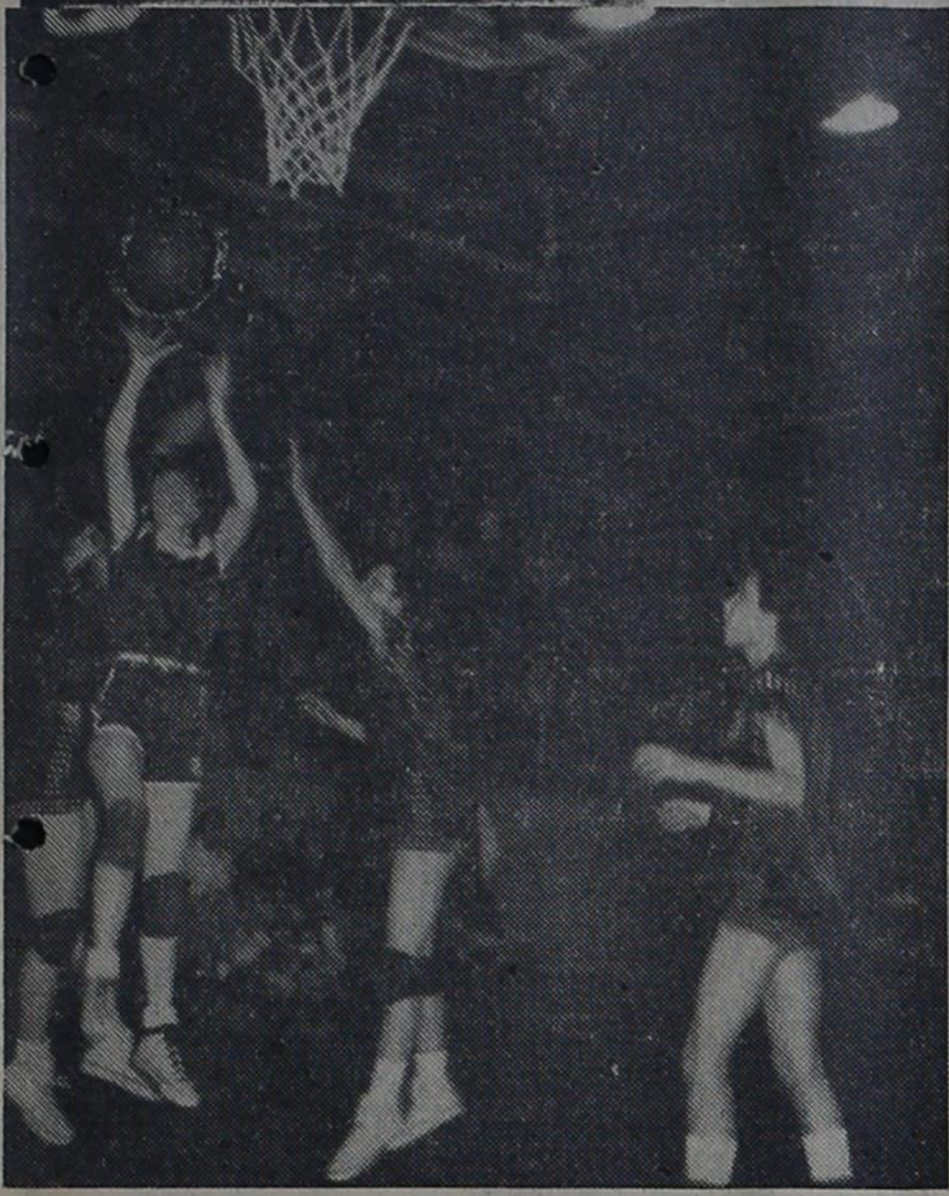


FILLIES DISTRICT, BI-DISTRICT CHAMPS



TWO MORE FOR THE FILLIES — Janice Richards, leading scorer of the Fillies-Happy game last Friday night in Dimmitt, is caught by the camera as she scores two points for the Fillies on a crisp shot, the style she uses for most of her scoring.

The Bovina Fillies Tuesday night cinched the bi-district championship title in Sudan against their opponent of District 4-B, Spade.

Accuracy at the free throw line, coupled with flashing action on the floor enabled the Fillies to down Spade 49-42, before a frantic crowd of about 1,000 persons.

The bi-district win came after the Fillies settled the score against Happy of district 3-B for the district Championship.

As the Fillies donned the title of district and bi-district champions, they opened the road to further basketball conquests, with the next step of the ladder being in Canyon Friday night at 8:15. The Fillies will then meet the winner of districts 15 and 16, either Divide or Loraine, who played last night.

FILLIES 44, HAPPY 38

The Fillies conquered the dames of Happy last Friday night at Dimmitt in a playoff of a tie that developed when Happy edged the Fillies during the 3-B District Tournament.

In settling the tie, Janice Richards supplied 19 of the Fillies points to lead the scoring, while long-shot artist Nancy Cumpton scored 16 points. Joan Kay Ezell rounded out the scoring with nine points.

Extreme accuracy in both free throws and shots from the floor paid off with the win over Happy by the widest margin of the four games the two opponents played.

The Fillies free throw percentage was 47, and 45 percent of the field goal tries swished the basket for two points. Kay Leake, after a three quarter plus effort, left the game with five fouls, and Nita Estes, Kay Hartzog, Lexie Stevenson and Celia Berry rounded out the defensive end of the court.

Scores by quarters for Bovina were 10, 16, 9 and 9, while Happy scored 8, 8, 7 and 15.

The Fillies netted 18 fouls. Happy was penalized 14 fouls.

FILLIES 49 - SPADE 42

It was a neck-to-neck race for the Bovina Fillies in the cage contest with Spade

Tuesday night until crack rebounding by the defenders for Bovina fed the ball to the forwards for three field goals while Spade scored one free throw.

Then with the last quarter minutes running out, free throw accuracy by Bovina proved costly to Spade as the margin widened at one time to nine points, with Bovina the leader.

The first quarter ended with a 9-9 tie; the halftime tie was 20-20. A scoring spurt in the third quarter paced the Fillies five points ahead, 32-27.

However, Spade's six foot plus star forward managed to sink 28 points for the high scoring position.

Nancy Cumpton, with a heavy trade of free throws made good was high scorer for the Fillies with 18 points. Janice Richards scored 17, and Joan Kay Ezell scored 14 points.

The Fillies scored 16 out of 47 attempted field goals for 34 percent and 17 out of 25 free throws for 68 percent accuracy at the foul line.

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The Blunt Edge

By LELAND BOYD

SPORTING BLOOD

It is a thrill to observe Bovina basketball fans in action, as well as the Bovina basketball teams.

The particular times referred to are the recent games at Dimmitt and Sudan. In fact, if a valid comparison be made, seeing the fans is almost as interesting as viewing the game itself.

Not that the supporters of a team are awesome or particularly amusing, but it appears there is more to a sport than an opposing set of players. First, if the sport is for the purpose that sports were developed, spectators are needed. The royalty of ancient times, with nothing to do but live and rule, is said to have started contests of skill to furnish entertainment for their leisure time. So remember that the next time you can watch a sport that you are having a luxury fit for a king. However, there is no real need for this sporting town to encourage support of the local competitor.

WATCH THIS

Sports as we see them in local schools are a pageant of the achievements of a team. Football has the limelight for being unsurpassed for the glory it compels and basketball for the tenseness of the split-second importance during a close-scoring game. But from all the enjoyment that you can get from watching the teams in action, take about a minute during some game, and watch the spectators. You might see the sister or mister down the street who never gets excited, jumping up and down, and shouting at the top of his breath to express support of the Fillies or Mustangs.

