the market and redeems the money paid to the farmer.

Opponents often say the program is too expensive. Actually, the cost of the parity program during the last 11 years was \$14

million. This may seem high, but it includes the absorption of the \$50 million loss on the potato program some years ago. Profits on sale of cotton and wheat and other parity products would have shown a net profit of more than \$60 million if it were not for that one disastrous crop.

The \$14 million is not a tremendous price to pay for stabilizing this nation's largest industry. In time, it will pay its own way. A realistic and practical parity program should and must be continued to prevent a re-occurrence of the economic collapse of the 1930's.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Black have gone to Hot Springs, New Mex., vacationing. While they are gone Mr. and Mrs. Merle Black of Pampa are staying here with Earline Black until school closes.

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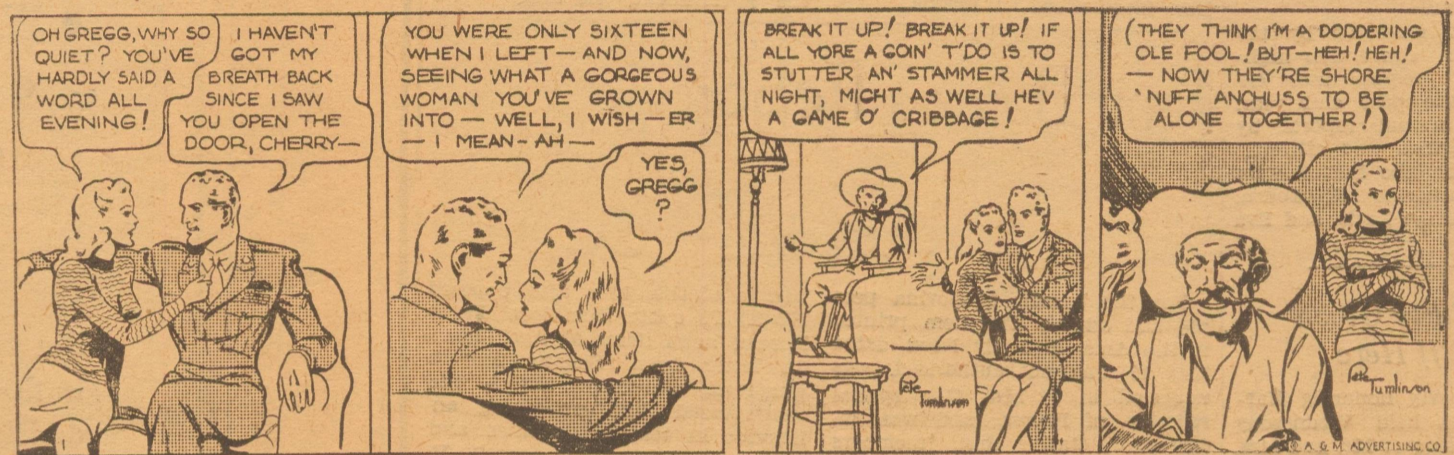
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- RHEA COMMUNITY Baptist Church**  
 Rev. C. M. Fields, Pastor  
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 Preaching ..... 11:00 a. m.  
 Training Union ..... 7:00 p. m.  
 Evening service ..... 8:00 p. m.  
 W. M. U. .... Tues. 3:00 p. m.  
 Sunbeams ..... Tues. 3:00 p. m.  
 Prayer Meeting .. Wed. 8:00 p. m.
- Immanuel Lutheran Church**  
 Church Service ..... 9:30 a. m.  
 Walter League - second and fourth Tuesday of every month.  
 Sunday School .... 10:30 a. m.  
 Ladies Aid - second Thursday of every month.
- Sixth Street Church of Christ**  
 Stanley Lockhart, Minister  
 Sunday school ..... 10:00 a. m.  
 Preaching ..... 11:00 a. m.  
 Training Class .... 7:00 p. m., Sunday  
 Evening service ..... 7:45 p. m.  
 Ladies Bible Class 2:45 p. m. Mondays  
 Prayer Meeting 7:30 p. m. Wednesdays
- Methodist Church**  
 U. S. Sherrill, Minister  
 Sunday School ..... 10 a. m.  
 Morning Worship ..... 11 a. m.  
 MYF 7 p. m.  
 Junior Fellowship 7 p. m.  
 Evening Worship 8 p. m.  
 WSCS meets 2nd and 4th Tuesday 2:30 p. m.  
 WSG meets 1st and 3rd Mondays 7:30 p. m.  
 Prayer Meeting, Weds., 7:30 p. m.  
 Choir Practice Wednesday 8 p. m.
- Congregational Church**  
 George E. Meyer, Minister  
 Sunday School ..... 10:00 a. m.  
 Morning Worship Hour 11 a. m.  
 Pilgrim Fellowship 6:00 p. m.  
 Woman's Fellowship, first and third Wednesdays of each month.  
 Church Family Night ... The first Sunday of each month.
- United Pentecostal Church**  
 Rev. R. W. Willburn, Pastor  
 Sunday School ..... 10:00 a. m.  
 Morning service ..... 11:00 a. m.  
 Evening service ..... 7:30  
 Bible study Wed. 7:30 p. m.  
 Young People .... Fri. 7:30 p. m.
- Church of Christ**  
 Morning service ..... 10:30 a. m.  
 Evening service ..... 8:30 p. m.

