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Whittlin'

By Dolph Moten

Come November 6, I'm going to have the opportunity to vote in my first presidential election. Who'll get my vote?

You guessed it—the Democrats!

I mention that because a fellow asked me the other day how I was going to vote. Maybe he hadn't been reading this column lately. Too, maybe he just wanted to be sure.

Nonetheless, he seemed pleased when I told him.

He is a farmer.

Even though I'm going to vote Democratic, I won't be so narrow-minded as to not tell a story that my Republican-supporting friend, Herbert Ellison, told me recently. Herbert, who is a believer in Ike if there ever was one, says a Republican campaign worker asked an individual how he was going to vote.

"For Stevenson," the man replied.

"Would you mind telling me why you're going to vote for Stevenson?" the campaign worker asked.

"No, I wouldn't mind at all—I voted for him four years ago and everything has been running so smoothly since, I thought I'd do it again."

Has "everything" been running smoothly?

Believe it or not, I have friends who are Democrats. It's just that the Republicans seem to give me more trouble. One of these Democratic friends asked me to ask how does the Republican party feel about REA.

I'm sure we'll ALL agree that the REA is one of the greatest things that ever happened to Parmer County and other rural areas.

Before you jump back down my throat Republicans, I'd like to say that I know but little about the politics concerning the REA. I'm definitely handicapped by youth—I didn't especially care about politics when the REA question was hot—and ignorance.

Getting back to a brighter side of life and friend Hubert: He says that on Wednesday nights, he goes home from work, gets The Blade, reads Whittlin', gets all excited, reads The Paring Knife, when its available, is cooled to a certain extent, enough that he can sleep.

Then, the next day he reads The State Line Tribune, which he agrees with, and is in a relatively good frame of mind concerning politics until The Blade comes out the next week and the cycle repeats itself.

The Bovina Lions Club is getting set for another of its annual broom sales. B-Day is scheduled for Thursday, November 8.

Two years ago, the local club set a record for selling brooms and other products that go with the sale that has yet to be equalled by a town comparable in size to Bovina. That's a record which the local Lions are understandably proud of.

The Bovina broom-selling spree of two years ago is mentioned in the information that is sent to other Lions Clubs that are considering the broom selling project.

Thought that was worth mentioning.

Scott Levins, owner and manager of Bovina's Mustang Theatre, is making preparation to do what I consider a very nice and worthwhile thing.

Scott noticed the runners-up trophy that the Bovina Bulls Baseball Club won with its play in the Central Plains League last summer. The trophy, which just arrived from the league president's office in Amarillo last week, was being displayed in the local post office when it was noticed by Scott and many others.

So, our own Mr. Show Business, is going to treat all members of the Bull team to a free, yes, FREE, movie this Thursday night—October 13.

Box office opens at 7:00 p. m., Bulls. Best get in on this deal. Also girl friends or wives will be admitted free.

MONDAY NIGHT—

Fuller Resigns Water Position

Roy Fuller turned in his resignation as water superintendent of the City of Bovina at a called meeting of the commission Monday night.

The resignation is effective November 1. Fuller has served in the water superintendent capacity since December of last year. He is also fire marshal of the volunteer fire department.

Future plans for Fuller are to go to work elsewhere in Bovina.

The commissioners—Mayor J. E. Sherrill, Paul Jones, and Emmett Tabor—had planned to have a petition concerning making improvements in the Pesch addition at the meeting. However, the petition was not available. An election is scheduled to be called as soon as the petition work is in order and complete.

Cost of making improvements—water and sewer—in the addition that was made a part of the city last June will be approximately \$20,000, the commissioners estimate.

NOVEMBER 8—

Lions Club Plans Annual Broom Sale

Bovina Lions Club will stage its annual broom sale Thursday, November 8. The decision was made at a regular meeting of the club Thursday night.

Dolph Moten and Jack Feagan were named to head the two teams that will compete against each other in the promotion. Billie Sudderth will act as coordinator and will round out the three-man broom sale committee.

Aside from top quality corn brooms, the Lions will sell ironing board covers and pad combinations, attractive door mats, brushes and mops. All the products are manufactured by Texas Blind workmen in blind shops or workhouses, which are non-profit organizations, Henry Minter, Lions

president, says.

Proceeds from the sale will be used to buy glasses for dependent children.

The truck that will bring the products to Bovina will be parked in front of the post office.

Also at the Thursday meeting, D. J. Blackwell, representative of Motion Advertising Company of Amarillo, met with the club. He had an advertising clock which the club agreed to use and sell advertising for one year. The local club will keep one-third of the proceeds from the advertising.

Following the business meeting, Jack Feagan, Mary Looney, Betty Hawkins and Dal Hartsell put on a Hillbilly show.

Two New Employees In Bovina Businesses

Two Bovina businesses added to their staffs this week.

George Straskulic, who formerly worked with Bovina Farm Chemical, began his duties as credit manager and bookkeeper of Charles Oil Company. Cecil Britton, formerly of Amarillo and Berger, began work as a mechanic at Farrell Motor Company.

Straskulic and his family have lived in Bovina for the past several months. Britton plans to move his family to Bovina from Amarillo sometime in the future.

Both men are experienced in their individual lines of work and H. J. Charles of Charles Oil and Alvin Farrell of Farrell Motor Co., were pleased to secure their services.

Advertisements in this issue announce the additions.

Among the local people who attended the West Texas-Texas Tech football game in Lubbock Saturday night were Mr. and Mrs. Billie Sudderth and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones, Ernest Woelfel, Dale Malcom, Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Moten, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Carson, Warren Morton, R. E. Everett, John Wilson, and Frank Wilson.

27-12—

Mustang Comeback Falls Short, Happy Wins

Bovina's Mustangs rallied for a pair of touchdowns in the second half Friday night in a District 3-B football game against the favored Happy Cowboys, but the comeback wasn't enough as the locals went down by a 27-12 score.

The Mustangs, badly outplayed in the first half trailed only 12-10 in the first down department. Most of the Mustang first downs, however, were made in the second half.

The first half belonged to district favorite Happy. The powerful Cowboys, featuring talented Gary Poage at quarterback and hard-running Wayne Cole at fullback, scored one touchdown in the first quarter and two in the second. With Poage adding the three extra points, the winners led at the half-way mark, 21-0.

Bovina managed for two touchdowns to Happy's one in the last half. The Cowboy's came in the third period and the Mustangs had

one in each of the two periods.

Billy Burnam, Mustang back who has been sidelined with an injury since the Farwell game, returned to action and played an outstanding defensive game from his linebacker position. Other standouts on defense were Jerry Burnett and Kent Glasscock.

Neil Smith, senior fullback and captain, was again the offensive star. However, Burnett, who has been showing up well of late, took his share of the offensive spotlight before he was taken out of the game because of an injury late in the game.

Coach Bob Willis' Mustangs ran from three formations—"T", single wing and double wing—and in the second half established the fact that their passing attack, with either Smith or Dick Horn, quarterback, doing the throwing, is a threat.

MILES EAST—

C. L. CONLEY, 29 KILLED SUNDAY

MAIN STREET—

Second BB Day Considered Good

For the second consecutive Saturday, there was a larger-than-usual crowd in town October 13 for number two in a series of Bovina Jaycee-merchant-sponsored Boost Bovina promotions.

Aside from the weekly movie for children under 12 and the drawing for adults, a bicycle race for youngsters was held. Some 20 boys took part in the race that was run in two heats with a runoff of the top three riders in each heat.

Each of the top three cyclist were awarded \$1 in script by the Jaycees. They were David Lawlis, Billy McCormick, and Ken Horn.

Charles Don Smith, chairman of the Jaycee's Boost Bovina activities committee, was in charge of the race. He was assisted by other Jaycee members.

Mrs. J. T. Hammonds was the big winner in the drawing for the script money. She received \$15 that may be redeemed at any one of some 35 local businesses. Other winners were Mrs. Robert McCormick, \$10 and Cash Richards, \$5.

All persons over 12 are eligible to register for the drawing. Tickets may be signed at any of the businesses that are participating in the promotion. A list of the businesses is in an advertisement in this issue.

Scouter Queen, Jaycee president who is in charge of the drawing, said, "Our crowd this week wasn't

as big as last week's, but it was still a lot bigger than usual. I feel like that the high school band being out of town cut down on the crowd to some extent."

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424 Students In Bovina Schools

Warren Morton, superintendent of Bovina Schools, announced this week that 424 students were enrolled here at the present time.

A total of 90 pupils are in high school. The other 334 are members of the first eight grades.

Morton points out, however, that people located here temporarily due to construction and harvest have swelled the total figure. Less than 400 students were enrolled at the opening of school.

"We probably have the highest enrollment now that we'll have during the school year," Morton estimates.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale McCuan and Mrs. Maye Porter of Farwell visited Monday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Norton.

A man was killed by gunshot early Sunday morning four miles east of Bovina near Highway 60. How he was killed remains a mystery, Frank Smith, Parmer County deputy sheriff, says. The cause of death might have been murder, suicide or accidental.

