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Whittlin'

By Dolph Moten

WORLD SERIES TIME

Beginning today, mid-day activities in Bovina will be hampered greatly for the next week by action going on several hundred miles away from here. The World Series is underway.

Local people will join others across the nation in stopping what they're doing—if they possibly can—to listen and watch baseball's annual classic. Football, with the 1957 season just underway, will be almost forgotten while the majority of folks concentrate on, and worry about, the games between the New York Yankees and the Milwaukee Braves.

This department predicts the Braves will win the Series in seven games. This prediction is based on the fact that Milwaukee has more and better "name" pitchers.

What I think doesn't, of course, necessarily mean anything. I certainly thought the Fightin' Aggies would outscore Texas Tech by more than 21 points last Saturday night. But they didn't and New York may win the World Series, too. No matter who wins, though, a lot of interest will be shown and many things will be left undone until after the winner is declared.

Too, I'll predict that the two teams don't have any disagreements as to who the umpires will be as did Bovina and Nazareth in their series, that eventually had to be called off.

Even baseball haters will become interested in the World Series before it's finished. The die-hards, of course, will remain indifferent throughout, but many of the weaker ones will give in and become engrossed in each day's game. Because of this, I make no apologies for mentioning baseball in this week's column. Besides I've been babbling baseball haters long enough. It's time they again read something about the game.

WONDERFUL RESPONSE

Response to the Blade-sponsored contest to name the new column by Sally Whitesides was wonderful. This column jealously expresses its appreciation to those who submitted entries in the contest. As a matter of fact, the response was so good it might be a good idea to have another contest and get a new name for "Whittlin'."

I'd do it, too, but the smart alecks would take advantage. And they take advantage enough without encouraging them in any way.

A GOOD JOB

Aside from that "Butcher Knife" business that W. H. Graham, Jr. threw in last week's paper, he and Sally Whitesides did a very good job of newspapering, I thought. Had a couple of good stories concerning improvements being made by and for Bovina. One of the aforementioned smart alecks informed me when I returned to town, "If you'd stay gone two weeks, instead of just one, I believe we could build a pretty good town."

A REAL LIVE PRESS BOX

One of my first disappointments in Bovina was that the football field had no press box. But that situation has been corrected in a big way—the recently-erected structure atop the east stands is complete with glass windows! How you can beat a deal like that I don't know.

Billie Sudderth will tell you it doesn't look like a press box at all. Perhaps he's just jealous.

MORE SPORTS

Coach Bob Wills and Roy M. Crawford, vo-ag teacher scouted Hart, the Mustangs' Thursday night opponent in their game with Quitaque, I think, as Bovina "sat out" an open date Friday night.

The trip reminded Crawford of another such trip the two men made a couple of years ago. They scouted Turkey before the Mustangs were scheduled to play the Turks on the following Friday night.

On the way home, Wills asked Crawford cautiously, "Well, what do you think?" Also cautiously, Crawford answered, "I think we can handle them." Wills replied, "I think we can, too, but let's don't mention the fact to anyone in Bovina."

First District Game—

Mustangs To Meet Hart Thursday at 8



AT LAST, A PRESS BOX—Mustang Field was improved last week with the addition of this new press box. A. G. White and I. W. Quicquel constructed it. Glass for the front was installed by Archie McCutchan, left, Superintendent Warren Morton is standing in the doorway. Cost of the structure was approximately \$300, Morton says. The press box will be in use when the Mustangs meet the Hart Longhorns here Thursday night at 8 p.m.

Over Weekend

30 FHA Girls To State Fair

Thirty local girls, members of Future Homemakers of America, will leave Friday morning for Dallas to attend the State Fair. They will be accompanied by Mrs. J. W. Whelan, home-making teacher in Bovina Schools, and four mothers. They will return home Sunday evening.

Transportation for the trip, a school bus, will be provided by the school. Frank Wilson will be the driver.

They plan, says Mrs. Whelan, to spend Friday and Saturday nights in Fort Worth and attend the Fair Saturday.

Girls who plan to make the trip are Patsy Richards, Carole Hammonds, Harriette Lou Charles, Joy Redden, Jackie Davies, Carolyn Crump, Virginia Embree, Sue Estes, Celia Berry, Irene Drager;

Also, Kay Hartzog, Nancy Cumpton, Janice Richards, Nicki Woelfel, Marie Drager, Martha Drager, Glenna Berry, Celia Barraza, Verna Lee Hall, Charlotte Hromas;

Also, Lexie Stevenson, Cynthia Patterson, Patsy Hart, Shirley Mayhew, Charlotte Morris, Avis Williams, Sandra Martin, Sandra Jefferson, Kay Leake

Lions Listen To Scout Executive

John Bloomshield, district Boy Scout executive, spoke to Bovina Lions Thursday night during a regular meeting concerning a finance campaign at Bovina Restaurant. The Lions will handle the campaign with details to be worked out at the next regular meeting—October 10.

Henry Minter, club secretary, gave a report on a district meeting for presidents and secretaries which he and Lion Boss J. W. Wright attended last month at Hart.

Due to the fact that a group of city waterworks officials of the area will meet in Bovina Restaurant October 10, the next Lions Club meeting will be held in Bo's Hiway Cafe. Time of the meeting will be 7:30 p. m.

Has Surgery In Clovis Friday

Dorwin Hartsell, two-year-old son of Minister and Mrs. James Hartsell, underwent major surgery Friday morning in Clovis Memorial Hospital. Friends report that the little boy is "doing better than expected."

With a third of the 1957 season complete, Bovina's Mustangs frog into District 3-B play here Thursday night against the Hart Longhorns. It will be the first district game for both teams.

Rated as a toss-up, the game will begin at 8 p. m. and will be the second game of the season here.

The Mustangs own a one won-two lost record compared to the 2-1-1 record of the Longhorns. Bovina lost to Fort Sumner, highly-rated Farwell and bumped Vega two weeks ago, 12-6 with a story book finish. They enjoyed an open date last week.

Hart holds victories over Cooper and Lakeview, was tied by Estelle, and lost to Quitaque last week.

The Mustangs were winners of last year's game at Hart, 19-6.

Dick Horn, who has been the "hoss" of the Mustang squad so far this season will see only offensive action Thursday night because of a broken nose suffered in practice this week. "It's possible he will see some action on defense, but it will be very little," Coach Bob

Kay Hartzog Named FFA Sweetheart

Kay Hartzog was elected sweetheart of Bovina Chapter of Future Farmers of America Monday afternoon. Celia Berry, a sophomore, was named Plow-girl.

Roy Crawford, vocational agriculture instructor at Bovina High School, announced the winners Tuesday morning. Miss Hartzog is a junior. Other contestants were Celia Barraza, senior; Judy Roach, freshman; and Miss Berry.

The four girls, one from each class in high school, were chosen by the boys of their grade who are active members of FFA. Voting was held by the FFA members. The contestants were chosen for attractiveness, poise, and personality.

As Bovina's FFA sweetheart, Miss Hartzog will enter a contest for District FFA Sweetheart at Littlefield. The district contest will be November 23, in the form of a district banquet. There, she will compete with 15 other girls of the district.

and Barbara Taylor. Mothers who plan to make the trip are Mrs. S. E. Redden, Mrs. Dennis Williams, Mrs. E. C. Berry, Mrs. Mary Ruth Martin and Mrs. Drager.

Wills says. Horn quarterbacks the Mustang offense which operates from both the winged T and single wing formations.

The Ponies will have a slight weight advantage and will border on being favored to win the clash. However, Wills says, "When a team hasn't won any more games than we have, I don't see how it can be the favorite."

A large crowd is expected for the game since it is the first district game.

Coaches Wills and Charles Don Smith are expected to start the same lineup they have used in recent games:

Left end, Ferman Kelso, 160;

Left tackle, Dickie Steelman, 170;

Left guard, James Stevens, 150;

Center, Danny Morton, 160;

Right guard, James Clayton, 150;

Right tackle, Kent Glasscock, 190;

Right end, Ramey Brandon, 150;

Quarterback, Horn, 155;

Right half, Billy Burnam, 165;

Left half, Jerry Burnett, 150;

Wing back, Don Bandy, 135;

James Lawlis, 160, will also see a lot of action in the back-field and will do the punting and kicking off chores.

Hartsells Move To Portales

Minister and Mrs. James C. Hartsell and children moved to Portales, N. M., Wednesday of last week. He has served as minister of the local Church of Christ since January of this year.

Friends report that Hartsell has accepted the position of minister to the Second Street Church of Christ in the New Mexico town. He will attend Eastern New Mexico University.

Prior to his coming to Bovina, Hartsell was a minister in an Oklahoma City Church of Christ. He was preceded at the Bovina church by his father, R. A. Hartsell.

