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Sorghum as Basic Crop Likely To Be Sought by Bureau

About 30 Parmer County Farm Bureau members were on hand Monday night at a meeting in Bovina...

One of the major decisions of the evening concerned the matter of declaring grain sorghums a basic national commodity.

lead to possible abuse of the program and result in an undesirable surplus of sorghums. The national farm program relating to wheat, cotton, and cattle was thrown open for discussion...



Present for the 50th anniversary of the First Baptist Church in Bovina Sunday were a number of long-time residents of the area...

'53 FAIR OPENS TODAY

50th Anniversary Draws Big Crowd

The Bovina Baptist Church celebrated its 50th anniversary last Sunday with a homecoming. All former members and pastors were invited to come and meet old friends and make new ones.

The eleventh annual Parmer County Dairy Show and Fair gets on the road today (Thursday) with another well-planned and well-rounded program for the entertainment and education of the county.

Schedule of Events

- SEPTEMBER 9 9:00 a. m. Barn to receive cows in production contest. 6:00 p. m. All production cows in barn. 6:00 p. m. Preliminary milking for production cows.

Farwell Man Dies When Dump Truck Bed Is Released

Funeral services were held Tuesday at the First Baptist Church, Farwell, for Willard Eugene Woods, 25, an employee at the Farwell Feed Lots, who was killed in an on-the-job accident Friday about noon.

It's Battle of the Sexes in Close Political Race for President at Farwell Schools

Politics were on the rampage at Farwell Schools the past week when the student body campaigned, gave rallies, and all hopped on the band wagon—to determine the new student body president.

Texico Farm Bureau Meets Monday Night

Texico Farm Bureau meets on Monday night at 8:30 in the Texico gymnasium. Olan Schlueter, chairman, will preside, Texico 4-H achievement day program will be held in conjunction with the Farm Bureau.

Annual SCS Feed Is Tuesday Night

An anticipated 300 people will gather Tuesday night at the Friona school cafeteria to participate in the annual Parmer Soil Conservation District banquet.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

- Thursday, September 10 Parmer County fair begins in Friona. Friday, September 11 Football, Friona and Vega (Friona) and Melrose at Bovina District Court Fair barbecue at Friona Saturday, September 12 Fair ends Monday, September 14 Legion Farwell WMU ESA with Margie Crooks Bovina Methodist quarterly conference Tuesday, September 15 Companion class of the Baptist church. SCS banquet at Friona Lions Club Thursday, September 17 Constitution day, fly flags Friday, September 18 Football—Friona at Morton, Farwell at Vega, Gruver at Bovina

Claude Rose Resigns, Wurster Named To Fill Board Position

Paul Wurster has been named to the Farwell School board to fill the position left vacant by the resignation of President Claude H. Rose.

Concessions

Any person or any group must get permission from the Secretary of the Show before selling concessions of any kind.

Exhibitors' Rules

- Rule I—ENTRY: Entries must be made with the show manager not later than September 10, 1953. Entries are open to all Registered Swine and Registered Cattle of the dairy and beef breeds.



Johnny Mack Brown, son of the Woodrow Browns of Texico, takes aim at an imaginary baseball as he shows off the nifty uniforms given the Little Leaguers this summer by the Texico-Farwell fireboys.

FROM THE HOPPER

By the time you read these feeble words, it may be entirely possible that the author will have lapsed into a state of unconsciousness. Such is the strain of editing out—on time!—a special edition like the one before you.

Southern Town Hall Meeting is Monday

Clyde Goodwine, Friona, announces this week that persons interested in organizing a group to engage cultural and educational programs from Southern Town Hall Association should be present at a meeting Monday night at the Friona Woman's Club House.

FIRE RUN TUESDAY

Members of the Texico-Farwell Fire Department were summoned out of town Tuesday morning when an out-of-state trailer house was endangered by fire.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Miller from Houston visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Reynolds last week.

We might say that we aren't expecting to be lucky enough to get the paper out without some "boners".

We have really been riding the neighbor's grocery lists lately even if luck with the Coffmans played out. Charley Calaway's peas are about all gone, but we have green beans from Bessie and Elbert Landrum; corn on the cob from Dale and Tom Paul McCuan; peas, tomatoes, peppers and carrots from Dorothy and Wilfred Quickel; and watermelon and muskmelon from R. L. Barker. Mighty good gardenin', tobi!

All those vegetables are just fine for week-day meals, but on Sundays, the wife and the writer like to have something a little extra special. Last Sunday we mooched fried chicken off the Bovina Baptists. Any takers for this weekend?

For several weeks now, we have been assiduously scrutinizing every picture we have come across that might give some hint as to how the up-to-date editor of a newspaper should groom himself.

We figure that for as little an outlay as \$45 we could really be in style. The "thing" for editors today: Short, almost "crew-cut" hair, horn-rimmed glasses, flashy bow tie, loose-fitting sport coat, collegiate-style pipe, and snazzy hat. We've noticed too, that they all seem to have that debonaire manner.

The wife and writer have just figured a way to beat this invasion of flies. Since they all seem to want to come into the house, we figure the thing to do is open the doors, lure 'em all in, then move our stuff out on the lawn real quick and lock the house.

Relative to this week's issue.



# THE TRIBUNE'S EDITORIAL COMMENT

## Nothing Like a Fair To Set Our Hearts A-Glow

Even if we weren't reminded by such things as children on their way to school, talk of the world series, ducks on the lakes, and the chant of young huskies as they train for another football season, somehow we feel that we would surely sense that fall and the county fair were once again approaching.

There is a certain crispness in the air, a certain sense of hesitancy in growing things as mother nature prepares to gather her skirts about her children for another winter. The sun is still quite bright, but somehow not as penetrating. Fall is again at hand.

And it is with a sense of pride that we attend our county fair each year, because there is no other diversion quite like it in all the world. Here is told the story of our regional economy, much as if a gigantic history book were unfolded before our eyes.

Folks who live in Parmer County are sometimes apt to be forgetful of the things with which nature has blessed them. Now is a good time to take inventory of our assets, and a good place to start is by taking a look at what can be seen at the county fair.

We are sure you will be pleased by what you see.

## Writing Our Letters While We're in the Mood

We got off a pretty lengthy letter to Secretary of Agriculture Benson last week which we've been owing his office for some time. While we're still in the mood, it might be a good thing if we dash off a few additional remarks which certainly need to be brought to light.

The subject of our letter affects a good deal more of our readers than they might suspect. Matter of fact, it affects us all in one way or another.

Mr. Arthur Summerfield  
Postmaster General  
Washington, D. C.

Dear Mr. Summerfield,

This publication, as it attempts to mirror the opinion of the people here on the High Plains, is vitally interested in economizing wherever possible the operation of the federal government, so long as this economizing does in no way endanger the safety of the nation or lower the standards of service which the government is pledged to make

available to the American public.

In view of this interest, we would like to challenge your department to make a more realistic approach to the matter of postal rates. It is generally understood that the Postal Department was created and given a nation-wide monopoly in order to effect a more unified and efficient system of handling mail. It is also our understanding that the Post Office is not in the "business" of mail dispersal to make money. It is intended that your department conduct the matter of handling the nation's mail at cost.

Nevertheless, it is necessary that the Department be run much in the same manner as a gigantic private business, although the end result is not profit. Therefore, it is to the best interests of the Department not to perform any of its varied services at a loss to the taxpayers, because this loss will have to be made up by subsidy, and the bill will eventually get back to the taxpayer—plus "handling charges."

The federal debt, already a staggering load to the nation, is being substantially added to by the inability of your service to make ends meet. Therefore, this newspaper suggests that you consider a realignment of some of your customers who are not paying their fair share of the load.

One particular group which we have in mind is the group which enjoys the privilege of second class mailing permits. Let's get specific. The State Line Tribune can mail about 1500 copies of a 12-page paper for around \$3.00. That figure is absurd, Mr. Summerfield, and we are sure you know it.

We suggest that you have a more realistic approach to second class charges, and free the Department of "dead wood." The State Line Tribune can and will pay what it costs to mail the paper. Other newspaper and periodicals can, too.

We do not desire government subsidy, Mr. Summerfield. We desire good service, and the privilege of paying for it at what it costs the Department to provide.

Other abuses of the Department are evident, also, Mr. Summerfield, including the subsidy for air postage. We are sure you realize these things.

There are hundreds of ways in which economies can be effected in the administration of your Department, we are sure. Please see about these, and then get your rates straight.

This newspaper is going to attempt to help educate the people to realize that nothing comes "free." We must make them understand that it will be cheaper for them to have to pay \$5.00 instead of \$2.50 for a year's subscription than to have to pay indirectly the millions of dollars in subsidies granted the Postal Department for favored patrons.

Respectfully,  
THE STATE LINE TRIBUNE  
Parmer County, Texas

## OUR HONOR ROLL

Of new and renewal subscribers to The Tribune during the past week.

### FARWELL

A. F. Phillips Jr.  
Shelby Jobs  
Tom Foster  
Merrill Rundell  
Joe Blair  
Harold Carpenter  
Kirt Crume  
Farwell Feed Lots  
Rev. W. B. Gummelt  
Clyde Magness  
Mrs. A. Millstead  
Calvin Murray  
Sam Randol

J. R. Thornton  
**TEXICO**  
Paul Frederick  
C. B. Stockton  
John Whipple  
E. G. Blair  
D. J. Brown  
Leroy Faville  
Albert Smith  
R. A. Stover

### BOVINA

Ernest Englant  
C. M. Huggins  
Lloyd Killough

### FRIONA

Raymond Euler  
R. N. Lawton  
Folster Rector

### MULESHOE

R. B. Taylor  
Jess Osborn  
Noel Woodley

### LARIAT

C. L. McShan  
Joe L. Smallwood

**CLOVIS**  
R. L. Edwards  
**MISCELLANEOUS**  
M. C. Kelley  
University of Texas  
S. A. Barbee Jr.  
Floyd L. Montgomery  
Claude Thomas  
Mrs. T. W. Reid  
W. H. Jarrell  
Verne Wellman  
R. B. Floyd  
Alma Vassey

## Cattle Grub Controls Given by Specialist

AUSTIN—The best way to control cattle grubs is to attack them while they are in the hide of an animal, William J. Sheffield, University of Texas specialist in animal-health pharmacy, reports. Cattle grubs—also called "warb-

ies" or "wolves"—are the maggot stage of heel flies. The USDA estimates grubs cause an annual loss of \$50,000,000 to \$100,000,000.

Preventative measures so far have been ineffective or impractical, Sheffield writes in the current issue of The Texas Druggist. However systematic destruction each year of all grubs in the backs of cattle will prevent the pests' multiplying.

In areas where cattle may be examined and treated systematically, grubs may be reduced to a great extent in two or three years, Sheffield says.

Treatments recommended are: squeezing the grubs out of an animal's back by hand, and applying rotenone, benzene or iodoforn ointment. Rotenone is especially effective in treating large cattle herds because it can be applied by the dip method or by spraying.

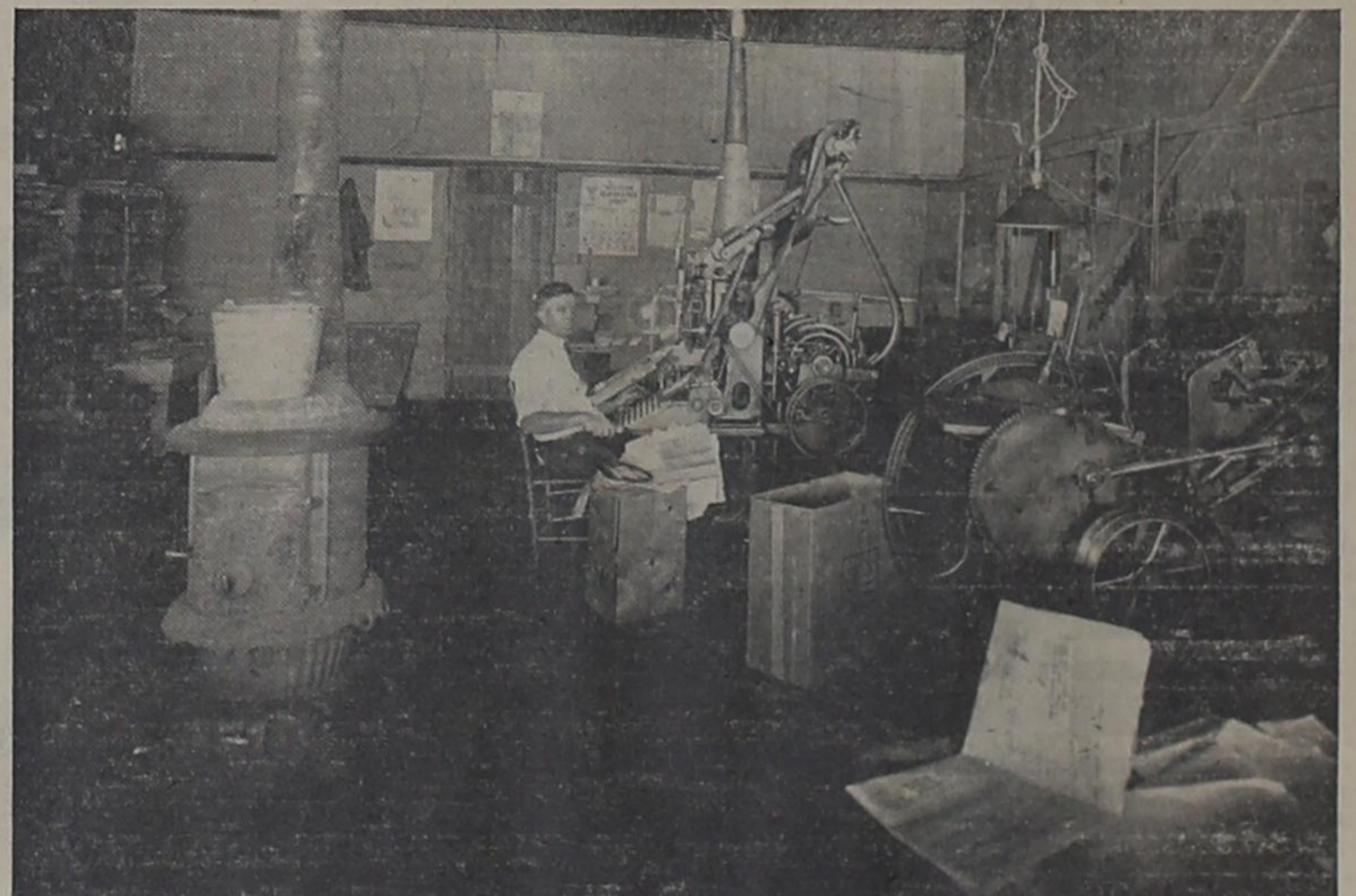
# Bringing You All the News

## In and Around Parmer County



These are the people that are on duty every day of the week to keep you informed and entertained through the State Line Tribune. Seated are W. H. Graham Jr., editor; Jeanne Graham, society editor; and Laverna Christian, assistant society editor. Standing are Naomi Hapke, operator; Richard Hapke, mechanical foreman; and Bob Goldsmith, pressman. Not present for the picture were Mrs. W. H. Graham, publisher; Jeanne Kerby, Bovina correspondent; and Abie Crume and Mrs. Oscar Baxter, Friona correspondents.

## SERVING PARMER COUNTY AND SURROUNDING AREA FOR OVER FORTY YEARS.



The Tribune is the oldest business establishment in Parmer County under the same management. Here is a picture taken in 1925 of the late editor W. H. "Hop" Graham who died in May of this year. Hop is near the center of the picture seated at the Linotype. Note the old coal stove with the water bucket on top, and the extensive use of wood and cardboard boxes instead of business furniture. In those days, The Tribune was a "one-horse" paper, and Hop did all the work.

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## ALL THE FOLKS AT BOVINA SUPPLY SAY

# Good Luck

## TO THE PARMER COUNTY FAIR

Since we have done business in Bovina, we have had the privilege of forming many lasting and worthwhile friendships with the people of this area.

We are proud to be a part of the Town of Bovina and the progressive County of Parmer. It is with pride that we pause to express our thanks for our many business friendships and with good luck to the people who have worked so hard on the fair.

LET US SERVE YOU WITH

- ★ BUTANE DELIVERIES
- ★ WANDA OILS, GREASES
- ★ APPLIANCES
- ★ FERGUSON TRACTORS

# Bovina Supply Co.

BOVINA, TEXAS



**FAIR—**  
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the show ring. The judge will be instructed to disregard any entry which is unduly late entering, or which is not properly shown by the exhibitor.

**Rule VII—ENTRY FEES:** A stall fee of 50 cents per head for cattle and 25 cents per head for swine must be paid at the time animal is brought to barn. In cases where stall fees are paid in advance and animals are not brought to the show, the fee will be returned. (All exhibitors must pay annual club dues of \$1.00)

**Rule VIII — BEDDING AND FEED:** Bedding will be furnished for the show; Feed will be furnished by the exhibitors and must be kept in orderly condition.

**Rule IX — LIABILITY:** The show will accept entries with the expressed understanding that the show assumes no liabilities for the safety of the animals exhibited in case of fire, theft, or other damage.

**Rule X—MILKING OUT:** All cows in production must be milked out not earlier than 6:00 p. m. on the day preceding the showing of the animal.

**Rule XI — REMOVING ANIMALS FROM THE BARN:** Animals may be removed from the show barn not earlier than 4:00 p. m., Saturday, September 12,

1953.

**Rule XII — PAYMENT OF PREMIUM AWARDS:** Premium awards will be paid by the Secretary-Treasurer during the show.

**Rule XIII — DECISION OF JUDGE FINAL:** The placings of the judge shall be final in all cases. Exhibitors are free to request the judge to explain his placings of any class, and the judge is urged to discuss each class after it is placed.

**Rule XIV—IN CASE OF DISPUTES:** In case of dispute, the decision of the superintendent shall be final.

**DIVISION I**

**Butterfat Production Contest**

**\$56 PRIZES**  
Superintendent  
**WILFRED QUICKEL**  
RULES OF CONTEST

**RULE I:**  
Any registered cow that has been fresh at least six days prior to the preliminary milking is eligible for competition.

**RULE II:**  
All prize awards shall be based on butterfat.

**RULE III:**  
All cows entered in contest must be in the show barns not later

than 6:00 p. m., Wednesday, September 9.

**RULE IV:**  
The same milking procedure shall be followed throughout the contest, beginning with the preliminary milking.

**RULE V:**  
The exhibitor may contact the department superintendent and advise him of the preliminary milking which shall not be earlier than 6:00 p. m., September 9, and not later than 8:00 p. m., September 9. All cows must be milked out absolutely clean at preliminary milking and it is mandatory that the department superintendent make a check of each cow immediately after preliminary milking. The first test milking shall be approximately 12 hours following the preliminary milking. The final test milking shall not be later than 24 hours following the preliminary milking.

**RULE VI:**  
The department superintendent shall weigh each test milking and obtain a sample of milk which will be tested for butterfat. At the close of the contest the department superintendent shall compute and post the amount of butterfat production for each cow entered and announce the winners.

**CLASS 1—Cows four years old and over.**  
**CLASS 2—Cows three years and**

**under four.**  
**CLASS 3—Cows two years and under three.**  
**CLASS 4—Cows under two years of age.**

**DIVISION 2**

**Jersey Department**

**\$152.50 PRIZES OFFERED**  
Superintendent  
**WELDON REVEL**  
Judge  
**L. M. HARGRAVE**

**CLASS 5—Bulls, 3 years old and over.** Born before July 1, 1950.  
**CLASS 6—Bulls, 2 years and under three** born between July 1, 1950 and July 1, 1951

**CLASS 7—Senior Champion Bull.**  
**CLASS 8—Bulls, Senior Yearling,** born between July 1, 1951, and Jan. 1, 1952.

**CLASS 9—Bulls, Junior Yearling,** born between Jan. 1952 and July 1, 1952.

**CLASS 10—Bulls, Senior Calf,** born between July 1, 1952, and Jan. 1, 1953.

**CLASS 11—Bulls, Junior Calf** born after Jan. 1, 1953.  
**CLASS 12—Junior Champion Bull.**  
**CLASS 13—Grand Champion Bull.**  
**CLASS 14—Cows 4 years old and over** born before July 1, 1949.

**CLASS 15—Cows, 3 years and under 4** born between July 1, 1949, and July 1, 1950.  
**CLASS 16—Heifers, 2 years and**

**under 3** born between July 1, 1950, and July 1, 1951.  
**CLASS 17—Senior Champion Cow.**  
**CLASS 18—Heifers, Senior Yearling** born between July 1, 1951, and Jan. 1, 1952.

**CLASS 19—Heifers, Junior Yearling** born between Jan. 1, 1952, and July 1, 1952.

**CLASS 20—Heifers, Senior Calf** born between July 1, 1952 and Jan. 1, 1953.

**CLASS 21—Heifers, Junior Calf** born after January 1, 1953.  
**CLASS 22—Junior Champion Cow.**  
**CLASS 23—Grand Champion Cow.**  
**CLASS 24—Dairy Herd, 5 animals** exhibited by owner.

**CLASS 25—Get Sire, 4 animals,** get of 1 sire.  
**CLASS 26—Produce of dam, 2 animals** same Dam.

**DIVISION 3**

**Guernsey Department**

**\$152.50 PRIZES OFFERED**  
Superintendent  
**WELDON REVEL**  
Judge  
**L. M. HARGROVE**

Classes the same as for Division 2

**DIVISION 4**

**Holstein Department**

**\$152.50 TO BE AWARDED**

Superintendent  
**WELDON REVEL**  
Judge  
**L. M. HARGRAVE**

Classes the same as for Division 2.

**DIVISION 5**

**Brown Swiss**

**PRIZES \$152.50**  
Superintendent  
**LEON GRISSOM**  
Judge  
**L. M. HARGRAVE**

**CLASS 27—Bulls, 3 years old and over,** born before July 1, 1950.  
**CLASS 28—Bulls, 2 years and under 3,** born between July 1, 1950 and July 1, 1951.

**CLASS 29—Senior Champion Bull.**  
**CLASS 30—Bulls, Senior Yearling,** born between July 1, 1951 and Jan. 1, 1952.

**CLASS 31—Bulls, Junior Yearling,** born between Jan. 1, 1952 and July 1, 1952.

**CLASS 32—Bulls, Senior Calf,** born between July 1, 1952 and Jan. 1, 1953.  
**CLASS 33—Bulls, Junior Calf,** born after Jan. 1, 1953.

**CLASS 34—Junior Champion Bull.**  
**CLASS 35—Grand Champion Bull.**  
**CLASS 36 — Cows, 4 years and over,** born before July 1, 1949.  
**CLASS 37—Cows, 3 years and un-**

**der 4,** born between July 1, 1949 and July 1, 1950.

**CLASS 38—Heifers, 2 years and under 3,** born between July 1, 1950 and July 1, 1951.  
**CLASS 39—Senior Champion Cow.**

**CLASS 40—Heifers, Senior Yearling,** born between July 1, 1951 and Jan. 1, 1952.

**CLASS 41—Heifers, Junior Yearling,** born between Jan. 1, 1952 and July 1, 1952. (If in milk show in class 40).

**CLASS 42—Heifers, Senior Calf,** born between July 1, 1952 and Jan. 1, 1953.

**CLASS 43—Heifers, Junior Calf,** born after Jan. 1, 1953.  
**CLASS 44—Junior Champion Cow.**  
**CLASS 45—Grand Champion Cow.**  
**CLASS 46 — Dairy Herd, 5 animals** exhibited by owner.

**CLASS 47—Get of Sire—4 animals,** get of 1 sire.  
**CLASS 48—Produce of Dam—2 animals** same Dam.

**DIVISION 6**

**Milking Shorthorn**

**PRIZES OF \$152.50**  
Superintendent  
**HERMAN HENSON**  
Judge  
**MARION BRUCE, Amarillo**

**CLASS 49—Mature Bulls, calved**  
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# Boosting Parmer County



We believe in the future of Parmer County, and have invested in the best gin money can buy to prove it. Congratulations to the Parmer County Dairy Show and Fair. It's a great show!

**AND WE'D LIKE TO REMIND THAT WE'RE READY TO**

## GIN YOUR COTTON

LOCATED 1 MILE SOUTH OF THE HUB

These are the reasons we believe it will pay you to let us do your ginning:

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- Electrically Powered
- Experienced ginners on hand 24-hours daily.
- Caliche drives from pavement. No mud or sand to bog you down.
- Cafe on grounds for your convenience
- Double Suction — Faster Handling
- Plenty of Yard Space



**JACK TOMLIN**  
Head Ginner

Born in Oklahoma in 1916, married in 1939, moved to this area in 1952. One child. Married in Byers, Texas. "Excellent gin work" hobby.



**G. W. FLEMING**

Born in Byers, 1914. Married in 1934 at Byers. One boy, one girl. Live at Burkburnett. Stays at gin during harvest season. Photography hobby.

# MILLS AND FLEMING

H. A. MILLS

G. W. FLEMING



# Happenings at Friona

MRS. OSCAR BAXTER AND MRS. ABIE CRUME, CORRESPONDENTS. PH. 3801

## Methodist Women To Serve Dinner

Friona Methodist Church will serve their annual dinner for the Parmer County Fair, Friday, September 11, from 11:30 a. m. to 2:00 p. m. at the Methodist annex. This meal will be served family style.

The menu includes baked hen, dressing, gravy, fresh black-eyed peas, stringless green beans, fresh corn, candied yams, tomato relish, a gelatin salad, hot rolls, butter, choice of any kind of pie, ice tea and coffee.

They ask everyone to bring their family and guests. This will be a good cooked dinner. Price is adults, \$1.25 and children \$0.50.

## BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Deacons of the Baptist Church met Sunday afternoon at 3:00 p. m.

The Baptist Church announced the time for the Sunbeams no. 3 and 4, Arise and Shine G. A.'s, and Hilda Marie G. A.'s have changed to 4:00 p. m. instead of 3:00 p. m. They will meet in their regular place at the Baptist Church on Tuesday afternoon.

Tuesday afternoon at 3:00, the WMU will meet for Bible Study at the church. The no. 1 and 2 Sunbeams will also meet at 3:00 the same afternoon.

Time for the Junior R. A.'s has been changed to Tuesday, 4:00 p. m.

The Baptist Church had 351 in Sunday School, Sunday morning, Sept. 6th. Meeting time was 10:00 A. M. and Morning Worship was 11:00 a. m. There were 174 at Training Union, at 7:30 p. m. Evening services were at 8:30 p. m.

## REVIVAL ENDS

The revival at the Baptist Church closed its meeting Sunday, August 30. Rev. Levi Price of Monahans did the preaching and Melvin Helles of Dallas, led the singing. There were 25 new additions to the Baptist Church, 17 baptized and 8 added by letters. They reported a good revival.

## 703 IN SCHOOL

Supt. Dalton Caffey announced that there were 703 students registered in the Friona school at 3:45 Monday afternoon. There are 555 grade school students and 148 high school students. School at Friona will dismiss Friday for the Parmer County Fair.

## BOOTH AT FAIR

All Girl Scouts and Brownies meet next Monday, September 14, at their regular meeting places in Friona. They will set up booths and sell hot dogs and have a snow cone machine at the Parmer County Fair in Friona.

## BACK TO BASE

Sam Mears, son of Jim Mears, received word to report back to Austin, Saturday. He is stationed at the Air Base there. He was home for a 20-day leave, but had to report back.

## TO SERVE DESSERTS

Eastern Star, 990 of Friona will serve cake, pie and cookies at the barbecue Friday night. They ask attendants to come by their booth.

## Two Women Feted On Birthday

Mrs. C. L. Bracken was host to a birthday dinner Sunday honoring Mrs. Alma Kleim, who was 85 years old. It was also the birthday of Mrs. C. L. Bracken, who was 63. Mrs. Kleim has 11 children, 45 grandchildren, 62 great grandchildren and seven great-great grandchildren. Mrs. Bracken has six children and nine grandchildren.

Those helping celebrate were: Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Flippin Jr., Mrs. Hazel Wear, Mrs. Charlie Holmgreen, Mrs. Lillie Taylor, Mrs. Deles Whitfield, Mrs. Mable Jones, Mrs. C. C. Kesler, Mrs. H. H. Welze, Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Habbinga, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Southward and Fay, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Southward of Stinnett, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Camp of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bracken.

## Visits Here

PFC Richard London, who is stationed at Ft. Hood, Texas, visited from Saturday until Monday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. L. London.

## Plan Luncheon

The WSCS will hold their first meeting for the fall, with a luncheon at the home of Mrs. Roy Slagle Tuesday afternoon. This is especially for the new members. They are expecting about forty persons to be present. Mrs. Ruth Jones, Mrs. Hazel Kindrick and Mrs. Willard Stewart will help Mrs. Slagle.

Mrs. J. W. Shults of Hereford and Mrs. Lucille Day of Amarillo were guests Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Day and Myra Sue of Friona.

## To Whitney

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Day and family will leave Thursday for Whitney to visit Mrs. Day's brothers Lonnie and Alfred Hill and families. They will return her father, Sam Hill, to his home in Whitney. He has been here visiting for about one month.

## LOCAL NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Casey Adams, Randy and Jerry Henkle, were in Eden, last week to attend the funeral of Mrs. Alma Cumbie. She was an aunt of Mrs. Adams. They returned home Saturday.

Mrs. Jim Baxter and Patricia visited Monday afternoon with Mrs. Hardy May.

PFC Jackie Looper, who is stationed at Fort Custer, Michigan, arrived home last week to visit his wife and his father, George Looper of Friona.

Mrs. Ted Ruthford and sons, Wayne and Warren of Clayton, N. M. were here last weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Slagle.

Buck Lloyd of Bovina visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lloyd and his sister, Ruth Lloyd, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lloyd, Fred Lloyd and daughter, Barbara of Friona went to Anton, to visit Mrs. W. M. Lloyd's brother.

Mrs. Mary Green of Canyon, spent the weekend with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Latta of Friona.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Green of Clovis, were in Friona Monday visiting relatives and attending to business.

The Progressive Club will meet Tuesday evening for their first meeting of the year.

Friona Woman's Club will have a breakfast at 8 a. m. to begin their year's work.

Mr. and Mrs. Henre Jonte of Chicago, Ill. are here visiting with her mother, Mrs. O. F. Lange and family.

Mrs. Roy Slagle and Mrs. Ted Rufford of Clayton, N. M. were shopping in Amarillo Friday after spending 8 days at home.

A-2C Dave Hester of Sherman, was guest over the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Day Sr. and Tila Rue.

Lonnie Dement and Oscar Baxter were business visitors in Clovis, Monday.

August Kathe and John Kathe spent the week-end in Colorado Springs.

## Work Progressing on First Baptist Church

Work is progressing well on the First Baptist Church of Farwell. The men are completing the work on the inside of the church and the parsonage.

They are waiting on the brick to get here for the outside of both buildings, a spokesman for the church reports.

## LEGAL NOTICE

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION

#### THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: Peter Jacoby, Peter Jacobs and W. C. Gatlin, and should any of said defendants have been married, the unknown wife or wives of each of said above-named defendants, and if any of said defendants be deceased, the unknown heirs, assigns and legal representatives of such deceased defendants. Defendants, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court of Farmer County at the Court-house thereof, in Farwell, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 28th day of September A. D. 1953, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 13th day of August A. D. 1953, in this cause, numbered 1660 on the docket of said court and styled Glen C. Stevick, vs. Peter Jacoby, et al. Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Suit in trespass to try title, Plaintiff alleging that he is the owner in fee simple of Lots 7 and 8, of Block 47, Original Town of Friona, Parmer County, Texas, and that the Defendants have unlawfully entered thereon and ejected him therefrom, Plaintiff further pleading and evoking the 10-year statute of limitation as same applies to land titles and praying that he have judgment for title and possession of said land, for writ of possession, for damages and such other and further relief to which he may be entitled, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

## The Leonard Watkins Return to Farwell

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Watkins and daughter, Janita Carol, have returned to Farwell to live, from Ft. Worth, where she has been hospitalized with polio.

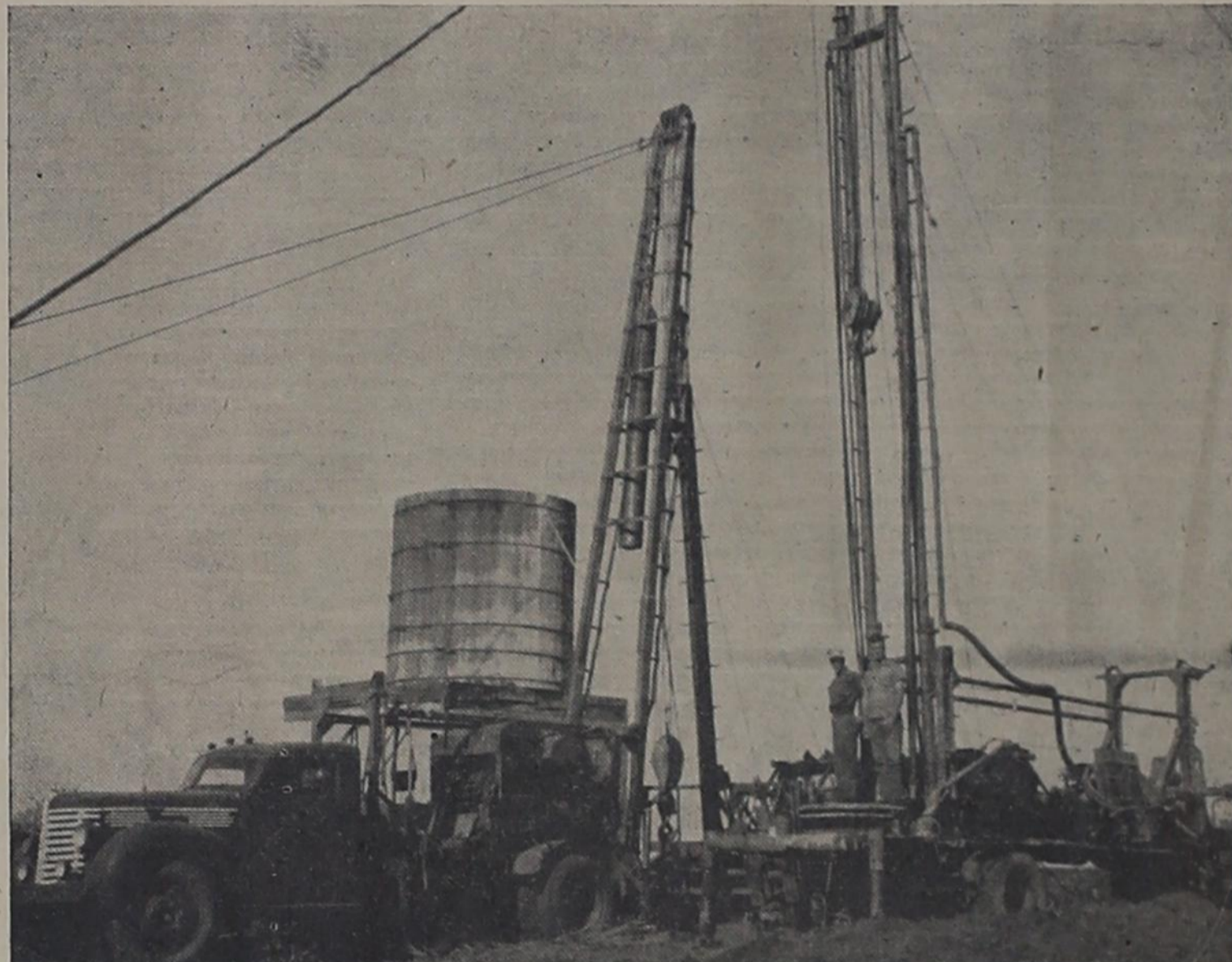
Mrs. Watkins first had the disease the latter part of last year, where they were enrolled in college in Brownwood, at Howard Payne.

Mrs. Watkins still can't walk too well without her braces, but gets around well in her wheel chair, and can do part of her house work, her mother-in-law reports.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved. The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Farwell, Texas, this 13th day of August A. D. 1953.  
Attest: Loyde A. Brewer, Clerk, District Court, Parmer County, Texas.  
(SEAL)

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Born in Bovina, Texas in 1922. Came to Farwell 3 years ago. Been with elevator since first of this year. Married at Bovina, Texas in 1941. Two children, Joan and Gwenlyne. Hobby, fishing.

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**FOR SALE—Two M-M 16-10** drills, one on rubber. Price \$250 and \$300. This equipment in good shape. Can be seen at M. C. Kelly farm 5 miles north of Bovina, 7 miles west, 1 north.

