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WHITTLIN'

BY DOLPH MOTEN

In this community, and most others, we guess, controversy isn't hard to arouse.

One of the latest things to happen here to make the citizenry unhappy has been the issuing of traffic tickets, for various violations of the law, to farmers pulling cotton trailers. The tickets have been issued by a state highway patrolman.

Such tickets, issued in any amount of numbers greater than just a few, is enough to cause a lot of bitter talk.

The talk becomes louder and more bitter, however, when the receivers of the tickets are instructed to tell their troubles to a justice of the peace in Farwell instead of to the justice of the peace in this precinct, W. J. Parker.

On the surface, this does seem strange; especially when you consider that the tickets were issued inside city limits of Bovina.

If a farmer, intent on getting his cotton crop, which is highly important to him, stripped and to the gin as quickly as possible, is given a ticket for what he considers a minor law violation and he knows within reason that same will cost him \$16.50 out of the profit of that same cotton crop, he becomes perturbed.

Then, while he's still in that state of mind and he discovers he'll have to go to Farwell to see a judge when he knows it would be all the same price, yet handier, in Bovina, his perturbation is more than doubled.

Then he really doesn't like it. And, too, when he discovers that several more people have the same problem, he becomes even more dissatisfied.

That's the kind of situation we've had in Bovina the past couple of weeks.

We think the laws need enforcing and agree that a man should be issued a ticket if he's caught breaking the law.

However, we don't understand why a man has to be punished still more by going 12 miles to a justice of the peace when there is one at home.

And we haven't been able to find out the answer to the question in talking around to a few people... unofficially.

We have learned that it is within the bounds of the law for the patrolman to specify any justice of the peace within the county. In other words, the patrolman is fully within his rights to send you to any justice of the peace in Parmer County.

What's the use of having a JP in Bovina if we aren't going to use him? The answer to that question is obvious, of course, so that brings up another question.

Why would the patrolman prefer one JP to another?

In all fairness, we should point out here that we have heard Bovina's JP court would be specified if the man about to receive the ticket requested it.

Back to the question: We don't know the answer. Surely it isn't that the patrolman gets a higher percentage of convictions in one court than he does in another?

That could be right, but shouldn't vary to a great extent, according to our way of thinking.

If the higher percentage of convictions is the reason, what difference does it make to the patrolman whether a man is convicted or not? We admit almost complete ignorance to the law, but it seems to us that the patrolman's job is done when he issues the ticket. We understand that he might be called on later to explain why he did what, but we don't think it's up to the patrolman to act as judge, also.

And if he is supposed to serve as judge as well as patrolman, why bother with this JP business in the first place? Why not just give the patrolman a check or the cash on the spot... or go to jail... and forget about it?

Like we say, we don't know the answer to those questions, but a lot of people in Bovina are asking them!

A mistake in last week's Blade resulted in a story about Joe Kerbel, West Texas State Football Coach, being guest speaker at football banquet here this week being under a headline about Santa Claus coming to

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BANQUET PLANNING -- This quartet was part of a group which ironed out details concerning Bovina Mustang football banquet which will be tomorrow (Thursday) night. Left to right, they are Superintendent Warren Morton, Ed Hutto, Quarterback Club president; Connie O'Brien, who will be master of ceremonies; and Coach Hallie Gee.

THURSDAY NIGHT--

West Texas Coach Banquet Speaker

Joe Kerbel, head football coach at West Texas State College, will be guest speaker at second annual Bovina Mustang football banquet Thursday night.

The banquet will be in school cafeteria and will begin at 7:30. Honored guests at the banquet will be team members and their dates and coaches and their wives.

Tickets are being sold by members of Quarterback Club, the sponsoring organization, and will be available at the door, Ed Hutto, Quarterback Club president, announces.

The menu will feature roast beef.

Connie O'Brien will serve as master of ceremonies.

Superintendent Warren Morton will give the welcome and the response will be one of the team members.

Coach Hallie Gee will introduce members of the squad. Tickets are \$2.50 each. A crowd of 200 or more is hoped for, Hutto says.

Kerbel, whose West Texas Buffaloes recorded an 8-2 mark this season with a tough independent schedule, has also been highly successful as a high school coach at Breckenridge and at Amarillo. He was an assistant coach at Texas Tech prior to being named to the head position at West Texas.

"We feel extremely fortunate to have Coach Kerbel as our speaker and we hope we can have a large crowd on hand to hear him and to honor our team," Hutto says.

The Mustangs finished the season with a record of seven wins, two losses and a tie. They were defeated by Farwell and Happy by a total of 11 points and were tied by Whitharral.

Club Sponsors Religious Film

"The Prince of Peace" a filmed passion play on the life of Christ, will be sponsored by Bovina Woman's Study Club at school auditorium this weekend.

The film will be shown Saturday, December 1, at 7 p.m. and Sunday, December 2, at 2 p.m. Admission is \$1 for adults and 50¢ for children.

The film is non-section and is preceded by a modern day story leading up to and explaining the pageant which was filmed in the Wichita mountains amphitheatre.

Wins were over Springlake, Amherst, Meadow, Friona, Hart, Lazbuddie and Vega.

WITH FARWELL HERE--

Basketball Games Friday

Basketball, a sport in which Bovina High School has enjoyed an enviable reputation for the past decade, makes its debut of the '62-'63 season here Friday night.

Bovina Mustangs and Fillies each meet in games to be played in Willford Gym.

Girls' game begins at 7 with the boys' melee to follow at approximately 8:30.

Probably starting lineup for Coach Malcolm Kennedy's Fillies has Vicki Strawn, Lynn Looney and Mary Joyce Webb at forwards and Mary Ann McKinney, Tonya Ivy and Sandra Patterson at guards.

Judt Strawn is expected to see quite a bit of action at a forward position and Linda Estes will be the "fourth" forward.

Coach Kennedy says that he knows little about the type of ball club Farwell is expected to field. The Fillies are considered to be in a "rebuilding" year.

Probable starters for the Mustangs of Coach Hallie Gee are Jerry Frazier, 6'3", center; Lawrence Kriegel, 6', and Ken Horn, 5'8", forwards; and Don Cumpston, 5'6", and David Anderson, 5'7", guards.

Tally Kelson, 6' forward who is expected to be a starter, may see only limited action due to a concussion suffered in final football game of the season against Vega.

Also slated for considerable action is Eddie Reeves, a freshman who stands 6'3". Of the starters, all are seniors except Frazier, who is a junior playing out his last year of eligibility, and Anderson, who is a sophomore. Kelson is a junior.

Pentecostal Church Sets 3 Day Revival

Rev. Harold Myers of Pampa will conduct evangelistic services in the Pentecostal Holiness Church this weekend, according to Rev. Archie Cooper, pastor.

Friday and Saturday evening services will begin at 7:30 p.m. Two services will be held Sunday at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. Public is cordially invited, Rev. Cooper says.

IN PARMER COUNTY--

Schedule Stop Polio Sunday

Sunday is "SFS" for Parmer County residents. That is the day chosen to kick off the mass immunization program against Polio through use of the Sabin oral vaccine.

"Stop Polio Sunday" is the slogan adopted by the sponsors of the program, the Parmer County Medical Society and the Home Demonstration Clubs of Parmer County.

Three clinics will be operated in the county, as opposed to four as originally planned. There will be clinics at Friona, Bovina and Lazbuddie.

There was to have been a clinic at Farwell, but after meeting with Farwell officials, members of the County Medical Association decided that it would not be practical to hold one, since it was thought that a majority of the population was immunized at a recent clinic

in Texco, N.M. People in Farwell who missed the initial vaccination at Texco are welcome to get it at any of the other locations.

Those who need rides may meet at Farwell High School at 1:30 p.m. Sunday, and a bus will be taken to the Bovina clinic.

Anyone who knows of shut-ins who would like to take the vaccination are asked to call Mrs. John Sanders at 5082 in Friona or Mrs. Ralph Price at Hub 2614, and arrangements will be made for a mobile unit to take the vaccine to the residence.

The three clinics will be held at the school cafeterias at each place. Friona and Lazbuddie will hold their clinics from 12 noon until 4:30 p.m. Bovina's will run from 1:30 p.m. to 4:30 p.m.

A doctor, a nurse and a pharmacist will be at each clinic to assist in giving the vaccine," stated Dr. Paul Spring, county health officer.

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FOR MONDAY--

Petit Jurors Receive Call

Parmer County Sheriff Charles Lovelace this week released the names of 48 county

residents who have been notified for petit jury duty Monday, December 3, at 10 a.m.

Those notified are Robert Read, Clyde Perkins, Bill Burnam, J. C. Blankenship, Mrs. Kenyth Cass, J. W. Gooch, E. D. Chitwood, Jr., Royce G. Welch, Orho Whitefield, Mrs. Fern Barnett, Wesley Hardesty, Ovid Lawlis,

Keith Garner, Pierson Adams, W.S. Crow, Dick Rockey, Dean McCollum, Joe Jesko, Joel White, Norman Taylor, Mrs. H. R. Denny, O. J. Beene, Herbert Schueler, R. L. Jones,

Jim M. Dixon, Mrs. Milton Walling, Alton Morris, Dale McCuan, Bill Burton, Ray Landrum, Mrs. Dee Chitwood, Jack Wolkman, Partain Austin, Mrs. John Dixon, Vernon Symcox, Gus Schlabs,

Mrs. Jack Patterson, Clarence Meeks, A. G. Thorn, James C. Russell, Mrs. Ellis Tatum, George H. Anderson, Mryon Hillock, C. A. Black, C. W. Bradshaw, Ralph Shirley, Jack Clayton and T. C. Huddill.

Expected to come up for trial is the case of R. G. Sparks, Bovina, charged on two counts of statutory rape.



WEEKLY WINNER--Taking first place in Bovina Businesses Cotton Bowl Football Contest last week was Pat Whitecotton. She picked seven of 10 winners and edged five others, who did as well, on the tiebreaker score to take the \$5 first prize. This week's issue of The Blade contains the final contest in the series of 13.