Is Improving

Mrs. Carl Rea reported this week that Troy Armstrong is improving and doing as well as can be expected. Armstrong underwent major surgery in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo Friday, September 20. He has been in the hospital for about a month.



THE PERILS OF JOHNNY—First Grader Johnny Charles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Charles, became a captive of his own chair Monday morning at school. Why he was attempting to crawl out of his chair the hard way, only first graders understand. The above picture shows what happened. Johnny was getting out of his chair, feet first, in the small space between the seat and the back rest, and was doing a good job until he tried to pull his head through. It wouldn't go. And he couldn't manage to go back the way he came in, either. However, with the help of Superintendent Warren Morton, pictured, he was able to escape from the grip of the harmless-appearing chair.

Grand Opening Slated For Bo's Hiway Cafe

Bo's Hiway Cafe, which has been in operation next door to Read's Gulf Service Station for some six weeks, will observe its Grand Opening Saturday.

The day will feature free coffee and donuts. Also, baked ham and barbeque chicken, with the trimmings, will be served buffet style for \$1.

Bill Bradshaw has been employed by the business as cook for the evening shift. Announcement of the opening and of the new cook are made in an advertisement in this issue.

Increased Enrollment— Another Teacher Needed at School

Enrollment in the local school has continued to climb since the first day of this semester, Superintendent Warren Morton announces. The present figure is 451. There were 426 students after the second week of school. The increased enrollment

has created a shortage-of-teachers problem. The fourth grade, which at the present has only one teacher, Mrs. Hodge Rigdon, has 42 students. Morton is attempting to find another teacher for a section of the grade.

It is possible that an announcement of the new teacher can be made next week.

Pentecostal Church To Have Conference

Rev. Spencer Blake, pastor of Bovina Pentecostal Holiness Church, announced Tuesday morning that a district quarterly conference of the church will be held here Friday. The day meeting will begin at 10 a. m. and Rev. L. E. Jackson, district superintendent from Amarillo, will be in charge.

A youth rally is scheduled for Friday night, at 7:45, with Rev. Curtis Rochelle, district youth director, in charge. Rev. Rochelle is a former pastor of the local church.

Rev. Blake issues a welcome to the people of the Bovina area to attend both meetings.

With Monday—September 30—marking the end of the first school month for the year, Morton announced that school personnel were paid \$10,722.83 for the month.

This figure includes pay for 22 teachers, three secretarial workers, five bus drivers, two custodians, and five cafeteria workers. One teacher, J. W. Whelan, doubles as a bus driver.

Withholding tax from the salaries was \$1166.40 and \$668.81 of the total went toward teacher retirement.

Morton explained that these figures would vary only slightly from month to month.

Jaycees Will Meet Thursday Morning

Because of the Bovina-Hart football game here Thursday night, regular meeting time of Bovina Junior Chamber of Commerce, the Jaycees have re-scheduled their meeting for Thursday morning at 7. Roy M. Crawford, president, has announced.

Tuesday at 4 p. m. the Jaycees will meet briefly with a delegation of Amarillo Jaycees in Bovina Restaurant.

Column Gets Many Suggested Names

Mrs. Mable Ellison was named winner of the "name the column" contest. Mrs. Ellison submitted the name "Ketch-all Korner," and chose as her prize a two year subscription to the Blade.

There were a total of 78 different names suggested by 15 entrants.

Those who submitted suggestions were Mrs. Ellison, Mrs. Pearl M. Dodson, Mrs. H. T. Hastings, Mrs. W. E. Williams, Miss Rita Caldwell, Mrs. Pat Read, Mrs. Levi Johnson, Mrs. L. C. Moore, Mrs. O. W. Rhinehart, Miss Joan Kay Ezell, Mrs. Myrna Hammonds and Mrs. I. W. Quicquel, all of Bovina.

Out-of-town entrants were Mrs. Hazel Baxter, Friona; Mrs. W. L. Potts, Bellview, N. M.; and Mrs. M. P. Green of Farwell.

Of the 78 entries, there was not one duplication. Suggested names included The What Not Shelf, What Not Corner, Dilly and Dally—by Sally, Scatter Brain Corral, Keeping Up With the Jones', Over the Backyard Fence, Wondering Around By Sally, Visiting with Bovinians, and The JBU Column (Just Between Us);

Ollipodrida (anything and everything); Good Neighbor, Sally's Sayings, Sally's Chatter,

Read and Learn, Cherry Chatter, Cordial Corner, Cheerful Chit-Chat, Chit-Chat Corner, Fall and Winter Side Line;

Chit-Chatter Column, Just Reminiscing, Sally's Notes and Ideas, Bless You-N-Me, Between the Lines, The Boot Straps, Between You and Me, Friendly Chat, Standing on the Corner, and Social Calendar;

Shower of Thoughts, A Penny For Your Thoughts, The Hill Top, Sugar and Spice, It's My Turn, Chit-Chat, Golden Spread Forum, What's New, Under the

Spotlight, Sally's Whetstone;

The Whetstone, The Edge, Sally's Angle, Sayings from Sally, News Roundup, Golden Circle, Susie Q. From "B" to "U";

Knitting Needle, Today's Symposium;

Also, The Blade's Auxiliary, Trimmings, Extra Trimmings, Slicin' It Thin, Shavings, Sally's Select, Sally's Sharings, Salligrams, Pertinent Patter, Just-A-Visitin';

Others were Whitesidens, This and That, Had You Heard, Didja Know, Over the Grapevine, Tat-

tle Tales, Dandy Lines, Facts and Fancies, Pro and Con, Weekly Data;

Also, Weakly Data, Bovina Rumbblings, Could Be, So I Heard, Y'Don't Say, U Don't Say, Ramblings and Chit Chat.

Editor Dolph Moten and Mrs. Whitesides, society editor, say they are both very pleased and grateful for the response to the column. The column, under the heading of "You Name It" has been carried by the Blade for the past month.



PHOTOGENIC PET COON—Jack McCutchan, Sherley Grain Co. employee, poses with this pet coon, complete with collar, which he found at the elevator. After failing to locate the animal's owner, McCutchan gave it to Sammy Sudderth.

With Nazareth—

Bulls Divide Title

Bovina's Bulls are co-champions of the Central Plains League for the 1957 season. This is the highest the local team has finished in the league in some five or six years of play.

The co-champion title was awarded to both Bovina and Nazareth, both first round playoff winners, because they could not agree on umpires for the championship series.

Bovina earned the right to meet Nazareth in the final series by downing Umbarger in a best-two-out-of-three, first round play. Nazareth defeated

Tulia to earn the championship berth.

On September 15, the Bovina team went to Nazareth for the first game of the final series. However, a disagreement as to who was to officiate caused a cancellation of the game. The following week, Nazareth came here to play and won 8-0.

League President Bill Semmelbeck, Amarillo, ruled the first game should be played at Nazareth as originally scheduled, but the umpire disagreement came up again, couldn't be worked out, and Semmelbeck decided that no more games

would be played and the teams would be co-champions.

Bovina refused to play with Nazareth umpires calling the game and Nazareth refused to play under any other circumstances. Umpires from Amarillo were used to call the game played here.

In regular season play, Bovina finished in a tie for second place with Umbarger. Nazareth was the regular season winner. Tulia finished fourth to earn its playoff berth. Hereford finished fifth, out of the running, Plainview dropped out of the league in mid-season.



SCOUTS GO CAMPING—Twenty-three Bovina Boy Scouts boarded the Billie Sudderth "hombre bus" Friday afternoon for an overnight camping trip to Buffalo Lake, Umbarger. The majority of the boys are pictured here. Adult leaders were Sudderth, assistant scoutmaster, and Don Lloyd. Jimmy Charles and Vernon Estes took their boats to the lake Saturday morning and took the boys riding. The Scouts also went swimming and hiked. Scouts making the trip were Don Caldwell, Don Cumpton, Roger Ezell, Bobby Ellison, Sammy Pounds, Eugene Conly, Buddy Turner, Butch Woltmon, Ronnie Sudderth, Ronnie Wines, Ronnie Taylor, Billy McCormick, Phillip Lloyd, Jimmie Redden, David Lowrie, Lynn Hudson, Rocky Barber, Phillip Wilcox, Jerry Wright, Jimmy Wright, Royce Lee Lorenz, Delbert Morris, and Bobby Gonzales.



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Barbara Taylor Is Elected YWA President

Barbara Taylor was elected president of the Young Women's Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church Wednesday, September 18. Others to take office were Avis Williams, vice president and program chairman; Nancy Cumpton, secretary-treasurer; Julia Ann Lloyd, community missions and prayer chairman. Mrs. Don Murphy, counselor, led the closing prayer.

ning, Miss Taylor brought the meeting to order and five girls took part in a program titled, "Forward March." A prayer was given for the missionaries whose birthday was that day.

Refreshments of punch and cookies were served and gifts of appreciation were presented to the counselors, Mrs. Murphy and Mrs. Leslie McCain.