**FOR RENT—300 acres irrigated** land, modern home, telephone, two new 10-inch irrigation wells with electric motors, 200 acres alfalfa, 5 yr. plan, cash lease, 10 percent down, terms. **M. D. Locker**, Route 3, Muleshoe. Phone 3363. 48-3tp.

**FOR SALE—My personal automobile.** Mrs. C. M. Henderson, Farwell. 48-tfnc

**WANTED—Water wells, to drill or repair.** Guaranteed work. See J. F. Vestal, Bovina, Texas, Box 137. 47-4tp.

**Lazbuddie Football Season Opens Friday**

Lazbuddie opens football season with Sunray, Friday, Sept. 11. Coach Dukes has 18 boys out for football and he says they are looking good; however, the team will be small.  
The Longhorns will play Sunray here Friday at 2:30 p. m. Leading the Longhorn attack will be three senior boys: Jerry Gleason, back; Frank Spittler, end; and Leonard Smith, center.

The following boys are out for football: Jerry Gleason, Frank Spittler, Leonard Smith, David White, Joe Briggs, Sammie Cox, Jim Gordon, Robert Ivy, Jimmie Ivy, Weldon Crim, Jimmie Oliver, Leon Smith, Olen Ivy, Jim Roy Daniel, Glen Watkins, Jerry Hall, Johnny Gammon, Durwood Teague.

The Longhorns will play nine games this year, which include five home games and four away from home.

**SCHEDULE**

**FOR RENT—Three rooms and a bath.** Apply at Home Grocery, Texico. 48-1tc.

**ENSILAGE FOR SALE—20 acres** irrigated cane for silage. Located six miles west Bovina on 80-ft. road on Howard Ellison place. 46-3tp.

Sept. 11.....Sunray, home.  
Sept. 18.....Smyer, home  
Sept. 25.....Cotton Center, away  
Oct. 2.....Petit, home  
Oct. 9.....Bula, away  
Oct. 15.....Spade, home  
Oct. 23.....Southland, home  
Oct. 29.....New Home, away  
Nov. 6.....Three-Way, away

All Lazbuddie home games will be played at 2:30 p. m. and all games away will be played at 7:30 p. m.  
The Cotton Center game will be played at Spade.

**Olka. Lane Methodists Plan Future Activities**

The Oklahoma Lane commission on education met Monday night with ten present.

Plans for the Methodist rally promotion were discussed, and the date was set for Oct. 4 when the children will have a program during the morning service.

It was decided to secure a bulletin board and a suggestion box to be placed in the hall. A visitation program was set up with each class to visit people in their own age group, and a goal to be set

Orie Jones left this week for the service, his wife reports. She did not know where he would be stationed for his initial training.

The Jimmy Temples of Roswell were here Sunday to visit his grandmother, Mrs. J. C. Temppele, and Ruby Dixon and Laura.

For each class.

There will be a watermelon feast on family night, Wednesday, Sept. 16. Those who have melons will bring several. Everyone who wishes to enjoy fellowship with us is invited to attend. There will be planned recreation for all and a spiritual program led by Mrs. Tom Lindop.

The following teachers were elected at the meeting: Mrs. Lee Jones and Mrs. Wendol Christian, intermediate; Mrs. R. E. Blankenship, junior department; Mrs. Tom Lindop, Mrs. L. L. Cooper, and Mrs. Leon Billingsley in the primary class.

Mrs. Sam Billingsley and Mrs. Tom Foster, kindergarten; Mrs. G. A. Bandy, Mrs. Eugene Rea and Mrs. Jim Billingsley, nursery.

Miss Mona McDorman was re-elected treasurer and Melvin Suderth was again named superintendent by the official board. Billy Joe Foster is assistant, and Mrs. Doyn Merriman superintendent of children's work.

**Oklahoma Lane Now Has Phones**

At long last Oklahoma Lane people can call from their homes into town since service began for the exchange last week. Over one hundred subscribers are listed for the Oklahoma Lane community.

The new telephone users can call Farwell by using the prefix number eight and prefix number for Oklahoma Lane is seven. Any other calls from Oklahoma Lane must be made long distance through the Clovis operator.

**Parmer People Go To Lubbock**

Several Parmer County people were in Lubbock Thursday to attend the District Farm Bureau Meeting.

Those attending were: E. G. Snodgrass, Earl Stevenson, Aubrey Ellison, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Parr, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Buske and Deann, Gay Ann McFarland, Mr. and Mrs. Tiny Magness and Jacquelyn, Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Boatman, Ralph Smith, Raymond Euler, Harry Hamilton, and Denise Magness competed in the District Queen contest.

Genghis Kahn Conquered Asia in the 13th century.

**Nancy Aldridge To Return To Stephens**

Hundreds of "Stephens Susies" from each of the forty-eight states and from twenty foreign countries and territories will converge on Columbia, Mo., by train, plane and car for the opening of the fall term at Stephens College on September 13.

Soon after their arrival Stephens students will be officially welcomed by President Thomas A. Spragens in a convocation which will mark the beginning of the one hundred twenty-first year since the founding of the school in 1833.

Returning early to Stephens College to attend Annual Campus-Leaders Conference on September 10 is Miss Nancy Aldridge, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Aldridge of Farwell. Miss Aldridge is Social Service Project Chairman for Kappa Alpha Phi sorority.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Graham Jr. and Ronny were in Bovina and Friona Sunday afternoon.

Les Means returned home Sunday after two months in Ruidoso.

A dustman in England is a garbage man.

Dinosaurs lived on earth for 100 million years.



**WALTER HARDAGE**  
Owner

Born in Seymour, Texas in 1911. Came to Farwell in 1932. Hobby, watching television.



**JOE WHITE**  
Service Manager

Born at Farwell, Texas in 1924. Been with company 6 years. Married at Clovis, N. M. June 10, 1953. Hobby, Hunting.

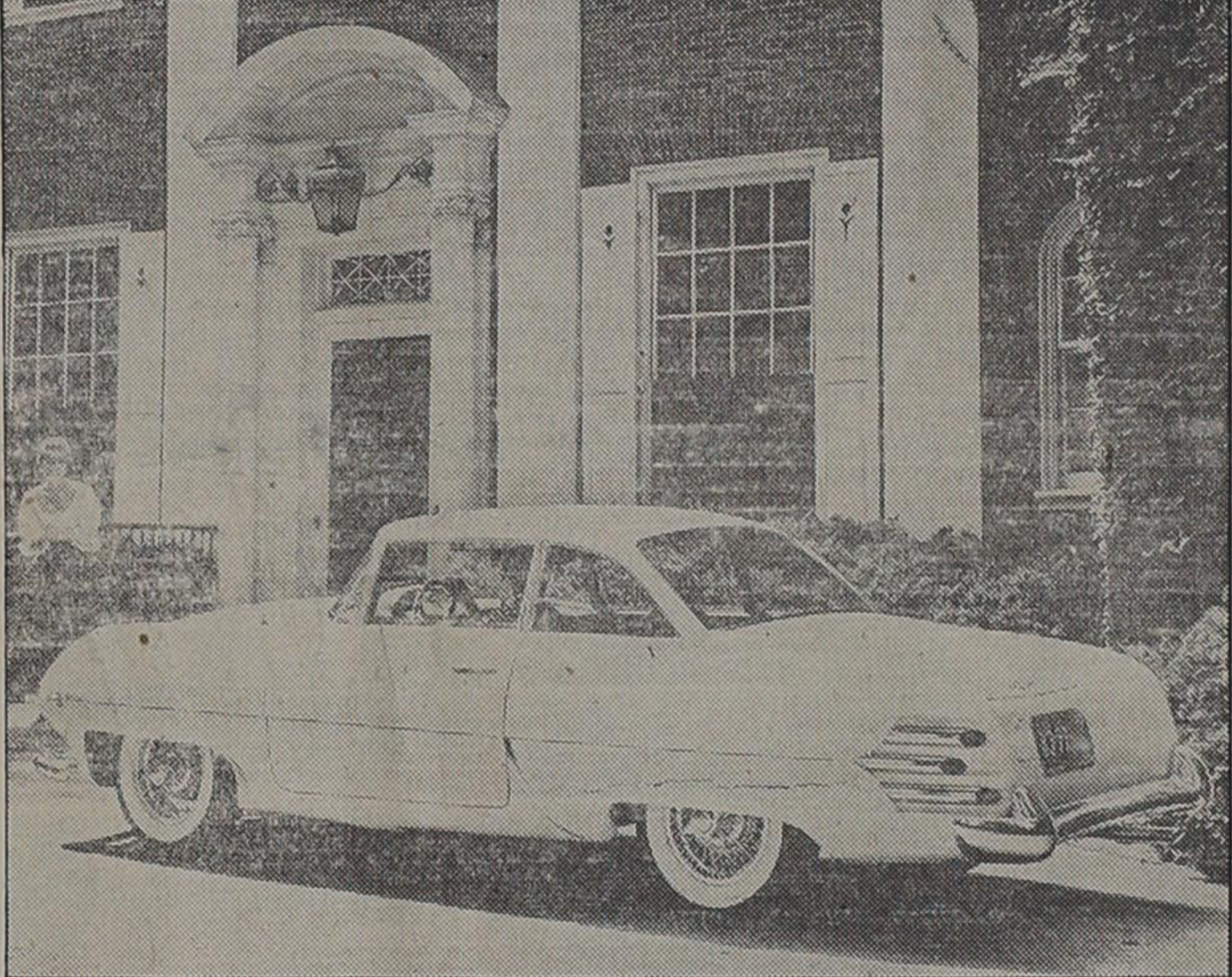


**HUGH TUCKER**  
Mechanic

Born at Myra, Texas in 1908. Came to Farwell in 1943. Been with company 6 year. Married at Texico, N. M. in 1931. 4 children. Hobby, chewing tobacco.

**IT'S COMING**

**WATCH FOR AN ANNOUNCEMENT NEXT WEEK ON THE WONDERFUL 1954 MODELS OF THE FABULOUS HUDSON AUTOMOBILES.**



Smart looking stern of the Hudson Italia is dressed with a triple bank of chrome tubing faired vertically into each rear fender; actually they hold the taillights, signal lights and back-up lights. The Italia has a 105" wheelbase and is powered by a 114-hp. Hudson Jet engine. However, the car is designed to handle the powerful Hornet engine, as well.

Since 1944 we have sold and serviced Hudson automobiles for the people of this territory. In 1949 we erected the building in which we are now located. We have made many friends here, and hope you will remain so. Through our employees, we feel we can give you service that is backed by years of experience. Our shop foreman Joe White has attended many factory training schools, and has been a mechanic in our shop five years.

Hugh Tucker and Ben Atkins are mechanics with many years experience. Howard Ham has been selling and servicing tires and batteries with us since we have been in business here and we feel he can help you.

We realize we are a part of a small community and we try to operate our business accordingly. We are grateful for the privilege of serving you.

**WE EXTEND OUR CONGRATULATIONS TO THE 1953 PARMER COUNTY DAIRY SHOW & FAIR.**

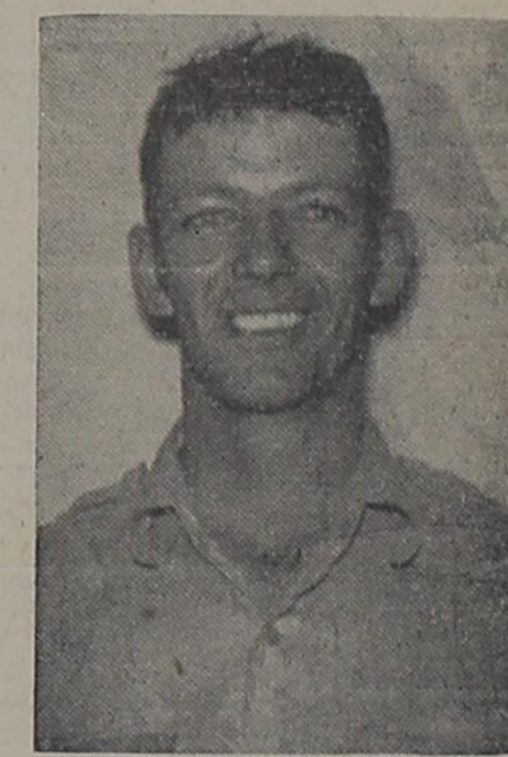
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FARWELL, TEXAS



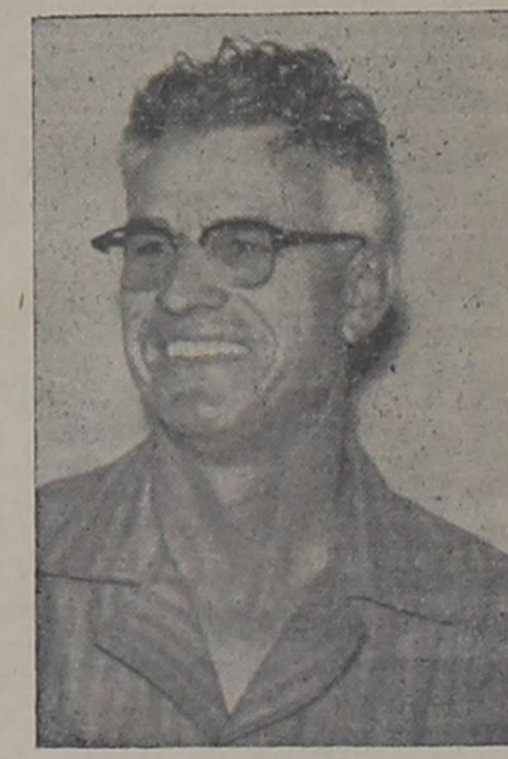
**FERN HARDAGE**  
Owner

Born at Friendship, Arkansas. Came to Farwell in 1935. Married at Friendship, Arkansas in 1935, April 27th. Three children, Peggy, Gerald and Jimmie. Hobby, helping Walter in the business.



**HOWARD HAM**  
Tire Serviceman

Born at Bradshaw, Texas in 1924. Came to Farwell in 1925. Been with company 6 years. Married at Colber, Okla. in 1950. One child, Bethney Lea. Hobby, hunting.



**BEN ATKINS**  
Mechanic

Born at Arch County, Texas in 1910. Came to Farwell, December, 15th, 1952. Been with company since that time. Married at Hugo, Oklahoma in 1937. Four children. Two boys and two girls. Hobby, fishing and hunting.



# Social Events of Interest

## Bernice Christian, Darrell Norton Marry Sunday

Miss Bernice Christian became the bride of Darrell Norton in a candlelight ceremony at 4 o'clock on the afternoon of September 6 at the Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church. The double-ring ceremony was performed by Rev. Vernon E. Willard, pastor of the church.

Mrs. Norton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Everette Christian of Oklahoma Lane; the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Norton of Farwell.

Vows were repeated before an altar of pink and white gladioli with the focal point being dahlias. Palms formed the background to complete the setting. White tapers in wrought iron candelabra provided illumination for the rites.

Vocal selections were given by Miss Joan Cochran and Miss Shirley Smith. Miss Cochran rendered "At Dawning" and Miss Smith sang "The Lord's Prayer" as the couple knelt at the altar.

The candles were lighted by Sonny Spurlin and Charles Phillips, who also served as ushers.

The bride chose for her wedding a ballerina length dress of white lace over white taffeta, fashioned with a semi-off-shoulder neckline with a fitted bodice and full skirt. A lace overjacket featured tight elbow-length sleeves, stand-up collar extending into a slit neckline with a side button effect at the waist. Her shoulder length veil fell from a cap of white taffeta interspersed with minute rhinestones and pearls.

She carried a white Bible topped with a bouquet of pink roses and feathered mums showering from the arrangement.

For "something old" the bride wore a pin used by several of her friends at their marriages, belonging to the grandmother of Mrs. Joe White. Her costume was "something new"; rhinestones belonging to an aunt, Mrs. Lee Jones, were borrowed; and the blue was a handkerchief given her by her sister, Mrs. John McFarland. She wore the traditional penny in her shoe for good luck.

Miss Laverna Christian, sister of the bride, served as maid of honor and wore a street-length dress of rose taffeta with white accessories. Her flowers were pink carnations and baby mums. Serving the groom as best man was his brother, Gerald Norton.

Miss Darlene Sprawls was at the piano, and Miss Marye Pair presided at the registration desk.

**Reception Is Held**  
Immediately following the wedding a reception was held in the home of the bride's parents. The newlyweds cut the first slice of the three-tiered cake, then Miss Peggy Woodson served, assisted by Mrs. John McFarland and Mrs. D. K. Kittrell, who served punch. Barbara Christian presided at the guest book.

For her traveling costume the bride chose a brown two-piece dress with a full skirt and fitted bodice. She wore brown accessories.

A senior in the Farwell school, Mrs. Norton will complete her high school education by correspondence. Norton is a 1952 graduate of the school, now stationed with the Air Force in Amarillo.

A shower was given in honor of the bride on Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 2 in the Oklahoma Lane Methodist Fellowship Hall. Hostesses were Mesdames W. P. Shelley, O. W. Pair, Clyde Perkins, W. T. Magness, Joe White, Ed McGuire, Dick Gerles, Tom Foster, L. M. Grissom and Vernon Willard.

A lace-covered table was centered with cut flowers in pink and white. Punch and cookies were served by Mrs. Joe White and Mrs. Clyde Perkins, with Mrs. Herman Gerles presiding at the guest book.

Those attending were Mesdames Alta Gerles, Rochelle Christian, Lee Jones, A. J. Jones, Oris Jones, Jim Billingsley, Jimmy McGuire, Ernest Kube, Virgil Woodson, Ted Sheets, L. L. Norton, Doyn Merriman, Everette Christian, John McFarland, Ann Smith, Billie Kittrell, W. N. Foster, Leon Billingsley, D. W. Carpenter, Avis Carpenter, Wendol Christian, C. C. Christian, John West, and Sterling Donaldson;

Also Mesdames Peggy Woodson, Bettie Foster; Laverna, Barbara and Belva Christian; Marcia Foster, June Christian, Gwendolyn and Lanell Christian, Zeldia Donaldson and Wilma Norton.

Regrets were received from: Mesdames G. T. Watkins, Leonard Watkins, Pauline Sheets, Otis Branscum, Jack Roach, Mary Kriegel, Mary Rolland, Charlie Hromas, Cecil Rundell, Hattie Gerles, Ella Williams, Joe McWilliams, H. D. Robertson and Nancy, Kate Phillips, Oscar Hubble, Alvin Mace, E. W. Kennedy; Mmes. Cecil Berry, Charles Lovelace, Elaine Lawson and Charlotte, Carl Davis, Cecil Atchley, Charlie Summers, Roy Melugin, Bert Williams, Walter Verner and girls, W. C. Hardage, Ed Blain, M. A. Snider and Wilma, Johnny and JoAnn Williams, Joe Magness, Eurith Crook, Walter Hardage, Billie Phillips, Jeanne Graham;

Mmes. G. D. Anderson and Marilyn, W. E. Martin and Elaine,

## CARD OF THANKS

Let us take this simple means to express our thanks and gratitude to everyone for each kindness rendered us during our bereavement in the death of our loved one. We especially thank you for the food and flowers. May God's blessing be upon each of you.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Woods, Jack and Carlos.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Dollar and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Dollar and family and other relatives.

## Large Crowd Attends First PTA Session

A huge crowd was on hand on Tuesday night for the first meeting of Farwell PTA, Mable Martin, reporter, says. Dick Gerles opened the session with a prayer, which was followed by the singing of "America."

Kenneth Fields, grade school principal, and W. M. Roberts, high school principal, introduced all the new teachers. Attendees who were at the Farwell PTA for the first time then introduced themselves.

After singing and visitation, the PTA officers were presented. Punch and cookies were served by the executive committee.

Mrs. Cain's first grade was given the parent's attendance prize. Mrs. Martin says that at last account, about 100 members were listed for PTA this year.

## Family Dinner In Matthews Home

A family dinner was given in the W. J. Matthews home Sunday in honor of their nephews, Nathan and Hurshel Harding, who are leaving soon for college.

Nathan goes to Ft. Worth to the Baptist seminary and Hurshel will be in law school at Baylor University, Waco. Present for the dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Ed McDaniel, Clovis; Mrs. Effie Ward, Oklahoma City; Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Klump, Muleshoe; Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Harding and Jim; Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Harding and Nathan and Hurshel; Larry O. Neal of Farwell, and the host and hostess.

## Mrs. Horton Gives Book Review

The WMU met Monday at 10 a. m. in the home of Mrs. Johnny Williams. Mission study chairman gave a short devotional. Then Mrs. Dewey Horton presented the first part of the book review, "The West is Big".

Each one brought a covered dish and lunch was served at noon. Rev. Horton then presented the remainder of the book review.

## Visits Grandparents

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Curry have had as their guest, their grandson, Sammy Dale Urbach. He visited with them and other relatives for six weeks. He had to return to his home in Hermosa Beach, Calif. to prepare for school. He is the five-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Urbach.

## Golden Wedding Reception Planned

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Atchley are celebrating their golden wedding anniversary with open house Sunday September 13th. Friends are invited to call at their home in Texico between the hours of two to five in the afternoon.

## Have Sunday Guest

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde W. Jaggen of Houston Texas were in the home of Uncle Billy Alverson and his wife Sunday. Mrs. Jaggen is a niece of Uncle Billy and he hadn't seen her since she was a baby.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Murray and daughter from Groom visited in the home of their son, Calvin Murray last weekend

Caryetta Crume, J. T. Coburn, Roylene Hawkins, O. B. Pipkin, Dickie Magness and Leon Grissom; Nancy and Mary Bell Aldridge, Lola Grissom, Marye Pair, June Norton, Mary Alice Cochran, Donalita Hawkins, Mildred Davies.

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INSURANCE  
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Farwell, Texas

## Wedding Vows Unite McDaniel-Ferguson

An informal double-ring ceremony united in marriage Esther McDaniel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles McDaniel, and Ronny Ferguson, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Ferguson, Sunday, August 30, in the Texico Baptist Church. The nuptials were read at 4 o'clock in the afternoon by Rev. C. C. Morgan, pastor.

The bride was attired in a two-piece blue taffeta dress with three quarter length sleeves. Accessories to her costume were in white.

Traditional wedding music was played by Miss Anita Brown, while Patricia Morgan sang "I Love You Truly" and "Always".

The bride carried out the custom of something old, new, borrowed and blue. For something old and a good luck coin, she wore in her shoe an 1876 dime, belonging to her father; her dress was both new and blue; and borrowed was the white Bible, belonging to her sister, Mrs. Kenneth Willis.

The couple chose Margie Crooks as maid of honor and Aryle Crooks as best man for their attendants.

Immediately following the rites a reception was held in the undercroft of the church.

The three-tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom was cut traditionally by the bride and groom. Cake and punch were served by Mrs. Jerry Paul and Mrs. Buddy Pearce, close friends of the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. Ferguson were both 1953 graduates of Texico High School and will reside in Texico.

## Former Local Girl Is Engaged

Announcement has been made of the engagement of Miss Janie Graham to Louis F. (Snooky) Russell, both of Lubbock.

She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Graham, Lubbock, and is a graduate of the Farwell High School. Since she has attended Harding College at Searcy, Ark., and ACC.

Russell was graduated from Morton High School, has attended ENMU at Portales and is at present a student at Texas Tech.

## Home for Weekend

Billy Crane was home visiting in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Crane last weekend. Billy is working in Jal N. M.

## To Be Married



## Engagement of Miss Foster Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Foster announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Bettie, to Norman C. Sulser, son of Mrs. Ella Susler of Earth, Texas. Vows will be repeated September 27 at 7 o'clock in the evening in Oklahoma Lane Methodist church. Rev. Hugh Blaylock of Anton, brother-in-law of the bridegroom, will read the double-ring ceremony.

Miss Foster was graduated from Farwell schools in 1951 and attended McMurry College in Abilene for two years. The past summer, she has been employed in Earth as youth director of the Methodist church. The bridegroom is engaged in irrigation farming at Earth.

Friends of the young couple are invited to attend the wedding.

## Spend Weekend In Socorro, New Mexico

Jo Sondra Magerus and her grandfather, George Messenger, Bellview, New Mexico, were in Socorro, N. M. over the Labor Day weekend.

Miss Magerus visited with friends and attended the county fair, the rodeo, and other affairs in the city. She also spoke to the Postmaster's Convention which was meeting there. She gave the speech with which she won the State public speaking contest. Both Miss Magerus and Messenger attended a luncheon at noon Monday, and returned home Monday afternoon.

Fern Hardage brought a short devotional and coffee and cake were served. Thirteen members attended the meeting.

## Visit In Groom

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Helton visited in Groom last weekend with Mr. Helton's father, J. A. Helton to celebrate his 80th birthday.

## Mrs. Ronny Ferguson Feted With Shower

Mrs. Ronny Ferguson, nee Esther McDaniel, was honored Tuesday afternoon with a post-nuptial shower in the undercroft of the Texico Baptist Church.

The room was decorated with bouquets of gladioli and dahlias. Centerpiece for the serving table was bouquet, dahlias in a cornucopia. A lace cloth covered the table. Refreshments of lemonade, aqua-colored iced cake, and aqua and white mints were served.

The honoree was assisted by her mother, Mrs. Charles McDaniel, and her mother-in-law, Mrs. E. F. Ferguson, in opening her many gifts.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames T. E. Roth, Olan Schleiter, D. J. Brown, Milton Henson, Buddy Pearce, Aryle Crooks, Levi Reid, and Jerry Paul, and Misses Anita Brown and Roxie Henson.

Attendees were Mesdames Howard Whitener, Elmer Ferguson, J. W. Patrick, Morgan Billington, Albert Magerus, Charles McDaniel, Kenneth Willis, Clarence Harriman, W. H. McDaniel, T. H. Richey, C. B. Ferguson, Cecil Dykes, Russell Johnson, and W. J. Matthews, also, Misses Jo Sondra Magerus, and Jill Billington and the hostesses.

## Gloria Sanders Is Worthy Advisor

Gloria Jean Sanders was elected new Rainbow Worthy Advisor for the Bovina Rainbow Monday night. Her Worthy Associate Advisor will be Lavoyda Billington; Peggy Hardage will be Charity; Ysleta Brown, Hope; and Elaine Magness, Faith.

There were 18 girls present, also Pres Abbott, Mrs. Julia Leake, Mrs. Willie Williams and Mrs. Harry Whitley.

Plans were discussed for a talent show for the second Tuesday in October. They also discussed the ice cream sale that was held last week on which they made \$35.

## Fern Hardage Named New President

In a meeting held Monday night in the home of Mrs. W. M. Roberts, the Rebecca class elected Fern Hardage as new president. Mrs. W. M. Roberts was chosen as vice-president and Mrs. Dolly Robinson was elected secretary and treasurer. Mrs. Frank Doshier and Mrs. Audie McManigal were named group captains.

Fern Hardage brought a short devotional and coffee and cake were served. Thirteen members attended the meeting.

## Bert Tipton Marries Portales Girl Recently

Mary Putman of Portales became the bride of Bert Tipton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Tipton of Farwell at 2:30 o'clock August 30 in the New Church of Christ in Clovis. The Church of Christ Minister performed the ceremony.

For something old the bride wore a ring which was 70 years old, belonging to her sister-in-law. Her wedding ensemble was something new and blue, something borrowed was a white Bible which belonged to her sister-in-law.

Those attending the wedding from Texico-Farwell were: Mr. and Mrs. Percy Tipton and Fern, Euel Tipton and daughters and Mrs. Billy Tipton of Clovis.

The reception was held immediately following the ceremony in the apartment of the bridegroom. A three-tiered wedding cake, coffee, punch, and ice cream were served to the guests.

The couple will be at home at 607 West Grand in Clovis.

## Black Social Club Has First Session

The Black Social and Study Club met for their first meeting since June on September 3 at the Club house, with Mrs. Maude Allmon and Carrie Tatum as hostesses.

Zinnias, snapdragons and Dahlias were used in the flower arrangement.

The club discussed and decided to have a booth at the Farmer County Fair, also voted to pay \$5.00 for support to the fair fund.

A refreshment plate of chicken salad, crackers, pineapple pie and iced tea was served to Maude Allmon, Mildred Barnett, Ethel Bengger, Christine Braxton, Jessie Douglas, Maudine Edleman, Emma Mae Hoys, Altha Presby, Maxine Price, Louise Roberson, Luellie Rocky and Carrie Tatum.

## Mrs. E. G. Snodgrass In Charge of Program

"Life and Task of the Church around the World" will be discussed by Mrs. E. G. Snodgrass at Oklahoma Lane WSCS meeting Monday at 2:30.

Mrs. B. J. Foster will give a report on youth work, and Mrs. W. P. Shelley is to present the meditation for the day. Song is by Mrs. Tom Lindop, and Mrs. Sam Billingsley, benediction.

Worship center is by Mrs. Doyn Merriman.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale McCuan and family visited in Littlefield and Lubbock over the Holiday weekend.

## AIRMAID HOSIERY

### JUST ARRIVED

Recently arrived . . . a new shipment of Airmaid Hosiery in popular fall shades. Come in and see our selections.



Texico, New Mexico

## Atchley-Cassady Vows Repeated

August 29 at 7:30 o'clock in the First Methodist church in Ft. Sumner, N. M., Rose Atchley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Atchley of Lariat, became the bride of Phillip Cassady, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Cassady of Texico. The couple was attended by Miss Jimmie Gully of Bentonville, Ark., a close friend of the bride since childhood, and Miss Ann Whitley of Farwell. Attending the groom was George Castleberry of Clovis Air Force Base.

The bride wore a grey ensemble with black accessories. She wore a corsage of pink carnations.

The bride is a graduate of Farwell High school with the class of 1953. The groom is now a senior student at the school. Mrs. Cassady is currently employed at the Sassers Real Estate Co. in Clovis.

## ESA To Have First Session Monday

First meeting of the 1953-54 series of get-togethers for Epsilon Sigma Alpha will be held Monday night in the home of Margie Crooks in Texico, beginning at 8 o'clock.

No program is planned, and business for the group will be on the agenda. Dorothy Quickel, vice-president, is to preside in the absence of the president, Gladys Kaltwasser, who is in London, England. Current discussion will center on the sequel to the Womanless Wedding, to be staged soon by ESA.

# MEET THE GANG AT KEMP LUMBER

On the 25th of this month, Kemp Lumber Company will observe its 50th anniversary. The Company was started in Texico in 1904 by Mr. Milton Brown, first manager. About 1910 it was moved from Texico to Farwell in its present location. Mr. Ed Shappell was manager at that time.

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FARWELL, TEXAS



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Manager

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**CAPTOLA CRUME**  
Bookkeeper

Born at Olney, Texas. Came to Farwell in 1919. Been with company ten years. Hobby, her children.



**PHILLIP CRUME**  
Yard Helper

Born at Clovis, N. M. in 1937. Came to Farwell in 1943. Has worked part-time for the company for 4 months. Hobby, basketball.



**GASTON "DYKE" LANDRUM**  
Yard Man

Born in Farwell, Texas in 1925. Been with company four years. Hobby, hunting.



**Mrs. Crume Here Over The Weekend**

Mrs. Vance Crume and children were here Saturday. Mrs. Crume assisted with work at The Tribune and her three daughters, Judy, Betsy and Prissy, visited their grandmother, Mrs. W. H. Graham. Mrs. Crume was here Monday for further work on the paper.

**The George Hills Are Guests Here**

Pfc. and Mrs. George Hill and little George were here Saturday to visit their local friends. He is the former band director at Texico schools, and is now in the army stationed in El Paso.

The Hills were dinner guests Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Graham Jr.

**Class To Meet**

The Companion class of the Baptist church of Texico will meet in the home of Mrs. T. E. Roth Tuesday. Election of officers will be held. Plans are to have a guest speaker for the program.

Mansill Cranfill of Tucumcari is home visiting his parents this weekend.

**Visit With Parents**

Doris Leavell from Jal, New Mexico and Mark Leavell from Hobbs, New Mexico visited in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Leavell last weekend.

**TO Albuquerque**

Mr. and Mrs. Woody Lovelace and Dianne were in Albuquerque over the weekend to visit in the home of his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arlon Lovelace.

**FFA Boys, Parents Have Ice Cream**

Farwell FFA members and their parents were together for an ice cream supper, held at the school house. Cake was served with the ice cream. Attendants then played table games. FFA boys expressed appreciation to their mothers for furnishing the food for the social.

In an officers meeting Monday, FFA executive committee decided on activities for the coming year. They discussed the annual barbecue, summer trip and money-making projects. Their suggestions will be presented to the entire FFA in a session Monday night at the school.

The Tribune has more readers!

*jottin's*  
from jeanne

In a weekly timely tips column, Extension service of Texas A&M tells us that cheese, which is an excellent source of protein and fat as well as essential minerals and vitamins, absorbs other flavors. Therefore, we are advised to wrap it in waxed paper, aluminum foil or cellophane before storing in the refrigerator.

We didn't realize this, although we always wrap cheese in foil. It was just a habit we acquired quite a long time ago, and hadn't thought much about "why."

Another hint on cheese, is to cook it at a low temperature, otherwise it becomes stringy and tough.

Dorothy Quickel was quite obliging and permitted us to print the recipe for a gelatin salad, which we referred to, in this column recently. As we said previously, it is delicious.

Dorothy takes one package of lime or lemon jello, and dissolves

it in 2 cups of water or pineapple juice. She then adds two packages of cream cheese, olives, nuts and pimento, and chills. Not only is the flavor excellent, it makes an attractive mold salad.

First thing we noticed when we ventured out of our house Monday morning on the way to work, was an unusual number of small people—all headed in the same direction, many of them accompanied by their elders. Then we realized—school begins today.

Just watching their faces, was a study. It was quite evident that some of the children, had been waiting for this day all summer, and others were taking a more "resigned" attitude.

But the first graders are the ones who take our eye. We noticed Dorothy Eason and her small daughter, Peggy, walking toward the school house. Peggy was all dressed up, looking cute as a button, and holding her mother's hand as they walked along. Her face looked as though she had just seen Santa Claus. We don't know what she was telling her mother, or what questions she was asking, but there was one fact that was evident. Monday was a big day in her life.

Aren't you surprised when you really stop long enough to realize

"how time flies"? Recently, two of our childhood friends, Mrs. Betty Penn and Mrs. LaRue Garvin, were here to spend the weekend with us. Friday evening, we began looking at old high school annuals and pictures taken through the years, and suddenly realized that we were young matrons now—and those carefree, teen-age days were gone forever.

Bets began school with us, and we went all the way through school together, receiving our high school diplomas at the same time. Then we roomed together for three years at Tech. She completed her degree early by going to summer school.

So actually, we haven't been together much in the past four years. But Friday night, when we were discussing all the good times, and the major calamities we suffered several years ago, from the first grade through our junior year in college, we practically relived all our escapades. There are so many things—unimportant, yet commanding a major spot in our memories. It was at Bets fifth birthday party that we committed our first "terrible" social error, and we'll never forget it. We were all seated around the table, and were waiting until all of us were served. Bets' mother had just placed our hot chocolate before us, when we turned to talk to someone, and knocked the cup over on the nice clean cloth.

We have had embarrassing situations, many times since, but none that have remained with us like that one. Bets and yours truly were fast friends from that day, however.

Our birthdays were only three weeks apart and—we always celebrated together—we took our driver's tests at the same time; we had our first dates, went with the same boys, double-dated, and confided in one another. We've had many friendships, met many wonderful people, but this has been one of our most enduring relationships.

Maybe it is because Bets is so even-tempered. She is one of those people you can't argue with—she won't let you! But we still have very much in common, we like the

same things. Both of us love to be around people; like Snuffy Smith in the funny papers; like to go places, keep busy, family life, and enjoy nothing more than a good laugh. Growing older and getting longer skirts and bigger shoes hasn't changed that. If we have as much fun in the next 23 years as we've had the past 23, we won't be able to do much reminiscing in two days, it will take two months.

Farwell PTA set up a booth at the school the first day to take memberships, and walked away with 48 paid members, the very first day of school. Our observations are that this PTA is one of the most active that we have seen anywhere, even in larger schools. The executive committee has been working for the past month, getting the yearbooks ready for distribution the very first meeting of the year, arranging programs, and getting ready for the coming year.

There's nothing slow about this group, there is a job to be done and they plan to do it. If you want to see some of the handiwork of the organization, just drive around the school yard. They set aside about \$300 last year to landscape the school grounds, and a terrific improvement has been made.

The husband in the household had a birthday in August. We contemplated for several weeks on a fitting gift for him, and just a week before the eventful day, the arm came off the "old faithful" rocker that had seen him through high school and college.

