

GRAHAM CRACKERS

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Is "Squaws" a really suitable title for the Friona girls basketball team? And, by the way, is that their official title?

We did some hasty checking at the school this week to find out a little bit on the subject, and discovered that apparently, no one knows whether "Squaws" is the official name of the team, and furthermore, it is seldom used when referring to the girls squad.

We mention this particular point because it often comes to the notice of sports reporters. Sports reporters, by and large, are a pretty versatile bunch with the typewriter, and they have greatly enriched the English language.

A "bigskin" for example, is obviously a football (even though modern footballs are covered with calf hide or a synthetic composition). Sports headline writers, searching for something shorter than "game," "contest," or "battle," have come to refer to any athletic exhibition as a "go." Thus, "Friona meets Juleshoe in Tonight's Go."

A long-time favorite of writers of basketball games is to say the player "racked up" 21 points for the evening. A basket is never a basket; it's a "bucket." The most recent development we have noticed in basketball stories is to say the player "canned" 21 points.

Everyone who knows anything about sports is supposed to automatically know that the "slot man" is the quarterback, the "tailback" is the fullback, and to "boot" means to kick.

Backfield men never run anymore. They scamper, scurry, romp, zig-zag, rip, ramble, scoot, fly, skid, stagger, bull, dash, and hop. From these colorful verbs, you might get quite an idea of football if you didn't know anything about the game and read your first story in a newspaper.

Nobody ever gets beaten anymore either. They are edged, shaded, squashed, stomped, pulverized, whipped, lashed, tripped, ripped, tipped, tumbled, topped, bopped, dashed, flayed, hit, knocked, lambasted, mashed, mauled, nipped, punched, and squeezed.

All of this brings us around to wondering why we don't refer more often to the Friona girls basketball team as the Squaws, or something like that. If "Squaws" doesn't sound too refined, how about "Redwings?"

We think Redwings sounds prettier, is more acceptable socially, and surely "fits" when mentioning the "chiefs" in the same breath.

The companies which boosted crude oil 55 cents a barrel and started another round of price increases which are showing up at retail levels have left us a little cold with their reasons for the increase.

They have agreed on the story about how interruption of transportation in the Middle East has increased the demand for western nations. This, they tell us, necessitated the price increase.

It'll be a long time before we understand all about the oil business, but this seems phony to us. Just at the time that the Suez trouble developed, crude oil stocks in this country were at an all-time high.

Price CUTS were being talked in many circles to stimulate sales and help move out the big inventory. But "bang" went the Suez canal, and "zing" went our domestic prices. If prices go up, why don't they go up for Britain and France instead of the domestic consumers?

Also, if there's all of a sudden such a tremendous shortage of oil in this country, then how come the oil wells of Texas are still allowed to pump only 16 days per month by the regulating body—the state Railroad Commission? They were all pumping 16 days a month BEFORE the Suez crisis, we might point out.

Sumpin's fishy here.

Why does a nation—a whole people and, in the case of the Roman Empire, almost the whole of civilization—fall into a steady decline that eventually means its total disappearance from the stage of world history?

So ponders H. W. Prentis, Jr. of Armstrong Cork Company in a recent article. This man has the most penetrating analysis of the history of nations we have ever read.

Lots of people figure the weather in cycles—every other year, every seven years, every eleven years—and so on. Prentis has applied the "cycle" theory to human progress. It seems to fit.

He says: "As I see it, the historical cycle has always run from bondage to spiritual faith, from spiritual faith to courage, from courage to freedom, from freedom to abundance, from abundance to selfishness, from selfishness to complacency, from (Continued On Last Page)



LAKESIDE OPENS SATURDAY—Friona's newest service station—this time a Phillips—will officially open Saturday. The station is located in western Friona on Highway 60. Kermie Deaton is leasee. Deaton has scheduled a special promotion Saturday.

New Lakeside Station To Open Saturday

Another new service station will open Saturday in Friona.

It will be the Lakeside Phillips Service Station, and Kermie Deaton, long-time station manager, will be the leasee. A grand opening is planned, with door prizes scheduled to go to those who attend the event.

Deaton currently is leasee of the Sloan Osborn station, also handling Phillips products, at the corner of Main and Highway 60. He will remain the operator of the older station, but has taken the new one under lease also, and will employ Leo Stephanian of Lubbock to manage Lakeside.

The new station, owned by H. K. Kendrick, Friona Phillips wholesaler, is located in western Friona on Highway 60, and has just been completed.

Lakeside features a modernistic building with glassed-in offices, two service bays, and four gasoline pumps. Besides the Phillips lines of gasolines, oils, and greases, accessories and tires and batteries will be sold there, says the leasee.

Deaton has been in the service station business for the past 12 years.

Curbing Goes To K & M

Kerr & Middleton Construction Company of Lubbock was awarded the contract Monday for installing curb and gutter along Highway 60, 9,093 feet west to the city limits (near new Friona Motor Company home).

The contract was let at a mid-afternoon meeting of the city commission, which opened four other bids on the work. Kerr & Middleton offered a bid of \$14,902.35. Closest to them was Hodges Construction Company, also of Lubbock, with a bid of \$15,833.22. The work is scheduled to begin this week.

