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Hospital Notes

Admissions to Parmer County Community Hospital since March 29, 1962.

Patsy Nance, OB, Texico, Sue Moten, Surg, Bovina, Linda Anderson, med., Friona, Esther Sachs, med., Friona, James McMahan, med.; Friona, Gregory Mahan, med.; Bovina, Mattie Queen, med.; Bovina, Sharon Kay Hardin, med.; Hereford, Travis Lloyd, med.; Bovina, Mildred Rule, OB, Friona, J. L. Russom, surg., Friona.

Dismissals since March 29, 1962.

Gregory Lee Mahan, Mary Bavousette, Peggy Harmon, Sue Moten, Linda Anderson, Mildred Sachs, Lols McCutchan, James, McMahan, Boy Nance, Patsy Nance.

New Drive-In--

cream cones to everyone who attends. Also visitors may register for three free trade certificates, Mrs. Kelso says. Trade certificates will be awarded in amounts of \$5, \$3, and \$2 at a drawing which will be at 9:30 Saturday night. It is not necessary to be present to win.

Featuring sandwiches, ice cream, and soft drinks, the drive in will be open daily at 10 a.m., Mrs. Kelso says. The business will be closed one day a week--probably Thursday.

Announcements concerning the new business are made in an advertisement in this issue of The Blade.

LAUGHS

A farmer said the best tranquilizer he ever had was a 4-bit rise in the price of wheat.

An eight-year-old lad was asked by his mother what he had learned at Sunday School. "Well," he said, "our teacher told us about when God sent Moses behind the enemy lines to rescue the Israelites from the Egyptians. When they came to the Red Sea, Moses called for the engineers to build a pontoon bridge. After they had all crossed they looked back and saw the Egyptian tanks coming. Moses radioed headquarters on his walkie talkie to send bombers to blow up the bridge and saved the Israelites."

"Bobby!" exclaimed his mother. "Is that really the way your teacher told the story?" "Not exactly," Bobby admitted, "but if I told it her way, you'd never believe it."

GUBERNATORIAL CANDIDATE--

Don Yarborough Sets Visit Here Tuesday

Democrat Don Yarborough, a candidate for office of Governor of Texas, will bring his campaign to Parmer County and Bovina.

Yarborough's visit is scheduled for Tuesday afternoon



Don Yarborough . . . coming here

Mrs. A. R. McCutchan was hospitalized at Parmer County Community Hospital last Monday evening. She is reported to be improving.

from 3:15 to 3:45. He will be present for an informal coffee in dining room of Bovina Restaurant.

Announcement of the gubernatorial candidate's scheduled visit to Bovina was made this week by Wyle Bullock of Lubbudde, who is his Parmer County campaign manager. This will be his only scheduled stop in Parmer County.

Yarborough, who is no relation to Texas' senior senator Ralph Yarborough, has proposed a five point program for progress to stimulate a rebirth of economic prosperity in rural Texas.

Included in his five-point program:

(1) A much-needed increase in old age assistance "to lift Texas above its 41st ranking in the way we treat our older citizens."

(2) Repeal of the general sales tax by substituting "long overdue" taxes on interstate gas pipeline companies and out-of-state corporations. "The general sales tax hits family budgets and hurts small businesses everywhere and small communities in particular," he says.

(3) An aggressive industrial development program for rural areas to stimulate job oppor-

tunities for these areas.

(4) Formation of a "Small Business Task Force" to meet with the Governor and develop legislation to end monopolistic practices by big out-of-state corporations.

(5) Formation of a rural af-

fairs division in state government to help "protect our great rural electric cooperative from being squeezed out by private power monopolies."

This will be first visit of a candidate for governor to Bovina since Ralph Yarborough was

here in '56. No other candidates in this year's race have announced plans to campaign here.

All Democrats in the area are welcome, and invited, to meet with Yarborough when he stops here, Bullock says.

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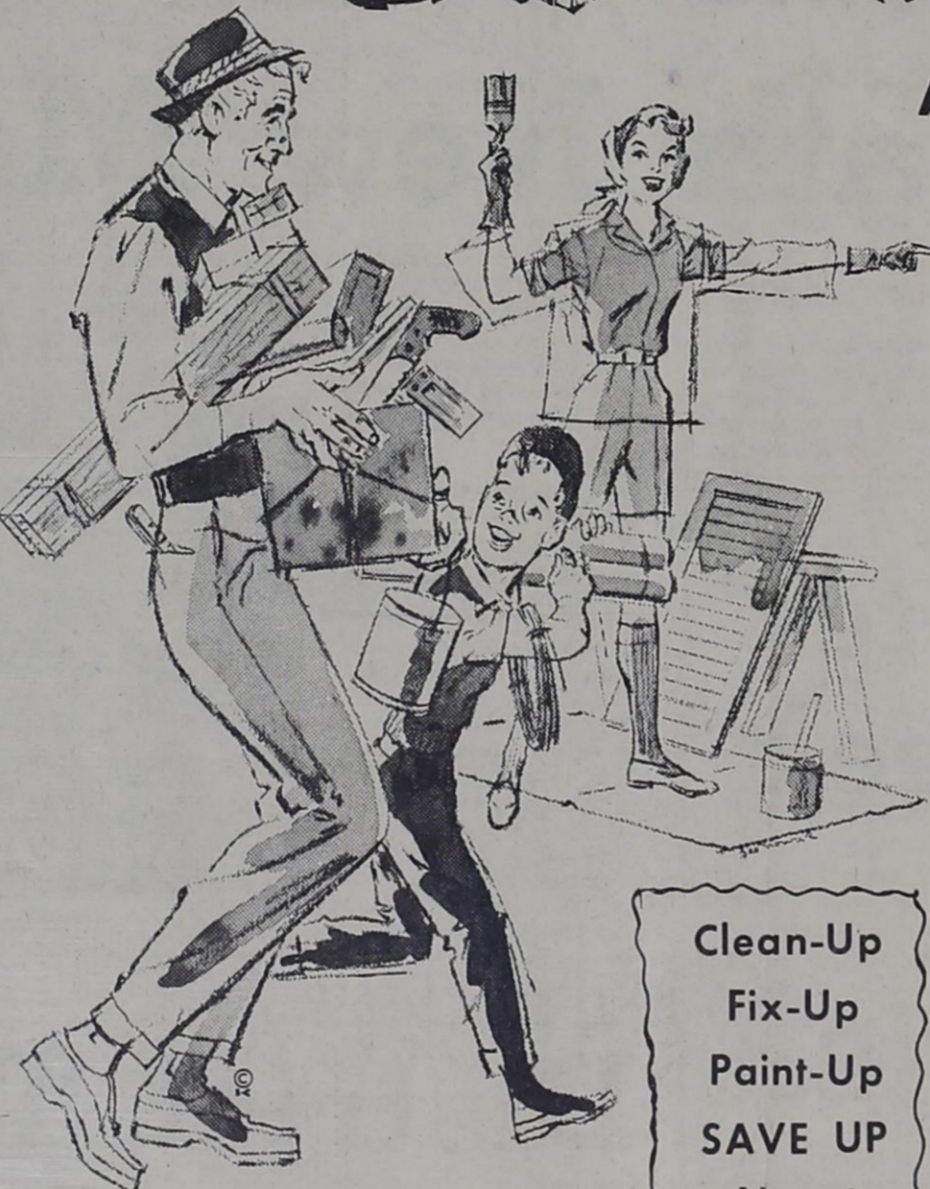
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BOVINA, HAPPY LEAD--

Literary Contest Winners Named

Happy and Bovina were leaders in district literary events which were conducted in Bovina Friday. Bovina was tops in grade school events while Happy held the lead in high school division.

Hart and Lazbuddie were also entered in high school division. Those two schools plus Walcott were in grade school bracket. District winner of spring meet won't be known until after this weekend, because track and field points are combined with literary points to determine overall winner. Track and field events will be Friday at Lazbuddie.

Bovina students gaining places in grade school literary events were Sharon Henke, first, girls sub-junior declamation; Stuart McMeans, second, boys sub-junior declamation; Vicki Hawkins, first, girls junior declamation; Bill Caldwell, first, boys junior declamation; Connie Vaughn, first, eighth grade declamation; picture memory team, first; Zaida Donaldson and Mike Grissom, first place team, fifth and sixth grade spelling; Irene Thornton and Margie Carter, first place team, seventh and eighth grade spelling.

Bovina high school contestants placing including Billy Minter, second, extemporaneous speaking; Don Cumpton, first, number sense; Jerry Rigdon, fourth, typing; Ann Lynn Wilson, third, girls poetry interpretation; Wyndol Davies, third, boys poetry interpretation; Bobby Gonzales, second, prose reading. Ready writing results have not been announced.