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**WALTER ROGERS:**  
 (Continued from page 2)

Government has the responsibility of developing the natural resources. The Appropriations Committee slashed 202 million dollars off the budget estimate of 607 million dollars. 98 million dollars out of the 200 million dollar cut came out of the Bureau of Reclamation funds, 90 million dollar cut represented a reduction in construction, rehabilitation, and matters incident thereto. General administrative expenses were reduced one million dollars. The nature of this cut simply means that there will be a sharp curtailment in maintenance, operation and rehabilitation of existing facilities in this country and a sharp curtailment in the development of our natural resources. At the same time, the taxpayers of this country are being asked to contribute approximately six million dollars in foreign aid. Much of this money will be used for the development of natural resources in the countries to which it is sent. Some may take issue with me on this point and say that the dollars are not used directly for that purpose. Such a statement would be true, but it is only theoretical. What happens is this. The recipients for foreign aid in many instances use their own funds, called counterpart funds, to develop their natural resources. They use the funds furnished by this country for the purposes for which they would have had to use their own the foreign aid. It is sort of a merry-go-round. No one objects funds had this country not sent to helping other countries who are our allies. However, I cannot reconcile the development of the natural resources in other countries at the expense of permitting ours to go unattended. Many of these foreign countries are under a continuing communist threat. Should any of them capitulate, we know that the assets we have provided for those countries would not only be lost to us, but would be used against us.

The cold hard facts that we must face are simply these. The survival of this country from a material standpoint is going to depend upon food, fiber, fuel and firepower. This means that agriculture, the development of our natural resources, and the strengthening of our defenses should be among our top level considerations. The fat should be cut from all of these, but the muscles should not be damaged.

SUBSIDIES: I expect to introduce a resolution within the next few days requesting a full investigation and a definite earmarking of the subsidies enjoyed at the expense of the American taxpayer. One of the most difficult problems at present is to find out the exact amount of subsidies being paid, who gets them, and why. It is high time that the American taxpayer had this information boiled down to a dollar and cent standpoint. It can then be determined which are justified and which should be reduced or abolished. I feel that if can be gathered together on this definite and concrete information subject, tremendous savings can be effected.

VISITORS: I had three most pleasant experiences this past week. First I had dinner with D. T. Northcutt, from Briscoe County, and several of his friends, who were here concerning the new farm credit proposal. Another was a luncheon and visit I had with Gene Phillips, the son of J. C. Phillips, editor of the Forger News-Herald. Gene is presently stationed here with the Navy. Then, Bill Glidden with the Cabot Company at Pampa, who is moving to Boston, came by for a visit, and we had lunch together.

# Wheat Farmers to Attend Meet In Amarillo 30th; Lynn to Speak

The Agricultural Act of 1949 as it pertains to wheat will be explained at an important meeting for wheat farmers May 30 in Amarillo, according to Stanley Garnett, of Spearman state Farm Bureau director from District 1. All producers of that commodity in the tri-state area are invited to attend the one day session which begins at 9:30 a.m. in the Ballroom of the Herring Hotel.

John C. Lynn legislative director of the American Farm Bureau Federation's Washington office will be on hand to discuss of graphs and charts, the 1949 Act as it pertains to wheat. Lynn an authority on farm legislation, held similar meetings earlier this month in Abilene and San Antonio for Farm Bureau members. In urging all area Farm Bureau members who are wheat pro-

ducers to attend the Amarillo meeting, Garnett said that "since we will soon be operating under this law. It is very important that we become familiar with the features of this Act in order that we may be in a position to recommend amendments to the voting delegates at the State Convention this fall."

Although Lynn dwelt mostly on cotton at the other meetings he also referred to wheat as it will be affected by the law scheduled to go into effect in 1955. He said that the biggest problem confronting wheat farmers is the loss of the world market to neighboring Canada. He attributed American farmers, under the that loss to the subsidy paid "Canadian farmers have been producing wheat for the world market, and the American farmers have been producing wheat for the government," he said.

## Modern Study Club Has Final Meeting Tuesday

The Cornation theme was used for the buffet supper and closing meeting of the Modern Study Club Tuesday night at the Clubhouse. Floral arrangements were placed in vases resembling gold crowns and the table decorations included a doll dressed as a queen, jewelry boxes and small thrones. Plate favors were fans. Roll call was answered by the members with convention highlights or the program most enjoyed during the past club year, followed by annual reports by committee chairmen and officers. Hostesses for the buffet were Mesdames Katherine Blackburn, Grace Parr Lucie Latta and Eva Miller.

## Farewell Party Given Harry Ratliff Here

A farewell party honoring Harry Ratliff was held Wednesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Baxter. Games of "42" were played during the evening. Present were the staff members of the Parmer County Hospital their families and the honoree.

## DISTRICT PRESIDENT

Gordon Shackelford of Perryton was recently elected president of District 13, Petroleum Marketers Association composed of twenty-eight counties in the Panhandle. Shackelford graduated from the Friona High School in 1936 and from Texas Tech in 1941. He served with the 45 Engineers Division in Alaska. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Shackelford of Friona.

## Farm Bureau Report



For the benefit of Bovina people and others: The item printed in the Amarillo Daily News, dated May 13 was not authorized, was not sent in by Mrs. Gee special reporter of Friona, and was incorrect in stating that "members of Bovina Farm Bureau are opposed to an increase in teacher's salaries." Bovina and other Farm Bureau Groups opposed only the methods of raising the money for the increase. (Teachers and school

boards of this area also opposed HB 3.) To quote from local Farm Bureau news items of April 30th: "A letter from Senator Rogers was read, concerning HB 3, the controversial bill embodying an increase in teacher's salaries and means for raising the money. It was pointed out that this particular bill was not at all favorable to citizens of this area, because the increase in local ad valorem taxes would far exceed the increase in teacher's salaries. A telegram from the Texas Farm Bureau Legislative office and Parmer County Farm Bureau's telegram replying, were read in opposition to the one fifth and four fifths amendment attached to the teacher's pay increase provision bill."