However, the fact that death was caused from a shot from a .22 caliber gun has been established, Smith says.

Dead is Clifford Leon Conley, 29, who has been working as a farm hand for A. B. Kent near Bovina for the past year.

Smith was awakened at his home about 3 a. m. Sunday by some Negro men. They told him that a man had been shot on the Hoppood farm four miles east of Bovina.

Conley was dead when Smith

arrived at the scene. Smith estimates that he died about 2:30 a. m.

Parmer County authorities are still investigating the accident and three Negro suspects are in custody at Farwell, reports Chas. Lovelace, Parmer County sheriff.

The three suspects were picked up Tuesday morning, and after questioning, one revealed the whereabouts of the death weapon. The weapon was a .22 caliber automatic pistol, believed to have belonged to Conley, Lovelace says.

Relatives of the victim were in Norman, Oklahoma, attending the funeral and were not immediately available to identify the gun as that of Conley's.

Conley was born May 31, 1927. He is survived by his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Conley of Natalia; a sister, Juanita Hale of Lubbock; and a brother, Dewane Conley of Bovina.

He was a veteran of World War II.

The body was taken to Norman, Oklahoma, by a Marcum-Claborn Funeral Home coach. Funeral services will be held at Norman.

Ground Observers Will Meet Thursday Night

Bovina chapter of Ground Observer Corp will meet Thursday night at 7:30 p. m. in American Legion Hall, J. E. Sherrill, post observer, has announced.

This will be the second meeting of the local organization. The initial meeting was held some two years ago.

Air Force Sgt. Calvin G. Doyle, who is in charge of the meeting, says the Thursday night instruction will be the most important of the first three meetings.

A minimum of 12 people is required to have a local post. Nine were present at the first meeting. However, Doyle asked each of those present to return to the second meeting and bring someone with them. "If we'll do that, we'll have a nice sized group by the time the third meeting rolls around," he explained.

"Meetings won't last more than two hours," Sherrill promises, "and we hope to have several out to this second meeting."

Jaycees Meet, Eat, And Discuss Plans

Bovina Jaycees discussed ways and means of contacting local farmers about making contributions to CROP at a regular Saturday noon meeting in Bovina Restaurant.

J. D. Kirkpatrick was appointed by Scouter Queen, president, to secure a list of names so that Jaycee members could each contact a small group of farmers.

Queen reported that the television, automatic washer, automatic dryer promotion had netted about \$125 to the club. He also said that the club "went in the hole" by about \$25 on the charter-banquet dance.

L. L. Dudley was the winner in the Jaycee promotion. Announcement of the winner was made at the half of the Bovina-Happy football game Friday night. Dudley, an electrician who formerly lived and worked in Bovina and Friona, is now living in Amarillo.

Also at the Saturday meeting, Dale Malcom was elected assistant treasurer of the club.

Chiefs Vs. Ponies Friday

Bovina Mustangs and Friona Chiefs, Parmer County rivals, do battle Friday night on Mustang Field at 8:00 p. m.

Both teams have identical win-loss records of 1-4. However, the Friona team has possibly gone against stiffer competition than has the local team.

The Mustangs will be in their familiar role of underdogs for the game. The brightest thing to be said about the locals is that they have no serious injuries among squad members. They came out of the game with Happy last week in fine shape as far as injuries are concerned.

The Chiefs have reportedly been hampered by injuries to key players during the season. Their size and experience will make them the favorite in the game, nonetheless.

The Chiefs hold the edge in comparative scores, too. They downed Hart in the season's opener by an overwhelming 48-0 score. The Mustangs defeated Hart by a 19-7 count. Figuring on this basis, the visiting team Friday night would be a 36 point favorite.

Besides the Hart win, the Class A team's record shows losses to Stinnett, Whiteface, Dimmitt, and Whitedeer.

The Mustangs have lost to Springlake, Farwell, Turkey, and Happy.

Considering the short distance between the two county towns, a large crowd is expected to be on hand to witness the game.



LAST MINUTE INSTRUCTIONS—Bovina youngsters are receiving last minute instructions from members of Bovina Jaycees before the bicycle race Saturday afternoon on Bovina's Main Street. The race was a part of Jaycee-merchant sponsored Boost Bovina activities. David Lawlis, Billy McCormick, and Ken Horn were the top three bicycle racers.

Woman's Study Club Hears Talks

Members of the Bovina Woman's Study Club met Thursday afternoon in the club house for their regular bi-monthly meeting. Mrs. Lloyd C. Battey, president, presided and Mrs. Cecil Berry acted as secretary in the absence of Mrs. A. M. Martin.

The meeting was opened by the club collect, led by Mrs. Battey. During the business meeting, Mrs.

L. H. Pesch was elected reporter for the rest of the year and reports were given by chairmen of several committees. The group discussed the rummage sale which is being held each Saturday in the Elliott building for the convenience of the harvest workers.

Theme of the program for the Thursday meeting was "The Conservation of Water and Soil." The motto for the day was "God Blessed America, Let Us Save Some of It."

Mrs. Cecil Berry gave a talk

on land in regard to types of farms and uses of the soil and how it can be properly taken care of by the users. Mrs. Buck Ellison read a paper prepared by Mrs. Arlin Hartzog on the subject of water conservation. It dealt with the many uses of water in farming and industry, how it can be conserved and how we can control surpluses.

The club will meet at the club house for the next meeting Thursday afternoon, October 25.

Freshman Class Has Scavenger Hunt Saturday

Members of the Freshman class of Bovina High School met Saturday evening at Williford Gym for a taffy pull and scavenger hunt. Mrs. Bob Wills, commercial teacher, was sponsor for the evening.

Among the items which they were required to obtain for the scavenger hunt, were, a watermelon, slightly rotten, and a first grader's signature. Each list was different. The group winning was made up of Joy Redden, Virginia Embree, Arnold Kriegel and Van Downing.

Refreshments of taffy and soft drinks were served to Jerry Barron, Celia Berry, Jackie Davies, Sandra Derroch, Van Downing, Verna Estes, Sue Estes, Carole Hammonds, Regina Feagan, Virginia Embree, Harriette Lou Charles, Sid Killough, Arnold Kriegel and John Lorenz.

Also, Lexie Stevenson, Valeria and Frederick Meier, Charlotte Morris, Francis Mustard, Claudia O'Hara, Joy Redden and Doyle Wassom.

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The guests sang "Happy Birthday" as Lowell opened his gifts. Pink and white cake and punch were served to those present.

Those attending were Myrna Fary Ritchie, Pam Turner, Larry Hammonds, Carol Mast, Chrissy and Cathy Mast, Benny Kent, Johnnie Blake, Gail and Becky Wellborn, Suzan Thornton, Johnnie Mack Taylor, and James and Suzie Ritchie.

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Virgil Tritch Is Married Recently

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tritch received word recently of the marriage of their son, Virgil, to Rose Anne Blackwood of Lubbock. Tritch was graduated from Bovina High School in 1950 and is employed as a teletype operator for a freight line in Lubbock.

Mrs. Abbie Elliott, mother of C. R. Elliott, left Thursday of last week for Eastland where she will spend an extended visit in the home of her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Pogue.

Farewell Party Held In Turner Home Monday

A farewell party was held Monday evening in the home of Mrs. Letha Turner, honoring June Gay Hanna. After a Mexican supper, friends presented the honoree with a gift and spent the evening visiting and playing games. Those present were the honoree, Mrs. Doris Glasscock, Mrs. Betty Hawkins, Mrs. Sally Whitesides, Mrs. Jeanie Kerby, Mrs. Mary Rose Brito and Mrs. Turner.

June Gay and Bob McMeans of Amarillo, were married Saturday morning in Bovina Church of Christ, with the minister, R. A. Hartsell, reading the double ring ceremony. Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hawkins attended the couple.

Mr. and Mrs. McMeans left Saturday morning for a wedding trip to New Mexico. Upon their return, they will make their home in Amarillo.

Members of the Baptist Women's Missionary Union met Tuesday afternoon in the homes of members for a regular weekly meeting.

Blanch Grove Circle met in the home of Mrs. P. A. Adams for a study taken from "Home Mission" magazine. Mrs. Boye Taylor was in charge of the program. Mrs. Don Murphy gave a Stewardship devotion.

Others taking part on the program were Mrs. Virgil Goodwin, Mrs. Johny Horn, Mrs. Alva Hudson, Mrs. Eddie Hutto and Mrs. Roy Fuller. Mrs. Bobby Englant, president of WMU, was also present. The hostess, Mrs. Adams, served refreshments of cake, cookies and coffee to those present.

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Larry and Marilyn Downing, children of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Downing, have been ill in bed this week. They have been suffering from cases of virus infection, but are reported to be improved.