The curb and gutter will afford drainage to the area, and next spring, it is hoped that the State Highway Department will widen Highway 60 to four lanes along the improved route.

We're regular "bloodhounds" when it comes to digging up the news. But somebody needs to give us the scent. We ask your cooperation.

Friona Firemen Meet In New Quarters

Friona firemen had their first meeting in the new quarters provided for them in the new City Hall Thursday evening. During the business meeting, officers were elected for the coming year. They are Charlie Bainum, chief; James Cunningham, assistant chief; and Jay Sanders, reporter. Also Reuben Taylor, captain, and Ray Strickland, lieutenant, of Company No. 1; and Ralph Shirley, captain, and Orville Houser, lieutenant, of Company No. 2. Walter Cunningham, Howard Ford, and Joe Mann were appointed as a committee to make arrangements for the quarterly supper, which will be held Thursday, January 17.

Chief Bainum plans to present the budget to the City Commission at an early date. The department is working with hospital manager, Jimmy Baxter, on a training program for the coming year.

In the event of a disaster, some of the duties which the firemen

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THE FRIONA



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Chamber of Commerce Feed January 17--Hill Will Speak

Directors of the Friona Chamber of Commerce met Monday afternoon and put machinery in motion for the annual banquet. It will be Thursday evening, January 17.

To feature Leon Hill of Amarillo as speaker, the banquet will be in the Friona school cafeteria at 7 o'clock. The cafeteria ladies will prepare a fried chicken dinner, and plates will be \$1.50 each.

Wright Williams, outgoing C of C president, this week pointed out that only a limited number of tickets can be sold because of seating limitations. From 180 to 200 tickets will be sold.

Tickets were printed and put into distribution Monday afternoon, and it is expected that the advance sales will assure a capacity crowd to hear Hill, a well-traveled after-dinner speaker.

The Amarillo man, a former minister, has appeared in Friona previously and will be familiar to a number of local persons who have heard him locally or elsewhere.

Williams and Dillie Kelley are in charge of program arrangements, and details of the evening will be published in next week's paper. Aside from the speaker, an important part of the banquet will be the introduction of new officers and directors of the Chamber.

Present at the planning meeting Monday were Ralph Wilson, J. C. Claborn, Andy Hurst, W. H. Graham Jr., Pudge Kendrick,

Wright Williams, and Hank Outland.

They made nominations for officers for the coming year, and balloted. The new president and other officers are not to be disclosed until the night of the banquet.

In the meantime, new committee members will be selected, and those too, will be announced at the banquet next week.

President Williams and the directors spent over a half hour reviewing activities of the past year, and also reviewed the membership list. No drive or organized solicitation was carried out for membership during 1956.

Kendrick asked if it was time to start thinking about engaging the services of a full-time Chamber manager, and this subject was tossed about for several minutes.

No decision was made.

Another meeting of the directors has been set for Saturday morning at 10:00 o'clock. Final details of the banquet will be thrashed out, and committee appointments will be considered.

Farm Income Is at New High

Farm income in Parmer County pushed to the highest point in history in 1956, in spite of the county's greatest drought in the Plains states, the annual county agent's report showed this week.

Gross income totaled \$26,250,000 from the sale of cash crops, a substantial increase from \$21 million the year previous. Before 1956, the best year had been 1954, when the county farm

income was \$25 million.

In a break-down of the county's farming picture, County Agent Joe Jones compiled figures that indicated that the "bread and butter" crop again this year was grain sorghum. Parmer County farmers grossed \$12 1/2 million from 650 million pounds, grown on 250,000 acres.

Cotton was second with \$9 1/2 million for the 60,000 bales pro-

duced from 40,000 acres. Other crops: wheat, \$1,250,000 from 700,000 bushels; \$1 million from silage (10,000 acres); \$300,000 from 10,000 tons of alfalfa (2,000 acres); \$1,200,000 from 20,000 acres of corn yielding 60 bushels per acre; and \$200,000 for 500,000 pounds of sudan from 7,000 acres.

See more details in the farm and home news.

Roberts, came by within a few minutes and after the commissioners discussed the subject with him, he agreed to appear before the county commissioners and see if their request could be granted.

"I think it would be a good idea," the sheriff answered when asked by McFarland what he thought of the plan. "So far as I know, it's never been mentioned in court. We'll see what they (the county commissioners) think."

Mayor Anthony brought up the subject of the local fire department, saying he had been approached by Chief Charlie Bainum with a request for an increase in the department's budget during the coming year.

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★ ANOTHER CLOSE ONE FOR RALPH

Ralph Taylor, a barber by trade, is a man who should be accustomed to close shaves. His experiences aren't always professional, however. He has some close ones in everyday life.

The Star last week announced his name as a new director of the Friona Chamber of Commerce. There was a mix-up, however, and the story should have read Ralph Wilson instead of Ralph Taylor.

C-C President Wright Williams hasn't been too harsh on The Star's mistake, though, because Taylor did get 30 votes while Wilson got 33, and if there had been one more director to be named, it would have been the barber.

