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SECTION I



During the last few years, great advances have been made in the business of predicting the weather for some period extending into the future.

I haven't heard the most recent figures but some years ago, the weathermen were said to have reached a 45 per cent accuracy. That is, 45 per cent of their predictions were true. I've known people who were able to predict the weather with about the same accuracy by using their "rumitiz", had knee, or just plain intuition as a guide but their method is not supposed to be scientific.

What I am leading up to is that I discovered a way to figure the predictions of the weather boys so that they come up with a perfect score. Use only the very last minute predictions like, "Snow is expected to cover the South Plains sometime between now and the next 24 hours providing the front continues on its present path and if the snow that is presently falling 10 miles north of the station doesn't turn into rain before it reaches us."

You cannot afford to figure in the long range predictions such as "This front now located along a line fifty miles north of us is expected to bring snow or possibly some freezing sleet and rain into the area," or "This high pressure area to the south of us is expected to bring warming winds into the area along with a little moisture so you can look for fair weather with scattered showers across most of the area tomorrow."

In the case of the last prediction, you can bet on snow within 24 hours. It happened last weekend.

One of our noted meteorologists at one of our reputable TV stations reported at noon Saturday that weather for Sunday would be cloudy with some slight rain scattered across the panhandle. By 3:30 p.m. Sunday, the ground was already half covered with snow and sub-freezing winds were trying to blow the roofs off all houses in the country.

Of course, the mistake in prediction was changed by noon Sunday. The program at that time indicated that snow and freezing temperatures would invade the area Sunday night.

Oh, I almost forgot. There was a little rain just before the snow Sunday. And there most certainly were clouds over the area. Therefore, I must admit that the 24 hour prediction was not entirely wrong -- just not complete.

I don't suppose the scientific instruments can tell the difference between snow clouds and rain clouds until the contents of the cloud starts falling on the telephone booth where the scientific instrument (called MAN) is calling the TV station to report the advancing weather.

If I were handing out advice in connection with weather predictions, I would say, "Take all predictions with a note of skepticism until you see the predicted weather approaching on the horizon and then smell, taste and feel what ever it is before making up your mind as to whether the prediction was true or false."

Maybe if they keep working at it, the weather boys will be able to give us a complete and accurate picture of the coming weather someday in the future.

--TH--
If anyone has heard of a cat figuring out a way to turn a door knob to open a door, please call me.

--TH--
If anyone thinks this town is not growing, they are sure off the beam. During the first 13 days of February, the birth rate hit 100 per cent. Thirteen
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TURN ON YOUR LIGHT

Mothers' March In City Tonight

Residents of Friona are urged to burn their porch lights tonight, and give generously to the Mothers' March. Members of the Friona Jaycee Wives will make the march, as a highlight to the city's March of Dimes drive.

The Mothers' March and a

cake auction sponsored by the Student-Faculty Congress at Friona High School Friday will wind up the city's March of Dimes drive for 1963.

Mrs. Billy Nazworth, president of the Jaycee Wives, says her group will begin its canvass of the city about 7:30 p.m. She

requests all those wishing to contribute should signify by turning on their porch lights.

Parents and friends are invited to join in the "Chinese auction" at the Friona High School gym Friday at 2:30 p.m. Proceeds will go to the March of Dimes.

Last Thursday's "coffee day" in Friona brought in a total of \$88.24, according to Bill Ellis, Friona's drive chairman. "We very much appreciate the cooperation by the Friona merchants in the coffee day," Ellis said. "Their generosity meant a lot to the city's drive."

Those participating in the coffee day were Earl's Cafe, Golden Spread Restaurant, Aztec Drive In, T & R Snack Bar, Villa Drive In, Hughes Barbecue Stand and Bi-Wize

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DETAILS PENDING

Squaws To Play Post Bi-District

It is now official that the Friona High School Squaws will meet the Post girls in bi-district. Post, which has one more game to play, clinched the District 4-AA championship Tuesday night by beating Slaton.

School officials are expected to get together and schedule a meeting for the near future to pick the date and site for the game, as well as other details. It is figured that the bi-district game will be played March 4 or 5.

Meantime, the Squaws have lined up some top-notch opposition while waiting for their bi-district date. Happy girls, winners of their district, will be here Tuesday night for a contest. The two teams scrimmaged earlier in the year.

The Squaws' contest against the Wayland College freshman team, originally scheduled for tonight, has been rescheduled for March 2 at Plainview, and will be played as a preliminary game to the regularly-scheduled Flying Queens game.

Other games scheduled are with Cotton Center here Friday, February 22, and at Happy Tuesday, February 26.

Two starters on the Friona team, Janet Buckley and Charlotte Nettles, have missed school this week with influenza. Charlotte, who didn't make the trip to Amarillo last Saturday, was back in school Wednesday. Janet was expected to be out

all week.

"It looks as if it is a good thing we had the break before our bi-district game after all," said Coach Baker Duggins.

AT THEATER

Teenagers Arrested; Admit City Break-In

Three teen-agers have confessed to the Saturday night break-in at the Elk Drive In theater in Friona, according to Farmer County Sheriff Charlie Lovelace.

The trio was arraigned in Farwell Tuesday, with bond set at \$1,000 each. The main thing that was missed, according to Bill McGlothlin, proprietor, was several cartons of cigarettes, at least nine.

Sheriff's officers recovered six cartons of cigarettes at the time the trio was arrested. Officers said that tracks left by the suspects led to their arrest.

"They tried to wipe out the tracks. They were obliterated for about 100 yards. But there were about a quarter-mile of tracks in all, both footprints and tire tracks -- which gave

us plenty to work with," Lovelace said.

In custody are Alberto Flores, 17, who lives near Lazbuddie, Eddie Blanco, 17, who lives a mile east of Friona, and another youth, who will be tried in juvenile court.

Blanco was arrested in Deaf Smith county Monday. The other two youngsters were arrested Sunday at their homes.

The break-in happened sometime after the drive-in closed Saturday night. The trio gained entrance to the snack bar of the theater by breaking the glass out of the door to the snack bar.

McGlothlin said it was about the 12th time in the last eight years the drive-in has been burglarized. "I keep a .22 caliber rifle at the theater now. They are lucky they didn't get shot," he said.

IN FORM OF SNOW

Much-Needed Moisture Falls In Friona Area

Much-needed moisture was received in the Friona area this week. The Friona weather sta-

tion had recorded only .02 inches of moisture since December 1, 1962, until Sun-

day, an indication of how drastic the situation was growing.

The weather station estimated that at least three inches of snow fell in the city Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. The moisture value for area farmland will probably range between .25 and one-half inch of rain.

City Manager Jake Outland said .20 inches of moisture was the measurement at 5 p.m. Sunday. This included rain, drizzle, and a half-inch of snow. Sunday night's snow, which blew considerably, was hard to measure, but was estimated at another inch and one-half, although the official weather recorder caught only .02 inches of moisture.

Another inch of snow fell on Monday night, which melted down to .04 inches of moisture.

This left the official measurement of moisture in Friona for the three days to .26 inches. Farmers hailed the mid-February snow as "just what the doctor ordered," although it won't slow down the irrigation process much. Dryland wheat, however, was given a shot in the arm, and the general agricultural outlook was brightened.

Temperatures fell from a high of 75 last Wednesday to a high on Monday of only 20 degrees.

TEMPERATURES

	Max.	Min.
February 6	75	41
February 7	75	31
February 8	73	28
February 9	65	26
February 10	57	32
February 11	20	12
February 12	25	12

FARR, PRINCIPALS

Board Gives New Contracts To Officials

The Friona School Board gave Superintendent of Schools Alton Farr a new two-year contract, and extended the terms of the

three principals another year in its regular meeting Monday night.

Farr's contract was renewed

at the same salary he received this year. He recommended that the board re-hire the three principals, Raymond Cook (high school), Tom Jarboe (junior high) and J. T. Gee (elementary school), which the board did unanimously.

The board also passed a motion to provide the three principals with at least part-time secretarial help, in order to free them for more important administrative duties. It was thought that a secretary for Cook and another for both Gee and Jarboe would enable the principals to spend more time with actual supervision of their teachers.

Farr explained to the board that the principals' duties are presently entangled with much secretarial work, especially in junior high and high school, where attendance charts are kept for each period of the day. The annual school trustee election was scheduled for

Saturday, April 6. The terms of two board members, D. C. Herring, board president, and W. M. Massie, are expiring.

The holdover trustees, with the years their terms will expire, are: Glynn Don Hughes (1964), C. V. Potts (1964), Clyde Weatherly (1964), W. R. Mabry (1965) and Ellis Tatum (1965).

Flake Barber presented the

report for Dan Ethridge, school tax assessor-collector. He reported that taxes collected in January amounted to \$73,268.78. School taxes collected to February 1 were \$252,111.62, or 97.4 per cent complete.

The remaining 2.6 per cent of uncollected taxes amount to

\$6,606.40.

These figures compare to the same time a year ago, when 96.5 per cent of the school taxes were collected - \$227,751.35, and a total of \$8,160.91 in taxes were uncollected.

Superintendent Farr gave his monthly reports on the cafeteria fund, the transportation

fund, and the school budget. Farr also gave a report on the school's annual census, which ended February 1.

For the upcoming trustee election, George Baker was appointed election judge, and was given authority to appoint three helpers for the election.



RARE TREAT . . . Carlos Azofeifa, Friona exchange student from Costa Rica, is seeing his first snow this winter in Friona. "It never snows in Costa Rica. We are too near the equator. We get a lot of rain in December and January," Carlos says.

Senior Play Dates Given

"Gangway for Ghost" is the title for the Friona High School senior play, to be presented on February 28 and March 1. The cast has been selected for the three-act comedy, and practice is underway.

Class sponsors, Wayland Ethridge and Mrs. Frank Truitt, are in charge of the play's production. Mary Knight is student director for the play.



HAPPY OCCASION . . . The four Friona school officials appear to be happy over the action by the school board Monday night which extended their contracts. From the left are Tom Jarboe,

junior high principal, Alton Farr, superintendent, Raymond Cook, high school principal, and J. T. Gee, elementary principal.

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Editorial Comment :

What Has Happened To Our Morals "Code Of Ethics?"

We've known for a long time, or at least feared that it was true, that the morals of the American people were slipping somewhat. You read about things happening in Hollywood and New York that would be shocking in a small town such as ours, and you think those people, and the ones they come in contact with, must have become blinded to moral decency, and are taking a "who cares" attitude toward life.

But an account came to us recently that proves that the trend is stretching beyond the limits of Hollywood, and is closer than the newspaper accounts which tell us of moral blight in far-away places.

The case in question concerns two young high school students in a neighboring community. The two students were married just recently, and are expecting a child well before school is dismissed. It doesn't take even a high school youngster to determine from these facts that a breach of morals was involved.