Blade Sawdust by SUE MOTEN

Getting back in the groove after a six weeks vacation isn't as easy as we expected. It is especially hard to follow in the foot steps of June Floyd, who did and, always does, such a swell job writing and finding out news.

Had you ever thought about the number of people who wear glasses as compared with the number a few years ago? Nearly everyone we know at least wears glasses to read. This "glasses" incident occurred at the beauty shop the other day. Mrs. Bill Venable was roasting under the dryer, trying to read with some difficulty, when another customer who was about to leave the shop began searching for her glasses. After a thorough search of the premises, she noticed that Mrs. Venable was wearing her glasses by mistake. Could be the reason the print was rather blurred in the magazine.

There are several types of persons who wear glasses, the fumble, stumblers and the fortunate few who have to wear them merely for reading. The fumble are the ones who lay their glasses by their bed at night and fumble for them the first thing next morning. Stumblers usually fall into the bifocal category. It seems that when looking down through bifocals one is apt to see a step that isn't there or else miss a step. Those who wear reading glasses are the ones whose arms have gotten too short; the paper has to be held at a greater distance than an arm's length. Then there are those who wear glasses for looks which is more than I can comprehend since they are to a certain extent a nuisance if one doesn't really need them.

There has been from time to time some talk of trying to get an exchange student in Bovina. Tying in with this idea the Woman's Club has scheduled two students to speak at their next meeting and are inviting the senior class as guests for the day. Also in this line the Woman's Society of Christian Service is working toward getting an exchange student in our community. Maybe with the combined efforts of the two groups Bovina will be able to sponsor one of these young people in the near future.

OL Church Plans Revival

Oklahoma Lane Methodist Church will have its annual spring revival April 8 - 15. Services will be twice daily -- at 10:30 a.m. and 8 p.m. Rev. Wayland Dowden, pastor of Wesley Methodist Church, Levelland, will be guest preacher. Rev. Douglas Gossett is church pastor. Sunday morning, the church choir, composed of 20 voices and directed by Mrs. Troy Christian, will present a special program. Mrs. Donald Christian is organist. The church has 113 members. During past 10 months average attendance to Sunday morning worship service has been 75. The Church carries a full program, including Sunday evening fellowship for children, youths and adults and Wednesday night Bible Study and choir practice.

Visits Brother

Ovid Lawlis left Sunday morning for Austin where he will visit with his brother and family, Dr. and Mrs. Virgil Lawlis. Making the trip with him were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Lawlis of Sylvester.

Clubs Present Easter Parade

"The Easter Parade", a style show, is being presented in Friona High School auditorium at 8 p.m. Friday, April 6. This event is presented annually by Friona's three federated clubs. Merchants sponsoring show will be Allen's Jewelry, Charm Beauty Shop, Foster's, Hurst's, Jarrell Variety Store, Lu Nora's, Mary Lou's Beauty Shop, Patti's Beauty Shop, and Ruthie's Flower Shop. All Bovina residents are invited to attend show by Friona Woman's Club, Modern Study Club and Progressive Study Club.

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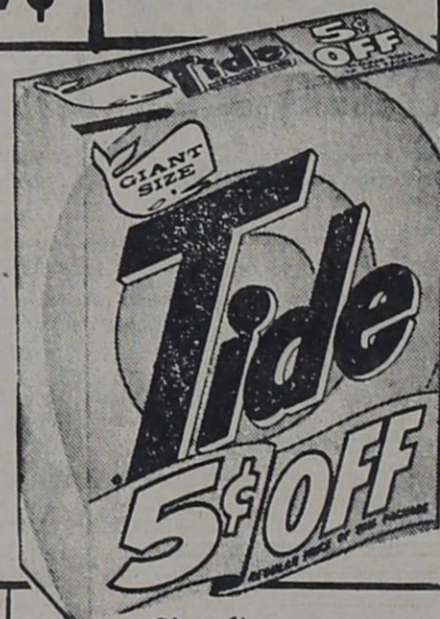
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Giant Box TIDE 5c Off Label 65c



Roxey DOG FOOD 3 Tall Cans 25c

Shurfine CRUSHED PINEAPPLE No. 2 Can 29c

Nabisco Honey GRAHAM CRACKERS 1 lb. Box 39c

Meadolake OLEO lb. 25c

Sunshine Krispie CRACKERS 1 lb. Box 29c

Shurfine R.S.P. CHERRIES 2 No. 303 Cans 49c

Tendercrust VANILLA WAFERS Full lb. Pkg. 29c

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Shurfine PRESERVES Plum or Peach 20 oz. Jar 35c

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Exchange Students To Present Program To Woman's Club

Gillian Anne McArthur of Edinburgh, Scotland and Lars-Peter Lantz of Stockholm, Sweden, exchange students from Hereford, will be guest speakers at Bovina Woman's Club

April 12, Miss McArthur will speak on "Scotland Has Her Ways" and Lantz will talk about "My Swedish Life." Both students are 17 and are living with families in Hereford for their senior year of high school. Bovina seniors will be guests for the meeting, according to the program chairman, Mrs. Warren Morton.

No. 000

SAMPLE BALLOT

You May Vote For Candidates Of Your Choice By Scratching Or Marking Out All Names In That Race

No. 000

April 7, 1962 Bovina

City Alderman Election

Note: Voter's Signature To Be Affixed On The Reverse Side

Bovina City Alderman Election Vote For Three (3)

- A.L. Glasscock
- E.B. Caldwell
- J. E. Sherrill
- J. T. Hammonds
- George Turner
- C.R. Elliott
- A.R. McCutchan

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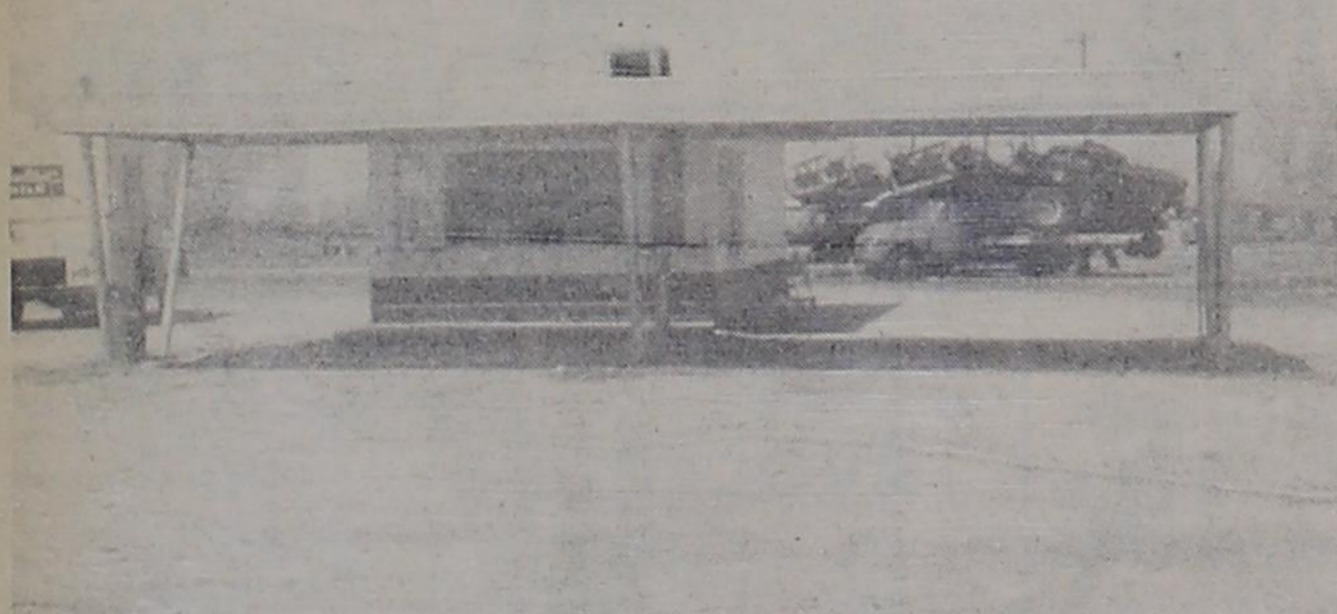
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R. E. Wilsons Host Party

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wilson entertained several guests with a dinner party Thursday evening in their home.

Following the dinner the group spent the evening playing bridge.

Winning high for the evening was Mrs. G. D. Anderson. Attending the party were Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Jack McCracken, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Caldwell, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Grissom, Mr. and Mrs. G. D. Anderson and the hosts.

Greig Mahon Hospitalized

Greig Mahon, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Barber, underwent surgery Saturday at Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona. He is reported to be improving.