Howard L. Ellison was confined to his bed this past week with an infected tooth.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Burnam spent Saturday night and Sunday as guests in the home of his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Burnam of Dimmitt.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Hampton of Phillips visited Sunday in the home of her mother, Mrs. Ollie Williams. Mrs. Williams, who makes her home here with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Williams, returned to Phillips with her daughter for an extended visit.

Mrs. J. F. Foster of Farwell was a weekend guest in the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Grissom. Also visiting Sunday afternoon in the Grissom home were Mrs. J. R. Caldwell and Mrs. Lewis Pesch.

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BOOST BOVINA SPECIALS

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Participating Businesses In Boost Bovina Days Each Saturday Are Listed Below. Adults may register for the 4:30 drawing in any of these businesses. These merchants also sponsor a FREE MOVIE for children under 12.

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To watch some area farmers, you'd think it wasn't 30 days until spring planting.

That's the impression one might get to see stalk shredders and tandem discs right behind combines as they harvest a big grain crop, and the breaking plow is sure to be turning the residue under before long.

More and more Parmer County area farmers are switching to "full-time" farming and not wasting any time in getting their land into shape. There are several reasons for this trend, and all of them are valid.

First of all, decaying stubble adds organic matter to the soil—a vital consideration, especially in the case of the irrigated farm. And the quicker the stubble is turned to the ground, the longer it will have time to decompose and become useful to next year's crop.

The remarkable advances in agricultural chemistry have provided that fertilizer will "fix" itself in the decaying matter and be available for next year's crop when the time comes. In addition, it speeds decomposition itself. That's important, too.

Tilth and texture of the soil is increased by returning stubble to the land, and often great improvements in the water-holding capacity of the soil can be noted.

County Agent Joe Jones comments that this year more than ever before he has seen farmers getting back into their fields at the earliest possible moment to prepare for the coming year's operations.

AFBF Is Working On Cotton Study

WACO—Efforts of Farm Bureau leaders in Texas to insure accurate classing of cotton by the government now has the support of the American Farm Bureau Federation.

Charles B. Shuman, president of the AFBF, today announced the reactivation of the cotton committee to give specific study to the establishment of a non-governmental cotton classing review board for the purpose of reviewing controversies over cotton classing.

This action is a result of efforts by Texas Farm Bureau leaders to obtain accurate classing of cotton by the government's Smith-Doxey classing service. A congressional hearing—requested by Farm Bureau leaders—was held September 18 in Greenville. One result of the hearing was a promise by members of the cotton subcommittee of the house agriculture committee that congress will act immediately after it convenes in January to get a "light spots" classification for cotton put in the government loan.

Shuman also revealed that the AFBF cotton committee would study the question of whether present cotton grades adequately reflect the value of machine-picked cotton—and also whether producer interests are adequately represented on the international cotton grades committee.

"Heart worms" in dogs are caused by mosquitoes.—Sports Afield

THE H. D. AGENT'S CORNER

Jimmie Lou Waincott

SERVE CHICKEN OFTEN

Chicken is plentiful, which means a good buy for the food shopper. It's also a tasty, nutritious food that can be served in a variety of ways, according to extension foods and nutrition specialists. Serve it fried, broiled, baked, stewed, in salads, casseroles or sandwiches.

A high quality protein food, chicken also contains important minerals, and B vitamins needed for general good health and moral.

I would like to offer these suggestions:

Store fresh poultry, loosely wrapped, in the refrigerator. If bought packaged, remove cellophane or film wrap to allow air circulation. Use within 2 or 3 days. If you plan to freeze it, repackage it in moisture-proof, vapor-proof packages.

Keep frozen poultry frozen until ready to use. Thaw in the package. Use immediately.

Cook any kind of poultry at low temperature.

Here is a good and easy way to serve chicken. You might like to try it.

OVEN FRIED CHICKEN

- 1 chicken, cut up for frying
- 1 cup flour
- 2 teaspoons salt
- ¼ teaspoon pepper
- ½ cup butter or margarine (1 stick)

Mix flour and seasonings in paper bag. Melt butter or margarine in shallow baking pan. Shake 3 or 4 pieces of chicken up in bag at a time to coat well. Place chicken in single layer, skin side down, in baking pan. Bake 30 minutes in 425° F. oven. Turn chicken; bake another 15 minutes or until tender and brown. Serve hot.

NEWS FROM THE FARM BUREAU

By RAYMOND EULER

The news from the ASC office that farmers need not plant their allotment of basic commodities in order to hold their allotment history is certainly good. We have never seen the logic, particularly in a time of surpluses, in requiring a man to plant his allotment to hold his history. We still feel that the farmer who was regularly summer following in un-allotted years should have been given consideration when allotments returned. Anyway, the present program does seem a little more equal for all. Prentice Mills, ASC office manager, says you do need to sign the form provided to insure protection of allotments for unplanted acres.

It is important, says Mills, that all farmers remember that contracts in the soil conservation reserve for periods of 5 or 10 years are binding for that period of time, regardless of weather cycle changes or sale of the land. The only way

of receding from the contract is by refunding money received under the program, with interest, or having the buyer sign for completion of the conservation reserve period remaining.

Any director or member will gladly accept your renewal or new membership in Farm Bureau, if you are interested in reducing state cotton acreage allotment reserves, improving cotton classing methods and many other items vital to your farming income.

AFBF President Charles Shuman, reporting to the special congressional committee to investigate political activities, lobbying, and campaign contributions last week said legislative operations of AFBF are an open book. His concluding remarks were as follows:

"As a free institution representing freedom loving citizens, we are interested in successful representative government. The American Farm Bureau Federation expects to continue to be a means through which individual farm families can exercise effectively their right of petition in their county, in their state and in Washington. We trust that the members of this committee, and the other members of Congress, will welcome this assistance in the future as they have in the past."

Congratulations to Franklin Bauer, Walter Schueler and Martha Schueler in their election as chairman, vice-chairman, and secretary-treasurer, respectively, for Rhea FB.

Consider this: Open rebuke is better than secret love. Proverbs 27:5.

"Carnival Day" Booked at Clovis

On Thursday, October 25, Clovis will hold a "carnival day" for the entire trade area.

Streets will be roped off for the day. Merchants will display merchandise on the sidewalks, and organizations of all types will have booths down the center of Main Street. Main Street will also be decorated with a carnival atmosphere.

There will be a large variety of roving entertainment scheduled for the day with a square dance that night. There will be free rides for kiddies and other attractions for adults. Stores will remain open until 8 p. m. Many stores will feature give-aways and drawings.

Organizations from all surrounding towns are urged to participate by having a booth. Choice locations are still available and organizations are urged to contact Jack Moudy at Montgomery Ward or Al Stern at Levine's for a definite spot.

There is no charge for booths.

Benjamin Franklin designed a dollar made of silver, brass and pewter, bearing the motto, "Mind Your Own Business," and minted in 1776.

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THE PARMER FARMER

High Plains farmers, like other modern Americans, no doubt are scratching their heads and wondering where all the "gimmies" will end. It's "please give to this" and "please give to that" campaign just about every other week.

These demands on farmers' limited profits no doubt sometimes get to be confusing if not discouraging. We would like to point out that most of the causes are worthwhile and back up a sound and needed program.

Most of the gyp and unworthy promotions have been weeded out. The few that still drift around occasionally can usually be recognized. Generally anything that is not well-known should be investigated thoroughly.

Donation or subscription to the cause of your choice is the American way. Its improvement over taxation is obvious at first sight. It is then, up to every individual to decide for himself what drives he thinks worthy of his means.

So often, the results of these causes to which we are asked to contribute are vague and remote. It is seldom that we receive direct benefit. Farmers, like businessmen (and successful farmers MUST be businessmen) are interested in supporting programs that will be of immediate help to the industry.

One of these, we might point out, is the Grain Sorghum Producers Association, a Plains-born, Plains-backed outfit. This organization offers the rare combination of recognized leadership where men are more interested in getting something done than just talking.

Parmer County farmers pocketed more than one million dollars last year just on account of this group. There has been no general campaign for financial support until now. We hope local farmers will remember this young but energetic and effective organization.

SIGN OF THE TIMES

The government now uses a check writing machine which produces 100 checks a minute. But, apparently, this machine is obsolescent. A new one is on order—and it will zoom out the checks at the rate of 300 a minute.

That is about as typical a sign of the times we live in as anyone could imagine.

Water District Tries For Recharge Program

The High Plains Underground Water Conservation District is making an effort to have recharge irrigation wells included as a special conservation practice in the government farm program.

Public Law 1021 has set up a \$150,000,000 fund to be spent in the next 10 years for conservation practices, and the District hopes that drilling of recharge wells may be adopted as one of them.

If adopted, the practice would provide that the wells be drilled near lakes that would drain 300 acres or more. Federal cost share could be as much as \$2000 on the installation, and the well could be used for irrigation purposes.

Emergency Feed Program Extended

Walter T. McKay, state director of the Farmers Home Administration, this week advised Walter F. Johnson, county supervisor of the extension of the emergency feed grain program in Parmer County, that the program deadline has been extended.