Girls present were Nancy Cumpton, Julia Ann Lloyd, Barbara Taylor, Sue Moody, Avis Williams, and Mrs. Murphy. Mrs. McCain, who will be the YWA counselor for the coming year was also present.

METHODIST CHURCH
W. R. Beard, Pastor

Church School, 9:45 a. m.; public worship, 11 a. m.; and 7:30 p. m.; Marzie Lynn Circle, Tuesday, 2:30 p. m.; Dorcas Circle, Wednesday, 11 a. m.; choir practice, 7:30 p. m.; and Methodist Men, Saturday, 6:00 a. m.

Your presence for these services is essential to the growth of the Kingdom. You are benefited by it in your own spiritual outlook. Be regular.

Men Remember
Saturday morning, at 6:00 o'clock, the Methodist Men will have their first meeting in the new building. We want a full attendance. A good breakfast and a program worth while is on the docket.

Next Sunday Is Rally Day
This notice is for every member and teacher of the Methodist Church. We want you at the Church School Sunday—Rally Day.

Sunday begins the new Sunday School year in the Methodist Church. We are anxious for this beginning to be a good one, and we hope to make new attendance records.

The church is appealing to the adult section of the church to lead in attendance Sunday morning. If the enrolled members of each adult class are present, we will have the largest attendance we've had in a long time.

I, as your minister, want to ask the co-operation of every member of the church to make Sunday a great day.

Come to Sunday School and stay for church.
Bro. Beard

Stevenson of Clovis, fished at Tres Ritos and Red River. Mrs. Stevenson reports that the aspens of northern New Mexico look as if "someone had spilled paint on them." She also reported good trout fishing at Red River; they caught their limit in two days.

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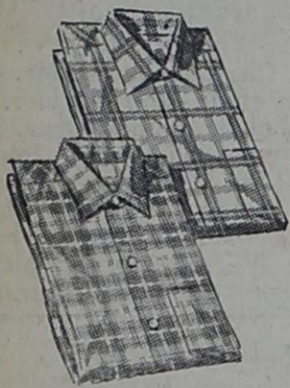
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Attend Fair

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McCain and Mr. and Mrs. Don Murphy attended the South Plains Fair and Holiday on Ice in Lubbock Friday of last week.

Monday guests in the McCain home were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. McCain of Littlefield.

To New Mexico

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stevenson, Lexie and Gary, spent the weekend in northern New Mexico. They, accompanied by Mrs. Stevenson's mother, Mrs. Oakley

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Bureau Convention Monday Night At Hub Community

Parmer County Farm Bureau's ninth annual convention will be at the Hub Community Building Monday night, October 7. Garland "Cotton John" Smith of KGNC-TV, Amarillo, will be guest speaker. The meeting begins at 8.

Resolutions committee members met last week to review legislative subjects under consideration on state and national levels that are of importance to the future of agriculture.

Harry Hamilton, chairman of the committee, emphasized that some of the issues are presented for the purpose of gaining information helpful to the formation of resolutions acceptable to the membership. All resolutions are subject to approval or disapproval of the membership, he said.

Subjects of interest on the state legislative level include: The necessity for eliminating crippling interpretations of the law regarding REA in the state; Threats to the continuation of the farm-to-market road program in Texas;

Reasons for practical truck load limits; Continuation of election, or the proposed plan of a governor-appointed committee to select the state agricultural commissioner;

Proposal of a state sales tax with production exemptions to replace present methods of school financing;

Leaving the state school fund intact, as it is; Defending Texas' "Right to Work Law"; and Recommendations regarding surface water development program in Texas.

National issues: Extension of anti-trust laws to include operations of labor unions;

Opposing increase of minimum wage in industry; Increasing funds and facilities for research to expand markets for agricultural commodities;

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He said he hoped every farmer would be present to express his opinion on subjects that will affect his future.

Committee members attending were: Harry Hamilton, L. F. Bruns, John Henderson, John Range, Vernon Symcox, and Donald Christian.

Four directors will be elected at the convention from the communities represented by L. F. Bruns, John Range, J. T. Jones and H. P. Hamilton. Rhea community will nominate their director this Friday night. Jack Patterson is now serving that office.

Election of a president will also be included.

Corn Support \$1.09 Bu.

The 1957 corn support price in Parmer County is \$1.09 per bushel. That is substantially below the figure of \$1.32 for last year.

Parmer County is in a "non-commercial" corn producing area, and the price support offered here is a reflection of 75 percent of that given in commercial areas. There are, however, no acreage restrictions here.

County farmers have considerable corn acreage under irrigation this year, and comparatively little has gone for silage. Most is being raised for sale as feed. Estimates place acreage at about 20,000.

The reduction in support price here this year is proportionately the same as in the commercial area.

Although a support program is offered locally, it is doubtful that many farmers will take advantage of it. The price offered for corn here has previously been above the government floor.

However, farmers may do some speculating this year, which the loan enables them to do.



Harvest time is here again, and combines are making short work of grain sorghum fields mature and dry enough for cutting. This is the view seen by a combine driver. Driving the combine is J. D. Kirkpatrick, who farms between Bovina and Farwell. He is turning into the field for a swath at the well developed grain.



This is Kirkpatrick's combine as it moves out into the field, slicing off the upraised heads of the grain and leaving a large deposit of stalks and leaves behind. The farmer's first 10 acres averaged 5,380 pounds. Cleanliness and evenness of Kirkpatrick's field testify to his ability as a farmer.

PLENTIFUL FOODS LIST FOR OCTOBER REVEALED

The crisp fall evenings are hard to beat so far as the choice of seasons for an outdoor meal is concerned. Outdoor chefs will find one of their favorites, broiling and frying chickens, heading the list of plentiful foods for October.

The U. S. Department of Agriculture's Marketing Service reports that industry and government will cooperate during October to promote the sale of

broilers and fryers as well as cheese and dry peas. These foods headline the October list of plentiful foods.

Canned and frozen peas are also expected to be in ample supply as are apples, potatoes, onions, peanuts and peanut butter.

Notre Dame Cathedral in Paris was constructed over a period of 551 years.

Catnip tea is considered by some as an excellent cold remedy.

Milo Harvest Gains Speed Over Area

More and more combines lumbered into dusty fields under cloudless fall skies this past week to add to the momentum of the 1957 grain sorghum harvest.

Ideal harvest weather and generally good yields were the bright spots in an otherwise drab milo outlook. Market prices continued their harvest-time decline to levels below price supports, and it appears certain that the bulk of the crop will go into government loan. It also appears doubtful that the crop will come out of the loan.

The reason is that everybody has jumped on the grain sorghum band wagon this year. Milo, traditionally the glamour crop of the irrigated Plains, has turned into the "new" crop on hundreds of thousands of acres laid idle from basic commodities in the Midwest.

Also, for the first time in years, old dryland milo areas are putting forth a good harvest. This, coupled with even more milo than usual on the Plains, adds up to a grain sorghum crop for the nation of an estimated 481 million bushels.

That is two and one-third times as big as last year's crop, and doubles the record crop of 1955.

Hybrids have gone to the front in the Parmer County grain sorghum area in a big way. In just one year, they have pushed older standbys such as Martin's, Caprock, Plainsman, and Redlan aside for the number one role.

Hybrids appear to be paying off this year for farmers, as they turn out yields equalling or beating the heavy "green head" varieties. Also, they are maturing faster and much of the acreage is due to be combined before frost if it is as much as two weeks away.

Not enough acreage has been cut as yet to evaluate the cost to the farmer of serious weed infestation, which is considered the major harvest difficulty this year.

The only other harvest worry is some falling in areas struck late in the season by hard winds and sudden rains.

Connecticut is sometimes called the Land of Steady Habits.

Small grain diseases during the current year have cost Texas producers an estimated \$18,000,000. Harlan Smith, extension plant pathologist, said the loss in bushels of grain was actually only a part of the accumulated losses to farmers. Lodging in combination with diseases greatly increased harvesting costs; test weights were lowered as was germination and most important, grain prices were reduced because of these factors.

Big Name Stars Abound At Fair

"Big name" performers from almost every realm of show business will be on hand at the 1957 State Fair of Texas, in Dallas, October 5-20.

In line with the Fair's policy of bringing the "mostest of the bestest" in entertainment to Texas, headline stars aplenty have been booked, along with some of the top shows in the nation.

Brian Aherne, long a favorite in the movies and on the stage, will be starred with Anne Rogers in "My Fair Lady." And the incomparable "Ice Capades" will present some of the world's most beautiful and talented skating stars.

The Aut Swanson Thrillcade will have circus and variety acts mixed in with the daredevils—America's foremost ragtime pianist, Johnny Maxwell, well known to record fans for his hilarious "Crazy Otto Medley," will be featured.