Santa Letter Writing Time

Say, Kids, It's Santa Claus letter-writing time! Work is underway on The Blade's annual Christmas edition and letters to Santa from children in the area will be published in it.

The letters should contain your wishes for Christmas gifts plus an explanation of your behavior during past several months, if that's worthy of mention.

If the letters are addressed to Santa Claus, in care of The Bovina Blade, a copy will be forwarded to the North Pole and will be published in the Blade's Christmas issue as well.

Due to an early deadline for the Christmas edition, the letters are requested by December 14.

Blade Christmas issue is slated to be delivered by Christmas Eve.

TABOR, SMITH STILL LEAD--

Football Contest In Final Week

This week marks end of 1962 Bovina Businesses Cotton Bowl Football Contest.

Emmett Tabor held on to his one-point lead over Neil Smith in last week's judging and goes into the stretch with that slim lead.

Tabor has picked 89 out of 120 winners to lead all contestants. Smith has 88 in the race for the grand prize which includes an expense-paid trip for two to Cotton Bowl in Dallas January 1.

Winner of weekly contest last week was Pat Whitecotton, who picked seven winners and was closer to the tiebreaker score than were five others who also named seven correctly. She received \$5 first place money.

Dividing second and third place money were Dorothy Rogers and Glenn Hromas. They were each 12 points off the tiebreaker score while Mrs. Whitecotton was 10 points off.

Others who had seven right but were eliminated from prize money by the tiebreaker were Pat Hawkins, Odie White and Terry Sherrill.

Tabor has held the lead or been tied for it for seven consecutive weeks. Going into the final week, his correct percentage is .741.

He and Smith each named six right in last week's contest to leave the top spot unchanged. Only 52 entries were turned

in last week which is smallest number of contestants during the contest's 12 weeks. Average number of contestants has been 108.

Should the contest end in a tie, the winner will be determined by comparing the tiebreaker scores throughout the contest.

In addition to the six who named seven winners last week,

20 had six right, 18 had five correct, seven had four and one picked only two.

This week's contest, sponsored by 10 Bovina businesses, appears on page five of this issue.

Contestants, other than Tabor and Smith, who won the 1960 contest, appear to be out of the grand prize running.



SANTA'S HELPERS--Members of Bovina Volunteer Fire Department did repair work on Bovina's Christmas lights Monday night in American Legion Hall. A few of those who helped with the repair work are shown. They are, from left to right, Jerry Rogers, Glenn Hromas, E. H. Moody, Weldon Moody and Fred Langer. The decorations will be put above Bovina streets by Superior Electric Co.

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ONE IN BOVINA--

Wreck Rash Hits County

A rash of accidents in the county the past week has left at least three persons hospitalized, with others being treated for injuries.

Mrs. Joe Latham, 15, was seriously injured last Saturday when the automobile she was driving collided with one driven by James Stanford Bennett, 33, Hereford.

The accident happened 3 miles south and 4.3 miles east of Friona at the intersection of two country roads, Mrs. Latham, who was expecting, was taken to Farmer County Community Hospital in Friona, where her baby was still-born. In addition, she underwent surgery to remove a ruptured kidney, and was listed in fair condition Tuesday.

Bennett suffered broken ribs and a broken collar bone. He was transferred to the Deaf Smith County Hospital in Hereford. Another passenger in the Bennett car, Durwood Morris, 32, was also treated for injuries.

The Hereford man is employed by General Telephone Company, and was enroute to Hub where he was doing some work. Mrs. Latham was enroute to Friona where she was to do some shopping.

Also hospitalized Monday was

Cpl. Gilreath Now in Cuba

Marine Lance Corporal Boyd M. (Max) Gilreath, son of Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Gilreath of Bovina, is stationed at Guantanamo Naval Base in Cuba where his outfit is keeping watch on Castro's action.

Prior to going to Cuba, Corporal Gilreath was stationed at Camp Pendleton, Calif.

He was graduated from Bovina High School in May of 1960 and entered the Marine Corps in September of the same year.

A picture of Gilreath on duty recently appeared in various daily newspapers throughout the country.

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IN LETTER --

Phone Official Explains Service Man Situation

(EDITOR'S NOTE: The following letter was received in Bovina this week from H. B. Elam of Brownfield, division manager of General Telephone Co., in regard to the company's stationing a service man in Bovina.)

Mr. Boyd Gilreath, Mayor Bovina, Texas

Dear Mr. Gilreath: I wish to thank you for your letter of November 15, 1962, expressing your feelings regarding placement of a service man in our Bovina exchange. As a public utility, we place great value on maintaining a favorable image in all the cities in which we operate, therefore we are most interested in the comments of our customers.

We strive to provide the best possible service for our customers at the lowest possible cost. This involves balancing public relations with economy of operation. Our program of public relations would no doubt be greatly enhanced if we could locate at least one service man in each of the thirty-five exchanges in this area. On the other hand, it would be most unfair to ask our customers in the smaller cities to pay rates to support placement of local service men if a full-time man is not really needed.

I would like to review some of the factors involved in locating service personnel in the Bovina-Friona area over the past thirteen months. On November 7 of last year, our service man for the Bovina-Friona area, Mr. D. G. McClellan was injured in a fall, and was hospitalized. We immediately brought in a temporary replacement for McClellan, then subsequently added an "unlocated" installer (service man) to assist McClellan's replacement during the transition period.

In January of this year, our public relations section conducted a detailed, house to house survey of service conditions in both Bovina and Friona. The results of this survey indicated a need for retention of the two-man setup, at least on a temporary basis. Then, in March McClellan returned to work. Under doctor's orders, he was unable to climb poles or stand for long periods of time. Needless to say, his job as service man requires a considerable amount of climbing and standing for long intervals. Due to McClellan's condition, our management decided to retain the additional unlocated service man, still on a temporary basis. In August of this year, our

Company decided for reasons of economy to permanently place all previously "unlocated" personnel. Since the man assisting McClellan in Friona at the time of the change was classified as "unlocated", this job was opened for bids in the prescribed methods as outlined in our contract with the Communication Workers of America (CWA). Subsequently Mr. Gerald Shaver was assigned to Friona, on a permanent basis, as an installer-repairman. McClellan remained as the service man in charge of the Bovina-Friona exchanges.

Since August we have received a statement from McClellan's physician indicating that he should continue to restrict his climbing activities. As a result, we have considered transferring McClellan to our Division Storeroom in Brownfield. Providing this transfer becomes an actuality, replacement will require job bidding as described previously and as prescribed in our contract with CWA. Perhaps this transfer of personnel accounts for the misinformation that we are contemplating placement of another service man in the Bovina-Friona area.

There are several factors which have dissuaded our placing a full-time service man in Bovina. These reasons concern economy of operation, and as stated previously, we consider this to be of primary consideration.

First, the size of the cities and the number of telephones in each is a prime factor. At the end of September, Friona had some 934 telephones, or over twice as many as Bovina (401). We feel that two men, located in Friona, can adequately handle the service and maintenance problems of both cities, since only thirteen miles separate the two. A man located in Bovina, on the other hand, would certainly have "time on his hands."

We know from past experience that one full time service man can properly maintain around 1,000 telephones. This number will fluctuate up and down, depending on the number of rural line telephones, long distance lines to be maintained, etc. Based on this past experience, two men can handle the 1,300 stations in Bovina and Friona with comparative ease and certainly should be able to insure top-quality service for both cities. Should one of the men be located in Bovina, however, I think you can see he would be on the road to Friona a great deal of the time, since

that city has far more telephones.

Placement of a service man "in charge" in Bovina would also necessitate payment of a salary differential, as specified in our contract with the CWA. This differential is not necessary if the second man is located in Friona. Placement of a man in Bovina would also necessitate construction of a storeroom for vehicle and material supplies, whereas sufficient room for both is now available in Friona.

I bring these factors to your attention because they represent additional costs of operation to our Company, which in turn must come to the people of Bovina for increased rates to offset our increased investment. As stated previously, we are highly conscious of the importance of good public relations, and appreciate your comments concerning the impact that locating a service man in your community would have on the public. I am sure also, that you as a businessman would not ask your customers to financially support expenditures that are not necessary to the operation of your business.

In a recent telephone conversation with Mr. Caldwell of your city, I explained that a final decision would be made on this matter during an executive meeting in San Angelo around December 15. I also told Mr. Caldwell that I would be happy to meet with the directors of the Bovina Chamber of Commerce at a future date if further explanation is necessary.

May I again express my appreciation for your taking time to write. If we can be of assistance in any way, please

feel free to call on our district manager in Littlefield, Mr. R. E. Saunders, or the undersigned.

Sincerely yours,
 H. B. Elam
 Division Manager

cc: Warren Embree
 First National Bank of Bovina
 Bovina, Texas

J. E. Sherrill
 Cicero Smith Lumber Co.
 Bovina, Texas

Dolph Moten
 Bovina Blade
 Bovina, Texas

Letter To The Editor

Dear Editor: For your editorials we want to subscribe to the Bovina Blade. Since we don't know the cost, will just sign a check and you insert the per-year price. We were most appreciative for your activities in the election. Congratulations are in order. You have been sending us copies of the paper since the ladies' coffee in Friona, before the election. We thank you for them

and for your influence party-wise.

We have been told that the Lazbuddie box did not really go Republican after the absentees were counted. It is possible that some of the "official" reports were not final. I was ashamed of a Republican lead in this county.

Thank you,
 Mrs. Leon Smith

The Old Timer



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BOVINA, TEXAS

County Seeks New Demonstration Agent

The Farmer County Commissioners' Court said that a new Home Demonstration Agent would be appointed for Farmer County as soon as one became available through the Amarillo District Extension Service office.

The resignation of Miss Ettie Musil, County HDA for the past two years, becomes effective Friday, November 30. Miss Musil resigned to be married.