Furthermore, the school administration is allowing both to remain in school to be examples to the rest of the student body, from the freshman class up, making something which is wrong appear to be all right, as far as they are concerned.

To further place their "stamp of approval" on things, the administration then changed its rule, which prohibited married students from participating in athletics, in order to allow the husband to represent the school in athletic events.

This, we believe, is leaning a bit too far in the wrong direction. Our Christian and American teachings have always advocated sex purity, and for anyone to uphold anything less than this is certainly to be pitied, especially an institution vested with as much responsibility as our schools.

-- B.E.

Star Resumes Court Policy

The Friona Star, as was formerly the case, will resume publishing names of all persons, excepting minors, appearing on the Corporation Court docket in Friona, as well as the Justice of the Peace records for Precinct 1.

Management of the Star decided to resume responsibility for publishing these court records. As was formerly the policy, names of all offenders, except for those 16 years of age and under, will be published.

This policy will begin with the next issue of the Star, which will carry a full summary of both Friona courts.

Census Report Shows Gain

The annual school census completed February 1 showed an increase of 90 students over last year, according to Superintendent of Schools Alton Farr.

The census was completed by 1256 students, compared to 1166 last year. There were 108 children registered who are to start to school September 1, compared to 107 last year.

It now appears that the high school enrollment will increase by about 34 students next year. Current enrollment is 295. There are only 54 seniors this year, and 90 eighth grade students are waiting to move into high school next fall.

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 babies were born at Parmer County Community Hospital. The ratio of boys to girls was a little one sided though. Twelve of the newborn were boys. The thirteenth was also a boy, so the girl was spared the "honor" of being tagged with the superstitious number.

Such a record should be proof positive that Frionans are doing their part to help the population explosion.

Mothers March--

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 Drug. The junior high and elementary schools are also participating in the drive, by sending envelopes home by the students for contributions. With the drive slated to end on Friday, a complete tabulation of the city's contributions should be available for the next edition of the Star.



WINTER SCENE . . . Evergreens growing in the backyard of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Lillard made a perfect background for the snow which was on the ground early this week. These trees have grown profusely during the past several years and provide one of the beauty spots in the city all year.

Club To Host Shoot Sunday

The Friona Gun Club is sponsoring a shoot at the trap house east of Friona Sunday. Teams from nine area communities are expected to take part, according to C. L. Lillard, president. "We are expecting teams from Amarillo, Plainview, Hart, Dimmitt, Bovina, Oklahoma Lane, Lariat, Farwell and Clovis," Lillard said. He urged all gun club members to take part in the shoot.

Entrance fee of \$4 per man will be charged. A "candy shoot" will be held after the regular shoot, with valentine candy to be awarded to the winners.

FHS Students Begin Campaigns

Friona High School students are campaigning for offices in the Student-Faculty Congress for next year. An assembly yesterday certified two candidates each for the office of president and vice president.

the S-FC are Mickey Wilson and Marca Lynn Massie, both juniors. Vice president candidates are Danny Murphree and Karen Osborn, sophomores.

80 average in school and maintain this average, must have had no discipline problem during the present semester or preceding semester, and also meet other requirements set up by the S-FC constitution.



POLITICAL FIGHT . . . This may be a new way of having a "political battle," as student election candidates Karen Osborn and Marca Lynn Massie point imaginary guns at Mickey Wilson and Danny Murphree. Karen and Danny are candidates for vice president of the student body for next year, while Marca Lynn and Mickey are vying for president.

Infant Buried

Graveside rites for Melvin Edward Moseley, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Moseley, were conducted in Memorial Sunset Terrace Cemetery, Farwell, at 4:30 p.m. Wednesday. The infant was born at Parmer County Community Hospital Tuesday and died a few hours following his birth.

Rev. J. L. Bass, pastor of Farwell Baptist Church, officiated. Survivors, other than the parents, include the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. David Moseley, Friona, and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Snider Sr., Farwell.



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CAR IN A FIX . . . This automobile was in a predicament Monday morning after it slid into a ditch east of town and was nearly covered by snow drifts. Claude Porter of Plains Publishers expresses the owners plight with a questioning shurg.

Americanism From A Student's View

(Editor's note: The following article was written as a history assignment by one of Mrs. W. L. Eddmon's fifth grade students, Wayne Schueler, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schueler of the Rhea Community.)

What The Declaration Of Independence Means To Me

It means that I have the same right as every other man in this world. The words, "all men are created equal" tell me this.

The word of God has given men and women certain rights. Among these are life, liberty and pursuit of happiness. This means that I have a right to live, I am free, and I can be happy.

I know I cannot be governed by a king or someone who makes the laws himself. I and the people of the country help decide the law. The reason I know this is the Declaration of Independence says thus, governments get "their just powers from the consent of the governed."

The other things it means to me are I have freedom of speech, religion, plus other things. I am graciously thankful for the men who gave their lives for our freedom.

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Vehicle Owners Reminded Of Inspection Date

Only 23 per cent of the vehicles in Farmer County have been inspected, with the April 1 deadline drawing near. Captain Alan Johnson, Motor Vehicle Inspection Supervisor of the Texas Department of Public Safety, said this week.

Unless the number of inspections is increased appreciably soon, long waiting lines will be forming at inspection stations when the April 15 deadline approaches. "The authorized in-

spection stations are ready and capable of handling the inspection of Texas registered vehicles without delay if owners will not wait until just a few days before the deadline," Johnson said.

"Any driver operating a vehicle registered in Texas, that is required to be inspected, on public roads after April 15 will be operating in violation of the law," he said.

Captain Johnson called at-

tention to the fact that since the beginning of the inspection program, vehicles having a defect that was a causative factor in fatal accidents decreased from 13% to 4%. "The purpose of the Motor Vehicle Inspection Program is to discover any maladjustment which might become a link in a cycle of events leading to an accident and, by removing the link, prevent the accident," he pointed out.

Taxpayers Must Enter Numbers

Taxpayers were reminded today by Dallas District Internal Revenue Director Ellis Campbell that under a recent law they are required to enter their identifying "tax account" numbers on 1962 income tax returns filed in 1963.

For the individual, this is his social security number, or similar number issued for tax reporting purposes if he has never had employment under social security coverage.

Use of identifying numbers is essential to electronic processing of returns, now being installed nationwide by Internal Revenue, Campbell said. He added that failure to show account number may delay any refund due.

Taxpayers still needing an account number should apply at once to the District Director's office, or to the District Office of the Social Security Administration, or by writing to Internal Revenue Service, Post Office Box 211, Baltimore, Maryland.

Director Campbell pointed out also that payers of dividends and interest are required to obtain the account numbers of their shareholders and depositors and to use them on information documents submitted to Internal Revenue.

He said receivers of income from these sources should comply promptly when they get requests for their account numbers from the paying organization. This is also required by law, he added.

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THE HAPPIEST MAN
There is this difference between happiness and wisdom; he that thinks himself the happiest man is really so; but he that thinks himself the wisest is generally the greatest fool. --Bacon

The Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council passes on this word of caution to those driving in the dry areas of Texas--Don't throw lighted matches or cigarettes onto the tinder dry grass along the highways. Fires are a real threat to the State's range forage.

STRENGTH FOR THESE DAYS
Walk in newness of life. --(Rom. 6:4)

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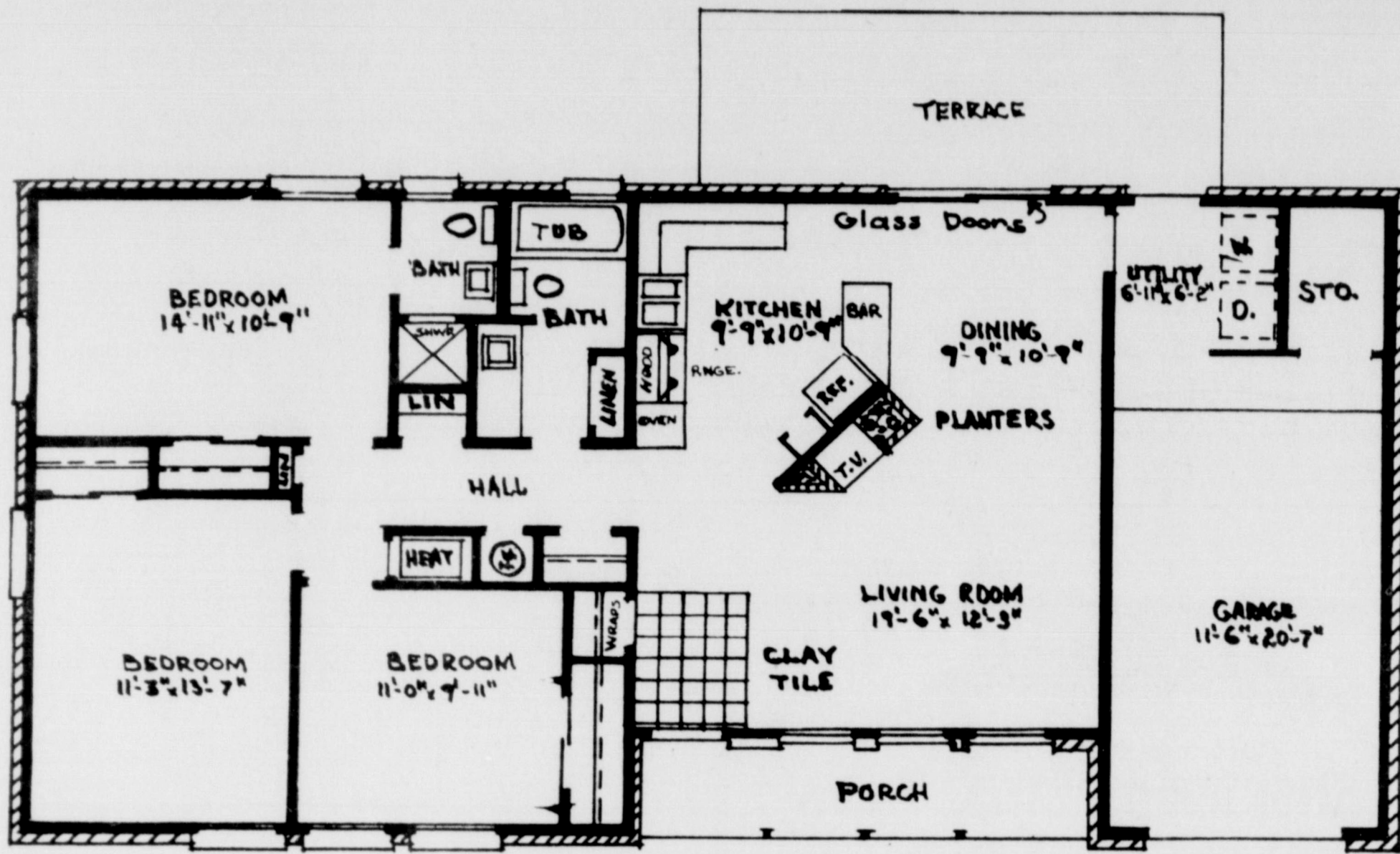
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Six Spanish students from Clovis High School are pictured here with Lora Mae McFarland, extreme right, following presentation of a program at the Modern Study Club meeting Tuesday evening. Students in the picture are Georgia Maddox, Kathy Anglin, Gene McGuffin, Marilyn Crooks, Linda Pasternach and Patty Skarda.