Visits Ezells

Mrs. Della Ezell of Alamo-gordo, N. M. visited in the home of her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ezell recently. She is a former resident of Bovina.

Hub Scene of Church Party

Hub Community Center was scene of a party for members of Church of Christ and their families Friday evening.

They had a sack lunch supper and spent the evening playing bridge, volleyball, croquet and other games.

Among those present were Mr. and Mrs. Don Stone and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Marshall and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Pinner and Toni, Mr. and Mrs. James Boardman and son, Mr. and Mrs. William Gromowsky and family, Mr. and Mrs. Levi Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Johnson and family of Oklahoma City; Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Johnston and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Mills and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Sudderth and girls, Mrs. Fred Roberts of Pierre, S. D.; Mr. and Mrs. Harley Riddle, Jon Lynn Riddle and Brenda Jones, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Rhodes and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Jefferson, Mr. and Mrs. Rex Bearden, and several other visitors.

Science Students To Palo Duro

Approximately 43 Junior High science students went on a field trip Saturday to Palo Duro Canyon. The annual affair is sponsored by the West Texas Geological Society.

The group was taken on guided tours of several rock formations and other sights pertaining to science.

Following the tour they had lunch in the canyon at a restaurant.

Sponsoring the group was Miss Grace Paul and Charles Thompson.

VARIETY OF SUBJECTS--

City Commission In Long Session

In what may be last official meeting of a three-member city government here, Bovina city commission discussed a variety of subjects in a lengthy regularly-scheduled meeting last (Tuesday) night in city hall. Saturday, Bovina voters will have an opportunity to change three-man city commission type government to six-man aldermanic form.

Mayor C. R. Elliott presided at the meeting. Commissioners Al Kerby and Bud Crump were present as were newly-elected mayor Boyd Gilreath, who was sworn in following the meeting, City Secretary Virgil Tritesch and Dolph Moten of The Blade.

Bedford Caldwell and Dean McCallum, representing Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture, met briefly with the board and requested that city construct a concession stand and restrooms at new community ballfield.

They submitted plans for the combined structure. Commission agreed to consider the proposal. Elliott advised that

the chamber assist the city in getting bids for the building and other information.

Caldwell also asked the city's cooperation with the chamber-scheduled Clean-Up, Paint-Up, Fix-Up Week which is April 9-14. Commission agreed to cooperate by painting lines designating parking places on Main Street and by other reasonable methods suggested by the chamber.

The commission considered proposals made by fire department which included giving free water service to members in good standing. Action on the proposals was tabled "until the new government is organized."

A discussion was held concerning changing Third Street from a D zone, which calls for restricted retail businesses (where all business is conducted inside a building) to E zone, which is for all types of retail businesses. The commission requested that they study the idea and make a recommendation to the city in regard to the proposed zone change.

A letter from O. W. Rhinehart which proposed the change was read.

A request to close Avenue H between Seventh and Eighth Streets was considered. No action was taken on the request. Commissioners agreed to dis-

cuss a rodent control program with a representative of Orkin Exterminating Co. of Lubbock. Crump was appointed to have a representative of the firm meet with the commission to iron out details of the proposed program.

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CHARTER NO. 14755
RESERVE DISTRICT NO. 11
REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE

FIRST NATIONAL BANK

OF BOVINA

In the State of Texas, at the close of business on Dec. 31, 1961 published in response to call made by comptroller of the currency, under section 2211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS

- Cash, balances with other banks, and cash items in process of collection, \$432,031.87
- United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed, \$63,879.75
- Obligations of States and political subdivisions, \$21,111.92
- Other bonds notes and debentures, None
- Corporate stocks (including 4,500.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank), \$4,500.00
- Loans and discounts (including \$1,109.02 overdrafts), \$54,026.40
- Bank premises owned \$23,258.84 furniture and fixtures \$4,370.72 \$4,229.56
- TOTAL ASSETS \$1,939,781.24

LIABILITIES

- Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations, \$1,038,818.40
- Time and savings deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations, \$269,124.12
- Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings), \$4,000.00
- Deposits of States and political subdivisions, \$32,338.70
- Deposits of banks, None
- Certified and officers' checks, etc., \$3,454.40
- TOTAL DEPOSITS \$1,753,879.62
- (a) Total demand deposits, \$1,449,748.74
- (b) Total time and savings deposits, \$304,131.12
- TOTAL LIABILITIES \$1,753,879.62

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

- Capital Stock: (a) Common stock, total par \$, \$50,000.00 (b) Preferred stock, total par \$, None retraceable value \$, None
- Surplus, \$100,000.00
- Undivided profits, \$39,801.88
- Reserves (and retirement account for preferred stock), None
- TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS \$189,801.88
- TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS \$1,939,781.24

MEMORANDA

- Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes, \$200,000.00
- Loans as shown above are after deduction of reserves of, \$2,476.42
- Loans to farmers directly guaranteed and redeemable on demand by the Commodity Credit Corporation, and certificates of interest representing ownership thereof, \$299,000.00
- TOTAL AMOUNT OF LOANS, CERTIFICATES OF INTEREST AND OBLIGATIONS, OR PORTIONS THEREOF (listed above), which are fully backed or insured by agencies of the United States Government (other than United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed), \$501,476.42

I, ALFRED L. MOODY, Cashier, of the above-named bank do hereby declare that this report of condition is true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Alfred L. Moody

We, the undersigned directors, attest the correctness of this report of condition and declare that it has been examined by us and to the best of our knowledge and belief is true and correct.

Robert E. Wilson, Director
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WEDNESDAY UP \$29 Ba Sh Deposits Bank of Bovina mately \$300 a year ago. At first q 26, deposits 86, Alfred M. announces. of \$291,161 a year ago. Assets an \$1,972,557,8 call. Loans 30 to \$687.7 The bank cates a so

UP \$ 291,161.19--

Bank Deposits Show Increase

Deposits at First National Bank of Bovina are up approximately \$300,000 over same time a year ago.

At first quarter call March 26, deposits totaled \$1,753,879.86, Alfred Moody, bank cashier, announces. This is an increase of \$291,161.19 over same day a year ago.

Assets and liabilities totaled \$1,972,557.81 at time of last call.

Loans are up from \$568,979.30 to \$687,748.36.

The bank's statement indicates a somewhat healthier

economy for the area than that of a year ago.

Bank's liabilities, other than deposits, include capital, \$50,000; surplus, \$100,000; undivided profits, \$35,901.53; and reserve for losses, \$32,776.42.

Assets, other than loans, are cash and due from banks, \$462,031.57; securities, \$84,991.27; C.C.C. certificates of interest, \$299,057.05; stock in Federal Reserve Bank, \$4,500.00; banking house, \$29,258.84 and furniture and fixtures, \$4,970.72.

The bank's official statement of condition appears in this issue of The Blade.

Production Exceeds Demand As Oil Industry Enters '62

By ALEX ADWAN United Press International

TULSA, Okla. (UPI) — Price wars, market surpluses and a continued battle over governmental controls of imports, production and pricing plagued the nation's petroleum industry during 1961.

The best guess for 1962 is, to a degree at least, more of the same.

The industry in general reported a good first half during 1961, with demand and profits rising along with general business activity after a tough year in 1960. But by the year's end, production was ahead of demand. The industry will open the new year with a surplus of products.

"It is estimated that for the entire year 1961 demand will show an increase of only about one per cent over 1960," L. F. McCollum, president of Continental Oil Co. and newly-elected chairman of the American Petroleum

Institute, said.

McCollum expects the new year to begin with inventories of crude oil and refined products at a record high of more than 800 million barrels, about 10 per cent above the level at which he believes the industry "could operate efficiently and still have products sufficient to meet any unforeseen contingencies."

By year's end, average nationwide wholesale prices for refined products had declined 5.4 per cent since February and were 3.2 per cent below the level of a year ago.

Is this likely to change in 1962? "The prospects for better prices and earnings during 1962 would be much improved if the anticipated 2.5 to 3 per cent increase in demand were to be met by drawing from existing inventories rather than stepping up refinery runs," McCollum said.

The new API chairman also called for recognition of overcapacity in nearly all phases of oil operation, including increased production of natural gas products and imports.

During the last half of 1961, price wars were a symptom, if not a cause, of the ailments of the petroleum business. Traditional ideas of competitive pricing seemed to have faded and new developments introduced in 1961 will get a good tryout during 1962.

do not. This debate will continue through 1962.

The oil import situation got plenty of attention in 1961 and will stay in the spotlight during 1962. A House Small Business subcommittee is making a study of the problem and will come up with some recommendations this year.