Under this extension, farmers and ranchers may now file application through December 3 for a

supply of feed grain necessary to carry basic livestock herds through December 31, 1956.

This extension of the emergency feed grain program now coincides with the assistance available under the roughage program for Texas, and enables county FHA committees to consider total feed requirements, both roughage and grain, through December 31, says Johnson.

CONTROLLING THE BRAZOS

The usually tranquil Brazos River, in the forty-one years between 1891 and 1932, was responsible for 542 deaths and a loss of \$54 million in property damage. Water conservation, flood control and power generation would be achieved by completion of the thirteen-dam master program of the Brazos River Authority.

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Acreage Dispute Continues

Directors of the Plains Cotton Growers last week voted to contribute \$5,000 towards expenses of West Texas cotton producers involved in a suit with the Texas Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation committee over 1956 cotton allotments.

George Pfeiffenberger, executive vice-president of the Growers, says the organization believes West Texas producers are right and want to see the court case to a conclusion.

Pfeiffenberger said the Growers also voted to contribute another \$5,000 if it is needed.

Directors voted this action at the October meeting last Tuesday in Lubbock.

At the same time the directors endorsed Amendment No. 3 which will be on the November 6 ballot pertaining to letting state institutions re-invest money in other approved state programs such as experimental agricultural research stations.

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OCTOBER 1, 1955 TO OCTOBER 1, 1956

Cash on hand October 1, 1955	\$ 1691.90
CASH RECEIVED	
Membership	\$ 6080.00
Insurance Service Fees	1021.65
Mail Box Sign	1.00
	7102.65

Total to account for	\$ 8794.55
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EXPENSES	
Advertising	\$ 216.12
Community Organization (Rhea)	50.00
County Convention 1955	20.00
Delegate Expense to Convention	652.00
4-H, FFA & FHA Awards	210.00
Gate Signs for New Members	40.51
Membership Acquisition	261.76
Miscellaneous	57.46
Printing, Supplies & Postage	251.19
Property Tax	1.87
Queen Contest	83.00
Rent for 1st Six Months	270.00
Salaries	1773.18
Telephone & Telegraph	443.28
Farm Bureau Institute Dues	20.00
Texas Farm Bureau Membership	3085.00
Total Expenses	\$ 7435.37

Total Cash to Account for	\$ 8794.55
Total Expenses	7435.37

Cash on hand October 1, 1956	\$ 1359.18
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Expenses incident to writing and servicing insurance are paid by the agents and are not included in the report.

We, the undersigned conducted a detailed audit of this report of financial operations of Parmer County Farm Bureau for the year ending October 1, 1956 and find all entries of receipts and expenditures in order. Having been appointed audit committee for this report, we do herewith sign our names:

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Vote "FOR" 4

Local school teachers are now campaigning to inform people to vote "for" Amendment Number 4 come November 6 and election time. We want to join them in their effort.

Dallas School Superintendent W. T. White, according to a Dallas newspaper, termed the amendment "the most far-reaching educational legislation submitted to the Legislature and the people of Texas in the past quarter of a century."

The amendment, if adopted, will provide a revised retirement program that will, according to a pamphlet on the subject, 1. Recruit additional teachers. 2. Hold teachers in service. 3. Bring up to date a retirement program enacted in 1937 during the depression. 4. Permit teachers to contribute more to improve their own retirement program. 5. Provide disability, death and survivor benefits comparable to those available in industry and governmental service. 6. Provide reciprocity to attract out-of-state teachers. 7. Provide sound efficient administration. 8. Provide a more adequate benefit for teachers now retired. 9. Clarify and re-enact much of old retirement law.

By 1960, the pamphlet says, 350,000 additional children will be enrolled in Texas public schools. A total of 15,000 new teachers will be needed.

As can be seen by the above figures, that makes for a serious problem. If amendment Number 4 will help make the problem less serious, we're for it.

Jackie Adams Breaks Leg

Jackie Adams, two-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Adams, broke his right leg Tuesday of last week. He was playing on the slide at the city park when he slipped and fell.

The leg was broken between the knee and hip. He was taken by his mother to Parmer County Community Hospital at Friona and then to Lubbock, where he was admitted to the Methodist Hospital there. Friends report that Jackie is in traction and is doing as well as can be expected. He will be released from the hospital Friday but will have to be in traction for eight weeks.

McCormick In Amarillo Hospital

Junior McCormick was admitted to North West Texas Hospital in Amarillo Friday. He is undergoing treatment for a spinal ailment. His wife, is with him. He will be in the hospital for at least a week.

Visiting McCormick in the hospital over the weekend were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. McCormick, and her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wilcox.



Rainbow Meets Monday Night

Bovina Order of Rainbow for Girls met Monday evening in the Masonic Hall for a regular form meeting.

Members present were Mary Hartsell, Kay Leake, Harriette Lou Charles, Carole Hammonds, Charlotte Hromas, Bettye Mae Stevens, Janice Leake, Celia Berry, Patsy Richards, Sherri Langer, Sandra Martin and Sandra Rhinehart.

Adults present were Mrs. Julia Leake, Mother Advisor, and R. A. Hartsell, Rainbow Dad.

During the meeting, the girls decided to sell Rainbow Christmas candy to raise funds for the Rainbow treasury. Sales will begin sometime next week, Mrs. Leake says.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul L. Lloyd announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Pauline, to J. B. O'Hair, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. O'Hair of Lubbock. The ceremony will be Saturday, December 22, at 2:00 p. m. in Bovina Methodist Church. Miss Lloyd is a 1956 graduate of Bovina High School. She is now attending Draughon's Business College in Lubbock.

Elected Treasurer Of WT Sophomores

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Bradshaw received word last week that their daughter, Dyalthia, was elected treasurer of the sophomore class of West Texas State College in Canyon. Miss Bradshaw is majoring in English and Art Education and is a member of the Delta Zeta Chi sorority, of which she is also treasurer. The local girl lives at Randall Hall and works as assistant to the secretary of the First Baptist Church of Canyon.



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Dick Martin In Hospital

Dick Martin, son of Mrs. A. M. Martin, was admitted to Parmer County Community Hospital at Friona Sunday, October 7 with severe lung infection. It is reported that he will be confined to the hospital for at least three more weeks. Martin is a junior at West Texas State College.

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A-2c Bobby Webb Leaves for Georgia

A-2c Bobby Webb reported to Moody Air Base in Georgia recently, after being home on an extended leave. He has finished a jet mechanic's school and will work on engine jets in the future.

His wife, the former Tempie Willis, was unable to return with him. She is now visiting in Bovina with her mother, Mrs. Emily Kelley, and grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud Queen. Mrs. Webb expects to join her husband in the near future.

IN FRIONA HOSPITAL

Mrs. Sallie Potts was admitted to Parmer County Community hospital in Friona Tuesday of last week. Friends report that Mrs. Potts is under observation by doctors there. It is not known when she will be released.

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Junior MYF Has Party Recently

Members of the Junior MYF of the Methodist Church met Sunday evening, October 7, at the church for a sack lunch and party. Before the party, election of officers was held. Carole Jean Hastings was elected president. Vice-president is Gary Stevenson; secretary, Virginia Rea; and treasurer, Tally Kelso.

Games for the evening were led by Virginia Rea and Carole Hastings.

Others present were Billy Charles, Jimmy Redden, David Anderson, Wendol Davies, Dean Mayhew, Gary Stevenson, Tally Kelso, Phillip Lloyd, Myrtice Shockley, Linda Estes, Ann Lynn Wilson, Cathy Jones and Felipa Barraza.

Adult sponsors for the group are Mrs. W. R. Beard and Mrs. S. E. Redden. The Junior MYF is made up of children from 10 to 12 years of age.

Mustang Band Joins In Portales Parade

Director W. Wayne Stevens' Bovina Mustang Band, 58 strong, participated in Eastern New Mexico University's homecoming parade Saturday in Portales, N. M.

The local band joined some 12 other area bands and numerous floats in the parade.

Local band students attended the football game between ENMU-College of Idaho football game in the afternoon.

WSCS Introduces New Study Tuesday

Women's Society of Christian Service met Tuesday afternoon in the parlor of the Methodist Church for its regular monthly meeting. Mrs. Dean Hastings gave an introductory talk on the study which they will take up for this fall. The theme is "The Volcanoes of South East Asia" and is a study of the lives and problems of these people and their bearing upon our lives.

Others who assisted Mrs. Hastings by giving parts were Mrs. C. F. Hastings, Mrs. George Turner and Mrs. Earl Ware.

It was also announced that Mrs. Jimmy Charles will be in charge of this same study at the weekly meetings of the Marzie Lynn Circle.

Mrs. Charles says that anyone interested is invited to attend this study.

The meeting was opened with a hymn, "O Master of the Waking World" and the closing hymn was

"Beneath the Cross of Jesus."