DECLINE BASEBALL

The past master of the left column of the Bovina Blade was fond of sports, it appears, especially if sports happened to be baseball. However, he lamented and predicted on one occasion that the National Sport was declining in interest. There is no lamenting by the Blunt Edge of the Bovina Blade about baseball's fading into the shadows. When you consider that a sport must offer the spectator excitement, and a rapid momentum of interest, it is logical that baseball should be at least second in interest to another sport. The Blunt Edge recommends that a national election be held to determine the sport desired, and then spectators would be more pleased.

HERE'S THE ONE

For the persons who desire pure competition in sport, look to track and field events. There is no chance for the official to influence the outcome of the contest. And that is something that the other important sports are lacking in. It is really enjoyable to see pure competition dashing down the track, or wielding strength against strength. Like baseball, track could stand some pepping up, but it rates above it with the Edge.

Incidentally, Coach Bob Willis' Mustangs have begun their (Continued on Last Page)

Fifteen Indictments Made by Grand Jury

Fifteen indictments were returned by the Parmer County grand jury, called to session by District Judge E. A. Bills Monday at the courthouse in Farwell.

The grand jury came in at an appropriate time to pave the way for "housecleaning" at the county jail, which was holding 10 prisoners awaiting legal action.

In each instance of indictment, a plea of guilty is anticipated, hopes Sheriff Chas. Lovelace, and non-injury criminal trials are scheduled in Judge Bills' court Thursday of this week.

Frank Sena, 21, and Billy Beeson, 27, of Clovis were indicted for armed robbery of Roberson's Shamrock Service Station in Farwell on December 18. They also were indicted for burglary of the Loren Thompson residence in Lariat on December 16.

Beeson was picked up in Clovis and Sena in Vaughn. Tono Guana, 21, Vaughn, and Sena and Beeson were indicted for armed robbery of the Gaines & Smith Texaco Station in Friona the night of December 19.

Then, Beeson and Delfino Lopez, 26, Clovis, were indicted for holding up Bob Bolton at the Bagley No. 2 station in Farwell on October 9. All of the preceding men had been lodged in jail before this week.

Guadalupe Pearce, 20, San (Continued on Last Page)

March Is Red Cross Month

Mrs. Margaret Caldwell, Bovina chairman of Red Cross, announces that the annual drive for Red Cross Funds is being planned for March, in conjunction with the nation-wide emphasis on Red Cross support during the month.

No definite dates for the drive have been set, and Mrs. Caldwell is seeking workers to help with the 1958 drive. She asks that anyone who would be willing to assist contact her.

FFA Show, Banquet Honor Top Projects

Top projects of the Bovina FFA Chapter were selected Saturday during the third annual Project Show of the chapter and prizes and ribbons were presented to the winners at a parent-sponsor banquet that night.

Five men were presented Honorary Chapter Farmer degrees for participation and cooperation with the FFA Chapter.

Placing in the Project Show are as follows:

Sid Killough and Roger Ezell placed first and second, respectively, in the broiler division.

Killough won first, Mike Baraza second, Arnold Kriegel third and Ferman Kelso fourth in the hen division.

Mike O'Hair's Berkshire boar placed first in that division with Don Bandy's Hampshire boar placing second.

Killough was awarded another first place for a Hampshire-Poland China sow. Bandy was second with a Hamp, James Stevens was third with a Poland China, Bandy fourth with another Hampshire, and Donald Jones' Duroc sow was fifth.

James Clayton exhibited a Shorthorn heifer as the only animal in that division for first place.

Stevens' Shorthorn cow placed first in that division over a Jersey exhibited by John Lorenz for second place.

Baraza's two Hampshire barrows won first and second place in the barrow division, followed by Jackie Turner, O. W. Adams, Larry Webb, and Delbert Hall. All of the barrow entries were Hampshires.

Places in the gilt division went to Bandy, first; O'Hair, second and fourth; Jones, third; Doyle Wassom, fifth; and Edmond Drager, sixth.

Bandy exhibited two sows with litters in that division for first and second places.

Prizes of \$5, \$3, \$2, \$1 were presented to the owners of the entries of the show for first,

second, third and fourth respectively, with \$1 being presented to all entries.

Making the presentation at the banquet was Henry Minter, secretary of the Bovina Lions Club, sponsor of the show.

Duane Rea, president of the Bovina FFA Chapter, was toastmaster at the event, which 85 parents, members and guests attended. The banquet was in the school cafeteria.

Awards of Honorary Chapter Farmer degrees were presented to Bedford Caldwell, Henry Minter, and J. W. Wright, in appreciation of their cooperation as presidents of the Bovina Lions Club during the three years which the club has sponsored the show.

Also honored with the degrees were Warren Morton, superintendent, and Dolph Moten, former Bovina Blade editor.

Morton's degree was presented with appreciation for his encouragement and cooperation with the chapter, and Moten's for providing publicity for the chapter's activities.

J. T. Hammonds was speaker at the banquet. His speech dealt with the need for pioneering by future farmers to find better ways of doing things. "You need to be an odd ball, instead of the ordinary person," he said.

He cited examples of "odd

WEATHER

by

WILLIE

This is the most freakish weather I can remember since coming to the Panhandle, but will be nice and warm this weekend.

—Willie

J. D. Stevens Announces JP Candidacy

J. D. Stevens announces this week that he is a candidate for Justice of Peace of the new office for Bovina, Precinct Three.

Stevens farmed until four years ago about 14 miles north of Bovina in the Rhea community. Since moving to Bovina he has operated a store one year, and is presently bus driver for Bovina Schools.

Stevens has lived in Parmer County for 27 years, and is a Democrat.

In announcing his candidacy Stevens says, "I will devote time to the office as it will take to perform the duties of the office and will seek to serve the people to the best of my ability if elected."

Seniors Begin Play Practice

Warren Morton, superintendent of Bovina Schools, reports the casting of characters for the annual senior play is complete. Practice, both at night and during the day, was begun last week and will be held "every night available," says Morton.

The play, a farce-comedy in three acts, is titled "The Perfect Idiot" and will be presented Friday, March 21, at 8 p.m. in the school auditorium. Sponsors of the senior class this year are Bobby and Evangeline Wills.

Money derived from the sale of tickets will be used to finance the senior trip, which will be taken shortly before school closes in May.

Moten Editor At Olton

Former publisher of The Bovina Blade, Dolph Moten, is now editor of the Olton Enterprise.

Moten reported to The Blade last week that his job is wholly news gathering and writing, and that his first impression of the job is favorable.



BILL LITSCHER, MANAGER

Establish New Carpet Company

A new business, The G-W Carpet Company, is among the firms of Bovina this week after the manager arrived to begin the business.

The company is a branch of The Great Western Company, that opened its doors in Bovina last November.

The company's manager is Bill Litscher, who will supervise the activities of the firm. Litscher, formerly from Milwaukee, Wis., has been credit manager of a supply house in