Despite the question marks, the supply and demand committee of the Independent Petroleum Association of America predicted a year of little change. The forecast called for a 2.6 per cent increase in demand for liquid hydrocarbons (compared with a 7.7 per cent growth in Gross National Product); a reduction of 76,000 barrels per day in inventories; an increase in natural gas liquids of 31,000 barrels a day and a domestic crude production of 7,185,000 barrels per day — unchanged from 1961.

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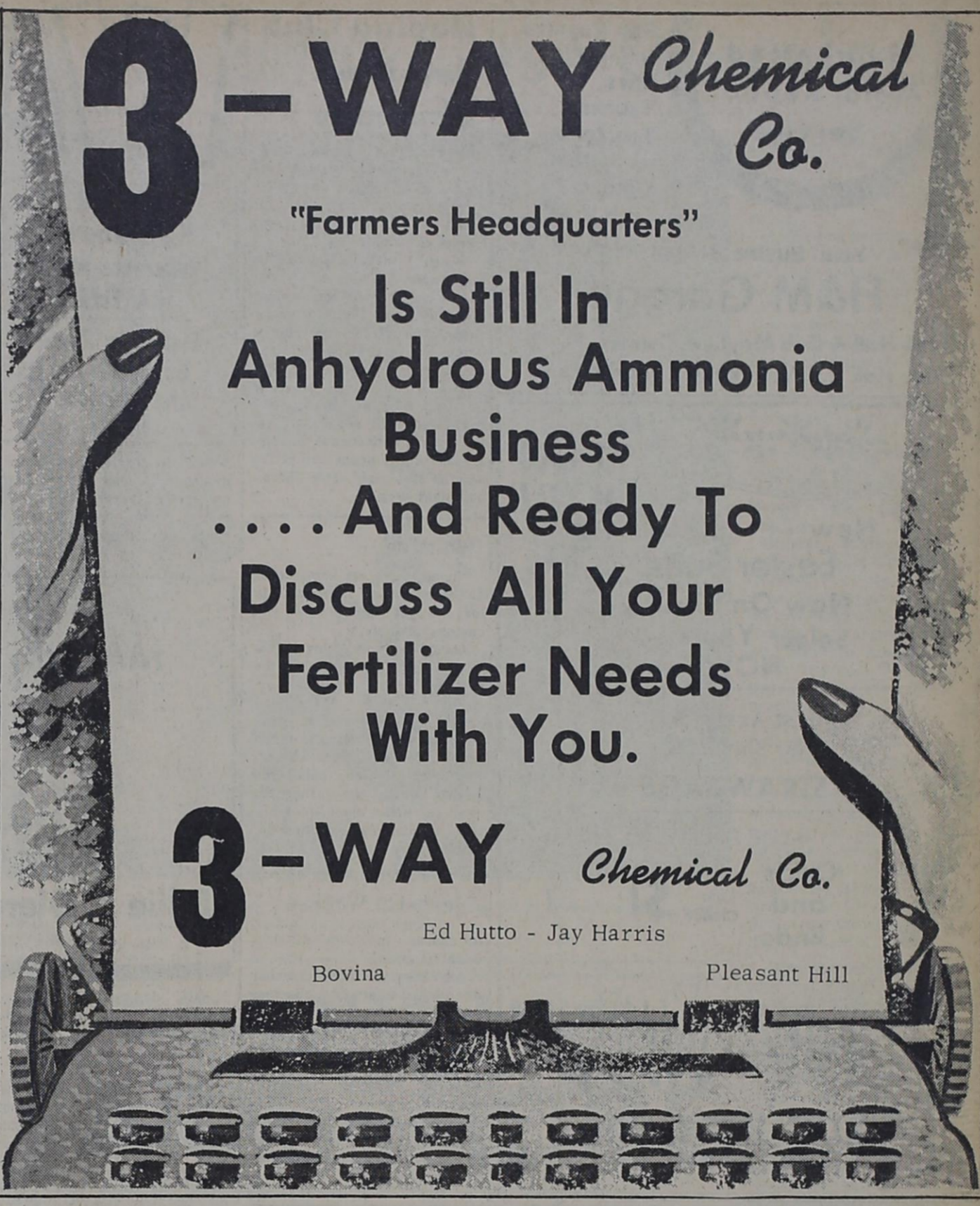
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Feed manufacturers each year consume more than \$1 billion worth of grain and high protein meals — enough to fill the Empire State Building about 125 times.

They use \$400 million worth of transportation — equivalent of a round trip jet plane ticket from New York to Miami for every person in New York City.

Consumption of vitamins, antibiotics, minerals, and chemicals — about \$200 million worth — equals the value of medical drugs used by the entire U. S. population for

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Roping Club Sets Meet Thursday

Discussion of plans for second annual Bovina Quarterhorse Show will highlight a called meeting of Bovina Roping Club which is slated for tomorrow (Thursday) night.

Meeting will be in Bovina Restaurant.

Announcement of the session was made early this week by Hugh Moseley, secretary-treasurer of the organization.

Committees have been working on details of the show for past several weeks. Concrete plans in regard to the show and to activities at the roping and rodeo arena will probably be announced at the Thursday night session.

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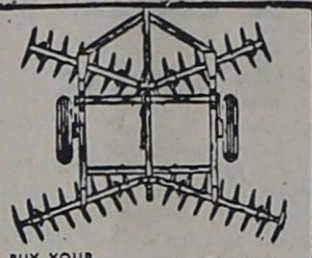
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May God continue to bless you in our prayer.

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May be take this means of expressing our thanks to the Texico, Farwell and Bovina Fire Departments and also to the friends and neighbors who put out the prairie fire at our place last Sunday.

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Election--

ernment was made after city commission was submitted a petition requesting such an election be held. The petition was signed by some 40 citizens, more than 10 per cent of qualified voters in city.

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That bearskin rug in lobby of First National Bank is owned by Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ellison. The bear himself, publicized in this column several months ago, was killed near their cabin in mountains near Ruidoso, N. M.

Clean-Up Week--

up chores in town will probably be made.

Members of local chamber are invited to attend a chamber workshop sponsored by West Texas Chamber of Commerce Monday at West Texas State College in Canyon, Jack McCracken, chamber manager, says.

Plans to attend by some members here will also be made at the Thursday morning meeting, he says.

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Area Farmers Apprehensive As Estes Case Develops

22 Attend Sesame Meeting In Bovina

Sesame production and marketing trends and developments were discussed at a steak dinner in Bovina Restaurant Monday night.

Robert Parker, vice president of Texas Sesame Growers, presented a brief resume of the industry and its present trends.

"Last year, 23 million pounds of sesame were imported," Parker said. "When the industry was first started here (1956-57), the total consumption was only 10 million pounds," he added.

Parker reported that a bill

(HB 10330) is now before the legislature to allow sesame growers to grow the crop on diverted grain acres and collect one-half of the diverted acre payment. Last year, sesame could be grown on diverted acres but the diverted acre payment was forfeited.

With the high grain base on most farms in Parmer County which provided sizable diverted acre payments, most of the farmers chose to take the payment rather than grow sesame, Parker reported. The bill was designed to encourage farmers to grow the oil crop. Sesame growers may expect an average of at least \$52 per acre net return on their investment under average conditions, according to the information disclosed at the meeting.

"Margo Sesame is the best variety to use in this area," Parker told the 22 men gathered at the dinner sponsored by Cummings Farm Store of Friona, sesame dealer in Parmer County.

For most efficient production, sesame requires one less watering than does grain sorghum, according to Parker. A hot, 120 to 130 day growing season is also best for production.

Raymond Hodges, association field representative at Muleshoe, described the progress being made on the self-feeding attachment for a combine to harvest sesame. Movie of the machine in operation were also shown.



Sampling sesame chips which are now being manufactured in Paris, Texas as part of the sesame market expansion are Carl Schlenker (L), of Rhea, Robert Parker, vice president of Texas Sesame Growers, Doyle Cummings, Friona and

Curtis Murphee, Friona. The four were among the 22 men attending the county sesame meeting in Bovina Monday night.

Parmer County farmers are viewing the developments in the case against the Estes Enterprises with keen interest but have escaped direct involvement to date.

A check on chattel mortgages at the courthouse failed to reveal any mortgages of undue size or without ample reason.

In addition, the number of tanks mortgaged in the county is not apparently out of line with the number of tanks actually needed in county operations. A full check of county records was conducted about six weeks ago in an effort to determine whether mortgages similar to those discovered in Reeves County also existed here. Results were negative.

Several farmers with ammonia contracts with Associated Growers of Friona have voiced some apprehension concerning the assurance of future delivery according to their agreement. Any statement concerning the future operation of Associated Growers of Friona would be speculative.

Several thousand dollars have been paid by farmers as advance payments on ammonia contracts in consideration of the present low price, according to information supplied by farmers in the area. The exact figures are not available.