Guests Present Program At Study Club Meeting

A program built around the theme, "A View of Spain" was presented at the Tuesday evening meeting of Modern Study Club at Friona's Federated Club House by Lora Mae McFarland, head of the Spanish Department of Clovis High School and six of her students.

Patty Skarda, pianist, accompanied Marilyn Crooks as she did a Spanish dance in costume, and Georgia Maddox, Kathy Anglin, Gene McGuffin

and Linda Pasternach as they sang Spanish songs.

Miss McFarland presented a lecture on a trip she made to Spain in the summer of 1962 and illustrated her talk with colored slides. The opening prayer was directed by Vera Batnum.

Mrs. Eva Miller was accepted as a new member of the club.

Guests, besides those presenting the program, were H. K.

Kendrick, Dan Ethridge, Claude Osborn, Charles Allen, Lisa Taylor, Lois Goodwine and Jo Phillips.

Also Mesdames J. B. McFarland, Ed Clark, Kenneth Neill, Claude Osborn, Pearl McClain and Lois Miller.

Refreshments were served by the hostesses, Eufaula Ethridge, Lucille Latta and Ethel Ruth Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hamilton returned recently from Santa Clara, Calif. where they spent several days visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Truett Bagwell. Mrs. Bagwell is the former Helen Hamilton.

Of Interest To THE WOMEN

Sunday Dinner Guests Charles Scales Home

Members of the Charles Scales family gathered Sunday for dinner honoring Airman Thomas C. Scales, who is home on leave from his duties with the U.S. Air Force.

Young Scales, who has recently been promoted to Airman, has just completed his training at an aviation jet mechanic school at Memphis, Tennessee. He will leave Friday

for Cuba, where he expects to be stationed for the next 18 months.

Others present for dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Rob-

erson and daughter, Elverna, McAllister, N.M., Mr. and Mrs. Allen Parson and son, Canyon, and Mr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Gibson and son.

Lodge Members Receive Perfection Certificates

At the regular meeting of Friona Rebekah Lodge Monday evening of last week at Odd-fellows Hall two certificates of perfection were presented members. Phyllis Sanders re-

ceived one in unwritten work and L. V. Day received one for a semi-annual report.

Lauretta Brookfield, Noble Grand, was presented a birthday cake by Addie Moyer, Mrs. Brookfield was the hostess and served cake, coffee and cold drinks.

Reports were made of 40 sick visits and 11 cards being sent. Seventeen members were present.

Luncheon Planned

A luncheon has been planned to begin the Thursday, February 21 meeting of the Ladies Country Club Association. A business session will follow the luncheon.

James Wade Clements Born February 11

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Roy Clements became parents of a baby boy at Parmer County Community Hospital at 3:10 a.m. Monday, February 11. He weighed 8 lbs. and was named James Wade.

James Wade has one sister, Mary Joan. His grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clements and Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Grubbs, all of Friona. Great-grandparents are Mrs. J. B. McFarland, Friona; Mrs. R. B. Grubbs, Plainview; Mrs. W. L. Thomas, Sr., Lockney and George Clements, Emory, Texas.

Singing Group Gives Schedule

The Treblelaires, a singing group of Friona High School students, will sing at the regular meeting of the Friona Lions Club tonight. On Saturday, the group will sing at the USO at Amarillo Air Force Base. They sang Wednesday at a meeting of the YWA of the First Baptist Church.

The program for the USO will be on a Valentine theme. The Treblelaires also sang for the airman on Christmas. They will have an appearance on the KCLV Breakfast Club at the Holiday Inn at Clovis, N.M. Saturday, February 23.

Son Born To Jerry Londons

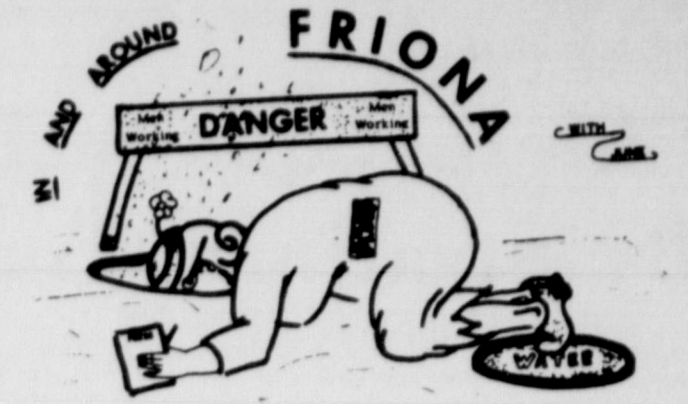
Mr. and Mrs. Jerry London became parents of a baby boy at 10:59 a.m. Friday, February 8. He weighed 7 lbs. 15 ozs. and was named Mitch Dean.

He is the second child for the couple, who have a daughter, M'Linda. Grandparents of Mitch Dean are Mr. and Mrs. P. L. London and Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jones, all of Friona.

Great-grandparents are L. M. Crow and Mrs. C. J. Jones, Friona and Mrs. F. G. Truax, Gage, Okla.

It's A Boy For Howards

Mr. and Mrs. Valton Howard became parents of a baby boy at 3:15 p.m. Tuesday at Parmer County Community Hospital. He was named Val David and weighed 8 lbs. 10 ozs. He is the first child for the couple. Grandparents are Mr.



Farmers in this area are very grateful for moisture received early this week in the form of snow. There was a vast difference in the way it fell Sunday evening and Monday evening.

Some persons experienced difficulty in driving even short distances Sunday evening. Drifts formed in many places and the high wind made traveling hazardous for several hours.

Monday evening's fall came when there was no wind and it seemed as if every flake stayed exactly where it fell.

Livestock men are having to feed cattle on wheat pastures, but the moisture offsets inconveniences, so on an overall basis everyone came out ahead and grateful for the break in a long "no moisture" period.

One of the most beautiful sights in Friona this week was the front window of Southwestern Public Service Company. There is a huge begonia plant in the window and the past several weeks it has been blooming profusely.

Late Monday there was a snow bank on the sidewalk and its reflection in the window created the illusion that the begonia plant was blooming in a bank of snow.

The following item would prove useful for each of us a yardstick to measure the kind of persons we really are. Read

it then ask yourself the question, "How do I measure?" A real man never talks about what the world owes him, the happiness he deserves, the chance he ought to have, and all that; all that he claims is the right to live and play the man.

A real man is just as honest alone in the dark, in his own room, as he is in public.

A real man does not want pulls, tips and favors; he wants work and honest wages.

A real man is loyal to his friends and guards their reputation as his own.

A real man is dependable; his simple word is as good as his Bible oath.

A real man does not want something for nothing, so the "get-rich-quick" people cannot use him.

A real man never hunts danger, and never dodges it when he ought to meet it.

A real man is - well, he is an honest man, the finest, best, noblest, most refreshing thing to be found on all the green earth - unless it is a real woman.

Several Friona fans journeyed to Amarillo Saturday evening to see the Stratford-Friona basketball games. These contests are going to give us an opportunity to compare news stories from each town.

I'm wondering if it will not be a difficult task for Dave McReynolds of the Stratford Star to write a basketball story about Friona teams without making it slant slightly in favor of the Squaws and Chiefs.

Predictions are being made that the Stratford teams will go all the way to the state tournaments. Won't it be interesting if the Squaws and Elkettes meet in Gregory Gym in Austin in the spring.

A wise man profits by his own experience. A wiser man profits just as much by the experience of others.

Raymond Weaver Born Monday

Raymond Dee is the name Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Weaver chose for the baby boy born to them at 2:45 p.m. Monday, February 4, at Parmer County Community Hospital. He is the first child for the couple and weighed 7 lbs. 8 ozs.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Dee Weaver, Clovis, and Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Amerson, Petersburg. Mrs. A. G. Amerson, Abernathy, John E. Lober, Oklahoma, and Florence May Dean, Missouri, are great-grandparents. Mrs. Lydia Mitchell, Missouri, is the great-great-grandmother.

Mrs. Weaver and Raymond Dee have been dismissed from the hospital and are now at home.



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ACTIVITIES to keep in mind

BASKETBALL
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Friona Squaws vs Cotton Center Girls, Here February 22

Ladies Country Club Association Luncheon at Country Club House, February 21

School Menu

Monday: Barbecue meat, buttered carrots, rolls, milk, green beans, raisins, butter, apple sauce.

Tuesday: Fried chicken, English peas, rolls, milk, mashed potatoes, Jello fruit salad, butter, chocolate cake.

Wednesday: Stew meat and noodles, lettuce wedges, rolls, green beans, milk, butter, banana pudding.

Thursday: Pinto beans, onion greens, butter, light bread, rolls, corn bread, milk, peach cobbler.

Friday: Roast and gravy, carrot sticks, butter, potatoes, rolls, chocolate milk, blue plums.

Frionans On Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth McLellan and Mr. and Mrs. Richard Adkins are vacationing in California this week.

During the absence of their parents, Becky Ann McLellan is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rector and Ronnie and Cliff McLellan are with their grandmother, Mrs. Lillian McLellan.

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AT AMARILLO

Chiefs, Squaws Derailed By Stratford Teams

Competition was what they wanted, and that's what the Friona Chiefs and Squaws got against Stratford teams at Amarillo last Saturday night.

The Squaws were caught short-handed, with Charlotte, Nettles out of the lineup with influenza, and Janet Buckley also sidelined, and dropped their seventh game of the season, 45-34. The Chiefs fell, 57-49.

Both Stratford teams are leading district I-A. The Elks made their season record 22-2 with the win, and the Elkettes ran their impressive mark to 24-1.

For a time, it appeared that the Squaws might upset the Elkettes, even without two starters. (Buckley actually started the game, but was benched after about four minutes for the rest of the game so as not to take a chance on further impairing her health.)

Janet gave Friona a 2-0 lead with a long set shot. Then after Rose Ann Greeson scored a pair of free throws for a 4-1 lead, Buckley scored two consecutive lay-ups, and the Squaws had an 8-1 lead.

But after Buckley left the game, Friona hit a cold spell with both offensive and defensive players making mistakes. Tito Jennings hit a free throw for a 9-2 lead, and after that Friona didn't score again until Stratford had taken a 10-9 lead. Greeson got a basket to put the Squaws ahead, 11-10 at the end of the first quarter.