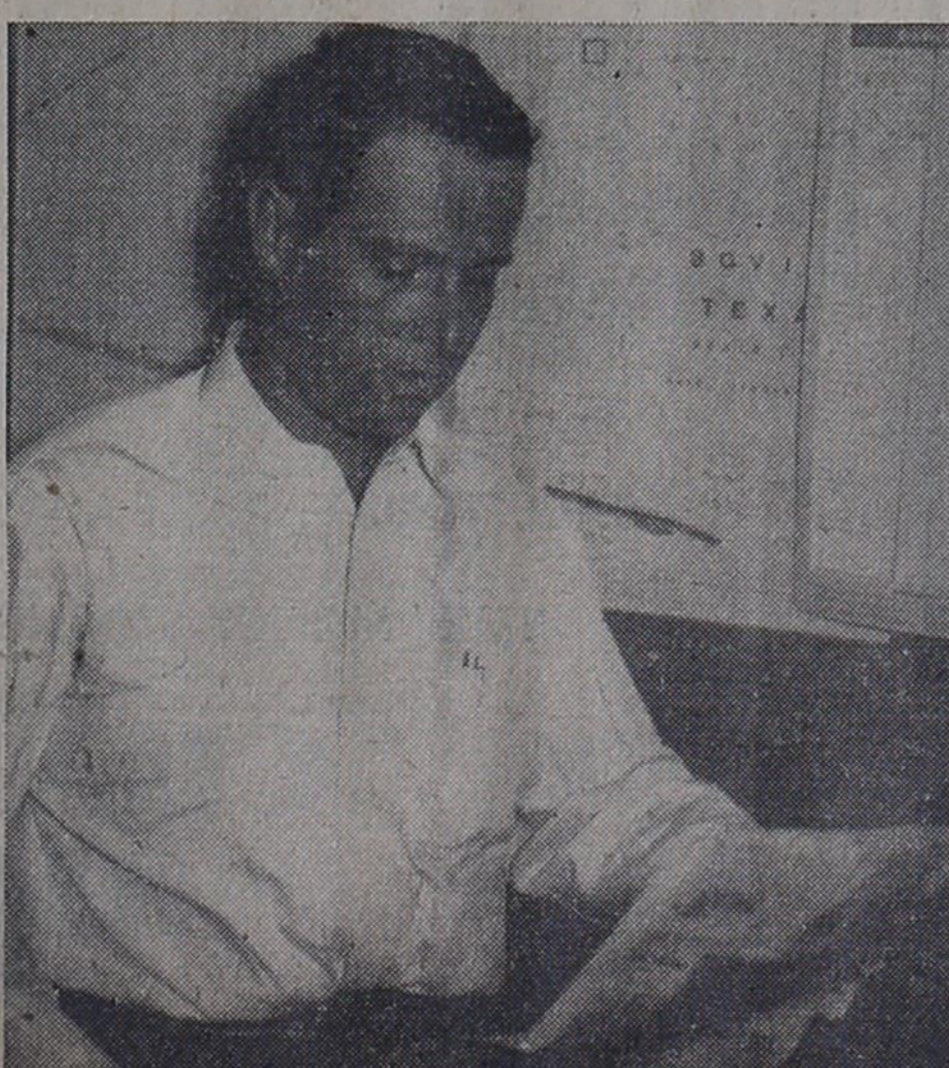
the Wisconsin city. Owner of the company is Louis Marot of the Great Western Company.

"I have been including carpeting as one part of the Great Western Company. But the time that this phase of the business has required demanded that a separate division be made to care for carpeting," Marot says. The company has another employee besides Litscher. He is Bill Rochelle.

Litscher plans for his family, including three children, to join him in Bovina in the near future.

Support the Fillies! Let's go to state!

These Three and One More Enter Mayor's Race



J. E. SHERRILL JR., INCUMBENT

Four Men In Mayor's Race

Names of four men of Bovina will be listed on the ballots for April 1, as citizens of the town cast votes for mayor for a two-year term.

Candidates are incumbent mayor, J. E. Sherrill Jr., who is finishing a two-year term; H. J. Charles, Louis A. Marot, and Hubert D. Ellison.

Mayor J. E. Sherrill Jr. has ordered the election, with the poll to be in the American Legion Hall.

Two of the candidates, Ellison and Charles, are listed in the race due to a petition. The petition is one by which a candidate can enter the race, which requires six signatures.

Until the day before the filing was to close, incumbent Sherrill was the lone candidate.

Qualifications for filing for election include six month's residence in the town, and the candidate must have paid his poll tax.



LOUIS A. MAROT, CANDIDATE



HARRY J. CHARLES, CANDIDATE



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THE SONSHIP OF CHRIST

One of the most common forms of infidelity found in the world and taught among the people today is denial of the divinity of Jesus...

Jesus said "With men this is impossible; but with God all things are possible" (Matt. 19:26).

Satan planted into Judas Iscariot his own seed before Jesus was betrayed. Hear Luke as he states "Then entered Satan into Judas surnamed Iscariot, being of the number of the twelve and he went his way, and communed with the chief priests and captains, how he might betray him unto them" (Lk. 22:34).

ter the promise of Jehovah, all came to pass. Could this have been by chance? The seed of woman was fulfilled in Mary who was told by the angel "And, behold, thou shalt conceive in thy womb, and bring forth a son, and shall call his name Jesus" (Lk. 1:31).

Thursday a moving picture film will be shown. Titled "Missions in the Homeland," the film and accompanying talks will be given under the direction of Mrs. Ovid Lawlis. A study of the book which is the theme of the week's study will also be led by Mrs. Lawlis.

Jesus when accused of being born of adultery said "Ye are of your father, the devil, and the lusts of your father ye will do" (Jno. 8:44).

Mrs. Wilson Is Honored Guest Of Birthday Club

Mrs. Mary Jane Wilson was honored guest at a social given Friday night by the Bovina Birthday Club.

Members attending were Mrs. Jewel Tabor, Mrs. Pat Sherrill, Mrs. Levens, Mrs. Pat Read, Mrs. Jack Berggren, Mrs. Ola Lea Jones, Mrs. Lucille Walling, Mrs. Lula White, Mrs. Lillian Barber, Mrs. Opal Mahan, the honoree and hostess.

WMU Has Week Of Prayer Programs

Members of the First Baptist Church are holding Week of Prayer services daily this week.

Tonight, (Wednesday) the meetings are to begin at 7 p.m. Members of the Young Woman's Auxiliary will be in charge of the group meetings.

Members of the Friendly Circle Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met Thursday evening in the annex of the church for a regular social.

Paper Employees Honor Leland Boyds

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Boyd of Bovina were guests of honor at an informal get-together for employees of The State Line Tribune, The Bovina Blade, and The Friona Star Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Getz in Farwell.

Married February 14, the couple is making their home in Bovina where Boyd is editor-publisher of The Bovina Blade.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Dave Reynolds of Friona, Mrs. W. H. Graham Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Ted Magness and Kim, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Clendenen, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Goldsmith, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Terrell, Miss Laurie Cooper, and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Graham Jr.

TO CONFERENCE

Mrs. P. A. Adams went to Lubbock Friday to attend a conference on missions of the District Nine Baptist Churches.

The two men presented plans for a school of missions program which will be carried out in all churches of the district during November.

Party Surprises Mrs. Campbell

A surprise party, honoring Mrs. A. V. Campbell on her birthday, was last Thursday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Williams.

Refreshments of birthday cake, assorted nuts and coffee were served. The cake was decorated with white, trimmed in pink and green.

SS Class Has Social Thursday

Members of the Friendly Circle Sunday School Class of the First Baptist Church met Thursday evening in the annex of the church for a regular social.

The evening's events were opened with a quiet devotional, given by Mrs. Al Kerby, followed by various games and visiting.

Among those attending were Mrs. Bobby Englant, Mrs. Benard, Mrs. Glen Ritchie, Mrs. D. T. King, Mrs. Johnny Wilborn, Mrs. Kenneth Horton, Mrs. Bill Lane, Mrs. Roy Whisler and Mrs. Glenn Kelley.

IN HOSPITAL

Mrs. W. E. (Eunice) Thornton was admitted to Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona Wednesday night of last week.

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Den Three Has First Meeting

Nine boys, between the ages of 8 and 10, met Wednesday afternoon of last week for the first regular meeting of Cub Scout Den Three.

Also, the Den Mothers introduced the Cub Scout project for the month of March. The theme will be Alaska, and plans are to make typical Alaskan handicrafts and study the land and people.

Boys attending the meeting included Carl Odom, Gregory Mahan, Eddi Corn, Lynn Murphy, Dean Stanberry, Kevin Blake, Kerry Mack Clark and Billy Marshall.

With Mother

Guests in the home of Mrs. Elsie Block Saturday evening were her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Patton and son, Johnny, and Paul, of House, N. M.

Returns Home

Mrs. J. R. Glover returned home Wednesday of last week. She had been visiting in Truth or Consequences, N. M., for about three weeks.

To Begin Study

Members of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church and the Wesleyan Service Guild will begin a study Tuesday evening, March 18, in the parlor of the Methodist Church.