Incidentally, due to the failure of the Comptroller's ability to certify availability of funds for the raise provided in S.B. 24, H. ing passage with the one-fifth, B. 3, mentioned above is still pending provision in it.

It is interesting to note that the Texas Farm Bureau Federation Office building was directly across the street from the large furniture building and another large building that were completely destroyed in the tornado. The Farm Bureau Building was not damaged beyond two plates glass windows being blown out. Phones continued to function, and Red Cross other emergency aid etc. were centered there in the offices. We are glad the offices and employees were spared and that facilities were used to help in the emergency operations.

Consider this: A soft answer turneth away wrath: but grievous words stir up anger." Prov. 15:1.

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## Tables Turned As Marines Fight Marines

Two Parmer County boys now in the Marines, trained to fight with the Marines, recently fought against them. They are Sergeant Kenneth Joe Lowrie, 19, and Sergeant Robert James Walker, 20 who helped invade and capture Camp Pendleton from the hands of an "enemy" force composed of fellow Marines.

Nicknamed "Operation Sea Jump," the training exercises was the largest Navy-Marine Maneuver on the West Coast since 1948. It involved 24,000 Marines, 30,000 Navy men more than 150 ships and 230 aircraft. Highlights of the operation were the increased use of helicopters to shuttle Marines from ships to

attack behind enemy lines and the simulated use of atomic weapons.

Sgt. Walker is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Claud Barker, Route 1, Bovina, and Sgt. Kenneth Lowrie is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lowrie, Route 3 Friona.

## Californian Comments On "Jedok" Series

The following news item, which will be enjoyed by many of our readers and especially those who are left of the original pioneer settlers of Friona, was handed to us by "Uncle John" and is a copy of a card received by him Wednesday morning from his old friend and fellow citizen, D. W.

(Dutch) Hanson, now of Inglewood, Calif. He wrote: "Enjoyed your article in the Star. The hotel you mentioned was at Findley, and a corner lot in that townsite sold for \$500.00. I drove Bus No. 7 on five of those excursions. I wonder if the old hotel buildings are still standing at Spring Lake and Kelso?" Mr. Hanson was one of the pioneer citizens of Friona and he and his family lived here until about fifteen years ago, when they returned to their old farm near the source of the Kaskaskis River, in Southern Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Daniels and Jerry of Hereford were business visitors in Friona Tuesday.

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## Physical Exams Given Students

Physical examinations were completed on approximately 400 grade school children last week by Dr. Paul Spring School Doctor. They were students of the second through seventh grades.

In comparing this year's statistics with those of last year, a considerable increase in defective tonsils and poor vision was noted over last year's figures.

Dr. Spring noted that the severe flu epidemic closely followed by a severe measles epidemic may be a leading factor and asks that parents do their utmost to cooperate and take corrective measures before the school resumes in the fall.

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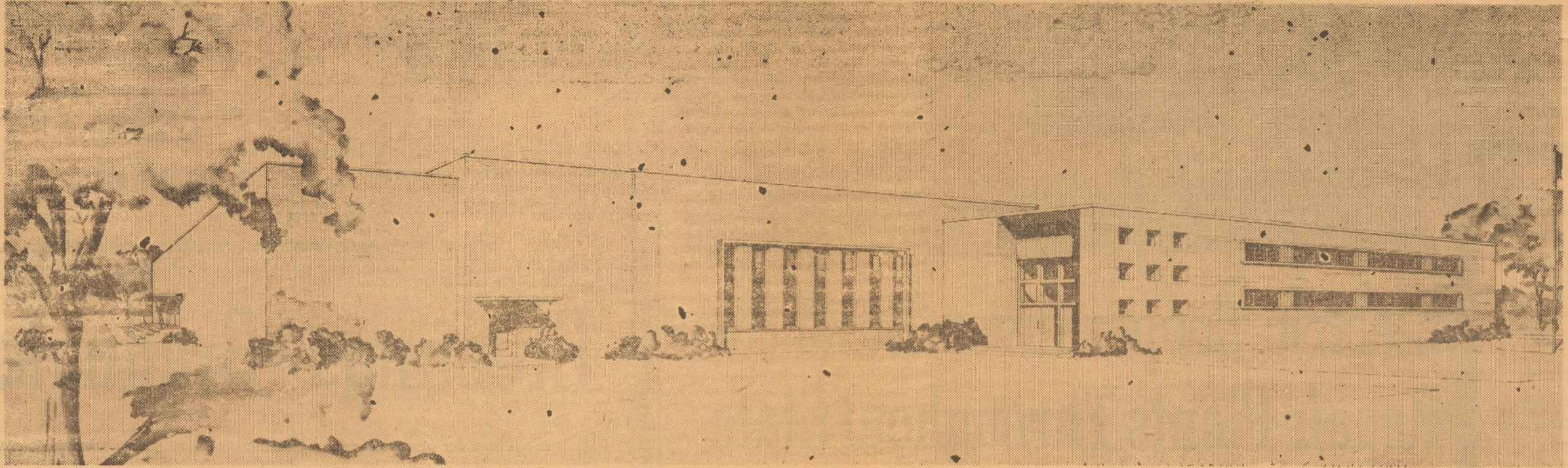
Congratulations Class of 1953 — and may we leave this thought with you. The diplomas that you receive are your licenses to apply your learning in an adult, practical world. Use your knowledge well — that graduates in the years to come may benefit from the better society you will have helped create for them.