The court appointed a jury of view and accepted a report from another at its regular meeting Monday in Farwell.

Appointed by the court to inspect the opening of a new county road near Black, for the A. L. Black, et al petition were Clyde Hoyer, Elvin Wilson, Clyde Weatherly, Fern Barnett and Claude Blackburn.

The court accepted a report from another jury of view which inspected a road opened near Lazbuddie on the Juel Treidler et al petition, and ordered the road opened.

Work began this week on a country barn on county property in Friona. The barn will be used as a storage place for county equipment.

"We hope to finish the game in about three weeks," said Tom Lewellen, commissioner of Precinct 1.

The building will be oval-shaped, of steel construction, and will measure 36 feet by 72 feet.

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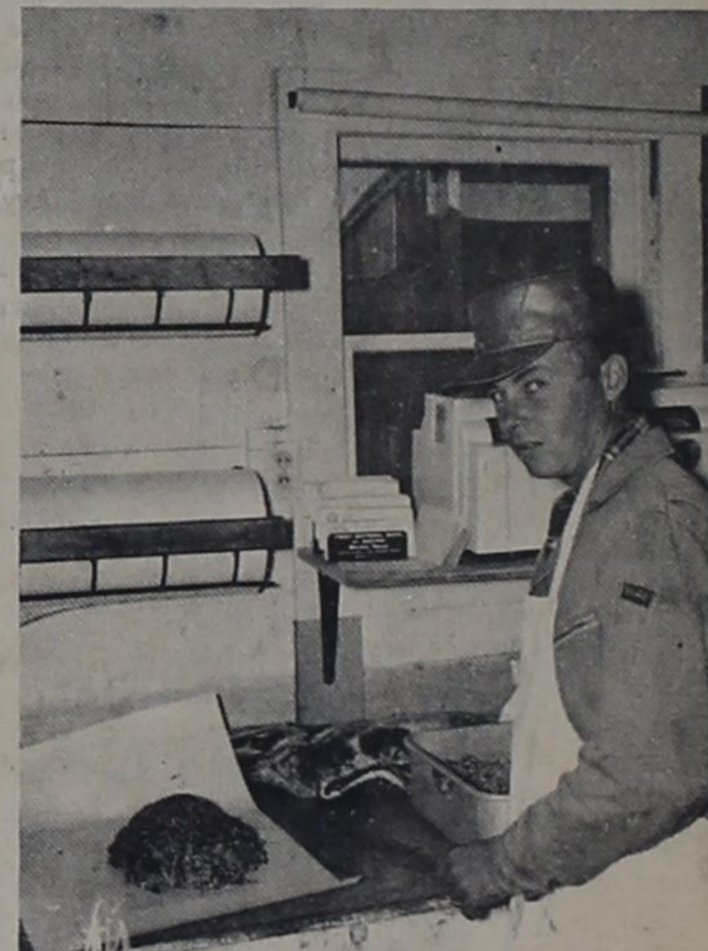
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TONYA IVY PLOWGIRL--

Miss Wilkerson
FFA Sweetheart

Carolyn Wilkerson, a freshman, was elected sweetheart of Bovina Future Farmers of American Chapter recently. Tonya Vee Ivy, who is a

sophomore student, was named plowgirl.

Miss Wilkerson represented the chapter in Littlefield District Sweetheart Contest at a district banquet at Littlefield Tuesday night.

Several other Bovina people attended the banquet.

Bovina FFA was represented in district FFA contests at Muleshoe November 17 by a Green Hand (Freshman) team in FFA quiz.

Team members were Richard Carson, Jerry Roach, Scotty Rundell and Joe Jordan.



TONYA VEE IVY

Blade
Sawdust
by
SUE MOTEN

Was pondering newlyweds the other day and mused myself into this thought. Wonder what the feelings of a boy are when a few short minutes after he says "I do" all his possessions become "ours."

From a woman's point of view it isn't quite so bad from a possession standpoint. A boy usually has a car, and said wife is more apt than not to be seen driving it as much as he is. Also she is prone to wear his old shirts to do housework in and take over his old beat up favorite bathrobe. His bank account has her name attached to it and with a little luck she will also use his razor.

In short am afraid he gets the proverbial short end of the stick from a material standpoint. However, am sure could come up with a good argument for the con side if only had time to think it over.

For once, we'll give the men the advantage . . .

Does anyone have an assortment of recipes for leftover Thanksgiving Turkey. Am sure there are several families who are ready for some steak and French fries. Have decided that the reason Thanksgiving is about a month from Christmas is the fact that there has to be at least that much time between in order to get the leftovers eaten up in time to cook another feast.

The short time between Christmas and New Years creates somewhat of a problem, due to the fact that everyone is tired of Thanksgiving leftovers and are faced with Christmas leftovers and are supposed to consume them in a shorter length of time in order to get ready to start the new year with blackeyed peas.



CAROLYN WILKERSON

The advantage of going to see relatives on holidays is that one isn't faced with all those food problems. Just come home and start cooking and consuming the same old thing.

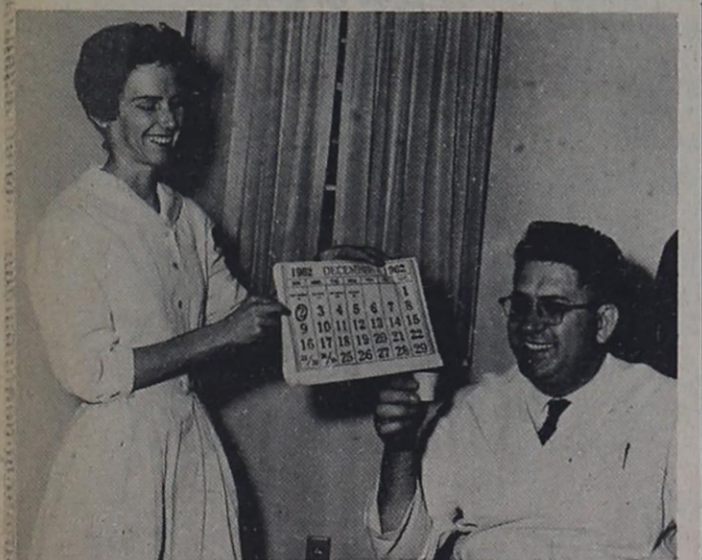
Was talking to Mrs. Earl Ware about her trip to Hawaii the other day and she told me that wearing apparel was no problem in Hawaii. If one has a selection or even a change of mu mu dresses then she is certainly in fashion.

The only time one dresses up is for dinner, then nine times out of 10 the most fashionable wear a cocktail mu mu, this is a long mu mu made of a more elaborate material and perhaps a little straighter in style than the regular ones.

American designers are all on this "ease" kick so I guess Hawaiian style pacers are just one step ahead of them in that the mu mu would certainly be a comfortable and easy type of wearing apparel.



Thanks be to God. —(11 Cor. 9:15). While this is the time for thanksgiving, we should, of course always express our thanks for God's blessings regardless of the season. Remember that God strengthens, sustains and vitalizes us throughout the year and not just on a single day.



DON'T FORGET to take your polio vaccine Sunday, reminds Dr. Paul Spring, county health officer, and Betty Reed, nurse at Parmer County Community Hospital. The clinic in Bovina will be at the School Cafeteria from 1:30 to 4:30 p.m.

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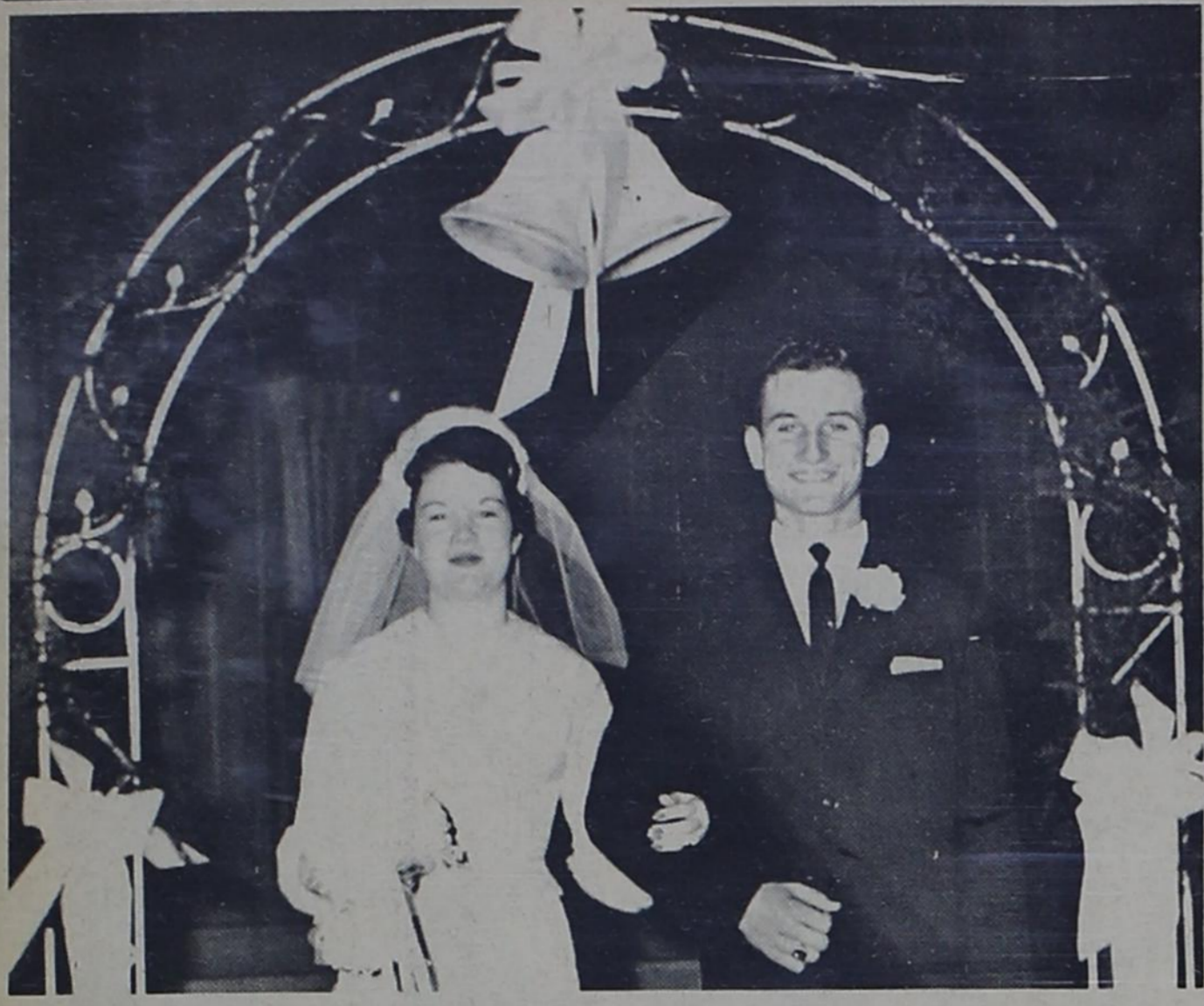
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Mr. and Mrs. Joe Neal Tarter