So, since he can't be without a "rocky" chair for rest and relaxation for his reading, we went over and purchased a new one. There is only one drawback, we have already discovered.

He feels that the new one is "his" chair, and he gets first choice. (It is the only really comfortable chair we own.) So we just move to another chair, except when Junior protests. He still has us buffaloed when it comes to the rocking chair.

Last week, Farwell children, again started to school, and Tex-

ico youngsters began earlier. At school time each morning, and in the afternoon when studies are over, the streets and sidewalks are clogged with the youngsters. But we noticed this week that motorists still breeze by, in front of the shop and on school streets. We are no exception, we aren't always as careful as we should be.

But isn't it time we began thinking about the situation before some child is hurt? Here in Texico-Farwell, we have had a good record for safety among school children, but we are not immune to accidents. By observing simple traffic rules, we can go other years without injuries.

But it will take cooperation—not only from the motorists, but from the children and the parents. The parents need to teach safety rules to the children.

From Santa Fe Railway public relations department: A woman usually has eight excuses to buy something: because her husband says she can't have it, it will make her look thin, it comes from Paris, her neighbors can't afford it, nobody has one, everybody has one, it's different and "because".

Newest thing for this winter: Flannelette petticoats, decorated with bright, pastel ribbons and lace. They are designed to insure warmth at football games, and other outdoor functions.

Women over on the New Mexico side of the line can compete for \$2,600 and three free trips to New York City in the New Mexico State Fair, in the crochet contest. Fair is in Albuquerque.

Contest classifications include: tablecloths, bedspreads, luncheon cloths and sets, centerpieces, buffet and vanity sets, chair sets, dollies, scarves and wall panels; household accessories, edgings and inserts, fashion accessories, pot holders and hot plate mats, doll clothes. Divisions: men only, teen-age girls, women over 65.

Details can be obtained by writing State Fair office, PO Box 1693, Albuquerque.

Get out those needles ladies. (Continued on page 10)

**BEST WISHES**

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PARMER COUNTY DAIRY SHOW  
AND FAIR**



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Feeding Advisor

John Getz, upper right, and Joann Getz, lower right, came to Farwell from Peoria, Illinois five years ago. They were married in Illinois in 1941 and have one child, Michael, age 9. They purchased the Purina Feed Store in July, 1948.



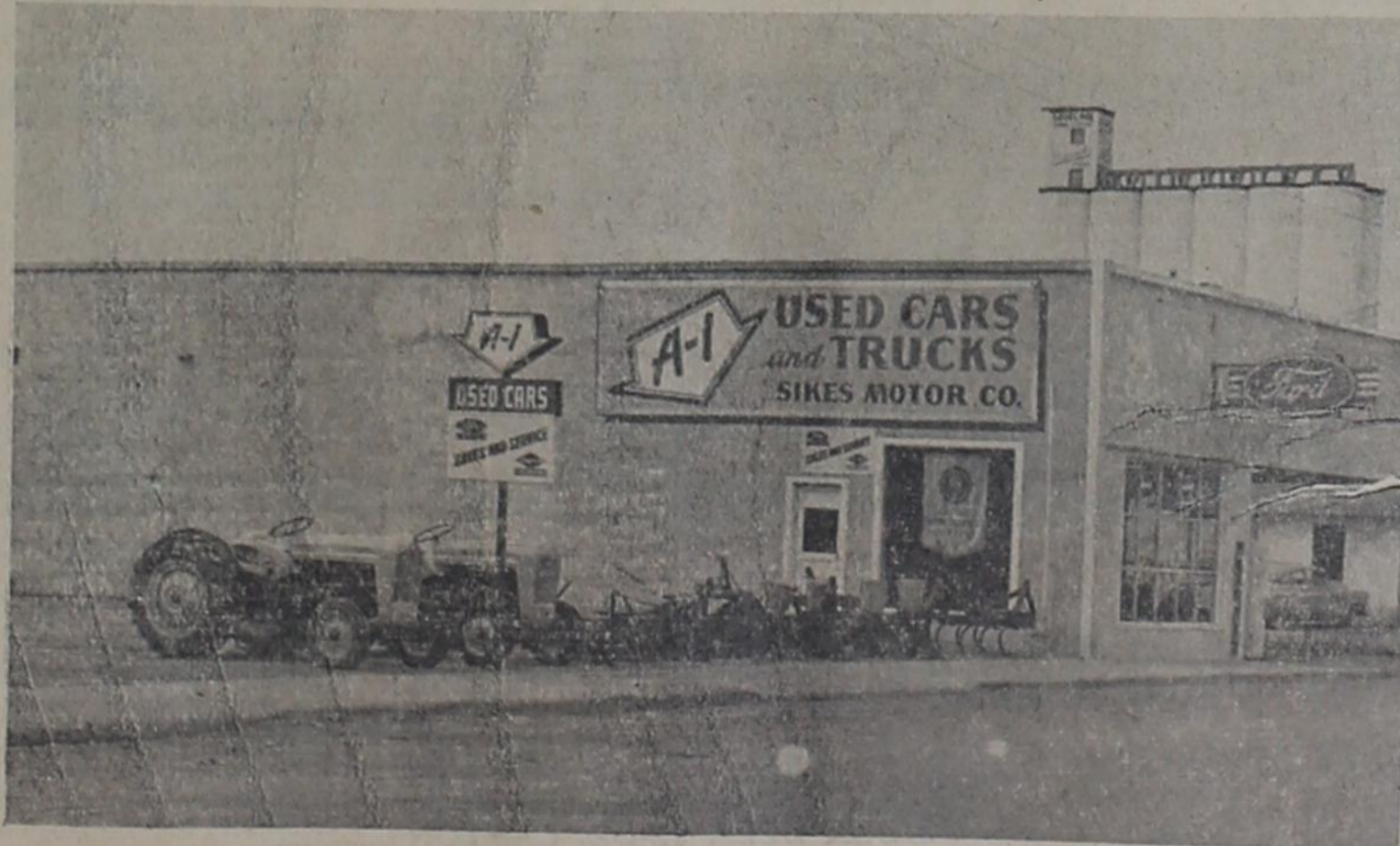
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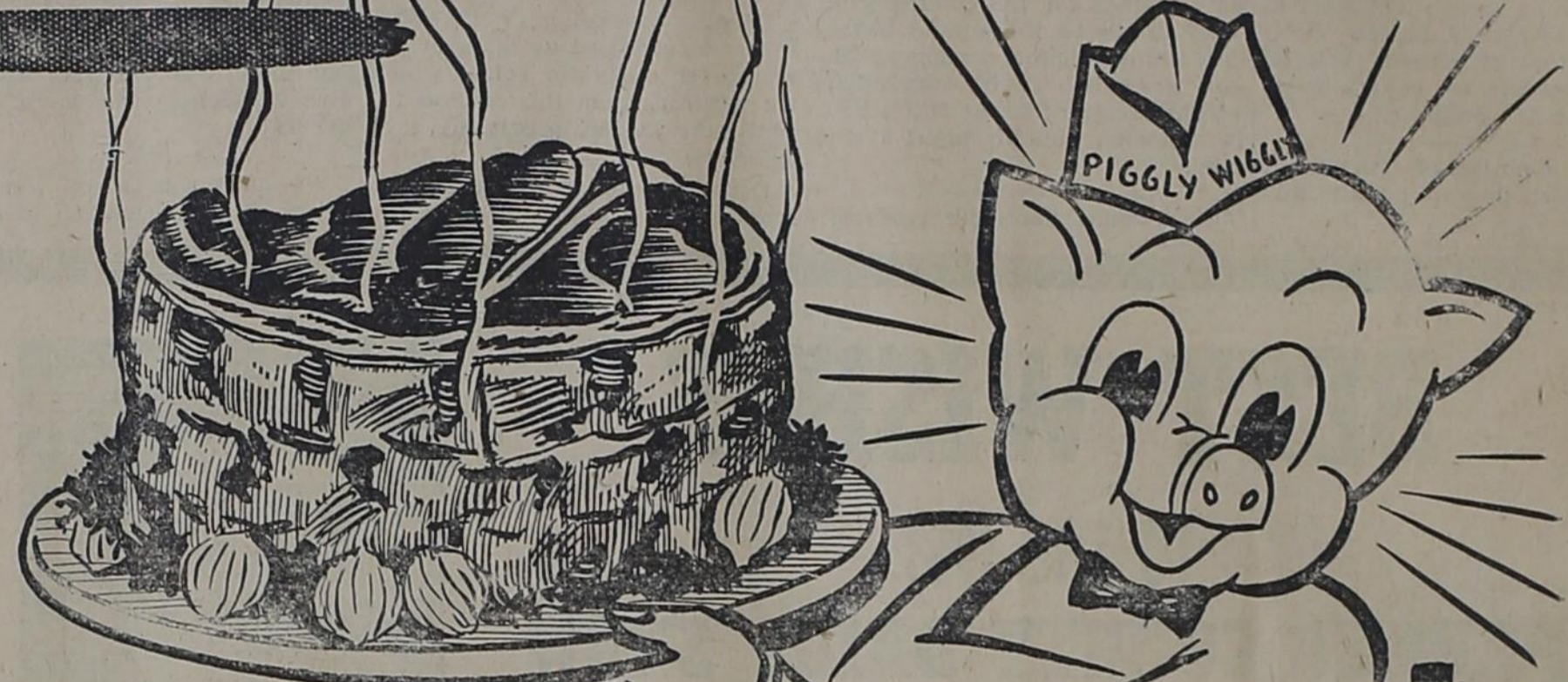
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# »Bovina News«

Jeanne Kerby, Correspondent

Phone 4441

## Old Man Stork Brings Two New Citizens

There were two new citizens for Bovina this week. Mr. and Mrs. Nickie Foster welcomed their second son on Friday at the Clovis Memorial Hospital. The little boy weighed seven pounds and 12 ounces and has been named Anthony Gene. Their other son is eighteen months old.

Grandparents of the little boy are Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Wilson of Bovina and Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Foster of Farwell.

The other little boy was born on Sunday morning, to Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Grissom and was also born at the Clovis Memorial Hospital. He weighed seven pounds and has been named Odis Dwayne. This is their first child.

Grandparents of this little boy are Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ellison of Bovina and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Grissom of the Oklahoma Lane Community.

Old man stork must be getting a little slow. A few years ago when Bass Elliott had been serving in Korea, he beat the stork home by just a few hours and C. W. had been serving with the Navy in Japan, and he just beat the stork a few hours, arriving home Saturday. After the little boy was born he was heard to comment that it was a little easier in Japan.

## Bovina PTA Begins Year Monday Night

The Bovina P. T. A. will open its year of activity Monday night, Sept. 14, in the school auditorium. This first meeting will be to honor the teachers, the pastors of the community, and especially the new families of the community.

A special invitation is extended to all new families in the community whether they have children in school or not and they are urged to attend by the incoming officers.

The executive committee and the program committee have been working through the summer months and have done a good job. They have yearbooks printed and programs are planned. They have some very good programs during the year, and it is hoped that they can build up the interest of the community in P. T. A. and its activities.

The subject for the program on Monday night will be "Homes, Schools, and Churches." The leader for the evening will be Mrs. Gene Snodgrass. Those taking part on the program will be Mrs. Melvin Sudderth, homes, C. T. Ratliff, schools, and Mrs. Charlotte Brice, churches.

They will introduce the teachers to those present and at the close of the meeting they will have a reception with the officers acting as hostesses.

## Bovina Mustangs Begin Season

The Bovina Mustangs will open their 1953 football season on Friday night, when they play host to the Melrose Buffaloes. The Buffs opened their season last Friday night, when they took a 6-0 win over Estancia.

The Mustangs will have eleven returning lettermen. They include Don Barron, Dale Berggren, Owen Burnett, Lynn Isham, Huey Lowrie, Don Owens, Darrell Read, Eddie Steelman, Norman Taylor, Leon Ware, and Charles Williams. They have 27 boys coming out for football this year.

They will not have as much weight in the line as they did last year. Their biggest boy will be Lynn Isham at 238 pounds. He is the only boy over two hundred. Charlie Williams weighs in at 181 and all the other boys will be below 180.

The game will get underway at 8 p. m. and officials will be Stagner, Criswell, and Martin from Hereford. Admission for the games this year will be 25 cents for children through the third grade, 50 cents for all other school students and \$1 for adults.

## Church Will Have Quarterly Conference

The Bovina Methodist Church will have its first quarterly conference next Monday evening, Sept. 14. Dr. Marvin E. Boyd, district superintendent of the Plainview district, will preside at the meeting. This is the most important meeting of this year for the congregation.

Preceding the conference, there will be a basket dinner beginning at the church at 7:30 o'clock. The Woman's Class is arranging the dinner, and has asked that everyone bring a large family basket of food and enjoy this fellowship together. Rev. W. G. White asks that the entire congregation endeavor to attend this quarterly conference.

Mozelle Moore returned home Monday night from a visit in Magnolia, Ark.

## MARRIES BOB KELLY



Pictured above is Mrs. Bobby Kelly, former Miss Margaret Laing of Portales, N. M. Vows were spoken in August in Tijuana, Mexico. Kelly is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Odis White, Bovina.

## Speech Is New Subject Offered

Speech is a new subject in the Bovina High School this year and is being taught by Mrs. Lee Roberts from Gruver, Texas.

There are ten students enrolled in speech, including juniors and seniors. They have formed a club and have elected officers as follows:

Marcella Verner, president; Lillian Young, vice-president; Norman Killough, secretary; Dale Berggren, treasurer; Wanda Roberts, reporter; Margaret Verner, recreation chairman. Serving on the recreation committee will be Zane Teeter, Jerry Rogers, Lavonda Carter, Irene Jones and Sammy Sudderth.

The group plans to have a party once a month to practice on conversations and speeches. Tuesday night, September 8, they will be entertained by Mrs. Roberts at her home. They will learn to make introductions.

## Bovina Band Elects Officers for Year

The Bovina band elected its officers last week and the new president, Don Sudderth. Other officers will include vice-president, Charlie Williams; secretary-treasurer, Donna Smith; reporter-historian, Bob Hale; and recreation director, Pat Burnam.

Appointed officers include library sergeant, James Stevens; assistant librarian, Donna Hobdy; equipment sergeant, Donald Lloyd; equipment corporal, Terry Adams; and student director, Edmund Hobdy.

They will make their first appearance Friday night at the football game. They will form a "B" and an "M" for the Bovina Mustangs and a large "M" for the Melrose visitors. They will also do a serpentine.

On Saturday, they will go to Friona to take part in the parade in connection with the county fair.

The revival that has been in progress for the past ten days at the Church of Christ in Bovina closed Sunday. They had dinner on the grounds at the church Sunday and during the afternoon, they had a singing. They reported a very good revival.

## BOVINA BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

The music school got well underway last Sunday night during the Training Union hour, with over 100 enrolled. C. A. Booher from the music department of the Baptist general convention of Texas was on hand to teach the school.

He began the class with the information of the "Why of Music in the Church." He stated that we have music in the church to sing praises unto God, because we love Him. He started with the fundamentals of music, sight reading, directing, and other phases. The music school will close Thursday night, Sept. 10.

The young people and intermediates went on a hay ride and weiner roast Tuesday night, Sept. 1. There were 48 in attendance.

Last Sunday's attendance report: Sunday school, 166; morning worship, 301; Training Union, 76; evening worship, 138.

A cordial welcome awaits you at the Bovina Baptist Church.

## Bovina Group Has Hayride

The Young People and Intermediates of the Baptist Church enjoyed a hayride and weiner roast on Tuesday night of last week. They went riding on the hay pulled with a tractor and following the hay ride, they returned to the City Park where they had their weiner roast.

There was really a good group going on the outing. Those attending were LaVonda Carter, Mary Lee Webb, Anthony Whitfield, Paula Whitfield, Joyce Whitfield, Donald Lloyd, Paul Lloyd, Patricia Lloyd, Patsy Steelman, Julius Bradshaw, Dyalitha Bradshaw, Keith Huggins, Donna Jean Hobdy, Kenneth Estes, Danny Pounds, Wilbur Dee Pounds, Bob Hale, Halbert Webb, Billie Ward, Kay Leake, Doris Jaquess, Glenda Jaquess, Ellen Berry, Glenna Gayle Steelman, Evelyn Steelman, Terry Adams, Norman Taylor, Sondra Martin, Sondra Rhinehart, Beverly Roberts, Tempey Willis, Bobbie Jean Routt, Alfred Moody, Denny Ware, Wayne Wilcox, Ruby Wilcox, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kelley, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hawkins and Janie Lou and Rev. and Mrs. M. D. Durham and Marvalynne.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Combs and Mrs. Combs' brother, Tom Mann of Albuquerque, spent the Labor Day weekend in Lubbock visiting with their daughter and family, the Gene Guyers.

Joe Moore visited his brother, L. C., in Amarillo Saturday night.

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## HOME FROM GERMANY

Lt. and Mrs. Nolan Rhodes and son, Steven, arrived Sunday to spend a few weeks visiting with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. G. White of Bovina and Mr. and Mrs. O. M. White of Hobbs, New Mexico. They have been in Germany for the last three years, where Lt. Rhodes has been serving with the armed forces. Their son, Steven, who is now eighteen-months old, was born in Germany. They flew from Frankfurt, Germany to New York City, where they picked up their car that had been shipped across and made the rest of their trip by car.

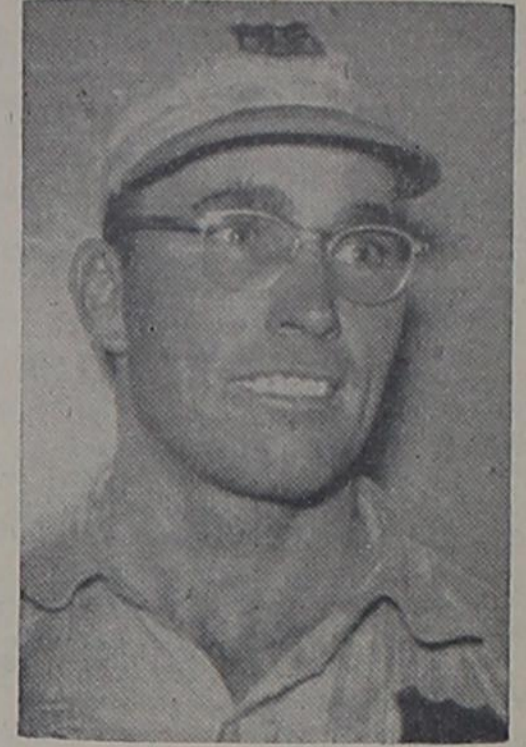
Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rhodes and Randy Lee visited last Thursday and Friday nights with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Moorman. They are from Odesa.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Carter of Liberal, Kans., visited Sunday in the home of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Wilson.

## College Students Return to School

College students are preparing to leave this week and next week to return to their college studies. Some of those leaving in the near future are Jamie Tidenberg and LaVon Rogers, who will be attending Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene; Ella Bradshaw will be returning to Wayland College at Plainview for her senior year; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ware, and Billy Ray Derrick will be returning to Texas Tech at Lubbock; Miss Margie Ann Leake is attending Northwest Texas Hospital School of nursing. There will be others going, but these were the only names available at the time of this writing.

Mrs. W. W. Wilcox and her son, Wayne, and her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Sisco of Hereford have gone to California to bring Sisco's parents back to Texas with them. They will be gone about two weeks.



CECIL RUNDELL

Owner

Born in Bosque County, Texas in 1920. Came to Farwell in 1925. Bought station 9 months ago. Married at Oklahoma Lane in 1940. Three children, Micky Ray, Sandra Louise and Anthony Cecil. Hobby, baseball and hunting.

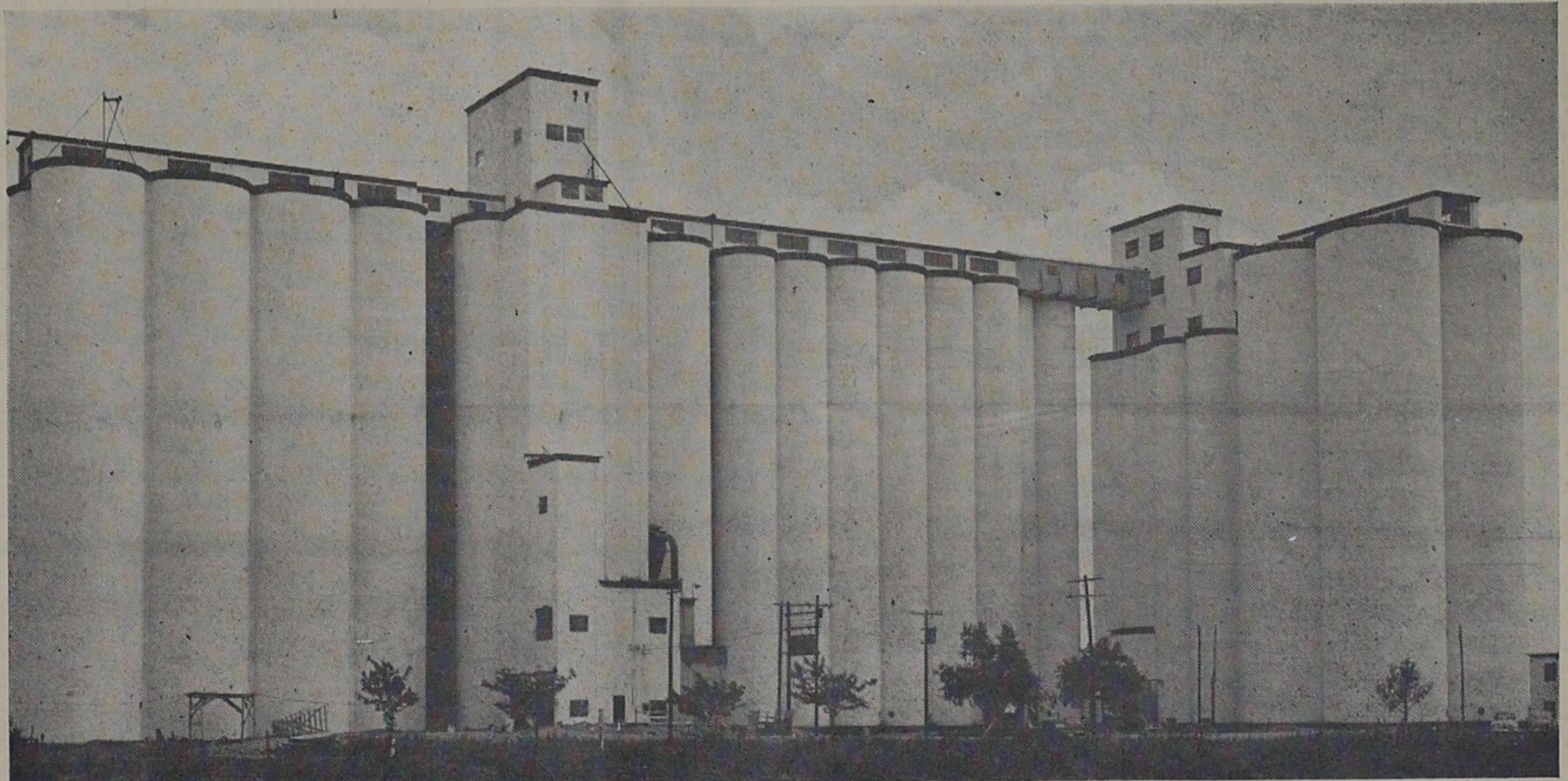
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**FAIR—**  
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before July 1, 1950.  
**CLASS 50**—2-year-old Bulls, calved between July 1, 1950 and June 30, 1951.  
**CLASS 51**—Senior Yearling Bulls, calved between July 1, 1951 and Dec. 31, 1951.  
**CLASS 52**—Junior Yearling Bulls, calved between Jan. 1, 1952 and June 30, 1952.  
**CLASS 53**—Bull Calves, calved between July 1, 1952 and April 1, 1953.  
**CLASS 54**—Senior Champion Bull winners of Classes 49 and 50 compete.  
**CLASS 55**—Junior Champion Bull winners of Classes 51, 52, and 53 compete.  
**CLASS 56**—Grand Champion Bull winners of Classes 54 and 55 compete.  
**CLASS 57**—Mature Cows, calved before July 1, 1948.  
**CLASS 58**—Four-year-old Cows, calved between July 1, 1948 and June 30, 1949.  
**CLASS 59**—Three-year-old Cows, calved between July 1, 1949 and June 30, 1950.  
**CLASS 60**—Two-year-old Heifers, calved between July 1, 1950 and June 30, 1951. May or may not be in milk.  
**CLASS 61**—Senior Yearling Heifers, calved between July 1, 1951 and Dec. 31, 1951. (If in milk, show in Class 60).  
**CLASS 62**—Junior Yearling Heifers, calved between Jan. 1, 1952 and June 30, 1952.  
**CLASS 63**—Heifer Calves, calved between July 1, 1952 and April 1, 1953.  
**CLASS 64**—Senior Champion Female, winners of Classes 57, 58, 59 and 60 compete.  
**CLASS 65**—Junior Champion Female, winners of classes 61, 62 and 63 compete.  
**CLASS 66**—Grand Champion Female, winner of 64 and 65 compete.  
**CLASS 67**—Pair of Cows, owned exhibitor.  
**CLASS 68**—Graded Herd, Bull Classes 49 or 50; 2 cows from Classes 57, 58, 59, 60; 2 Heifers from Classes 61, 62, 63. No more than one from any class.  
**CLASS 69**—Yearling Herd, Bull from Classes 51 or 52. Two Heifers from Classes 61 or 62. Owned by exhibitor.  
**CLASS 70**—Get of Sire: Four animals the get of one sire, both sexes represented. Members of the get of sire may be owned by one or more exhibitors.  
**CLASS 71**—Trio of cows owned by exhibitor.

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**L. M. HARGRAVE**  
 The class division for both Hereford and Angus will be the same but will be judged separately.  
**CLASS 72**—Females, one year and under.  
**CLASS 73**—Females, one year and under two.  
**CLASS 74**—Females, two years and over.  
**CLASS 75**—Grand Champion Female.  
**CLASS 75A**—Best Cow and Calf.  
**CLASS 76**—Bulls, under one year of age.  
**CLASS 77**—Bull, over one year and under two.  
**CLASS 78**—Bulls, two years of age and over.  
**CLASS 79**—Grand Champion Bull.

**DIVISION 8**  
Swine  
**\$306.00 IN PRIZES**  
 Superintendents  
**ROBERT MORTON AND HAROLD CARPENTER**  
 Judge  
**L. M. HARGRAVE**  
**CLASS 80**—Open Gilts.  
**CLASS 81**—Bred Gilts.  
**CLASS 82**—Sows under two years old.  
**CLASS 83**—Sows two years old and over.  
**CLASS 84**—Boars under one year old.  
**CLASS 85**—Boars over one year old.  
**CLASS 86**—Sow and litter.  
**CLASS 87**—Fat Barrows 160 lbs. to 225 lbs.  
**CLASS 87A**—Fat Barrows 226 lbs. and up.  
**CLASS 88**—Pen of 3 fat barrows.  
**CLASS 89**—Fat Litter, consisting of 5 or more hogs.  
 All breeds of hogs will be judged separately, and the above classes set up will be used for each breed.

**DIVISION 9**  
Agricultural Products  
**PRIZES \$19.50**  
 Superintendent  
**HAROLD LILLARD**  
 Judge  
**J. K. ADAMS**  
**CLASS 90**—Corn (10 ears)  
 Popcorn  
 Corn  
**CLASS 91**—Small Grain (each sample to be one gallon).  
 Wheat  
 Barley  
 Oats  
**CLASS 92**—Grain Sorghum (each sample to be one gallon).  
 Milo

**JOTTINS—**  
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There are women around here who crochet beautifully. Why not receive some recognition for it?  
 A couple of weeks ago, Mrs. E. E. Booth called us on the telephone and said she was going to cut a watermelon, and invited us to help them eat the delicacy. Since it was a busy, busy afternoon, when we had been jumping sideways all day, we were more than pleased to help them dig into a nice cold juicy melon. So we immediately joined the Booths at their home.  
 The melon was wonderful, and so were the host and hostess. After we had eaten all we possibly could, Mrs. Booth consented to show us her garden. Not only does she have the most colorful flowers, but Mr. Booth has also had his "green thumb" out there. They have vegetables, flowers, shrubs; but impressing us more than anything was his gourd vine. And it was producing: the prize gourd was over two feet long and was a dead weight. Of course, there were other smaller ones, too. Then the Booths were kind enough to give us some petunias for our flower box. It was a pleasant evening.  
 Monday was labor day and so it was at The Tribune. Fair editions don't just happen.  
 We noticed in Katherine Dillard's column in the Dallas Morning News this week, a few notes on the woman with a job, and she presents some very pertinent points. We were employed at this same spot before our marriage, and we are still pounding the type-

Sudan  
 Kafir  
 Hegari  
**CLASS 93**—Grain Sorghum Heads (each sample to consist of ten heads).  
 Milo  
 Hegari  
 Kafir  
 Feterita

**DIVISION 10**  
Rabbit Department  
**\$13.50 PRIZES**  
 Superintendent  
**RAYMOND EULER**  
 Judge  
**J. K. ADAMS**  
 Best Exhibit ..... \$3.50  
 2nd Best Exhibit ..... 3.00  
 3rd Best Exhibit ..... 2.50  
 4th Best Exhibit ..... 2.00  
 5th Best Exhibit ..... 1.50  
 6th Best Exhibit ..... 1.00  
 An exhibit consists of 1 or more rabbits. Exhibitors must furnish hutches.

George Hills last weekend, and having new listeners to hear about all Ronny's attributes.  
 And jus livin'.  
**C. M. Fields Speaks To Brotherhood**  
 Rev. C. M. Fields, of the Friona Baptist Church was guest speaker for the brotherhood meeting of the Farwell Baptist Church last week. There were thirty one men present at the meeting.  
 There will be a special meeting

As Miss Dillard brought out, women don't ask the question "should I marry or have a career?" They combine the two. And the trend has changed. Husbands don't mind their wives working as they did years ago. They realize that the added income can make a big difference in buying that house, car, or other items.  
 And the men have learned to help the working wife with some of the housework. We'll admit that our husband can think of many things he had rather do than dry dishes, but he manages to struggle through the chore when necessity demands, and is pretty considerate about it all.

In some things however, he is just about as handy as we would be with a wrench in our hand and a broken-down auto. When Ronny was only a few weeks old, he was going to sterilize the bottles, and boil his drinking water. The water had been boiled, and Sonny wanted to see if it was cool enough to pour into the bottles. The solution was simple, he merely stuck his finger in the sterile water. See what we mean, but isn't it fun?

The young editor went over to Bovina to attend the 50th anniversary of the Bovina Baptist Church, and to get acquainted with some of The Tribune's readers over in that area. He permitted his parents to accompany him, and the visiting and food were something to tell about. Tables were practically groaning with delicious food, and the Graham family were guests of the Bovina hosts for the meal. There went mama's diet!!

The editor met some of the most entertaining baby sitters, and good and laughed with the best of them. He was quite impressed as were his parents, and all decided it was a most worthwhile trip.

**THINGS WE'VE ENJOYED RECENTLY:** Attending Ben Smart's auction sale last week, and finding all these wonderful additions to our new house. Our husband was not quite as impressed as we, when we went home in the wee hours and woke him up to tell him about all the purchases we made.  
 Receiving a letter from an old friend we hadn't heard from in years.  
 Comparing babies with the

Several people from Texico-Farwell attended the Legion Zone meeting in Friona Tuesday night. They were Mr. and Mrs. Loyde Brewer, Mr. and Mrs. John Getz and Mike, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Williams, and Julia Symcox. Entertainment featured a girl's sextet and Don Lewis doing vocals. A chicken dinner was served.  
 for all men of the Farwell Baptist Church. Thursday evening at 8 o'clock to discuss special business.

**HAMLIN MEMORIAL METHODIST CHURCH**  
 Miller H. Stroup, pastor  
 Sunday, September 13th  
 10 a. m. .... Sunday School  
 11 a. m. .... morning worship  
 Sermon Subject, "A great Prescription. Solo, "Under His Wings I'm Safely Abiding," by Sankey, Earl Roberts.  
 6:30 p. m. senior and junior-intermediate Youth Fellowships.  
 7:30 p. m., evening service. Sermon subject, "Christ and the Devil."

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**Missing Chapters in the Schoolbooks**

A high-school teacher writes us: "Please send me 50 copies of your booklet, *Adventures Inside the Atom*, for use with my students." Another wants material on new inventions. Or booklets on jet planes.

New things happen in science faster than textbooks can be revised.

New words puzzle our ears and eyes before these words are in dictionaries . . . atomic-pile reactors, silicones, jet engines with "afterburners," UHF television. Some problem for teachers, that.

Last year over 100,000 letters from schools hit our desks at General Electric asking for things in print on "what's new."

Just to give you an idea of how this adds up, one booklet, *Adventures Inside the Atom*, has been requested to the tune of five million copies since 1948.

*Adventures in Jet Power*, also handled in comic-book treatment, has since 1946 gone into eight printings.

This may surprise you: a new booklet, *Why Study Math?*, will run over a million copies this year. (It answers that question Junior is always raising.)

Nobody is happier than we are to know teen-agers have a lively appetite for what's buzzing in the world around them.

After all, whether they know it or not, our young people in school today will be the scientists and engineers of tomorrow. They can't know too much.


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L. D. "Dave" McCurdy lives in Las Vegas, New Mexico and was not available for a picture at this time.



**BOB PTTARD**  
 Co-Owner  
 Born at Des Moines, N. M. in 1921. Came to Bovina First of May this year. Bought out Elliott Butane at that time.



**W. H. ROGERS**  
 Delivery Man  
 Born at Erath County, Texas in 1910. Came to Bovina in 1951. Been with company 13 months. Married at Stanford, Texas, 1935. Two children. Hobby, baseball.



**LESTER RHINEHART**  
 Delivery Man  
 Born at Boonville, Arkansas in 1917. Came to Parmer County in 1934. Married Flossie Sisk in Bovina in 1938. Drives truck for "hobby."

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COMING TUESDAY

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Roger Ritenbaugh, juggler, appeared on an assembly program at Farwell Schools yesterday (Wednesday). His program featured ventriloquism, juggling, voice impressions, and balancing stunts on a unicycle.

The moon is nearer to the earth than any other of the planets.

Frances E. Willard founded the WCTU.

H. J. on a tombstone stands for "Hic jacet," meaning "here lies".

### Texas Trends dallas fashion center



A SNAP-IN STRIPED JERSEY VESTEE and coin-trimmed leather belt accent the crossed-over, collarless bodice of this fall casual dress, a Jeanne Durrell design by Kohen-Ligon-Folz of Dallas. The push-up sleeves flow from soft shoulders.

### Soil Conservation Tour Is Monday

The soil conservation tour sponsored by the Blackwater Valley Soil Conservation District, Muleshoe State Bank, and the Chamber of Commerce is going to be one of the highlights of this year's agriculture activities.

The tour will begin promptly at 9:00 at the County Courthouse in Muleshoe and cover ten farms in Bailey County. From an educational standpoint and practical use of soil conservation advice, this tour will point out many of the basic fundamentals in soil conservation. The following practices in soil conservation will be seen and commentaries on the individual farms will be made by J. K. Adams, our County Agent, Ben Chapman, work unit conservationist, and the farmer practicing a particular phase. The tour will cover everything from sheep and cattle on irrigated pastures, new era cowpeas in combine maize, castor beans following alfalfa, combine maize following hairy vetch, and cotton with commercial fertilizer on alfalfa land. Another attraction will be the showing of underground irrigation tile.

Following this tour of farms will be the big barbecue served by the Rotary Club of Muleshoe at the Verney Townes farm, 12 noon.

The soil conservation district will then provide an interesting

and education program headed by "Cotton John" Smith of KGNC, Amarillo, and featuring Sid Payne, Chairman of the State Conservation Board and Paul H. Walser State Conservationist, Soil Conservation Service.

### Cancer Specialist To Assist In Parmer

Miss Katherine Daniels of Lubbock has been named a representative of the American Cancer Society for 60 West Texas counties.

J. Louis Neff, executive director of the Texas Division, American Cancer Society, said that Miss Daniels has been trained as a professional staff worker in the Society's programs of public education about cancer, service to cancer patients, and fund-raising.

She assists volunteer directors in the organization of county executive committees and sub-committees for various education and service activities and will work with committee members to plan local work.