Taylor dutifully showed up at a directors' meeting Monday, but was laughingly told to go home, he had been defeated after all.

Something like this happened last October when Taylor was summoned for grand jury duty. District Judge E. A. Bills lined up 15 men and said, in effect, "We need the first twelve of you—the last three can go home."

Taylor was number 13, and didn't have to serve.

Blanket Coverage For Star

This week The Friona Star is being distributed on a "boxholder" basis to the Friona territory. This is done for several reasons.

First, The Star feels that every person in the trade territory would be interested in having a copy of this week's paper, which carries the annual reports of the Parmer County farm and home demonstration agents.

Information on agriculture and progress in rural life is of vital importance to everyone in the area.

Secondly, there are still some persons who have not had an opportunity to inspect and subscribe to this newspaper, which has been under new management since May 1 of last year.

Distributing The Star on a "boxholder" basis will put our special offer (page two, section two), plus the farm and home reports (pages four and five, section two), into the hands of virtually everyone in the trade territory.

In addition, several merchants in Friona are capitalizing on this extra circulation by offering special inducements to trade through advertisements.

Boxholders in Friona, the Friona routes, Black, Lazbuddie, Bovina, Farwell, and other points will be blanketed this week.

Conference Games Start Friday Night

It's "for keeps" when the Friona boys and girls teams meet Sudan here Friday night. The visitors from Lamb County will officially open the conference basketball season in a game important to both schools.

Sudan and Morton are among the stoutest teams in the district. Of the Hornets, Coach Dempsey Watkins said this week, "Sudan will be tough—they always are." Baker Duggins, Redwings' coach, is expecting competition too, but he does believe that the local girls can win. "I think we can take 'em, he says."

Tuesday night, the Chiefs and Redwings board the buses to go to Springlake for the second set of conference games.



NEW CHAMBER DIRECTORS—These four men have been elected to two-year terms as directors of the Friona Chamber of Commerce. From left to right, they are J. C. Claborn, W. H. Graham Jr., Ralph Wilson, and Pudge Kendrick. Hold-over members are Hank Outland, Joe Douglas, and Andy Hurst.

THE STAR'S EDITORIAL COMMENT

Full-Time Manager?

The question was raised this week at a meeting of the directors of the Friona Chamber of Commerce as to whether Friona is again ready to try to have a full-time C of C manager.

Several years ago this progressive community more or less "experimented" in the field with the hiring of a full-time, professionally-trained man to operate the Chamber. It is not our purpose here to evaluate this experience, but time does show that the community decided that perhaps it wasn't quite "ready." Failure to retain a manager is evidence of this belief.

In the intervening years, however, a lot of water has gone under the bridge, as the saying goes. Friona has about doubled in population. More and more, citizens feel the need for a well-rounded program to "sell" this city to others and induce them to locate here.

Competition from other towns on the Plains is keen. Friona may be "The Brightest Spot on the Golden Spread" but there are other towns making similar claims. Often, Friona's story does not

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reach the ears that would otherwise be attentive to our overtures.

The Star thinks Friona is big enough for a Chamber manager—and we use the word "big" in referring to the size of the city in terms of its population. But whether Friona is big enough to measure up to the bill may be another matter.

Currently, the Chamber budget is somewhere between four and five thousand dollars. Merchants and others who want a manager will have to face up to the figures. It will take twice that much to hire a man and launch a full-scale program.

What are your Chamber dues? Would you be willing to double them? Better decide that in your own mind before you try to decide whether Friona should have a full-time C of C manager.

Friona Credit Union To Meet Tuesday

Members of the Friona Federal Credit Union will hold their annual meeting at the American Legion Hall at 8 p. m. Tuesday, January 15, according to an announcement made this week by Ralph O. Taylor, president. Taylor further stated that he expected about 150 members and friends to attend.

Mrs. Dyalhia Benson treasurer-director of the Hereford Federal Credit Union, will be the guest speaker of the evening. Members will vote upon important policies of the union and will elect several directors and committeemen.

"This meeting will mark the climax of a prosperous year for the credit union," the president indicated. He pointed out that shareholdings in the credit union, which represents savings of the members, stand at approximately \$15,000.

This is a gain of 60 per cent over a year ago. Earnings have been sufficient to permit payment of a 4 per cent dividend on shares. The board of directors is expected to recommend that this rate be declared by the members.

Everyone present will be eligible to draw for door prizes and refreshments will be served at the close of the meeting.

J. D. Jones Moved To Veteran's Hospital

A former resident of Friona, J. D. Jones, has been moved from a hospital at Monroe, Louisiana, to the Veteran's Hospital at Amarillo. He was severely burned in a truck accident several months ago and has been hospitalized ever since.

Jones is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jones of Matador, who used to live here. Friends who care to write to him may address any mail to Ward 31, Room 366 at the Veteran's Hospital. His wife is the former June Chapin.

Shower Honors Recent Bride

Mrs. Billy Wayne Nazworth, who was Ann McKee before her recent marriage, was honored with a bridal shower at the Congregational Church Wednesday afternoon, December 19. Hostesses were Mesdames L. F. Lillard, O. F. Lange, Fred Helmke, Otho Whitefield, George Treider, Carl Maurer, Ralph Wilson, G. Cranfill, Fred White, and Malinda Schlenker.