Stratford opened up a three-point lead in the second quarter, but baskets by Jennings and Linda Davis pulled Friona back ahead, and the Squaws led by five at halftime, 24-19.

The second half was all Stratford. The Elkettes went ahead with 3:59 remaining in the third quarter 26-25, after guard

Glenda McClellan left the game with her fifth personal foul. Friona seemed never to recover, and never had the lead or a tie after that point.

A long scoreless drought by the Squaws which lasted almost five minutes of playing time in the third quarter saw them score just four points in the quarter, at the end of which Stratford led, 30-28.

It was more of the same in the final period, as the taller Elkettes finally broke the game open with a seven point lead, 39-32, with 3:10 to play, and gradually built it into the final margin of 45-34.

Jennings took scoring honors for Friona with 14 points, seven in each half. Greeson had eight.

The boys game was much the same story, with Friona gamely making a battle of it. The Chiefs had a brief lead at 2-0 and 3-2 when Billy Thomas, closing out his basketball career, scored on



LARRY BUCKLEY

a set shot and a free throw. Friona then fell behind to the smooth-working Elks, 12-4, but baskets by S. D. Batze, Larry Buckley, and Danny Murphree kept the Chiefs within three points, 16-13, as the first quarter ended.

The Elks grabbed an eight-point margin, 21-13 at the outset of the second quarter, and led by nine, 25-16 midway through. Friona again rallied, with Max Reeve hitting two free throws, and Buckley two fielders to pull the Chiefs to within four points, 28-24 at halftime.

Goals by Murphree and Buckley kept Friona within five points, 34-29, but the Elks opened up a 10-point lead, 39-29 and kept that advantage through the third quarter, 42-32.

Thomas and Buckley traded baskets in the final quarter, to pull the Chiefs within seven points, 46-39 with 5:37 to play in the game, but that was as close as they could come.

Stratford scored seven straight points to take a commanding 14-point lead, 53-39, with just 3:47 to play, and it took baskets by Murphree and reserve Doug Dodd in the last minute to cut the margin to eight, 57-49.

Buckley, the leading scorer over the season, closed with a bang, scoring 18 points to lead all scorers.

BOX SCORES

SQUAWS-ELKETTES

	FG	FT	TP
Buckley	3	0	6
Jennings	6	2	14
Greeson	1	6	8
Davis	3	0	6
SQUAWS	11	13	4
Stratford	10	9	11

CHIEFS-ELKS

	FG	FT	TP
Reeve	0	3	3
Thomas	3	4	10
Murphree	4	3	11
Buckley	8	2	18
Batze	1	1	3
Dodd	2	0	4
CHIEFS	13	11	8
Stratford	16	12	14

DISTRICT STATISTICS

Buckley Paces Chiefs In District 3-AA Play

Sophomore Larry Buckley led the Friona Chiefs in scoring and field goal shooting during district play. Buckley scored 98 points in the eight games for a 12.3 points-per-game average, and made a phenomenal 64.8 per cent of his field goal

shots, 35 of 54 attempts, to lead that department.

Figures released this week by Coach Vernon Scott also showed that Buckley scored the most free throws, with 28 of 40 attempts, an even 70 per cent. However, Billy Thomas with 12 of 17 tries had a slightly better percentage, 70.6 per cent, and reserve Jim Snead had eight of 12, or 75 per cent.

Another sophomore, Danny Murphree, who went into district play with a 4.4 scoring average, which put him in sixth place by average on the team, was the second leading scorer in district play with 82 points, a 10.3 average.

Team department leaders going into district play faltered somewhat. Max Reeve, who had been the field goal percentage leader in non-district games, was only sixth in District 3-AA contests, and S. D. Batze, free throw percentage leader the first part of the season with a 71.4 per cent average, was a dead last in district play with 46.7 per cent.

Thomas was third-place scorer for district competition, with a 9.8 average, followed by Batze at 7.9.

The Chiefs averaged 50.1 points in district play, where they finished third with 4-4 record. They evened their district mark the hard way, having to upset Dimmitt in the final district game, the only 3-AA loss for the Bobcats.

Friona scored its highest point total in district (and for the season as well) on the road, with 75 points at Olton. Their lowest point total in district was, curiously enough, in a winning cause -- against Dimmitt here,

when they won, 36-34.

Lowest points scored by a district opponent against Friona was by Olton in a game here, 31 points. Highest point total was the 59 points scored

by Dimmitt, at Dimmitt, who were to score 25 points less than that in their game here.

Statistics for the complete season will be published next week.

Scoring Leaders

	G	FG	FT	TP	AVG.
Larry Buckley	8	35	28	98	12.3
Danny Murphree	8	33	16	82	10.3
Billy Thomas	8	33	12	78	9.8
S. D. Batze	8	28	7	63	7.9
Dale Milner	8	11	18	40	5.0
Max Reeve	8	8	3	19	2.4
Jim Snead	5	1	8	10	2.0
Dwight Bates	5	1	3	5	1.0
Milton Hargus	5	2	0	4	0.8
Wayne Jones	3	1	0	2	0.7
TOTALS	8	153	95	401	50.1


Field Goal Percentage

	FGA	FGM	PCT.
Larry Buckley	54	35	.648
Billy Thomas	59	33	.559
Dale Milner	21	11	.524
Danny Murphree	67	33	.492
S. D. Batze	57	28	.491
Max Reeve	21	8	.381
Dwight Bates	2	1	.500
Wayne Jones	3	1	.333
Jim Snead	3	1	.333
Milton Hargus	8	2	.250

Free Throw Percentage

	FTA	FTM	PCT.
Jim Snead	12	8	.750
Billy Thomas	17	12	.706
Larry Buckley	40	28	.700
Danny Murphree	26	16	.615
Max Reeve	5	3	.600
Dale Milner	33	18	.545
Dwight Bates	6	3	.500
S. D. Batze	15	7	.467



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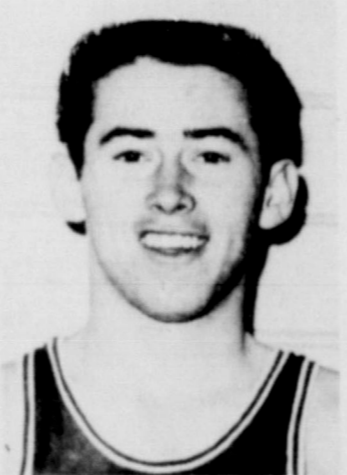
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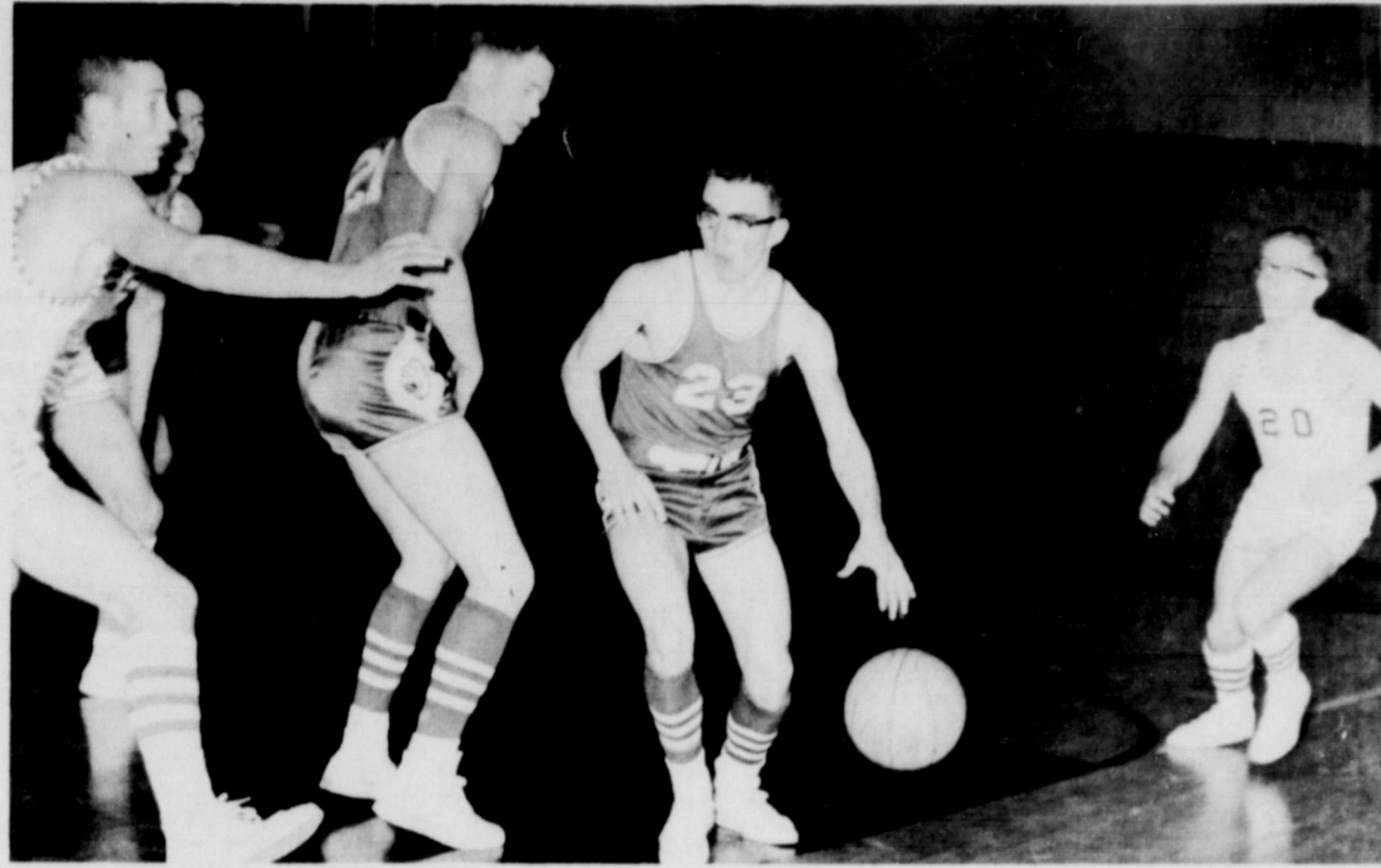
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BALL ON STRING . . . Danny Murphree seems to be treating the basketball like a yo-yo in game against Stratford. Larry Buckley is forming a screen for his teammate. The Chiefs fell to strong Stratford, 57-49.

McCLELLAN TOP REBOUNDER

Nettles Leads Squaws' Scoring In District

Charlotte Nettles, junior forward, was the leading scorer for the Friona High School Squaws in district play, according to statistics compiled this week.