Pat Boone, singing idol of television and the movies, will be starred in his own show for one performance only, Sunday evening, Oct. 13, in the Cotton Bowl, sponsored by Dallas Radio Station KLIF.

Daily free entertainment at the State Fair will be provided by Hank Thompson and his Brazos Valley Boys, one of the top western music aggregations, and by Mark Wilson, the clever magician often seen on television.

And an outstanding singing star of TV, radio, the movies and records—handsome Gordon MacRae—will appear in the big free show in the Cotton Bowl that will salute East Texas on Tuesday, Oct. 15.

Reports Success With Karmex W

Duane Curtis, farmer living southeast of Farwell, this week reports "a complete kill" of a bindweed plot on his farm, following application of the chemical Karmex W.

Sodium chlorate is the chemical most extensively in use to control bindweed on the Plains, and Curtis' treatment has been watched with interest. He had a Plainview firm apply the soil sterilant to a patch of bindweed 65 feet in diameter.

That was in the early spring of 1956, and last week, Curtis apparently was convinced that the weed was killed out. He

plowed through the area and put the spot back into cultivation.

The firm applying the chemical gave Curtis a two-year guarantee that the bindweed would not return. He is satisfied with the results.

Previous reports on Karmex W had made farmers apprehensive about using the chemical in the middle of irrigated fields. This particular sterilant was feared to "move" with irrigation water and spoil other areas. However, Curtis watered through the patch and reports no ill effects.

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THE PARMER COUNTY IMPLEMENT CO. NEWS

"The Place Where Most People Trade" Friona, Texas Oct. 1, 1957

Mrs. Henry White, who has the best luck of anyone we know at rooting a rosebud cutting, says this is a good time of the year to start them. Take a cutting that includes one branch, plant in sandy soil in a place where there is plenty of sun, water well, cover with a glass jar until next spring, and if you are as lucky as Mrs. White, you will have a strong rose bush that will bloom exactly like the one from which you took the cutting.

We sell Goodyear tires. Come in, have us show you the Rib Hi-Miler, the only low-priced truck tire built with triple-tough 3-T cord! More people ride on Goodyear tires than on any other kind.

A letter from Doris, our college freshman, says the weather in Virginia is rainy and cold and that it sure is a long time until Christmas (that's when she will be home).

Our parts department is the most complete one on the Golden Spread. We have the part you need to repair your farm machinery.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenyth Cass were very pleasantly surprised Saturday when Kenyth's mother and father and brother from San Diego, Calif., drove up for a few days visit. Other company at the Cass home over the weekend were their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. George Price, from Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. George Faywell, who live near Los Angeles, Calif.

Wheat drills are not only deductible on your income tax, they are a necessity. We have some good used drills and we have some good prices on the world's finest new drills—the International Harvester Wheat Drill.

Our second grader, John Bill, is at the riddle-asking phase, and the other day he asked his younger brother, "David, what kind of an insect is always in a school room?" "Oh, I know that one," said David. "It's a school teacher!" (The answer is a spelling bee.)

Mrs. Tommie Little is a new employee at the Parmer County Implement Company. It will be Mrs. Little's voice you hear when you dial 2091. She will be glad to take your order for parts and we will send them to you on the next mail.

Hope you have noticed: How much better our town looks after a session of street sweeping—that the Parmer County Pump Company is building just west of the Friona Motor Company—the good job the school boys are doing as traffic patrolmen—how many pigeons there are on the roof of the Methodist church—the maple trees turning to gold—the new IH tractors on the lot of the Parmer County Implement Company.

If you plan to kill Johnson grass and bindweed on your farm this year, now is the time. We still have plenty of sodium chlorate—the best weed killer on the market.

Slim walked into the local post office and noticed a new sign on the wall. Letter by letter he made it out: "Man Wanted for Robbery in California." "Gosh, he said, 'If that job was only in Texas I'd take it.'"

Tractors are our business, and we'd enjoy helping you get the most out of yours. If it's parts you need, we've got them. If you're thinking about a new tractor, we can help you there, too. Why not stop in next time you're in town? Let's talk tractors.

Douglas Connelley and Aubrey Rhodes attended a sales meeting for Oldsmobile dealers and salesmen in Amarillo Thursday night. Parmer County Implement Company is the Oldsmobile dealer for this county.

Got any old Popsicle sticks to give away? That's one of the things our boys collect. Others are bugs (any kind), rocks, bird nests, snails, worms, comic books, model cars, grasshoppers, old keys, and dirt.

Ready or not, it's going to be winter time soon, and you will need a new supply of anti-freeze. Better get your motors ready for the first freeze now. We have plenty of the best anti-freeze and our prices are lower.

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Will New Multi-Purpose Wells Pay Their Own Way?

BY W. H. GRAHAM JR.

Farmers, like millions of other Americans, are finding that maintaining decent standards of living between the pinners of high costs and low prices is becoming increasingly difficult with each passing year.

That being true, it is only human nature that farmers concentrate more and more on investments involving their time and money that pay off in farm profits. These profits show up on the family dinner table, in the family garage, and on the family bank account.

Until a modern farmer attains for himself what he regards a satisfactory level of living, and more or less "has things under control," he must necessarily look at the short-term aspect of his business.

While it would be nice, for instance, to have a white picket fence around his farm, and while it pays off "in the long run" to store machinery in a barn or shed, most of these marginal investments are being pushed aside in favor of "What can I do today that will leave money in the bank after this year's harvest?"

There has been a tendency to neglect conservation of water,

HOW MUCH IS IRRIGATION WORTH TO YOUR FARM?

Cost and Returns from Dryland Versus Irrigated Cotton and Sorghum in the Texas High Plains, 1955 price levels

ITEM	LINT COTTON UNIT	GRAIN SORGHUM
Yield:		
Irrigated	lbs. 600 lbs.	3400
Dryland	lbs. 140 lbs.	1000
Price per unit	\$ 32.15	.015
Gross value:		
Irrigated	\$ 192.90	51.00
Dryland	\$ 45.00	15.00
Cost of Production:		
Irrigated	\$ 96.00	30.00
Dryland	\$ 21.50	7.50
Net return:		
Irrigated	\$ 96.90	21.00
Dryland	\$ 23.50	7.50
Benefit from irrigation	\$ 73.40	13.50
Water used	acre-inch 14	16
Value per acre-foot of water	\$ 62.88	10.13

land and other resources because they were long-term items on the farm balance sheet, and the primary concern has been to make money from year to year. This has been unfortunate but true nonetheless.

But, as time moves on and

the years of irrigation and heavy cropping practices accumulate, the grinding away that these elements have on our rich natural resources becomes apparent.

Land watered and farmed heavily for four, six or eight years is showing the strain, and owners are taking corrective steps. One of the biggest long-term practices now is the installing of concrete underground irrigation tile.

Tile has many money-saving benefits, but the most important is conservation of underground water.

Peeping over the horizon is another project sure to have its impact on High Plains irrigation practices. It is the development of successful multi-purpose wells, which do everything that common irrigation wells do today, plus return water to the underground formation. Their use is only beginning, but they show signs of surpassing even concrete tile in importance, for their purpose is not merely to conserve but to actually replenish.

Very little is known about multi-purpose wells by the average irrigation farmer. Not only are there important technical differences between these and ordinary wells, but many farmers busy with the problems of raising crops to meet payments have taken the attitude that they just can't afford to worry about recharge so long as their present supply holds out.

The purpose of this article is to suggest that multi-purpose recharge wells are being improperly classified by many irrigation farmers. They have very distinct immediate benefits, and though not as short-termly profitable as fertilizer, for example, they pay off much faster and much better than is commonly believed. The table accompanying this article is a graphic illustration of the value of irrigation water to High Plains farming. The figures were supplied by the High Plains Underground Water District, and are conservative. They show that an acre-foot of irrigation water brings to the farmer from \$10 to \$62, depending on the crop grown. Also,

the efficiency of the farmer can cause variation in these figures.

Multi-purpose wells are purposefully located near the beds of playa lakes, which abound by the thousands on the High Plains, and of which one or more is located on nearly every farm. These wells are drilled and developed in much the same manner as ordinary irrigation wells, except that they have extra equipment to admit water from the playa lakes whenever rain fills the depressions.

This does not interfere with normal operation of the well, and the water pumped from underground to water crops is merely pushed up to the high point of the farm, or dumped into an already existing underground system to complete the cycle.

Here is a run-down of approximately what it costs to install a multi-purpose well—(extra, that is, over a common irrigation unit):

Steel collar	\$5.00
Gate valve	75.00
Intake line	300.00
Cement casing	100.00
Excavating for line	450.00
Valve for outer end	25.00
Casing perforations	112.50
Additional 75' setting	922.50

That is roughly \$2,000, and to this must be added the cost of line to pipe water from the lake level to the irrigation distribution system.