Refreshments of white cake and cranberry punch were served to the guests. The gifts were opened and displayed on tables which were covered with white cloths.

Those attending and sending gifts were Mrs. W. J. Nazworth, Mrs. J. R. Nazworth and son, Mrs. Glenn Reeve, Mrs. Walter Lovelless, Mrs. Elmo Dean, Mrs. Donald Green, Mrs. Kenneth McLellan, Mrs. F. W. Reeve, Mrs. C. G. Nelson, Mrs. George Treider, and Mrs. Fred Helmke.

Also, Mrs. W. A. Tinney, Mrs. O. F. Lange, Mrs. Ralph Wilson, Mrs. L. F. Lillard, Mrs. Bert Shackelford, Mrs. Giles Cobb, Mrs. H. C. Wells, Karen Helmke, Pay Reeve, Marie Sanders and Shelton, Frances Holmgren, Billie Rae McKee, Ruth Edelman, Mary K. Officer, Marie Fleming, and Wilhene Baxter.

Also, Brenda Deaton, Linda Johnson, Wandy Ready, Martha Knight, Mary Knight, Linda Crow, Sharon Reeve, Helen Potts, Mrs. Claude Osborn, Mrs. Sloan Osborn, and Mrs. Pearl Kinsley.

SAME PLACE—DIFFERENT CARS

There is an old adage that says, "Lightning does not strike twice in the same place." That may be true, but car wrecks do re-occur in the same place.

Early last fall two cars collided at the intersection of Main and Seventh Streets about 5:30 in the afternoon. Monday of this week another collision happened at the same location at about the same time of day.

Another similarity of the two accidents was that each time one car was going east and one was going north.

Involved in Monday afternoon's collision were cars being driven by the Rev. C. G. Nelson and Lois Norwood, both of Friona. Highway patrolmen investigated the accident.

No one was injured.

What's Doin' In Friona

Thursday, January 10
Lakeview HD Club
Friona Lions Club

Friday, January 11
Hi-Point HD Club
Northside HD Club
Hospital Auxiliary, 3 p. m., educational building of First Baptist Church
Basketball—Sudan vs. Friona, here

Saturday, January 12
Opening of Lakeside 66 Service Station
Postmaster's examination at Muleshoe

Monday, January 14
J. P. Traweck farm sale near Muleshoe
Grade school basketball—Farwell vs. Friona, here
Southern School Assembly at auditorium, 1 p. m.
Eastern Star, 7:30
All Girl Scout and Brownie Troops meet

Tuesday, January 15
Lazbuddie Farmers Union, 7:30 at school
Modern Study Club
Friona Texas Federal Credit Union, American Legion Hall at 8 p. m.
Basketball—Friona vs. Springlake, there

Wednesday, January 16
Ladies Bible Class Sixth Street Church of Christ at 10 a. m.
Congregational Women's Fellowship
Friona HD Club

Thursday, January 17
Parmerton HD Club
Friona PTA, 7:30 p. m.
Hub HD Club
Friona Firemen quarterly supper
Chamber of Commerce banquet

Friona Grade Teams Handle Lazbuddie

Boys and girls teams of the Friona grade school had little apparent difficulty handling the visiting Lazbuddie teams Monday evening. They took both games by substantial margins.

The boys won 40-21, leading 8-2, 29-8, and 34-16 at the quarter marks. Frank Spring made 16 points and Lavern Mabry tallied 10 for the winners; Darwin McClure hit 9 and Reece Peterson 4 for the visitors.

The host girls had even less trouble winning. They toppled the visiting lasses 33-5. Quarter scores were 8-2, 17-2, and 27-3 with Friona in front all the way. Pat Foster made 16 points for Friona and Tommie Luellen had 10. For Lazbuddie it was Watkins, 4, and Brown 1.

Cobb Returns To States

David J. Cobb, airman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Giles Cobb of Route 3, Friona, arrived at San Diego December 19 aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Lexington after seven months in the Far East.

Cobb, who is a former student of the Friona Schools, plans to return home before the ship sails again. On the last trip the ship visited Pearl Harbor, Japan, Okinawa, and Hong Kong.

Brocks Visit Here

Sgt. and Mrs. Keith Brock spent several days last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Brock. Brock, who is in the Air Force, will report to Fort Dix, New Jersey, where he expects to be assigned to a station in Germany. Mrs. Brock will stay at Lubbock, where she is employed, until arrangements can be made for her to join her husband.

Most authorities estimate that the irrigation water under this part of the High Plains will last another 25-35 years.

Beginning Sunday, January 13

DINNER WILL BE SERVED EVERYDAY
MA'S DINING ROOM
Turkey, Dressing and All The Trimmings
Will Be Served Sunday

Hospitalized At Hereford

Mrs. A. G. Rolan, who underwent surgery at the Deaf Smith County Hospital, is making satisfactory progress and expects to return home later this week.

Leon Coffey, who is also a surgical patient at the Deaf Smith County Hospital, is resting comfortably but will be confined to the hospital at least another week.