GOOD LUCK TO YOU — ONE AND ALL

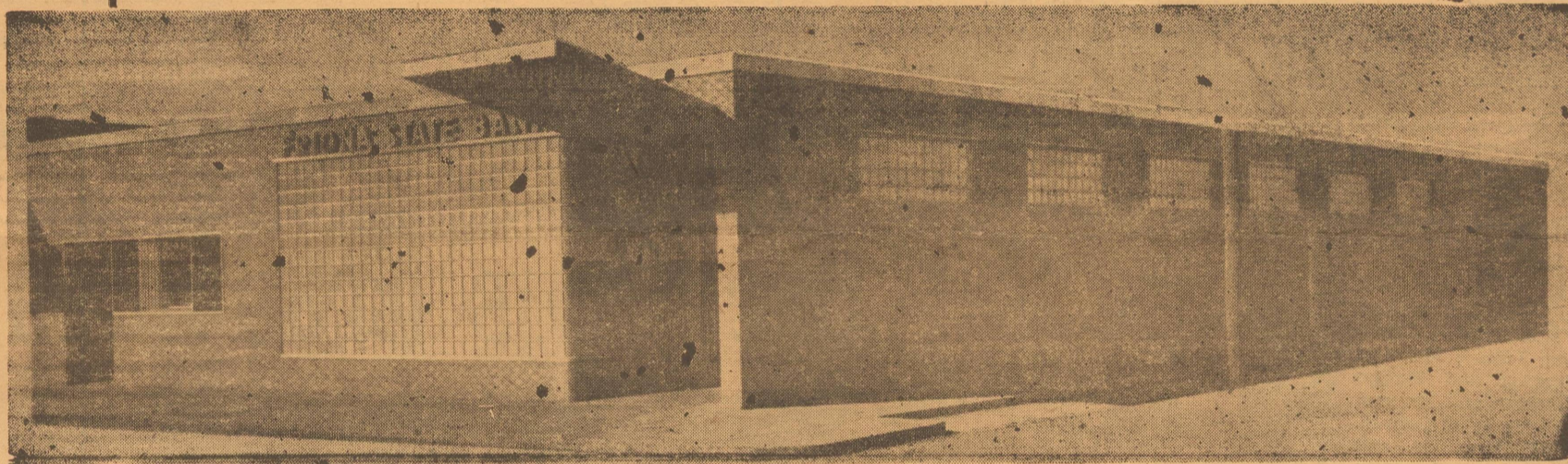
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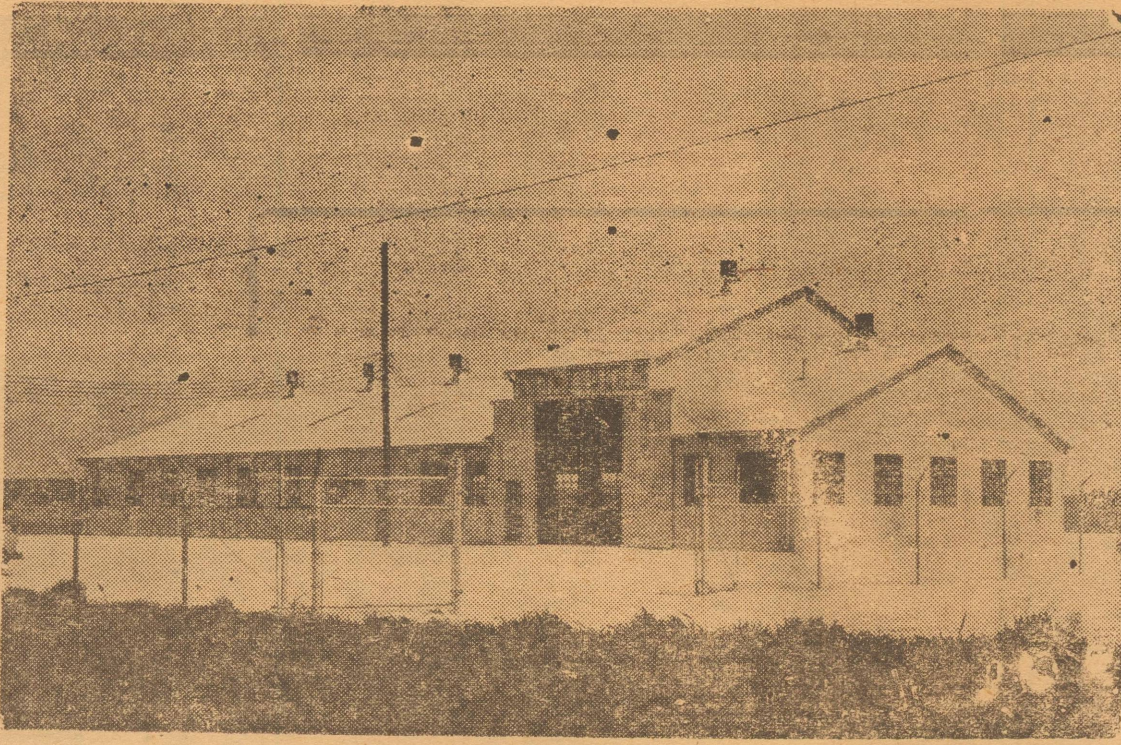
## Personals -

Mack and Danny Bainum spent the week-end fishing at Conchos Dam.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Crump and family and Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Conley visited the Raymond Fleming family in Malrose, New Mex. Saturday night.