A native of Paris, Texas, Miss Daniels graduated from Waco High School and Baylor University. She has recently been associated with the Methodist Home at Waco, and is a former Campfire Girls executive Director.

Counties to be assisted by Miss Daniels include Parmer.

In the U. S., diamonds have been mined in Arkansas.

### Opinions for July Given by Sheppard

Attorney General John Ben Sheppard has released a list of all opinions written by his office during the month of July.

Opinions of general interest include the following:

A real estate dealer may offer premiums to a property owner who lists his property with the dealer but may not offer premiums to persons who submitted a "lead" which results in the dealer's getting a listing.

A County Judge may place defendants convicted of drunk driving on probation for not less than six months in lieu of mandatory jail sentence.

The minimum amount of the bond required of the tax assessor-collector of an independent school district is twice the amount of taxes collected for performing marriage ceremonies and for acting as Ex-officio Notaries Public. Fees may not be paid to a sheriff in advance for serving citations on delinquent taxpayers who are non-residents of a county.

A county Commissioners' Court may make valid county tax levies even if one of the Commissioners is absent from the meeting because of duties in one of the reserve branches in the armed forces.

A county Commissioner serving

in a military reserve capacity is entitled to his salary during his absence on military duty.

A contract to purchase stationery and printing for the legislature which was not let on competitive bids and approved by the Governor, Secretary of State, and Comptroller is not valid.

A County Judge acting as Ex-officio County Superintendent is entitled to keep the additional money paid him for such office.

Sheppard said that his office is continuing to win approximately 98 percent of all cases tried since the first of the year. During the month of July, 94 cases were won out of 104 tried or appealed.

### VA Answers Questions for Servicemen

Q. I recently converted my GI insurance to a 20-year endowment policy. At the end of the endowment period, would it be possible for me to get monthly payments for the rest of my life?

A. No. Monthly payments for life would not be permitted. However you could elect to receive the proceeds for a limited number of months, with equal payments being made each month. You could choose from 36 to 240 months, in multiples of 12.

Q. I figured that I'm eligible for 36 months of Korean GI Bill train-

ing. But I want to take a four-year college course. Could this be done?

A. It probably could. The average college year runs for nine months. Four such college years would amount to 36 months—the extent of your entitlement.

Q. I'm drawing a monthly disability pension. Some time ago I bought a house, and now I plan to sell it at what I hope will be a profit. Do I have to figure the proceeds of the sale as income, in determining whether my annual income falls within the limits of the law?

A. You're only required to consider the profit as income, for pension purposes.

Q. I made out a check for my monthly GI insurance premium and mailed it to VA. However, I forgot to sign the check. I'm afraid my insurance is going to lapse before I can get another check off to the VA. Is there anything I can do about it?

A. Yes. So long as you can present evidence to the VA that you have enough money in the bank to cover the premium, VA will allow you an additional 31 days to pay your premium. The 31-day period begins from the date of VA's letter to you, notifying you of your error.

Cost of Tuberculosis in the United States is estimated at more than \$35,000,000 a year.

Source of the St. Lawrence River is in Minnesota.

There are about 250 islands in the Fiji group.

A jackplane is a carpenter's plane.

The best way to forget the high cost of living is to live so that it's worth it.

Chest X-ray surveys in Texas have been used chiefly to find unsuspected cases of Tuberculosis, but they also have proved beneficial in revealing other lung, heart and chest diseases.

The Board for Texas State Hospitals and Special Schools reports 551 tuberculosis patients approved for admission and awaiting bed space in state-operated sanatoriums.

Early Romans used razors made of iron.

In Texas, one person dies every hour from tuberculosis.

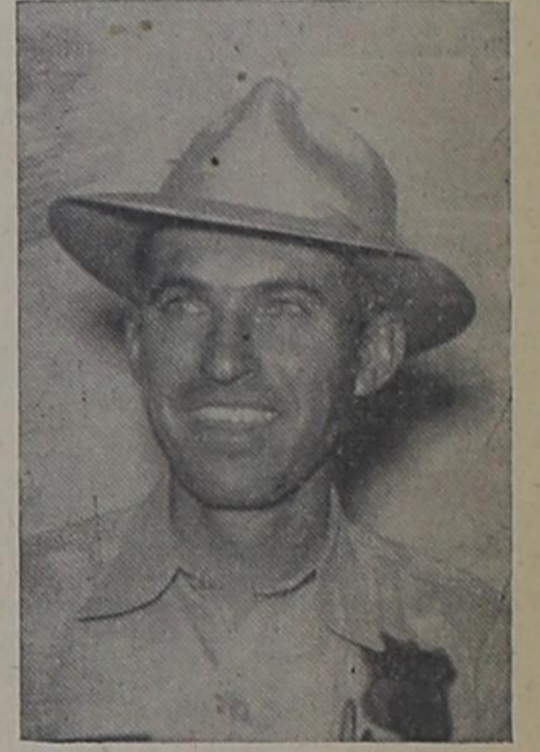
One way to get rid of the noise in the rear of your car is to have her sit up front with you.

Some people learn how to relax. Others never learn how to do anything else.



MARGARET CHARLES  
Bookkeeper

Born at Chillicothe, Texas in 1920. Came to Bovina in 1940. Hobby, art drawing and painting.

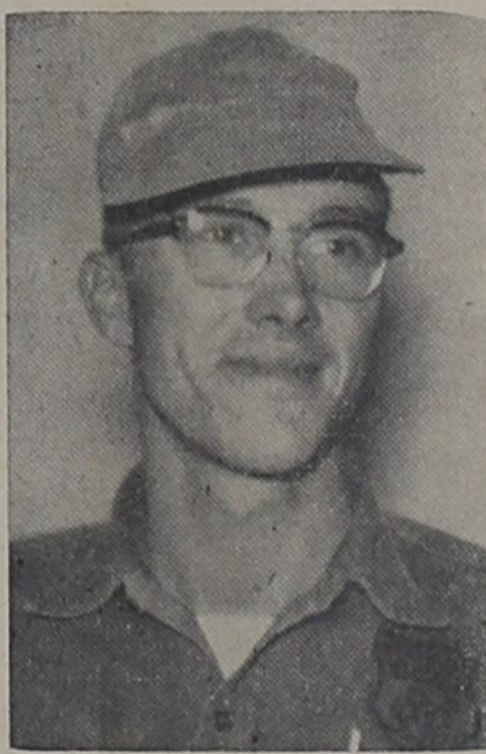


HARRY CHARLES  
Owner

Born at Woodward County, Oklahoma in 1920. Came to Bovina in 1927. Established business in 1948. Married at Eldorado, Okla. in 1940. Two children. Hobby, hunting and fishing.

## WE'D LIKE YOU TO MEET THE FOLKS

### AT CHARLES OIL



PAT KUNSELMAN

Truck Driver & Station Attendant

Born in Pennsylvania in 1925. Came to Bovina in 1947. Been with company 4 years. Married at Bovina, Texas in 1948. Two children. Hobby, fishing and hunting.



KEITH FROST  
Truck Driver

Born at Vernon, Texas in 1930. Came to Bovina in March of this year. Been with company since that time. Single. Hobby, hunting and fishing.

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- Lee Tires
- Butane, Diesel
- Westinghouse Appliances



EDDIE RAY HURTO  
Truck Driver

Born at Ralls, Texas in 1928. Came to Bovina in February of this year. Been with company since that time. Married at Muleshoe, Texas in 1946. Two children. Hobby, fishing.



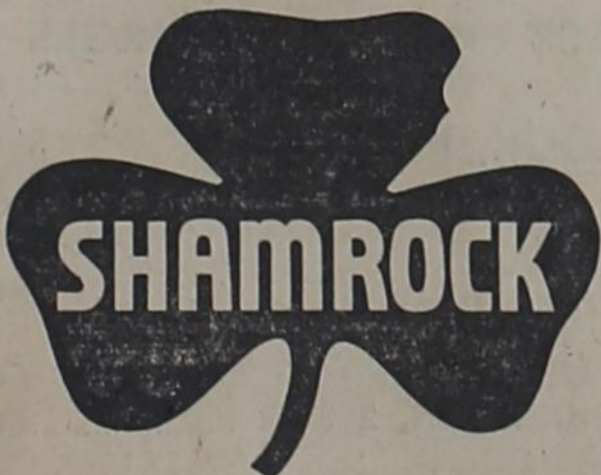
ELVIN "JIGGS" HAMMONDS  
Truck Driver, Transport

Born at Rayland, Texas in 1922. Been with company 2 years. Married at Bovina, Texas in 1946. One child, Elvin Glen, Hobby, fishing.

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FARWELL, TEXAS

**MORE BOVINA**  
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**Stork Shower Given Saturday**

Mrs. Aubrey Rhodes was hostess at her home on Saturday morning at 9 o'clock at a pink and blue shower honoring Mrs. J. R. Ellison. Her home was beautifully decorated with cut flowers and a large stork was also present.

The serving table was covered with a lace cloth and coffee, cookies, mints and mixed nuts were served to those present.

There was a large arrangement of pink asters on the serving table and on the table where the gifts were displayed was a beautiful bouquet of purple asters.

The group enjoyed playing a game where each guest had to show the honoree one of the things required in taking care of the new baby, only they had to use a substitute rather than a real baby.

Those attending were Mesdames Glenn Hromas, Gene Ezell and Joan Kay, Roy Ezell, Hubert Ellison and Lois, Aubra Ellison and Sue, Cecil Berry, Tom Rhodes, J. D. Stevens, Earl Derrick, Scott Gober, Paul Jones and Randy, Frank Truitt and Larry, Buck Ellison and W. E. Williams and the honoree, Mrs. Ellison and the hostess Mrs. Rhodes.

**Guests Listed In Moore Home**

Visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Moore, Bovina, was Mrs. Edna DeStefano and daughter, Anna Maria; and grandson, Johnny Nye; and Tommy McAndrews of Philadelphia, Pa.

Also in the Moore home Sunday were L. C. Moore Jr. and wife of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. James Berry of Clovis.

**Changes Made in Council Officers**

The Girl Scout council met on Thursday night in the home of Mrs. C. M. Huggins. Two changes were made in the council officers. Mrs. Huggins was selected chairman and Mrs. Earl Stevenson was selected vice-president. The office of publicity chairman has yet to be filled.

Several members of the council plan to go to an area meeting at

Santa Rosa on September 28. All the troop leaders are asked to meet with the council on next Wednesday at 2 p.m. in the Huggins home. They will discuss needs and problems relative to each individual troop. We also would like to have members of the troop committees to attend, also.

Reports will be made on the recent day camp and plans for attending the leadership school in Friona which will be in the near future.

**Dorcas Circle Has Covered Dish Meal**

The Dorcas Circle of the Methodist church met on September 2 in the home of Mrs. Mable Newberry. After they had enjoyed a covered dish luncheon at the noon hour, they had their lesson and business meeting.

Mrs. I. W. Quickel brought the lesson with her subject being "The Courage of the Common Place," and she chose for her scripture the first chapter of Ruth.

Those present were Mesdames I. W. Quickel, Lloyd Battey, John Wilson, Frank H. Wilson, Pat Kunselman, L. C. Moore, T. J. Hopingardner, and the hostess Mrs. Newberry. The next meeting will be Oct. 7 in the home of Mrs. Pat Kunselman.

**Daughter Born**

Word has been received here of the birth of a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Billie Jo Eberling of Borger, Texas. They are former residents of Bovina. The little girl was born Aug. 28 and weighed eight pounds and 11 ounces and has been named Claudette Elaine. This is the first child for the couple and grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Robert Leach of Friona.

Miss Frosty Russell of Abilene, Texas, spent the weekend visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Cumpston.

Mrs. A. J. Moorman and Dorothy left on Friday for Excelsior Springs, Mo., where Mrs. Moorman will undergo surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wilson and daughter, Suzanne, have gone to San Antonio to spend a week with her parents and friends.

Shark meat is wholesome and palatable.

A baby's first set of teeth is present at birth.

**Steers Get Started With Football Year**

Football training is getting underway at Farwell schools, Calvin Murray, athletic director, reports, but he foresees much work yet to be done to insure a fairly successful season.

He clarifies this view by explaining that the Farwell boys are small this year, so they will have to make up for their size with "intestinal fortitude."

Not only is the team light in the line, but it's also lacking backfield beef. There are several returning lettermen, but a large part of the squad will be inexperienced. "They seem to have determination and hustle," Coach Murray believes.

Season tickets go on sale this week, and include all high school and junior high games. Junior schedule is not yet completed.

First game of the season for the Steers will be September 18 at Vega, non-conference. The opponents have quite a few returning lettermen and Coach Murray predicts that the initial game will be one of the toughest of the season.

Roster with name, weight, and position:

Jimmy Turner, senior, 114, center; Phillip Cassidy, senior, 145, quarterback; Wayne Morris, senior, 140, end; Duane Herington, senior, 189;

James Roberts, junior, 150, end; Jerry Poteet, junior, 137, end; Don Pool, junior, 138, back; Don Gerles, junior, 145, back; Gene Hardage, junior, 170, back; Wendell Pike, junior, 146, tackle; Robbie Foster, junior, 154, back; Billy Watts, junior, 135, quarterback; H. R. Billingsley, junior, 132, end; Lavon Jones, junior, 134, guard; Deon Branscum, junior, 165, tackle;

Gerald Hardage, sophomore, 127, center; Wallace Roberson, sophomore, 185, tackle; Troy Christian, sophomore, 166, back; Bert Williams, 126, sophomore, quarterback; Jimmy Schell, sophomore, 136, back; Lee Dennis Jesko, sophomore, 130, guard; James Norton, sophomore, 155, guard; Jerry Utsman, sophomore, 150, center; Harvey Lesly, sophomore, 144, center; Dan Hammonds, sophomore, 136, tackle; Dean Smith, sophomore, 144, tackle; and Jerry Dee Owens, freshman, 146, guard.

**1953 Steer Football Schedule**

Sept. 18.....Vega, there  
Sept. 25.....Boys' Ranch, here  
Oct. 2.....Melrose, here  
Oct. 9.....Bovina, here  
Oct. 16.....Anton, here  
Oct. 23.....Whitharral, here  
Oct. 30.....Friona, here  
Nov. 6.....Petersburg, there  
Nov. 11.....Bovina, here

**New Plan Accepted By Parmer SCS**

The plan of Kenneth O'Brian, southeast of Friona, to seed 10 acres to permanent native pasture has been accepted by the Parmer County SCS District, announces Steve Bavousett.

Work in the district during the past week has included bench leveling on 35 acres for Earl Miller, east of the Hub community, and bordering a new alfalfa field for A. H. Robinson, south of Black.

**BEGINS DUTIES**

Miss LaVerna Christian began her duties as assistant society editor at The Tribune Monday morning, replacing Jo Sondra Magerus, who is to attend ACC this year. LaVerna is a 1953 graduate of Farwell Schools and the daughter of the Everette Christians.

**\$18,000 Structure Will Be Completed Nov. 15**

Bovina High School is soon to have a Home Economics department which will compare favorably with those of schools many times its size. The new building, now under construction, is scheduled to be completed and furnished by November 15, according to W. H. Willoughby, superintendent.

James Berry, Clovis, is contractor for the structure which will be 51x51 and will cost \$18,700. Included in the building will be a living room, bedroom, kitchen, sewing room, laundry, two baths, and the teacher's office.

Four complete kitchen units of stove, cabinets and work space will be arranged in the kitchen. Right now there is one thing to be decided; two refrigerators, or one refrigerator and one deep freeze unit? Also included will be two dishwashers and two garbage disposal units.

The living room and bedroom will be furnished and the former will be carpeted with an area large enough for teas and small socials.

Six machines will be on hand in the sewing room, of various makes to acquaint the girls with the different mechanisms and workings.

The laundry will be equipped with an automatic washer, dryer, and mangle and the entire building will be heated by forced air.

The plot on which the new building is located is 100x50, and the structure is about 30 feet from the street. The girls, along with their instructor, Mrs. Norene Young, will plan their own landscaping after the completion of the building.

Mrs. Young is beginning her third year at Bovina, after coming to the school from Uvalde.

**Wolverines Defeat Trojans, 11-10, Friday**

Friday night, the Wolverines downed the Ranchvale Trojans with a score of 11 to 10.

Although it was not an official game, it was a hard-fought one. There were a number of errors on each side. Bobby Goldsmith did a good job of pitching for the Wolverines. If he continues to improve, he will be hard to beat, observers say.

Kenneth Doolittle started the Wolverine rally with a home run in the first inning. Then Paul Crooks came back in the sixth and hit another. The Ranchvale Trojans failed to hit a homer off Goldsmith's pitching.

Pitcher for the Trojans was Carter. Reliefs came in, in the form of Gentry and Baker.

**Lazbuddie Schools Enroll 270 Pupils**

Lazbuddie School opened its doors Monday, Aug. 31, with 270 enrolled. The elementary school has 193 enrolled, while the high school has 78. The faculty was filled for the first day and the first week was a successful one.

The teachers are as follows: Mrs. Jane Barton, first; Mrs. Millie Slaton, first; Mrs. Dodavah Lawrence, second; Mrs. Virgil Willbanks, third; Mrs. Peggy Haynes, fourth; Mr. Willbanks and Mrs. Haynes, fifth; Fred Willbanks, sixth and principal of the elementary grades.

Mrs. Stella Gressett, seventh and English; Paul Jones, eighth, social studies; James Haynes, ninth, mathematics; W. D. Revel, tenth, vocational agriculture; Mrs. Teresa Revel, eleventh, home economics; C. W. Dukes, twelfth, coach, and principal; and J. G. Ward, superintendent.

Lazbuddie will serve hot lunches this year in the lunchroom. Lunchroom cooks include Mrs. Nola Trieder, Mrs. Ethel McCurdy, and Mrs. Martha Howard.

R. G. Trieder is the school bus mechanic and Melvin Howard the school custodian.

The P. T. A. will meet the first Monday night of each month. The F. H. A. and the F. F. A. will meet the second Monday night of each month.

Mrs. Katherine Lockhart, the school nurse, will be in the Lazbuddie school each Tuesday and every other Friday.

**Junior High Football Schedule Listed**

Forty boys are working out daily for the Junior football team, according to Coach Shelby Jobes. Eleven ninth grade boys, thirteen eighth grade boys, and sixteen 7th grade boys were out in five workouts the first week of school. The squad lacks experience but should come along as the season progresses, Jobes believes.

The boys seem to want to play and have put on weight during the summer. Some night workouts are planned to get them accustomed to playing under the lights. Thirty-six of the boys have taken physical exams and passed. Four more are to take their physicals before the first game.

This is necessary before they are insured to play football.

**Tentative Schedule for 1953**

Sept. 17—Vega at Farwell, night  
Sept. 24—Farwell at Whitharral, night  
Oct. 1—Friona at Farwell, night  
Oct. 8—Bovina at Farwell, night

Oct. 15—Farwell at Vega, night  
Oct. 22—Whitharral at Farwell, night  
Oct. 29—Farwell at Friona, night  
Nov. 5—Farwell at Bovina, night  
Included in the roster are the following: freshmen Larry Cooper, end, 130; Tom Collins, tackle, 112; Duane White, guard, 117; David Willard, center, 124; Rolland Hillock, center, 120; Jerry Primrose, tackle, 97; Clive Huggins, end, 96; Donnie Carpenter, back, 113; Arlin Lee Smith, back, 110; Sam Pool, back, 121; Douglas Hil-

lock, back, 133.  
EIGHTH GRADE: Glyn McDorman, end, 95; Donald Adams, tackle, 109; Doug Tucker, guard, 105; Wayne Jesko, guard, 95; Melvin Hendrickson, center, 87; Glyn Hardage, guard, 114; Eugene Merriman, tackle, 124; Johnny Gulley, end, 195; Mitchell Walls, back, 105; Darrell Martin, back, 98; Preston Cain, back, 135; Tommy Lovelace, back, 140.

SEVENTH GRADE: Kenneth Doshier, end, 81; Jackie Goldsmith, tackle, 114; William Adkins, guard, 100; Freddie Magness, center, 100; Doyle Goldsmith, guard, 118; Mike McManigal, tackle, 126; Don Bandy, end, 80;

Larry Jesko, back, 100; Dale Merriman, back, 80; Frank Hammonds, back, 110; Gerald Christian, back, 95; Johnny Lovelace, back, 118; Dickie Williams, back, 88; Morris Reed, end, 97; Johnny Martin, end, 73; Neal Hancock, end, 112; Leon Jamison, back, 97.

In 1951, the Veterans Administration admitted 19,600 tuberculous patients to its hospitals.

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This is a "Public Works" project, as defined in House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas, and as such is subject to the provisions of said House Bills. No provisions herein are intended to be in conflict with the provisions of said Acts.

In accordance with the provisions of said House Bills, the State Highway Commission has ascertained and set forth in the proposal the wage rates, for each craft or type of workman or mechanic needed to execute the work on above named project, now prevailing in the locality in which the work is to be performed, and the Contractor shall pay not less than these wage rates as shown in the proposal for each craft or type of laborer, workman or mechanic employed on this project.

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# History of Friona Pieced Together by Oldtime Citizens

## Town Named After Frio Draw

Back 20 years ago, John White wrote for the Friona Chamber of Commerce a little book describing Friona as a "lustrous pearl in a setting of emeralds," and today with irrigation wells pumping their life-giving water into furthering the green of the "emeralds" surrounding the town-site, the city of Friona is growing proof that many believed the place actually to be a "lustrous yearl."

Friona, in fact, actually started out in this world as merely "frio," being named after the Frio Draw which cuts across the low area at the far southern edge of town. However, at that time there was a post office called Frio in South Texas, and the postal department could not authorize another such name for the state. Someone—and nobody seems to know exactly who it was except that it "was a woman"—came up with the idea of adding "na" to the original name, and Friona it became.

The Santa Fe railroad came through the Plains area later known as Friona back in 1906, and not long after that the town was actually founded by George G. Wright, who headed a big land company and imported land-prospects by the dozens to settle the area. Wright built Friona's first hotel, a two-story wooden building, principally for the accommodation of his customers. He also founded the first bank and was instrumental in the affairs of the Friona State Bank for many years before selling the stock to local people.

But the wooden buildings which housed the hotel, the bank and a restaurant went up in flames many years ago. The current Friona Hotel was erected on the same site, while the brick building housing the bank was also built following the fire and occupied by the bank until some two years ago, when new modern quarters were erected.

Things didn't go so well for the new farmers in the early years of Friona, one resident recalls, and the town numbered only around 150 until about 1914-16 when it began to grow. Drouth plagued

the area during the years prior to that, and prospects weren't exactly the best in the world, one old-timer admits.

As for combating the drouth, today's farmers think they have something new in irrigation wells. "Tain't so, because back in 1912-13 two irrigation wells were drilled in the area; one on the property now owned by Owen Seamonds, the other near Black Motors for the wells, however, weren't all they should have been in those days, and the experiment in providing moisture by man-made sources came a cropper, not to be revived until the last decade.

The old Congregational Church building, which was struck by lightning and burned early in the history of the town, was the first church in town—and has quite a history of its own. Seems as tho there were about 11 different denominations represented in the group of residents who combined their efforts and planned to build a "Union" church, non-denominational, around 1907. Money got short and the building had to be halted. First the Baptists, then the Methodists in their national organizations to seek money to finish the building, but were refused. Then the Congregationalists stepped in, wrote their national group for funds for a church which would be the "Congregational Church" in Friona—got an okay, and the building was completed.

One of the most prominent educators in this part of the country, President Floyd D. Golden of Eastern New Mexico University of Portales, got his start teaching school in a little frame building in Friona. At that time, educational advantages in Friona stopped after the first year in high school, but through the efforts of local citizens the school was expanded to second-class high school.

That first frame building also got hit by lightning and went up in smoke, to be followed by the "big" 10-room (at that time) brick building which now houses the grade school. White recalls that there was considerable opposition from some residents to building such an outlandishly big school, but members of the board faced down the howls and built with an idea to

the future. Now, that building will even accommodate the entire grade school; there is a large high school building (replacing the original one destroyed by fire three years ago); a first class cafeteria; band room; and the area's outstanding auditorium and gymnasium, separate but housed under the same roof, located on the campus.

**FIRST IN THE STATE**  
So far as is known, the Friona school was the first in the state to provide school buses and offer free transportation to rural students. The idea came from White, who had been considering settling in Idaho and had heard of the program in that state. With the erection of the brick building the idea of transporting students to their classes in school buses loomed up. Again came the howl of opposition, cries that "school tax money could not be used in that manner." Trustees contacted the state department of education, to

be informed that such a project had never been tried, and the letter added "go ahead and try it."

When settlers first began arriving at Friona, an old M. K. & T. boxcar served at the town's railway station, residents recall, the present frame structure having been built around 1912-13. But even in its earliest days, the town could boast good service from the Santa Fe. There were two "through" trains daily, one going east and one west, and in addition there was something special: "The Merry widow", which made a daily run from Clovis to Amarillo and back for the convenience of residents on the plains. Just how the little two-coach train got such a name is a mystery, it appears, but the fact remains that the Merry Widow was well patronized for special events, ball games and the like.

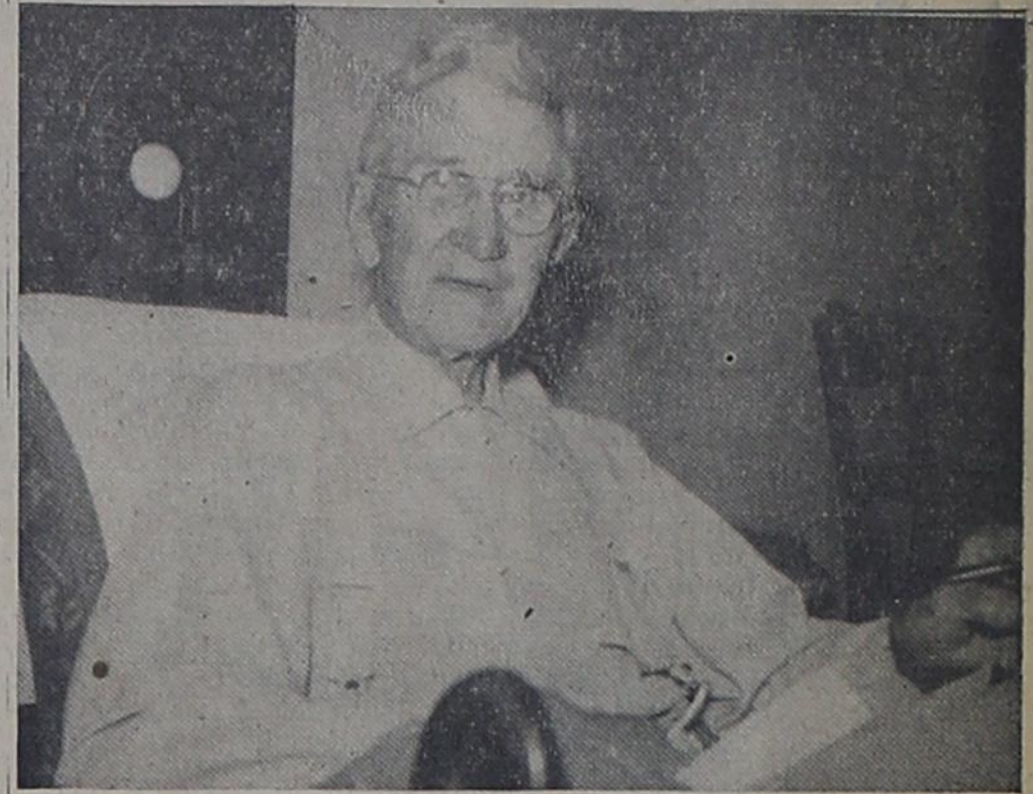
Around 1910, Friona had its first newspaper, the "Enterprise", pub-

lished by a Mr. Harris, who came from the East. Harris' wife became ill and he left the paper to be handled by local residents, then later the equipment was sold and the town went paper-less for some years. On July 26, 1925, the first issue of the Friona Star, published at Clovis, was distributed in the city, with John White as editor. White continued his duties as publisher, later printing the paper locally, until the last few years, when Bert Neelley bought and took over the establishment.

The city, however, has never been without its own publicity department. Back around 1914 there was an organization similar to the Chamber of Commerce, although not then known by that name, which was officially organized and eulogized the virtues of the area, and the actual CC has carried on. Friona was officially organized in 1928, with John White being named as the first mayor. The first official act after organization was to issue a franchise which brought electric power into the city; in 1903 and natural gas was piped into town; the city waterworks was added and in 1917 the residents began to enjoy the convenience of a city sewer system.

Although Rueben Kinsey and Andy Wentworth were probably the first local residents to actually own "horseless carriages", the town

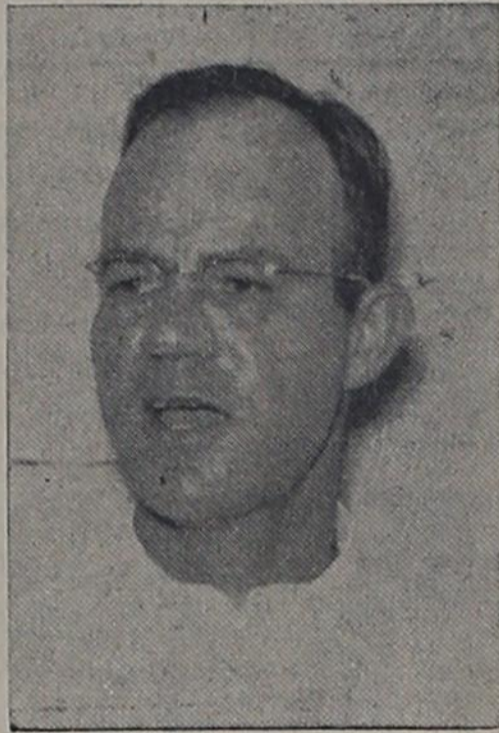
## PIONEER FRIONA EDITOR



This is J. W. "Uncle John" White, pioneer Friona editor, who is a veritable reference book on the history of the Friona area. John is still quite active in everyday life.

was accustomed to the sight of cars early in 1908. Some 20 cars were maintained by the Wright Land company to carry customers about the area—and one of them was a famed Pierce-Arrow. All were handled by company drivers, with the residents getting plenty to see as they wheeled about town. Dr. Ruark was the first local MD, eking out his practice by op-

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RAYMOND EULER  
Service Representative

Born at Hydro, Okla. in 1916. Came to Friona in 1920. Been Service representative for Farm Bureau since February, 1949. Single. Hobby, raising parakeets.



MRS. CYNTHIA BELL  
Office Secretary

Born at Ewart, Michigan. Came to Friona in August, 1951. Been with Farm Bureau since Jan. 1, 1952. Married at Detroit, Michigan in 1941. Hobby, collecting salt and pepper shakers.

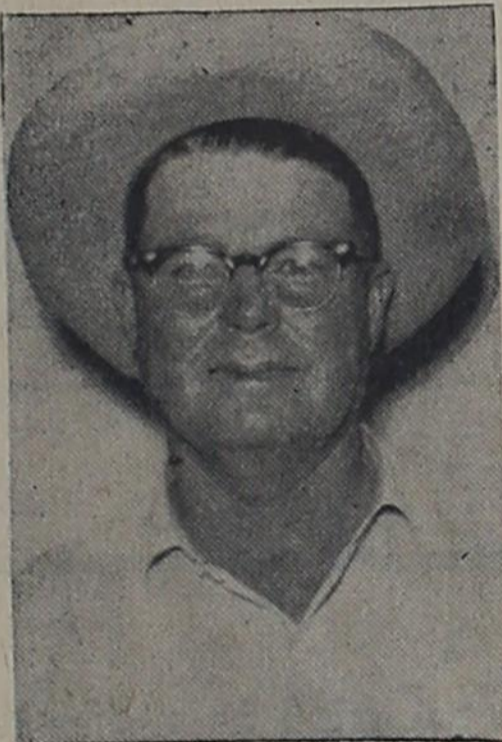
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R. L. FLEMING  
Manager of Parmer Co. Implement  
Born at Quero, Texas in 1915. Came to Friona in March of this year. Been with company since March. Formerly owned an Implement Co. (International) at Melrose, New Mexico. Married at Clovis, New Mexico in 1936. Two children, Ray Dean and Lavonne. Hobby, fishing.



DOUGLAS CONNELLY  
Parts Manager of Implement Co.  
Born at Winsboro, Texas in 1922. Came to Friona in Oct., 1952. Been with company since Oct. 1952. Married at Mt. Vernon, Texas in 1947. One child, Marcus Allen. Hobby, fishing.



BUD CRUMP  
Manager of Pump Company

Born at Hollis, Okla. in 1919. Came to Friona in December, 1945. Been with company since June, 1949. Married at Memphis, Texas in 1939. Four children, Carolyn, Eddie, Tommie and Emay. Hobby, by, hunting.



BUDDY SQUARES  
Foreman of Pump Company  
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# Farwell Plagued by Fire in Early Times

## Many Buildings Burned While Town Grew

From threshing feed to auto transports is a long jump in the mode of living, but that's what old-timers point out as they remark on the difference of Farwell "then" and "now".

Seems that in the early era of the townsite, the biggest business in town was conducted at the elevators during the fall of the year, when threshing of hand-cut maize (cut in the fields and hauled into town in wagon loads by the community farmers) went on for weeks and weeks. Now, the town thrives on irrigation, is the headquarters of several auto transport outfits who locate along the Texas-New Mexico state line, the feed pens south of town, and other smaller, tho not necessarily less important, industries.

Farwell, it should be explained, got its name from the Farwell family, which built the State Capital building in Austin. In return, the State granted the Capitol Freehold Land Trust large acreages in this section of the country, and the site for the town of Farwell was surveyed on Dec. 28, 1905 by Bill Howren, who now resides in Amarillo.

Location of the town was strategic, too, in the opinion of the land company, which had hopes of seeing the Santa Fe's railway shops located at adjoining Texico—and for a while that looked promising. However, plans went awry, and the shops went another 10 miles west to Clovis.

Farwell didn't start out life as the county seat. In the beginning, the so-called exact center of the county was chosen by residents as the county seat, and a wooden structure was erected for the courthouse at Parmerton. This building, incidentally, was later moved to Friona.

Election a short time later moved the courthouse to Farwell, and the original official residence of the county was in a two-story wooden building about one block north of the current building. Fire believed to have been started by a fire-bug, destroyed the building in 1914-15. Jim Hiner was then given a contract to construct another wooden building, which was used until the present three-story brick structure was erected in 1916, when the late J. D. Hamlin was serving as county judge.

Fire, in fact, played a part in determining that the main business section of town should be along the highway, rather than along the street on which the courthouse stands. For in the early days some of the flossiest businesses of the town—or area—were located on lots now occupied by residences.

The best remembered of these, no doubt, is the Farwell Inn, which at the height of its glory stood on the property in front of the waterworks. Built by the land syndicate to house its prospective customers, as well as being a mecca for salesman traveling the then scarcely-populated plains, "That was a hotel!" Elaborate suites of rooms, done in ultra-fashionable decor, a beautiful ballroom, gave glamor to the three-story building, and it was a sad day in the winter of 1919-20 when the hotel was completely destroyed by a slow-moving fire.

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Faulty wiring was blamed for the blaze—and if there had been anything to fight the fire with, the city would still have a hotel. Residents recall that the waterworks system, located right next to the hotel, was completely frozen with absolutely no water available. A small fire began near the roof on the south side of the building around 9 o'clock one morning, and residents spent the entire morning leisurely carrying out everything inside the hotel. Nothing could be done to stop the flames, but furniture, fixtures, and the like could be saved—and were, even down to doors and window frames as the flames ate through the building in the face of a howling north wind.

In the fire which destroyed the first courthouse quarters, the downstairs of the building naturally was destroyed also, taking out of circulation several small stores of various types.

Early comers to the small Plains city found that Texico, on the New Mexico side of the line, was much more of a town than Farwell. Texico was booming, boasted a drug store, bank, an assortment of saloons and other businesses. It was not until the Plains began to be settled in earnest, and the 19th amendment was passed that the Texas City began to actually keep pace of its neighbor.

The town has gone through some elaborate promotion schemes—the evidence of which still stands in Texico, the Texico Hotel. Some years ago a promoter turned up with the scheme of starting a new industry—and the residents were only too anxious to buy shares in a "booming" business which would turn out fires and "Cannon Ball Motors". The promoters even went so far as to erect a building on the north side of the railroad, and install some machinery, turning about a dozen tires, then vanishing with the stock money. At the same time, the Texico Hotel was built, to handle the expected large increase in residents.