New Year Guests

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Lillard New Year's Day were Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Weir and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Whitford and Susie of Hereford; Mr. and Mrs. Hank Donnelly and children of Artesia, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Maurer and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lillard and children, all of Friona.

NOTES FROM THE Hospital

ADMITTED—Mrs. Cloys Stanberry, o. b., Bovina; Noel Wood, medical, Friona; Mrs. John McFarland, medical, Farwell; H. V. Rockey, medical, Friona; Mrs. R. F. Robinson, medical, Friona; Mrs. Dean Blackburn, medical, Friona; Mrs. Wayne Clark, o. b., Friona; Mrs. Rosendo Ramos, o. b., Bovina; Mrs. Wayne Webb, o. b., Friona.

DISMISSED—Mrs. Cloys Stanberry and baby girl, J. B. McFarland, Mrs. John McFarland, Mrs. Dean Blackburn, Mrs. R. F. Robinson, Mrs. Rosendo Ramos and baby boy, Mrs. Wayne Webb.

Hospital Auxiliary To Meet Friday

The Parmer County Community Hospital Auxiliary will meet Friday afternoon at 3:00 p. m. at the educational building of the First Baptist Church. All members are urged to attend and bring an interested friend, says Mrs. Claude Osborn, president.

Plans will be made at this meeting for assistance at the hospital in case of a major disaster. This training will be under the supervision of Jimmy Baxter, manager of the hospital.

Mrs. Osborn states that the membership list is still open to anyone who is desirous of being a part of the organization. The beautification of the hospital grounds will also be discussed at this meeting.

Call in your news.

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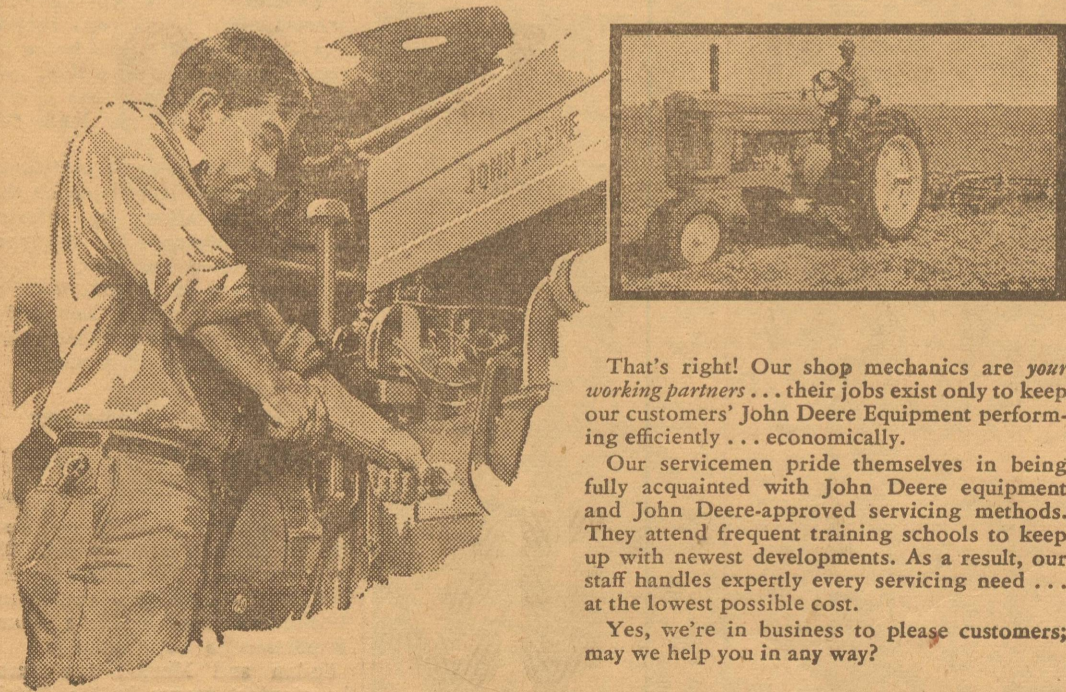
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Warrants	39,792.56
U. S. Gov't Bonds	268,697.73
CCC Loans	1,750,285.26
Banking House, Furniture & Fixtures	43,650.63
Cash and Exchange	861,392.98
TOTAL	\$3,832,749.14

Liabilities	
Capital Stock	\$ 75,000.00
Surplus, Certified	75,000.00
Undivided Profits	92,212.66
Deposits	3,590,536.48
TOTAL	\$3,832,749.14

the above statement is correct.

Charles E. Allen
Cashier

From time to time during the year—every three months—we submit a published account of our financial standing.

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FRIONA STATE BANK

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Miller Released From U.S. Navy

Mr. and Mrs. Roy V. Miller Jr. have been visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy V. Miller Sr. Young Miller, who has been in the U. S. Navy about 3 1/2 years, has recently been released. Roy V. Miller Jr. is a graduate of Friona High School and Texas Tech. He and his wife left Sunday for Fort Collins, Colorado, where he has enrolled in college there. He will be a graduate student in the School of Forestry Service.