Mrs. Henry Lewis left Sunday night for Dallas where she will attend market.

Harry Ratliff, who has been pharmacist at the Farmer County Hospital for the past several months, has returned to his farm at Snyder.



### HONORED AT SMU

Lunell McFarland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. McFarland of Friona, was recognized for high scholastic achievement at Southern Methodist University's annual Honors Day Convention.

President Umphrey Lee of SMU delivered the principal address at the university-wide gathering of students and faculty in McFarin Memorial Auditorium.

Miss McFarland, a graduate of Friona High School, has been designated a University Scholar.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spring and Mr. and Mrs. Sloan Osborn are planning to attend a Banker's Convention in Houston this week end.

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### CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our sincere thanks and appreciation to our many friends who have been so kind to us in our sorrow. We wish to thank Dr. Spring and the nurses for their kindness and

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## Electric Cooperatives Build Own Repair Plants Throughout State

DEAF SMITH Electric Co-Op at Hereford now has its own transformer and meter repair facilities with the opening of the Transformer Meter Repair Division of Texas Power Reserve Electric Co-Op in Austin this month.

Texas Power Reserve, the statewide association of rural electric co-ops, built and is operating the plant for the Deaf Smith Co-Op and the seventy-six other rural electric co-ops located throughout Texas.

MANAGER LEO FORREST of the DEAF SMITH Co Op, who is also VICE-PRESIDENT of Texas the most modern, up-to-date such plants in the entire country.

All of the equipment is specialized and was designed by Texas Power Reserve employees. FORREST continues, for handling all types, makes, and sizes of distribution transformers and large high-voltage transmission transformers.

The specially designed equipment is used to wind, treat with bak-

ing varnish, dry, and test transformers, as well as process insulating materials. The plant's bake oven is one of the few walk-in type bake ovens in the state.

The biggest job now in progress in the plant is a 333 KVA sub-station-type transformer from North Plains Electric Co-Op at Perryton, Texas. At full capacity, the plant can handle some 200 transformers per month.

The Transformer Division's transportation facilities include a truck and trailer for pickup and delivery of transformers through out the state. A hydraulic side-gate on the trailer facilitates loading and unloading. The truck can carry more than 100 average size transformers — about 22,000 pounds of transformers—at one time.

Texas rural electric co-ops now

operate some 125,000 miles of power lines in serving nearly 300,000 Texas farmers and ranchers. "They've long needed their own facilities for repairing their own transformers," says Forrest, "and this is it—the co-ops' own!"

### SOUTH DAKOTA VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Maynard Agee and children, Karen and Dean, of Ree Heights, South Dakota, arrived in Friona last Thursday for a two weeks vacation. They are visiting in the homes of their parents, Mrs. Reeta Agee and Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Mingus. They are also visiting in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Arden Parsons of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Mingus and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Mingus of Friona and with other friends and relatives.

## Rhea News

By FLORENCE DEAN

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Bauer and son Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schueler Herber and Lillian; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Schlenker and family; Mr. and Mrs. Bauer and Mr. and Mrs. Davis and family of Canyon. Afternoon visitors were Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Schueler and family and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schueler and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Dean and Mrs. Ruby Sullivan of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Dean, Gladys and Lindy of this community visited with Mrs. Bertha Hurst of Friona Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sifford and family and Florence Dean attended the Calf Roping at Clovis Sunday afternoon.

Butch Waltman was hit by a car as he was crossing the street in Texico Saturday. He returned to his home Sunday.

## Scout Meetings

Troop IV met at the Methodist Church Monday afternoon and went from there to the Baptist Church where they practiced for the Court of Awards to be held Sunday afternoon, at the High School auditorium.

They also practiced the Hawaiian play they will present Friday to finish the hostess badges.

Granville McFarland and Charles Allen attended the Army Day ceremonies at Clovis Saturday. They ate lunch at the base with the officers and rode in the parade.

## Greetings Graduates

It has been our pleasure to feed you during the school year . . . hundreds of hamburgs . . . untold gallons of soda pop. You've no doubt enjoyed our food, and we've truly enjoyed your patronage and the opportunity to be one of you.