Returns from the multi-purpose well include, first and most important, adding to the amount of water in storage available for irrigation (acre-foot values vary widely); reducing the lift for the pump, because recharge water is "stacked" under the well, raising the table; making available lakebeds for cultivation.

There are other fringe benefits and there are other fringe costs, too, but these are negligible.

The Water District officials say that water is now being withdrawn from the underground reservoir at a rate many times that of natural recharge. "The amount of water in playa lakes available for recharge, however, amounts to about one-fourth the present pumpage rate and, if recharged, would extend rather heavy pumpage indefinitely.

"For any economic venture

to be feasible, the expected income must equal or exceed all costs. Data show that in general the benefit-cost ratio of artificial recharge of ground water through multi-purpose wells is on the order of 10 to 1."

A 10-to-1 return on the investment is worth looking into.

4-H News

FARWELL JR. BOYS 4-H NEWS

Farwell Junior 4-H boys met Thursday, September 26, at school. This was the first meeting of the school year. We elected the following officers at this meeting: Ronny Henson, president; Charles Carthel, vice-president; Leon Lovelace, secretary; Roy Donaldson, reporter; and Alan Busbice, pledge leader. The meeting was then turned over to Joe Jones, county agent. We filled out enrollment cards and discussed different projects we could have. Jones reminded us of the tour of the crops in the contest after school on Thursday.

We closed our club meeting with the 4-H pledge led by Alan Busbice.

FRIONA SR. BOYS 4-H NEWS

Pete Carter, Reporter
Friona Senior 4-H boys met at school on Tuesday, September 24. Officers for the year were elected at this meeting. New officers are Larry Mabry, president; Jim Roy Wells, secretary; Craig Coon, vice-president; Pete Carter, reporter; and Charles Ray, pledge leader. The meeting was then turned over to Joe Jones, county agent. We talked about our projects of feed crops and the tour of these that will be held Saturday morning, October 5. Jones said that Bill Nichols would take slide pictures of every boy's crop and these would be shown at the awards program.

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LAZBUDDIE JR. BOYS 4-H NEWS

Rowland Barnes, Reporter
Lazbuddie Junior 4-H boys met Monday, September 23, at school. We elected officers at this meeting. Gary Mac Brown was elected president of the group; Hoppy Jennings, vice-president; D. H. Foster, secretary; Loyd Bradshaw, pledge leader; and Rowland Barnes, reporter. Joe Jones, county agent, showed us how to prepare grain sorghum heads for showing at the school fair. He also reminded us of the tour of 4-H crops to be held Saturday, September 28.

LAZBUDDIE SR. BOYS 4-H NEWS

James Brown, Reporter
Lazbuddie Senior boys met Monday, September 23, for the first meeting of the school year. They elected officers, and they are as follows: president, Richard Chitwood; vice-president,

Dr. B. R. Putman

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Committee Elected For County ASC

The county convention of ASC delegates last week resulted in the election of the following men for 1957:

Roy Euler, chairman; Archie Tarter, vice-chairman; Tom Beauchamp, committee member. Virgil Woodson and Carl Schlenker are alternates.

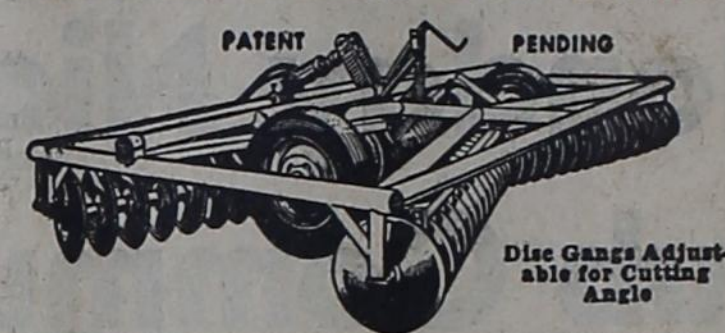
TOUR SUCCESSFUL

About 35 farmers made the tours of county farms sponsored

by the Parmer County Certified Seed Growers Association, last week. County Agent Joe Jones, who accompanied the group, said he felt the tour was successful.

State Chemist J. F. Fudge has reported that total tonnage of fertilizer sold during the spring of 1957 was about 5 percent higher than for the same periods in 1955 and 1956. The tonnage of mixed goods sold was 15,000 tons less than in 1956 but 35,000 more tons of material were sold in 1957.

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Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hromas, with their three children, Charlotte, 14; Galen, 7; and Bradley, 3; live about one mile north of Bovina in a 13-room, spacious brick home. Their farm includes 320 acres of fertile, slightly sloped irrigated land, on which Mr. Hromas produces milo, wheat, cotton, and corn.

The Hromas family is proud of their farm and home, and enjoy their country living.



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Mrs. Hromas is pictured with her electric washing machine and dryer, of which she is very proud.

Their home, in which they take much pride, is skillfully built. Mr. Hromas did all of the carpentering work being highly skilled in this trade. He wired the home with 32 circuits and 296 outlets, adequate for the many appliances they use to better their living.

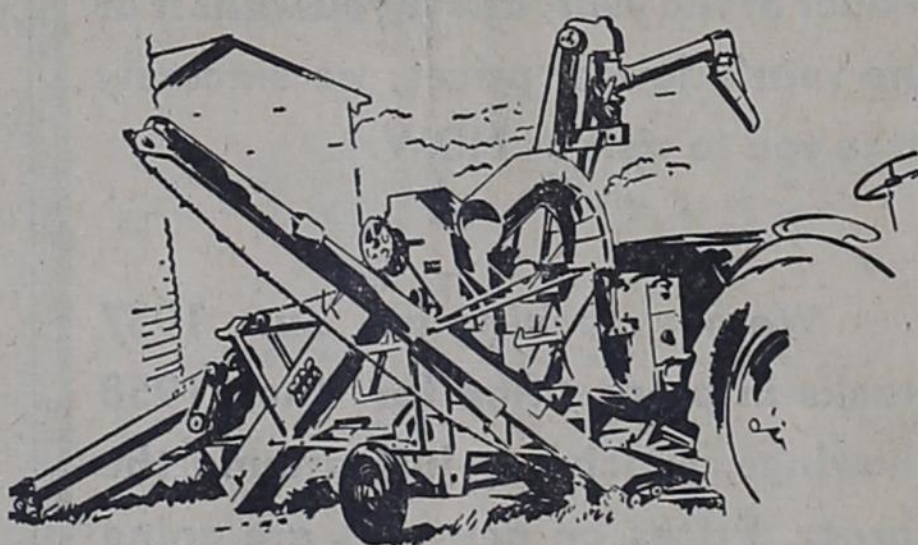
A deep freeze, an all electric kitchen, sewing machine, vacuum cleaner, iron, radios, a television set, and a modern pressure water system are included in other appliances.

Even though the Hromas family uses about twice as much electric power as the average family does, they consider their electrical conveniences as essential to more comfortable living. "Our electricity is our best buy," the Hromases say.

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COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE, PARMER COUNTY, TEXAS
 W. D.—Robert H. Schueler, Floyd R. Schueler, 1/2 int. in N. 320 A. Sec. 5, T1N, R2E.
 W. D.—George Green et ux, Joseph P. Ready, Lots 7 and 8, Blk 15, Friona.
 D. T.—Joseph P. Ready, Hi-Plains Savings and Loan—Lots 8 & 8, Blk 15, Friona.
 D. T.—Joseph P. Ready, George Green, Lots 7 & 8, Blk 15, Friona.
 W. D.—George W. McKinney, A. D. Smith, Co. Judge, Lots 4 & 5, Blk. 6, Bovina.
 D. T.—John Aldridge, et al, John Hancock Mutual Life, Lots 11, 12, 13, 14, 9, 10, 15 & 16, Sec. 44, Blk A., Syn.
 W. D.—Dennis Williams, A. F. Mann, NE4, Sec. 12, Blk B, Syn., exc. 2.86A.
 Assign.—H. Y. Overstreet, Magnolia Pet. Co., E2, Sur 9, T5S, R4E, Syn.
 Assign.—H. Y. Overstreet, Magnolia Pet. Co., SE4, Sur 16, T5S, R4E, Syn.
 Assign.—H. Y. Overstreet, Magnolia Pet. Co., E. 160 A. of S2 Sur 8, T5S, R4E.