JUNIORS TO PLAY FARWELL

Friona junior high basketball teams will meet Farwell on the

home court Monday of next week. The games are to start at 5:30 p. m. This will be the second meeting of the teams this season.

Lovetts Host New Year Party

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Lovett were hosts to a watch party in their home Monday evening. Supper was served at 7 and refreshments of cake and coffee were served at midnight. Games of 42 were played throughout the evening.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Carlton, Wesley and Luann Hardesty, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Moyer and children, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Hart and daughter, Lucy Jones, Marie Roberson, and Mr. and Mrs. John Gaede.

the Snapshot Guild



Few pictures in the family album were easier to make or have more memory appeal than those like this of baby in the bath.

Picturing Baby in the Bath

In many instances we keep advising our readers to do things that are different in their picture taking, to seek new subjects, and vary the treatment of the familiar subjects.

But there is one area in which we don't do this. And that's when we talk about baby snapshots. We want people to keep right on taking baby pictures, and to take the very same type of pictures they've always taken, and then add every new idea they have. No family can have too many pictures of baby.

There is probably a picture of baby being bathed, or playing in the tub in every family album.

And well there should be. First of all, bathtime is looked upon as one of fun for both baby and mother. Baby is usually freshly awake and in a happy mood. This makes him an ideal photographic subject. It is also a time that stands out as important in the minds of the parents, and this makes pictures for remembering.

The bath scene makes good picture taking extra easy.

Shooting indoors with flash on camera, you'll find that the light walls serve excellently as reflectors to bounce the light around and show baby at his best from all angles.

—John Van Guilder

The Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council says it is not too late to get a few resolutions made covering safety during the coming year. "Don't" they say, "let a crippling or fatal accident spoil 1957 on your farm." Most accidents can be prevented and the best preventive is the use of common sense in all farm operations.

By using a strip cup on every cow just before each milking, dairymen can spot flaky or otherwise abnormal milk, which are indications of mastitis.

Experiments conducted at Kansas State College showed that sprayed heifers gained less economically than non-sprayed control heifers.

Visit Relatives

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Blackstone left Wednesday morning for Oklahoma City where they will visit relatives. They expect to return in about two weeks and will visit relatives at Thomas and Frederick in Oklahoma.

The Blackstones will also visit Mrs. Blackstone's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Weathers, at Gladewater before returning home.

Mrs. Jarrell Hosts Neighborhood Coffee

Mrs. Newman Jarrell Sr. was hostess at a neighborhood coffee in her home on West Loop Tuesday morning at 10. Coffee and

sweet rolls were served. Those present were Mesdames Bill Elliott, Deon Awtry, Buddy Squyres, Ralph Taylor, Dewey Minchew, Steve Bavousett, Newman Jarrell Jr., Ennis Cummings, and H. C. Kendrick.

Return To Fort Hood

Rex Blackburn and Bill Nazworth of Friona, Larry Berry of Bovina and James Marshall of Canyon, returned to Fort Hood, where they are stationed, Friday after spending the holidays with relatives.

They were accompanied to camp by Mesdames Rex Blackburn, Bill Nazworth and Larry Berry, who returned to their homes late Sunday.

Calves May Starve "In Midst of Plenty"

Cattle farmers were warned today by the American Veterinary Medical Association that young calves, especially those just weaned, may have difficulty in handling the coarse roughage such as that available to them when they are turned into stubblefields.

Older cattle can eat and digest this type of forage, but young calves may actually starve in the midst of plenty, the Association says.

Because of their inability to handle coarse roughage, the calves may develop dietary troubles, malnutrition, and a general lowered resistance to other diseases unless their rations are properly supplemented, the Association says.