No action has been taken against the company and no report as to the future operation of the company is accessible at this time.

Although farmers do not agree with the illegal operations of the Estes Enterprises, they have reaped a sizeable profit due to lower prices paid for ammonia since Estes entered the field.

Ammonia prices fell from around seven cents per pound to a low of two and one-half cents per pound in the county after Estes and his associates entered the field. According to the reliable reports, ammonia sold at less than cost during the lowest price period.

Several reports of illegal transactions of ammonia during the past five years have been received by Parmer county newspapers, but no undeniable proof has been obtained at present.

Although the question is far from settled, present indications are that Associated Growers' operations in Parmer county will continue.

Local Delegates Attend National FU Convention

Several area people recently returned from Denver after attending the 60th Annual Convention of National Farmers Union.

Those attending the convention were: Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Lesly, Mr. and Mrs. Wyle Bullock, Mrs. O. D. Spittler.

The meeting which ended Thursday, March 22, was highlighted by addresses from the Secretary of Agriculture, Orville Freeman.

NFU President James G. Patton set the tone of the significant meeting with a stimulating address in which he called for the United States to take the driver's seat now in the "race for Peace."

WITH THE COUNTY AGENT DERYL COKER

Time flies, and thus planting time is just around the corner, but before we plant we should be ready. It is very hard to make plans for the whole growing season because of the adverse weather conditions that exist in Parmer County. But a farmer can put a lot of the factors affecting crop production in his favor. We are all after obtaining high yields with a low per unit production cost. To reach high production, all the factors which influence production must be balanced. Water is only one factor which must be managed properly if production is to be maximum.

We should all study the water requirements of the crops that we grow. The time and amount of irrigation water will vary with the soil type and stage of growth the plant is in. Another factor we must look at real close is the variety. Any variety can be under irrigation; however, some are better adapted than others. A farmer must continue to check new varieties, but should not plant very many acres, and he should plant the majority of his acres in a variety already proven successful on his farm. High yields often determine which varieties are recommended for a particular locality; however this factor should not be the sole or overriding consideration. Others such as (1) fiber properties (2) boll and plant characteristics, (3) harvesting and ginning methods, (4) seed sources and (5) local preference should be taken into account.

Here are a few storm-proof varieties that are recommended by the Texas A & M Extension Service (1) Paymaster 101, (2) Western S. P. (3) Gregg (4)

Macha No. 1, (5) Blightmaster, (6) Locket S.P. 1. Some of these varieties are fast maturing and some are later maturing - varieties. Our growing season is fairly short, so the time a variety requires until it is mature is important. Here are some resistant and open varieties that are recommended. (1) Dunn &, (2) Stormking, (3) Lankart 57, (4) Lockett 140, (5) Northern Star (6) Paymaster 54. These varieties will also vary from slow to fast maturing varieties.

We have bulletins available in our office that will give more detailed information on these varieties. Varieties should be selected on a basis on known performance in the area where they are to be grown. Varieties which do well in the Lower Rio Grande Valley may not live up to expectations on the High Plains. The producer should study all available current research findings, so that

A farmer bought a painting, took it home, and hung it first one way then another. Each time, the effect was confusing. Finally his wife asked: "What in the world is that supposed to be?" "Why," said the farmer, "it's a realistic picture of the farm situation. No matter how you look at it, it just doesn't make sense."

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he can stay up to date on cotton varieties. Cotton is a hot weather plant and should be planted only after certain minimum soil temperatures have been attained. For best results, the minimum soil temperature at a depth of 8 inches should not be lower than 60 degrees F, during any 24-hour period, for 10 days preceding planting. This condition general will not be met until early May on the High Plains. Cotton planted 30 days in advance of the optimum planting

date for a given area will not necessarily permit harvest 30 days earlier. In most cases such a margin will be reduced by one half to two-thirds by harvest time. Planting too early seldom justifies the risk involved in having the seed and young plants exposed for longer periods to natural hazards, such as rain, hail, cold, disease and insects.

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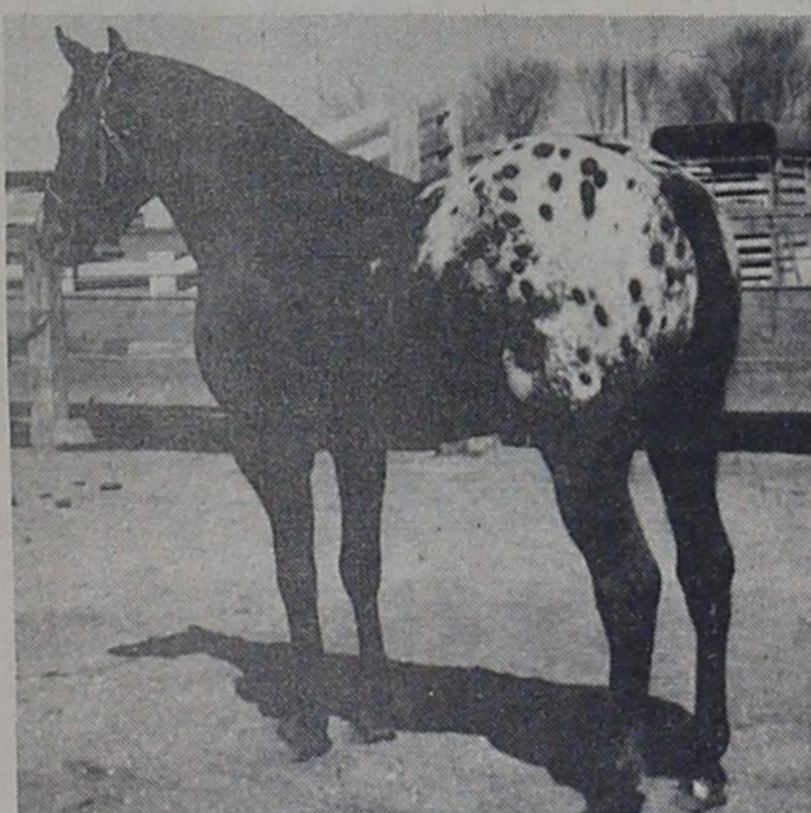
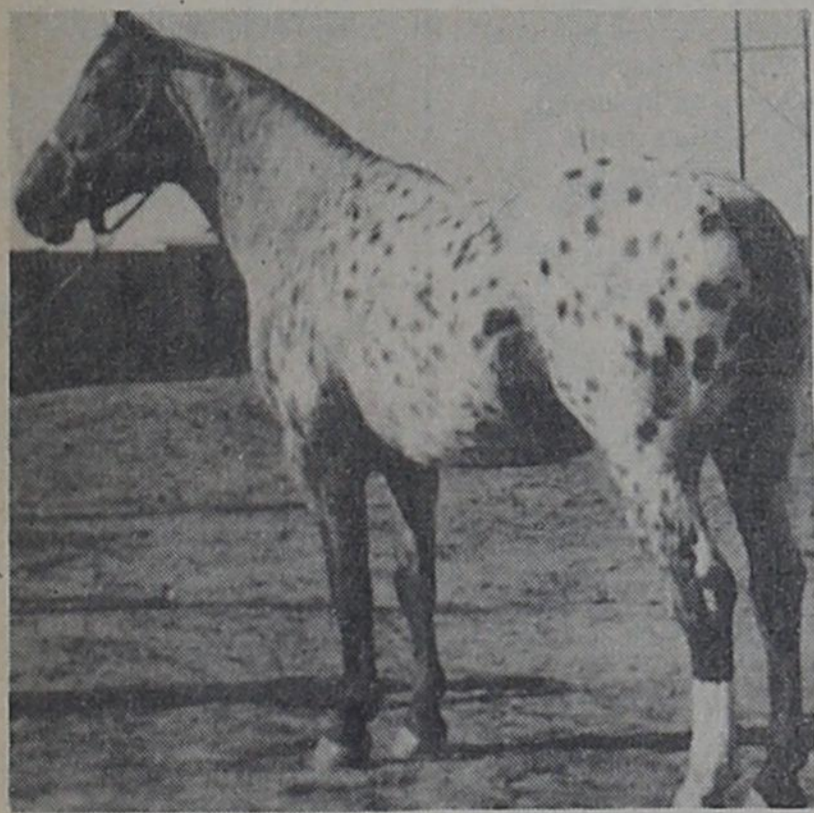
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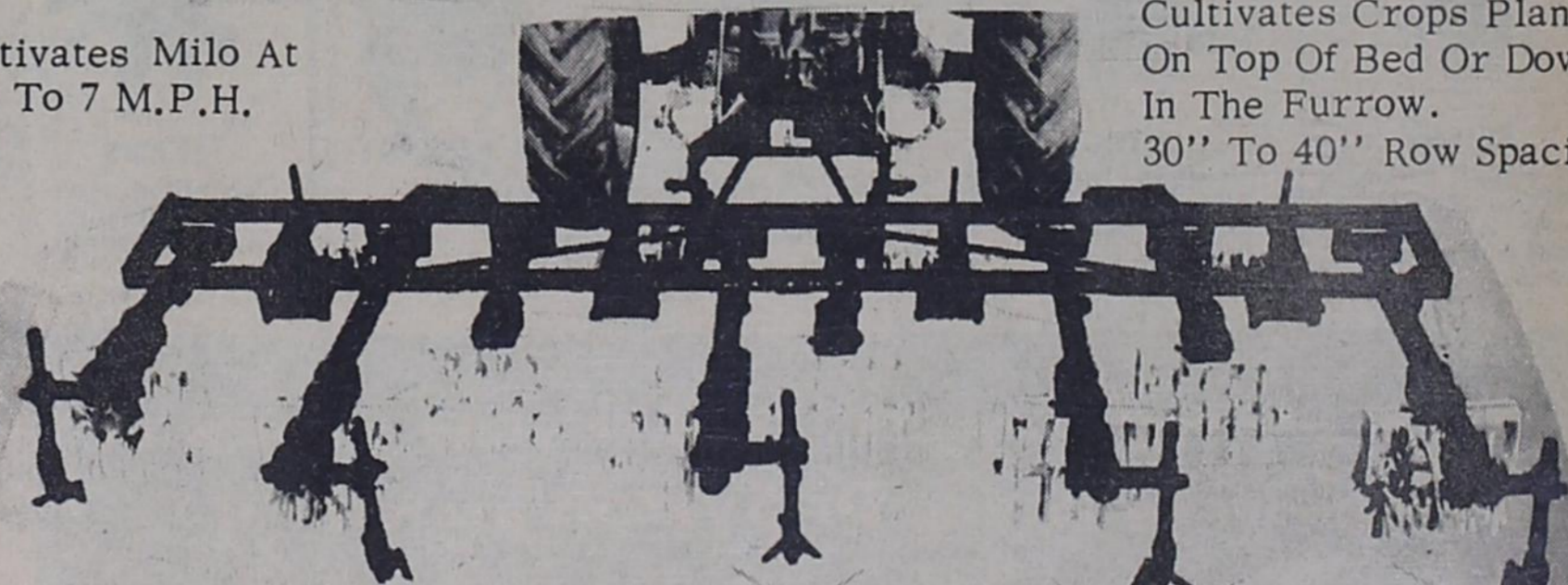