Following the study, the group held a discussion of the Week of Prayer program and made plans to observe Friday, October 26, in the local church. Members of the

church are invited to meet at the church at 10:30 a. m. for the devotion. Plans were also made for a salad luncheon at noon.

The next meeting will be Tuesday afternoon, November 13.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Brock and daughters, Becky, Sharon and Debra, moved Wednesday of last week to Denver, Colo. They have spent the last five months here in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Brock.

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Cotton Gins Whir As Harvest Picks Up

In the first survey conducted this year, ginnings are running over 8000 bales this week in the Parmer County area, showing an edge on last year's reports of at least three weeks.

This is a significant development and one that farmers and ginners have been predicting ever since planting was completed in record time this spring.

Cotton farming on the High Plains is a "just barely" operation, with the number of growing days between freezes being critical in determining both quality and yield of the crop.

Last year, when a light but damaging freeze of October 6 caught thousands of acres of the crop still trying to make it, hundreds of cotton men moaned as yields and quality fell off sharply. Late planting, a cool spring and summer, a wet fall, late watering, and an early freeze played havoc with the Plains growers.

This year is an about-face, however, and the balmy fall days with plenty of sunshine have been perfect for King Cotton. Many first pullings are yielding a bale to the acre, and quality is exceptional.

Here are the reports from the field (the first of the week):

The Friona area, including two gins in that community, one at Summerfield, and two at the Hub, reports 4287 bales.

PLAINS FARMERS' GIN—Mostly strict middling and middling up to one inch. Most over 15-16, several over one inch. No stripper cotton. Do not expect to run 24 hours until stripping starts. Shortage of hand pullers hampers harvest.

TRI-COUNTY — Ginning some stripper cotton now, making one to two bales. H. O. Markley made 60 bales off of 45 acres, estimates 20 to 25 bales still in field. No

dry land cotton. 90 percent middling up. Running about 20 hours.

NORTH PLAINS—All hand pulled cotton. Harold Joe Wells pulled 21 bales from 15 acres. Most cotton 31-32, mostly strict middling light spot. Running 24 hours this week. Do not expect much stripped cotton until after frost.

FLEMING & SON—Just getting started. 75 to 85 percent of cotton defoliated. Strippers starting before frost. Yields above average, surprising owners. Hub community average about 1 1/2 bales, turnout and staple better, about like 1954. Expect to start running 24 hours this week.

WEST HUB—Yield lot higher than expected, also grade. Averaging bale first pulling, some as high as 1 1/2. Heavy frost will be necessary before strippers to run unless fields have been defoliated. Do not expect to run 24 hours until strippers start. De-linting operations running. Cotton lot better than 1955, about like or better than 1954.

TAM ANNE—This gin, just over the line in Castro County on Highway 86, is just now getting started. Some stripped cotton next week. Cotton better than 1955. The grade is good, mostly middling and strict middling.

Ginnings at Bovina are pushing 1000 bales. Limited defoliation practices have meant that most cotton is still being pulled by hand. Freeze that is expected soon will cause rush on gins.

NICKLES, FARWELL — Just barely touched harvest. Expects to get rolling good by end of week. Will probably put on night crews this week. 560 bales.

WATKINS, FARWELL—Haven't started yet. Been repairing gin. Just now ready to go. Harvest barely starting in area.

SHAFER, LARIAT—Harvest estimated one-sixth complete. Plan to put on night crew this week. 777 bales.

SCOTT, LAZBUDDIE — A poor telephone connection prevented getting details. However, harvest is progressing well in the southern and southeastern parts of the county. Estimated 1200 bales in Lazbuddie.

WATKINS, LAZBUDDIE — Just getting started, with about 15 to

20 percent of cotton in. Expects peak of harvest to come about a week after killing frost.

SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS



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October 7-13 was National Fire Prevention Week.

The key to fire prevention is "Don't give fire a place to start." Why invite destructive fires on farm premises by tolerating fire hazards or incurring fire risks? Every year farm fires cost about 3000 lives and destroy more than \$150 million in property value. This loss of life and property with the accompanying grief and distress is largely preventable.

Be prepared to fight fire. Keep your fire department number posted near your telephone, and be ready with an alternate way to give the alarm in case you can't use your phone.

Have at least 3000 gallons of water storage ready for use in any weather. Have a water supply, water pump, motor, electricity, hydrants, and hose ready and located where fire cannot prevent their use when needed.

When using fire extinguishers on wood and rubbish fires, use water, foam, or soda acid extinguishers. On oil, grease, and paint fires, use foam, carbon tetrachloride, carbon dioxide, or dry powder extinguishers. On fires in live electrical equipment, use carbon tetrachloride, carbon dioxide, or dry powder extinguishers. Have at least two types of extinguishers.

Be sure ladders are conveniently located and long enough to reach the roof of the highest building on the farm.

Have shovels, rakes and swatters ready to fight grass fires. Clean up grass, weeds, trash, and lumber along buildings and fences. Train youth as well as adults to recognize and eliminate fire hazards.

Sixty nine per cent of all farm fires are caused by either spontaneous ignition, electrical faults, lightning, and defective or overheated heating equipment.

THE HAPPY HOMEMAKER

If you are building a new home, remodeling an old one or re-doing a kitchen, be sure to look into the possibility of having a grease proof wall around your range.

The wall can be made impervious to grease splatters and easy to keep clean. The paneling to make the wall is plastic finished hardboard, which is available at many lumber yards. This material has a baked coating in wood grain and marble designs as well as solid colors.

At this time of year most homemakers begin to think about fruit cakes for Thanksgiving and Christmas. We don't have a fruit cake recipe that is especially good, but do have one for pumpkin spice cake that we like very much.

Cream 1/2 cup shortening and 1 cup sugar. Add one well beaten egg and blend thoroughly. Stir 1 teaspoon soda into 1 cup hot mashed pumpkin and add to the creamed mixture. Sift 2 cups flour, 1 teaspoon cinnamon, 1/2 teaspoon cloves and 1/2 teaspoon allspice together then add to the first mixture. Add 1 cup raisins and 1 cup chopped nuts and blend thoroughly. Bake in moderate oven.

Just recently we read two definitions which interested us very much. One was for a housewife and the other for a homemaker. Being a good housewife or housekeeper is much easier than being a good homemaker. A homemaker has to be a good manager in order to use her time wisely so that she may be a good wife, a good mother, and a good neighbor.

There are so many requirements for a good homemaker that it is easy to understand why a beginner would feel like giving up a lot of times. If some of you who are beginners make so many mistakes you think you will never learn, just don't give up.

Mistakes are only as disastrous as you let them be. They may even be stepping stones in the right direction if proper use is made of them. Try to remember that you are not the first one who put forth a lot of effort then failed to accomplish the task.

If there is an older homemaker in your neighborhood that you especially admire, it might help to cultivate some of her good points and use her as an example. However, it never pays to get the idea that she acquired the abilities which you admire without making a lot of mistakes.

In our opinion, there is no greater mistake than a person taking the attitude, "I've made a mistake and there's nothing left for me to do except give up." As long as you can learn a lesson from past mistakes and keep trying, you will surely benefit from the experiences.

Fall of the year always brings with it turnips and greens. We like the turnips better than the greens, but either one makes a nice addition to the noon or evening meal this time of year.

A league is about three miles.



PICK THAT CORN—A surprising number of mechanical pickers such as this one are in use in the Parmer County area this month, as harvesting of a good corn crop moves along. This unit was brought in from Greenville, attracted by reports of the crop here which is running from 65 to 125 bushels per acre, irrigated.

LEGAL COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF PARMER COUNTY THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF PARMER

On this 24th day of September, A. D. 1956, at a regular meeting of the Commissioners' Court of Parmer County, Texas, there being present and presiding:
A. D. Smith, County Judge
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ordered by Commissioner Ivy, and carried by unanimous vote, all members present voting, it is ORDERED that the regular meeting of this court on the 22nd day of October, 1956, be and same is

hereby designated as the date on which this court will set as a body and consider the proposition of whether or not any crop or vegetation of value that is susceptible to damage from herbicides exists in this county and whether this court should or should not invoke the provisions of Article 135B-4, of the Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, governing the sale, use and transportation of herbicides.

Said hearing will be held in the County Court Room in the Court-house in Farwell, Texas, on the 22nd day of October, 1956, at 1:30 o'clock P. M., and all interested persons may appear to show cause why an order by this Court, invoking the provisions of said article, shall not be entered.

The County Clerk of this County shall cause a copy of this order to be published in at least one newspaper in this county for ten days prior to the date for said hearing.

THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF PARMER I, Hugh Moseley, County Clerk of Parmer County, Texas, and ex-officio Clerk of the Commissioners' Court of said county, certify the above and foregoing to be a true and correct copy of an order duly enacted by said Court on the 13th day of August, 1956, as same appears of record in Volume 4, Page 140, of the Minutes of said Commissioners' Court.