In the infancy of the town, Jess McKay's livery stable was likely the "biggest" business in town. Shipping facilities brought in three wholesale grocery firms at one time; and for many years an electric power and ice plant was in operation locally, although it had been sold to a utilities company for some years before it was closed.

The First Christian Church, was erected in Farwell in 1907. Prior to that, the Congregational Church was the only one on the Texas side of the line, although a small Methodist Church was active in Texico. Actually, Farwell itself only has two churches in the city limits now: the Church of Christ and the First Baptist Church, Farwell. The Methodist Church is still located in Texico, as is the original Baptist Church.

The little Congregational Church as a matter of fact, served as the school building until the brick structure now used for grade school was constructed, in the fair-

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ly early years of the town. The addition of classrooms and gymnasium-auditorium was made in 1911 and 32; the ag and homemaking department building was added in 1938; and just a year ago dedication of the new high school structure was held.

Always a football mad town Farwell fans can "remember when" along this line, too. One member of that first football team, back in 1920, recalls painfully the beating the Steers took with their first opponent—Lubbock. "Lubbock wasn't so big in those days," John Aldridge grinned, but added that "Bill Honey, just good enough to make the team, really made an impression on us." Honey, he pointed out, made All-Southwest honors his first year at TCU.

Although the town didn't actually organize until 1950, it was not lagging on improvements. Back in 1919 there was a city waterworks—run your own pipe to where you wanted it, naturally—electric power came in with the beginning of the town in a privatey owned (at the start) plant; the town got its first natural gas in 1930.

First mayor of the town was C. M. Henderson, who spent hours, days and weeks in working out the tedious details of a plan to get city sewage within the city, following a bond approval by residents. John S. Williams is currently mayor of Farwell.

The elevator business has always been a pretty good thing locally, it would appear from a hasty look-back through the years. Although it isn't definite, residents believe that the initial elevator built in Farwell belonged to Doggett Grain Co., which for years was handled by Mr. Hawkins, now deceased. This elevator is now Henderson Grain & Seed; right down the highway is located the Farwell Elevator; and the latest addition in this line is the big con-

crete job of the Lovelace Elevator, put up in 1950.

Farwell had, didn't have, and does have a cotton gin. When cotton planting first began to attract attention in the county some years ago, a gin was erected here, which was later closed, then burned. However, another gin came along later to take its place, and during the late fall and early winter does a big business turning out cotton produced in the area.

The State Line Tribune, according to the best memory of long-time residents has been part of town for many years. B. F. Sears is listed as the first editor, followed by Mr. Seigler. The late W. H. (Hop) Graham took over the paper in 1926 and The Tribune is still "in the family", with W. H. Jr. now in charge.

The town has even had a night club, although that didn't pan out quite so well as its promoters hoped and wound up in a legal fracas. But for years it didn't have a drug store, and many of the former small-fry can remember visiting "Doc" Faville at his stand in Texico—the same place the drug store now occupies.

Banks also came and went in the early days, with the Security State Bank being established here around 1925. For years it occupied the building which now houses the office of the Capitol Freehold, before moving "downtown" into another brick structure. Main Street has long been paved, since it is a part of Highway 70 to Lubbock, but only in the last few years have surfaced streets shown up in the residential areas.

Irrigation has aided immeasurably during the last few years, as more and more farmers turned to the artificial way of producing rain. And it has paid off, observers note. The town has shown marked increase in home building in the last five years, although rent property for moving families still continues to be fairly scarce. Drouth, dust and heat blasted

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the little city along with other Plains areas during the past black years, but improvements in ways of farming plus precious water, seem to have put Farwell on an even keel for the future, whatever it may hold.

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CLASS F: (any five) Alfalfa, 1 bale; Sweet Sorghum, 1 bale; Cowpeas, 1 bale; Irrigated Mixed Pasture Grasses, 1 bale; Peanuts, 1 bale; Sudan, 1 bale; Soybeans, 1 bale; Native Hay, 1 bale; Vetch, 1 bale; Sweet Clover, 1 bale.  
CLASS G: (two) Corn, ny variety, 10 ears; Popcorn, 10 ears.

CLASS H: (any seven) Watermelon, 1; Beets, 6; Turnips, 6; Rhubarb, 6; Egg Plants, 3; Pumpkin, Sugar, 1; Cantaloupe, 1; Carrots, 6; Bell Peppers, 6; Irish Potatoes, 6; Cucumbers, 3; Winter Squash, 2; Tomatoes, 6; Onions, 6; Okra, 12; Sweet Potatoes, 6; Pumpkin Field, 1; Cabbage, 6; Lettuce, 3; Honey Dew Melon, 3; Cashaw, 1; Hot Peppers, 6; Radishes, 12; Sugar Beets, 2.

CLASS I: (any three) Dry Limas, 1 gal.; Dry Pintos, 1 gal.; Dry Beans, any variety, 1 gallon.  
CLASS J: (any two) Apples, 6; Pears, 6; Peaches, 6; Plums, 12; Apricots, 12; Grapes, 1 bunch.  
CLASS K: (any two) 2 quarts canned fruit, 2 quarts canned vegetables.

If you show canned fruit you must show 2 quarts. If you show canned vegetables you must show 2 quarts. You cannot show 1 quart of fruit and 1 quart of vegetables.

## DIVISION 12

## Home Arts Department

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Judges

CLYTIE LITTLE AND LOYCE AVANT

Superintendent

MRS. ERNEST OSBORN

- All entries in this department must be made not later than Thursday, 10:00 a. m., Sept. 10, 1953.
- Each exhibitor will be permitted only one entry in each class.
- All hand-made articles must be the work of the exhibitor (except antiques).
- No charges will be made for entries.
- All entries accepted must remain on exhibit until 4:00 p. m. Saturday, September 12, and be checked out by someone in charge.
- All articles must have been completed within the past two years.
- Men are invited to participate in any class.
- The ladies in charge may close entries on any item at any time if the number received should exceed allotted space for display.
- A fair and impartial arrangement of all articles will be made as far as conditions permit. Positively no special consideration granted.
- No article shall be designated for sale by the exhibitor.
- Judges will not award a prize to an unworthy exhibit, whether there be competition or not.
- No one will be allowed in the exhibition booth except those in charge and the judges.
- New classes will be formed at the discretion of the judge, if the number of entries justify.

# Make Way For The 1953 Fair

Plains Hardware Company, serving Parmer County since 1907, welcomes visitors to another edition of the Parmer County Dairy Show and Fair.

Plains Hardware was founded in 1907 by the Hansen Brothers in the present location as a general store. Elroy Wilson and J. G. McFarland assumed ownership in 1944. Plains Hardware has a complete line of Taylor Bedding, Dell Peeples of Amarillo furniture, and Virtue Dinettes. Also handles Gibson and Kelvinator appliances, and the latest in Halicrafters and Emerson TV.

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FRIONA, TEXAS

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## Tall, Odd-Looking "De-Header" Gets Lots of Attention from Curious People

When Cecil Rundell, Farwell service station man, goes by on his "vehicle" you can bet he gets the attention, and most of the time the right-of-way from approaching autos and trucks. The fearful-looking machine Cecil maneuvers up and down the streets is not intended to be the successor of the family automobile, but it does have its place in the farmers' fields.

This, says the inventor, is his "de-heading machine", which is used to good advantage in the fall to skim over the tops of the maize fields and cut away unwanted volunteer sudan. The fact that the harvester has to pass over the maize accounts for its ungainly height.

Cecil reports good results from his "brainstorm", and says he is looking forward to the second harvesting season for the machine. Two years ago, the local innovator was laboring in a field cutting out the pesky sudan with a hand sickle. It occurred to the perspiring young man that there must surely be an easier and better way to weed out those high-standing plants.

So he and Stanton Thigpen, Texico blacksmith, got together shortly thereafter and fashioned the de-header. Cecil says he has never

seen nor heard of any machine like the one he now owns, and firmly believes that his invention is the only one of its kind.

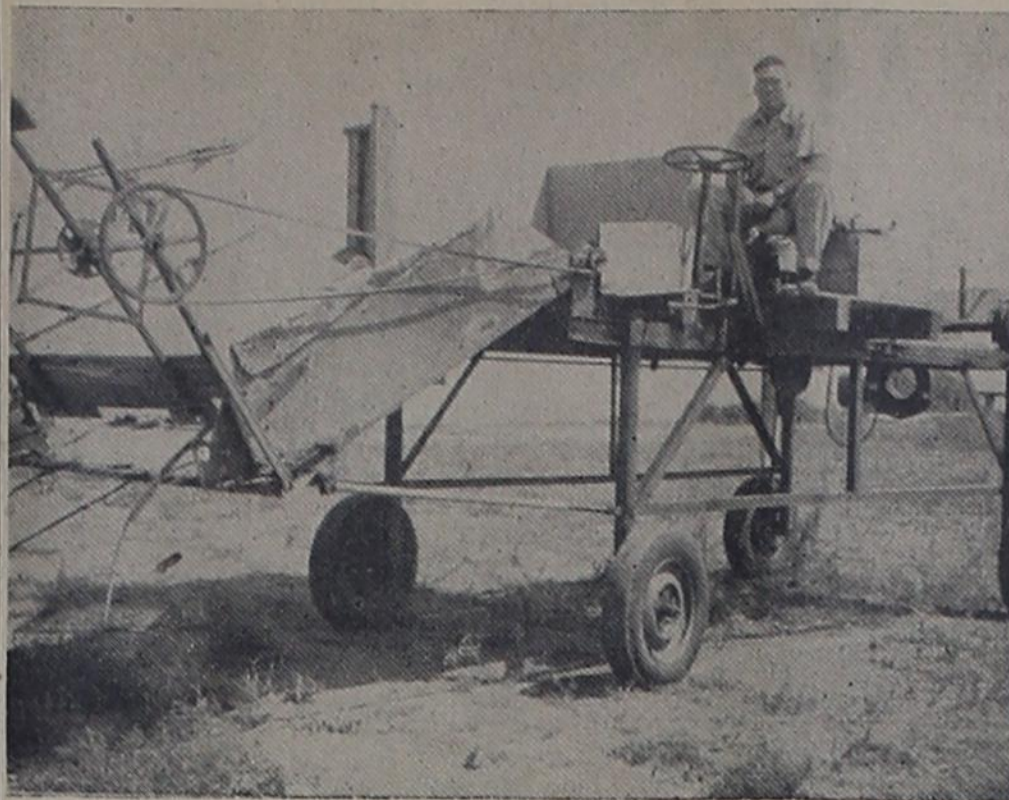
The cost of the de-header ran to about \$1000, and Rundell maintains that the first year of operation (last fall) returned him the investment. Cecil cut feed for about 12 or 13 people last year, and already is "booked ahead" for a number of jobs. He should be under way by time you read this.

The invention is powered by a conventional Model A four-cylinder engine, which transmits its power through a regular Model A transmission and differential. Long chain drives extend from the power platform down to each rear wheel, providing the machine with plenty of fool-proof traction.

Although most of the time the machine is operated in "low", Cecil says he has four speeds forward. This would run the de-header something like 50 miles an hour but Rundell affirms such a speed would be unthinkable. He prefers a modest 15 or 20 when out on the road.

A power take-off transmits energy through a long driveshaft to the front of the machine where the sickle and reel are located. As a modification or improvement of

## ALL UP IN THE AIR



Cecil Rundell is really riding high when he gets this machine into action. Even though it's four-wheeled, the big de-header is quite maneuverable.

"this year's model", Cecil has recently installed an auxiliary air-cooled 5 h.p. engine to run the mowing attachment.

This will give him variable speeds for his reel and sickle, he points out. Previously, this

part of the machine revolved in unison with the speed of the drive wheels, and could not be independently regulated.

As for what Cecil charges for his service, this probably is the most attractive part of the whole

deal for the farmer with infested grain fields. Rundell ordinarily cuts out the volunteer growth for the sudan itself. This he threshes and sells for seed.

Rundell says he will average about 20 acres cutting per day with the machine, and adds, "Some times I wish I had just this outfit and didn't have to worry about the filling station, and sometimes (when the machine cuts up, presumably) I wish I was back in my filling station and had never thought of such a contraption." "All in all, it has proved to be a very successful venture, believes Rundell, in spite of the endless ribbing he receives at the hands of his friends when he drives down the road.

## FAIR—

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14. A cash award of \$1.50 will be awarded the 1st place winner. 1st, 2nd, and 3rd place ribbons will be awarded.

15. The judge will be selected later.

16. Patrol Service is furnished by the FFA boys at night and a lady will be in charge at all times during the exhibition hours and every precaution will be taken to protect all articles entered. However, in no case will the Parmer County Fair Association be responsible

for loss, damage, theft, or breakage.

## NEEDLEWORK

CLASS 1: Quilts (a) Patchwork, (b) Applique, (c) Embroidery.

CLASS 2: Spreads (any type).

CLASS 3: Table Cloths (any type).

CLASS 4: Pillow cases (a) Applique, (b) Cut Work, (c) Embroidery, (d) Crochet or Tatted Trim.

CLASS 5: Luncheon Sets and Place Mats (a) Crochet, (b) Embroidery (c) Cut Work.

CLASS 6—Scarfs (a) Crochet, (b) Embroidery, (c) Cut Work.

CLASS 7: Doilies (a) Crochet or Tatted, Embroidery, (c) Cut Work.

CLASS 8: Buffet, Vanity, or Chair Sets, (a) Crochet, (b) Embroidery, (c) Cut Work.

CLASS 9: Pillow Tops (any type).

CLASS 10: Afgan (any type).

CLASS 11: Household Accessories (pot holder, hot plate mats, glass muffs, pin cushions).

CLASS 12: Cup Towels

CLASS 13: Aprons (a) Fancy, (b) Utility.

CLASS 14: Fashion Accessories and Miscellaneous (purses, hats, gloves, belts, and collars).

CLASS 15: Infants' and children's clothes (a) Crochet or Knitted, (b) Embroidered.

CLASS 16: Rugs.

## HANDICRAFT

No work which is not entirely

original and fashioned by hand of the exhibitor will be accepted (except in Class 19).

CLASS 17: Ceramics.

CLASS 18: Leathercraft.

CLASS 19: China and Textile Painting. This class may use ready-made articles to paint.

CLASS 20: Miscellaneous Handicrafts.

CLASS 21: Hand-painted Pictures. With the exception of jelly glasses, all containers must be standard type pints and quart size fruit jars and standard tops.

CLASS 22: Canned (a) Fruit, (b) Vegetables.

CLASS 23: Pickles and Relishes.

CLASS 24: Sugar Preserved Food (a) Jams and Butters, (b) Preserves, (c) Jelly.

CLASS 25: Breads.

CLASS 26: Cakes (a) Butter.

CLASS 27: Flower Arrangements. These may be brought the morning of Sept. 11th.

## ANTIQUES

This section will not be judged. For exhibition only. All exhibits must have the history of each article attached.

## CHILDREN'S DIVISION

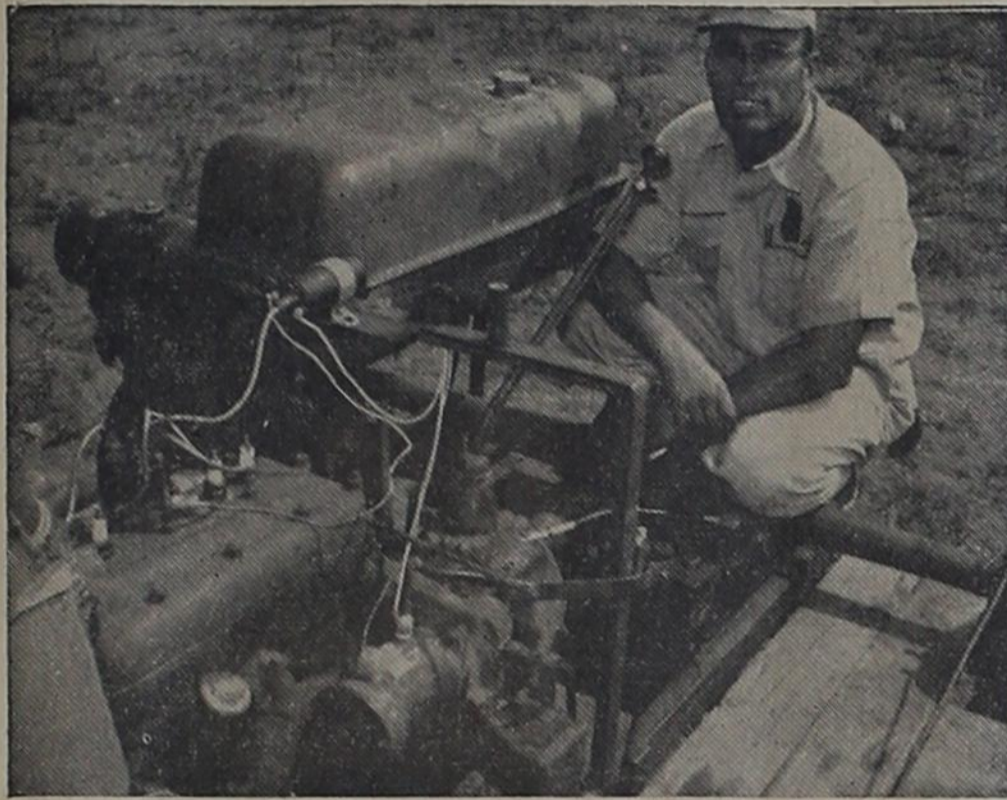
Ages 6 to 14

CLASS 28: Needlework.

CLASS 29: Handicraft.

CLASS 30: Flower Arrangements.

## CLOSE-UP OF "THE WORKS"



This shows in detail what makes the de-header "tick." Parts which can be seen include the Model A engine, gas tank, and transmission. Cecil Rundell, owner, is perched atop the differential. One brake rod can be seen at lower right.

## To the Stockholders of the Panhandle And Santa Fe Railway Company:

You are hereby notified that the Board of Directors of Panhandle and Santa Fe Railway Company have called a meeting of the Stockholders of the Company to convene at the principal office of the Company in the City of Amarillo, County of Potter, in the State of Texas, the 16th day of November, 1953, between the hours of 8 a. m. and 5 p. m., to consider and act upon a proposition to authorize the execution by the Company of a Mortgage or Deed of Trust to be called a General Income Mortgage or Deed of Trust, or by such other name as may be determined, on certain of its railroads and properties now or hereafter owned, to secure bonds to be issued in series from time to time to be used in paying, funding, or refunding the indebtedness of the Company for bonds assumed by, or for moneys advanced to, it, or for expenditures made on its behalf, for the acquisition or construction of its railroads and properties and additions or betterments thereto, and indebtedness constituting a prior lien on its railroads and properties now or hereafter owned, and to provide funds for the future extension of, and additions and betterments to, its properties, for the purchase of equipment therefor, for the reimbursement of its Treasury for expenditures so made, and for other lawful purposes; such bonds to be issued at such time, in such amounts, of such series, and at a lawful rate of interest payable at stated periods, to the extent that the net income of the Company may be adequate therefor (except that the installment of interest due October 1, 1955, shall be payable whether or not earned, and that such bonds shall become fixed interest bonds on the first day of January following any default by the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe Railway Company under its General Mortgage or Adjustment Mortgage, both dated December 12, 1895, and shall continue to be fixed interest bonds during the period of such default), and maturing on October 1, 1955, and to be subject or not subject to redemption, tax free or not tax free, convertible or not convertible into shares of capital stock of the Company, subject or not subject to sinking fund provisions, and containing such other terms and conditions as may be determined or prescribed by the Board of Directors; so limited in amount that bonds at any time outstanding, together with all the then outstanding prior debt of this Company and the par value of its then outstanding shares of capital stock shall not exceed the sum of \$46,400,000 plus the amount expended after December 31, 1952, for the acquisition, construction, or extension of railroads and railroad property, and for additions and betterments to such railroads and properties now or hereafter owned by the Company; such Mortgage or Deed of Trust to contain also such terms and conditions as may be prescribed or authorized by the Stockholders at said meeting; and to authorize the immediate issuance under said Mortgage of two bonds for \$9,000,000 and \$11,984,000, respectively, or such sum not exceeding said amount as may be approved by the Interstate Commerce Commission; said bonds to be dated July 1, 1953.

E. F. BROWDER  
Secretary

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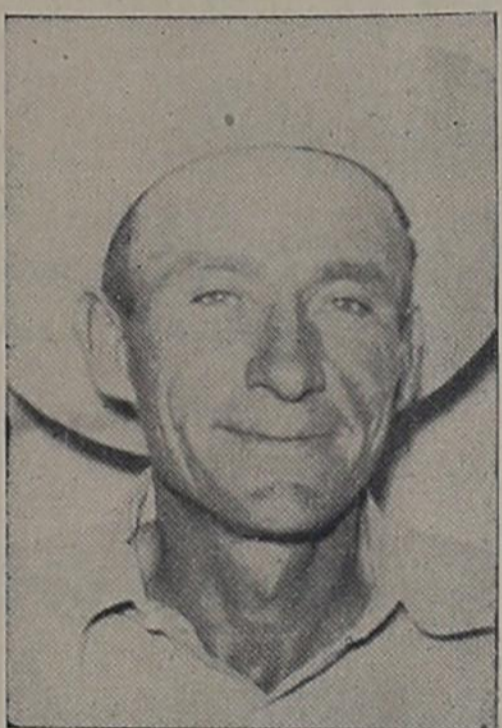
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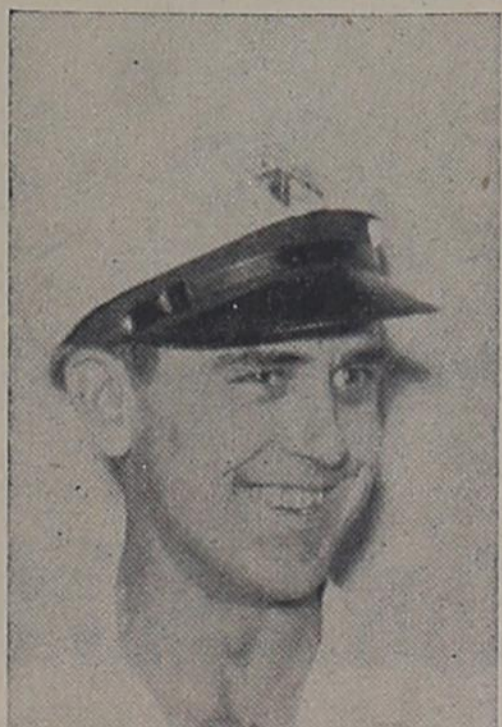
OSCAR BAXTER  
Co-Owner

Born in Elk City, Oklahoma February 1, 1916. Came to Friona in January, 1942. Purchased business with brother, March 21, 1952. Married in 1937 in Sayre, Okla. Four children, Gladys, Caroline Sue, Willene, and J. L.



JIM BAXTER  
Co-Owner

Born at Moffitt, Colorado in 1913. Came to Friona in 1943. Purchased business with brother in March, 1952. Married at Elk City, Oklahoma in 1932. 2 children, Patricia Dianne and Joy Valene. Hobby, fishing.



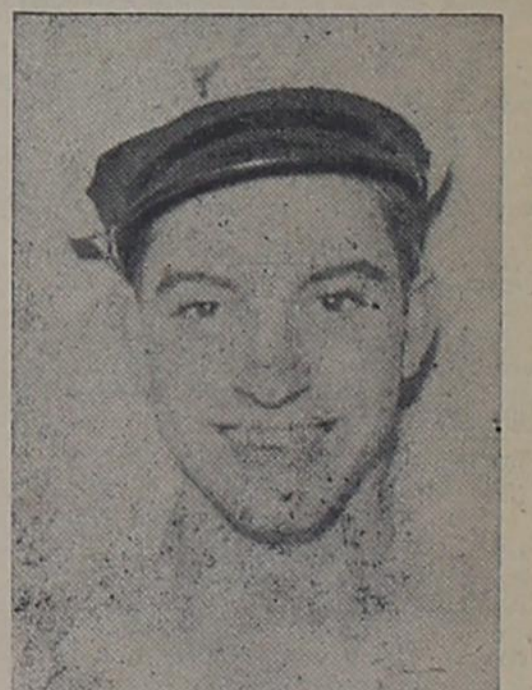
"PREACH" COLLIER  
Shop Foreman

Born at Wellington, Texas in 1923. Came to Friona in 1928. Been with company 7 years. Married at Fort Sumner, New Mexico in 1946. 2 children, Rita Gayle and Darrell. Hobby, fishing.



STEVE MESSENGER  
Bookkeeper

Born at Friona in 1923. Been with company since June of this year. Steve has a bookkeeping and tax service concern of his own. Single. Hobby, hunting.



LONNIE "JUNIOR" DEMENT  
Mechanic

Born in Arpaler, Oklahoma in 1935, August 12. Came to Friona in 1949. Single.



# Bovina Was Known As Just "Bull Town"

## Siding on Santa Fe Once Biggest Cattle Shipper in Nation

By Jo Sondra Magerus

Bovina, located in the center of Parmer County, is steeped in the history of the Plains.

In gathering data about Bovina, the logical place to go seemed to be to the earliest settlers, so we went to see Pres Abbott, who says, "I didn't come to Bovina; it came to me."

Abbott came to the Plains in 1894 and went to work for the 3,000,000-acre XIT spread. Talking about the ranch, he says, "Our division, with headquarters at Springlake in Lamb County, was 85 miles from the northwest to the southeast line. That fall, in our division, we branded 8,000 calves. Also in November, I remember a prairie fire which began east of Carlsbad and burned grassland up to the Denver Railroad, north of Amarillo. We moved 5,000 cattle to the Canadian River in Oldham County."

Recalling a presidential election in 1894, Pres said that Lamb and Parmer counties together polled 21 votes, and 7 people voted in Bailey County.

Then in 1898 the Santa Fe Railroad laid its tracks and the big black engines began puffing across the prairie. The site of the switch (which is now Bovina) was chosen by the general manager of the XIT and the superintendent of the Santa Fe. A depot was built there, and stock pens erected.

Telling how Bovina got its name, Pres says, "That year, the company decided to breed more bone into their cattle, so they bought several carloads of Durham bulls and shipped them to us. Not being used to an open, cold range, when the first 'Texan norther' came sweeping down they began hunting a shelter."

"They drifted down to the switch, where cotton seed cake had been piled about, and lay down behind the stacks seeking warmth. They weren't particular where they lay, and many of them got right on the tracks, so that the brakemen had to get off the trains and chase the bulls off the rails in order to get the train through."

It was this incident which caused the switch to be dubbed "Bull Town". Later, when the operating company took over and came through naming the switches, they modified the name. Deciding that the Latin term for bull sounded more dignified, they dubbed the place "Bovina".

Ranch headquarters were moved from Springlake to Bovina, in order to take advantage of the shipping facilities. Formerly, everything had been hauled from Amarillo by freight wagon.

After leaving the XIT, Abbott worked for the V. K. Warren Company with headquarters in Muleshoe. Then he came back to Bovina and built a home. "I went broke during the bad winter storms of 1918, and began doing a little bit of everything. I did a lot of construction work, building bridges, roads, etc. with mule teams, but all those things are obsolete now," Pres remembers.

Abbott, who will be 80 years of age on November 3, attributes his long life to being outside so much, only one in the burial ground for

In memory, he says, "When I came here, there were no houses, so we slept under tarpaulins on a wagon. Then when I married, my wife and I agreed that if we ever started to get mad about anything, I was to go outside. As a result, practically my whole life has been outdoors."

Abbott has been both deputy sheriff and state ranger at different times in his life, and is active in the Masonic Lodge and Eastern Star. As Bovina's oldest citizen, he still takes an active part in civic work, and is interested in the progress of the city.

**Kate Queen Recalls Old Days**  
Mrs. Stacy Queen, better known around Bovina as Kate, says that when she and her family came to Bovina there was one store in a half-dugout. It was operated by the Mershfelder brothers. Later, Bovina Mercantile opened for business, operated by Frank Hastings and his partner.

She says, "The first school that we attended, we hired a teacher to come here and she taught us in a rooming house. Then there were only five kids of school age in Parmer County. Later, the first school was built, and Miss Alice Mershfelder was the first teacher after the school was organized. The old school building now houses the Catholic church."

The five children in the county were Mrs. Mattie Spurlin, Mrs. Kate Queen, Morris Fowler, Horace Nichols, and Virgil Cuning. "The Nichols ran the eating house for the Santa Fe crews; the Cunnings ran the pump house for the railroad; and we owned a hotel. We did a lot of business in those days, because when those cowboys got in after months on the range they really went to town!" Kate laughs.

Youngsters had very good times, even though they had no money, and sometimes went for a year without seeing a dollar. They enjoyed horseback riding—thought nothing of riding over to Dimmitt to see an uncle.

She described how much fun the youngsters got from catching coyotes and horned toads and selling them to the Northern "immigrants" who had never seen such things.

"We had a baby burro, too," she recalled, "and I'll bet he had his picture taken a thousand times, because those people had never seen one. Finally, we sold him and the owner shipped him to Wisconsin."

Asked if there was very much drinking in Bovina in those days, Mrs. Queen replied that unlike not-distant Texico, Bovina had never had a saloon. "And," she says, "there was very little drinking except when the cowboys went over to Texico. Many times they would pay the engineer of a train to take them over there. He'd unhook from his train, leave it on the siding, and take them to Texico." The hotel owned by Mrs. Queen's parents was located on the very site of the present hotel, replacing the old building which burned several years ago.

Kate says the dresses then were ankle length, with a skirt that wasn't too full and a very high collar with whalebone inside to keep it from crumpling.

There was no cemetery in town in those early days, so when Mrs. Queen's sister died the syndicate (Capitol Freehold Land Co.) donated a plot. The one grave was the long life to being outside so much, only one in the burial ground for

many years. Mrs. Queen says that the seasons seem to be changing in the Plains area, pointing out that winters are less severe and summers are much hotter.

Yes, those were the "good old days" when Bovina was the largest inland shipping point for cattle in the United States! Now, let's look at some of the more recent civic improvements in the city, as told by O. W. Rhinehart, Willie Williams, and C. R. Elliott, businessmen.

The first street paving in Bovina came in "about 1937", and in 1942 the Highway 86 loop was surfaced, connecting Highway 86 (to Dimmitt on the south), to Highway 60 (to Clovis or Amarillo, on the north). Bovina once had a cotton gin, but it was moved away in 1937. In 1952, however, a new, modern ginning plant was built in town.

Rhinehart says that he had one of the eleven telephones in the city in 1930. Today, almost every city home has a telephone, and a rural exchange has recently been completed.

Among other things, the city now has a modern water system. In 1947 they approved a bond issue, leased the Santa Fe's facilities, and installed big mains, etc., at a cost of \$60,000. The system meets all requirements of the Texas Board of Insurance Commission.

There are now four operating grain elevators, one of which, the Sherley Elevator, is claimed to be the largest local elevator (excluding terminals) in the State of Texas.

There are five churches: Baptist, Church of Christ, Methodist, United Pentecostal, and Catholic. Both Baptist and Methodist buildings were erected in recent years.

During the 1930's, the former Farwell Masonic Lodge moved to Bovina, and the Masons now own a nice, two-story brick building. In 1946 the American Legion Post 518 built its new building.

The businessmen say that, "The best people in the county live right here in Bovina"; another says, "Bovina is on a line which determines the seasons. We have seen it snow north of town and not snow at all to the south; crops are earlier south of town than they are to the north."

Views differ on how much the population has increased, but it is agreed that the city's trade territory has grown immensely with the coming of irrigation farming.

Although the city itself is some 45 years old, Bovina wasn't incor-

porated as a town until 1947. At that time, an alderman form of government was set up and W. O. Cherry, former school superintendent, was named mayor. Later it was reorganized with a commission system, and O. W. Rhinehart became the mayor.

S. A. Calhoun is the present mayor, using an office in the new brick city hall next door to the fire station, which boasts a modern truck and fire-fighting equipment.

Yes, Bovina has grown by "leaps and bounds" since the coming of the railroad gave the town a start.

## "Finders Keepers" Not Always True

Finders keepers, losers weepers. Is this old rhyme true or false? Lawyers say it is not always strictly accurate under the law. It is sometimes rather difficult to define the rights of a finder in court.

There are some rather dim distinctions and exceptions to the "finders keepers" maxim that have plagued the courts—and finders—for generations. In the first place, the finder is not entitled to keep the property unless the original owner is not known and cannot be located. Neither may he keep it unless the object is truly "lost", and not merely "misplaced."

In general, property is legally "lost" when parted with involuntarily—through accident, neglect, forgetfulness or any other unintentional circumstance.

Property is not lost in the legal sense when voluntarily left by the owner, intending to pick it up later—even though he fails to do so. Such property is "misplaced."

Thus, if one loses a watch on the street by having the clasp break not knowing when it was dropped, it is legally "lost". The same is true of a fountain pen falling through a hole in one's pocket unobserved. In such cases, the finder owns what he has found against all but the true owner.

On the other hand, a package left on the seat of a bus is "misplaced" rather than lost. In one southern state, a pocketbook left in a barbershop by a customer was held to have been "left," not "lost". The barber was arrested and convicted of larceny when he spent the money that was in it.

Under the law the finder of either lost or misplaced property should make a "reasonable effort" to find the real owner.

## OLD-TIME BOVINA RESIDENTS



They don't look so aged, but Stacy and Kate Queen, above, have lived in Bovina for many years, and they are pretty good authorities on "what used to be," here in this area.

When articles are left on a train or bus, in a public hotel room, or even when dropped on a shop floor, under circumstances indicating that the owner will later return to claim them, such items are not considered lost. The proper custodian to hold them for the owners return would be the proprietor or other person in charge.

Remaining unclaimed, the property sometimes goes to this custodian, sometimes to the finder. The distinction here appears to be whether the place it is found is private or semi-private, or a place used by the general public.

(This column, based on Texas law, is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts, because the facts may change the application of the law.)

## Two New Laws Affect Truckers

Texas truckers have a pair of new laws to bone up on within the next few days.

Homer Garrison, Jr. Director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, has announced that the two measures, which were enacted by the 53rd Texas Legislature, went into effect on August 26th.

One of the laws provides that if a trucker overloads his vehicle in excess of the gross weight for which it is registered and is caught by the officers; he will be required to apply to nearest available county tax assessor collector for additional registration in an amount to take care of his overload before he can continue his trip. If he is over the maximum legal weight, Garrison said, he can still be unloaded on the spot, under the old law, before being allowed to pro-

ceed. Exception is made in the case of livestock or perishable merchandise, in which cases the operator shall be permitted to seek the nearest practical point along his route where his load can be protected from damage or destruction before being required to secure the additional registration.

The other law, Garrison explained, provides, generally, that any operator, other than the registered owner or his agent, of a commercial motor vehicle or truck tractor must file with the State Safety Department a copy of the lease or other agreement under which the vehicle is being operated. In addition, he must carry copies of the lease and of the letter of transmittal to the Department in the vehicle.

Kent Odom, Chief of the license and Weight Division of the Texas Department of Public Safety, said that this law is designed to curb "outlaw" truckers who afford no protection to shippers. He said that a booklet, giving detailed explanations of the law's provisions, will be sent to any trucker who requests it by writing him at Austin.

## Texico FFA Names Officers for Year

First meeting for Texico Future Farmers of America was Monday night of last week, with Cecil Dykes, agriculture teacher, as sponsor. New officers were named and seven greenhands initiated into the group.

Officers include Howard Leavell, president; Kenneth Reid, vice president; Jimmy Don Moss, secretary; Gerald Doshier, treasurer; Bob Goldsmith, reporter; J. B. Taylor, sentinel.

Session was held in the ag building, and refreshments were served by Marvin and Bobby Pendergrass, Jimmy L. Moss and Carlton Kyle. Meetings will be held the first Monday night of each month.

## Thomas Arrive For a Visit

Mr. and Mrs. Warlick Thomas arrived late Saturday night for a brief visit here with his mother, Mrs. Ethel Thomas, and friends. He has been enrolled in law school at the University of Texas the past summer semester, and is to go into the Army in the fall.

They plan to visit his sister and family, the Keith Levys, in Oklahoma, some time this week.