The study, titled "The Gospel According to St. Mark," will be led by Mrs. W. R. Beard. Meetings will begin at 7:30 each Tuesday evening for the next seven weeks.

To Arizona

P. A. Adams left Friday afternoon for Roll, Ariz., where he will visit with relatives for several days.

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From Amarillo

Mrs. Lucy Wilson returned home Friday from an extended visit in Amarillo. She has been a guest in the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Byler, for the past several months.

From West Texas

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Amos Steelman over the weekend were their daughter, Evelyn Joyce and her roommate, Miss Alby Keeler.

To Lubbock

Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Williford were overnight guests in the home of their nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Afton Williford of Lubbock, Monday of last week.

Returns Home

Mrs. Elsie Block returned home Friday from a visit in Olton. Gone about two weeks, Mrs. Block was a guest of relatives, among them, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Fent of Olton and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Crandall of Plainview.

In White Home

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Odis White last week were his aunt and uncle from Eric, Okla. Visiting overnight Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Zack Funderberg.

CONGRATULATIONS

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Willis became the parents of a son, Robert Stinson, Thursday February 27. The baby was born at Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona and weighed 8 pounds, 6 ounces.

To Hereford

Mr. and Mrs. Benard Nelson and children were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Willis of Hereford. The occasion was a birthday dinner for the Nelsons' daughter, Linda.

Ketch-all Corner By Sally Whitesides

One of Mother's favorite sayings is "A cluttered closet discloses a housekeeper with a cluttered mind."

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IT'S LIKE MONEY IN THE BANK!

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column, Thursday afternoon. Isn't it amazing what will accumulate over a period of say, a month, in a room that hasn't been systematically cleaned?

One thing nice about housecleaning day, though, I usually find the extra change which has been "dropped" from time to time.

Isn't it wonderful to have someone do something just for you? Last Sunday, I suffered all day with minor aches and pains of a cold, "don't want to's" and a grand case of martyr-itis because of the cold.

Turned out that we went out to the Alton Wylys—just for a

few minutes. Only then did I find out that the party she was having that evening was in honor of my birthday.

To top it off, Helen was a very gracious hostess—she put only one candle on the cake and didn't even put a question mark after it.

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Society

SALLY WHITESIDES, Editor

Study Club Makes Plans For Annual Friendship Night

Plans for the annual Friendship Night were discussed by members of the Bovina Woman's Study Club Thursday afternoon when they met in the club house. The social affair will be Thursday, March 13, in the club house and guests will be members of surrounding clubs.

Mrs. Mary Ruth Martin, chairman of the social committee, will be in charge of the salad supper. Guests will be from Farwell, Texico, Eriona, Sudan and Muleshoe Woman's Clubs.

The meeting Thursday was opened with the reading of the club collect. Mrs. Reagan Looney, vice president, presided in the absence of the president, Mrs. Buck Ellison. Mrs. Looney read a letter expressing the appreciation of the Junior Chamber of Commerce for the club's participation in the recent March of Dimes drive.

Plans for the Federation Day were announced. The meeting will be April 21. The date was changed from the Thursday prior to the date as a convenience of the guest for the day.

Visiting the local club for the Federation Day program will be Mrs. A. J. House of Yoakum, State Federation president. Plans call for her to speak on the federation of woman's clubs in Texas at the meeting.

Mrs. J. R. Caldwell, Mrs. Rouel Barron and Mrs. Looney were in charge of the program for the afternoon. The subject was "Texas Day," an annual program presented in the spring to acquaint the members with interesting people and events in Texas history.

The program was begun with the group saying the pledge of allegiance to the flag, followed by an introductory talk by Mrs. Looney. Mrs. Caldwell spoke on "The Brush Arbor Camp Meetings" and "The Circuit Riders." Much of her talk, she said, came from her own memory of the meetings and the ministers who went from place to place. Mrs. Caldwell described in detail the building of the brush arbor, in which the revival services were held; the cooking and living arrangements for the people who came from miles around to attend and the hardships with which they had to contend.

At the meetings, Mrs. Caldwell continued, there were usually three meetings a day, and often, each meeting was held as long as three hours. Mrs. Caldwell also brought out the fact that circuit riders, for the most part, were ministers of

Methodist faith. These men would make the circle of homes, communities and small towns, preaching in each for perhaps a week or so. Their battles with the elements were told in detail by Mrs. Caldwell.

Mrs. Barron spoke on "Texas Personalities." In her talk, she told of the fight of each person, from a lowly beginning, through hardships and strife, to final success. Some of the famous Texans whom she used in illustration were Clare Booth Luce, John Nance Garner and Jesse Jones.

Mrs. Looney was in charge of a musical "sing-song" which followed. Mrs. D. C. Looney, her daughter-in-law, was a guest for the day and played several songs about Texas on the piano. The members of the club gathered around the piano for group singing.

Hostesses for the day were Mrs. Billie Sudderth and Mrs. A. E. Steelman. They served cherry pie topped with whipped cream, salted nuts and coffee. The table was laid with an ecru lace cloth and was graced with a centerpiece of replicas of peace roses, handmade by Mrs. Steelman.

Others attending were Mrs. Troy Fuller, Mrs. E. C. Berry, Mrs. Bud Crump, Mrs. Ovid Lawlis, Mrs. L. H. Pesch, Mrs. Earl Stevenson, Mrs. E. H. Moody, Mrs. J. P. Macon, Mrs. Clarence Jones, Mrs. Caldwell, Mrs. Looney, Mrs. Barron and the guest, Mrs. D. C. Looney.

"42" Party In Rogers Home

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Rogers were hosts recently to a "42" party for their friends. Games of progressive "42" were played and refreshments of Spudnuts topped with whipped cream, coffee and punch were served.

Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Readhimer, Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dodson and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Glascock.

Thrifty Club Meets Wednesday

The home of Mrs. C. R. Brandon was the site of the regular semi-monthly meeting of the Bovina Thrifty Club last Wednesday. The hostess served coffee, tea and pineapple fluff pie. The afternoon was spent completing cup towels for the hostess and working on quilt blocks for Boys Ranch. Each year, quilts for Boys Ranch are an important project for the club. Handmade, the quilts are taken to the Ranch each spring.

Those attending were Mrs. Earl Ware, Mrs. A. V. Campbell, Mrs. George Turner, Mrs. Elmer Lowrie, Mrs. Wilbur Charles, Mrs. J. T. Jones, Mrs. Dick Sparks, Mrs. G. A. Bandy and Mrs. Dennis Williams.

The next meeting will be Wednesday, March 12, in the home of Mrs. Campbell.

Mrs. Taylor Is Shower Honoree Friday Afternoon

Mrs. Norman Taylor was honored with a bridal shower Friday afternoon in the annex of the First Baptist Church. She is the former Gay Morton of Hereford. The couple was married several weeks ago.

The honoree was presented a corsage of blue carnations. Her mother, Mrs. Grady Morton of Hereford, and the bridegroom's mother, Mrs. Boye Taylor of Bovina, were presented with pink carnation corsages.

Mrs. Arnold Hromas was in charge of entertainment. Musical numbers were offered by Paula Kay Kerby, Linda Estes, Verna Marie Estes and Elaine Fuller.

The bride's table was laid with a white, cutwork cloth. The centerpiece featured an arrangement of miniature rose buds, shaded from deep to pale blues. Each bud was surrounded with white and blue net and sprinkled with glitter. The flowers were made of crepe paper by Mrs. A. E. Steelman and the setting for the arrangement was made by Mrs. Jesse Walling. Mingled with the flowers was a small heart, centered with miniature silver wedding bells. The centerpiece was flanked with twin candelabra, with white tapors. Blue napkins, inscribed with "Norman and Gay" in silver, and crystal and silver appointments were used. Refreshments were cookies, coffee, tea and assorted nuts.