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The Parmer County Implement Co. News

Wednesday, Oct. 17, 1956, Friona, Texas

Roy Wilson and Floyd Crume made short talks at the Progressive Study Club Tuesday. Their subject was soil and water conservation. Mr. Wilson gave some figures we thought you might be interested in. The total amount of water used in Friona in the month of July was 27,451,440 gallons. That is an average of 13,725 gallons per person or 41,175 gallons per family. The average per family of water wasted thru leakage was 2,058 gallons or 34 cents per family.

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Are you going to need a cheap breaking plow? We have several that have a lot of use in them that we can sell cheap.

Mr. and Mrs. John Gaede are back in Friona. Seems like John is allergic to almost every place except Friona. The Gaedes have been in Hot Springs and in Colorado Springs for several weeks but still like Friona best.

Did you hear the loud noise and feel the jar at your house Monday at noon? Felt like a little earthquake but it was a jet plane close by, that broke the sound barrier—anyway that is what we thought it was.

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Have you called for your demonstration of the new 400 tractor? See and drive one in your own field.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Robbins and two sons were visiting in Friona this weekend. The Robbinses live in Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. Blake were hosts to several young folks on Sunday for dinner in their home. Enjoying the day with the Blakes were Doris McFarland, Wesley Barnett, Phila Buske, Phillip Weatherly, Joe McLellan, Johnnie Hand, Don Reeve, Lavon Fleming, Robbie Boggs, and also Mr. and Mrs. Blake's daughter and her husband, and Burr Blake.

The time before frost is vanishing and so is the proper time for poisoning Johnson grass and bind weed. Better get some sodium chlorate and get the job done. It pays to use Penn Salt Sodium Chlorate.

Pete Buske is the only fellow we know who is ready for sub-zero weather. He has a coat with a built in heater. The coat works like an electric blanket and is powered by a small battery. If we get a big snow again this year and have cattle to feed maybe we can borrow Pete and his coat.

Several men from Friona are deer hunting this week. Elroy Wilson, Hap Fairchild, Huellette Lea, Ralph Wilson and Herschel Johnson are a few we heard about.

For your convenience we will have a parts man on duty Sunday afternoons until harvest is over. If the store is closed call 3051 or 5121. The phone numbers at the Parmer County Implement Co. and Pump Co. are 2091 and 2201.

Hoyt Smith is the new foreman at the Parmer County Implement Company warehouse. If we can or can't find anything he is to blame. Hoyt is a good cook, too. Cobbler pies are his specialty tho' he can fry eggs, too. While Hoyt's wife was visiting in Amarillo he decided to make a pie. His regular pie pan was lost so he found a pyrex pan, sugared and buttered them, turned the fire on under the pan and started to make a crust for his pie when bam! The blue berries and the glass dish exploded all over the stove, the ceiling, the cabinets, windows, door and the floor. That's been several weeks ago, but Hoyt is still cleaning up blue berries at his house.

To get stalks to rot quicker chop them up with a Servis or I. H. Stalk Shredder. We have them both for sale.

Most Sunday school lessons were on the Ten Commandments last Sunday. Our mother asked John Bill if he knew what they were. He said, "Say some." So mother quoted from Genesis and John Bill said, "Oh! yes, I know what they are—the pledge of allegiance to Jesus."

There are three parts men at Parmer County Implement Company now so you should get waited on in a hurry. Douglas Connelley, Mason Lane, and Cecil Osborn. Cecil is new here. He has just moved his wife and small daughters into Mrs. Hall's house in the north part of town. The Osborns are from Hale Center.

Our family enjoys Mexican food very much. Especially that at the El Monterey in Clovis. We ate there the other day and David, our five year old, ate and ate. When asked what he wanted for dessert the answer was, "Nothing, I'm overloaded."

Junior Team Loses To Farwell, 13-6

Bovina's Junior High football team lost to Farwell Tuesday night of last week, 13-6.

The Farwell boys jumped to a 13-0 first half lead, but Coach Bob Mills' Juniors came back in the third quarter to count with a spectacular play of their own. Kenneth Havner, who has been the big gun in the local offense all season, romped 90 yards for the score.

Huggins and Lovelace were standouts on the Farwell team.

O. W. Adams and James Clayton led the Bovina line in its plays.

BOVINA METHODIST CHURCH

W. R. Beaird, Pastor

Church school 9:45 a. m., public worship 11:00 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. Commission on education, Monday, 8:00 p. m., Marzie Lynn Circle, Tuesday, 2:30 p. m., choir practice, Wednesday 7:30 p. m. and group discussions, Sunday, 6:45 p. m.

Make a practice of attending the services of your church. It can help in meeting life and living it effectively. Attend Church School and Church services of your choice Sunday.

Methodist Church Choir

The choir of the Methodist Church is already working hard on a Christmas program of music. This program will be given on the night of Sunday, December 16. Details of this service will be given later. Mrs. Bedford Caldwell is the director and Mrs. John Wilson is the pianist.

Notice Of Interest

The children of the Methodist Home at Waco will be on the air each Sunday morning at 8:15. Station KGNC, Amarillo, will carry this interesting program. Tune in and listen.

T & C Club Hears Talk By Mrs. Ware

The home of Mrs. Carolyn Foster was the site Thursday afternoon of a regular meeting of the Town and Country Club. The group held a grab bag rummage sale during the meeting with the plan that each member must wear what she had purchased to a party. The party is planned for October 31 and husbands of the members will be special guests.

Mrs. Dorothy Ware, home economics teacher at Bovina High School, was guest speaker at the meeting. Mrs. Ware gave a talk on the teachers' retirement amendment.

The next meeting will be November 8, in the home of Mrs. Rhodes.

Tom Thumb's original name was Charles S. Stratton.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

Virgil Goodwin, Pastor

Sunday School, 9:45 a. m., morning worship 10:50 a. m. Training union 7:00 p. m. and evening worship, 8:00 p. m.

Wednesday, auxiliaries, 7:00 p. m., prayer meeting, 8:00 p. m. and choir rehearsal 8:30 and WMU, Tuesday 2:30 p. m.

Seven men from the local Baptist Brotherhood went to Oklahoma Lane Thursday evening and attended the Associational Brotherhood meeting in the Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church. The speaker for the evening, L. S. Tapscott of Dallas, was introduced by Judson Burnett, president of the District Nine Brotherhood of Texas.

Tapscott, executive secretary of the Brotherhood of Texas, spoke on the work and responsibilities of

the officers of the Brotherhood organization.

Following the talk, those present were guests to a chili supper provided by the Oklahoma Lane Brotherhood. They then divided into conferences, headed by John Rankin of Amherst, Judson Burnett, Tapscott and Franklin Swanner of Plainview. These groups studied the different duties and responsibilities of the organization. About 94 men were present for the meeting.

Those attending from Bovina were Alva Hudson, Homer Kelley, Don Murphy, J. D. Kirkpatrick, Glenn Kelley, Charles Hawkins and Rev. Virgil Goodwin.

Brotherhood of the Bovina First Baptist Church met Monday evening with 11 men present. The pro-

gram was given by Leslie McCain, Alva Hudson, Don Murphy, J. D. Kirkpatrick, and Alvin Glasscock. Other men present were Harold Hawkins, Glenn Kelley, R. N. Williford, Homer Kelley, Charles Hawkins and Rev. Virgil Goodwin.

Following the meeting, refreshments were provided by Charles Hawkins, Rev. Goodwin and J. D. Kirkpatrick.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Englant and children were Sunday dinner guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Englant.

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Texans Find Ike Stands For Same Things We Do

A fellow was in our town the other day selling men's suits. He was from St. Louis, and he said he was a manufacturer's representative. Grandpa would have called him a dry goods drummer, and Papa would have referred to him as a traveling salesman. This shows you how things change with time. But actually that fellow from St. Louis was doing just about what the earlier visitors did—trying to sell suits.

You might say that he stayed in the same place but the names went off and left him. Reminded me some of the political situation in Texas.

I was reading a letter in the daily newspaper last week, from a man who said he was going to vote for Eisenhower. "I am a Democrat," he wrote to the editor of the paper, "but I feel like the party has run off and left me."

Come to think of it, a lot of conservative-type Texas Democrats are in that shape today. They haven't changed their views much on such things as local control, government spending, bureaucratic red tape, and freedom of the individual; they still travel down the same road they did 20 or 30 years ago, even if they do it at 70 miles an hour instead of 25.

They grew up believing that a man could live down nearly any-

thing except voting for a Republican. They always voted 'er straight, until a good many of them jumped over the traces in '52 and went for Ike.

"I can't figure out what's happened," one of them told me. "Seems like Eisenhower talks like a Democrat and Stevenson talks like a college professor."

The other day this same fellow said: "I think I've got it figured out. Ike stands for the things us Texas Democrats have always stood for. Adlai is too thick with Walter Reuther and that crowd to suit me. I'm going for Ike again."

That's the way with most folks in our town. They decided to give Ike a try at it in '52, and they like the way he has gone about the job. There are some things they wished he'd done a little different, but by and large they think he has made us a fine President. At least all the hometown boys are back from Korea, and as far as we can tell the government is being run honestly.