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4-H Method Contest Results Announced

Results of the Farmer County 4-H Method Demonstration Contest are announced by Estension Agents, Miss Ettie Musil and Deryl L. Coker. Seven teams and four individuals presented method demonstrations and speeches in the annual county contest held Saturday, March 31 at 9:00 to 12:00 a.m. in the District Courtroom of the Courthouse in Farwell.

Participating in the contest were following 4-H members: Poultry Marketing - first place, Vicki Kalkwasser and

Connie Dennis, "Chicken Salad", junior division. Vegetable Preparation - first place, Nedda Foster and Cheryl Ramage, "After School Snacks", junior division. Second place, Janice Miller and Shella Vaughan, "Cole Slaw" junior division.

Soil and Water Conservation - first place, Bruce Billingsley and Warren Gossett. "Planting Windbreaks", senior division. Dairy Foods Team - first place, Viane and Reba Lesly,

The HAPPY HOMEMAKER

BY JUNE FLOYD

A recipe which Evelyn Macon of Bovina sent this column is very timely. In the not too far distant future, strawberries will be abundant. Most homemakers agree that if there's anything they enjoy more than fresh strawberries it is more

fresh strawberries.

fresh strawberries.

STRAWBERRY PIE
 1 1/2 cups water (use strawberry juice if available)
 1/2 cup plus 2 tablespoons sugar mixed with 3 tablespoons cornstarch
 Pinch of salt
 Combine ingredients and boil until thick. Cool. Add 5 or 6 drops almond flavoring. Mix in one quart fresh strawberries. Fill baked pie shell with mixture then top with whipped cream.

"What's For Dessert", senior division.
 Dairy Foods Individual - first place, Janis Billingsley, "Let's Get Into Orbit the Milky Way", junior division.
 Community Improvement - first place, Dale Blackstone and John Gulley, "Lazbuddie Dilemma", junior division.
 Electric - first place, Linda Gleason and Linda Lesly, "Better Light, Better Sight" senior division.
 Public Speaking - first place in senior division, Katie Blackstone, "Citizenship".
 Public Speaking - first place in junior division, Jill Mimms, "What the 4-H Pledge Means to Me". Second place in junior division, Peggy Lesly, "What Does Freedom Mean?".
 First place winners will represent the county in the District Contest, April 28 at West Texas State College in Canyon. First place county winners in the junior division will compete in the District Contest only.

So much is being said and written about the importance of human beings being able to remain calm and self-possessed in order to live longer and enjoy life better that homemakers should encourage members of their household to pursue courses that lead in this direction.

A few simple rules that anyone, regardless of his station in life, can apply to daily living were printed recently in a leaflet that found its way to my desk.

Learn to like what doesn't cost much.
 Learn to like reading, conversation and music.
 Learn to like plain foods, plain service, plain cooking.
 Learn to like fields, trees,

Farm Chemicals Explained Friday

Area farmers will have a chance to learn of new chemicals designed and developed for use in agriculture at a meeting in the Hub Community center Friday at 9 a.m.

Representatives from several chemical manufacturers have been invited to explain their products by Hub Fertilizer, sponsor of the meeting.

Among the chemicals described and demonstrated in movies will be a new systemic insecticide which is planted with the seed and picked up through the roots of the plants to make the juices of the plant poison to pests, and a herbicide which is applied over the seed bed and prevents weeds from emerging

but allows cotton or grains sorghum to grow at the normal rate. This herbicide leaves the furrows free of choking weeds and reduces or eliminates the need for expensive hoeing and keeps weeds from choking the plants.

Chemicals aimed at fungus diseases will also be shown, according to Bill Wooley, Hub Fertilizer owner.

The two hour meeting will provide the information on chemicals which are becoming more important to the agriculture industry each year due to the changes in the labor situation - such as the restrictions placed on the bracero program. Farmers will be forced to resort to chemicals or machinery to replace labor used in the past, unless present trends are reversed in the near future.

Companies represented at the meeting will be Chemagro, Ortho (a division of California Spray Chemical), and Rowland Gordon Chemical Company.

NEWS FROM THE FARM BUREAU

BY RAYMOND EULER

"Our Father, we are met here tonight to seek an escape from the dilemma into which we have gotten ourselves by depending on the knowledge of men instead of Divine guidance. We pray that you will be with us."

This was the invocation at a recent farmer's meeting which impressed us as being sincere, concise, humble and appropriate. It expresses thought that it would be well for all Christians to consider in our prayers and aspirations, we believe.

In a Farm Bureau meeting the other night, Bill Wedemeyer restated the fact that since 1920, Farm Bureau has had an important part in every major piece of farm legislation that has been enacted. He added that there was some of it of which he was not too proud, but that membership judged it to be best at the time of their support. Honesty, integrity, truthfulness and humility are qualities that must prevail in men's hearts if we are to find a workable program for the welfare of our farmers and all citizens, he said.

Brainwashing Is Subject Of Lecture

Edward Hunter, who is known as "the free world's outstanding authority on brainwashing", and who is the first to use this term in written language -- in his books "Brainwashing in Red China" and "Brainwashing: The Story of the Men who Defied It" -- will speak at the Municipal Auditorium in Amarillo at 8 o'clock on Thursday evening, April 19th. Topic of his talk will be "The Softening Up of America."

Recognized as an expert on psychological warfare, Hunter has testified repeatedly before both the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee and the House Un-American Activities Committee. It was his testimony before this Subcommittee last July which sparked the probe of the muzzling of military officers' speeches by Pentagon and State Department censors.

He has also appeared before this Subcommittee in connection with the current drive to smear and discredit anti-Communist organizations. Hunter showed that this attack had been ordered by the World Convention of Communist Parties in Moscow on December 5, 1960, and was followed up with directives in American. Dean Clarence Manion has described this published testimony as a "sensational document which every patriotic American should read carefully and completely."

Most recent honor accorded this distinguished author, lecturer and world traveler is his being named chairman to organize the new Committee for the Co-Ordination of Conservative Effort. The first conference of some 100 representatives from conservative organizations was held on March 20 in Washington, D. C.