Hostesses for the shower were Mrs. Earl Ware, Mrs. Elmer Lowrie, Mrs. Walling, Mrs. A. J. Lofin, Mrs. Henry Minter, Mrs. Hromas, Mrs. Aubrey Rhodes, Mrs. Al Kerby, Mrs. Bill Burnam and Mrs. P. A. Adams.

Others were Mrs. Bobby Englant, Mrs. Vernon Ward, Mrs. Mary Ruth Martin, Mrs. Billie Sudderth, Mrs. E. H. Moody, Mrs. Gene Ezell, Mrs. A. D. Cumpston and Mrs. Steelman. The hostess gift was a Presto cooker.

Approximately 25 people attended and many who were unable to attend sent gifts.

Mrs. Nat Read is visiting with her sister, Mrs. Henry Wolfe of Wichita Falls, this week. The local woman made the trip Sunday to stay with Mrs. Wolfe who is hospitalized.

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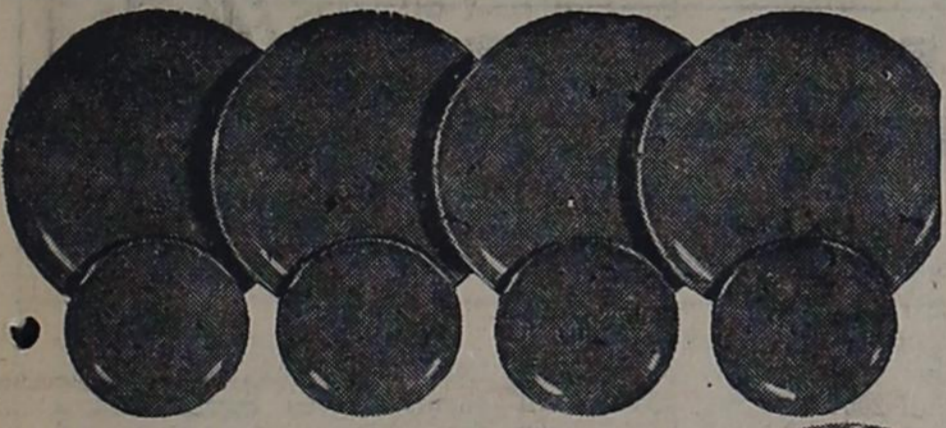
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BEST 4-H GRAIN GROWERS — The top three contestants of the 4-H Club division of the Parmer County Grain sorghum contest are (l to r) Johnny Mabry, first; Danny Murphree, second; and Joe Bob Johnson, third.



TOP FFA GRAIN PRODUCERS — Winners of the FFA division of the grain sorghum contest in Parmer County and their places are (l to r) Leon Massey, second; Leon Wilson, first; Dickie Steelman, fourth and fifth; and Roy Dodson, third.

«The High Plains Farm and Home»

Dickie Will Speak At Farmer's Union Meeting in Farwell

Alex Dickie, state president of the Farmer's Union, will be the featured speaker at an area Union meeting Tuesday evening, March 11, in the Farwell School cafeteria.

The Farmer's Union, sponsor for the meeting, is inviting area locals from the area to attend, plus the general public. Locals expected to be on hand include those from Lazbuddie, Friona, and Bovina, the latter community which is now in the process of organization.

Dickie, a farmer-stockman from Denton in North Texas, has been president of Texas Farmer's Union for several

years, and is well acquainted with Union policies and goals. He has appeared before Parmer County audiences several times but this will be his first trip here this year.

The meeting is to begin at 8. Frank Seale, Farwell FU president, emphasizes that the meeting will not only be public but will be a "family affair," and wives and children are invited to attend.

Charlie Phillips and his "Sugartimers" will furnish entertainment for the meeting.

Reports will be heard from Guy Austin and Elmer Hargrove, who have just returned from a Union-sponsored bus trip to Washington.

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Senior 4-H Members Have Party At Hub

About 30 senior 4-H members from all over the county met at the Hub Community Center Saturday night for a party. The event was a part of their observance of National 4-H Week. County recreation leaders directed games. They were Virginia Rea, Barbara Rea, and James Stevens of Bovina,

Judy Billingsley of Farwell, and Pat Chitwood, Dick Chitwood, and Cooper Young of Lazbuddie.

The same group of leaders will direct the recreation for a county-wide party for junior 4-H members at the Hub.

Refreshments were served to the members and about 20 adults, including county extension agents, Miss Jimmie Lou Wainscott and Joe Jones.

Workers Form Ag Association

Parmer County Agricultural Workers Association was organized last week in Bovina with nine members. Roy M. Crawford, vocational agriculture instructor at Bovina, was elected chairman.

Other officers are Jay Sanders of SCS, Friona, vice-president; and secretary, Prentice Mills of the Parmer County ASC office.

Others attending the meeting were Robert Zetsche of SCS of Friona; Bill Boling of FFA of Farwell; Jack Black of Lazbuddie, vo-ag instructor; Robert Morton of Farwell, vo-ag instructor; and Robert M. Crozier of Friona, SCS.

Another meeting of the association is planned for Thursday, March 20, in the Bovina agriculture building.

Research, supported by the Texas Heart Fund, has made new tools available that assist in earlier diagnosis and more prompt treatment of the heart diseases. Help Your Heart Fund Help Your Heart.

Prizes of checks, plaques and premiums were awarded to 4-H and FFA members who were winners of the 1957 grain sorghum contest in Parmer County Monday night at the Hub community building.

A meeting of the Parmer County Grain Sorghum Producers Association was the occasion at which county officers for the next year were elected.

The winners of the 4-H division are Johnny Mabry, first, 9027 pounds; Danny Murphree, second, 8793 pounds; Joe Bob Johnson, third, 8244 pounds; Mike Ellis, fourth, 7429 pounds; Cooper Young, fifth, 7376 pounds; Dickie Clayton, sixth, 7341 pounds; Steve Young, seventh, 7218 pounds; Gerald Foster, eighth, 6435 pounds; Carrol Redwine, ninth, 6091 pounds; and Harrol Redwine, tenth, 6091 pounds.

Other contestants, in the order they placed, were Loyd Bradshaw, Gary Foster, Odie Bradshaw, Floyd Reeve, Richard Chitwood, Gary Beauchamp, Randy Price, Jerry Cass, Johnny Miller, Tommy Tatum, Julian Berry, Jerald Gober, and Dale Gober.

FFA contestants and winners are Leon Wilson, first, 7899.4 pounds; Leon Massey, second, 7192 pounds; Roy Dodson, third, 6424 pounds; and Dickie Steelman, fourth and fifth, 5500 and 5192 pounds.

Others in the order which their places followed are Gerald McGehee, Clyde Redwine, and Bomar Stacy.

Mabry and Wilson were awarded plaques for first place and a \$50 check each. Other winners were presented ribbons and checks from the Grain Sorghum Producers in decreasing amounts for the various places.

The presentation of the ribbons climaxed a program during which the contestants described the operations which they carried out to produce their crop.

Wilson — "Shredded stalks from previous crop, disced, deep broke, knifed, and planted in double rows on 40-inch

centered beds. Applied 100 pounds of anhydrous ammonia per acre and sidedressed with phosphate in bands, located under the roots. Watered three times."

Mabry — "Cut stalks, listed and pre-watered with six inches, planted on 10-inch row spacing at a rate of 12 pounds per acre, drilled with grain drill on May 15 and watered four times."

Bill Nelson, marketing specialist of the Plains Grain Sorghum Producers Association, spoke on the research and development which the Association is sponsoring, and the need for additional activity in these fields.

He displayed several products that have been developed through research, including cooking oil, syrup, starch, dog food, and clothing care products.

"We need to promote grain sorghum and the use of the products and by-products of our crop. Other commodity groups are doing this, and we must support and aid research to get wider usage of our product."

"There is also need for agronomic research to develop specific varieties of grain sorghum. Companies have indicated that they would use grain sorghum for oil, for example, if the content of oil were about one and one-half percent greater.