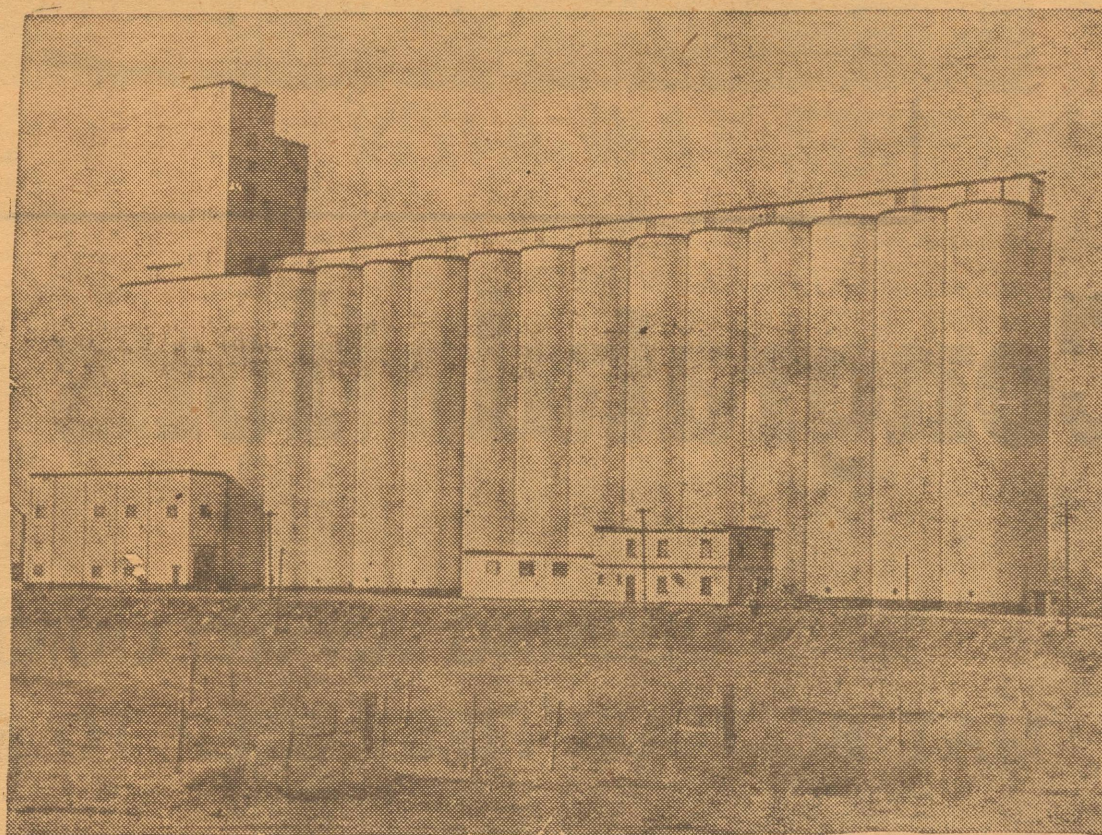
Accept this wish for the future—that whatever path of endeavor you choose it may bring you the success you hope for . . . it may give you the opportunity for community service whether you continue to make your home in Farmer County or go on to some other locality.

## Villa Cafe

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## Greetings Graduates



It has been a pleasure knowing and working with you for better schools and a better community. We note with pride that many of the students' parents are Members of our organization, and we look forward to the near date when you, too, will be working with us in an organization that puts the welfare of agriculture and its followers first.

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# LET'S TALK LIVESTOCK

BY **TED GOULDY**



Fort Worth — Fed steers and yearlings ruled strong to 50 cents higher at Fort Worth Monday Stocker cattle and calves were active and unevenly higher. Cows drew unchanged prices. Fat calves active and unevenly higher. Cows to \$1 lower.

Spring lambs and shorn slaughter lambs sold strong to 50 cents

drew firm prices. Bulls were 50 at \$27.50, a new high for the cur higher. Milk fat lambs topped rent crop. Shorn old crop lambs topped at \$23.50, a new high for the year.

Butcher hogs were 25 cents lower and topped at \$24.25 to \$24.50. Light sows were 50 cents higher and heavier weights sold weak to lower. Pigs \$21 down, sows \$19 to \$22.

Sales included a load of 1 078-lb. steers from J. H. Harrison & Co., Childress County, some \$21 and County; some 796-lb. heaves from \$22 steers from Ellis Stark, Clay Ray Agnew Rising Star, C. S. Anchicks, Calvert, had a load of 891-lb. steers at \$14.50. Weldon Flennikin, Marshall County, Okla. sold a package of 527 lb. yearlings at \$18.50. A. Z. Goodwin Gordonville, had a load of 453-lb yearlings at \$22.00; and M. D. Rhoades, Dawson Co., had 22 steers at 857-lbs at \$23. Sam Gilbreath, Castro County had 77 heifers at 695 lbs. at \$21; W. G. Henson & Son, Dickens Co., had 28 steers at 695-lbs. at \$20. G. R. White, Brady sold 20 cows at \$16 averaging 919 lbs. Thad Zigler Mason Co. had 14 cows at 1,140 lbs. at \$16, two at \$14.25. C. L. Newburn Cherokee County, sold 62 cows at 735 lbs. at \$11.50, ten at \$10, the calves at \$22. Kirk Edwards, Clay County, 17 cows 1201 lbs. at \$14.50.

Good and choice fed steers and yearlings sold for \$19 to \$23.50. Common and medium slaughter steers and yearlings sold from \$10 to \$19. Beef and butcher cows sold from \$12 to \$16. Canners and cutters cashed at \$8 to \$12. Bulls sold from \$10 to \$15.

Good and choice Spring lambs sold from \$24 to \$27.50, and medium to good kinds sold for \$20 to \$24. Cull to medium Springers drew \$15 to \$23.50, and medium to good kinds drew \$19 to \$21. Stocker and feeder shorn lambs ranged from \$10 to \$20. Shorn aged wethers sold from \$9 to \$12.50. Slaughter ewes cashed at \$5 to \$7. Old bucks sold around \$5 to \$5.50. Yearlings and two-year-old wethers sold from \$13 to \$18.

## SUMMER FROSTING



Sun glasses need not be confined to beach wear. Here a new pair, called Black Frost, produced by the Bausch & Lomb Optical Co., Rochester, N. Y., is used to complement a chic, cool ensemble of black linen. These glasses are part of a new line known as Aloha Ray-Ban sun glasses.