Preceding his appearance in Amarillo, Mr. Hunter will speak at the Freedom Forum at Harding College, in Searcy, Arkansas.

will be conducted by the USDA, but testimony will be heard both for and against. All evidence will be presented under oath, and we hope many farmers will be present, potato growers particularly, but any farmer should be interested in this subject because it will finally concern all production items.

On the same day, April 12, at nine A.M., the annual noxious weed control demonstrations will be held at Bushland Experiment Station, and some members of your Farm Bureau Weed Committee, some FFA boys and instructors plus County Agent, Deryl Coker are going up there.

One hundred and ninety five Farm Bureau members renewed this month, (March) and 29 new members were received, making a total payment for 224. This gives a membership of 512, 28 short of the quota of 540. We believe when the balance of the workers have reported the quota will be about filled. If you weren't contacted, maybe you would like to send in your dues, or come in and see us.

CONSIDER THIS: Mercy and truth preserve the king; and his throne is upheld by mercy. Proverbs 20:28

POLITICAL CALENDAR

The Farmer County newspapers have been authorized to announce the candidacies of the following persons, subject to the action of the first Democratic Primary.

- FOR DISTRICT CLERK: Dorothy Quikell
 - FOR COUNTY JUDGE: Loyde Brewer (Re-election)
 - FOR COUNTY TREASURER: Mabel Reynolds (Re-election)
 - FOR COUNTY CLERK: Bonnie Warren
 - FOR COMMISSIONER, PCT. 2: Charlie Jefferson (Re-election)
 - FOR COMMISSIONER, PCT. 4: G. W. Crain (Re-election)
 - JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PCT. 1: Roy Thornton (Re-election)
 - JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PCT. 2: Walter Loveless
 - JUSTICE OF THE PEACE, PCT. 3: W. J. Parker (Re-election)
 - Mrs. Lloyd Killough
 - FOR STATE REPRESENTATIVE, 91st District: Bill Clayton, B. M. Nelson, W. T. "Bill" Miller
 - DISTRICT JUDGE, 154th JUDICIAL DIST. Pat Boone, Jr.
- The following announcements are subject to the first Republican primary.
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 - STATE REPRESENTATIVE 91ST DIST. J. Frank Ford, Jr.

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TO AID AREA FARMERS

Farm Labor Day Planned

A special farm labor day to assist farmers in this area to obtain needed farm workers is planned for Friday between 1:00 p.m. and 4:00 p.m. in the Texas Employment Commission office at 322 W. Second Street, Muleshoe, according to Dick Poteet, manager of the Muleshoe TEC Office.

A meeting of this type will be held each Friday for several weeks.

"We are experiencing an increasing demand from local farmers for farm hands and particularly tractor operators," stated Poteet. "This need for tractor operators has increased within recent weeks and is expected to become acute with the approach of the planting season because of recent amendments to the law governing the importation of braceros and the ruling that braceros cannot operate tractors or other power-driven planting, cultivation, or harvesting machinery," said Poteet.

According to the announcement the Farm Labor Day to be held next week has been preceded by intensive recruitment to locate and assemble all experienced farm workers desiring jobs. Farmers who need hands are invited to visit the TEC office on this day because it is the best way to find the kind of workers needed. Attendance by both farmers and farm workers will permit a personal interview between the farmer and a worker whose experience and skills most nearly match his needs without the usual loss of time in trying to contact each other.

Water District Aims Rule At Old Wells

The Board of Directors of the High Plains Underground Water Conservation District has recently passed a new rule and the District began enforcement the first of April.

According to Tom McFarland, General Manager of the Water District, the new rule deals with the closing of abandoned, or unused, wells.

McFarland states that hundreds of wells in the District are uncovered, or covered inadequately, and represent a threat to the safety of children and even adults.

The new rule provides that in cases where the landowner refuses to cover a well properly, the Water District may come on the land and close the well. The expense of closing the well will be charged to the landowner by means of attaching a lien to the land. These charges may never exceed \$100.

McFarland states that the rule was passed by the Water District's Board to protect life and the underground water from possible pollution from the surface.

He encourages landowners to close or cover in some substantial manner any wells on the land that are either abandoned or not being used at the present time.

McFarland states that personnel of the Water District will be happy to discuss individual cases with landowners or their agents. Many satisfactory methods of covering wells adequately are available to be used.

Tangler disease was first discovered in two children on Tangier Island in Chesapeake Bay. The disease involves the accumulation of large amounts of cholesterol esters in the tonsils.

For those employers desiring to recruit in other sections of the state a representative of the office will be available to discuss this possibility.

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Cotton Institute Seeks To Enlarge Market

The Cotton Producers Institute is going great, but plans are under way to make it even greater.

That's the way Farmer County Organizational Committee for the Institute summed up the present status of the voluntary growers plan to increase markets and profits.

They made the statement after the committee met this week to map plans to complete sign-up and collection on last year's crop and to increase grower participation during the coming season.

"We know growers are really behind the idea of increasing markets and profits through stepped-up research and promotion," they stated. "Funds for this are coming in every day, and we are confident the first-year minimum requirement of one million dollars for the western areas of the Belt will be more than doubled."

"But this is just the beginning. Present participation by growers in this county gives us a solid base from which to bring all growers into the program. We believe they will see the institute offers them a hardheaded business proposition that will pay off well in the years ahead."

The committee pointed out that in promotion and in many vital areas of research, the grower must look primarily to himself to close the large gap between the programs cotton has and the program it needs.

The importance of closing this gap, he said, has been pointed up in recent months by the fact that cotton has suffered competitive market losses to rayon and other synthetics. Also, there has been a tendency for foreign cotton producers to increase their acreages.

We believe growers in this county and in other areas of the Belt want cotton to get its share of the expanding fiber market. That's why we say participation in the Institute will continue to grow," they stated.

Members of the committee are: A. L. Hartzog, Wendel Christian, Elmer Hargrove, Gilbert Kaltwasser, W. L. Edelman, and Ron Ayers.

News From The Courthouse

INSTRUMENTS FILED FOR RECORD WEEK ENDING MARCH 10, 1962 County Clerk's Office, Farmer County.

W.D., E. E. Booth, R. E. Booth, N/2 Sec. 66, Johnson Z W.D., J.J. Stallings, Maggie London, Lot 11 Sec. 4, T16S, R1E

D.T., Virgil Woodson, Plainview P.C.A., NW/4 Sec. 25, Synd. B

W.D., H.M. Moss, C.A. White, Lots 29,30,31 & 32, Blk. 28, Farwell

Sheriff's Deed, Chas. Lovelace, Sloan H. Osborn, Block 105 & Lot 5, Blk. 98, Friona Sheriff's Deed, Chas. Lovelace, R. W. Parr, Lots 5 & 6,

Blk. 85, Friona MML, Gilbert Schueler, E. A. Aego, N/200 a, N/2 Sec. 36, Rhea C W.D., Everette Christian, H. M. Moss, Lots 9,10,11 Blk. 40, Farwell W.D., J.E. McManigal, L. S. Pool, Lots 23,24,25 & 26, Blk. 17, Farwell MML, Rafael Gonzales, Archie M. Hollis, Lot 12, Blk. 91, Friona W.D., Bessie D. Drake, et al, John W. Renner, Lots 4 & 5 Blk. 1, Drake Rev. Sub., Friona W.D., Don Tabor, G.H. Trimble, 75 a, Sec. 9, Synd. E W.D., G.H. Trimble, G.D. Turner & Dean McCallum, 75 a, Sec. 9, Synd. E MML, Walter W. Schueler, O. F. Lange, SW/277 a, Sec. 2, TIN, R1E & E/2 Sec. 47, Rhea C W.D. Evan William Reeves, Friona American Legion Post, Lots 1 thru 6, Blk. 62, Friona W.D., M. M. Elder, Leroy Johnson, W/2 Sec. 12, T6S, R3E D.T., Leroy Johnson, Northwestern Mutual Life Ins. Co., W/2 Sec. 12, T6S, R3E D.T., L.T. Utsman, F.F.S. & L. Assn., Lots 10 & 11, Blk. 11, W/2 Lots 29, 30, 31, & 32, Blk. 13 & Part Blk. 7, Farwell

INSTRUMENTS FILED FOR RECORD WEEK ENDING MARCH 3, 1962 County Clerk's Office, Farmer County W.D., Clifford Leake, Robert Lee McCormick, Lots 11 & 12, Blk. 4, Bovina W.D., H. L. Garner, Nannie Hines, E/2 Lots 1,2,3,4, Blk. 13, Farwell D.T., Nannie Hines, F.F.S. & L. Assn., E/2 Lots 1,2,3,4 Blk. 13, Farwell W.D., A. W. Anthony, Sr., Cathryn Bigger, 2/5 int. in SE/4 Sec. 1, TIN, R3E W.D., A. W. Anthony, Sr., Ernest E. Anthony, SE/4 Sec. 2, TIN, R3E W.D., A. W. Anthony, Sr., Zonah Bass, 2/5 int. NE/4 Sec. 1, TIN, R3E W.D., A. W. Anthony, Sr., Ernest E. Anthony, 2/5 int. in NE/4 Sec. 2, TIN, R3E W.D., A. W. Anthony, Sr., Jean K. Anthony, 2/5 int. SW/4 Sec. 31, T2N, R4E W.D., A. W. Anthony, Sr., Patsy Ruth Copley, 2/5 NE/4 Sec. 1, TIN, R3E W.D., A. W. Anthony, Sr., A. W. Anthony, Jr., 2/5 int. NW/4 Sec. 1, TIN, R3E W.D., M. L. Rexrode, O. D. Knight, 167 a, of Sec. 5, T41/2S, R5E

FOOTSAVING EDUCATION



by James E. Edwards

Is The Prevalence Of Foot Trouble Caused By Faulty Design Of The Foot?