Nettles was the leader by a narrow margin of four points, as all three starting forwards averaged well over 10 points per game. Charlotte, who gains almost half of her points at the free throw line, boosted by offensive fouls by the opposing team, scored 145 points in the eight district games, for an average of 18.1 points per game.

Tito Jennings, the team's scoring leader for the season, was a close second with 141 points and a 17.6 average per game. Janet Buckley scored 106 points in district play for a 13.3 points per game average.

Glenda McClellan, sophomore guard, was the leading rebounder in district play with 4.5 rebounds per game. She also is leading the team in overall season play. Kay Burleson, senior, was second rebounder in district play with 32 rebounds, an average of four per game.

As a team, the Squaws averaged 51.5 points per game in District 3-AA games, and held their opponents to 44.3 points per game. Curiously, the opposition outscored Friona, 144-134 at the free throw line, but the Squaws held the advantage, 278-210 from the field.

In district competition, the Squaws scored their highest and lowest totals against the same team — Dimmitt. In the teams' first meeting at Dimmitt, Friona scored only 32 points, their lowest point total of the year. When Dimmitt came here, the Squaws unloaded for 63 points, their highest output in district play.

Dimmitt's 51 points in a losing cause at Friona were the most points the Squaws gave up during the district schedule, and the 34 points Muleshoe scored here turned out to be the least Friona allowed in district play.

The Squaws won district with a 7-1 record, losing only to Dimmitt on the Bobbies' home court. Morton was second with a 5-3 record, with Olton and Dimmitt finishing at 4-4. Muleshoe, which was rebuilding this year after winning their district title last year, failed to win a district game.



CHARLOTTE NETTLES



SKATING PARTNERS? Linda Jo Davis and the Stratford guard appear to be making the turn on the skating rink, although the two are engaged in a battle for position.

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SCORING LEADERS

	G	FG	FT	TP	AVG.
Charlotte Nettles	8	39	67	145	18.1
Tito Jennings	8	52	37	141	17.6
Janet Buckley	8	41	24	106	13.3
Rose Ann Greeson	6	4	5	13	2.2
Linda Jo Davis	5	2	1	5	1.0
Marca Lynn Massie	3	1	0	2	0.7
Totals (SQUAWS)	8	139	134	412	51.5
(OPPONENTS)	8	105	144	354	44.3

REBOUND LEADERS

	G	RB	AVG.
Glenda McClellan	8	34	4.5
Kay Burleson	8	32	4.0
Tito Jennings	8	29	3.6
Sandra Hoover	8	24	3.6
Janet Buckley	8	19	2.4
Charlotte Nettles	8	14	1.8
Carolyn Herring	7	12	1.7

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WATCH HER GO . . . The two Stratford players seem to be taking time out to watch Rose Ann Greeson drive toward the goal. Stratford wasn't caught napping, however, as the Elkettes topped the Squaws, 45-34.

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AT ANNUAL MEETING

Grain Producers Name New Slate Of Officers

Commissioners Name Project Representative



DIRECTORS -- Officers and directors for the coming year of Farmer County Grain Sorghum Producers Association...

Tom Caldwell of Bovina is new president of Farmer County Grain Sorghum Producers Association.

He was elected at annual meeting of the organization Tuesday night at Bovina school cafeteria...

He succeeds A. W. (Dub) Anthony Jr. of Friona, who was named vice chairman of the county group for the coming year.

Tuesday night's program consisted of four speakers including Sam Thomas, agriculture development director of Southwestern Public Service Company of Amarillo...

Thomas spoke on the advantages of cattle feeding to the area. He pointed out that there was a feedlot capacity for 1,000,000 head of cattle in the Golden Spread area...

Research, service and market development are the three phases of the association's work, Chandler said.

In pointing out the progress which has been made in selling grain sorghum to foreign countries, he said, "A lot more remains to be done in the field of grain sorghum promotion."

The association's plans for the year will be made at that session.

multiply our cattle feeding operations by eight and still not have to import grain," he said.

A point that he stressed was: "We're in the fastest growing cattle feeding area in the nation."

Mills discussed the 1963 feed grain program. He answered questions from the audience in regard to the program and pointed out that it offers additional benefits to the farmer-cattle feeder...

Chandler discussed projects of the area grain sorghum producers during the past year, emphasizing legislation which was influenced by the association that brought about a nine cent increase in the support price of mill.

Directors elected were Gene Smith, Lazbuddie; Elmer Hargrove, Farwell; J. D. Kirkpatrick, Bovina; and Ellis Tatum, Friona.

G. D. Anderson, Jr. was re-elected elevator representative on the board, Hargrove was appointed secretary-treasurer by the directors following the meeting.

First action of the new board will be the area producers annual meeting March 13 in Amarillo.

The association's plans for the year will be made at that session.

Farmer County Commissioners Court meeting in regular session Monday appointed Guy Cox to the steering committee of the Running Water Draw commission.

The commissioners approved all January bills for payment.

Two gas line crossing permits were granted also.

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Tom Lowellen of Friona was named as alternate for Cox.

Commissioners also set the travel allowance for commissioners at \$75 and for the county judge at \$50 as allowed in article 23500 of Vernon's Statutes.

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Redeemer Lutheran Church (in the Legion Hall) Friona Immanuel Lutheran Church, Rhea Community Rev. Ervin A. Binger, Pastor

FOR COUNCIL

Jury List Released; Monday Is Court Day

Names of 48 petit jurors who are to meet Monday at the County Courthouse were released this week by Charley Lovelace, County Sheriff.

They were: Mrs. Dee Brown, Lazbuddie, Mrs. Earl Stevenson, Bovina, U. S. Akens, Friona, Hayden Cason, Friona, Ivan Adkins, Friona, George T. Douglas, Farwell, Mrs. Davis Gulley, Lazbuddie, T. I. Burleson, Jr., Friona, Mrs. R. W. Anderson, Farwell.

Charles Vickers, Bovina, Jim Bob Smart, Farwell, Allen Cumpston, Bovina, Guy Latta, Friona, Monty Barrett, Bovina, Mrs. Martha Bates, Friona, M. C. Nobles, Farwell, Howard Looney, Bovina, George A. Jones, Friona, Spencer Hough, Friona, G. D. Anderson, Jr., Bovina.

Curtis Birchfield, Farwell, D. L. Carmichael, Friona, Don Murphy, Bovina, Lee R. Mason, Oklahoma Lane, Mrs. James H. Clay, Oklahoma Lane, J. D. Mabry, Friona, Mrs. Melba Allen, Friona, A. L. Carlton, Friona.

Ray Mattenson, Friona, Bob Hart, Farwell, Don Williams, Farwell, Clyde Fields, Friona.

S. M. Bailey, Friona, Claude Blackburn, Friona, Robert E. Wilson, Bovina, Dwight Sheriff, Farwell, C. A. Felts, Lariat, Cecil Atchley, Lariat, Donald C. Christian, Farwell, Delbert Garner, Farwell, Jack Kessler, Bovina, C. A. Watson, Lazbuddie, Franklin Bauer, Friona, Connie O'Brien, Bovina, Mrs. Olen Ivy, Friona, John McFarwell, Farwell, John Range, Farwell and Mrs. Robert Kaltwasser, Farwell.

Young Republicans In Lincoln Dinner

The Farmer-Bailey counties Young Republican Club sponsored a Lincoln Day Dinner Monday night at the Muleshoe High School cafeteria, in honor of Abraham Lincoln, the 16th president of the United States.

Dr. Floyd Golden, a former Friona teacher, and ex-president of Eastern New Mexico University, was the speaker. Dr. Golden was one of 30 educators who spent several weeks in 1960 in the Soviet Union studying their educational system.

Dr. Golden stated that he would not compare, but "contrast" the American and Russian educational system. He said the Russian system was entirely for service for the government, while the American system was for service to humanity.

The Russian government controls all education, and has put much emphasis on it in the last 10 years, Dr. Golden said. He pointed out that their aim is to conquer the world for Communism through their educational system, without firing a shot. Their plan is to encircle America, he said, with the final "catch" to be America itself.

Golden pointed out that a Christian cannot be a Communist, and a Communist cannot be a Christian, but that does not rule out the fact that they can infiltrate our churches, schools, and government -- which, he said, was their plan for conquering America.

Golden also pointed out that Communism is a cowardly ideology. "Whenever we have taken a firm stand, the Communists have always backed down," he said. The former head of ENMU also said that to his knowledge no team has ever won a football game without taking to the "offensive" at sometime in the game.

"Put more stress on education and religion," was Golden's challenge to Americans.

Club president, Clarence E. Mason, acted as master of ceremonies. Rev. Don Davidson gave the invocation.

Around 160 tickets were sold for the banquet, but bad weather kept the attendance to about 80.

"If my people, which are called by my name, shall humble themselves, and pray, and seek my face, and turn from their wicked ways; then will I hear from heaven, and will forgive their sin, and will heal their land." II Chronicles 7:14



Something To Think About

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Love for the truth involves hatred for sin and error, and a reaction against it. Unfortunately, it is possible for one to have such a spirit of reaction that he is indirectly controlled by those whom he opposes in that he merely reacts against what they do instead of being guided by the WHOLE truth.

CORRECTING THE BIBLE A new York business man had a picture of the leaning tower of Piza hanging over his office desk. He noticed that, no matter how often he straightened the picture, it would be hanging crooked the following morning.

Finally, he asked the maid if she could explain this mystery. "Why, yes," she said, "I have to hang the picture crooked to make the tower hang straight."

What this maid was doing with the leaning tower of Piza, many people are doing with the Bible every day. The Bible, they feel, doesn't hang straight and they are going to readjust it.

It's high time that we get back to the habit of taking the Bible just as it reads. If it says ALL men are sinners, let's not say that it says SOME men are sinners. If it says that every impenitent sinner is headed for perdition, let's not say that every impenitent sinner is in need of "social readjustment."

If it says that Jesus is the only begotten Son of God, let's not say that Jesus was one of the world's "great Prophets." If it says that salvation is by repentance for sin and faith in the shed blood of Christ, let's not say that salvation is by an acceleration of the evolutionary process. If it says "Believe in the Lord Jesus Christ and thou shalt be saved," let's not say be Baptized and thou shalt be saved.

Let's quit tampering with the Scriptures. If the Bible does not agree with us, there is only one course for us to follow: Let's agree with the Bible.