Couple Exchange Nuptial Vows Thanksgiving Day

Miss Paula Kay Kerby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Kerby, of Bovina and Joe Neal Tarter, son of Archie L. Tarter of Lazbuddie, exchanged nuptial vows Thanksgiving Day at First Baptist Church of Bovina.

Rev. Jack Jeter of Happy read the double-ring ceremony.

Vows were exchanged before an archway of greenery decorated with wedding bells and white satin bows flanked on either side by baskets of white mums and red carnations intermingled with emerald greenery.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a street-length sheath of white brocade cotton. Her matching fitted jacket with jewel neckline and elbow length sleeves was enhanced with white fur trim. Her shoulder length veil of nylon tulle was attached to a double band of white fur, trimmed with white velvet bows. She carried a bouquet of white mums with pearl and white satin streamers atop the white Bible presented to her by the V.W.A.

Carrying out the traditional something old, she wore her grandmother's wedding ring on a chain around her neck. She borrowed a silver and pearl brooch from Miss Jeanie Ivy and wore a blue garter pre-

sented her by Mrs. Henry Minter. She wore a penny in her shoe minted in the date of her birth.

Sandy Brown of Lazbuddie attended the bride as maid of honor. She wore a red velvet dress with a scoop neckline and a bouffant skirt. The fitted bodice was trimmed with rows of red satin ribbons. She carried a colonial bouquet of white mums and wore a white circlet hat with a brief veil.

David Tarter attended his brother as best man.

Ushers were Jimmie Dale Seaton and Lynn Cox of Lazbuddie.

Traditional wedding selections were played by Mrs. Jack Jeter, organist and Miss Elaine Fuller, pianist, Mrs. Harold Hawkins, soloist, sang "Whither Thou Goest", "Because", and "The Wedding Prayer."

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Kerby chose a camel tan wool suit. She complimented her ensemble with black accessories and wore a corsage of white carnations.

Immediately following the ceremony, a reception was held in fellowship hall of church.

The bride's table carried out her chosen colors of red and white. Centering the table was an arrangement of red carnations in a cut glass stemmed bowl which came from the home of the bride's maternal great-grandmother. Also used were two cut glass nut dishes which were wedding gifts to her maternal grandmother in 1906.

The table was laid with a white linen cut work cloth over red. Traditional wedding cake, decorated with red and topped with white wedding bells and punch served from a cut glass bowl on a matching tray enhanced with floating red carnations complimented the table.

Presiding at the refreshment table were Misses Mary Ann McKinney and Jeanie Ivy.

For her wedding trip to points of interest in New Mexico the bride chose a three piece brown

and white knit suit with gold accessories. She wore a white corsage from her wedding bouquet.

The couple will make their home at Macon Apartments in Bovina where the bride will continue her education.

Tarter is a graduate of Lazbuddie High School and Fort Smith Auction school. He is engaged in farming with his father and associated with Bill Flippin, auctioneer.

Out-of-town guests attending the wedding were Miss Brenda Cheyne of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hulet, Amarillo; Mrs. J. W. Evans, and Linda of El Paso; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Kerby, El Paso; Mrs. Jimmie Dale Seaton, Muleshoe; Mr. and Mrs. James Glaze and Sandra, Muleshoe; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Bodkin, Tulsa, Okla.; Charles Gowin and J. D. Gowin of Quitaque; Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Barrett and Charles, Quitaque; Mrs. Beatrice Montgomery, Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Byrom, Lubbock; Miss Elizabeth Drager, Friona; Miss Sharon Odom, Dimmitt; Paul Fredrick, Texaco; Mrs. Sam Bradley, Lazbuddie; and Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Mason and Darrell, Wayne Peterson, Cooper Young, Richard Chitwood and Mrs. Alton Morris, Jeanie and Carolyn all of Lazbuddie.

Horns Host Bridge Party

Mr. and Mrs. Johnie Horn entertained several couples with a bridge party Tuesday evening in their home.

Following an evening of bridge refreshments of chips, dips, maple chiffon pie and coffee were served to guests.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Ezell, Mr. and Mrs. Don Sides, Mr. and Mrs. Dean McCallum, Tom Caldwell and Vernon Estes.

G. A.'s Have Mother Daughter Banquet

Members of Girls Auxiliary presented a program for their mothers at a Mother-and-Daughter banquet Tuesday evening in Fellowship Hall of First Baptist Church of Bovina. Decorations and food carried out an oriental theme.

Attending were Carol and Debra Kirkpatrick, Brenda Dyer, Jennifer Crisp, Mrs. J. D. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Travis Dyer, Mrs. Buck Page, Mrs. Lawrence Jamerson, Carol Jamerson, Mrs. Jack Morris, Mrs. Fred Phillips, Toni and Sandi Phillips, Lucille Stowers, Cathy Sikes, Mrs. Wilfred Sikes, Te-

resa Page, Roxie Hutto, Diane Stowers, Chrissy Mast, Pam Webb, Mrs. Art Mast, Cathy Mast, Andrea Espinoza, Beatriz Espinoza, Mrs. Bessie Webb, Krita Morris, Donna Garner, Mrs. Wendel Garner, Elke Steffens, Brenda Dilger, Mrs. Arlin Dilger, Mrs. Robert Taylor, Mrs. E. G. Steelman, Pat Taylor, Mrs. C. W. Crisp, Gwen Myers, Mrs. Glenn Kelley, Mrs. Bobby Englant, Mrs. Joe Moore, Mrs. Travis Lloyd, Mrs. Weldon Moody, Joan King, Nena Spicer, Carlissa Englant, Brenda Lide, Glenda Kelley, Twyla Hutto, Sookie Coronado, Ninfa Espinoza, Deborah Spicer, Dala Boyd, Deborah Hawkins, Kathryn King, Beth Hutto, Mrs. Pa. A. Adams, Vickie Hawkins, Mrs. Harold Hawkins, Martha Adams, Mrs. Bill Lane, Sheryl Lane, Linda Williams, Suzanne Ferguson, Sherry Hutto, Gale Boyd, Mrs. Henry Spicer, Mrs. R. N. Williford, Linda Riley, Mrs. Charles Hawkins, Darlene Murphy, Mrs. Dan Murphy, Mrs. Joyce Lide, Mrs. Earl Dean Boyd, Helen Boyd and Rev. and Mrs. John Ferrison.

Music Club Entertained

Several youngsters entertained with piano solos Monday afternoon at Song Birds music club at the home of Mrs. Margaret Caldwell.

Those on program were Shelly Vaughn, Sheryl Sisco, Johnnie Hartwell, Charlotte Phillips and Lisa Charles.

Following the program the group played musical games and had refreshments of cookies and punch.

Others attending were Joy May, Sharon Cooper, Stormy Hartwell, Brenda Dyer, Raymond, Glenn and Vivian Hise, Jackie Adams and one guest, Mrs. Richard Vaughn.

Hosting the meeting was Mrs. Margaret Caldwell.

Visits Mother

Visiting in the home of Mrs. Margaret Caldwell Thanksgiving was her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. George Caldwell of Amarillo.

J. D. Stevens Host Dinner

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Stevens entertained several people with Thanksgiving dinner Thursday at their home.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. James Stevens and daughter of Amarillo, Leroy Elide and Donnie Koeltzow of Socorro, N.M.; Valeria Meyers of Portales, Sandra and Vickie Carter of Clovis, Mrs. C. E. Stevens, Mrs. Stella Purcell, Brenda Newbrough, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Wagner, Bob Allen and Jimmy of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Koeltzow, Lonnie and Edgar of Clovis, Mrs. E. M. Wagner of Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Meyers, Gary, Fredrick and Ernest of Pleasant Hill.

Calling during the day were Frankie Coffman and son of Fort Collins, Colo.; Mrs. Gwen Newbrough and Lavonia and Butch Palmer of Clovis.

Mrs. Ware Home From Hawaii

Mrs. Earl Ware and her sister-in-law, Mrs. E. J. Windum of McLean returned last Monday from Hawaii.

While on their trip they visited Honolulu, Kauai, Hilo, Maui and Kailua. They visited pineapple plantations, sugar cane plantations and coffee plantations. They toured all of the islands of Hawaii and stayed several days in Honolulu.

They returned home by boat and docked at Los Angeles. While there they visited the wax Museum, Knotts Berry Farm and Disneyland.

FHA Girls Host FFA Box Supper

Bovina F. H. A. girls entertained F. F. A. chapter Monday evening at Homemaking cottage with a box supper.

Auctioneer for the occasion was Joe Jones.