"There is a possibility that different areas will one day devote their acreage to production of a specific milo crop for use for its oil content," the marketing specialist said.

Nelson, who joined GSPA last summer, was a staff member of Oklahoma A&M College as agricultural economist.

Explanation of the Association's legislative program was made by W. L. Edelman of Friona, who represented the group at commodity meetings held earlier this year.

The program that the commodity groups are favoring, and one which is in the form of a bill before the legislature, is a staggered price support for farmers who would choose

to defray part of their acres for conservation practices.

The price support for a farmer who planted 90 percent of his total allotment would be 60 percent parity, for 80 percent parity, for 70 percent parity, for 70 percent parity, and for 80 percent parity, and for 80 percent parity—90 percent parity.

Along with this program would be a plan through which a calculated amount of surplus crop would be issued for sale or feeding.

"This plan would decrease our surplus two ways," Edelman explained. "Surplus crops would dwindle away, and acres diverted would not be producing more surpluses. Prices, too, would increase to the level of supply and demand."

"This program would not cost the USDA a fraction of the money that is being applied to the present program," Edelman said.

During an election that followed Edelman's speech, W. L. Long was elected new president. Long is a farmer of the Hub community, and has served the past year as vice-president of the County group.

Long succeeds Arlin Hartzog, who presided at the meeting.

Others elected were two directors, Fern Barnett of the Black community, and Jack Smith of Lazbuddie.

The new directors replace Pete Braxton of Black and John Gammon of Lazbuddie.

The list of directors now includes Hartzog, John Renner, Truman Kent, Bob Wilson, and Long, besides Barnett and Smith.

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Use good tools to do the job. A pruning saw and pruning shears are needed to remove diseased or injured limbs or to nip back high branches to make a tree form a dense shade.

Watch your pruning technique! Make clean cuts, flat or flush with the main limb or trunk. Stubs left by improper cutting may cause rotting of the heart wood. You may need to treat cuts on large limbs by painting with a pruning compound, such as orange shellac, to hasten healing. Most trees make oils to cover small cuts. Generally, horticulturists advise putting nothing at all on a cut 2 inches or less in diameter.

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A young preacher was criticized for preaching the same sermon three Sundays in a row. "Don't you have but one sermon?" he was asked. "Oh, yes," he replied, "I have plenty of sermons, but you people haven't done anything about the sins I mentioned in the first sermon."

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Bureau Breaks 650; Hears Rogers Talk

Workers' reports are not all complete, but Parmer County Farm Bureau is already over its 1958 quota for new members and renewals.

M. T. Glasscock of Farwell signed up 30 farmers by himself to lead the drive. J. D. White of Lazbuddie convinced 19 to sign, and Bureau Vice-President Jack Patterson brought in 17 new members or renewals.

Right now, the Rhea community is 90 percent Farm Bureau and they plan to be 100 percent by summer.

The membership drive, which officially ended last night, increased county Farm Bureau from 597 to 655. When results are complete, the Bureau should have 700 members, officials say.



CONG. ANDY ROGERS

Speaker for the evening Andy Rogers, state senator, has a history of friendly association with Farm Bureau both in a political and agricultural sense.

"Today not all people have common interests," said Rogers. "One of the best purposes of an organization of this kind can serve is to bring about understanding in other economic and social groups. We should bring our problems and our story before the rest of the U. S."

"Though we are growing stronger politically, our aim should not be to pull our way through by power, but to get others to understand our needs and our problems."

Rogers said that in this complex world, the only way in which men can be governed

correctly calls for an organization to democratically represent the wishes of the majority of every group.

"This is simple, sound government," said Senator Rogers. Speaking of states' rights, he said that it was seldom the federal government stepped in to take over an area in which the local or state government was doing its job.

"However," he said, "the local governing body must keep on its toes, for there is constant change in the needs of the public. What were problems yesterday will be assets tomorrow."

Rogers said there was no better way to serve as an American citizen than to belong to an organization with the opportunity and means to bring desires of local citizens before their governing body.

On the water question, Rogers said that there still is a need to organize locally if citizens want local control of underground water.

In 1952, Rogers sponsored the first local underground water control bill, but now the state wishes to control the distribution of water in areas where there are no independent water control districts.

"The worst threat to F-M roads since 1951 will come up this fall," said Rogers. "The program to 'get the farmer out of the mud' faces another drain on its building and repair resources."

"REA has been hammered and harassed," said the state

senator, "By interests who want the business. 'Free enterprise' is a phrase often used by these interests, while they themselves have guaranteed markets and guaranteed profits on their investment."

On the matter of school financing, Rogers frankly stated that he did not know the answer to the problem. He said that when a solution came up, he would give it prime consideration.

Farm Bureau will want a three-year average at 90 percent parity for cotton products. They would require the government surplus to sell for 110 percent, thus keeping the price level above parity and forcing cotton products manufacturers to keep a reserve of cotton in storage rather than in government warehouses.

By 1959, Farm Bureau wants the prices of grain sorghum and corn tied to one another, but with no allotment restrictions on either. The Secretary of Agriculture would define overproduction on all commodities and those who want parity prices would voluntarily leave a certain portion (not over 15 percent) of their land fallow with no reimbursement.

THE HAPPY HOMEMAKER

BY JUNE FLOYD

Have you ever eaten rose jelly? If not, file the following recipe for use later in the year and you will have a real treat. Most of us have heard our grandmothers speak of making rose petal jelly. Today many people prefer the more flavorful rose hips. These are considered not only delicious but decidedly healthful.

When your rose blossoms fall off, the little hard core that remains on the bush is known as a rose hip. Let these get ripe. They turn a persimmon orange when ripe. Gather enough for approximately four cups. Add water to cover and cook until mushy, adding more water if necessary.

Sieve and reserve juice. Make apple puree the same way, using 2 or 3 medium apples. Sieve apple mixture. Combine apple juice and rose hip juice in jelly bag. You should have about 2 1/2 cups of juice. Add 1/2 package of powdered pectin. Stir in and bring to full boil. Add all at once, 3 to 3 1/2 cups of sugar. Bring to full rolling boil for one minute. Remove from fire, skim, and pour into jelly jars. Seal with paraffin.

When do you do your mending? Most homemakers check for needed mending while ironing then do the mending later. One home economist recommends that all rips, tears, and snags be mended before the laundering is done.

Not only will this eliminate the possibility of having them become larger during the laundering process, but as the ironing is done the repaired spot will be made much less conspicuous by being pressed.

If you like mixes for hot breads and feel that the cost of commercial mixes is more than you should spend, try making your own master mix.

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To make biscuits from this master mix, add 2/3 to 1 cup milk to 3 cups master mix and mix all at once stirring 25 strokes. Knead 15 to 18 times on lightly floured board. Roll 1/2 inch thick. Cut. Bake on baking sheet in hot oven. Makes 18 two-inch biscuits.

For muffins add 2 tablespoons sugar to 3 cups master mix. Combine 1 cup milk and 1 beaten egg. Add to the sugar and mix. Stir until flour is just moistened—about 15 strokes. Bake in greased muffin tins in hot oven for about 20 minutes. Makes 12 medium sized muffins.

To make cornbread, stir 3/4 cup meal into 1 1/2 cups mix to which 1/2 teaspoon salt and 2 tablespoons sugar have been added. Combine 3/4 cup sweet milk and beaten egg and add to the dry mixture. Stir until well blended. Bake in greased pan in a hot oven about 30 minutes.

If there are youngsters in your family who are interested in cooking hot breads, they will enjoy using the mix very much.

The next time you need a speedy oven dish, try this recipe for mashed potatoes with frankfurters.

8 frankfurters
2 cups hot or cold seasoned mashed potatoes
1/2 to 3/4 cup grated cheese paprika
Slit frankfurters lengthwise almost through, spread open, and place cut side up on a greased baking sheet. Heap mashed potatoes on the frankfurters, using 1/4 cup for each one. Sprinkle with grated cheese and paprika. Heat in a hot oven for about 15 minutes.