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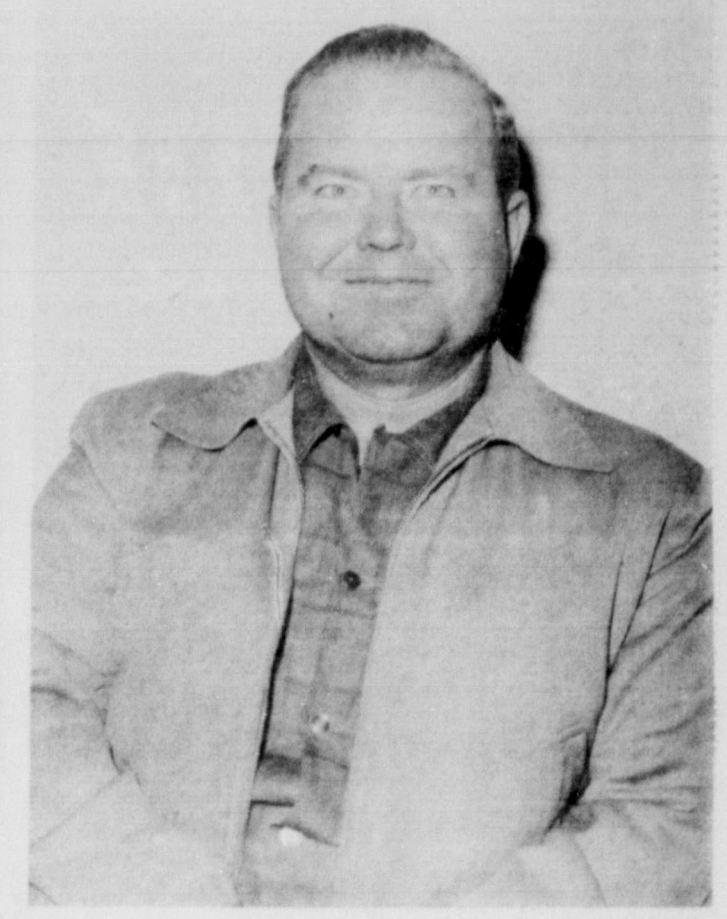
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Roberts Gets Chamber Position



PORTER ROBERTS has been named manager of the Friona Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture, a part-time position created by the chamber recently. Roberts will assume duties on March 1.

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Grain Signups Give Indication Of 1963 Crop

At the start of the week, a total of 196 farms had signed up under the 1963 Feed Grain program, according to Prentice Mills, Parmer County ASCS office manager.

This represented a fraction over 15 per cent of the farms in the county, Mills said. Of those that have signed up, a total of 9,710 acres have been

diverted, and 30,682 acres expected to be planted.

On the basis of what this 15 per cent of the farms have indicated, projecting the percentages for the entire county it would appear that the county would probably wind up with 65,280 acres of feed grain base diverted, and some 206,720 acres planted to grain sorghum.

"This would be in the neighborhood of 15,000 to 18,000 more acres planted than was planted last year," Mills said.

Mills reminded the farmers that if they feel they need a correction or re-consideration of the acreage total printed on the notices they received recently, they have only until Tuesday,

February 19, to file an appeal with the ASCS office.

Advance payments made through the diversion program to date (half of the full diversion payment per farm) totals \$83,221, the ASCS office manager reported.

March 22 is the final date for signing up under the 1963 Feed Grain program.

The details of the 1964 wheat program are due to be announced shortly. The national wheat referendum will be voted on in late May or early June. "The 1964 program should be very similar to the program we had in 1962," Mills said.

Under this alignment, the farm allotment would be about 10 per cent lower than the

1963 allotment. Diversion payments would be offered for conservation use of acreage not planted in the allotment.

THE HIGH PLAINS FARM AND HOME

Magazine Tells Of Rare Prehistoric Life In Texas

"Most people are dinosaur-conscious because of publicity perpetrated by Hollywood movies, oil companies and newspapers and TV comics. Yet few realize that the dinosaurs represent only one small group of animals that once lived in the rather dim past," writes C. C. Reeves, Jr., in the February issue of TEXAS GAME AND FISH, the official publication of the Game and Fish Commission.

"For instance," explains Reeves, "most people have heard that the great grizzly bear once roamed Southwest Texas, the antelope grazed the Llano Estacado, the black bear beat the East Texas thickets and elk, bighorn sheep and buffalo enjoyed the solitude of various locations. But few people know that great 50-foot 'Crocodiles' once lived in the Trans-Pecos or that 30-foot sea monsters terrorized the seas of southern Texas."

Giant crocodiles, sea monsters, in the Lone Star State? That's right! And Reeves, a professor of geology at Texas Tech., knows his business. According to the geologist, prehistoric life in the state, in the form of bivalves, first appeared 400-500 million years ago. "But," writes the author, "it was only about 210 million years ago, in what geologists call the Permian Period, that the reptiles and amphibians for which

Texas is best known, suddenly appeared."

There's quite a story in store for the readers of TEXAS GAME AND FISH, about "Far Back Fauna." In fact, the popular magazine has a number of surprise features this month. It has a good one on "Game Guardians," an adventure hunting dinosaur tracks and finding geodes, a very educational article about prairie chickens, hunting snipes with a muzzle loader, a lake story and a very touching poem about a dance in the Brazos brakes. If you're interested in taking the magazine, send \$2.04 to the Commission office in Austin.

Jimmy Smith Attends School

Parmer County Work Unit Conservationist, Jimmy Smith of Friona, attended a Soil Conservation training school at Temple this week. Smith was due to return to Friona on Thursday.

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I would rather guess the thickness of glass to be used to correct an eye muscle defect. I know absolutely nothing about eye correction.

I know the fundamental ideas of foot correction but with every scrap of knowledge that I have acquired there were two, three, four or more warnings. "Beware of Overcorrection." Be sure it is not the knees or hips" etc. etc.

We parents naturally want to do something if our children manifest any abnormality. Too often, shoe clerks are willing to help even though the doctor is opposed to therapy at the time.

A little knowledge is a dangerous thing and foot health is one thing about which everyone seems to have a little knowledge.

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DERYL COKER

It's hard to keep from getting the planting fever with the kind of weather we have had, but I have a feeling that something is going to happen, because we are not supposed to have May weather in February.

The 13th Annual Pantech P.R.I. Field Day and sale will be held at Texas Tech College Research Farm, located five miles northeast of the Amarillo Airport on March 14, 1963.

The educational program begins at 10:00 a.m. with the sale beginning at 1:00 p.m.

According to J. P. Smith, the program will be educational, so if you are interested in livestock production, keep this date in mind.

The third Biennial Grain Sorghum Research and Utilization Conference will be held in the Ballroom of the Holiday Vic Mon Inn in Amarillo, on March 12 and 13, 1963. Some outstanding authorities on grain sorghum from all over the United States have been as-

sembled on the program.

Since grain sorghum is our livelihood I thought you would want to know about this meeting.

From now to planting time a lot of fertilizer will be applied to soils in Parmer county, and it seems to me that not near enough soil samples are being taken.

A soil test recommendations will give the best return per dollar spent. There are many factors about a farmer and his farming operations which a soil testing laboratory can't analyze, but a farmer can put the soil test together with the factors and make a much better decision.

If you are in doubt about how much value the soil test is worth, why don't you take one and try the soil test recommendation against that of your own. If you should do this, I would be very interested in the results.

The owner of a circus was being pestered by a clown to engage him and his pet mon-goose.

"My partner is very clever," he said, "he can talk, sing and dance--he is positively human."

"If that's the case," exclaimed the circus owner, "why is he on a leash?" "Because," confessed the clown, "he owes me twenty bucks!"



A WELL-DECORATED feed shock, garbed in its wintry blanket of snow, stands as evidence of the general snowfall in Parmer County this week, the first beneficial moisture since late last fall.

Linda Rector Is Deer Status Is Unknown Contest Winner

Linda Rector, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Folster Rector of Route 1, Friona, was judged winner of the Farm Bureau's "Citizenship Seminar" at the regular director's meeting of the Farm Bureau last Monday night.

Linda, sophomore at Friona High School, competed against Janie Bradshaw of Farwell. Each school in Parmer County was requested to nominate contestants. The students spoke briefly on the subject "Why I Am Proud to be an American."

They were judged on scholastic standing, ability to speak to a group of people, initiative and other qualities. Judges were Mrs. Virgil Zeman, Mrs. Pete Jesko and Ed Combs.

By winning, Linda will be entitled to attend a Citizenship seminar next summer. It isn't known at this time whether that seminar will be in Oklahoma City as last year, or whether the Texas Farm Bureau will conduct its own seminar this year. Miss Bradshaw will act as alternate.

Purpose of the seminars is to emphasize the importance of the American way of life to all citizens, and get this idea more firmly implanted in the lives of our youth.

Deer Status Is Unknown

Whether or not there will be a deer die-off in certain overpopulated sections of South Texas before spring is a question that keeps recurring to biologists working on deer management in this section of Texas. They keep remembering the past. The deer herds built up steadily in this area until the population leveled off in 1955.

A severe drouth held the land in its grip that year and ranges were in poor condition. A terrible winter killed off many deer before the warm days of spring brought relief. This was the inevitable work of nature balancing the herds with the available food supply.

Deer populations again have increased steadily in some counties and now they are leveling off at what biologists consider peak populations. Continued cold weather, which retards the sprouting of new grass and leaves, could terminate in an extended wet freezing spell and kill thousands of deer.

The ranges in certain parts of South Texas, especially in Uvalde, Medina and Frio counties, are in a worse condition than they were in 1955 and deer

populations there are every bit as high as they were in 1955. Other parts of the brush country had very poor fawn crops last spring and deer populations are a little below what is considered an absolute peak. These areas may not be hard hit because the little food that is available could take care of the deer. The cold weather could ease off into spring and let most of the deer survive.

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Classing Total Tops Last Year, Final Report Shows

W. K. Palmer, Officer-in-Charge of the Lubbock Cotton Classing Office, reported the classing of current crop to be only a few bales per day. Palmer went on to say that this had been another big year for the South Plains with 2,269,000 samples classed in the three Government Cotton Classing Offices. This is slightly more than the total classed last year. It is expected that a few thousand more samples will be received over the next several weeks.

The Lubbock office has classed 1,799,500 samples to date. This compares with a total of 1,723,305 samples classed last year.

Of the cotton classed in Lubbock this year the white grades accounted for 40 per cent, the Light Spotted grades 55 per cent, and the Spotted grades four per cent.

The average staple length for the Lubbock office this season was 29.9 thirty seconds of an inch. Sixty-three per cent of the

cotton classed was 15/16 of an inch in length. The Brownfield office finished up the season with total classing at 263,768 samples as compared to 242,676 last year. Of the cotton classed in Brownfield the white grades accounted for 37 per cent, the Light Spotted grades 60 per cent and the Spotted grades two per cent. The average staple length

for the season at Brownfield was 30.3 thirty seconds of an inch. Sixty per cent of the cotton was 15/16 of an inch in length.