Somebody asked that Missouri suit salesman how Mr. Truman was getting along, and he said he didn't know. "He isn't in the clothing business any more," he explained. "In fact, as far as I can tell, he is clear out of all kinds of business."

Yours Truly,
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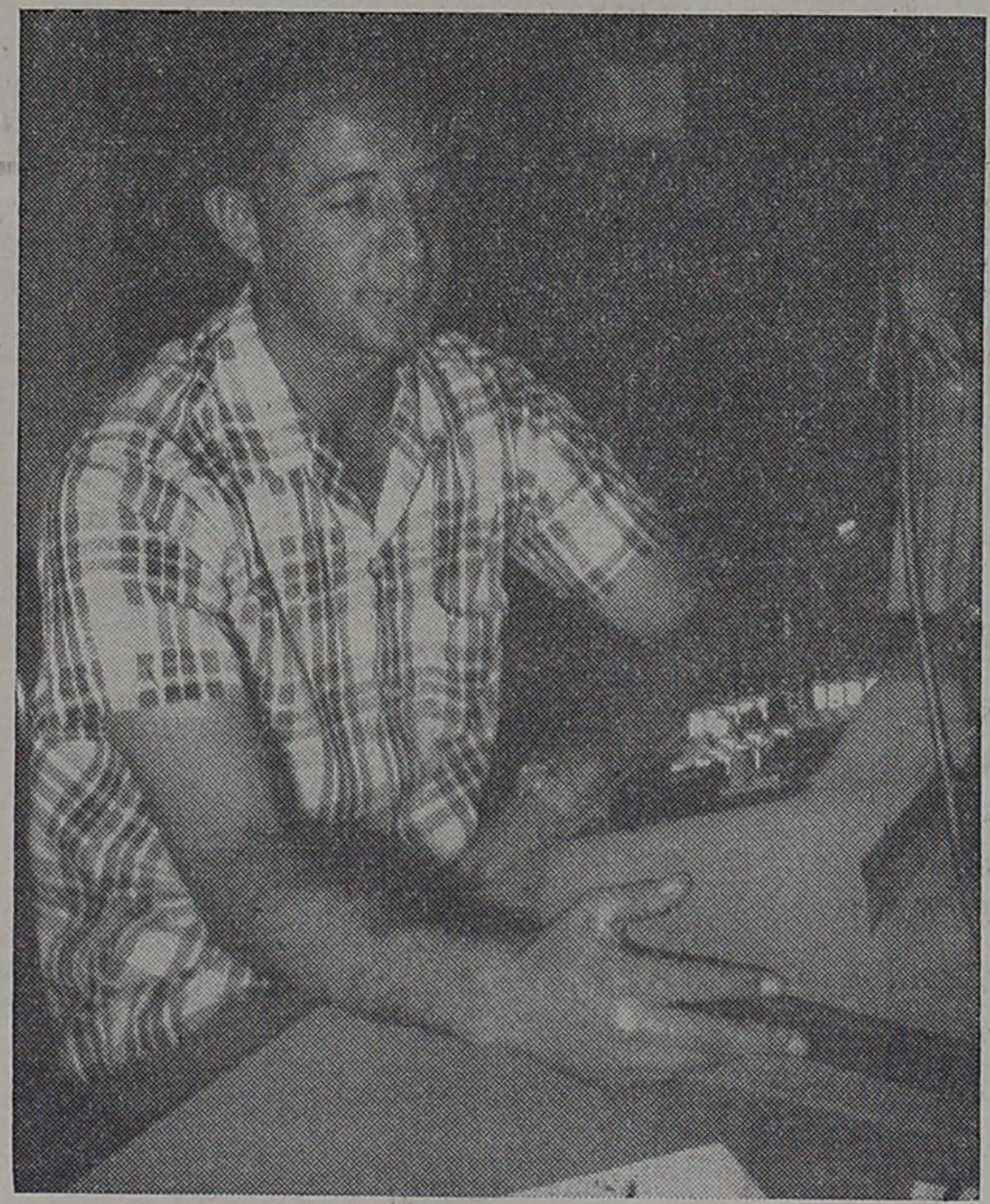
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LEGAL NOTICE OF ELECTION
 THE STATE OF TEXAS
 COUNTY OF PARMER
 CITY OF BOVINA

TO THE RESIDENT, QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF BOVINA, TEXAS, WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID CITY AND WHO HAVE DULY RENDERED THE SAME FOR TAXATION:

TAKE NOTICE that an election will be held in the City of Bovina, Texas, on the 1st day of Nov., 1956, on the propositions and at the place more particularly set forth in the election order adopted by the Board of Commissioners, which is as follows:

RESOLUTION CALLING AN ELECTION ON THE QUESTION OF

THE ISSUANCE OF WATERWORKS SYSTEM IMPROVEMENT AND EXTENSION TAX BONDS AND SEWER SYSTEM IMPROVEMENT AND EXTENSION TAX BONDS.

WHEREAS, the Board of Commissioners of the City of Bovina, Texas, deems it advisable to issue the bonds of said City for the purposes hereinafter mentioned;

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF THE CITY OF BOVINA, TEXAS:

1. That an election be held in said City of Bovina, Texas, on the 1st day of November, 1956, at which election the following propositions shall be submitted:

PROPOSITION NO. 1

"Shall the Board of Commissioners of the City of Bovina, Texas, be authorized to issue the bonds of said City in the sum of \$12,000.00, maturing serially in such installments as may be fixed by the Board of Commissioners, the maximum maturity date being not more than Twenty (20) years from their date, and bearing interest at a rate not to exceed Four and one-half (4½%) per cent per annum, and to levy a tax sufficient to pay the interest as it accrues and principal as it matures on said issue of bonds, for the purpose of improving and extending the City's Waterworks System, as authorized by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas."

PROPOSITION NO. 2

"Shall the Board of Commissioners of the City of Bovina, Texas, be authorized to issue the bonds of said City in the sum of \$13,000.00, maturing serially in such installments as may be fixed by the Board of Commissioners, the maximum maturity being not more than Twenty (20) years from their date, and bearing interest at a rate not to exceed Four and one-half (4½%) per cent per annum, and to levy a tax sufficient to pay the interest as it accrues and principal as it matures on said issue of bonds, for the purpose of improving and extending the City's Sewer System, as authorized by the Constitution and laws of the State of Texas."

2. That said election shall be held at Legion Hall, within said City, and the following named persons are hereby appointed directors of said election:

Will Parker, Presiding Judge,
 A. S. Wilkerson, Assistant Judge.

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FOR SALE—four room modern house with five lots. Second Street and Avenue F. A. L. Kerby, Bovina, phone 2332 or 4441. 10-tfnc

HOUSE FOR SALE—New, less than year old. 2 bedrooms. Garage attached. Roomy kitchen. Wonderful location. Billy E. Malcom, Ph. 2532, Bovina. 14-tfnc

FARWELL LODGE NO. 977, A. F. & A. M., Bovina, Texas., regular communication, second Tuesday of each month. Call meeting Tuesday, October 16, MM degree. 16-tfnc

FOR SALE—1953 2-ton International Truck. New 15' Hobbs Grain Bed. 1955—'850' Ford Tractor with blade lister, 4-row knife sled. 2 4-bale Cobey cotton trailers. W. G. Roundtree, four miles east on Dimmitt Hwy. 16-tfnc

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CHILI SUPPER. . . . Saturday night, October 20. . . . American Legion Hall. . . . sponsored by Marzie Lynn Circle of Methodist Church. . . . begins at 6:00 p. m. . . . Price: Chili 30c. . . . Soup 25c. . . . Pie-15c. . . . coffee and soft drinks-5c. 17-1tc

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A. L. Harsel, Clerk,
 Bobby Berggren, Clerk.
 3. The said election shall be held under the provisions of Chapter 1, Title 22 of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, as amended, including the provisions of Article 704, as amended by Chapter 382, passed at the First Called Session of the Forty Fourth Legislature, and only legally qualified electors who own taxable property in the City and who have duly rendered the same for taxation shall be qualified to vote.

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1—10' and 1—8' one-way plow.

1—grain auger with new motor. Will take \$1250 for it all. Contact Howard D. Ellison on FM Road 2290, west of Bovina. 17-1tc

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FOR SALE—Four room house with bath. Full length utility porch and basement. Also, used one-six burner Roper Range. Tom Griffith Phone 9001, Bovina. 17-2tp

704, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, as amended by Chapter 382, passed at the First Called Session of the Forty Fourth Legislature, supra. The Mayor is authorized and directed to have a copy of said notice posted at the City Hall and at two other public places within said City not less than fifteen days prior to the date fixed for holding said election. There being no newspaper published within said City, the Mayor shall cause said notice to be published on the same day in each of two successive weeks in a newspaper published within Parmer County and having a general circulation in the City of Bovina. The date of the first publication shall be not less than fourteen days prior to the date set for said election. Except as otherwise provided in said Article 704, as amended, the manner of holding said election shall be governed by the laws governing general elections.