Following the supper a panel program consisting of high school students was presented on dating manners, etiquette and dress. Those on the panel were Dickie Clayton, Jerry Roach, Gwen Christian, Jeanne Ivy and moderator Judy Crawford.

After the program the girls discussed their Christmas project. They will collect old toys and clothing to give to a needy family. The chapter will adopt a family. If enough things are collected they will present them to several families. Anyone wishing to donate articles may bring them to the homemaking cottage or give them to a F. H. A. member.

Attending the box supper were Judy Strawn, Billy Jay Charles, Dickie Clayton, Ken Horn, Tonya Ivy, Elaine Fuller, Kathy Jones, Lowell Boozler, May Ann McKinney, Billy Minter, Vickie Strawn, Roxie Hutto, Gwen Christian, Margie Carter, Patsy Cumpston, Richard Kaminski, Shirley Carter, Gary Stevenson, Carolyn Wilkerson, Pat Taylor, Joyce Hudson, June Gay Douglas, Nellie B. Crook, Patricia Crook, Sherry Hutto, Jerry Roach, Scotty Rundell, Billy Marshall, Richard Carson, Tally Kelso, Joyce Marshall, Rickie Kunselman, Eddie Crump, Radford Venable, Cindy Gaunt, Kathy Minyen, Jeanne Ivy, Joe Jones, Judy Crawford, Becky Howard, Delbert Morris, Letecia Lehenbauer, Laurence Krieger, Earl Gene Riley and sponsors, Roy Crawford and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Thompson.

Visit Sherrills

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Sherrill over the holiday were her brothers, and families, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Clem, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Clem and her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Connley all of Tahoka.

"A delegate-at-large is a gentleman who attends the convention without his wife."

Of Interest To THE WOMEN



BOVINA'S FUTURE CITIZENS . . . Top row, left to right, Stephen Stevenson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Oakley Stevenson; Bruce Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Neil Smith, and Kathy Trimble, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Trimble. Bottom row, left to right, Vivian and Leona Hise, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hise, and Arby Hawkins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Erith Hawkins.

O. H. Jones Host Rehearsal Party

Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Jones hosted a rehearsal dinner for members of wedding party of Miss Judy Billingsley, bride elect of Donald Jones, Friday evening at a Farwell restaurant.

The banquet table was laid with a white cloth and centered with a blue and white floral arrangement, the brides chosen colors.

Attending were the honorees, Miss Billingsley and Donald Jones, the brides family, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Billingsley, Jan-

ice and Bruce, the grooms family, Mr. and Mrs. O. H. Jones, Brenda and Kathy, Mr. and Mrs. Reggie Jones and Regina of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Herman Jones of Freeport; Rev. and Mrs. Vernon Willard of Pampa; Christine Payne of Farwell, Jolene Donaldson and Richard Goodwin of Muleshoe.

Visitors In W. E. Williams Home

Rev. and Mrs. L. L. Hill and family visited in the home of her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Williams Thanksgiving Day.

Rev. Hill is pastor of First Methodist Church in Childress.

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November 19 -- Donald Wayne Jones, Bovina, and Judith Ann Billingsley, Farwell.

November 20 -- Joe Neal Tarter, Lazbuddie, and Paula Kay Kerby, Bovina.

LOCAL

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FOR MONDAY--

Young Farmers Meeting Slated

A meeting to discuss the possibility of a Young Farmers organization here has been scheduled for Monday night at 7. The meeting will be in vocational agriculture building at school, Roy Crawford, FFA advisor, announces. Slated to be present to lead the discussion on such an organization for this community are E. L. Tiner, who is state Young Farmer advisor, from Austin, and Walter Labay, Area I FFA supervisor, from Plain-

view. Interested groups from Farwell and Friona have also been invited to attend the meeting, Crawford says. The organization has proven to be highly popular in other communities, Crawford says, and "such an organization could be a valuable asset to the community and to individual members." "If there's a demand for such an organization here, we want to make it available," he points out. Farmers who are out of high school to their mid-30's are eligible for membership in the organization which can be, but doesn't have to be, affiliated with the state Young Farmer organization. If such a group is organized, meetings will be conducted regularly to study farming problems and to have other activities. "We want to extend an invitation to everyone to attend, whether they're eligible for membership in Young Farmers or not, Crawford says.

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Polio Clinic--

Spring emphasized that parents of children under 21 years of age must sign a form to enable their children to take the vaccine. A copy of the form is being run in this issue, so that parents may bring it to the clinic properly filled out, in order to facilitate the program. "Now is the proper time to take the vaccine. People should get their immunization during the winter before the summer Polio season begins," stressed Dr. Spring. Persons of all ages are urged to take the vaccine, which offers more complete protection, as well as prevention from being a carrier of the dread disease. While a contribution will be accepted to help defray expenses of the clinics, everyone will receive the vaccine whether he contributes or not. The second dose of the vaccine will be given in mid-January, although dates have not been set as yet. Following is a list of questions and answers which might prove helpful to those who take the vaccine: Q. What is the "VP" Program? A. "VP" is the symbol for a mass immunization program to be held in Parmer County. "VICTORY OVER POLIO" is the goal. Q. Who should take the vaccine? A. All persons residing in Parmer County. This includes everybody, from babies to senior citizens. Q. When will the program start? A. The first date is Sunday Dec. 2. Q. What will happen at the Clinics? A. Each person will be given a dose of Type I Sabin Polio Vaccine -- two drops of vaccine on a sugar lump. Q. What will this cost? A. A donation to help defray the cost of the program may be given. Everyone will be immunized whether he contributes or not. Q. What time may I go to the clinic? A. The clinics will be open from 12:00 noon until 4:30 p.m. (1:30 - 4:30 in Bovina). It will take you just a few minutes to get your vaccine. Q. I have had the Salk polio injections. Should I take this too? A. By all means! While the Salk vaccine was a very important step, this vac-

cine provides more complete protection for a longer period of time. Sabin vaccine also prevents you from being a carrier of the dread virus. This means protection for the whole community because the virus can be eliminated from the area. Q. Is there any danger in taking this vaccine? A. It has been given to millions of people here in the United States as well as millions elsewhere in the world. There have been no reactions in all these people. Q. What about pregnant women? A. They should take the vaccine. It will protect them without causing them any trouble, and it may give temporary protection to the newborn. Q. If I am sick, should I take the vaccine? A. If you are troubled with vomiting or diarrhea it would be better for you to take your vaccine at a later date. Q. I am a diabetic. Should I take the vaccine? What about the sugar lump? A. Diabetics, like all others, should take the vaccine. The sugar lump contains 9 calories, so it will not upset the diabetic. If you wish, the dose can be given to you directly from a dropper. Q. Does the vaccine taste bad? A. There is no taste to it. Q. Will this one dose give me complete protection? A. This dose will give protection to Type I only. Type III and Type II will be given later. Q. Who is sponsoring the clinics? A. The Parmer County Medical Society and Home Demonstration Clubs in Parmer Co. Q. Who recommends the Sabin oral vaccine? A. The National Institutes of Health, the Surgeon General of the United States, The Parmer County Medical Society, and your family doctor. Q. Why can't my family doctor give the vaccine? A. He can. However, because of the increasing number of cases of Type I polio in Texas, the physicians of Parmer County have agreed that the mass immunization program should be undertaken NOW.

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STRIPPERS UNDERWAY . . . Cotton harvesting was stepped up in Farmer County this week, as the ginning total for the county topped the 25,000-bale mark. Charlie Owens, who farms

with A. V. Campbell near Bovina, was one of numerous farmers taking to the fields this week.

Farmer County farmers, who have already harvested one of the best maize crops in the county's history, appear about to follow that up with perhaps the top cotton crop on record.

With good harvesting conditions returning to the county this week, mechanical strippers took to the fields bent on "getting the crop out," and early indications are that the crop is going to be a good one. Figures compiled this week from the 16 Farmer County cotton gins showed that the number of bales ginned had reached 25,792, with estimates of the percentage of the crop already "in" ranging from very little to about one-third.

If the figure represents one-third of the county's crop, then it could easily be the top cotton crop in Farmer's history, and would far exceed estimates for the county's production, which have been placed at both 60,000 and 62,000 bales in recent weeks.

"We're just getting started good," says Paul Scott of Clay's Corner Gin. Scott pretty well summed up the feeling of ginners around Lazbuddie in the southern part of the county -- that most of the cotton was still in the field.

Howard Baker of Lariat Gin said he thought less than one-third of the cotton in his area was harvested. "It might be 30 per cent to one-third completed in this area," stated G. W. Fleming, of Fleming & Son Gin, Hub.

The cotton also appears to be making a good yield as well as

grade. "There is a lot of two-bale-per-acre cotton," said Steve Hargus of Friona Country Club Gin. He agreed that most farmers were doing as well as they had hoped, some even better.

Ovid Lawlis, of Lawlis Gin in Bovina, stated that farmers in that area were doing a lot better than last year.

Ray Carlile of Plains Farmers Gin, said farmers were getting grades two to three points

higher than last year, and yields of three to six per cent higher. While the figure of 25,792 undoubtedly contains many bales of cotton brought into Farmer County from outside, since several gins are near the county line, it is still a pretty good yardstick by which to measure the 1962 crop, since by the same token a lot of cotton grown in the county probably is taken to gins outside the county.

The HAPPY HOMEMAKER

BY JUNE FLOYD

For peanut butter cookies with a delightfully different flavor and texture, try the following recipe.

Peanut Butter Cookies
1 jar (12 ounces) creamy peanut butter
1/4 teaspoon salt
1 cup sugar
1/2 teaspoon vanilla extract
2 egg whites, slightly beaten
Blend peanut butter with salt sugar and vanilla. Stir in egg whites until well blended. Chill in covered bowl, 2 hours or longer. Roll on a lightly floured board 1/4 inch thick and cut in desired shapes.

Bake on an ungreased cookie sheet in a moderate oven 12 to 20 minutes. Makes approximately three dozen two inch cookies.