A doctor who studied engineering before entering medical school has stated that the human foot is the best designed machine in the world for the transfer of stresses. Man, the inventor, can point to no greater achievements than the round wheel and the arch which is still our strongest structure. The round heel of the foot has all of the advantage of the round wheel and the heel comes equipped with its own tubeless puncture sealing tire. As for arches, the foot has five of them.

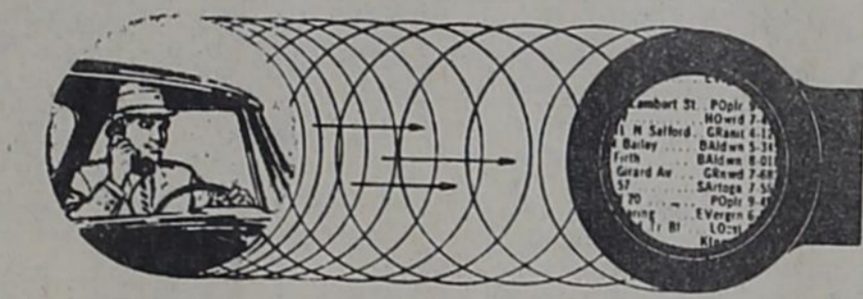
The percentage of babies who are born with deformed feet is miraculously small and corrective measures have been devised for most of the abnormalities.

When we look for someone to blame for foot trouble it isn't necessary to go beyond our own or our parents' unwillingness to properly clothe the foot.

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Lazbuddie Students Win In 3 Contests

The Lazbuddie track team came in 4th place in a field of 29 schools at the Class B track meet in Levelland. The meet is sponsored by the South Plains Jr. College.

David Koelzer was the Longhorn star as he sailed over 11'7" to set a new record for the South Plains meet. Donnie Smith was second as he cleared 10'10".

Jimmy Dale Seaton was high point man for the Longhorns with 163 1/2 points. He took second in both hurdle races running the highs in 15:5 and the lows in 20:5, along with a 5th place tie in the high jump.

Others who placed were: Mike Bean, high jump, ht. 5'8" (tie) 1st place, Cooper Young, 880 yd. run, time 2:10, 6th place, Don Watson, Mile Run, time 5:01, 6th place, Gary Brown, David Smith, Terry Darling, Cooper Young, Mile Relay, time 3:42.4, 6th place.

Students also won several events in the Plainview Livestock Show:

Hog Division: Berkshire, light weight, 9th, Rickie Hassel; Duroc, Light weight, 12th, Paul Wilbanks; Middle weight, 10th, Glendale King; Poland China, light weight, 20th, Paul Wilbanks; Hampshire, light weight, 15th, Charlotte Seaton; middle weight, 2nd, Jimmie Dale Seaton.

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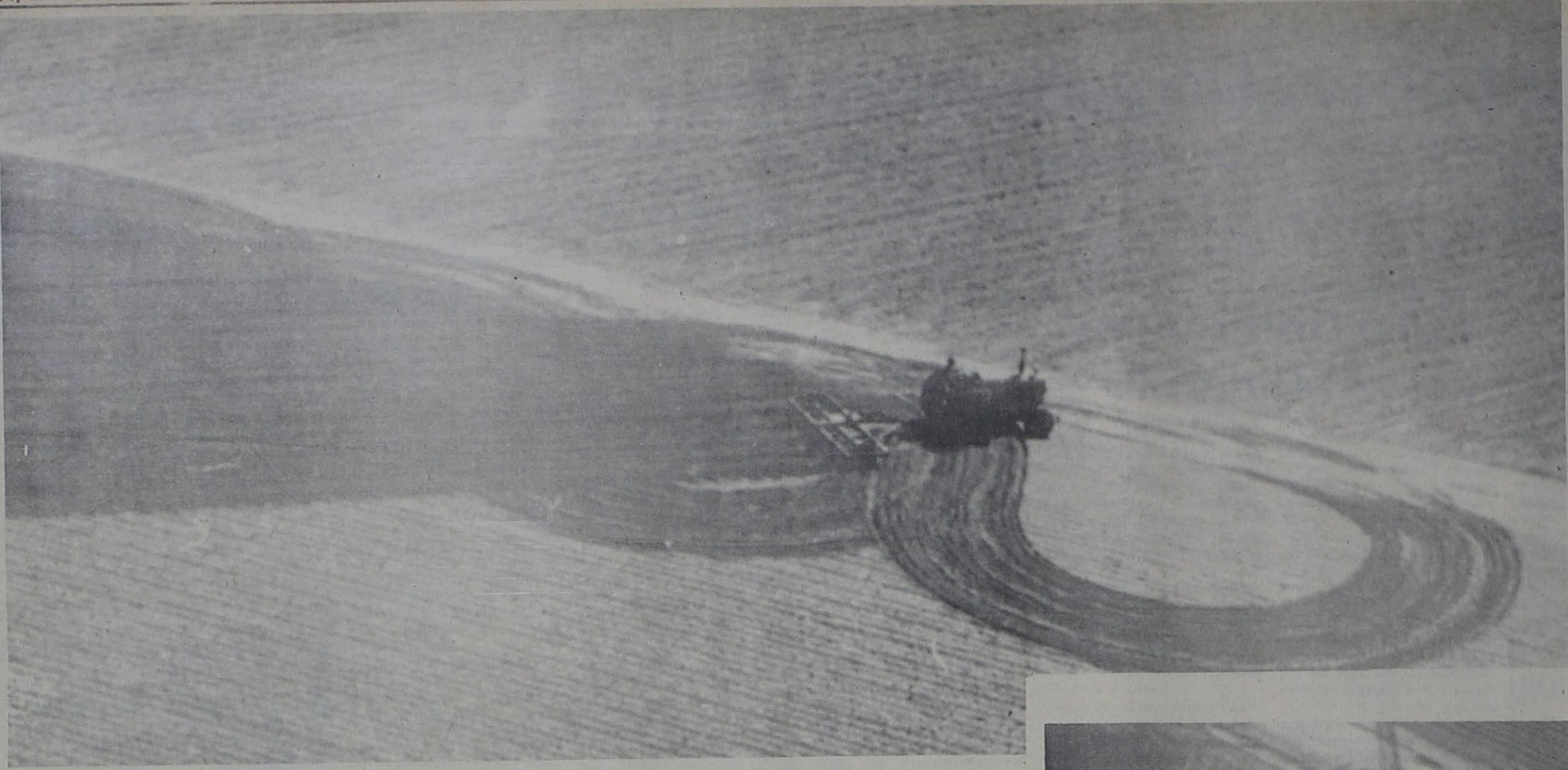
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Spring Is In

The Air . . .

It's finally official--spring has come to Parmer County.

Since the old sod was first "busted out" at the turn of the century and the Parmer County area began its transition from cowpasture to a highly developed, intensely farmed section that boasts one of the highest per-capita income in the nation, springtime has had special meaning.

The scene today is far different from what it was sixty years ago, however. There's not a single Georgia Stock at work on Parmer County's fertile half million acres in cultivation. Today the roar of the six-row tractor, the quiet gurgle of the irrigation tubes and the clatter of an armada of cultivation and harvest equipment has replaced the snort of the horses and the Gee-Haw of the farmer.

From the air, Parmer County in the spring presents a quilt-like unfolding of symmetric beauty unmatched by any other agricultural region. Water, flecked with foam, coursing down arrow-straight rows as farmers pre-irrigate their land and make preparations for another season of multi-million-dollar activity makes an unforgettable sight.

This is Parmer County in the spring . . . 1962.