O&G L.—G. W. Fleming, H. Y. Overstreet, SE4 Sur 16, T5S, R4E.
 O&G L.—J. P. Morrison, H. Y. Overstreet, E. 160 A. of S2 Sur 8, T5S, R4E.
 O&G L.—Bail Hill, H. Y. Overstreet, E2 Sur 9, T5S, R4E.
 W. D.—W. H. Moss et ux, E. H. Meeks, Lots 5, 6, 7 & 8, Blk 28, Farwell.
 O&G L.—B. O. Elder, Atlantic Ref. Co., NE4 Sur 18, T5S, R4E.
 D. T.—Charlie A. Turner, Frank A. Spring, Lots 5 & 6, Blk. 66, Friona.
 D. T.—Farwell Clinic, Inc., W. W. Vinyard, Sec Record.
 O&G L.—Bill and Gerald Jungman, Atlantic Refining Co., E2 Sur 3, T6S, R3E.
 W. D.—George McKinney, Western Warehouse, 46.6 A., Sec. 10, Blk E., Syn.
 D. T.—Charlie A. Turner et ux, Hi-Plains Savings & Loan, Lots 5 & 6, Blk. 66, Friona.
 D. T.—John Terry, Hi-Plains Savings & Loan, out of SE4, Sec. 31, T1N, R4E.
 Rent. D.—Sam Aldridge et al, Sunray Mid-Continent Oil Co., E2 Sec. 27, Syn., Blk A.
 W. D.—H. Y. Overstreet, Gene Hardage, Lot 2, Blk 32, Farwell.
 D. T.—Gene Hardage, F. F. S. & L. A., Lots 1 & 2, Blk 32, Farwell.
 W. D.—D. O. Rolland, Gene Hardage, Lot 1, Blk. 32, Farwell.



Eugene Boggess shows how he successfully beds up twin rows of grain sorghums for extra big yields. This is Texas 660 hybrid. The head development of this crop is not so handsome as some standard varieties, especially those planted at a lower seeding rate, but the number of them is amazing. Boggess hopes to hit 7,000 pounds or better with this milo.

Gins Requested To Withhold 20c For Promotion

Parmer County Cotton Growers Association, the local branch of Plains Cotton Growers Association, is again requesting that area ginners withhold 20 cents from each bale processed at their gin as a contribution to the program of the Plains Cotton Growers.

Another 20 cents for the National Cotton Council is requested for a nationwide program of research and promotion.

Plains Cotton Growers Association works for favorable legislation having to do with cotton grown on the Plains, favorable advertising for cotton as a desirable fabric, and for research in cotton marketing, growing, and spinning.

NEWS FROM THE FARM BUREAU

Monday night, October 7, at 8 p. m., Parmer County's 9th annual convention will get under way.

Cotton John, familiar publicity benefactor of agricultural people of West Texas, will contribute to the interest of the program by speaking. Everyone is invited and urged to attend, member or not. If you are not a member, we believe you will

want to be one when you see the way farm problems are discussed and finally presented to the larger delegation of Texas Farm Bureau and the National Farm Bureau.

We are sure there are few people who believe there should not be an organized voice for agricultural people. We believe Farm Bureau is the best and most powerful in the world. We base our opinion on the record which we think is conclusive and impressive.

Once again, we would like to urge users of farm fuels to respond to the notices sent from this office regarding the deadline for reclaiming five cents per gallon road tax on such fuels. Also, again we remind you wives that you can make these claims for your husband if he is too busy to do it himself. He will likely allow you fifty percent of the refund if you wish.

There are still plenty of "Scotch-Lite" stickers available here at the office. They are fine for the rear of bicycles as well as farm machinery, pickups, trucks and cars. We welcome you to pick up as many as you need.

Remember the convention this Monday night at the Hub Community Building. Renew your acquaintance with Cotton John.

Consider this: "The words of a talebearer are as wounds, and they go down into the innermost parts of the belly."

Positive action by families and entire neighborhoods can greatly reduce farm and home accidents. The harvest season is in full-swing, and warns the Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council, that means longer hours for farmers and their families, more highway travel with farm equipment and increased chances for accidents. Be safe by eliminating accident hazards.

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The clock of the English Houses of Parliament at Westminster cost \$110,000. The United States has 45 per cent of the total coal reserves of the world.

The U. S. Coast Guard was established January 28, 1915.

Double Rows Pose Production Rise

A fairly new twist in the hundreds tried by farmers over the Plains to get more from their farm production plant is double-row seeding. Some farmers regard it as a boon; others take a dim view.

One area farmer who has mastered the technique to perfection is Eugene Boggess, who farms southeast of Friona. Double-row planting is old hat to him and he's been doing it for years.

The idea behind planting two rows instead of one on top of the seed bed is elementary enough: get more plants and you get more yield. However, in practice it has its complications.

Boggess, who is a grower of certified seeds, is a careful farmer. One of the best examples of his technique with seed, soil and water is his field of 110 acres of Texas 660 hybrid.

Here, Boggess planted 10 pounds of seed per acre, but reduced the rate to "probably about eight pounds" with the use of rotary hoes necessary to get the crop up.

He planted May 16 following pre-irrigation, and watered the crop four times. Previous to planting, he applied 100 pounds of anhydrous ammonia. That was before he broke the land. This is the land's third year to grain sorghums.

Boggess executed the tricky planting phase with a drill, "Just like wheat except that I closed up two rows in the bottom furrow." The crop was bedded in 40-inch rows.

The Parmer County farmer is meticulous in getting a good stand and a stand free from weeds. To do this, he thinks nothing of planting over two or three times if that is required. He was fortunate this year, however, in getting a virtually weed-free crop with the first planting.

He rotary hoed twice and used an 18-inch sweep once, then came back with the sweeps the second time with a "fender" for opening water furrows. Once this was completed he got out of the crop—and stayed out.

"The secret to controlling weeds is to get the crop up soon enough to shade the ground," he says. That's not too easy with 660, which has less foliage than many varieties, but with

double-row planting, he got the job done.

Boggess usually lays by his crop five to six weeks after it's planted.

THE
H. D. AGENT'S CORNER
 Jimmie Lou Waincott

"This should net the producers of cotton on the Plains thousands of dollars this year, because of the higher grade and class which the humidifier brings out, and there is no difference in the grade here than when the same cotton is tested in more humid climates, where major cotton shipping points are located," Hartzog says.

Also included in the work of Plains Cotton Growers Association is striving to obtain a fair proportion of cotton acres for the West Texas grower.

Plains Cotton Growers Association made substantial contributions in financial support of the lawsuit initiated by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce to get additional acres allocated to this area, Hartzog says.

The 20 cents will not be deducted from farmers' cotton if the owner has objections, Hartzog says. But by each cotton producer's contributing the same amount per bale, an equal contribution is made by each farmer, in relation to the amount he produces.

The sum which gins withheld last year upon the producers' permission was 15 cents per

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In 1957 more than 800 Texas communities "did something about it." Two hundred and five of these were enrolled in the Rural Neighborhood Progress contests sponsored by the Agricultural Extension Service and the Farmer Stockman Magazine—Deadline for enrollment in the contest for '58 is December 31.

"Group action and interest achieved amazing results in communities that were on the verge of dying out," says Reagan Brown, extension rural sociologist, who assisted other extension personnel in planning with community leaders—"Individuals have different ideas about what is lacking in a community and what should be done about it. . . They need to pool and discuss ideas with others to agree on what solutions are worthy of effort."

Begin now to do something about your community. . . Talk to friends and neighbors. Discuss it with your county extension agents. There are bulletins available that give suggestions on how to proceed. Ask for a copy of the leaflet, "My Community, How Does It Look?"

A CHECK ON EATING HABITS ADVISED

Poor eating habits can result in many bodily disorders. Nervousness, night blindness, improper growth in children, skin irritations, tooth decay, and loss of weight and energy are just a few symptoms that may result.

Eating habits are something that most people talk about, but few do anything to improve.

A leaflet recently released by the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, L-352, "Are You A Good Eater," provides a standard by which we may measure our diet and eating habits. It lists the more important elements needed by the body and then gives food sources for each as well as some of the results of a deficiency in these foods.

Also contained in the leaflet is a Texas Food Standard by which a person's diet may be planned to give proper nutrition.

This leaflet is available from local county home demonstration agents or from the Agricultural Information Office in College Station.

Current information indicates the 1957 turkey crop will exceed last year's record output. Turkey prices during the first half of 1957 have averaged 15 percent below the same 1956 period while feed prices have increased one percent, says John McHaney, extension economist.

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"Indian summer" is back in the area this week, and few farmers are complaining, least of all, the cotton growers. With readings in the upper 80's, cotton bolls have been bursting like popcorn, to the delight of their owners.

Hand pulling is finally getting underway over the area, and most growers report harvest about two or three weeks behind normal. Early samples of hand-pulled cotton indicate that quality is high on the first part of the crop. The warm, dry weather will help lint, too.

Delay in harvesting has caused some dislocations of seasonal labor, but now that cotton is beginning to open rapidly, the demand for labor will continue strong so long as fair weather holds, cotton men report.

Farmers trying defoliant as ways of speeding up maturity of the later part of their crop have multiplied several times in numbers compared to previous years. Little use of desiccants is forecast, however.