# READY TO GIN YOUR 1953 COTTON



WRIGHT WILLIAMS  
Co-Owner

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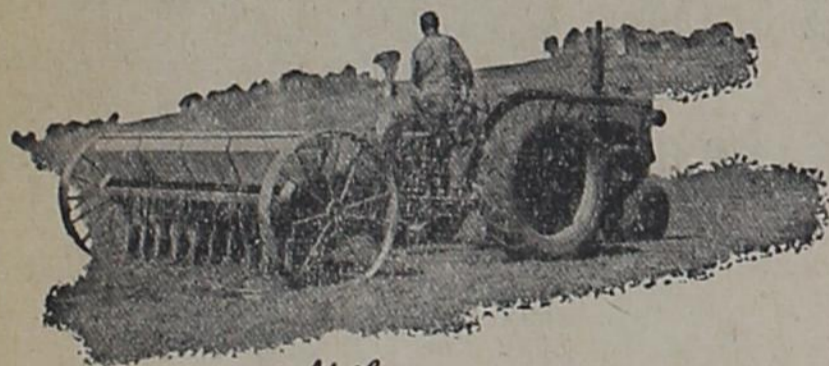
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FRIONA, TEXAS

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**RALPH HUMBLE**  
FARWELL, TEXAS



**FRIONA HISTORY**  
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eriting a small drug store in a building which also housed his living quarters. He was followed by a Dr. Pillans and then somewhat later by Dr. McElroy, who is well remembered in the area. Currently, medical advice and treatment is dispensed by Dr. Paul Spring and Dr. Smith at the Parmer County Community Hospital, which came into being in Friona in 1947.

The first elevator built here was the Santa Fe Grain Co., back in 1915, with George T. Courtwright and W. H. (Henry) Warren the owners. J. C. Wilkison, then with the Santa Fe, is responsible for naming the business, old-timers recall. Seems there was quite a discussion as to the proper name, until "Wilks" tossed in, "Oh, just call it the Santa Fe Grain Co." and it's been that ever since.

Now there are two huge elevators along the Santa Fe railroad's right-of-way, the original Santa Fe plus enlargements, and the Friona Wheat Growers, a cooperative venture.

The Frio draw heckled its namesake for many years with seasonal rampages when heavy rains along its watershed in New Mexico would spill into the draw and come roaring down upon the lower part of town. It got to be great sport to see Frio come up, until 1941. That year, heavy continued rains sent the draw out of its banks three times in two weeks, with the water reaching over the railroad tracks at the southern edge of town and up around the Santa Fe Grain.

That, said the railroad, is enough. So it spent a good sum to have a large dike constructed along the so-called banks of the draw, actually south of the tracks. In addition, some diking and dam-building was done back up along the head of the draw, and since then, Frio has been comparatively tame. It gets "up", now and then, but is sufficiently harnessed that no damage is done to property in the area.

Only one of the original buildings still remains in the town, that being currently used to house the recreation hall, although all sorts of businesses have occupied the structure since the early 1900's. But there are a number of the early settlers still around: T. J. Crawford, Floyd Reeve, the Goodwines, the Stevicks, Lawrence Lillard, George McLean, John White, Claridge Fallwell, and others who can "remember when," and find great joy in comparing the small start of less than 200 residents with the 1950 count of near 1900.

The town now boasts an impressive group of churches, latest addition being the Methodist and Baptist Church buildings; a well-equipped Legion Hall which doubles downstairs as the City Hall; a shady green city park; paved streets over a large portion of the residential area; modern brick buildings which house all varieties of business; the handsome school properties; the efficient hospital; the cotton gin; and the latest business establishment, the potato shed which handles the spuds produced in the area under the irrigation. It used to be mostly wheat and

cattle. Not now. These have been increased with wide varieties of grain sorghum crops; cotton, potatoes, alfalfa, soy and castor beans—and with irrigation still upgrade, it is quite likely that commercial lettuce production may be next on the list.

Frio Draw was responsible for some changes in the town. For several years prior to 1940 the highway department had been unhappy about the water periodically coming over its route through the southern part of town, and finally got things ironed out to put the highway north of the city. At that time, all the business structures were concentrated on Main Street, but now a goodly number of the city's establishments are located along Highway 60.

All in all, it's quite a little city now—and residents extend a cordial welcome to visit around this weekend, during "Fair Time", one of the big events of the year.

**Farwell School Assemblies Listed**

Sept. 18—Pep assembly, sixth period; Farwell plays Vega there, football.

Sept. 22—Senior assembly, 9 a. m.

Sept. 25—Pep assembly, Football, Boys Ranch, here.

Oct. 2—Pep assembly; football, Melrose, here.

Oct. 9—Pep assembly; football, Farwell at Bovina.

Oct. 15—"Shepherd Life in Galilee" by Stephen Haboush, 11 a. m. This is a pre-assembly to his program Monday night, Oct. 19, "Trip to Holy Land".

Oct. 16—Pep assembly; football, Anton here. Assembly, "Highlights of Variety", 9 a. m.

Oct. 23—Pep assembly; football, Farwell at Whitharral.

Oct. 30—Pep assembly; football, Friona here.

Nov. 3—Junior assembly, 9 a. m.

Nov. 5—Pep assembly; football, Farwell at Petersburg.

Nov. 11—Pep assembly, 9 a. m.

Nov. 18—"Folk Songs With Guitar", 9 a. m.

Dec. 1—Assembly, grades 1-3, 9 a. m.

Dec. 18—Christmas programs.

Jan. 5—Assembly, grades 4-7, 9 a. m.

Jan. 19—Freshman assembly, 9 a. m.

Feb. 1—Magician's assembly, 9 a. m.

Feb. 16—Grade 8 assembly, 9 a. m.

March 2—Pageantry in Puppetry, 9 a. m.

March 1—Music department assembly, 9 a. m.

March 31—Matchless Music Moments, 9 a. m.

April 13—Speech department assembly, 9 a. m.

April 27—Sophomore assembly, 9 a. m.

May 7—Home economics assembly, 9 a. m.

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From Walter Winchell, America's most widely read reporter takes you behind the scenes of the film industry in a revealing reply to Hollywood's severest critics. This plus the twenty-four page MOVIE ANNUAL can be found in the AMERICAN WEEKLY, that great magazine distributed with next Sunday's LOS ANGELES EXAMINER.

**Marvin Boyd Will Speak at Church**

Rev. Marvin L. Boyd, district superintendent of the Plainview district, will preach at the Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church Sunday, Sept. 27, at the 11 o'clock hour. A cordial invitation is extended to all friends and members of the church to hear him.

Rev. Boyd presided at the meeting of the first quarterly conference, Wednesday night, Sept. 2. The budget of the church was officially accepted and plans made for the work of the church through the year. Melvin Sudderth was elected to serve as Sunday School superintendent with Billy Joe Foster as assistant. Mrs. Katherine Merriman was named superintendent of the children's division.

Other officials of the church are as follows: Leon Grissom, charge lay leader; L. M. Grissom, district steward; Gene Rea, E. G. Snodgrass, Doyn Merriman, Billy Joe Foster, Tom Lindop, Wendol Christian, Lee Jones, Kenneth Grissom, stewards; Clarence Christian, Truman Kent, Clyde Perkins, Tom Foster, James McDorman, Sam Billingsley, trustees;

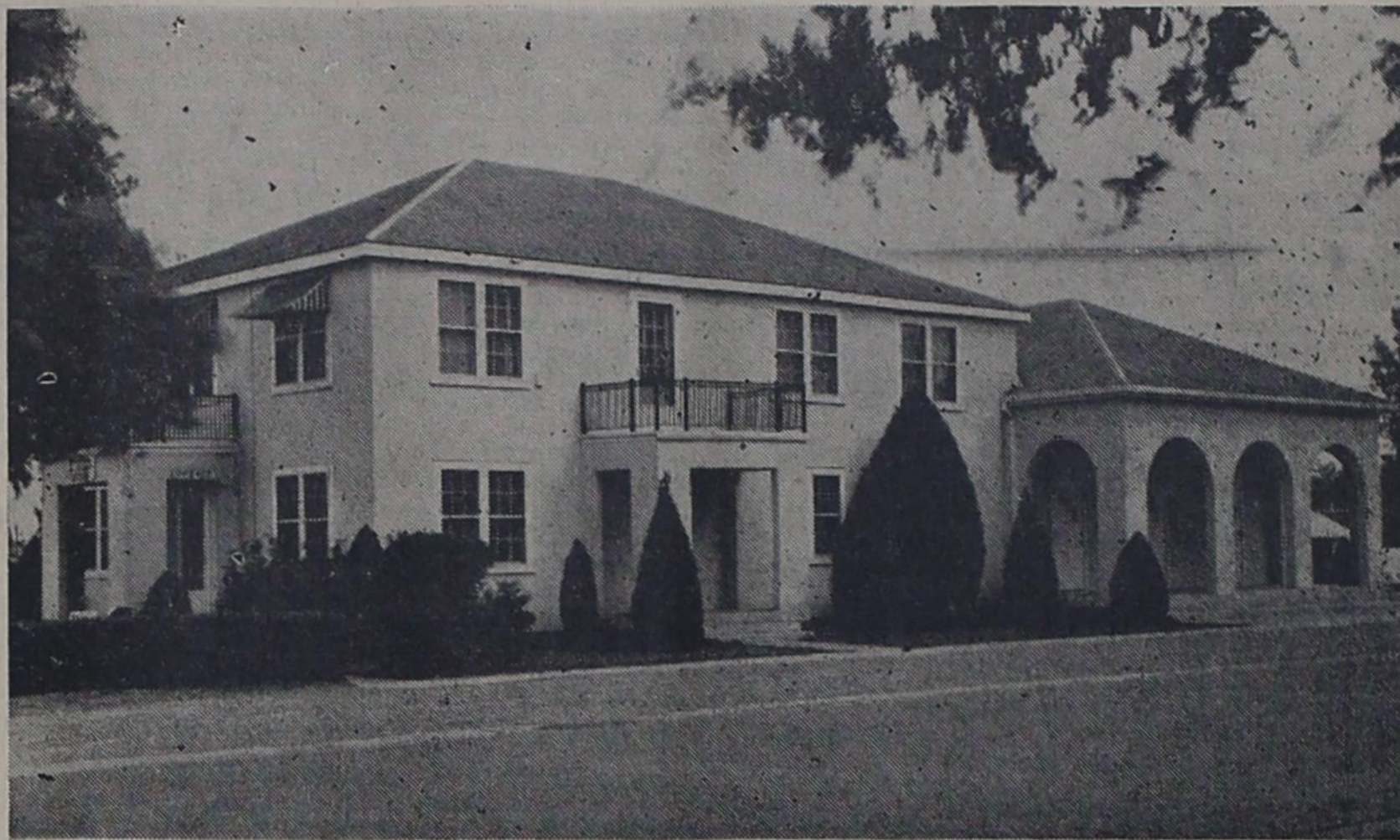
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**Now at Home**

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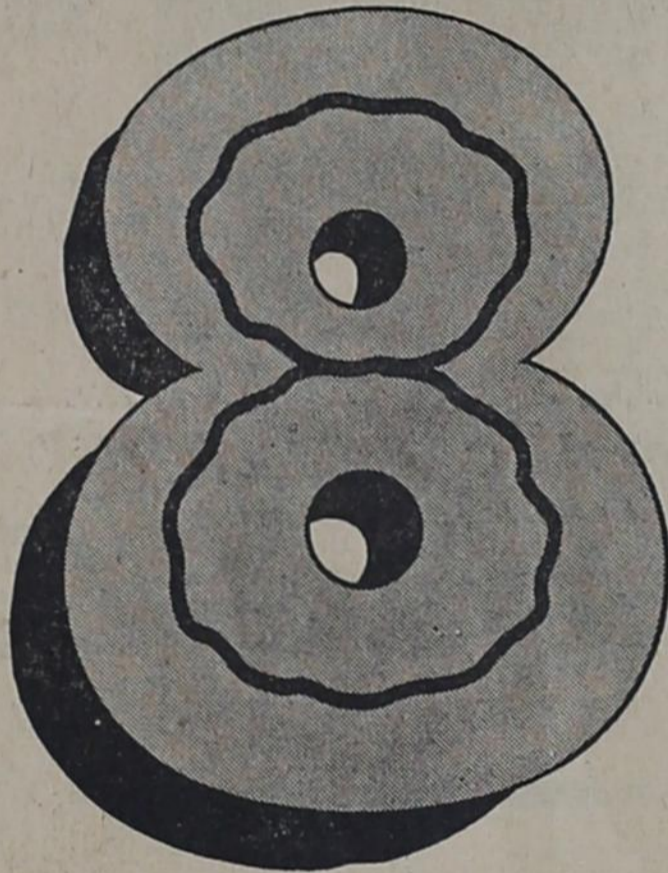
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## Former Farwell Resident Returns from European Tour, Has Interesting Stories

Marcia Ann Johnson, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. V. Scott Johnson of Clovis, feels that the very best thing about the United States, is getting back to it after one has been away. Miss Johnson returned recently from a summer in Oslo, Norway, where she attended the University of Oslo on a scholarship. She is a former Farwell resident.

She left her home in New Mexico on June 13 and sailed from New York on the Stavangersjord, a Norwegian ship, which took her directly to her destination. Her return trip was made from Southampton, England on the vessel, United States. Her trip over, took 10 days, but she was on the water only six on the return voyage.

The Clovis girl, along with 180 other scholars, traveled third class on the way to Norway, but the students were given a free run of the ship. "So we had a wonderful time, getting acquainted and seeing the ship", she says. Only one other girl from New Mexico was aboard from Los Alamos.

Classes began for Marcia the Monday after she reached her destination, and she had six weeks of study. She enrolled in classes on Norwegian music, the history of Norway, Political Institutions of Norway and Norwegian customs. "I was fortunate in getting to visit in several Norwegian homes, one in each of the three different classes," she says.

She found that the people there are much more serious-minded than an average American student. In one of the elite homes of Norway, where a party was given for the Americans, Marcia saw "the most fabulous home you can imagine." She didn't go into detail about the furnishings.

**Eats Whale Steak**  
The New Mexico girl had her first taste of whale steak while visiting in another home there. She said it tastes a little like venison, and doesn't have a "fishy" taste at all. It was also very tender.

The city of Oslo gave a reception for visiting students, and tables were pushed back, with a dance held in the city hall. There were also numerous school functions, and a musical was given by the students at the conclusion of the term. One boy wrote original music for the presentation, and Marcia was pianist.

At the conclusion of classes on August 8, Marcia and Julia Shield of Chapel Hill, N. C., decided on a tour of Europe. They went first to Copenhagen where they stayed in a youth hostel, which is common to the countries there.

Sponsored by the National Union of students, hostiles were quite varied, as to the comfort of accommodations. Guests there have to be students, and are admitted upon presentation of a student card. Cost for lodging runs about 50 cents per night, and breakfast can be purchased for about 35 cents. Sheets are furnished, and students have to make their own beds. Cooking facilities are available.

While in Copenhagen, the girls rented bicycles and toured the city. They saw the Botanical gardens there and in several cities on their itinerary. Most impressive to Marcia Ann was the zoo there. "I saw animals I had never heard of before," she remarked. They also visited Oscar Davidson's restaurant, which is quite famous stateside. "Why, they had 172 different kinds of sandwiches on their menu," she exclaimed, "and had a special menu for that one phase."

They visited Tivoli, which is something like a mammoth carnival, or state fair. There are rides, shows, open air ballet, just about everything.

Two trips sponsored by the University were to Rujakon power plant and Lillihammer, which Marcia described as beautiful.

Also, in Copenhagen the American girls visited the fish market. "I never saw so many different kinds of fish", she exclaimed. She was amused to see that practically

all of the stand keepers at the market were old women, who wore funny paper hats to shade their faces from the sun, and smoked little cigars.

Next on the agenda was Hamburg, Germany. They visited one cathedral, and after climbing flights and flights of stairs, met the elevator as it stopped at the tower. They had not realized there would be a modern elevator. It was there that they saw the first Woolworth building they had seen since leaving the states. Arriving in Frankfurt, Germany, they found that they couldn't check into their hotel until 12 o'clock noon, so they toured the city, via trolley car. They saw Palm Gardens, which they felt was the most extravagant park they had ever seen. They ate at Ratskellar, a typical German eating place. They visited many churches, and Marcia Ann bought German china there. Her friend bought a wrist watch.

They drove up the Rhine river, and saw all the preparations for a wine festival, which was in the planning stage. Germans were getting ready for the elections, and posters were everywhere. People seemed very excited about it, Marcia Ann reports.

While there, the girls met a Clovis boy who was stationed there, and "we had the first American hamburger and milkshake we had had since leaving home, at the PX," she laughed. She was "ice cream hungry", she added.

There was a transportation strike in France, so the Clovis friend took the girls to Paris in his car. They visited Pigalle Street which compares to Skid Row in the States. "It was just one little sidewalk cafe after another, and many people, about half of them intoxicated. We didn't stay long", she says. She saw the musical productions, and they had a picnic while there.

"We also went to the flea market, which is just an open market," she says. Everywhere the girls went, they had to walk or take a taxi because of the strike, she found that taxis were too expensive. "I thought I was going to have to walk out of France. I nearly ran out of money," she laughs. She finally managed trans-

portation out of France on the one train running to the English channel. It was supposed to seat 600 people and there were 1400 passengers, she notes. Crossing the channel to England, it began raining and rained all the time she was there.

She saw the changing of the guard in England, Westminster Abbey, and the open market. And in Hyde park, she heard the soapbox orators. People go there and just get up on boxes and begin talking and people listen, she muses. She visited Dr. and Mrs. H. K. Steed, formerly of Clovis, in Weatherford, England, and saw the show "Call Me Madam."

Eventually, Marcia Ann headed for Southampton, England, for the last lap of her journey before the States. She found her trip to be a wonderful experience.

### ENROLLS IN NNMI

"Pudge" Rose, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Rose, enrolled Wednesday of last week in New Mexico Military Institute in Roswell. Pudge is a junior in high school and has previously attended Farwell High School.

### Parts Assigned On ESA Script

Dorothy Quickel was hostess to a short committee meeting of ESA

script group Thursday evening in her home. Parts were assigned for each girl to work on. Attending were Jeanne Graham, Gloria Miller, Rosa Roberts, Sylvia Watkins and the hostess. Coffee and cookies were served.

### Ranchvale Wins Over Texico

In a practice softball game played Friday night, Ranchvale Trojannes were victorious over the Texico Whirlwinds 12-1.

On the pitching mound for Ranchvale were Nina Barrow and Flossie Halliday. Pitching for the Whirlwinds were Phyllis Tucker, D'Tanis Caldwell, and Bessie Vaught.

Girls playing in other positions were Nadine Thornton, catcher; Shirley Stover, first base; Sue Reid, second base; D'Tanis Caldwell, third base; Sue Doolittle, shortstop; Roxie Henson, left field; Kathryn Curd, center field; Catherine Bell, right field; and Aloma Palmateer, short field. Bobby Richardson was manager and scorekeeper.

Substitutes throughout the game were: Barbara Caldwell, Connie Bakkerud, June Walter, Anita Tharp, Ruth Winkles, and Wanda Griffin.

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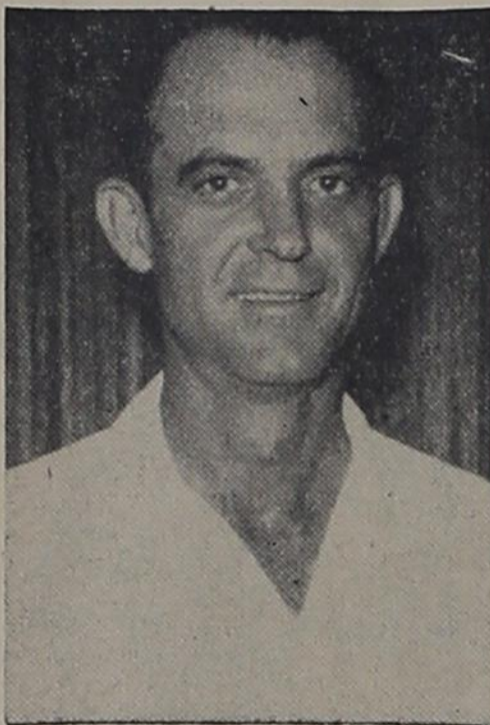
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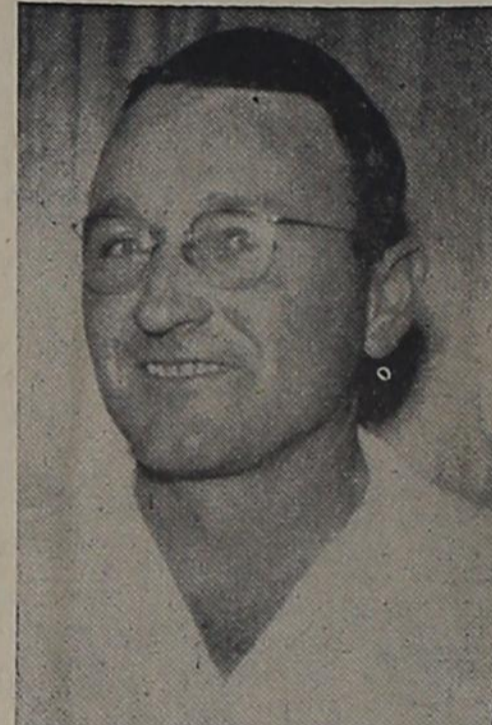
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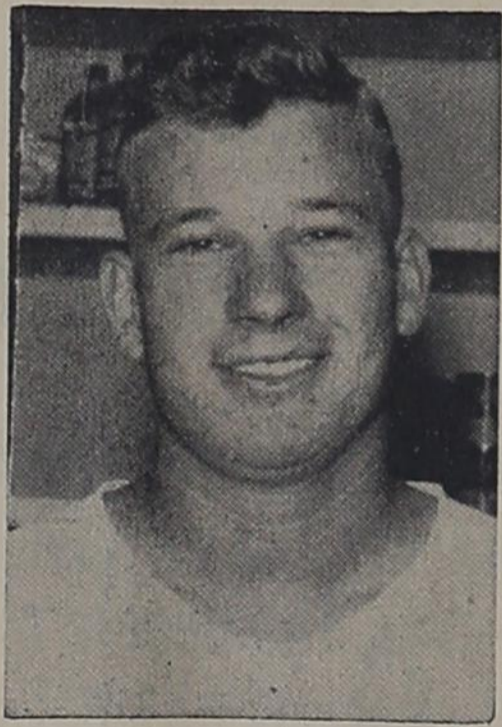
Born in De Baca City, New Mexico in 1915. Came to Friona 1 year ago. Been with company 1 year. Married in Clovis, N. M. in 1937. Six children, Estella, Faye, Tommy, Russell, Mary Ellen and Joann. Hobby, wood work.

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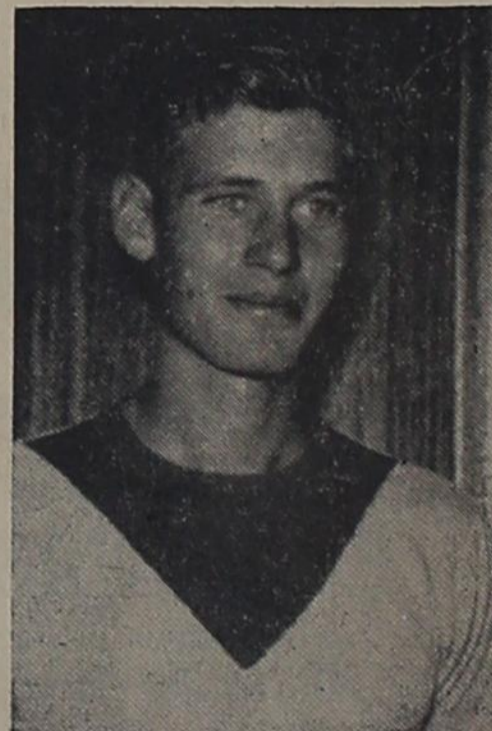
It is you people whom we salute this week, because without you the fair could not be!

This is the 11th year of the Dairy Show and Fair, and it seems that each year it gets a little "bigger and better."



**FRANKIE ALLEN**  
Yard Man

Born in Beardon, Oklahoma in 1934. Been with company 3 years. Married in Friona about 3 weeks ago. Hobby, woodwork.



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### NEWS FROM FRIONA

Guests of Mrs. Minnie Hall last week were her aunt, Mrs. Harvey Miller, of Clovis, and a cousin from Houston, whom she hadn't seen for 34 years.

Mrs. J. A. Wyly, Gray and Deborah spent Friday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Pope and children.

Mrs. Jim Baxter and Patricia visited Thursday with Mrs. L. D. Chiles who has been ill for about four weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Purdy and children of Turkey, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Jack and Mrs. Oscar Baxter visited Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Chiles and sons, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Baxter made a business trip Saturday to Plains, Texas.

Ben Wayne Jordon, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. R. Jordon, and Tim Magness, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Magness, will attend Texas Tech this fall.

Mrs. Mack Bainum and Phyllis and her brother, Wilbur Cogdill, left Saturday for Oklahoma City where Cogdill will enter college.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Houser spent Sunday and Monday in Santa Fe with her sister-in-law Mrs. Roger Hartman and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Bear and grandson, Larry, of Ada, Okla., are here visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bess.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Collier left recently for Odessa to make their home. Mr. and Mrs. Boots Rule and family, of Colorado, have moved back to Friona and are living on the Collier farm.

Charlotte Bails spent Sunday with Lujan Guinn.

Orval Houser went to Lockney, Friday, to return Mrs. Houser to her home. She has been visiting her aunt, in a hospital there.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Robbins and Miles Robbins of Blunt, South Dakota, arrived here Saturday to attend to farming interests. They will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roberson, of Bovina; Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baxter and other relatives while here.

Mrs. Duane Wyly spent Wednesday night and Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Averell of Tucumcari.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Dilger are visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Baxter, of Memphis.

#### MEETING IS CLOSED

The Church of Christ closed its gospel meeting Sunday night, Sept. 6. Brother Kenneth Averett of Tucumcari did the preaching. Good attendance is reported for each night of the week.

Max Cruse, of Pierre, S. D., is here visiting old friends and his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Cruse. He will attend college in Abilene this fall.

### Guests Of Baxters

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Brunam of San Bernadino, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Ray Duff, Paula and Baxter of Plains, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Baxter, Bobby and Kenneth of Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baxter, A. B. Clark, and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Baxter and family were supper guests, Friday night, of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Baxter.

Mr. and Mrs. Orby Miller, of Floydada, spent the week with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Jack.

Kenneth Averett of Tucumcari was a Sunday dinner guest of his cousin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Wyly.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Lea went to Borger, Sunday afternoon, to visit their daughter, Mrs. Clifford Thompson, who is hospitalized. They also visited their other daughters, Mrs. Steve Trigg and Mrs. Bill Hadley and families.

Mary Hadley and Judy Guinn visited Sunday with Roseann Greeson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baxter and Miles Robbins, of Blunt, S. D., were Sunday dinner guests of the Oscar Baxters. Afternoon guests were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Baxter and son of Clovis.

Junior and Clarence Martin of Lamar, Colo., will arrive in Friona Tuesday to attend to business.

### Is Hostess To Friends

Mary Tatum entertained a group of girls, Thursday night, with a slumber party at her home. The group attended a movie at Hereford and later enjoyed games and refreshments at the Tatum home.

Present for the social were Phyllis Fairchild, Marilyn Fairchild, Nelda May, Eugenia Landrum, Glenna Mae Pope and the hostess.

### Fall Revival Will Start On Sept. 13

The Methodist Church of Friona will begin its fall revival on Sunday, Sept. 13, to continue through Wednesday, Sept. 23.

Rev. S. M. Dunham of Hereford First Church will conduct the services. There will be two services daily, at 10:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

Tim Magness will be in charge of the song services, and the public is invited to attend.

### Latvian Preacher Speaks at Texico

Rev. Carlos Gruber, a native Latvian, preached at the Texico Baptist Church Sunday in the absence of the pastor, Rev. C. C. Morgan, who is ill. The subject of his sermon Sunday morning was, "The World Today", and for the night services he spoke on "The Answer to America's Problem."

Rev. Gruber was born in Latvia. When Communists began to take over his country in the 1930's he escaped to Brazil, where he lived for several years. While in Brazil, he did evangelistic and missionary work.

In the early 1940's, he came to the United States. He lived in New York City for six years and while there, had a chance to observe Communism closely. His office was located by the Communist headquarters, and he could observe how they went about their work. He stated that if the Christian people in America were half as much in earnest about religion as the Communists are about their doctrine, that Communism could never take over in America.

He has witnessed Communism at work in his own native country and knows the horror of it.

His personal experiences with Communism have aided him greatly in his ministry.

Gruber is a very talented violinist, having studied under some of the great teachers in Paris, France. He also speaks fluent Latvian, Portugese, Spanish, and English.

He played his violin during the song service at the church, and sang "Rock of Ages" in three languages, Latvian, Portugese, and English.

He led the music at the World Youth Congress in Rio De Janiero, Brazil, which he recently attended.

He is well-known speaker throughout West Texas. He does evangelistic work, both singing and preaching.

Gruber, his wife, and their small son now reside in Plainview, Texas, where his wife teaches in Wayland College.

### HAS APPENDECTOMY

Ansel Doolittle underwent an appendectomy at the Clovis Memorial hospital last Friday afternoon. He is doing very well, and was returned home Monday afternoon.

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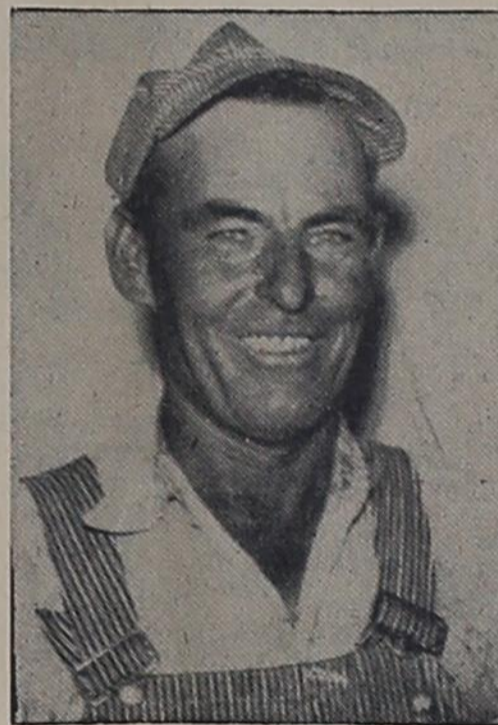
DEAN BLACKBURN

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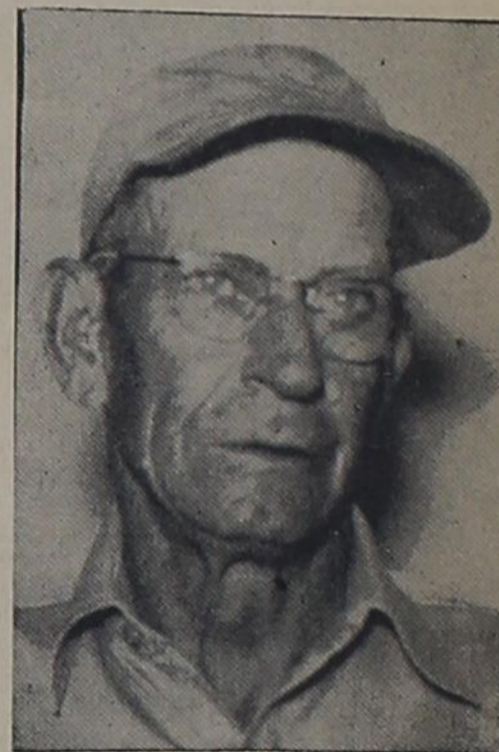
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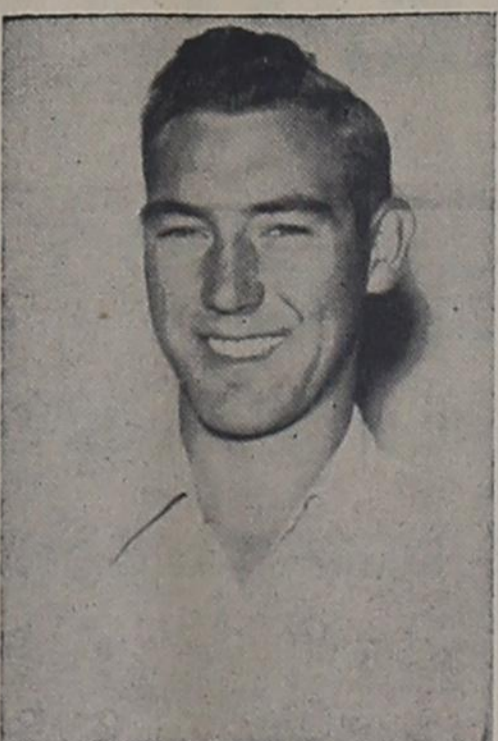


ROY SMITH

Born in Missouri in 1895. Married at Hereford in 1924. Mrs. Smith passed away in 1936. Four children. 3 boys and 1 girl. 2 girl grandchildren. Fishing is hobby.

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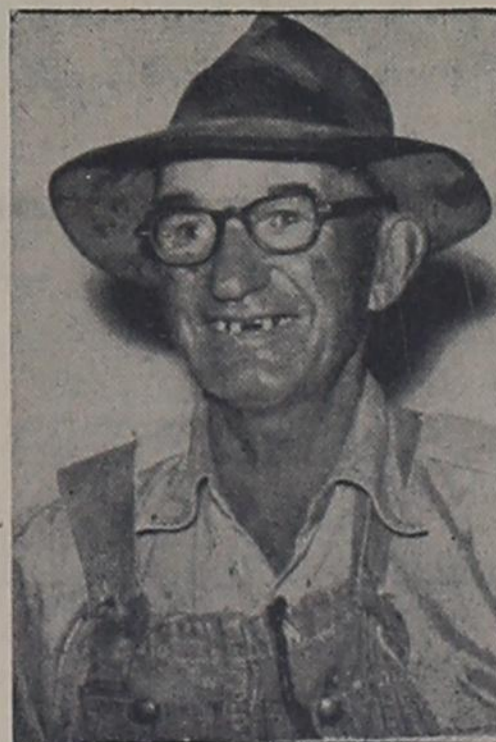
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**NEWS FROM THE FARM BUREAU**

By RAYMOND EULER

It looks like there will be a special legislative session called in Austin this year. If there is, it is a foregone fact that more tax money is going to be sought; part of it for increasing teacher's pay. It can also be concluded that the pocket from which the money comes will be that of the farmer, if we don't watch out. Texas Farm Bureau members have insisted that natural resources, which are not paying their proportionate share of taxes, should be taxed if there is a need for more revenue. Parmer County Farm Bureau has supported this position in the past and we will find out if the membership still holds that view, so we will know how to report when we are called upon by the legislative representatives.

U. S. Congressman George Mahon, in speaking at the District 2 meeting in Lubbock last Thursday, said, "Farm organizations are the only dependable source from which we can get conclusive suggestions from farmers themselves when we consider farm legislation—and of course, when I say farm organizations, that just always means Farm Bureau."

Bud Jones, District Extension Service agent of Lubbock Tech, said, "It would be impossible for us to carry on our educational program as successfully as we are without our friends, members and officers of Farm Bureau." He also referred to the June "drouth disaster" meeting in Lubbock, as related to Farm Bureau. "We cannot tell you how much was contributed to the planning and successful operation of that meeting by C. H. DeVaney, Texas Farm Bureau vice president, and the publicity and participation afforded by your county Farm Bureaus." Bill Tilson, District 2 FB director, reiterated by saying that without the aid of extension service agents, Farm Bureau would have a difficult time, too.

Everyone feels that Denese Magness, Parmer County FB's queen for 1953, was a fine representative. Beautifully attired in a rose formal in Lubbock Thursday, she made everyone proud that she was ours. We thought she drew more audience applause than any other. The judges did not choose her and our hearts were kind of heavy, but there was only one of the eight who could win—seven who could not. We still think any one of Parmer County's 16 candidates would have looked good in Lubbock. We liked and appreciated all of them.

Consider this: "The ants are not a people strong, yet they prepare their meat in the summer." Proverbs 30:25.