1 (12 ounce) carton cottage cheese
1/2 cup skim milk
2 tablespoons lime juice
1/2 teaspoon salt
1 clove garlic, crushed
1 teaspoon onion juice
dash curry powder
radishes
cherry carrots
tomatoes
cucumbers

Rub cottage cheese through fine sieve. Blend in milk. Add the next five ingredients and mix well. Chill. Wash vegetables, cut into serving pieces and chill. Arrange vegetables on plate with dip.

Details on the 1962 statewide swine carcass test program have been released by T. D. Tanksley, extension animal husbandman. He says the contest provides an opportunity for hog producers to get valuable information on their animals at little cost. Both commercial and purebred producers are urged to participate and details are available from local county agents or teachers of vocational agriculture.

A new product now on the market which is very adaptable to Christmas decorations is artificial grass. It is available in packages with illustrated suggestions for use and detailed diagrams included. It is ideal for crafts.

This material is very pretty and practical for Christmas wreaths, ornaments or scenes. This grass like material can be cut, draped, painted or stapled. It comes in packages of green or natural straw color. The straw color could very easily be dyed any color desired to fit into your color scheme.

Since holiday time is always the time for guests to drop in unexpectedly, it is a good idea to have several items handy for quick snacks.

Dips served with potato chips, corn chips or on crackers may be purchased ready to serve, but making your own is a very pleasant way to add an extra touch to your serving.

The three following recipes are variations of nibblers or may be served with regular meals.

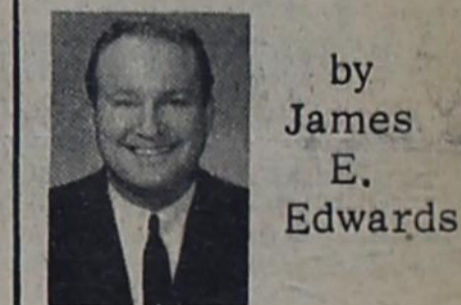
Holiday Dip
1 package onion soup
1 pint commercial sour cream
4 ounces blue cheese, crumbled
3/4 cup chopped pecans
Combine onion soup mix and sour cream, then blend thoroughly. Fold in remaining ingredients. Serve on crackers, potato chips or corn chips.

Nibblers
1 (6 ounce) package pretzel sticks
2 (8 ounce) cans salted peanuts
1 package crisp rice cereal
1 package crisp oat cereal
1 1/2 cup butter or margarine
1 package crisp rice cereal
1 package crisp oat cereal
1 1/4 cup butter or margarine
1/4 cup Worcestershire sauce
1 tablespoon garlic salt
1 tablespoon onion salt
1 tablespoon celery salt
Break pretzel sticks into small pieces and mix with peanuts and cereals in a large roasting pan. Heat butter or margarine until melted and stir in Worcestershire sauce, garlic, onion and celery salt.

Four over cereal mixture and mix thoroughly. Cover and bake at 225 degrees for 1 hour. Remove cover and bake another hour stirring occasionally.

Cottage Cheese Dip With Relishes

FOOTSAVING EDUCATION



by James E. Edwards

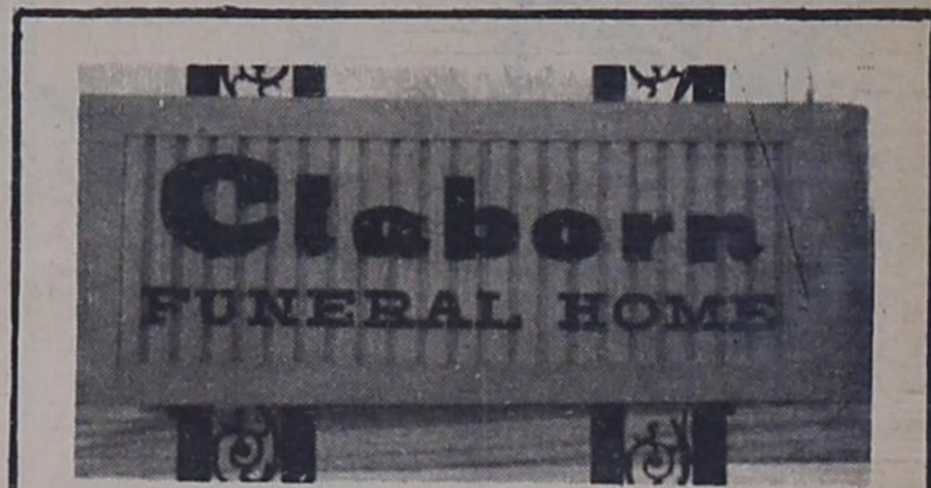
Are They Tight Or Just New?

There is grave danger to a child's foot health to assume that the shoes, purchased for Easter, still fit. Granting that the shoes were worn very little and still look like new, you still have to face the fact that children's feet grow more in Spring and early Summer than they do the rest of the year. We can let out pants cuffs but shoes never stretch lengthwise.

Here is the danger -- garbage men don't smell garbage. They probably do when they start on the job and when they come back from a vacation but their sense of smell tires of sending the same message to the brain. Children don't feel the pinch of tight shoes if they wear them long enough to "get used" to the tightness. Most of our foot trouble is caused by ill-fitting shoes that stop hurting when the nerves stop sending the "hurt" message to the brain. After a summer of barefoot freedom in canvas shoes, sandals, or no shoes at all, it is very difficult to say whether the leather shoes are really too small or just stiffer than the are accustomed to. Healthy feet are the foundation of a healthy body. Nothing that we buy to clothe a child for back-to-school is as important as the shoes that will keep his feet straight or deform them with bunions. Put shoe-fitting high on your back-to-school list.

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SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS



During the past two weeks members of the Farmer County Soil Conservation District board of supervisors have attended meetings with the new Farmer County Program Building committee and County Commissioner's Court. At the meeting with the commissioners a resolution was passed by the court to co-sponsor the Running Water Draw Flood Protection Project in this county.

Last week technicians assisted Leon Grissom and Robert Zetsche in planning basic plans on their farms.

Robert Zetsche also completed plans for his Great Plains Conservation Program contract.

Leon Grissom made application for assistance in planning and application under the Great Plains Conservation Program on his farm. This plan will consist of changing row directions, installing additional irrigation pipelines, establishing a grassed waterway and converting several acres of steep cropland to grassland.

John Gammon of Lazbuddie has just completed a large farm pond for livestock water. This pond will also be used for recreation as well as a place to catch his tailwater from two fields. Mr. Gammon recently sprigged 33 acres of Midland Bermuda grass on some of his steep cropland.

On November 15 at a meeting in Farwell Leonard Leon Grissom was elected for a five year term as a new member of the Farmer County Soil Conservation District board of supervisors. He will be serving zone four of the district, which includes the Farwell and old Oklahoma Lane school districts.

The Highway Patrol investigated 16 rural accidents in Farmer County during the month of October according to Sergeant W. E. Wells Patrol Supervisor of this area.

Patrol Investigates 16 Rural Accidents In County

These wrecks accounted for six persons injured and an estimated property damage of \$8,387.

The rural accident summary for the county from January through October of 1962 shows a total of 90 crashes. As a result of these crashes there were three persons killed and 45 persons injured. The estimated property damage amounted to \$56,457.

We are on the threshold of December which signals the start of our Holiday season and the cold grim "Traffic Facts." During the last five years there has been a total of 11,902 traffic fatalities in Texas. Of this total 2,354 or 20% were killed during the months of November and December. For the year thus far there has been 1,841 traffic fatalities as compared to 1,766 for the same period of 1961, an increase of 75 or four per cent with deadly November and December yet to come.

These cold grim traffic facts alone are a challenge for every responsible citizen.

Game Association Schedules Meeting

The Farmer County Game Association will meet Thursday, November 29 at the Bovina School Library at 8 p.m.

"Several people have indicated an interest in buying pheasants to distribute in the county. They would then be able to hunt them in a year or two," said Al Kerby, president of the association. Any person interested in the program is urged to attend the meeting. Coffee and donuts will be served.

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HD Agent's Notes

BY MISS ETTIE MUSIL

This is my last visit with you through this news column after completing two full years since I came to Farmer County, December 1, 1960. I remember how uneasy I felt as I wrote my first column for the first week in the county.

Mrs. Betty Baldrige, then with the State Line Tribune, invited me to write a regular weekly column. Since that time I have tried to keep you up to date with research findings and what's new in home economics.

My resignation as Farmer County Home Demonstration Agent will become effective Friday, November 30. However, I shall remain in the county as a full time homemaker as Mrs. Pete Jesko. Hope to see you in the grocery stores in the county and at county events, of just come see us sometimes.

As a final note let us consider the "home shortcuts" to be of great help in taking care of the No. 1 problem of American women today—lack of time. For house care and management have you thought that you can

wash plastic shower curtains in the clothes washer and dry a few minutes at the de-wrinkle setting of the clothes dryer? Try it.

Let your clothes dryer fluff and remove dust from shag rugs, chenille items, bed and sofa pillows. Tumble draperies for a few minutes in the dryer to dust and freshen.

Do you always dread spring or fall cleaning? You can avoid spring and fall house cleaning. Consider doing thoroughly one room every week or two, doing some of every day. Thus, all areas get regular periodic cleaning and only one room at a time is then upset.

Time yourself on cleaning jobs. Know which ones can be done in 5, 10, 15, or 20 minutes. Do one or two five-minute jobs while you wait for dinner to cook, or work in a 20-minute one after dinner.

Try these time-saving shortcuts when preparing food. Cook once for two or three meals by preparing double or triple quantities of a favorite recipe and storing away in the freezer for later use.

Cook a pound of bacon in the oven at once, then freeze or refrigerate the slices flat. They will be ready on a broiler pan for breakfast in no time with no mess or grease.

Package hamburgers, bacon, chops, steaks, and sliced meat so they can be removed from the

freezer in the desired number of portions. Separate portions, in each package, with a double-thickness of wax paper. At preparation time, insert blunt knife between the pieces of wax paper, give a little twist, and the portions will separate.