The Lamesa office classed 205,728 samples as compared to 302,961 last year. The white grades accounted for 33 per cent of the cotton classed in Lamesa, the Light Spotted grades 61 per cent and the Spotted grades

six per cent. The average staple length for the Lamesa office this season was 30.4 thirty-seconds of an inch. Fifteen-sixteens of an inch accounted for 54 per cent. The Lamesa office had more cotton that stapled 31/32" or longer percentage wise than the Lubbock or Brownfield office.

Four grades accounted for over eighty per cent of the cotton classed on the South Plains for the season. These grades were Strict Low Middling, Low Middling, Middling Light Spotted, and Strict Low Middling

Light Spotted. The micronaire readings were good throughout most of the season. Approximately 55 per cent of the cotton classed miked 3.5 or better. The range of 2.7 to 3.4 accounted for 40 per cent. Five per cent of the cotton classed was classed as wasty.

The price quotations have been steady throughout the season. Cotton moving into trade channels on the Lubbock Market has either miked 3.5 or better or has been wasty. Middling

one inch quotation is 33.00, which compares with 33.00 one year ago. For the four grades that made up the majority of the cotton produced on the South Plains the quotations are: Strict Low Middling 29/32" 29.75, Strict Low Middling 15/16" 30.25, Low Middling 29/32" 28.90, Low Middling 15/16" 29.40, Middling Light Spotted 29/32" 29.85, Middling Light Spotted 15/16" 30.25, Strict Low Middling Light Spotted 29/32" 29.05 and Strict Low Middling Light Spotted 15/16" 29.55.

Cattle Prices Were Lower During Month Of January

A slackening demand resulted in lower prices for fed beef cattle in January. Live prices were down from one to two dollars per hundred weight in some instances and dressed beef showed even sharper declines. Fed calves weighing 635 pounds and down remained in the best demand, according to the latest monthly summary published by the Cattle Feeders Division of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association. Choice grading cattle were in fair demand, but standard and good cattle over 700 pounds were hard to move.

At Omaha, choice steer beef 600-700 pounds closed January at \$39 to \$39.50, about five dollars below the previous month. Choice steer beef 600-800 pounds was selling in New York a full \$4 lower. Choice heifer beef in Denver sold at the close of January at \$38 to \$40, down from \$43 to \$44 the previous month.

Prices showed most stability on the West Coast and at Los Angeles choice steer beef 500-600 pounds sold at \$43.50 to \$44, down from \$44.50 to \$45. At Houston, choice steer beef 400-700 pounds was quoted at the close of January at \$43 to \$45 compared to \$46 to \$48

the previous month. Calf at the Houston market moved at \$41 to \$43.50 for good weighing 200-375 pound carcasses. This compares with \$44 to \$45.50 the previous month. At the close of January, there was a stronger undertone in the beef trade and indications of improvement were noted. Extreme cold and dry weather during January contributed to a heavy shipment of small grain pasture cattle to market. Both feeder steers and heifers over 500 pounds were down 25 to 75 cents per hundred. Common and medium calves were lower, but good and choice calves 400 pounds and down sold mostly steady.

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Sealed bids will be accepted at Muleshoe State Bank now, and bids will be opened by Muleshoe State Bank on March 11, 1963, at 1 o'clock P.M. Bids will be considered on the gross property and on single items. Title and possession will be delivered to the successful bidder. All property may be inspected by calling Ed Little 925-3145, Lariat, Texas. Contemplate selling property to the highest bidder, but owners reserve right to reject any or all bids. 10% of bid must accompany bid.

Farm Facts

Radio-carbon tests of popcorn found in New Mexico's Bate Cave show the corn to be 5,600 years old.

According to researchers popcorn was used in pagan religious rites. Columbus found the natives in the West Indies wearing popcorn decorations like corsages. The Aztecs wore ceremonial head-dresses with popcorn garlands and decorated the statues of the gods with popcorn.

When French explorers came to the Great Lakes region in 1612, they found the Iroquois Indians popping corn in a pottery vessel with heated sand. One account of the first Thanksgiving also mentions "popped corn" brought to the feast by the Indians.

Popcorn production today is mechanized. It is planted with tractor-drawn equipment and harvested by pickers with special rollers to grab the smaller ears. Then comes a long series of operations—machine shelling, fanning,



gravitational separation, polishing, fumigating, and packaging. In 1961 popcorn production amounted to 400 million pounds of ear corn, second largest crop in history.



ISOLATED CATTLE such as these probably didn't view the snowfall this week with as much optimism as the wheat farmers, who proclaimed that it was a lifesaver to the crop, especially on dryland acreage.

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Turkey Market Expected To Remain Good In 1963

The demand for turkeys is expected to again be good in 1963 but prospects for a crop second only to the record breaker in 1961 could drop prices later in the year, says Marshall Miller, extension poultry marketing specialist.

Despite the 1962 reduction of 15 percent under 1961 production, total supplies of turkeys last year were down only 6 percent due to the record carryover of frozen birds from the year earlier. On the favorable side of the supply picture, Miller says cold storage holdings at the beginning of 1963 were substantially below those of a year ago. Per capita consumption of turkey meat is gaining more year-round acceptance by consumers and this has helped the demand situation, the specialist adds.

Miller says the first indication of a big jump in production for 1963 came in October when a 15-state report of growers' intentions was released.

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Too, increases in testing of breeder turkeys for pullorum became especially noticeable during August and September. But, Miller points out that it is still a bit early to forecast definite trends due to the uncertainty of the number of breeder birds to be kept; movement of turkeys out of storage; length of the hatching season; early demand for poult and other seasonal influencing factors.

The specialist believes that prices for the first part of 1963 will average some higher than for the same months in 1962. However, the expected larger crop will cause prices to dip later in the year, Turkey meat, he points out, will continue to be a good meat buy for consumers.

As for the long-time outlook, he says the industry has undergone dynamic changes and these have created strong pressures toward increased production. They have also made output less responsive to price declines. With the advent of large and highly integrated production and marketing combines, with great financial resources, we can expect total turkey production to continue large. The trend towards fewer but larger specialized producers will continue, he says.

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NEWS FROM THE FARM BUREAU

BY RAYMOND EULER

There are some bills up before the Texas Legislature that we believe nearly every farmer will want to contact his representative about if he knows about them. One is S. B. 100, by Creighton and Moore, a bill providing that Game Wardens may arrest persons for entering private property without the owner's consent. We believe you will want to support this bill. Farm Bureau supports it.

Companion bill, S. B. 249 by Krueger, is a bill limiting the liability of a landowner for personal injury or property damage suffered by any person while hunting, fishing, etc., on the landowner's property. The House Bill, same wording and intent, is Number 163, by Dunagan and Niemeyer. Farm Bureau urges all farmers to write both their senator, (Andy Rogers) and Representative, (Bill Clayton), urging their vigorous support of these two bills. We have heard much discussion about this limiting of liability for landowners under these circumstances among our own people. Now is the time to give your support, while the bills are being considered.

Another bill we believe and hope will receive wide and strong support from the rank and file of Texans is S. B. 338 by Owen, a bill prohibiting the display of the flag of the United Nations on any property owned by the State, County, Cities or any political subdivision. Write Senator Andy Rogers your support on this one, too.

H. B. 338, by Cook, a bill providing for a legal speed of 70 miles per hour on certain highways is scheduled for hearing before the House Committee on Highways and Roads this week. We believe most people will join Farm Bureau in support of this one, too.

Now, some bills all farmers will surely want to oppose by writing their opinions to Representative Bill Clayton; H. B. 461 and H. B. 390, both bills to increase the number of congressmen for specific highly populated counties, such as Dallas, Bexar, Harris, etc. The effect of this type of legislation would be to seriously decrease rural representation in our nation's capitol. Farm Bureau

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The booklet offers excellent care tips on how to "pamper" your flowering and foliage plants so they will thrive, and stay healthy and beautiful. It also gives valuable advice on "do-it-yourself" flower arrangements for everyday living, as well as for special occasions.

Particularly helpful is the booklet's "Minute Master Care Chart." It gives data on the light, moisture and other requirements of specific popular varieties of house plants and flowers.

Copies of the booklet may be obtained by writing to the Society of American Florists, Department PN, Sheraton Park Hotel, Washington 8, D. C. Cost per copy is 25 cents, which includes handling and mailing charges.

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Foundation Gives \$50,000 To Screwworm Program

A giant step toward saving the screwworm eradication program in the Southwest was made last Wednesday when the M. G. and Johnnie D. Perry Foundation presented a \$50,000 check to the Southwest Animal Health Research Foundation.

Mrs. Johnnie D. Perry of San Antonio presented the check to Dolph Briscoe, Jr., of Uvalde, SWAHRF trustee, chairman of the screwworm committee, and immediate past president of the

Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association.

In presenting the check, Mrs. Perry expressed her desire for the SWAHRF to consider the \$50,000 contribution as a memorial to her daughter, Mrs. Johnnie Perry Lloyd. This is the second \$50,000 contribution by the M. G. and Johnnie D. Perry Foundation. Mrs. Lloyd's interest in the screwworm eradication program led to the first \$50,000 contribution by the Perry Foundation on Feb. 6, 1962—exactly one year ago.

In receiving the first check, Briscoe pointed out that the donation was in addition to regular contributions made by Mrs. Perry in those counties in which she had livestock. In accepting the second check for the SWAHRF, Briscoe said the entire livestock industry of the Southwest is indebted to the Perry Foundation for their dedicated efforts toward build-

ing a more prosperous agriculture.

Mrs. Perry and her husband,

the late M. G. Perry, founded the M. G. and Johnnie D. Perry Foundation in 1946 to promote

practical scientific and educational research in South Texas Agriculture.



DRIFTS LIKE THIS ONE were common throughout Farmer County after the snow this week which dumped from three to five inches on county farmland.

T. Earle Johnson, professor of speech at the University of Alabama, says: "Keeping a free society free—and vital and strong—is no job for the half-educated and the slovenly. In a society of free men competence is a primary duty. The man who does his job well tones up the whole society and the man who does a sloppy job—whether he is a janitor or a judge, a surgeon or a mechanic—lowers the tone of all society. But excellence implies more than competence. It implies a striving for the highest standards in every form of life. We need individual excellence in . . . political life, in education, in industry—in short, universally. And not the least, we need excellence in standards of individual conduct."

Farm Facts

While there is controversy concerning the use of agricultural chemicals and general agreement among scientists that more research is needed on their toxicology, there doesn't seem to be any justifiable reason for eliminating their use.

This is the opinion of Dr. V. H. Freed of the Department of Agricultural Chemistry, Oregon State University.

He notes that less than 5% of our land is receiving an appreciable amount of treatment with these materials, that the safety record has been remarkably good, and that there is no acceptable substitute for them.