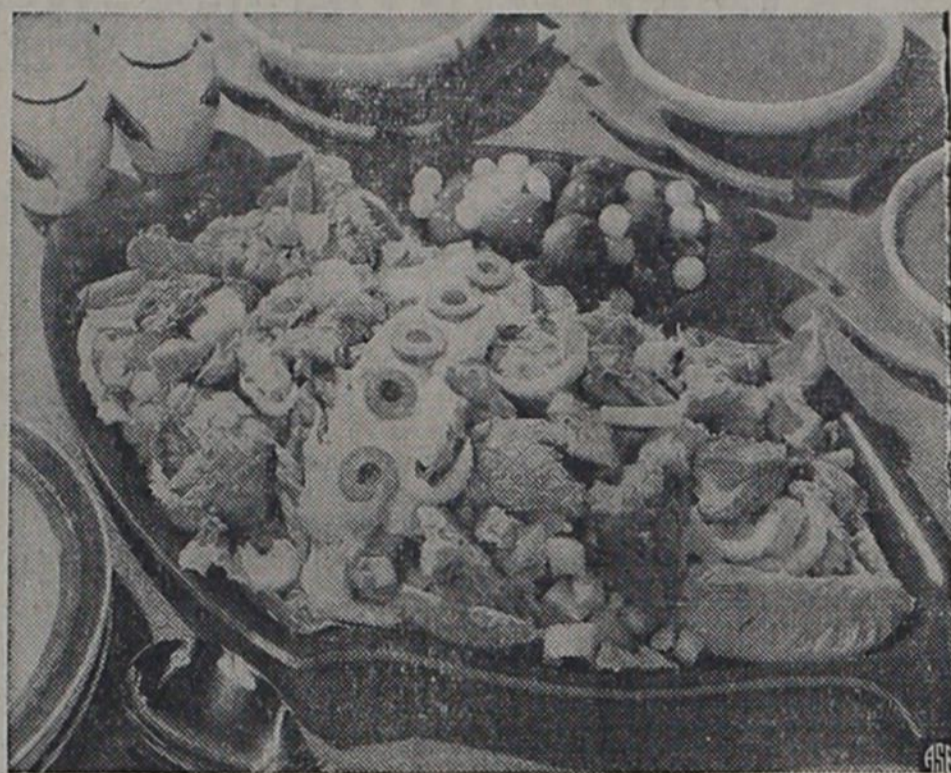
**From South Dakota**

Mrs. John McFarland and son, Chris, are visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Everette Christian. They plan to return to their home in Pierre, South Dakota, next week.

A squab is a pigeon about four weeks old.

Tribune Ads Get Results!

**Canned Salmon For Summer Salads**



**THIS SUMMER IT'S SALMON** in a cool, refreshing salmon salad, loaded with nutrition, with body building protein and with that appetite appealing salmon flavor. Canned salmon is a treat to use in hot summer weather because it's ready to serve as it comes from the can. The succulent chunks make delicious eating served plain or with lemon or lime juice. Or combine with fresh garden vegetables as in this salad platter.

**Salmon Salad**

- 1 1-pound can salmon, drained and flaked
- 2 hard-cooked eggs, chopped
- 1 cup diced celery
- 1/4 cup French dressing
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- Salad greens
- 1/2 cup mayonnaise

Stuffed olives, sliced

Toss together lightly salmon, eggs, celery and French dressing; sprinkle with salt. Arrange on salad greens and garnish with mayonnaise and sliced stuffed olives.

YIELD: 6 servings.

**Visit Mrs. Newton**

Visiting in the home of Mrs. Jess Newton, Sunday, were Mrs. A. E. Hawkins and Mrs. Wood of Albuquerque, and Mrs. Byrd of Clovis. Afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Potter of Sudan.

Captain Kidd was an American shipmaster, commissioned by the British to capture pirates.

Mr. and Mrs. N. R. Harding had as guests in their home last week her sister, Mrs. Kattie Truelove and daughter, Helen, of Sabinal, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Johnson and boys left Thursday afternoon for Albuquerque to visit relatives. They were to return Monday.

**RECIPE OF THE WEEK**

**Hot Cheese Potato Salad**

Combine and toss lightly: 4 cups cooked potatoes, cubed; 1/2 cup chopped celery; 1-3 cup minced onion; 2 tablespoons chopped green pepper; 1-3 cup vinegar; 1 1/2 teaspoons salt; 1/4 teaspoon pepper; 1 teaspoon dry mustard; 2 hard-cooked eggs, chopped.

Pour over mixture 1/4 cup hot bacon fat.

Pour mixture into greased 8-in. baking dish. Sprinkle over this 2 cups grated American cheese. Broil until cheese melts. Serve at once. Serves 8.

Tuberculosis is not inherited, it is spread from one person to another.

**A Treat for the Tots  
Take Them To The Fair**



LUCY WELCH  
Co-Owner

Born at Jacksboro, Texas. Came to Friona in 1924. Opened business with sister in March 7, 1953. She and sister married brothers. Widowed. Seven children, 4 girls, 3 boys. Twelve grandchildren. Hobby, caring for grandchildren.



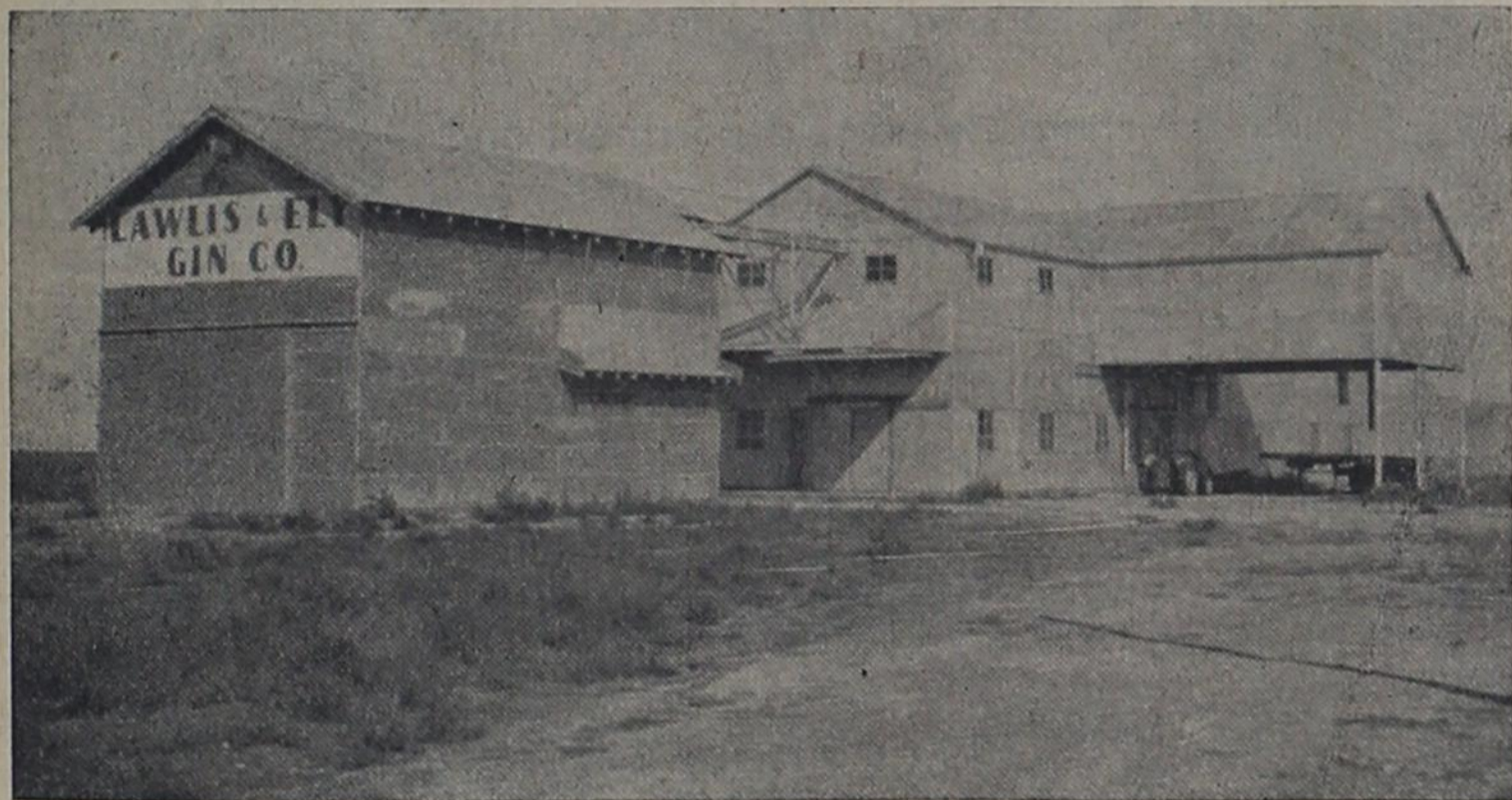
NORA WELCH  
Co-Owner

Born at Lockney, Texas. Came to Friona in 1943. Opened business March 7, 1953. Widowed. one son, Louie; twin grandsons, age 11, 1 grandson, 4 years. Hobby, crocheting.

**Lu-Nora's**  
FRIONA, TEXAS

Business opened March 7, 1953. They carry children's clothing, from babies sizes including size 12. Tom Sawyer and Honea Togs in Boys' Wear. Kate Greenway and Cater Frocks in Girls Wear. Complete line of back-to-school clothing. Also Tex-son western wear for both boys and girls. Party Favors for Pink and Blue Showers.

**OUR CONGRATULATIONS**



To the men and women who have made the Parmer County Fair and Dairy Show a Success. We feel that this is one of the most worthwhile projects there can be for the communities of the county. Here's wishing you success in years to come.

**WE ARE READY**

**For That Bumper 1953 Cotton Crop!**

We have made available for you cotton farmers one of the newest and best-equipped gins in the country. We are anxious for your business, and pledge good and honest service to the farmers at all times.

We Invite You to Come and Visit Us.

**LAWLIS AND ELY GIN**

FRIONA, TEXAS



Ovid Lawlis and W. J. Ely, above, would like to add a personal word of appreciation for the way they have been received by the people of Parmer County.

"We want to say that we are very proud to be doing business in such a progressive part of the country, and we add that we are very optimistic about the future of cotton and agriculture in general in this area."

Mr. Lawlis joined Mr. Ely as owner of the gin this spring. Mr. Lawlis will be active manager of the business and invites you to come by and make his acquaintance.



# Southdown Sheep Raising Proves Interesting, Profitable

## Parmer Countian Owns High-Blooded Flock

By JEANNE GRAHAM

Here is one fellow who isn't a true dyed-in-the-wool sheep man, but he has been mighty successful with his registered Southdown breeding stock, and he intends to remain in the sheep business. It is also pretty evident that he is one of the youngest breeders of registered sheep, in the business.

Cary Joe Magness, 22-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Magness of Farwell, just happened into the sheep raising business while attending Southern Methodist University in Dallas. But the rest of the story has developed through good old "work" and Cary Joe has tried to cram 20 years of learning all the sheep business into the last couple of years.

The Farwell boy had leased a farm near Dallas while in SMU and worked the farm in his spare time to help defray expenses of his education. He had a pretty big job farming the 160 acre lease, but was quite successful. K. K. Gleason, real estate agent, who arranged the lease for the young man and his wife became close friends of Cary Joe.

The Gleasons owned a flock of Southdown sheep, having been in the breeding business for about 10

years. "He seemed to be interested in me and my work," says Cary Joe, "so one day, he called me out to his place and told me that he wanted to sell his sheep." Since he wanted to keep the flock together, he gave Cary Joe a "good deal" if he was interested in buying them. He offered to permit the boy to keep the sheep on the Gleason place, and coached him in the management of Southdown sheep.

The first lambing season, Cary Joe had lots to learn, but Gleason was there to instruct him in "mid-wifery" for mama sheeps. Then the flock was moved back here in the summer, and were back in Garland for the next lambing season, when Gleason again offered his advice and assistance. "He certainly did help me out, not only in getting started in the sheep business, but in learning the trade," Cary Joe states.

To begin his business, about thirty-five ewes and two rams were in the flock. One, "Maxted 235," was bred by M. J. Maxted of Iowa and showed first in every contest in which he was entered in that part of the country. The older ram, "Vinewood 33" was bred by H. C. Bsueden in Kentucky, and was used for five years, giving the owner almost an entire flock, sired by this ram. The animal has sired several champion Southdowns.

The ram was sold to the Gleasons with the understanding that he would be kept in Texas and not sold back into his original part of the country. This ram has been

used three years now—the result is 40 ewes, including a crop of two-year-olds and yearlings, and this year's lambs—total flock is 95 head.

Asked about his reaction to the sheep breeding business, Cary Joe says, "I'm very well pleased". He adds that sheep are more trouble than some other farm animals, and a big concern is parasite control, also dog trouble. They can be grazed on dryland pasture, utilize feed and forage and have a place in every farm enterprise, but have to be penned up each night. And the registered flocks represent a large investment, he continues.

A brief sketch of sheep care is given by Cary Joe. The breeding program begins about the latter part of September. Up to this time, the ewes are not on feed at all, then in sheep breeder's terms, they are "flushed out" with about 1/2 pound of grain daily. The rams are turned in with the ewes at night, and marking paint is used so breeders can tell which ewes have been bred. The breeder's aim is to make the lambs come in on as short a duration as possible.

Then the breeder begins using his mathematics. Birth takes place about 145 to 150 days after the ewe is bred, so the sheep man keeps records on each ewe. All during pregnancy, the animals are fed a little grain. Then as lambing season nears, they are given hay. The ewes are kept in pens, and as the date of birth nears, each one is moved to a pen closer to the lambing pen. This aids the sheep in claiming their lambs, and

helps to make them gentle.

"The lambs are the harvest" says Cary Joe, so breeders are very careful in care of the animals. Veterinarian equipment is used for birth, and penicillin shots are given each ewe after birth. Animals are kept in individual pens for several days, then moved to pens which have about six ewes with their lambs. Eventually, they are moved back with the flock. The lambs are creep-fed so they will grow off well.

Last lambing season, 44 lambs were born, four were lost at birth, and one has been lost since, leaving 39 lambs, and the market has held up well. "I have five yearling rams for sale now," says Cary Joe. As a rule lambs are held over until yearling age, and then are offered for sale.

Southdown sheep are the ideal mutton type sheep, "and it takes a Southdown to win a Fat Stock show", he continues. The sheep are adapted well to this part of the country, he maintains. "The big thing I am working for, is more sheep in this part of the country to promote a crossbred program, using fine-wool ewes crossed with Southdown rams for a fast market and economy feeding", he says. The sheep are sheared in May or June, and shear out about 6 lbs. of wool. A crossbred lamb would still have the good wool quality, as well as being a good feeder lamb.

Cary Joe was 20 when he began his work as a sheep breeder. He had had cattle, horses and wheat on the farm, which he had leased.

But he still finds the sheep business more profitable. He has been renting a half section of land from his grandfather since 1949 and before that, had farmed with his father. Now, anticipating that he will some day have to go to the army, he is staying out of college this semester to train someone else to care for his flock. He plans to complete his degree when possible.

His long-range program includes farming, livestock and sheep. He is getting his prize animals prepared to be entered in the fairs in this part of the country, including state fair in Dallas. They will also be on exhibit at the Parmer County fair in Friona this weekend.

For a young business man, Cary Joe seems to be doing all right for himself, and isn't in the least "sheepish" about it all.

## Another Old Cowboy Writes Pres Abbott

After the letter from Bob Beverly, old XIT cowboy, was printed in the Tribune recently, Pres Abbott of Bovina received another letter, this time from W. J. Jeffries, another old-time cowboy.

Parts of the letter are included below:

"I got the State Line Tribune the other day . . . I saw the column where you had been to the XIT reunion. I sure enjoyed reading it and was glad to know you were in good shape and could make the reunion. I'll bet there were some herds moved around there, some high jumping horses that rode stampe and ran for days, prairie fires that burned from the Rio Grande to Canada, sour dough biscuits so light if you took the lid off, they would float away."

"I guess the old-timers are beginning to thin out . . . I see quite a few men who worked for the XIT in Montana, they come down here to get the snow out of their hair."

## HE'S A CHAMPION!



"Maxted 235," registered Southdown ram owned by Cary Joe Magness, seems to enjoy posing for a picture with his owner. The Southdown sheep are to be on exhibit at the Parmer County Fair this weekend.

The letter is concluded with questions about men Mr. Abbott and Mr. Jeffries knew in the "old days." Jeffries lives in California.

## Band Organization Boasts 52 Members

The Bovina band has adopted their new constitution and they will have their election of officers this week. Candidates for the various offices are: president, Don Sudderth and Donald Lloyd, vice-president, James Stevens and Charles Williams, secretary-treasurer, Donna Smith and Evelyn Steelman, reporter-historian, Wnette Turner and Bobby Hale, recreation director; Pat Burnam and Sue Hoffer and mascot, Linda Estes.

They issued 30 band suits on last Thursday and they will have more. There will be at least 40 uniforms issued. They now have an enrollment of 52. They will have four twirlers, Sue Hoffer, Lillie and Lois Ellison and Dyalthia Bradshaw, the drum major will be Donna Smith and the two flagbearers will be Billy Burnam and Furman Kelso.

They had a concert with 48 members taking part in downtown Bovina on Monday afternoon for the opening of school and also as a climax for their summer band work. The first appearance this year will be at the football game Sept. 11 between Melrose and Bovina on the home field.

The Tribune has more readers!

# Welcome To the Parmer County Dairy Show and FAIR!

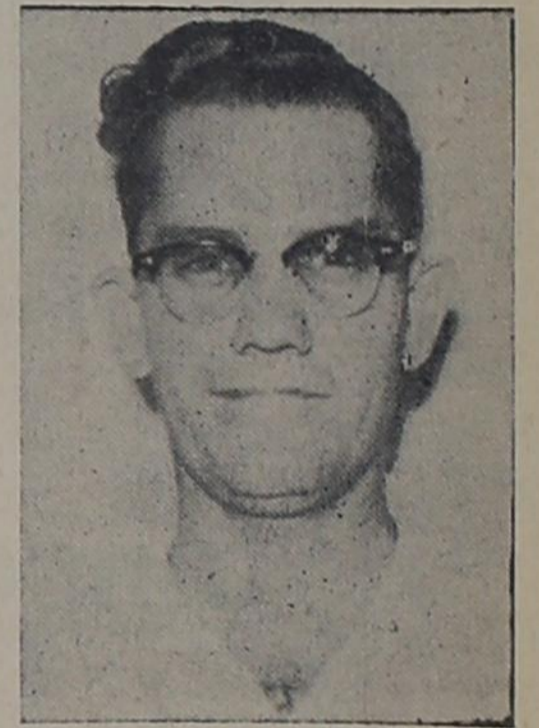
Santa Fe Grain Company is the oldest grain concern in Parmer County. It is managed by G. "Preach" Cranfill who came to Parmer County in 1917, and took over the managementship of the firm in 1927.

Through the years, Santa Fe Grain has steadily grown, until it now has a licensed capacity of 700,000 bushels. As always, the management of the Company has placed "service to the farmer" first in its business policy.



G. "PREACH" CRANFILL  
Manager

Born in Norman, Texas in 1900. Came to Friona in 1927. Been with company since 1927. Married in Portales, N. M. in 1930. Three children. Hobby, baseball.

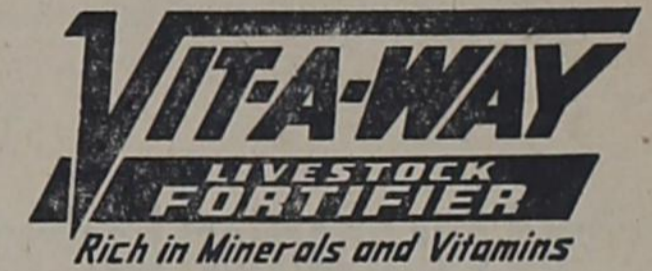


JACK TEDFORD  
Bookkeeper

Born in Friona in 1926. Been with company seven years. Married in Friona in 1946. One son, David, age 5. Hobby, yard and flowers.

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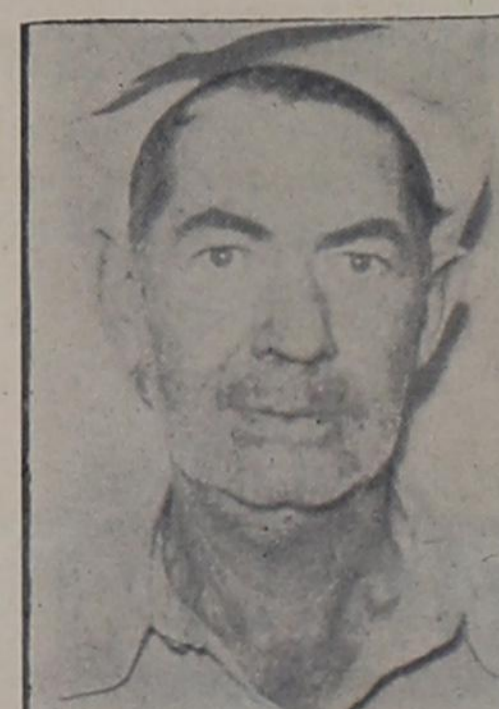


CLARENCE KNIGHT  
Elevator Foreman

Born at Scottsborough, Ala. in 1904. Came to Friona in 1950. Been with company 3 1/2 years. Married in Clovis in 1929. One girl, Norma Jean Meyers.



ALBERT DAVIS  
Ass't. Elevator Foreman  
Born in Ravenna, Texas in 1915. Came to Friona in 1925. Been with company since 1949. Married in Friona in 1946. Four children, Gary Dean, Linda Jo, Delbert Royce, and Ricky Don. Hobby, calf roping.



BILL PRUITT  
Elevator Helper

Born at Roswell, N. M. in 1905. Came to Friona in August of last year. Been with company since Sept. 1952. Married in Roswell in 1927. Two children, Billy Lee and Ernest.



# THE WOLVERINE'S TALE

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 Third and Fourth Grades.....Barbara Templeman  
 Fifth and Sixth Grades.....Darral Harris  
 Seventh and Eighth Grades.....Walter Curd

## Know Your TEACHERS

**Mrs. Charleyrene Danforth**  
 Mrs. Charleyrene Danforth, new teacher at Texico, was born in Portales and reared in that area. Before coming to Texico Mrs. Danforth taught English, journalism, shorthand, and speech in Morton, Texas.

She likes the average type of student and her pet schoolroom peevie is students who come to class without pencils or pens. Mrs. Danforth says, "I am well impressed with the school and am enjoying my work here immensely."  
 She further stated that she had previously attended school under Mr. and Mrs. Jones and now considers it an honor to be teaching with them.  
 Mrs. Danforth is teaching English 7 and 8 in junior high and English I in high school, shorthand I, and is annual sponsor.  
**Cecil Dykes**  
 Cecil Dykes, another new teacher in Texico school, comes from Spade, Texas, where he taught for two years. He was born in Gold-

waith, Texas, and attended Southwest Texas State Teachers College in San Marcos, where he received his B. S. degree in vocational agriculture.  
 Dykes and his wife, Relphine, have one little daughter, Melinda Ann, six months old.  
 It seems that his pet schoolroom peevie is the student who comes in late for class. His ideal student is one who is interested and willing to get something out of school.  
**Fred Danforth**  
 Fred Danforth, a native Texan, is teaching music in the Texico school this year. Last year he taught in Morton, Texas.  
 Danforth graduated from ENMU with a B. A. degree in music. He is now teaching band, 7th grade arithmetic, world history, and choral music for all twelve grades.  
 His favorite type of student is one who is energetic, respectful, honest with himself and his fellow workers. He dislikes smart-alecks in his classes. So students, beware!  
**FROM THE SUPT'S OFFICE . . .**  
 I am very happy to welcome the largest enrollment in the history of the Texico school. May I also state that I am very happy with the faculty for this school term.

They seem to be the type teachers who will all work together for the general benefit of the students.  
 Our State Governor has proclaimed School Safety Education Week, so may we think together on safety education measures in our schools and homes. Let us hope that every teacher, parent, and pupil will concentrate on measures to cut down injuries and accidents both in school and in the homes.  
 Parents who send their children to school in cars really make grey hairs for the teachers. Probably we should not worry as much as the parents because, in case of an accident, it will be the parent who will face the suit; but nevertheless as teachers, we try to be responsible for the safety of your children. If you, as parents of children driving motor vehicles to school, will slip around and watch the approach and exodus of said vehicles, you will soon appreciate our problem and realize your liability.  
 We do not mean to insinuate that all children are careless drivers. Some are very careful most of the time, but human nature has not

changed since you and I were in the show-off stage. It is one out of the several, or the one who occasionally puts on a show of speed or recklessness who keeps us worried.  
 This problem becomes more acute each year as more motor vehicles are used. It seems necessary for us to make more strenuous safety rules this year relative to parking, uses, approaches and exits from school, and to police same. It is hoped you will whole-heartedly support these safety measures and encourage observance of same.  
 Superintendent Agrie Jones

portunity has passed, and there are no triumphs to be gained in this day and age. Although it is true that many great things have been done, this does not mean that nothing more can be accomplished.  
 Perhaps the greatest book has never been written nor the greatest scientific discovery every been found. We cannot just give up and settle down to a life of so-called ease simply because it seems there is nothing left for us to do.  
 Men and women down through the ages have looked for opportunities and have found possibilities. These people were searching for possibilities. They were not satisfied with things as they were.  
 We can apply the idea of possibilities to our every day lives while in school. There is the possibility to get all we can out of school. We can learn a lot if we will study and apply ourselves to our studies. There is also the possibility to develop a well-rounded personality. We should be a friend to everyone and learn to like people with different kinds of personalities. We have the opportunity to make new friends and develop life-long friendships. Possibilities

for something can be found every day.  
 Each one of us should resolve within ourselves that we, as students of Texico school, will look for possibilities and make this the best school year we've ever had.  
**Patricia Patterson Heads Fifth Grade**  
 Patricia Patterson was elected president of the fifth grade in its first meeting of the year, Tuesday.  
 Other officers named were Bill Reid, vice president; Kenneth Murdick, secretary; Gary Singleterry, treasurer; and Patsey Ruth Fain, reporter.  
 Twenty-six students have been enrolled this year. Four students new to Texico are Opal Taddock of Cheyenne, Okla.; Kathryn Barnes from Farwell; Freddy Warren of Muleshoe; and Donald Loppin, from Portales.  
 Room mothers elected for the fifth grade were Mrs. R. A. Stover, Mrs. J. H. Moss, Mrs. John F. Adams, Mrs. G. A. Singleterry,  
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## EDITORIAL

### Possibilities Are Everywhere

Patricia Morgan

There are possibilities everywhere in the world today. In every walk of life can be found an opportunity to do great things.  
 There are men around us who proclaim that the golden age of op-



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NELSON WELCH  
Co-Owner

Born in Victoria City, Texas in 1914. Came to Friona in 1924. Been with firm since its beginning in 1945. Originated business. Married at Friona in 1949. Three children, Mikie, 9, Bob, 7, and Monte Sue, 5. Hobby, hunting and fishing.



JOHN W. BLACKBURN  
Co-Owner

Born in Alex, Okla., in 1917. Came to Friona in 1929. Been with company since 1946. Been co-owner 5 years. Married at Columbus, Miss., in 1944. One girl, Brenda Nell. Hobby, fishing.



PAT FALLWELL  
Clerk

Born in Hale County, Texas, in 1906. Came to Friona in 1930. Been with company 3 1/2 years. Married Hereford, Texas. Widowed 8 years ago. Seven children—La Nora, Jimmie Sue, and Thoma Lou, still at home. Hobby, her children.

# Welch-Blackburn Hardware and Welch Auto Supply

WELCOME YOU TO THE  
**1953 Parmer Co. Dairy Show & Fair**

The Business started as Welch Auto Supply on January 2, 1945 by Mr. Nelson Welch and Mr. Ralph Miller. In 1946, Mr. Welch assumed complete ownership. In January, 1949, John Blackburn came in as a partner. In November of 1949 the Hardware Department was added and it became known as the Welch-Blackburn Hardware. Since that time the firm has served the community and carries a complete line of hardware, appliances, housewares and gift items.



ANCEL RENNER  
Sales Clerk

Born at Bradley, Okla. in 1929. Came to Friona in January, 1949. Been with company since arrival in Friona. Married at Farwell in February, 1949. Two daughters, Kathy Lynn, 3, Amy Sue, 4 mos. Hobby, baseball.

The Parmer County Dairy Show and Fair is the Greatest County-wide Movement we have!

## CONGRATULATIONS

To the Directors Who Have  
 Made this Year's Show a Success

AND REMEMBER:

# Welch-Blackburn Hardware Welch Auto Supply

"THINGS FOR BETTER LIVING"



**MORE WOLVERINE-**  
(Continued from page 2)

Mrs. L. J. Spears, Mrs. W. L. Barnes and Mrs. L. W. Warren. Alfred Stover brought an exhibit of corn smut, and Patsy Ruth Fain brought an exhibit of yeast to aid in the study of helpful and harmful fungi.

"All of the fifth graders are enjoying working with water colors", Mrs. N. W. Peyton, teacher, said.

**Third Grade Pupils Enjoy School Opening**

With vacations a thing of the past, 14 boys and 14 girls of the third grade are back in school, eager to make new friends and enjoy their old ones.

Those who attended Texico school last year are: Rosie Arnold, Carroll Brown, Ouranna Curtis, Lynn Doshier, Jackie Dyer, Freddie Ferguson, Karen Goldsmith, Wanda Harriman, Hal Ed Helton, Shirley Huber, James Hudson, Henry Jackson, Rupert Wylie, Alice Martin, Linda Palmateer, Frances Phillips, Willie Stover, David Seal, Judy Tharp; Vernon Thigpen, Skippy Tipton, Barbara Tucker, Carole White, and Charles Burns. They are happy to welcome four new members: Melvin Wylie from Meadow, Tex.; Virginia Barnes from Farwell; Kay Hall from Center, N. M.; and Keith Martin from Blue, Okla.

The third graders have a number of new books to enjoy this year and two new flags: the national and the state.

**New System Started In Texico School**

Something new has been started at Texico School! At the opening of school, a new system of six one-hour periods was installed. This system has the advantage of giving students a supervised study period and cuts down on the number of people in study halls.

Students and teachers have expressed themselves in various ways concerning the system.

Roxie Henson says, "I like the system because it makes the day seem shorter."

Mrs. Jones says, "It is a good system because the teachers are able to do a more thorough job of teaching."

Mr. Dykes: "Still not enough time!"

From Phyllis Tucker, "I like the new system because we have supervised study hall."

Catherine Bell says, "I like the new system because I think study halls are boring."

**Catherine Bell Elected President of Chorus**

Choral Club met Thursday at its regular period to elect officers. Catherine Bell was named president; Roxie Henson, vice president; Madge Richardson, secretary; Darrel Harris, treasurer; Barbara

Templeman, librarian; and Bob-bye Richardson, reporter.

The group this year will include both boys and girls and will meet weekly on Tuesday and Thursday. Members include: Aloma Palmateer, Bobby Goldsmith, Catherine Bell, Darrel Harris, Barbara Templeman, Marvin Pendergrass, Bet-lawley, Rex Harris, Doris Harriman, Susan Levins, Wilma Walton, Molly Barnes, Karen Brehm, Sandra Hall, Gloria Johnson, Dena Moore, Georgia Moore, Verlene Thigpen, Betty Pendergrass, Naomi Hapke, Bobbye Richardson, Audrey Hapke, Barbara Caldwell, Madge Richardson, Connie Bakkerud, Dwayne Winkles, and Lynell Lovett.

**Fourth Grade Has Large Enrollment**

The fourth grade has an enrollment of 33. There are 20 girls and 13 boys.

The boys and girls miss Pat Burford very much. She is ill with polio. The class discussed things they could do to cheer Pat and make her happy and decided to send "get well" cards and small gifts. They hope she will soon be able to be back in school.

The following fourth grade children have enrolled in beginner's bands: Wylie Johnson, Dale Brown, Leon Kelley, Beth Ellen Peyton, Jaice Adams, Robert Curtis, Alice Gooch, and Judy Lovett.

**Twenty-Six Enroll In Second Grade**

"The second grade enrolled 26 pupils this semester," according to Mrs. Charles Stockton, teacher.

Girls seem to be in the majority as there are 14, with 12 boys. Those enrolled are as follows: Kathleen Smith, Susie Wyrick, Oriol Curtis, Wanda Eshleman, Sue Walton, Darlene Tipton, Callalya Roberts, Hazel McDaniel, Rose Mary Brehm, Millie Autry, Dorothy Hapke, Carlene Harriman, Dreana Warren, Wanda Gayle Morgan.

The boys: Champ Landrum, Hap Danforth, Gary Scaggs, Terry Niece, H. W. Moore, Belverd Harvey, Ronnie Curry, Billy Don Arnold, Billy Billington, Wayne Crawley, Lonnie Curry and Clarence Burns.

**Ruth Winkles Elected To Student Council**

Sophomore class had a meeting Wednesday morning, in which Ruth Ann Winkles was elected as student council member.

Officers of the class for the school year are: Leon McDaniel, president; Bobby Spears, vice president; Lester McDaniel, secretary; and Sue Reid, reporter.

Members of the sophomore class are proud to have Mr. Danforth as their sponsor and to welcome Roy Thornton, who withdrew last year to attend school in Hull, Texas.

**Seventeen Out For Senior Girl Athletics**

Texico girls' team seems to have the two necessary qualifications for a winning softball team this year—interest and enthusiasm. Interest is expressed in the number of girls responding; enthusiasm by the way in which the girls are talking of the game.

Those coming out are: Catherine Bell, Aloma Palmateer, Roxie Henson, Phyllis Tucker, June Watler, Patricia Morgan, Shirley Stover, Naomi Hapke, Nadine Thornton, Wanda Griffin, Sue Reid, Sue Doolittle, D'Tanis Caldwell, Bevie Vaught, Ruth Winkles, Connie Bakkerud, and Anita Tharp.

Coach Paul Frederick states, "I am happy that we have so many girls participating in sports; prospects look better than this time last year, but we have much work to do in order to have a winning team."

**Junior High Girls Interested in Sports**

The junior high girls of Texico are off to a good start in softball this year.

There are several making a good showing and others who are improving, but Coach Paul Frederick and assistant Curtis Miller are hoping to build a more prosperous and winning team.

Those girls coming out include: Audrey Hapke, Gwenette Powers, Gariene Seale, Lynell Lovett, Sue Stover, Molly Burns, Wilma Walton, Eldora Wylie, Barbara Caldwell, Geneva Harriman, Gloria Johnson, Karen Brehm, Sandra Hall, Betty Crawley, Carolyn Curd, Doris Harriman, Mikala Faville, Joyce Gillean, Susan Levins, Verlene Thigpen, and Melba Doshier.

Chosen as manager of the team is Bettye Pendergrass.

**Twenty-Three Listed For Sixth Grade**

Twenty-three pupils have enrolled in the sixth grade.

Pupils who have not attended here before are: D'Rene Danforth, Douglas Martin, Jean Runnels, Lena May Steele, and Joan Tadlock.

Colene Landrum and Carmoin Loflin have returned to Texico school. Colene has been living in Cajon, Calif. and Carmoin in Portales.

Officers for the group are: president, Charles Stockton; vice president, Don Johnson; secretary, Mary Ann McDaniel; reporter, Joanne Brown.

The room mothers are: Mrs. B. A. Kelley, Mrs. E. R. Tharp, Mrs. Clyde McDaniel, and Mrs. Stanley Stewart.

The famous "Rubber Barons" were Andrew Carnegie, Jay Gould, James Fiske, John D. Rockefeller, Cornelius Vanderbilt and J. Piermont Morgan.

**SENIOR PERSONALITY**

Kenneth Doolittle, senior, proves the fact that "dynamite comes in small packages" for although small in stature, he has plenty of energy and vitality.

Kenneth is now enrolled in biology, American history, economics, and typing II.

"I like economics better than any other subject," emphasized Kenneth.

Kenneth is an outstanding athlete. His favorite sport is baseball, but he also comes out for basketball and track. One of his accomplishments last spring was the breaking of the district mile run record with 4:57, over Frank Love of Clovis, who held the record from 1949 with a time of 5:02. He also competed in the state track meet.

Kenneth is now serving as president of the senior class and is vice president of student council. He is also active in FFA.

He considers it an honor and is glad to be a senior.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. T. Doolittle, who reside north of Texico.

**Boys Begin Heavy Season**

Interest seems at an all-time high on the High School softball diamond this year, with 17 returning from last year.

Repeaters from last year's squad include: Paul Crooks, Jimmy L. Moss, Kenneth Doolittle, J. B. Taylor, Darrel Harris, Marvin Pendergrass, Kenneth Allred, Marvin Walton, Walter Curd, Howard Hudson, Carlton Kyle, Mel Bakkerud, Jimmy D. Moss, Allen Lockhart, Kenneth Reid, Bobby Goldsmith, and Jerry Johnson.

Newcomers to the club are: Roy Harvey Snodgrass, Bobby Spears, Robert Wiley and Leon McDaniel.