Here's a very good time saver. A few minutes spent as you put away food will save many minutes in preparation time later on. Allow time after shopping to put foods away ready for immediate use. Wash, trim, chop, or freeze the food.

Buy in quantity, if your storage permits. Such things as paper items, laundry supplies, bottled goods can be purchased in sizeable quantities. A variety of canned, packaged and frozen foods can be bought in amounts suitable for your use. Buy foods in the container size which fits your serving habits. Three small packages instead of one large one may save time in re-packaging.

When buying new home furnishings, furniture or rugs, consider color or finish in relation to upkeep. Dark rugs and furniture show dust much more than light and medium tones do.

Such seeming luxuries as wall-to-wall carpeting or air conditioning may be worth the money because the carpeting will reduce floor care time, or the air conditioning will cut down dusting and cleaning chores.

Management in the home, on the farm, and in business is our all important secret of time, energy, and money. Next time you start to town make a marketing order or schedule of errands. Did you know that years ago our biggest budget went for housing, foods, and clothing. Now it's housing, foods and transportation.



COTTON ROLLING IN . . . Travis Dyer, who farms west of Bovina, typifies the cotton farmers throughout Farmer County who welcomed the spring-like weather this week by cranking up their strippers.

Vote Explained For Cotton Referendum December 11

Just what a "yes" or a "no" vote will mean in the December 11 referendum on cotton marketing quotas was explained this week by Prentice Mills, office manager of Farmer County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation. All farmers who engaged in the production of upland cotton in 1962 are eligible to vote in the referendum.

Mills mentioned the fact that vacation; September -- Charlotte Davis; October -- Judy Koelzer; November -- Terri Sue Mabry; December -- Christmas party.

A total of 30 members and 11 guests were present for the meeting. Katie Blackstone led the 4-H Pledge.

Hair can be dried in 10 minutes with a tank vacuum. To clean the air hose, reverse it for one minute. Then wrap a towel around your head, leaving an end of the towel open so the hose can be put in to blow air through. When hair is partly dry, remove the towel and spot - dry wet areas.

The Administration plans to recommend new cotton legislation early in 1963. It is anticipated, however, that such legislation would supplement rather than substantially change the basic program choices to be presented for growers' determination in the Dec. 11 referendum.

"If at least two-thirds of the growers who vote in the referendum approve of quotas," he declared, "then the quotas will be in effect for the 1963 upland cotton crop, marketing penalties will apply to any 'excess' cotton produced on a farm, and price support at a level within the range of 65 to 90 per cent of parity will be available to farmers who comply with their farm acreage allotments."

"On the other hand, if more than one-third of the growers who vote oppose the quotas, then there will be no quotas and no penalties applicable to the 1963 upland cotton crop, and

price support to farmers who comply with their farm acreage allotments will be available at 50 per cent of parity, as directed by law.

"Allotments are not affected by the outcome of the balloting. They will remain in effect - whether or not quotas are approved - as a means of determining eligibility for the available price support."

Mills pointed out that, while the Secretary of Agriculture is directed by law to proclaim quotas for the next crop when the cotton supply exceeds normal, it is the growers themselves who decide whether or not quotas shall be used. Previous votes on the subject have been outstandingly favorable. Marketing quotas for the 1962 upland cotton crop were approved by 96.9 per cent of the growers voting.

The polling places for Farmer County farmers will be announced next week, Mills stated.

NEWS FROM THE FARM BUREAU

BY RAYMOND EULER

Frank Hinkson, of the Lazbuddie Community was elected Vice President of Farm Bureau at the last director's meeting. Mr. Hinkson was also nominated to serve on the county Program Building Committee, representing Farm Bureau.

Vernon Symcox was re-elected secretary - treasurer, a position he has held for many years. Mr. Symcox farms several hundred acres between Lariat and Oklahoma Lane, and although he is a busy man, he has never missed a meeting except when ill or out of the country.

Jim Dixon, a new director, was appointed chairman of the Legislative Committee, and Ernest Kube was appointed chairman of the Commodity Committee. Mr. Kube, who lives at Farwell, is serving his second term as director.

Your Farmer County Farm Bureau showed an increase of twenty five members over the previous year, and Texas Farm Bureau had an increase of over two thousand. Sixteen hundred attended the Annual Banquet in San Antonio, and that is six hundred over the previous largest attendance.

Several years ago, TFB delegates deleted the statement supporting the UN from its creed after a motion to that effect. In the recent convention, delegates voted favoring a resolution that would get the United

States out of the United Nations and also withdraw its support, dollarwise, beyond its own obligations. This kind of action by our nation would very likely spell the end of the organization, which, according to most constitutional believers would be the best thing to happen to it since its inception.

Did you know that 25.9 per cent of the total population of the United States is on the public payroll? Almost thirty eight million of these are Federal payees, and the balance are State and Civil payees. Do you think this is a good situation? It would indicate that the average income of the remaining people, not on public income, would be reduced by 25% to take care of these payments.

Do you know what is being taught in the school that your child attends? One of the primary targets of Communism is the mind of the child in school. Remember that Communism is the direct opposite of Christianity in every phase, social, economic, moral, etc.

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Lazbuddie 4-H Sets Programs

By Dale Blackstone
 Lazbuddie 4-H Club planned its program for the coming year at its meeting last week. With Danny Miller presiding, the club decided to appoint program chairmen for each month of the year.

These persons will then be responsible for the program that month.

Those selected, by month, were: January--Jimmy Broyles; February--Allison Pre-cure and John Gulley; March--Danny Miller; April--Larry Davis; May--Dale Blackstone; June--Cheryl Ramage; July--Katie Blackstone; August--

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DERYL COKER

A lot of wheat fields are being affected by wheat rust at the present time. The disease attacks the leaves and leaf sheaths, producing small round orange-red pustules. They may occur on either side of the leaf, but they do not extend through the entire leaf tissue as stem rust pustules usually do.

Leaf rust is favored by moderately cool weather in contrast with the warmer weather required for the rapid spread of stem rust. The disease may be found in Texas nearly any time during the fall, winter or spring. It often becomes established in the fall and continues to spread slowly all winter. Infected leaves become yellow and die prematurely when infection is high.

The damage caused by leaf rust often is inconspicuous and many growers consider the disease of little importance. Closely controlled experiments show that infected leaves lose more water than normal leaves as photosynthetic tissues are destroyed. Yields are reduced because of smaller seed and reduced seed setting. During severe epidemics some varieties fail to head, plants are weakened and lodge, tillering is reduced and the production of storage is lowered.

Considerable progress has been made in developing leaf rust - resistant varieties

adapted to Texas conditions. No variety is resistant to all races prevalent in the State. Races are constantly changing in prevalence and new races may arise by hyphal fusion on the wheat plant. Varieties which are resistant at one time may later become susceptible when races of rust change or new ones arise.

Texas varieties with the highest degree of resistance to present races of leaf rust are Quana, Ponca and Frisco. Crockett and Know are susceptible in the seedling stage, but develop a high degree of resistance from the boot stage to maturity. Concho, Weater, Mediterranean, Austin, Seabreeze and Comanche are resistant to many races, but are susceptible to others.

Also, don't forget the Income Tax Meeting which will be held on December 10 at the Hub Community Center beginning at 1:30 p.m.

Mr. James Murphrey, Farm Management Specialist and Internal Revenue People will discuss Records That Should Be Kept, Income to be Reported, Deduction and Personal Exemptions, Farm Business Expense, Depreciation and Depletions, Soil & Water Conservation Expenses, Capital Gains and Losses, Trades, Condemnation and Disease Livestock, Federal and State Tax and State Inheritance Tax.

After the meeting our Specialist will be glad to discuss personal problems and questions you may have pertaining to the above topics.

"A snob is a person who is ashamed to have his acquaintances catch him with his friends."

New Invention Improves Bale Tagging Method

A new tool designed as a part of a research effort by USDA's Agricultural Marketing Service to improve methods and equipment used in tagging cotton bales has passed its first test.

B. G. Reeves, cotton ginning and mechanization specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, says use of the new tool can save money, labor and time for cotton warehousemen. The number of bales which show up with missing tags can also be reduced. The tool is a pair of pliers grooved to hold rings, with a magazine attachment that automatically feeds rings into the jaws of the pliers. The pliers can bite into the bagging and cotton, thus firmly attaching the tag to the bale. Light-weight copper or steel

wire has been commonly used for the tagging job. Such wire, threaded only through the bagging, is not strong enough to take the rough bale handling that occurs with mechanical equipment such as lifttrucks, clamps and breakout devices. These machines often brush off, tear or mutilate warehouse tags. Warehousemen lose time and money in tracing and identifying bales without tags.

Rings used with the new tool are 12 1/2-gauge copper-coated wire. Tags have wire holes 3/8-inch in diameter instead of the usual 3/16-inch. The heavier rings hold the tags firmly in place, and the larger opening permits tags to move freely, with less chance for them to be torn off in handling operations.

The new method also permits uniform placement of the tags on bales.

Reeves says the tag rings are now being produced by more than one manufacturer and may be round, oval, oblong or triangular. All are designed for maximum strength and efficiency in the tagging operation. The tagging pliers are also being manufactured commercially, he adds.

Little time is required, the specialist explains, to train a worker to use the bale-tagging pliers. He can usually coordinate his actions in handling pliers, rings and tags after tagging a block of 100 bales. The new method works equally well on compressed or uncompressed bales, Reeves says.