ADOPTED AND APPROVED this 16th day of October, 1956.

J. E. SHERRILL, JR.
 Mayor, City of Bovina, Texas

ATTEST:
 HENRY MINTER
 City Clerk, City of Bovina, Texas. 17-2tc

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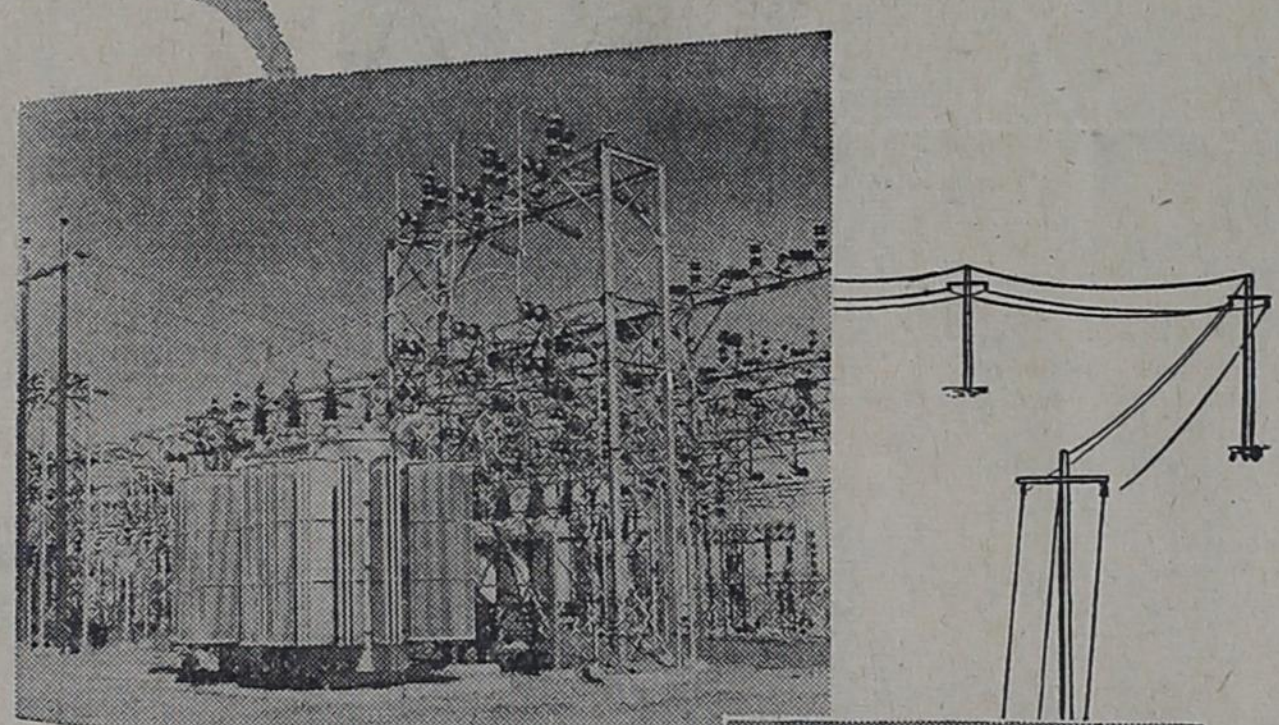
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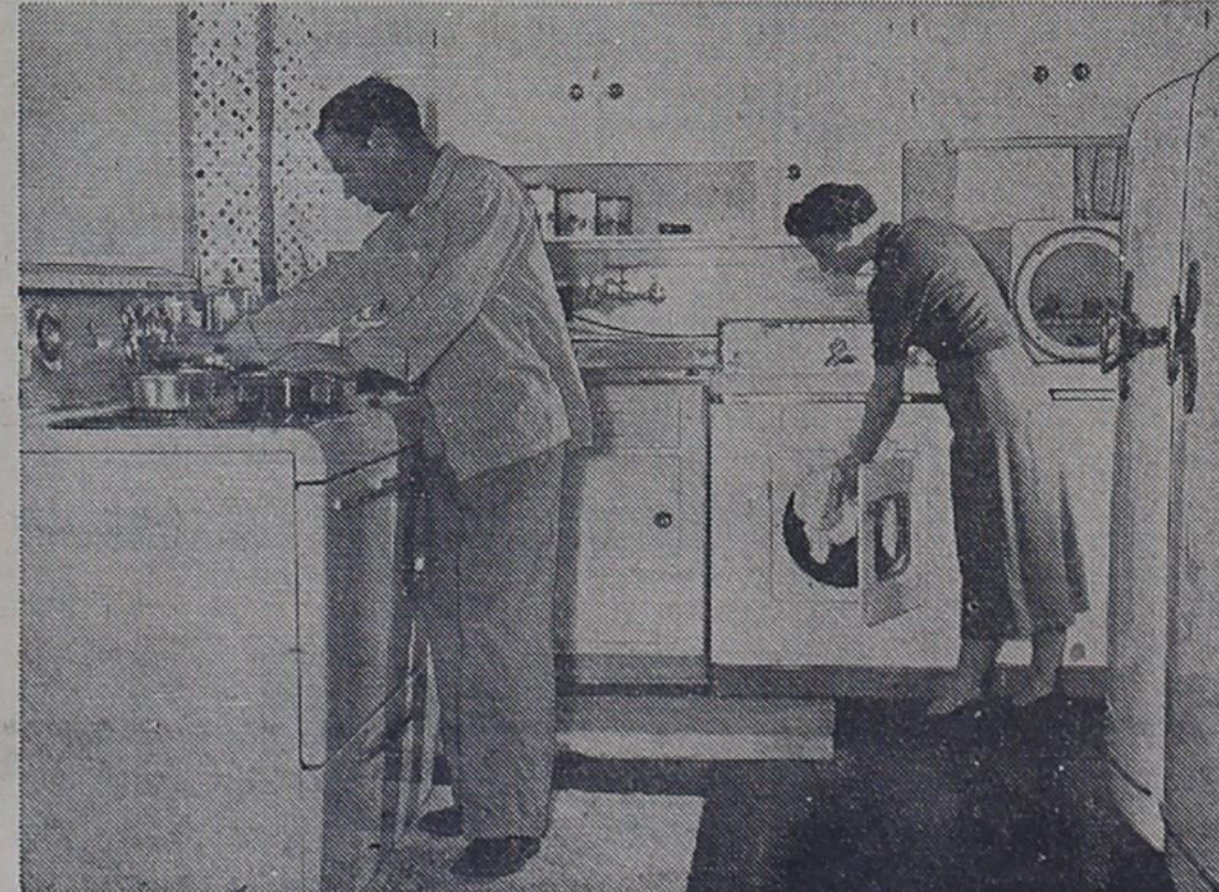
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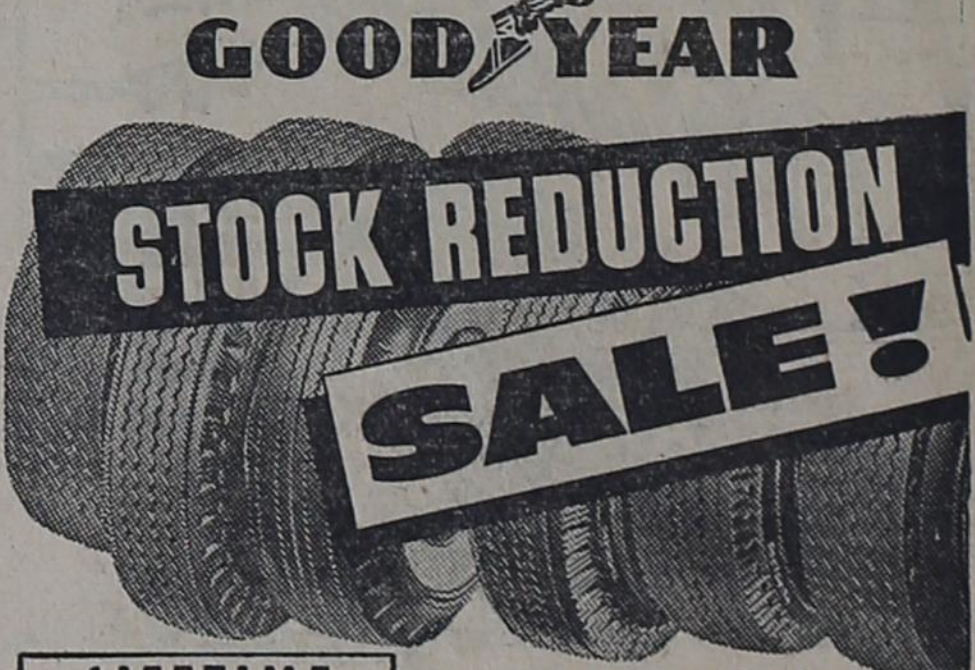
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