**25 Report For Junior Athletics**

Twenty-five junior boys have reported for athletics. According to Coach Miller, "All the boys are inexperienced but will give all the other teams a fight to the finish."

The boys are as follows: Jerry King, Butch Tharp, Dicky Adams, Buddy Spears, Leroy Powers, Doyle Winegeart, Joe Spears, Drue Harvey, Weldon Hall, Bobby Patterson, Johnny Brown, Billy Hudson, Jerial Brown, Mat Pendergrass, Larry Winkles, J. C. Kelly, Dick Lockhart, Alfred Doshier, Alex Brown, Ray Tadlock, Andrew Jackson, Dale Wiley, and Jimmy Moore.

**FILL-INS BY PHYLLIS**

On August 24, the old school building was once again filled with fun-loving, noisy, cheerful students. The building at once took on an air of superiority and seemed happy to have students jostling down its halls and through its rooms once more.

The building was sad at first, when it was discovered some of its old members weren't back, but that was soon forgotten as the halls were filled with chattering students.

It seems to whisper to the students as they go on their fun-loving way, "Learn all you can and have fun doing it while you are here, and some day you will be able to look back on your Alma Mater, Texico High, with a feeling of pride and joy."

**FIRST GRADE NEWS**

There are 33 pupils in the first grade room. They are responding very satisfactorily to school life.

The boys enrolled are: Richard Arnold, Emmitt Autry, Jerry Ferguson, Jerry Don Hudson, Jimmie Don Jackson, Jimmie Landon, Larry Dale Martin, John McKee, Terry Phillips, Garrel Powers, Ronny Richardson, James Roberts, Homer Shaw, Mike Spearman, Roy Wall.

The first grade girls: Rachel Ann Moore, Dorothy Mae Pruitt, Patsy Jean Rodgers, Judy Seal, Esther Thatcher, Sandy Tipton, Kathryn White, Kathy Wallace, Alma Jo Doshier, Sula Johnson, Darlene Bell, Marlene Bell, Sharon Kay Brown, Karen Sue Burton, Carolyn Green, Linda Sue Hadley, Linda Gail Hudson, Gwinete Lovett.

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Born in Childress County, Texas in 1914. Came to Friona in 1926. Purchased business along with Howard Ford in 1943. Married in Amarillo. Two children. Hobby, horseback riding.

**DAN ETHRIDGE**  
Co-Owner

Born in Okoloma, Ark. in 1908. Came to Friona in 1929. Established agency in 1934. Married at Lubbock in 1938. No children. Hobby, hunting and fishing.

**BILL STEWART**  
Partner

Born in Okoloma, Ark. in 1900. Came to Friona in June 1948. Became partner in business July 1, 1948. Married in Prescott, Ark. in 1922. One married daughter. Hobby, baseball.

**LOIS NORWOOD**  
Secretary

Born in Jacksonville, Texas in 1929. Came to Friona in 1942. Been with company four years. Single. Hobby, swimming.

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**ONEIDA ALLEN**  
Bookkeeper

Born in Muleshoe in 1935. Came to Friona in 1950. Been with company six months. Married in Friona in August, 1953. Hobby, skating.

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# More Drouth in Store for County?

## Rainfall Records Suggest Long Dry Spell May Not Be Over in Plains Area

(Ed. Note: This article, reprinted from the Amarillo Daily News, is based on a study made by H. C. Winburn, chief of the Amarillo Weather Bureau. The rainfall records at the Amarillo station, while not exactly corresponding to those of the Parmer County area, are generally the same, by years and this study provides an interesting comparison.)

Weather does not occur in cycles. A cycle would indicate a condition and a definite time for the occurrence or recurrence, according to H. C. Winburn, chief of the Amarillo Weather Bureau at Amarillo Air Terminal.

However, Winburn says, a careful analysis of past weather records shows that there are definite periods of dry weather and definite periods of wet weather, roughly of 10 to 12 years duration, but in each dry period there are two to four years with above normal moisture, and in each wet period there are two to four years with deficient moisture.

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**JANE WILLIAMS**  
Ass't Cashier

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RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts .....\$62,429.79	Capital Stock paid in ....\$20,000.00
Overdrafts ..... 51.49	Surplus Fund ..... 1,000.00
Real Estate (Banking House) ..... 6,100.00	Undivided Profits net .... 2,113.26
Furniture and Fixtures .. 2,900.00	Individual Deposits subject to Check ..... 57,300.15
Due from other banks and bankers and cash on hand 15,984.33	Time Cert. of Deposit ..... 4,783.05
Int. in Depositors Gty. Fund ..... 600.00	Cashier's Checks ..... 3,199.10
Ass'mt. in Guaranty fund 329.95	
<u>\$88,395.56</u>	<u>\$88,395.56</u>

### CONDENSED STATEMENT OF FRIONA STATE BANK

At the Close of Business June 30, 1953

RESOURCES	LIABILITIES
Loans and Discounts \$1,090,620.38	Capital Stock .....\$ 50,000.00
Warrants ..... 18,836.01	Surplus, Certified ..... 50,000.00
U. S. Gov't. Bonds ..... 448,878.60	Undivided Profits ..... 67,865.13
CCC Loans ..... 192,343.84	Deposits ..... 2,037,875.93
Bank hse. furn. & fix. 54,407.10	
Cash and Exchange .... 400,655.13	
<u>2,205,741.06</u>	<u>2,205,741.06</u>

The Friona State Bank was originally known as the Friona Bank, organized in 1907. In 1919, this institution was incorporated as the Friona State Bank. George W. Wright and Al Henschel were founders of the bank. The McLean family of Dimmitt purchased the bank in 1930, and it subsequently sold to its present owners in 1944.

Through the years, we have attempted to give to Friona and Parmer County a friendly, conservative, and sound banking service. We will appreciate an opportunity to make your acquaintance.

THE

# Friona State Bank

MEMBER F.D.I.C.

FRIONA, TEXAS



**WANDA BEATY**  
Bookkeeper

Born in Longview, Texas in 1935. Came to Friona in 1939. Been with bank since February 1953. Single. Hobby, photography.



**ANN DUKES**  
Bookkeeper

Born in Henderson, Texas in 1934. Came to Friona in 1939. Been with Bank one year. Single. Hobby, reading.

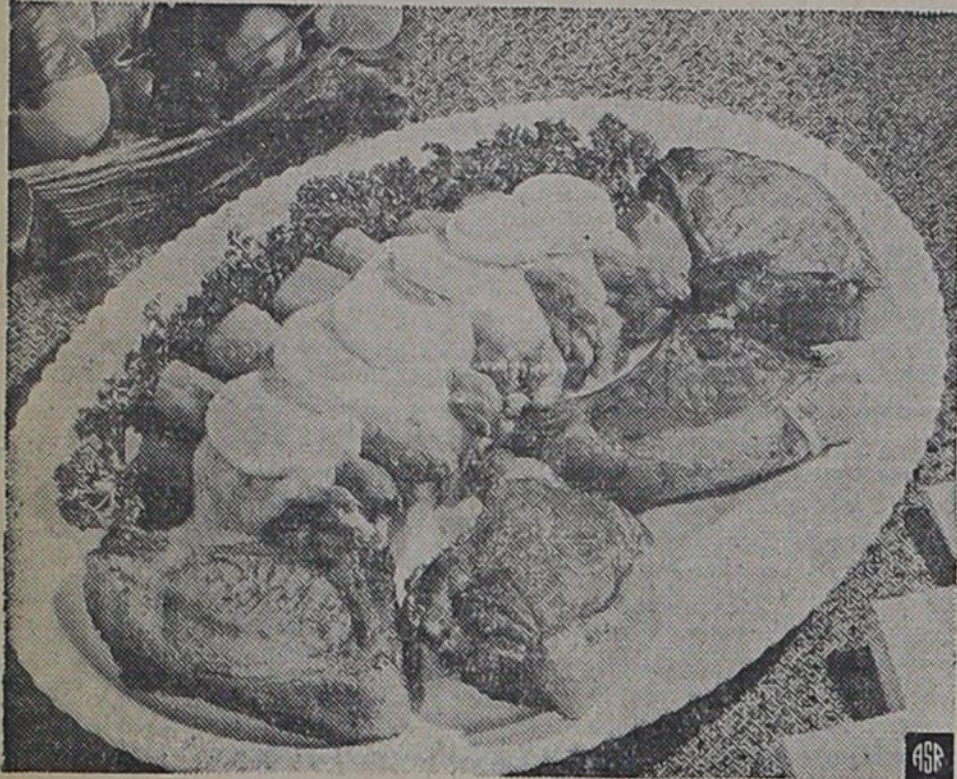


**LOLA GOODWINE**  
Ass't Cashier

Born in Kokoma, Ind. Came to Friona in 1909. Been with bank since March 1944. Single. Hobby, collecting vases.



**Tasty Platter Partners**



Attractive and mighty good eating is the combination of canned asparagus served with a tart, lemon Normandy Sauce and good thick pork chops.

Enjoy the convenience and variety of flavorful canned vegetables. Budget watchers will especially appreciate finding that prices have remained low. In fact, the canned food dollar today is worth more than other food dollars. So reach for a canned vegetable to round out the meal.

**Asparagus Normandy With Pork Chops**

- 1 No. 2 can asparagus spears
- Light cream
- 2 tablespoons butter, or margarine
- 2 tablespoons flour
- 1 tablespoon lemon juice
- 1/4 teaspoon Tabasco
- Salt and pepper
- 4 pork chops
- 1 hard cooked egg

Drain liquid from asparagus and boil down to about a third. Add enough cream to make 1 cup liquid. Melt butter and stir in flour. Add liquid and cook until thickened, stirring. Remove from heat and add lemon juice, Tabasco and seasonings to taste. Arrange heated asparagus and cooked chops on platter. Top asparagus with sauce and garnish with sliced egg. Four servings.

**TRY:** Spinach Normandy with Broiled Canadian Bacon  
Green Beans Normandy with Juicy Hamburgers or Meat Loaf  
Snappy Cheese Sauce Partners

Use the recipe for Normandy Sauce but leave out the lemon juice, and add a half cup grated sharp cheese and a fourth cup diced pimiento. Corn in Snappy Cheese Sauce with Country Fried Chicken  
Peas in Snappy Cheese Sauce with Fried Canned Ham Slices  
Lima Beans in Snappy Cheese Sauce with Broiled Slices of Canned Luncheon Meat.

**NEWS FROM THE FARM BUREAU**

By RAYMOND EULER

Thirty of the thirty-six articles supported by Texas Farm Bureau last year passed in the legislature. One, the Texas Warehouse Act, was solely a Parmer County resolution, so far as we have been able to learn. Farm Bureau is generally credited for defeating legislation that would discontinue road used tax refund on tractor fuels not used on highways. There was no other organized opposition. This saves Parmer County farmers \$31,750 which they can spend as they please.

In October, the resolutions growing out of the Bovina meeting will be presented for a vote at the annual county convention.

This strikes us as rather strange: Since the oil activity has begun over by Summerfield, several in the lease area have been in for irrigation well permits; some of them coming from out of state. Do they expect to strike water or oil?

Fair funds have come in nicely again this year. We have found that if the people want a project continued and are confronted with the necessity of funds to do so, they contribute freely and liberally. We appreciate this cooperative attitude.

**CONSIDER THIS:** Bow down thine ear, and hear the words of the wise, and apply thine heart to my knowledge. For it is a pleasant thing if thou keep them within thee; they shall withal be fitted to thy lips. That thy trust may be in the Lord, I have made known to thee this day, even to thee. Prov. 22:17-19.

**Annual Exodus Soon For School**

The annual exodus of a good number of Friona's young people will begin within a few days, as students are now readying their gear to take away to various colleges and universities.

A quick checkup the first of the week listed over twenty who plan to enroll in institutions of higher learning this fall, and it is highly possible that some who have made or are making plans to depart for school have been missed in the survey.

Texas Tech, in Lubbock, appears to be the biggest drawing card for local students, with possible attendants from here including Ben Jordan, Ross Miller, Ruby Shaffer, Joyce Miller, Harold Joe Wells, Mary Lou Miller, Tim Mag-

ness, and Elizabeth Coonauger. Mrs. Tim Magness will also be in Lubbock, teaching in the school system.

North Texas State at Denton will get back two of its students, in the persons of Vera Ann Jones and Ray Nell Foster. M. C. Osborn will be enrolled at Texas A & M.; Gaylord Maurer at the University of Arizona; Tommy Laceywell at Hardin-Simmons in Abilene; H. V. Rocky at TCU, in Fort Worth; Joe Osborn at the University of Texas; Katherine Brand at Wayland in Plainview.

To West Texas State will go Dale Houlette, D. O. Robason, "Dub" Cleveland, Walter Haws, and Dewain Cleveland. A former Friona girl, Martha Blankenship, who now resides at Morse, Texas, is scheduled to enter Tech, it has been learned here.

Opening dates for the various schools from around the 15th of September through the 20th of the month, and practically all students will be gone before the final of September rolls around.

Tuberculosis resulted in deaths to 20 persons for each 100,000 population in the U. S. in 1951, according to figures released by the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company.

"Prima facie" means "on first appearance."

brilliant solution: said pickup just refused to run without gas.

And speaking of the SCS group: Steve Bavouset got back on the job recently after being off to Dallas for a spell, where his brother, Roe, was under medical observation. Fearing Roe was suffering from a brain tumor, doctors made exploratory cranium drillings—and now, Steve says, "We call Roe 'the boy with holes in his head.'"

**CONSERVATION NEWS BRIEFS**

By Dick Barber

The District land plane is being kept rather busy preparing land for alfalfa and irrigated pasture. Among those who have used it lately are: Jerry Paul, Eddie Hudson, Albert Magerus, Carl Moore, E. L. Downey and Claud Curry.

A land plane does not level the land. It smooths the surface, but does not change the direction or degree of slope. It eliminates most of the smaller undulations and makes it possible to apply irrigated water more evenly.

Albert Magerus plans to level approximately 27 acres of his irrigated land. After the leveling is done, Albert will use a land plane to smooth the surface. This work will get underway some time this week.

Our rains this year have been rather spotted, but we all need more moisture. Most of the dry land row crops are late and will need ideal weather conditions to make sufficient growth to form a cover.

At Clovis the rainfall for the month of August totaled 3.19 inches. This is 47 of an inch above the 42 year average of 2.72 inches for the month of August. This brings our yearly total to 9.90 inches which means we will need 7.83 inches more moisture between

now and January 1st, to bring our total up to the 42 year average of 17.73 inches.

George Washington did not belong to any political party.

Popocatepetl is a volcanic mountain in Mexico.

**Vic Vets says**

VETERANS! YOU DO HAVE A 31-DAY GRACE PERIOD IN WHICH TO PAY PREMIUMS ON YOUR GI LIFE INSURANCE. BUT PROTECT YOUR COVERAGE AND YOUR BENEFICIARIES BY USING IT ONLY IN A FINANCIAL EMERGENCY

For full information contact your nearest VETERANS ADMINISTRATION office

**More Wolverine**  
(Continued from page 3)

**Seniors Name Student Council Members**

Kenneth Doolittle, Catherine Bell, Jimmy Moss and Phyllis Tucker were elected to represent the senior class in the Student Council, in a meeting held last week.

Seniors also elected their class officers. They are: Kenneth Doolittle, president; Jimmy Moss, vice president; Phyllis Tucker, secretary; Barbara Templeman, treasurer; and Walter Curd, reporter.

A committee composed of Catherine Bell, Roxie Henson and Phyllis Tucker was named to select several plays, from which one will be chosen for production.

**Officers Elected for Student Council**

A meeting was held Wednesday under the direction of Paul Frederick for election of student council officers. Those named were: Jimmy Moss, president; Kenneth Doolittle, vice president; Phyllis Tucker, secretary; Jimmy Don Moss, treasurer; and Catherine Bell, reporter.

A number of improvements for the school were discussed. Meetings will be held every second Wednesday in each six-weeks period.

**Business Education Club Is Organized**

The Business Education Club met Wednesday and elected officers as follows: president, Bobbie Richardson; vice president, Shirley Stover; secretary, Roxie Henson; treasurer, Kathryn Curd; reporter, Aloma Palmateer.

Sponsoring this club will be Mrs. Agrie Jones. It was agreed that meetings will be held during the fifth period of the fifth week in each six-weeks period.

Plaster of Paris was first made near Paris.

**TEXICO BAND REORGANIZES**

Texico Band held a meeting Wednesday to organize and elect new officers. Named were: president, Kenneth Reid; vice president, Jimmy D. Moss; secretary-treasurer, Allen Lockhart; librarian, Catherine Bell.

The band consists of 35 members in the marching division as well as 24 new beginners. Tryouts for positions in the different divisions were held this week.

Majorettes for this year's marching band will be Doris Harriman, Susan Levins, Madge Richardson, and Barbara Templeman. Again this year, Catherine Bell is to act as drum major. Fred Danforth is director of the band.

In this meeting, plans were discussed for the band to attend the Tri-State Fair, which will be held in Amarillo, Sept. 21.

**Juniors Meet To Organize**

A meeting of the junior class was held Wednesday morning to organize for the year.

Officers for the year include: president, Jimmy Don Moss; vice president, Allan Lockhart; secretary-treasurer, Bobby Richardson; reporter, Patricia Morgan; and student council, Kenneth Reid and Marvin Pendergrass.

The class chose blue and white as its colors; motto has not yet been selected.

**Anita Moss Named Seventh Grade Prexy**

Anita Moss was elected president of the seventh grade in a class meeting, Wednesday.

Other officers include: Eldon Thatcher, vice president; Darlene Day, secretary-treasurer; and Jerry Reid, reporter.

They met with their sponsor, John Adams.

Natives of India belong to the brown race.

The mouse is the largest of the deer family.

**in & around FRIONA**  
by abie

Signs of the times: highway workmen painting the broad white lines across the highway to designate the school crossing.

And to try to get away from one seasonal hazard, Mary's Cafe, located near the school, has enlarged its space for eating purposes. In spite of the excellent and well patronized school cafeteria, the two cafes near the campus are natural drawing cards for students, and prospects of getting a meal during the noon hour are a little rough for other workers during school season. So, Mary Sudderth and Hayden Cason have had a bit of enlarging done. Mary said this week that painters are supposed to be on hand shortly to repaint the inside of the entire cafe, and new booths will be installed in the newly-completed "side" dining room.

Martha Rutherford and her boys, Warren and Wayne, were here last week visiting with Martha's parents, the Roy Slagles. With school time upon the youngsters, Martha grabbed a chance for a short visit home, "Grandma" Slagle laughed on Monday.

Mrs. Charley Bainum is wondering if family reunions, etc., are worth the effort. Returning from a weekend trip during which she saw son Kenneth graduate from ETSC recently, and attended a gathering of in-laws in Gainsville on Saturday and Sunday, she admitted that she felt like she'd been around the world—"and walked most of the way." Looking at the assorted members of the Hicks family on hand, over 100 in number, husband Charlie sidled up to his wife and remarked sotto voice, "I didn't know you DID have so many relatives!"

John Sanders, around at the SCS office, made an illuminating discovery last week. After messing with the office pickup, which refused to start, for a good period of time, Sanders came up with a

**GROWING**  
With Friona  
and Parmer County

**Best Wishes**

**TO THE PARMER COUNTY DAIRY SHOW AND FAIR**

We take pride in the growth of our greatest county project—The Parmer County Fair. We, Too, have been doing some growing, having moved in to new, larger quarters a short time ago.

The business was purchased from J. P. Slack in May of 1948 which was located on lower Main Street. In July 1953 they moved to the present location. In 1951, they purchased Mr. Gosner's interest of the business. They carry complete line of dry goods, lingerie, aluminum ware, glass-ware and toilet articles plus Hallmark cards for occasions.



**HENRY LEWIS**  
Owner  
Born in Celeste, Texas, in 1903. Came to Friona in 1930. Started business in May 1948. Married in Clovis in 1930. One son, Don E. win. Hobby, golf.



**MRS. HENRY LEWIS**  
Co-Owner  
Born in Greenville, Texas in 1911. Worked along side with Mr. Lewis since purchase of business. Does all the buying for the store. Hobby, her work.

**COME IN AND LET'S GET ACQUAINTED**

**LEWIS VARIETY**  
FRIONA, TEXAS



**LILLIAN WILLIAMS**  
Clerk  
Born in Rosebud, Ark., in 1917. Came to Friona in 1937. Been employed three weeks. Previously worked for Mr. Lewis for about three years. Married in Clovis in 1938. One son, Dale. Hobby, baseball.



**LELA GILMER**  
Clerk  
Born in Dewiss, Neb., in 1896. Came to Friona in 1930. Been with company since Aug. 1 this year. Married in Clovis, N. M. in 1951. Hobby, sewing.

**Congratulations TO THEM ALL IT TAKES MANY WORKERS FOR THE Parmer Co. Fair**

**C. L. LILLARD**  
REAL ESTATE  
BUSINESS PHONE 3171 RES. 2842  
FRIONA, TEXAS



**C. L. LILLARD**  
Owner  
Born at Clovis, N. M. in 1922. Came to Friona in 1923. Started business four years ago. Married in Clovis in 1948. No children. Hobbies, hunting and fishing.



# Happenings at Friona

MRS. OSCAR BAXTER AND MRS. ABIE CRUME, CORRESPONDENTS. PH. 3801

Oscar Baxter went to Plains, Tex., Thursday afternoon to return his sister, Mrs. Ray Duff and children to Friona for a visit in both the Oscar and Jim Baxter homes. They will be here several days.

Miss Tila Rue Day left Friona Wednesday for Amarillo, to take her state board examinations for a nurse. She is now employed at the Parmer County hospital, in Friona.

Willie Stokes is in Friona, visiting his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Stokes.

Miss Beryl Miller, of Floydada, is visiting her sister Mrs. Bertram Jack, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baxter returned home Tuesday after a two-week visit in Colorado, Nebraska and South Dakota.

Mrs. Alta Wyly and J. A. Wyly left Thursday for Pierre, S. D., where she will make her home for the winter. J. A. will return to his home next week, after visiting his sister, Mrs. Harrison Evans and brothers, Wilson and Elton Wyly.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Burnam of San Bernardino, Calif., arrived in Friona Friday to visit her brothers, Jim and Oscar Baxter, and her uncle and aunt, the J. W. Baxters.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cheever of Needashade, Kan., have been here visiting their daughter, Mrs. Mary Sudderth.

Sam Mears, son of Jim Mears, is here visiting his father and brother, J. C., who has just recently returned from duty in Korea. Sam is with the Air Force, stationed in Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Purdy and children, of Turkey, visited Tuesday of last week with her mother, Mrs. Alta Wyly; her two brothers, J. A. and Duane Wyly; and other relatives.

Tuesday shoppers in Clovis were Mrs. J. L. Stowers and daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Cass Perkins, Mrs. Buddy Lloyd and Oleta, and Mrs. Oscar Baxter and family.

Mrs. Giles Cobb and Tom, and Mrs. E. R. Day were in Amarillo, Thursday.

Misses Barbara and Nancy Crow of Arkansas have been visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Crow, and other relatives.

C. M. Jones, O. C. Jones, Mrs. J. R. Roberson and Marie left Friday for Dallas to attend a family reunion, held yearly at this time.

The Carter reunion will be held in Lubbock, Sept. 20, at McKenzie Park. This reunion is held each year in September.

Mr. and Mrs. Art Carter and sons, Mike, Pat, and Terry Lynn, of Raton, have been visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bradley.

Dinner guests Friday in the W. S. Crow home were Mr. and Mrs. Art Carter and sons of Raton; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bradley, Mr. and



**Don't Do It** — Should you store dampened clothes in a freezer? Will freezing nylon garments and hose prolong their life? What about keeping furs in a freezer? Woolens?

The answer is NO. Freezers were designed for food storage not clothes. Freezer space is too valuable for the storage of meat, fruit, and vegetables to be put to such an impractical use. Besides it does not work.

**Pineapple Time** — When pineapple time rolls around and the markets are full of the golden-orange fruit with the sweet, fragrant aroma, that's the time to freeze pineapple for next winter. If you have ever priced frozen pineapple in the winter time, you know you can save money by freezing it yourself. And it's delicious and nutritious. One cup of fresh raw pineapple gives you more than one third the amount of vitamin C recommended for each day.

Pineapple is ripe enough to freeze when you can easily pull a leaf from its crown, when it smells fresh and sweet.

**To freeze it**—Pare the pineapple and cut it into small wedges or cubes. Mix the pieces with sugar using 4 parts of fruit to 1 part of sugar. If you prefer a juicy mixture, cover the fruit with a 50 per cent sirup (5 cups of sugar dissolved in 4 cups of water. Be sure it is chilled before using.) Package the fruit in leakproof freezer containers.

**Frozen Food Carry-over**—Now is the time to take stock of the food in your freezer. Do you have packages left from last season? When you are taking stock, defrost the freezer.

Frozen fruits and vegetables stored longer than a year are edible but they have lost much of their food value. The vitamin content, especially vitamin C, is reduced by long storage. Flavor and color, too, will be less good as time goes by.

**Plan Your Freezing**—If you are a beginner this season, freeze a variety of foods to learn the family's likes and dislikes. Then another year concentrate on what they like. To estimate how much to freeze, consider how often you plan to serve each food and over what length of time. Thirty packages of any food will put it on the menu once a week from the first of October to the first of May. Add a few packages for good measure, for gifts, and emergencies. Your freezing goal is set. Once the goal is reached remember the plan and use the food accordingly.

Mrs. Dallas Coldiron and son, and Mrs. C. D. Carter.

## CALF CAUSES DAMAGE

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Collier were returning to their home south of Friona last Tuesday evening when a calf ran across the road in front of their car. The two collided and the calf was killed, with an estimated \$400.00 damage being done to the 1952 Ford. The Colliers were not injured.

## Bridal Shower Fetes Mrs. Gene Watson

A bridal shower was held in the Methodist Church annex from 3 to 5 p. m. last Monday afternoon, honoring Mrs. Gene Watson, the former Miss Roberta Reed.

The color scheme used in decorations was white and gold. Hostesses for the affair were Mesdames James Bails, Grubbs and daughters, Coconougher and daughters, O. C. Jones, Wesley Foster, Dick

## Employment Commission Closed On Saturdays

Farwell area employees customarily placing orders for workers with the Texas Employment Commission on Saturdays, will have to

Rockey; Misses Jerry Norwood, Patsy Anthony, June White and Gay Cass.

Mrs. Watson received many lovely gifts from friends.

## Return to Colorado

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Martin and children, of Lamar, Colo., who have been in Friona visiting her mother, Mrs. C. D. Carter, while Mr. Martin attended business, returned to their home Thursday.

seek their workers through the agency on some other day of the week, according to J. D. Jordan, office Manager for the Commission.

Jordan said that effective September 5th, his office will be closed each Saturday as the result of a law passed by the Texas Legislature placing State employees on a 40 hour work-week.

"Claims of unemployment insurance scheduled to file claims on Saturday necessarily will have to file on another day. Notifications on the new date report and file for unemployment insurance will go out to claimants this week. However, if there is any doubt in the Claimant's mind on what date to report, he should report to the TEC office where he regularly files his claim and find out for sure," Jordan said.

He added that his office will make every effort to see that employer's orders for workers receive prompt attention as in the past, and that workers are referred to jobs as quickly as possible. "We are not curtailing any of our services to the public as a result of the shorter work-week, but it means that the job will have to be done during the five-days, Monday through Friday each week," Jordan continued.

## POSITIONS IN HEALTH DEPARTMENT FILLED

AUSTIN—Competitive examinations for clerical, technical, and professional positions with the Texas State Department of Health are offered on a continuous basis until further notice, Mr. Russell E. Shrader, Supervisor of the Mer-

it System Council, has announced.

Applications and information are available on request from the Merit System Council, 805 Littlefield Building, Austin 15, Texas.

Classifications open for examination include typists, stenographers, secretaries, and other public health personnel.

All applicants must have high school graduation training and experience appropriate to the classification. Examinations may be either written, an evaluation of training and experience, or a combination of the two.

Examinations will be given in Austin at Merit System Council office on a continuous basis and in other centers over the State on September 26 where the number of candidates justify.

Tribune Ads Get Results!



**HUBERT SINGLETERRY**  
Manager

Born in Texico, N. M. in 1919. Came to Friona in 1951. Been with company since July 1951. Married at Swenson, Texas in 1941. Four children. No hobby.



**DAVE PRICE**  
Parts Manager

Born in Donnelly County, Texas in 1902. Came to Friona in April 1952. Been with company three months. Married in Amarillo in 1925. Five children. Hobby, baseball and model airplanes.



**T. C. GARDNER**  
Shop Foreman

Born in Clarksville, Texas in 1905. Came to Friona three years ago. Been with company 2 years. Married in Clarksville in 1931. Two children. Hobby, fishing and hunting.



**MRS. TOMMIE PARKER**  
Ass't Bookkeeper

Born in Fannin County, Texas. Came to Friona in 1938. Been with company six months. Married in Clovis, N. M. in 1930. Three children. Hobby, housekeeping.



**ROBERT L. DUKE**  
Mechanic

Born in Red River County, Tex. in 1922. Came to Friona in May of this year. Been with company four months. Married in San Antonio in 1943. Four children. Hobby, fishing and hunting.



**ERNEST E. KUYKENDALL**  
Machine Repairman

Born in Woodbury, Texas in 1896. Came to Friona in 1943. Been with company off and on for four years. Married at Lubbock in 1922. Six children. Eight grandchildren. Hobby, hunting and fishing.

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We have long regarded the Parmer County Dairy Show and Fair as one of our greatest assets. For that reason, we'd like to extend our

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# FRIONA OLIVER

FRIONA, TEXAS



## Are You Taking Proper Care of Your Eyes, Ears, Nose and Throat?

Ophthalmology is the sum of knowledge concerning the eye and its diseases. Otorhinolaryngology is the sum of knowledge regarding the ear, nose, and throat (including the voice box, windpipe and its divisions) and their diseases.

Often these two specialties are combined. As an example, the same physician who treats hoarseness or sinus disease might take care of eye infections or allergies, or other eye conditions.

Hoarseness can indicate something as simple as overuse of the voice or on the other hand can point to something more serious. Any case of hoarseness lasting more than a week deserves a medical check-up to rule out or make possible the prompt treatment of diseases like tuberculosis or cancer. Children who are hoarse sometimes have growths on the vocal cords called "papillomas," which usually can be removed surgically.

People who make incorrect or excessive use of the voice can be subject to hoarseness; terms as "clergyman's sore throat" and "singer's nodules" in the medical vocabulary are evidence of the frequency with which this symptom occurs. Sometimes public speakers and singers need instructions in a more skillful use of the voice to overcome the tendency toward hoarseness, and resting the voice for a limited or indefinite period may be indicated.

The two general causes of "sinus trouble" are infection and allergy, or possibly a combination of the two. Conditions involving the nose (such as colds or hay fever) can spread easily to the sinuses (cavities in the bones of the skull) because the latter structures are offshoots of the nasal passage filled with the same kind of tissue, mucous membrane. Different sinuses can be involved; there are four sets on each side of the head. Sinuses in each may vary in different persons, as may their sizes, shapes, and position.

Medical treatment for an acute attack of sinusitis (sinus infection that is severe and runs a relatively short course) usually is successful; occasionally surgery to allow the sinuses to drain may be necessary. Operation is more likely to be performed in the case of chronic (longer-lived) infection.

In the field of eye infections and allergies, a couple of new drugs, ATCH and cortisone, which were used first for arthritis several years ago, have proved of definite, if limited, value. They have somewhat similar effects. ATCH is given for deep-seated eye infections. Cortisone is most valuable in infections or allergies of the front part of the eye and eyelids.

Another recent development in the field of eye disease is in the treatment of a condition known as "detached retina". Surgery has been improved to the extent that the eyesight in many cases of retinal detachment, formerly considered doomed, can be saved.

The symptom noticed most often in this disease is the sensation that a curtain or cloud is being drawn across the field of vision in the affected eye, beginning at one corner and in the vision such as lightning-like flashes or spots before the eyes. Unless treated, detached retina has a tendency to progress until the affected eye is totally blind. Sometimes both eyes are affected similarly within a short period of time.

Although the exact cause of detached retina is not always understood, the condition has been observed more often in nearsighted persons and in those 50 years or older. A severe injury has been known to bring about detached retina; a minor injury is not likely to do so unless the eye is already predisposed toward the disease.

### Q's and A's For Veterans

Q—The son of a friend of mine was killed in an automobile accident on his way to report to his draft board. Would he be covered by the free automatic indemnity paid to survivors of Korean servicemen?

A—No. Indemnity coverage of selectees is limited to those who died as a result of disabilities incurred while enroute from the draft board to the induction station, or who die within 120 days after the incurrence of such disabilities. The coverage does not extend to travel to the draft board.

Q—I'm planning to sell the house I bought with a GI loan. What can

I do to make sure I won't be liable, in case the person who buys the house fails to make his payment?

A—Generally, you should see to it that the GI loan is repaid in full at the time off the sale. In that way, you will be released

from all personal liability. Consult your lender or your VA office for full details.

Q—I am receiving a VA disability pension. I have just sold my house, but at a price less than what I paid for it. Must I figure the proceeds as income for pension purposes?

A—No. So long as the house was sold at less than the purchase price, no part of the proceeds of the sale need be considered as income.

Q—I'm drawing compensation for a service-connected disability I re-

ceived in Korea. I was entitled to vocational rehabilitation training at Government expense?

A—Not necessarily. One requirement of the law is that you must need the training to overcome the handicap of your disability.

From four to five gallons of water pass through an oyster each day.

James B. Duke left \$40,000,000 to Trinity College with the provision that it be changed to Duke University.

# IT'S GREAT

## To Be a Part of a Growing Parmer County



**ARTIS FALLWELL**  
Ass't Manager

Born in Friona in 1926. Been with business since 1947. Married in Clovis in 1945. Three children, Michael Lee, Rhonda Gay, and Connie Louise. Hobby, hunting and fishing.



**MACK BAINUM**  
Vice-President

Born in Plainview, Texas in 1911. Came to Friona in 1946. Vice-president of company, and associated with company since 1940. Married in 1933 in Clovis. Two children, Danny Mac and Phyllis Gayle. Hobby is hunting and fishing.

# BLANTON BUTANE

Welcomes you to the 11th annual Parmer County Fair and Dairy Show. We hope you enjoy it!

## WE HAVE SERVED THE PLAINS SINCE 1940

The business was founded in 1940 by Lyle Blanton and Mack Bainum in Hereford. They opened the business in Friona in 1946. Mr. Blanton lives in Hereford and operates the business there. Mr. Bainum lives in Friona and operates the Friona business. The business in Dimmitt was opened in 1948 and is operated by O. T. Vardell. It has grown from one truck to a fleet of twenty-three units operating in 3 counties.

REMEMBER BLANTON BUTANE FOR

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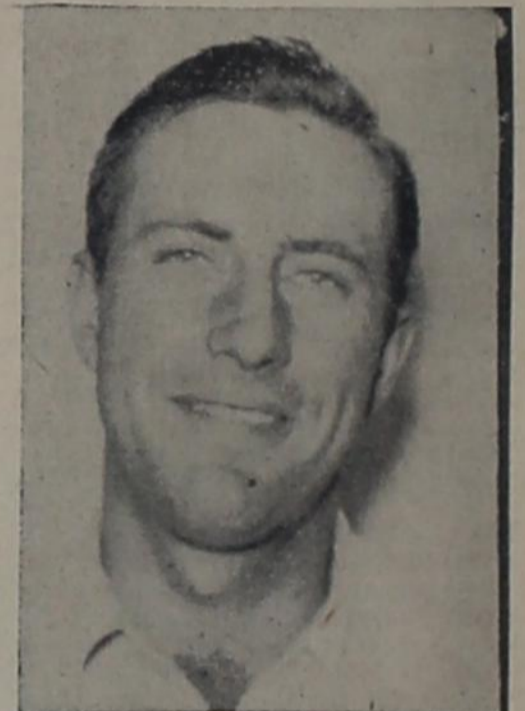
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Truck Driver

Born in Friona in 1928. Been with company five months. Married in Friona in 1950. One child, Myrn Sue. Hobby, hunting.



**CECIL BOYER**  
Bookkeeper

Born in Corpus Christi, Texas in 1913. Employed with organization 18 months. Married in Hereford in 1943. One child, Beverly Ann. Hobby, fishing.



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Born in Friona in 1931. Been with company 3 1/2 years. Married in Portales, N. M. in 1950. One child, Ronald Ray. Hobby, hunting.



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