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Watch Fertilizers, Suggests Agent

Wet weather has been holding up farm work over the area, but every day suitable finds farmers hard at work making preparation for the coming year's crops.

Some wheat is being top dressed at this time, and, believes Joe Jones, county agent, "It is high time farmers get their nitrogen top dressing on their wheat."

He suggests that farmers not top dress with phosphate as it will not dissolve and go into the ground. "Phosphate must be placed in the ground," he says. "Any nitrogen form of fertilizer is good, but the nitrate form of nitrogen will give you the quickest response due to the nitrogen being immediately available."

In regard to plans for this year's cotton crop, the agent warns, "Don't forget that too much nitrogen can delay maturity and get you in trouble. Where nitrogen is applied on land to be planted to cotton, phosphate should also be included in most every instance."

Jones says it is good to produce all possible from cotton acreage, but "heavy fertilizers and excessive water can sure get you in trouble." He points out, "Remember, you won't have control of the weather."

Phosphate should be applied in bands prior to or at seeding time on all row crops, either directly below the seed about three inches, or from two to three inches to the side and two to three inches below the seed depth.

"Phosphate applied on top of the land and listed in will not give the results that banded phosphate will," he says. "If phosphate is not needed it is a waste of money to apply it." He suggests a soil test to show the plant nutrients needed. This test should be properly taken, properly run, and correctly interpreted, he adds.

Every generation, if wise, learns from those who follow as well as those who went ahead.

Four Area Men Attend FU Meeting

Elmer Hargrove and Guy Austin of Farwell and T. O. Lesly and Freeman Davis of Lazbuddie represented area Farmer's Union locals last week as they attended a bus trip to Washington sponsored by the national organization. They returned Sunday night.

While in the nation's capitol they discussed farm legislation with congressmen from Texas, and visited other government offices. The four sat in on hearings on farm proposals before congressional committees.

At the time, Farmer's Union was pushing for wheat supports of \$2 a bushel this year instead of the \$1.78 already announced. Also while there, they saw President Eisenhower defend Agriculture Secretary Ezra Benson against congressional criticism.

Of interest to this area, Union members met with congressmen to urge action on the feed grain and livestock problem. They asked that the handling of it be within the framework of a comprehensive program to "obtain full parity income from all enterprises" for farmers, however.

The four trippers report their visit to Washington "impressed us of the value of strong organizations to keep congress and administrative officials advised of farmers' difficulties."

They add that "most of the people" in Washington "showed keen interest in viewpoints brought direct from the country by such means as the Farmer's Union trips."

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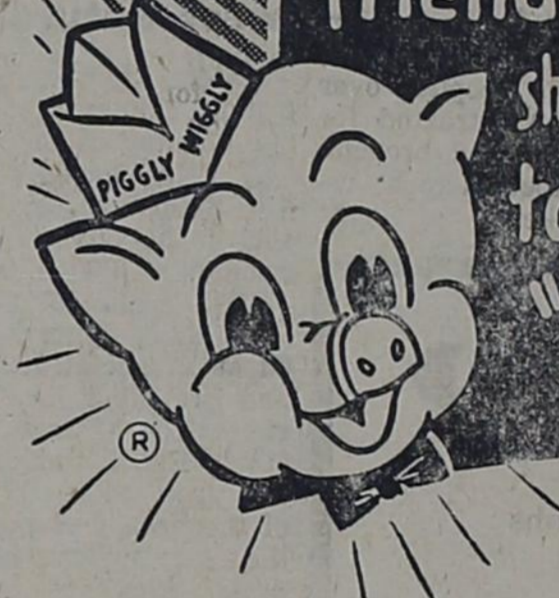
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track workouts this season. Looks as though it will not have a chance to climb to recognition as local sport, until the interest in girls' basketball slackens a bit, which we hope doesn't happen until the Fall goes all the way.

SOMETHING NEW

A little belated perhaps, but the Blunt Edge would like to emphasize something that has been a regular occurrence for the past two weeks, and happened again this week.

Announcements of new businesses or new owners have been made in the two recent issues of The Bovina Blade. Sands Motel, Bovina Yardstick, Bovina Dairy Freeze, the Blunt Edge would like to say emphatically, "Wish you all much success. Hopes are good that you will find Bovina a good place to hang your shingle."

PRECINCT THREE

The Edge would like to call attention to the new Justice of the Peace office that will be filled in the coming April election. W. J. Parker has announced in an earlier issue that he will be available for the office, and this week J. D. Stevens announces his candidacy.

We plead ignorance as the reason for a mistake concerning the new office. Earlier, The Bovina Blade reported the precinct of the office to be Precinct Two, Place one. We tried checking this with a county official, but the information was not readily available.

USEFUL OFFICE

When established, the new JP

office should prove to be fairly handy and useful in Bovina. Maybe it will save a bit of traveling. Heretofore, the places where traffic and misdemeanor cases filed were in Friona or Farwell.

Have word that the area highway patrolman is fairly active at times near Bovina. Understand that the officer parked his car near the intersection of the Hub Road south of town and nabbed 12 stop sign runners one afternoon in an hour or less.

That would be sending quite a bit of business to the JP locally when the office is installed. Figuring \$16.50 for each of the violations, seems as though this would be pretty good wages for an hour. But the JP is paid \$600 yearly, and the rest is divided between the state and county.

Indictments

(Continued from Page One) Antonio, was indicted on a count of car theft. He is charged with stealing the car of Buddy Lloyd in Friona on January 18. He was picked up in Tucumcari.

Then, to round out the indictments on service stations the grand jurors formally charged Raymond Malena, 20, and Warren Miller, 21, both of Dimmitt, with burglary of four stations in Friona and also an implement house Friday night of last week.

This amounted to swift justice for the Latin Americans, who are accused of robbing: Clack's Humble Station, Strickland's Truck Stop, Brookfield Texaco, Kendrick's Phillips 66, and Friona Motor Company.

These men were arrested Saturday night in Dimmitt and returned here about 2 a.m. Sunday morning. They lined up for grand jury the next day, and will probably be tried today.

The grand jury complimented officers on speedy apprehension of the defendants they indicted.

IN HOSPITAL

Beth Hutto, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hutto of Bovina, was in a Clovis hospital over the weekend being treated for measles, mumps, and bronchitis. She was expected to be released this weekend.

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FOR RENT—Two bedroom house in Bovina. Phone AD 8-2591, Roy Hawkins. 36-tnc

16 FHA Girls Attend Area Meet Saturday

Sixteen members of the local Future Homemakers of America chapter attended the Area One FHA convention in Amarillo Saturday. The convention was in the City Auditorium, beginning at 8:30 a. m.

Miss Lexie Stevenson, Bovina chapter president, attended as a special visiting delegate and two other local girls, Harriette Lou Charles and Verna Marie Estes, were members of the area choir. Each chapter of the area was represented in the choir by an alto and a soprano singer.

Lunch was served in the Amarillo High School cafeteria and business meetings were held during the morning and afternoon sessions. Pictures of the

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FOUND—Diamond engagement ring, near Bovina School, about 3 weeks ago. Owner contact Supt. Warren Morton at school, identify ring, and pay for ad. 36-2tc

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FOR RENT—Partly furnished house for \$35.00 a month. See E. G. Spring six miles north of Bovina, on Farm to Market Road 1731. 37-3tc

CARD OF THANKS

I would like to say "thank you" to my many friends and neighbors for the cards, flowers, food and visits during my recent illness and since I came home from the hospital. Mrs. H. H. Kelso 37-1tc

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convention were taken by Celia Berry, historian of the local chapter.

Those attending were Celia Berry, Harriette Lou Charles, Verna Marie Estes, Carolyn Crump, Jackie Davies, Barbara Rea, Judy Roach, Patsy Hart, Charlotte Hromas, and Lexie Stevenson.