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10.95 Value	Sale Price 8.97
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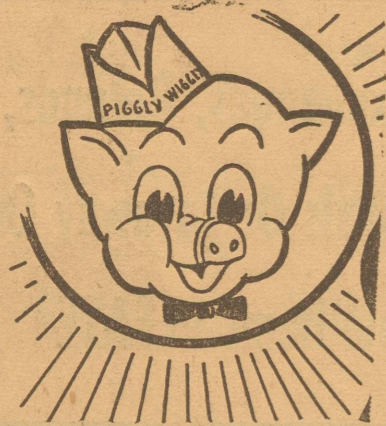
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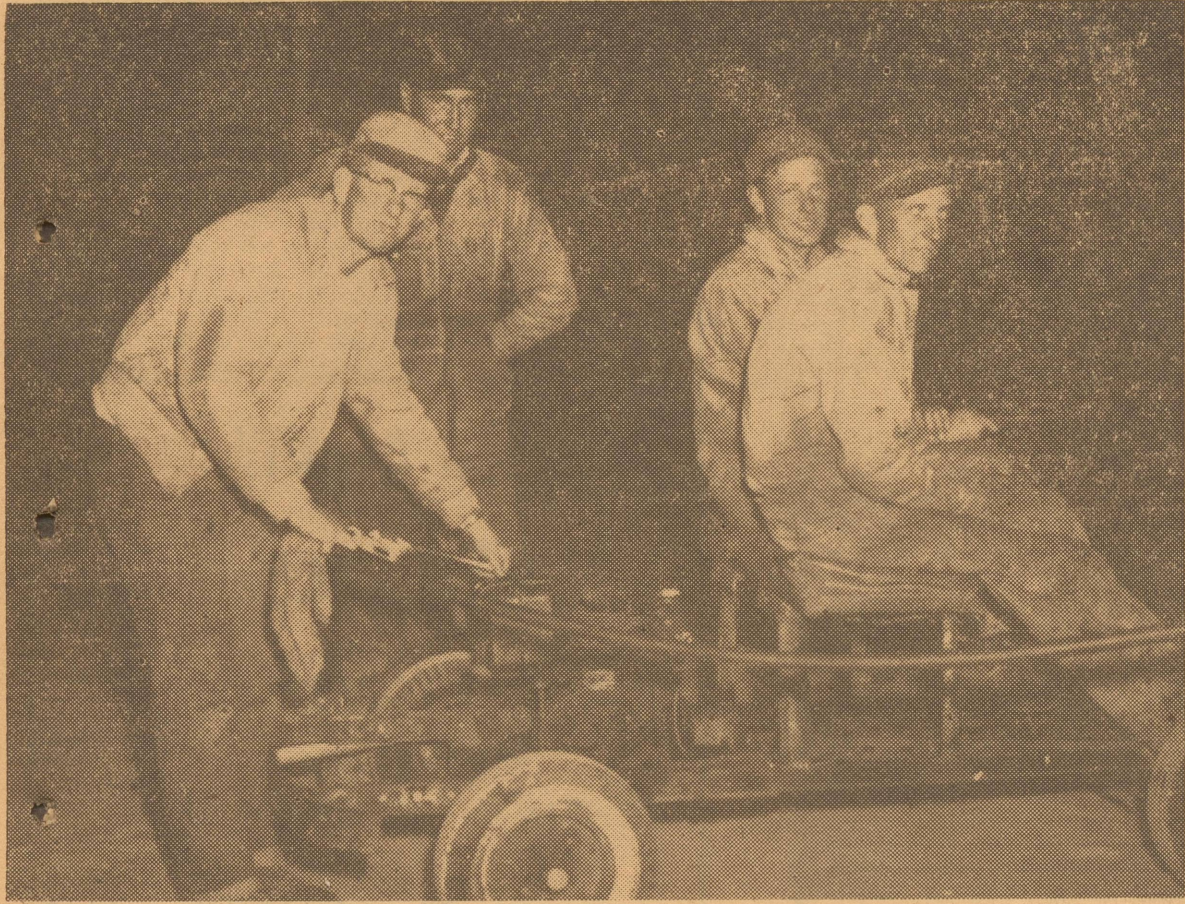
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A LOT FOR A LITTLE—Deon London, employee at the E. R. Day station in Friona, "fills 'er up" for three "motorists" out for a ride in their new car. The gas bill, after this operation: 18 cents.

'Golfmobile' Costs Little, Runs Cheap

Three men who haven't been losing too much sleep over the rising price of gasoline at the retail level have been Leon Weaks, Waymon Wilkins, and George Reed. In fact, if the price of gas doubles, they can still laugh, because they have a "car" which goes a long way for a little. They estimate mileage to be from 40 to 50 miles per gallon. The three have been trying out their home-made, open-air auto around town lately, and report that it performs well. Essentially, it was designed for use on the golf course, as all are addicted to the game and think perhaps riding after the ball would be more pleasurable than hiking after it. They have been working on the unique vehicle for about two months, and about have it ready for full-time operation. The only

thing still needed: brakes. The small car is powered by a Cushman motor scooter engine which delivers four horsepower through a two-speed transmission. The frame of the car is fabricated from channel iron. Tires were purchased locally from an implement house, and the work was done by the men. There is some real "class" in this home-made buggy. It has a steering wheel taken from a French Renault. The car will do 30 miles per hour and seats two—both in front. Another seat is to be added toward the rear, however.

Women's Fellowship Has Work Meeting

The Congregational Church Women's Fellowship met in the basement of the church for a work meeting Wednesday afternoon. The business meeting was presided over by Gladys Helmke, president, and the devotional was given by Ann Shackelford. Wilma Wise displayed articles which are being sent to Dillard University at New Orleans. The group is also making a cash donation to the college. Those present were Ethel Reeve, Kitty Loveless, Wilma Wise, Ann Shackelford, Nona Pavalus, Gladys Helmke, and Gertrude Nelson. Refreshments of gingerbread with whipped cream, coffee and tea were served by the hostess, Gladys Helmke.

Neighborhood Party Held in Brock Home

A neighborhood covered dish supper and party was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Brock Tuesday evening. After supper, games were played. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Bert Stephens, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Wright, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Carter, Kenneth, Roy, Joy, and Judy; Mr. and Mrs. Myrtle Jackson; and Mr. and Mrs. George Brock and Sandra, all of Friona; Mr. and Mrs. George Wright of Gruver, and Sgt. and Mrs. Keith Brock.