## TWIN QUEENS



CHICAGO — Wearing symbolic blue-flame crowns, Jean (left) and Joan McAllister reigned as queens of annual Liquefied Petroleum Gas Association convention here. They are shown with a model of an LP-Gas production plant. The "LP-Gas Twins—Miss Butane and Miss Propane"—are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. McAllister, Waldorf, Md. More than 3,000 persons attended annual meeting.

## STORK FEATHERS

Born May 15 to Mr. and Mrs. Tiny Giles Walling of Bovina a boy, Steven Giles, weighing 7-lb. 5 oz.

A boy, David John, was born May 16 to Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Carlton. He weighed 9 lb., 12 oz.

Born May 16 to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Stokes a 4 lb. 8 oz. girl named Helen Ruth.

Born May 18 to Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Mabry a boy, Jerry Keith, weighing 6 lb. 4 oz.

A girl was born May 20 to Mr. and Mrs. Louis Welch. She weighed 6 lb. 8 oz.

## Summer Jobs Require Social Security Cards

If you do not already have a social security account-number card, and if you expect to work during the summer in a job that comes under social security, you should apply for your card at once. Your application should be mailed to the Amarillo Social Security office. You can get an application blank and instructions at the post office, or the Amarillo employment office. By doing this, you will have your card ready to show to any prospective employer. You won't lose time starting on your new job.

If you have had a card but lost it, apply for a duplicate immediately. When a girl marries, she will need to change her name on her social security wage record, retaining her original number.

All your wages will be reported by employers coming under social security, and will be duly credited by the Social Security Administration to your own individual social security wage record. That is why you want one, and only one social security account number all your life.

There is no charge for issuing you any type of social security card, original, duplicate, or one showing change of name. You will always have the same number. Be sure you have a social security account card, protect your card, and show it to your employer.



# Congratulations Graduates

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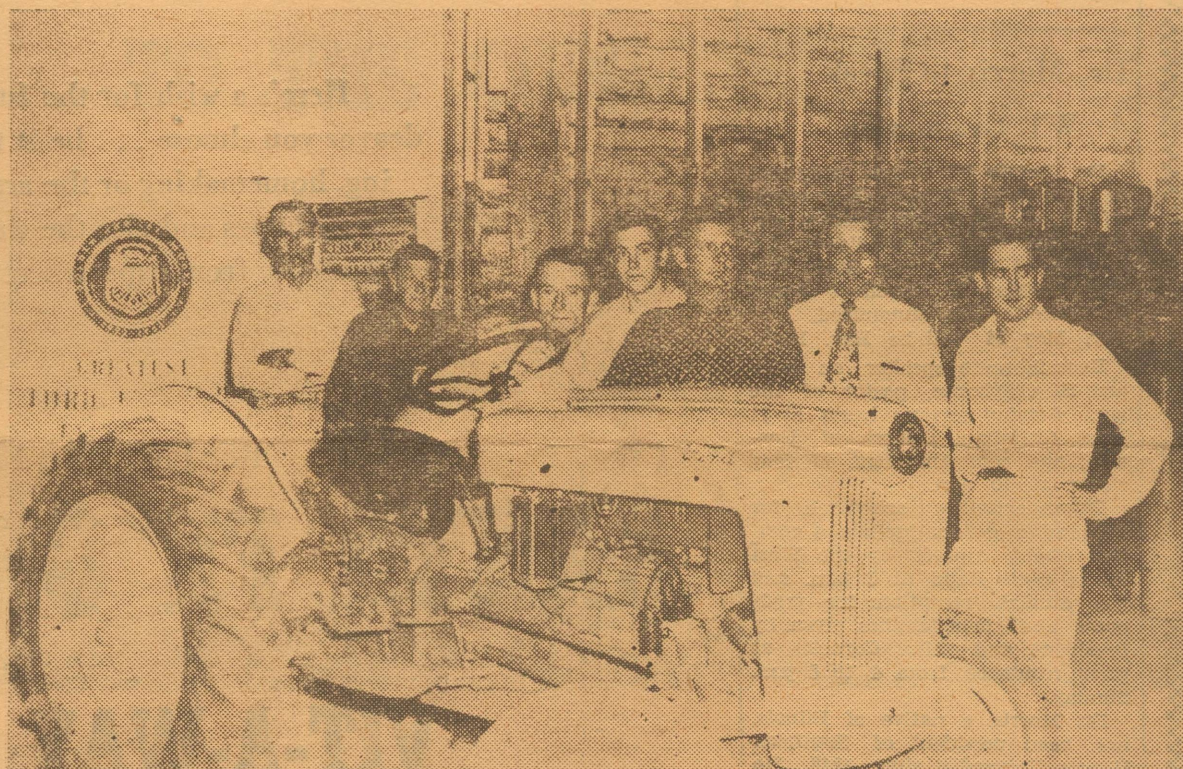
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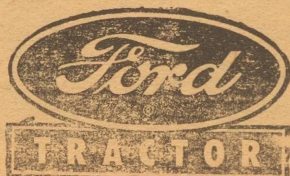
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## GOOD HEALTH

1. SHOULD YOU HAVE A FAMILY DOCTOR?



3. CAN INDIVIDUALS GET HEALTH INSURANCE?

2. WHY MUST FOOD HANDLERS HAVE A CLEAN BILL OF HEALTH?



**Answer to Question No. 1:**  
A family doctor is your protection when illness or accident strikes. Caring for the members of your household over the years, he knows your "health history" and his skill is thereby supplemented by personal knowledge of you and your family. He is your best friend and advisor and will respond to your call. A good health measure is for families and individuals to acquire a family or personal doctor if they don't already have one.