As the season moved into October, growers began the yearly counting off of days until the first killing frost. Normally, a frost occurs about the second or third week in October. It was normal last year, and early in 1955.

Growers aver that if they are to receive benefit from the heavy loading the crop has done this year, they will of necessity have to have a later-than-normal freeze. Hence the counting off of the days. Cotton men are living on "borrowed time."

"Fair" This Friday

The second annual Lazbuddie "fair" will be Friday at the school. Participating will be boys and girls in 4-H, PFA, and FFA work in the community.

Lazbuddie Vo Ag Teacher Jack Black and County Agent Joe Jones are cooperating to work out details of the show. The show held last year was a big success, and plans are to make it an annual occasion.

On exhibit will be crops, vegetables, pigs, calves, and poultry produced by the boys, and home economics exhibits by the girls.

About 50 boys and girls participated in the show last year. Range judging is described as a practical method for teaching good range management by Extension Range Specialists A. H. Walker and G. O. Hoffman in a recent publication, B-864, "Do You Know Your Range?"

Copies of the bulletin may be obtained from local county agents or from the Agricultural Information Office, College Station, Texas.

SOIL CONVERSATION

"The Only Thing Left on This Place Is An Appetite!"



SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS



Sorghum is now being cut in Parmer SCD and will continue to increase in the next several weeks. Now is the time to consider what steps should be taken toward using these crop residues for soil improvement.

There are many factors that enter into soil fertility. One of the most important factors is the organic matter content.

The organic matter present in the soil directly affects the water-holding capacity of the soil. The small fragments of organic matter have the ability to hold up to ten times as much water as a soil particle the same size. Therefore any increase in organic matter content will increase the amount of water a soil can store.

This is extremely valuable to the dryland farmer who depends on water stored in the fall and winter to produce the next crop and to the irrigator who pre-irrigates. Crop production depends on the water stored in the soil.

Organic matter increases the water intake rate of the soil. During the process of decomposition of the organic matter, there is given off a glue-like substance. This substance tends to stick the soil particles together in small clumps called aggregates. A soil that is well aggregated will take water more rapidly than will a soil in poor condition. This is especially true in tighter soils.

To increase the permeability of a soil is helpful in this area where many of the rains fall in a short period of time. A well aggregated soil tends to resist both wind and water erosion. This resistance is due to the fact that several of the smaller particles are stuck together creating a larger aggregate which is not easily moved.

Organic matter increases the bacterial activity of the soil. An abundant supply of microscopic bacteria are necessary for plants to be able to use the nitrogen plant foods. The bacteria use decaying organic matter for food to supply the energy

required to change the nitrogen to a form that plants can use.

Bacteria are also helpful in the plants' utilization of phosphates by storing the phosphorus in their bodies to be released all during the growing season.

The number of bacteria in the soil is amazing. One gram of soil contains from 100,000 to several billion bacteria. This means that there are approximately 5,000 pounds per acre on dryland and 20,000 pounds or more per acre on irrigated land of these bacteria in our soils.

Without these bacteria working for us, our soils would be infertile. Any way we can increase the food supply of these bacteria will increase our soil fertility.

How can we increase our organic matter? The most economical way to supply this needed organic matter is by the efficient use of our sorghum and wheat residues, and by planting green manure crops. Shred these residues as soon as the sorghum is cut and apply a nitrogen fertilizer to the soil according to a soil analysis. Different soils require different amounts of commercial fertilizers and the soil analysis is the only accurate method to determine how much you should apply.

Ease of tillage is related to the organic matter content of the soil. Soils that are low in organic matter tend to pack and form clay pans and plow pans much more rapidly than soils high in organic matter. A packed soil reduces the infiltration of water and restricts root development of plants.

The addition of organic matter will not solve all of your fertility problems. It is a step in the right direction, however.

THE PARMER FARMER

BY W. H. GRAHAM JR.

Speculation about the probable price at which milo will be this year puts the figure in the \$1.40 to \$1.45 cwt. range, a discouraging price to producers. With the support price at only \$1.56, neither the loan price nor the market price appears favorable for the continued prosperity of area farmers who depend on this crop as their main source of income.

And grain sorghum is unsurpassed in importance to this area.

In conversation with an elevator owner-manager recently, we were told the following ways in which this low price could be disastrous to farmers.

Besides not making any profit on grain sorghum at this price, expenses of production will not be returned. The farmer's purchasing power will vanish.

But there are still other sour notes, it was pointed out. Bankers and lending agencies will not be able to loan production capital on a crop that is costing more to produce than it is bringing at the market.

When a farmer is in a situation of low support price and market value, it is similar to his being confronted by a hijacker who has a knife and a gun for weapons. What happens is that if the farmer runs, he gets shot, and if he stands still he is knifed.

Reasons for the plight were pointed out in another article, in last week's issue, "Grain

Sorghum Group Offers Betterment Plan to Farmers." The article dealt with a program adopted by the Grain Sorghum Producers Association of Parmer County. Also in that issue was found an advertisement about this program, which we are convinced merits the cooperation of grain sorghum producers.

By cooperating with the program growers will become members of the Parmer County Grain Sorghum Producers Association, which is fighting for better treatment of grain sorghums. Its president, Arlin Hartzog, tells us that a meeting will probably be held in the future, and each producer-member will have the opportunity to express his views through voice and vote.

Expressly, one of the methods the group operates is through lobbying. It is regrettable that steps like this must be taken to obtain recognition to farmers' problems in this area, but no alternative seems to exist.

With the great potential for feeding and clothing the nation that this area has, it does not seem logical that the national farm policy should be unfavorable to this area. We think it is time for the step-child treatment to stop.

Parmer County Cotton Growers Association has a similar program, one which would deduct 20 cents of each bale of a cooperating producer, for support of this group. On 100 bales—\$20. Through combined efforts, farmers in the area get the job done by telling cotton's story.

We recommend cooperation with both of these programs.

We put a circle on our calendar the other day to keep an accuracy check on Pete Braxton of Black Braxton predicts that the first 1957 frost is due, and will be here, October 8.

The longest forecast we will give is a one minute period, but just for the sake of argument, we told Braxton the date would be October 11. But agreed that either date would be far too early for the good of all concerned.

We understand that grain sorghum acreage is greater in the corn belt than ever before, which certainly does not contribute anything beneficial to this area, although this area has a decided advantage over the corn belt in producing grain sorghum.

This may sound as though it is based on "It all depends upon whose oxen is gored."

But here is where the USDA policy, already in effect before Benson's era, shows considerable discrepancy. We in West Texas are told that our low acreage history on cotton keeps us from being allocated more acres.

Well, up in the corn belt, grain sorghum is being grown somewhat extensively, and that area doesn't have much grain sorghum history. Let them grow corn, and we Parmer County farmers grow grain sorghum.

Providing the price of grain sorghum is low there—lower than the support price of corn—

1/4 teaspoon baking powder
1/4 teaspoon baking soda
1 teaspoon cinnamon
1/4 teaspoon cloves
1/4 teaspoon mace
1/2 teaspoon allspice
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 cup thick applesauce
1 1/2 cup pecans

Cream together shortening and sugar; add honey and molasses; cream thoroughly. Add eggs one at a time, beating after each. Sift together flour, baking powder, baking soda, cinnamon, cloves, mace, allspice, and salt.

Add alternately with applesauce to creamed mixture. Add chopped pecans, mix well. Pour into greased pan 9 by 5 by 3 inches. Bake at 350 degrees for 1 1/2 hours. Wrapped in wax paper this moist rich cake keeps well for ten days to two weeks.

This cake may also be baked in two layers and iced with your favorite icing.

Did you know that glue that is too hard or too thick may be made usable by pouring a little vinegar into the bottle and shaking well?

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"Make hay while the sun shines" is an expression most of us have heard all our lives. The modern version of it is, "People who get ahead in the world are those who make hay whether the sun shines or not."