"The choice that seems to be facing us," says Dr. Freed, "is whether we will continue to accept an insignificant risk in the use of these chemicals or face a disastrous loss in food production—resulting in high prices and the prospect of starvation and the threat

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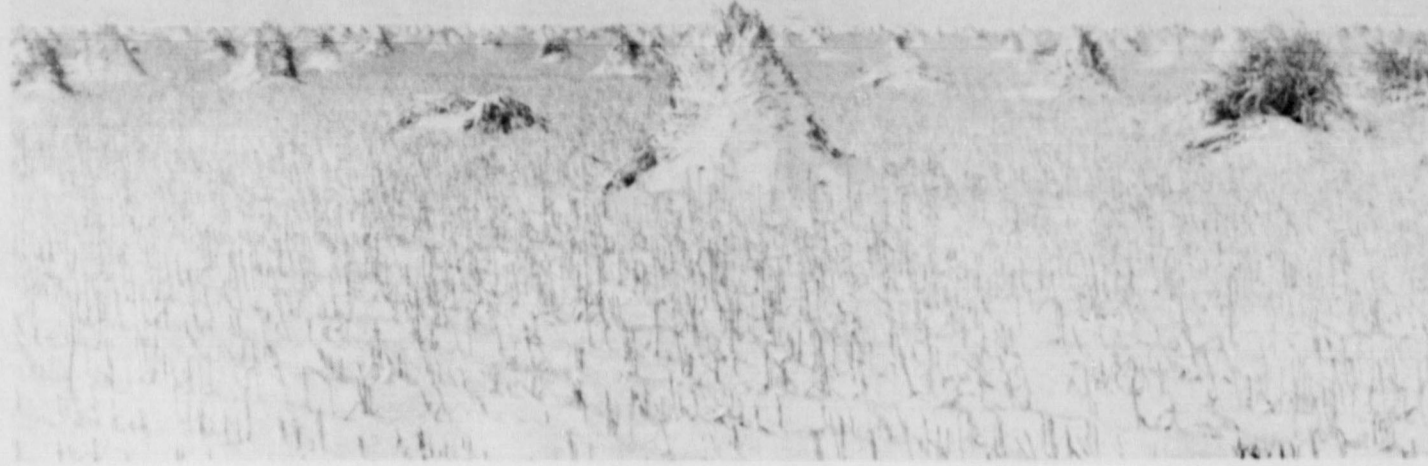
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Lazbuddie Youth Honored At Achievement Banquet

Four boys and girls representing the major rural youth organizations in the nation were honored for their outstanding achievements during the Sixteenth Annual Luncheon sponsored by The Cattleman magazine in Fort Worth, Monday, Jan. 28. About 1000 stock show exhibitors and livestock industry representatives were guests at the luncheon.

The honorees were Judy Miller of Gunter, secretary-treasurer of the Texas 4-H Council; Richard Chirwood of Lazbuddie, vice-chairman of the Texas 4-H Council; Diane McKnight of Commerce, Area Six president of the Future Homemakers of America; and Jerry Clark of Buna, president of the Texas Association of the Future Farmers of America.

Each was presented a leather plaque by the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association. The plaques were presented by Leo Welder of Victoria, TSCRA president. In presenting the plaques, Welder paid tribute to the organizations which the young people represented and complimented the recipients on their achievements.

He pointed out that much of the progress in agriculture of the past decade has been due to the training which farmers and ranchers received in their youth as members of the FFA, FHA, and 4-H. This training has not only improved and increased farm production, but has helped to change the image of the farmer from a "hayseed" to a businessman.



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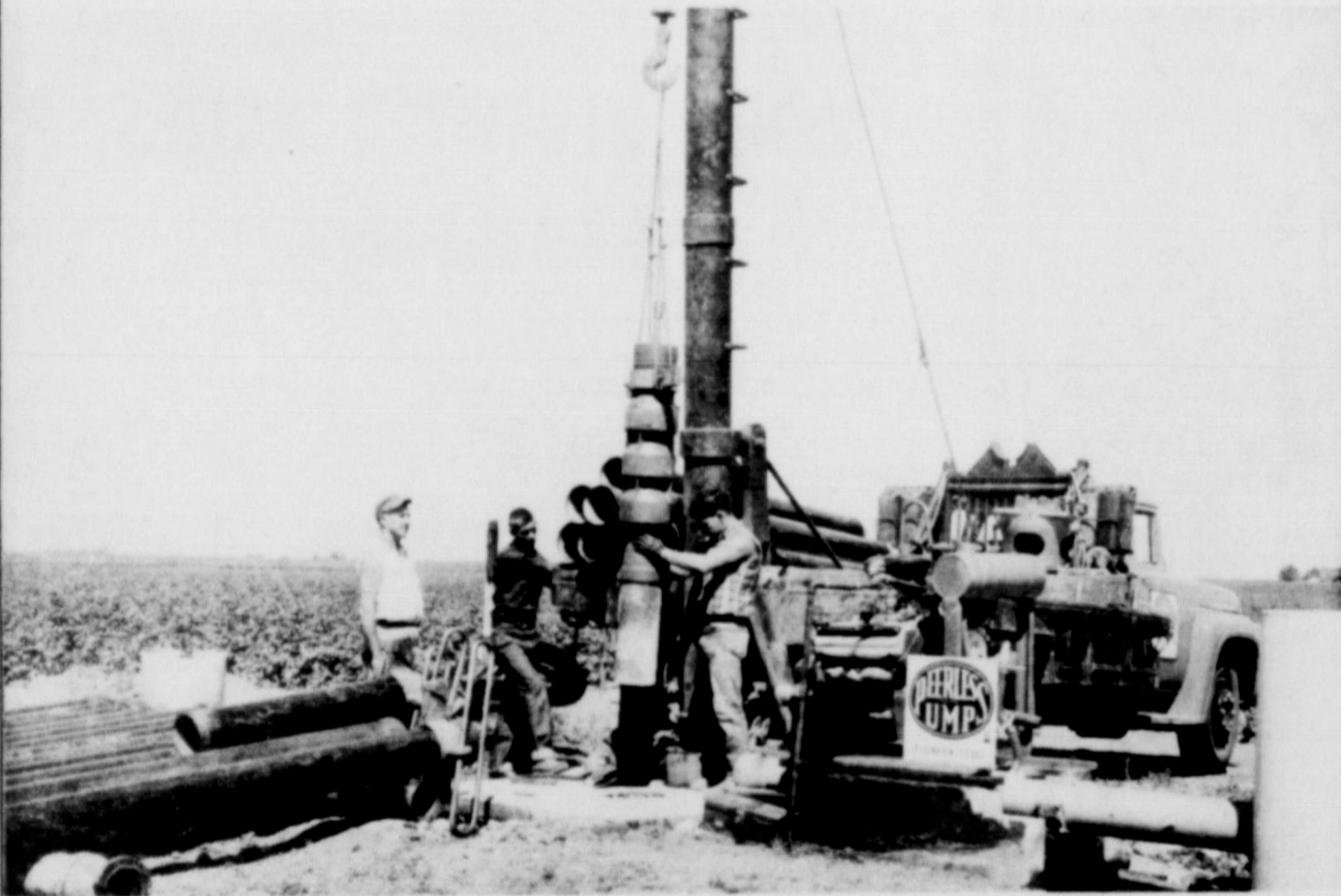
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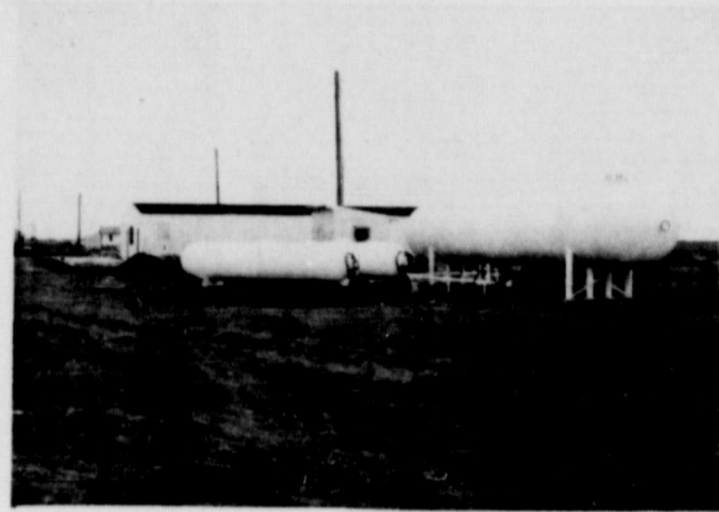
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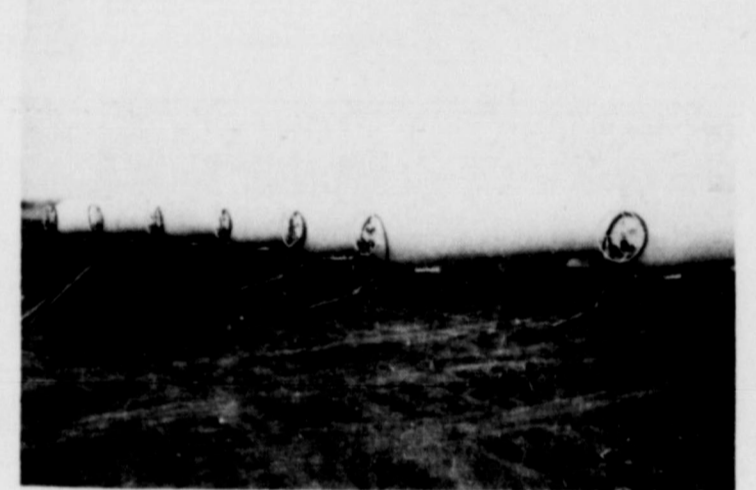
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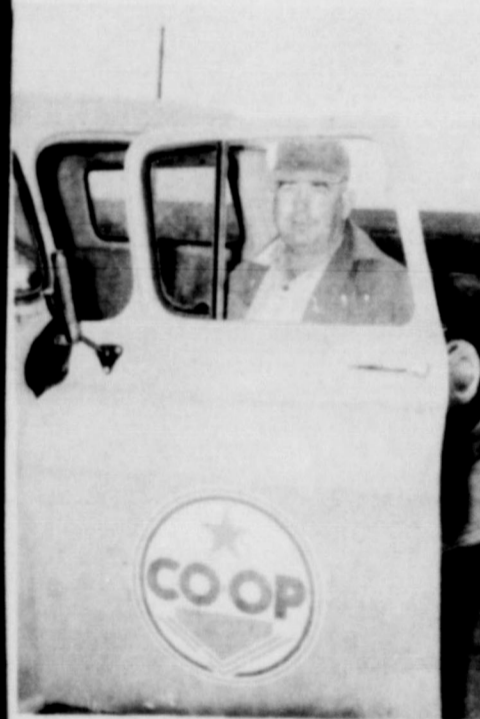
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