**Answer to Question No. 2:**  
It is important that the public health service in every community check on the health of food handlers in restaurants, groceries and butcher shops, for food handlers can readily transmit diseases, such

as the common cold, and more serious diseases. Besides requiring food handlers to have periodic physical examinations, some communities provide instruction courses in sanitation for workers. These courses help food handlers to protect themselves and their customers against diseases as well as to care for food to prevent spoilage.

**Answer to Question No. 3:**  
Yes, many non-profit health insurance plans have arrangements for individuals to join. Commercial companies have a variety of health insurance policies for individuals. Group insurance premiums for individuals are higher than those for group insurance.

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# Agriculture Secretary To Speak at Lubbock

"Cotton's New Frontiers" will be discussed at length by many of the leading industry men from throughout the nation's cotton-producing area when the American Cotton Congress meets in Lubbock Texas on June 15, 26 and 27. All phases of the cotton industry will receive their share of attention during the sessions which are held annually to exchange ideas and discuss "what's new in the cotton industry."

Highlighting the three day program will be the important address which will be given by Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Benson. This talk has been tentatively scheduled for Saturday, June 27. Secretary Benson told the Congress planning committee that he would be pleased to address the open meeting. In the event that emergency world conditions prohibit Secretary Benson from leaving Washington, he will send

Under Secretary of Agriculture T. D. Morse to deliver his speech. Various individual phases of the cotton industry will be represented on the distinguished panel of speakers who have been invited to present papers to the seated sessions and lead the discussions. These men will introduce many of the newest developments in the cotton industry and discuss some of the problems which are being faced by the industry.

Among those invited to participate on the speakers program are: Bryan T. Slaw of the Agriculture Research Administration, Washington D. C.; Dr. N. K. Horn, chief economist of the American Cotton Council, Memphis, Tenn.; W. A. Sibley, South Carolina cotton manufacturer; Earle Heard a member of the cotton mill industry from West

Point, Georgia; and W. B. (Bill) Coberly, cotton seed crushing expert from Los Angeles, Calif.

Two tours have been scheduled for the visitors. These will include stops at several of the larger area cotton farms, a gin, the State Experiment Station where many of the newest production methods have been developed and Lubbock's three cotton oil mills which have a combined daily capacity for processing 1 600 tons of cotton seed, the largest production of any city in the world.

During the final day of the Congress, June 27, the delegates and other visitors will be taken on a tour of the Textile Engineering Department of Texas Technological College and the laboratories of the Cotton Research Committee of Texas, Fibers Branch, on the Tech campus. While on the campus the visitors will see the complete manufacturing process from the raw cotton stage through the woven cloth. Technicians will also run tests for fiber strength and color durability.

A large stationary display of the latest machinery and implements will be arranged on the campus for the public to inspect.

The theme of this year's American Cotton Congress "Cotton's New Frontiers," was selected by the committee because of the site of this year's meeting — Lubbock and the South Plains of Texas. Burris Jackson, general chairman for the Congress, said that this "nugget" of the cotton industry area has developed into the "gold within the last seven years, and and is in reality the most productive "new frontier" of the entire cotton industry. He pointed out that within a 75 mile radius of Lubbock approximately one-tenth of the nation's cotton is produced. Final 1952 crop ginning figures show that the 20-county Texas South Plains produced 1,444 010 bales of the staple.

The speaker was an instructor in public speaking and director of men's forensics at the University of Maine for five years. He subsequently served as chairman of the speech department at Kansas City Junior College and Indiana State Teachers College. He had been professor of speech and director of Speech and Hearing Clinic at Ohio State Uni-

versity for two years when he was elected president of Southern Illinois University.

## Mrs. Guinn Elected Head, Past Matrons

The Kinsley Past Matrons Club

met in the country home of Mrs. Ed Boggess for a business meeting and social.

The evening was spent playing "42" and visiting, after which the members held a business meeting. Officers elected for the ensuing year were Mrs. Florence Guinn, president; Mrs. Tina Bainum vice-president; Mrs. Pearl Kinsley, secretary-treasurer; and

Mrs. Bessie Boggess, reporter.

The outgoing president, Mrs. Boggess, was presented with a gift by the Club in appreciation of her services for the year.

Refreshments of sandwiches, pie and coffee were enjoyed by the members and eight visitors.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Bainum.

# CONGRATULATIONS

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in '53



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Mrs. Sue Gibson Nazworth  
Salutatorian

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## Good Luck

# Graduates of '53

## Aim High!

On the eve of your graduation we join hands with everyone in the community to wish you good luck and good health.

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### Dr. Morris to Speak

#### At WT Graduation

Dr. Delyte W. Morris, president of Southern Illinois University, will make the commencement address for the 219 candidates for degrees at West Texas State College on May 25. President James P. Cornette has announced.

Dr. Morris will be Rev. Richard B. Clayborne, pastor of the First Christian Church of Boram, and commencement Monday starts at 10 a.m.

Other activities scheduled for graduating seniors include a commencement concert by the West Texas State Band at 3 p.m. and the annual reception for graduates and their families given by President and Mrs. Cornette at their residence from 4 to 6 p.m. Sunday.

Dr. Morris, a native of Illinois, has been president of Southern Illinois University since 1948. He earned his bachelor's degree from Park College Mo., and his masters degree at the University of Maine. His Ph.D. was earned at the University of Iowa.