COURTHOUSE NEWS

INSTRUMENTS FILED FOR RECORD WEEK ENDING NOVEMBER 24, 1962

- W.D., Mabel Ellison, et al - Nadine Paine - Lots 11 & 12, Blk. 22, Bovina
- W.D. - Jessie L. Williams - J. T. Jones - Part Lot 2, Blk. 36, Bovina
- W.D. - W.H. Hill - Lewis Etheridge - Tract in Sec. 75, Kelly "H"
- D.T. - Lewis Etheridge - John Hancock Mutual Life Ins. Co. - Kelly "H"
- W.D. - Kate Queen - J.W. Wright - SE/60' Lot 2, Blk. 37, Bovina
- W.D. - L.T. Utsman - Albert Gayle Doolittle - Lots 23, 24, 25, Blk. 10, Farwell
- W.D. - L.B. Blake - L.G. Blake - W/155 a. Sec. 4, TIN, R3E
- W.D. - L.B. Blake - Billy Bell - W/155 a. of E/310 a. Sec. 4, TIN, R3E
- D.T. - L.B. Blake - Billy Bell - W/155 a. Sec. 4, TIN, R3E
- Ab. of Judg. - Parks Oil Co. vs. W.W. Cummings----

Approve Quotas Naman Urges

Texas Farmers Union President Jay Naman today urged that "eligible cotton farmers accept their responsibilities by voting for the continuation of marketing quotas and acreage allotments on December 11th, which is the date that has been set for the national marketing referendum."

Naman continued: "A large vote for this program, that has meant so much to cotton farmers, will reaffirm farmers' support for wise supply management programs and reject any contention on the part of some groups that farmers do not want marketing quotas and acreage allotments in return for a fair price."

"The cotton producer will be in a better position to present his case for a long range cotton program including such tools as direct payments, al-

ready approved wheat and feed grains, if he will register a large affirmative vote in the referendum."

"The Cotton Advisory Committee has recently recommended an increase in cotton acreage contingent on the passage of a cotton program that will enable, through deficiency payments, the present overproduction to be moved into consumption without adversely affecting farmers' income. This does not relieve cotton farmers from the duty to support the program by voting, but rather intensifies it."

"Many Congressmen will be watching the results of the referendum to determine the attitudes of farmers toward the continuation and broadening of farm programs designed in their best interest," he concluded.

National HD Council Sponsors 1963 Traffic Safety Contest

Entries are now being accepted for the National Home Demonstration Council's 1963 traffic safety contest, officials of the national organization have announced.

"Make your community a safer place in which to live by having your club conduct a community traffic safety program," suggests Mrs. Lionel Jarvis, national safety chairman, from Cedartown, Ga.

The annual traffic safety awards program is a continuous project of the National Home Demonstration Council in cooperation with the Allstate Foundation. Any local club of a county and state Home Demonstration Council in the United States and Puerto Rico may enter the contest. Cash awards go to the top three entries.

Entries -- which should be based on a project initiated and carried out between July 1, 1962, and June 30, 1963 -- should be mailed on or before midnight, July 15, 1963. The entries should be addressed to Mrs. Jarvis, safety chairman, National Home Demonstration Council, c/o Allstate Foundation, 1710 H Street, N.W., Suite 800; Washington 6, D. C.

Possible projects might include improvement of rural traffic courts, safety education in schools, improvement of traffic law enforcement; improvement of rural traffic signs, signals and markings, and rural pedestrian protection. Clubs planning to enter

should appoint a safety chairman to serve through the contest, and select a committee to share the work and responsibility. The club should secure the cooperation of as many civic groups and organizations as possible.

The entry should be submitted

in a simple scrapbook. It must include a typewritten report of the club's traffic safety project--who was involved, why the project was chosen, and what was completed. Publicity given the club's project should also be entered in the scrapbook.

Texas 4-H Members Attend Club Congress

A 31-boy and girl delegation will represent Texas at National 4-H Club Congress, Chicago, November 25-29. They will assemble in Dallas on November 23 and after a get-acquainted meeting and a luncheon provided by the First National Bank in Dallas, will depart by special train for the nation's number one annual 4-H meeting.

The delegates come from 23 different counties and 10 of the 12 Extension Districts in Texas. Delegation chaperons will be Marshall Crouch, assistant state 4-H leader and County Extension Agents Uel Stockard, Ellis county and Jimmy Lou Waincott, Hidalgo county (Former Parmer County Home Demonstration Agent), Miss Peggy Wilsford, assistant state 4-H leader, will accompany two national trip winners, Patricia Hrncir, Lavaca county and Garry Carter, Montague county. They won trips in citizenship

and public speaking and were required to be in Chicago on November 23. The latter three will make the return trip with the state delegation on November 30.

Director John E. Hutchison, Mrs. Florence Low, assistant director for home economics and Assistant Editor J.W. Potts will also attend the Congress. Mrs. Low will speak at a Wednesday morning breakfast sponsored by the Singer Sewing Machine Company for 4-H leaders and invited guests. Potts will serve as a member of the Congress' Press Committee.

The Congress is meeting for the 41st time and will be attended by 1,500 of the nation's most outstanding 4-H Club members. Each has been named a state winner in his or her demonstration or project field. Many will receive national awards during the Congress. Delegations from many foreign countries will give the meeting an international aspect.

National 4-H Club Congress is made possible through award programs sponsored by many of the nation's leading business and industrial concerns. Funds which they provide are handled through the National 4-H Service Committee, Inc., Chicago, and the Committee, along with many State and Federal Extension Service employees work together to make Club Congress a national institution.

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 - W. D. - Nancy Della Osborn - First Baptist Church, Friona - Lot 5, Blk. 73, Friona
 - W.D. - Charles L. Lenau, et al - Tommy Beal - Lot 9, Blk. 1, Hillcrest, Farwell
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 - Ab. of Judg. - Reliance Finance Co. vs. Bovina Auto Parts ----
 - W.D. - W.L. Venable - Elton Venable - W/10' Lot 2 & E/12' Lot 3, Blk. 116, Bovina
 - D.T. - C & C Construction Co., Inc. - International Paper Co. - Lots 1, 2, 3 & 4, Blk. 28, Farwell
 - W.D. - Floyd Dunavut - Davey L. Allen - Lot 5 & S/15' Lot 6, Blk. 6, Staley Add, Friona
 - D.T. - Davey L. Allen - Investors, Inc. - Lot 5 & S/15' Lot 6, Blk. 6, Staley Add, Friona
 - W.D. - David L. Barclay - Floyd M. Thomas - Lots 13, 14, 15 & 16, Blk. 24, Farwell
 - W.D. - Adolph Stuermer - Gilbert Schueler - Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, & 6, Blk. 92, Blk 92, Farwell
 - D.T. - Gilbert Schueler - Adolph Stuermer - Lots 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, & 6, Blk. 92, Blk. 92, Farwell
 - W.D. - Wm. Doyle Elliott - John E. Bingham - Lot 4, Blk. 3, Staley Add., Friona
 - D.T. - John E. Bingham - Mountain States Inv. Corp. - Lot 4, Blk. 3, Staley Add., Friona

F.U. Convention Slated In San Antonio Dec. 7-8

Farmers from every area of Texas will congregate at San Antonio at the Granada Hotel on December 7 and 8 for the 59th Annual Convention of the Texas Farmers Union.

Highlighting the convention program will be the appearance of a Hartington, Nebraska banker, Vincent Emmett Rossiter, who has gained nationwide recognition for his speech made before the Land and People Conference held recently in Denver, Colorado.

In the Denver speech, Rossiter told the conference on Land and People "We must restore the profit level in our basic industry of agriculture and thus the total economy, or we will be unable as a nation to sustain the more than one trillion dollars of public and private debt that presently exists at all levels of the financial system of this country."

Rossiter went on to ask the

questions "When all of the farmers and rural townspeople have moved to the city and the last dollar of credit is spent duplicating facilities that are left to rot and decay in the rural areas, what then?"

Rossiter refers to himself as a "dirt banker" as a counterpart the "dirt farmer" and his varied and colorful career from farm hand to bank president might well be a Horatio Alger success story.

After graduating from high school at Hartington, Rossiter attended and graduated from St. Thomas Military Academy, St. Paul, Minn. in 1932. During the lean years of the 1930s, he worked as WPA laborer, farm hand and a salesman; and in 1936 he went to work for the Bank of Hartington as a bookkeeper. He was promoted through the various departments of the bank until he became president in 1951.

Electricity Recommended For Ice-Free Stock Water

Breaking ice on stock watering troughs or tanks is no pleasant task. It isn't necessary if an automatic livestock waterer, equipped with an electrical heating element, is installed, says W.S. Allen, extension agricultural engineer.

Water should be available for livestock at all times, he adds, even in the coldest weather. Tests have shown that cows watered automatically drank 18 per cent more water and gave 3.5 per cent more milk than cows watered twice daily. Beef cattle and hogs also need plenty of water if they are to do well during the winter months, the engineer adds.

Automatic electrically heated livestock waterers are available in many shapes and sizes and for all types of livestock. Basically, a unit consists of a water tank fed by pressure or a gravity water system, a float valve, a heating element controlled by a thermostat, and a housing to support the tank and exclude outside air movement around the tank.

Allen suggests purchasing the smallest unit that will provide ample water for your livestock. A general purpose bowl type waterer will handle up to 30 head of cattle or 60 hogs. The heating element should be immersed in the water of the tank or attached to the underside of the tank. These types, he explains, are usually more

efficient than those which warm the space enclosed by the housing.

The thermostat is an important part of the automatic waterer and one with a 5 degree range between the "on and off" operating points is desirable. Cattle or combination waterers should be insulated on the sides to conserve electricity. Covers are also recommended for reducing operating costs and as an aid to keeping the water clean. Allen says to select a unit which can be cleaned easily.

He says the water temperature should be maintained just high enough to prevent surface freezing. This will usually be between 45 and 50 degrees F. And finally, he suggests a visit with the local county agent for detailed information on selection, installation and operation of these time and labor-saving devices.

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PROMOTION-

The Institute's promotion budget calls for expenditure of \$1 million over the next 15 months to sell American consumers on the advantage of buying products made from cotton. The U. S. housewife will be the main target of Institute advertising.

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