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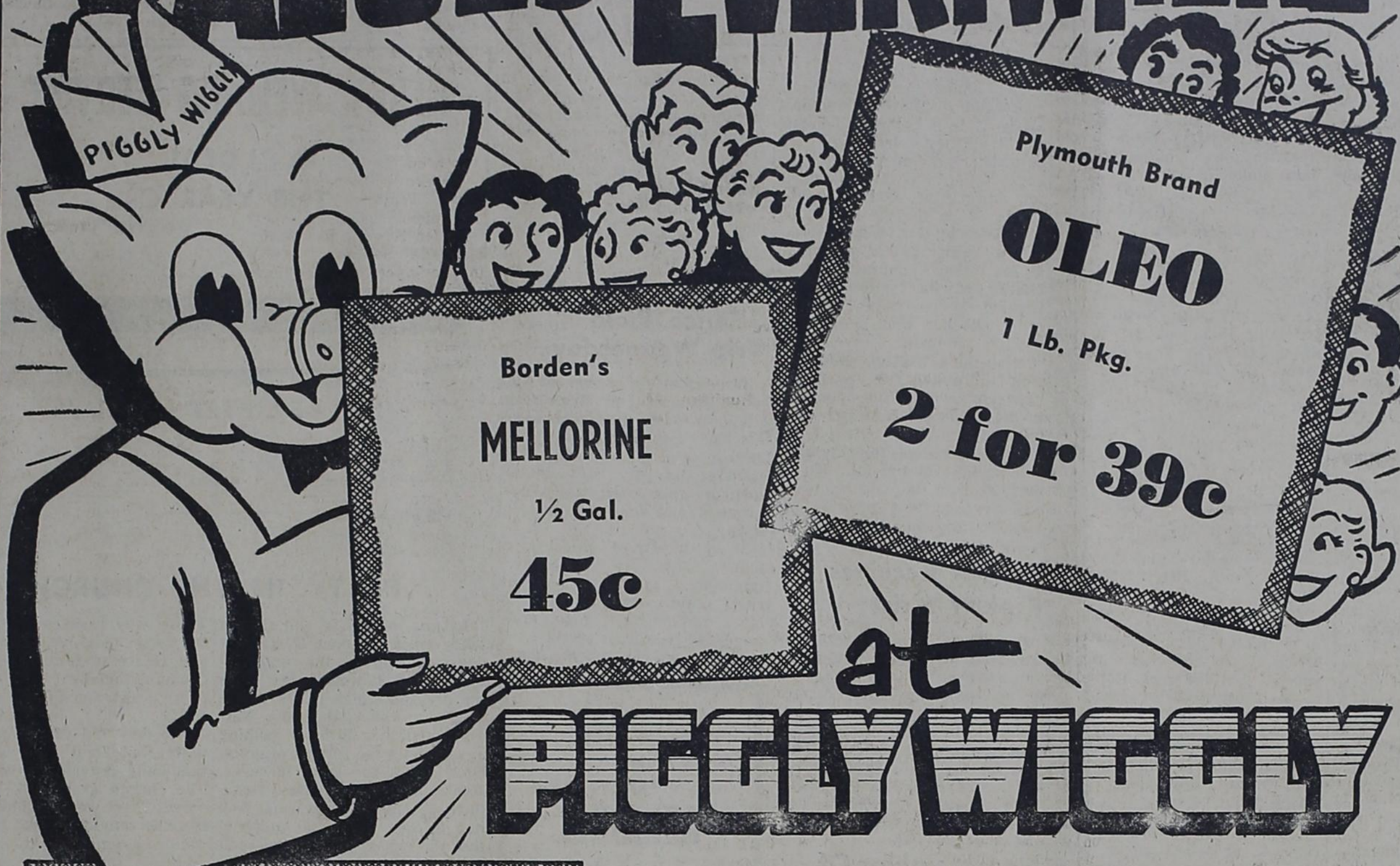
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Boy Scouts To Cannon Air Force Base Saturday

Fifteen members of the local Boy Scouts and three adults went to Clovis Saturday, September 21 for a tour of Cannon Air Force Base. They were among over 200 boys from the area to tour the base and some of the planes.

Two boys from Bovina, Ken Horn and Wendol Davies, entered the district swimming contest which was held at the base.

Others also went swimming and all ate at the base.

Boys from Bovina making the tour were Sammy Pounds, Tally Kelso, Roy Dodson, Phillip Lloyd, Bobby Gonzales, Rocky Barber, Eugene Conly, Jimmie Wright, Jerry Wright, Butch Wolton, Bobbie Ellison, Buddy Turner, Lynn Hudson, Davies and Horn.

Going with the boys were J. W. Wright, Jack Wolton and Pete Davies.

Distemper is commonly considered a form of influenza.

WANT ADS

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Plans are in the making for the opening of the new Educational Building at the Methodist Church soon. The date for the open house will be announced in the Blade next week. The Methodist people of the Bovina community are anxious for their friends to see the building and visit with them on this happy occasion. Watch for the announcement next week.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank everyone for their visits, cards and many kind deeds during my recent illness. Your thoughtfulness will always be remembered.

Mrs. Charlie Gray 15-1tc

Rummage Sale Is Held Each Saturday

The annual rummage sale, sponsored by Bovina Woman's Study Club, is being held in the C. R. Elliott building each Saturday. A member of the civic organization reports that plans for a rack of clothing to be displayed on the street will be completed by this week.

Mrs. Frank Pesch, chairman of the finance committee, is in charge of the sale. Anyone wishing to contribute clothing may call her and a member will pick it up.

Mrs. Buck Ellison, president, would also like to express the appreciation of the members to those who have already contributed.

An annual event, the rummage sale is held in the fall. Money derived from the sale this year will be used to complete payments on the club house.

Students Take Science Field Trip Wednesday

Wednesday afternoon of last week, students of Mrs. Hazel Rigdon's fourth grade class took a science field trip. Divided into groups of two and, with Mrs. Rigdon and Mrs. Roy Fuller, took a walk over the school grounds and the west part of town.

Many kinds of seeds were found, such as "sail-away," tumbling, jumping, "steal-a-ride," and seeds carried by birds and animals. Also, milkweed and beargrass seeds.

A total of 38 students made

Farmer Receives Broken Wrist

A minor accident with the truck lift at Shirley Grain Elevator caused injury to the wrist of an Oklahoma Lane farmer Tuesday of last week.

Paul Winegeart suffered a broken left wrist while his truck was on the grain dumping lift. He was taken to Farwell Clinic Tuesday night, where a cast was put on his arm.

New Members of School Staff Are Honored

New teachers and school employees were honored Monday evening with a get-acquainted supper in the school cafeteria. Sixty-four teachers, school board members, custodians, office workers, cafeteria workers and their families were present.

Warren Morton, school sup-

intendent, gave a welcoming address. Wendol Christian, chairman of the school board, spoke briefly on the community's appreciation of teachers and what schools stand for in the community.

The meal, prepared by the cafeteria staff and served by the wives of the school board members, featured Johnny Marzetti casserole, lima beans, congealed green salad, hot rolls, coffee, cherry cobbler and ice cream.

The informal social was to welcome and introduce new members of the school staff. Introductions were made with each person introducing, and telling "something nice" about the individual seated to his right. Games were also played during the evening.

Also, Thomas Diaz, Raymond Drager, Mario Espinoza, Margie Fuller, David Garrett, Lupe Garza, Cindy Gauntt, Ronnie Vaughn, Joyce Weatherread and Jamelka, Linda Johnson, Del-

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UNITY IN THE CHURCH

Let us notice in our lesson today what the New Testament says concerning the unity of the Church. It would seem from the division which exists in the religious world, that the New Testament has little or nothing to say about the subject of unity. Such is not the case, however. Men cannot go to the New Testament seeking to know what God has to say about the unity of the Church without being impressed with the fact that this subject is of supreme importance.

In the first place, Christ discusses the subject of unity, which fact within itself demonstrates the importance of it, for the Master Teacher never dealt with trivial or unimportant matters. In Jn. 17:20-23 we find His attitude toward the unity of all believers. First we notice that this prayer for unity is of universal scope. It includes all "who shall believe on me through the word." This includes all who are striving to serve God today. The object of this prayer is "That they may all BE ONE; even as Thou, Father, art in me, and I in Thee, that they may be one in us." The ultimate effect of this unity is "that the world may believe that Thou didst send me."

I have known of men who would read this prayer of our Lord, and then still have the presumptuousness to "thank God for the division which exists in the religious world today." Such a one does not have the mind of Christ, for he is glorying in something which Jesus prayed might not exist. Let no man thank God that there are so many churches, unless he is thankful that the prayer of Christ has not been answered.

Those who respect the will of the Lord should promote UNITY and refuse to foster or further denominationalism or division of any sort among believers in Christ.

Not only did Christ pray for unity, but Paul also demands that unity prevail. (1 Cor. 1:10) The church at Corinth was divided. They were divided much like the religious world today. Some of them were wearing the names of men. Some today are wearing the names of men. Paul said that this is wrong. "Now I beseech you, brethren, by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that ye all speak the same thing, and there be no division among you; but that ye be perfectly joined together in the same mind and in the same judgment."

Friends, are all of the religious sects today speaking the same things? Are they divided? Are they joined perfectly together? If the answer is no, then someone is wrong. Either it is the inspired man of God, or those today who would promote division, and teach that Christ does not want His church to be unified. Paul says that if we are divided then we are carnal. (1 Cor. 3:3) But he tells us also in the Roman letter, chapter 8:6 that to "be carnally minded is death." Remember friends, it is your soul that you are trifling with when you refuse to hear the word of God.

Now do not mistake what I am saying. I do not believe or teach that we are the only church. I believe and teach that Christ has only one church, and that we of the church of Christ are striving to be that church. Bovina Church of Christ

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