Others were Leslie Fourmentin, Patsy Richards, Charlotte Morris, Carole Hammonds, Kay Hartzog and Nicki Woelfel.

The girls were accompanied by Mrs. Geraldine Whelan, local homemaking teacher, and six mothers, Mrs. E. C. Perry, Mrs. Bud Crump, Mrs. Arnold Hromas, Mrs. J. P. Macon, Mrs. S. E. Redden and Mrs. James Roach.

During a recent business meeting of the local Future Homemakers of America chapter, election of officers for the coming year was conducted.

The officers chosen will take their positions in September and will continue to serve through May, 1959. The meeting was in the homemaking cottage, and Mrs. Whelan was in charge.

Lexie Stevenson, a sophomore in Bovina Schools, was elected president for the second consecutive year. Nicki Woelfel was named vice president; secretary, Avis Williams; treasurer, Nancy Cumpston; historian, Patsy Richards; parliamentarian, Martha Drager; song leader, Kay Hartzog; pianist, Verna Marie Estes and reporter, Janice Richards.

Chapter mothers named were Mrs. Earl Richards, Mrs. James Roach and Mrs. S. E. Redden.

The local chapter meets twice a month on the second and fourth Thursdays. Business meetings are on the second Thursday, between 8:30 and 9 a.m.

Concert Postponed To Sunday

Due to conflicting dates, the Bovina band concert has been postponed until Sunday afternoon at 2:30. It will be in the school auditorium as previously planned.

The late winter concert was scheduled for last night, Tuesday, but the date was changed early this week, says W. Wayne Stevens, music and band instructor of Bovina Public Schools, to allow the students and public to attend the district girls' basketball game.

Stevens says "Sunday afternoon concerts have never been held in Bovina since my coming here and this will be in the way of an experiment." He urges the public to attend and show their interest in the musical abilities of the young people.

Featured on the program will be numbers by the advanced band, the beginner band and the fourth grade song flutes. Also, two student conductors, Celia Berry and Nancy Cumpston, will each conduct the advanced band in one number. The girls were chosen for their ability to lead and direct the musicians.

Lions Collect \$276.50 For Project Show

The Bovina Lions Club in a drive for funds with which to support the annual FFA Project Show last week collected \$276.50 in donations from Bovina firms and individuals.

Members of the committee seeking the funds reported good reception to the request, and reported that the amount collected this year will likely be sufficient to sponsor the show next year. The money is used to furnish premiums to the show winners.

Members of the committee that collected the money were A. D. Cumpston, Henry Minter, Warren Embree, George Trimble, J. E. Sherrill Jr., J. W. Wright, Bedford Caldwell, and C. R. Brandon.

Nita Beth Estes Is Honored With Surprise Supper

Miss Nita Beth Estes was honored with a surprise birthday supper and party Saturday evening. The party was given by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Estes, in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Charles.

The meal was served buffet style. The serving table was laid with an ecru lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of pink and white gladioli. The centerpiece was flanked by twin pink tapers.

Eating by candlelight, the young people were seated at quartet tables. Each table was graced with a tall pink taper, surrounded with green foliage. The birthday cake was pink with 17 white candles.

After the meal, the young people spent the evening dancing in the garage of the Charles home. The building was decorated to carry out the St. Patrick Day theme, with green and white crepe paper streamers and balloons. Pictures were taken by Mr. and Mrs. Bedford Caldwell.

Guests attending were Joan Kay Ezell, Dick Horn, Sandra Martin, Tom Ware, Nicki Woelfel, Danny Morton, Kay Hartzog, Jerry Strawn, Celia Berry, Billy Burnam, Phil Caldwell and the honoree.

Monte Turner Is Party Honoree

Monte Turner, teenage son of Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Turner, was honored with a farewell party Thursday evening of last week. The party was in the C. R. Brandon home and their daughter, Marilyn, was hostess.

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Turners Feted With Farewell Party Tuesday

Mr. and Mrs. H. N. Turner were feted with a farewell party Tuesday evening. Friends of the couple gathered in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hromas for an evening of visiting, games of progressive "42" and refreshments of cookies, coffee and sandwiches.

After several games of "42," the winners were announced. Mrs. Turner was presented with the "prize" for having high score and he won the "booby" prize. Those attending and other friends unable to attend gave the couple a dome clock and a three-piece set of luggage.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Ray Hutto, Mr. and Mrs. Don Murphy, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Minter, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Glasscock, Mrs. P. A. Adams, Mrs. R. N. Williford, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Fuller, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stevenson and Mr. and Mrs. Hromas.

Those who assisted with the gifts but who were unable to be present were Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Brandon, Mrs. Delores Hoffer, Dolph Moten, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie McCain, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Estes, Mr. and Mrs. Travis Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Combs, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hawkins and Mrs. Mrs. J. W. Wright.

Others were Mr. and Mrs. O. W. Rhinehart, Mr. and Mrs. Ovid Lawlis, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kirkpatrick, Mr. and Mrs. Osborne Loflin, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dodson, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Cumpston and Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Rogers.

Mr. and Mrs. Turner and their family have lived in the Bovina area for about three years. They moved to Abilene Friday where they will be engaged in stock farming.

Mrs. Sudderth Leads Study

Mrs. Billy Sudderth was in charge of the study Tuesday afternoon, February 25, when members of the Marzie Lynn Circle of the Methodist Church met in the church parlor.

The subject of the program for the day was a continuation of work on Japan. She spoke on "Protestant Churches in Other Lands," which dealt with the organization, work and plans for the future of the churches throughout the United States.

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with an emphasis on work being accomplished in Japan. The devotional was given by Mrs. O. H. Jones. It was taken from Isaiah and John. The group sang "Onward Christian Soldiers" as the opening song.

Others taking part on the program included Mrs. Frank Hastings, Mrs. Wilbur Charles and Mrs. Jimmie Charles. Their talks were concerning the work of "The United Churches of Christ," an organization of all Protestant churches of the world.

Mrs. Jimmie Charles also spoke on work toward Christian training which is being developed by the United Nations. Those present were Mrs. Jimmie Charles, Mrs. Hastings, Mrs. John Dixon, Mrs. Jones, Mrs. Roud Barron, Mrs. Wilbur Charles, Mrs. E. M. Ware, Mrs. George Turner and Mrs. Warren Morton.

A tea, to be given in the near future by the organization, was discussed. Tentative plans were made and will be announced in a few weeks, says Mrs. Ware, circle reporter.

Quilting Club Meets Thursday

Plans for the meeting of the Bovina Quilting Club were made recently. The meeting, at which husbands of members will be guests, will be Thursday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Bradshaw. Mrs. J. B. Caldwell, club reporter, announced that games of "42" will be played. The meeting will begin at 7:45 p. m.

Morton Leaves For Convention

Warren Morton, superintendent of Bovina Public Schools, plans to leave Thursday evening for San Francisco, Calif. There he will attend the annual convention of the National Association of School Administrators. Making the trip by air, Morton will be accompanied by Dilie M. Kelley, superintendent of Friona Public Schools. The convention opens Saturday morning and will run through Tuesday of next week.

Morton attended a similar convention last year, in Atlantic City, N. J.

WMU Has Bible Study Wednesday

Members of the Rea Buster Circle of the Woman's Missionary Union of the First Baptist Church met Wednesday evening for a Bible study. Mrs. Johnnie Horn was in charge. The subject of her talk for the evening was "The Inner Man," and was taken from the book, "Great Prayers of the Bible." The study was one of a series on the subject.

Those attending were Mrs. E. H. Moody, Mrs. Bobby Englant, Mrs. Ovid Lawlis and Mrs. Horn.

Mrs. Horn also led the study of the same subject at the Blanch Grove Circle meeting Tuesday afternoon. Nine members and a guest, Mrs. Leland Boyd, were present at the Tuesday meeting.

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