Have Party

Mrs. Thelma Coffey was hostess to a Christmas party in her home Friday, December 28. Guests were members of the Kinsley Past Matron's Club. The entertaining rooms were decorated in keeping with the season and refreshments of nut cake and whipped cream were served. Mrs. Bessie Boggess, president, presided at the business meeting. The devotional was given by Mrs. Coffey and gifts were exchanged. Those present were Mesdames Pearl Kinsley, Bessie Boggess, Lem Miller, Ethel Chitwood, and the hostess.

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By AVIS CARPENTER

Farmerettes Have New Years Party

Farmerette Club members and their husbands enjoyed a New Year's eve party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Warren. The group played "Dub's Mixer" while waiting for the New Year to arrive. The club presented Mrs. Fred Bolton with two pieces of luggage as a going away gift. Mr. Bolton was ill and was unable to attend. Refreshments of pie, coffee, popcorn and party mix were served throughout the evening. Attending were Mrs. Fred Bolton, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Billingsley, Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. James Roach, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Watkins, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Christian, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy McGuire, Mr. and Mrs. Wendol Christian, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Carpenter and the host and hostess.

The next meeting of the group will be held in the home of Mrs. A. V. Warren on Tuesday, January 29, at 2:30 p. m.

METHODIST CHURCH NEWS

Rev. Vernon Willard, Pastor

Both circles of the WSCS met in a joint session Monday night at the church.

Mrs. W. P. Shelley directed the panel discussion which was titled "Islands in Our Community". Panel members were Mrs. Fred Bolton, Mrs. Melvin Sudderth, Mrs. Sam Billingsley and Mrs. V.

E. Willard.

After the business meeting, the group presented Mrs. Fred Bolton with a Bible.

Members present besides those mentioned above were Mesdames C. C. Christian, R. E. Blankenship, James Roach, Wendol Christian, Vernon C. Willard, Melborn Jones and M. G. Rundell.

Variety Member Discuss Business

Members of the Variety Club met with Mrs. Thelma Perkins on Tuesday afternoon, January 8, for a business meeting. Following the business session, the group spent the remainder of the afternoon visiting.

Mrs. Perkins served refreshments of date pudding, whipped cream, cheese bits and spiced tea to Mesdames Cora McGuire, Dickie Magness, Carrye Christian, Jewel Barry, Maude Pruitt, Bessie Caldwell, Gertrude Foster, Bertie Shelley and Dexter Watkins.

The group will have their next meeting on February 5, at the home of Mrs. Dickie Magness in Frarwell.

BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Rev. Irving Looney, Pastor

Attendance for Sunday School on January 6 was 94 with 74 present for training union in the evening. Special music for the morning worship hour was presented by the choir which sang "Just When I Need Him Most."

Special music for the evening service was a duet, "God Will Take Care of You" sung by Mr. and Mrs. Howard Garner and a trio composed of Zella Donaldson, Jan. Mason and Carolyn Looney sang the chorus of "Jesus Loves Even Me" in Japanese and English.

Members of the Brotherhood were guests of the Farwell Brotherhood for a regular meeting on Monday evening, January 7. Howard Garner and Sterling Donaldson sang a special number, accompanied by Harold Carpenter at the piano, Jimmy McGuire and Walter Verner were the evening speakers for the program. The host church served a barbecue supper following the program.

Men attending from the local church were Howard Garner, Sterling Donaldson, Bernard Nelson, Walter Verner, Harold Carpenter, Jimmy McGuire and the pastor, Rev. Irving Looney.

Lydia Circle of the WMU met Monday afternoon with Mrs. Lee Mason for a community missions program. The devotional was given by the hostess who also reported on a recent trip to Buckner's Orphans' Home in Dallas.

After plans for community missions work were discussed, the hostess served refreshments of cake and pops to Mesdames Lacy Hardage, Claude Watkins, J. M. Pruitt, Irving Looney and Charles Hukill.

Ruby Parker Circle members of the WMU held their weekly meeting in the home of Mrs. Frank Edwards. Mrs. Edwards presented the devotional on "Recognizing Our Own Faults". Mrs. Jack Roach, Mrs. Howard Garner and one visitor, Mrs. Arnold Hromas, were present.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Espinosa and family were in Olton one day last week to attend the Spanish Baptist Associational meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Hardage and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mason enjoyed a Mexican supper in the home of

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Roach on Monday evening, January 7.

Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Roach on January 6 were Mr. and Mrs. Benny Gulley and family and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hukill and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Edwards were in Matador last week to attend the funeral of a friend.

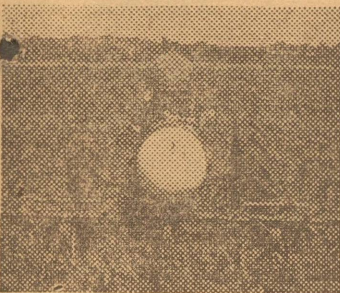
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hukill and Carol visited last week with relatives in Rochelle, Texas. Mrs. Lynn Smith, Mrs. Hukill's mother, returned home with the local family for a visit in their home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Patton returned home Friday from a two weeks visit with friends and relatives in Oklahoma.

Chester Fowler has returned to his home after spending a few weeks in Truth or Consequences, New Mexico.

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Both Friona Teams Take Second Place At Amherst Meet

Both the Friona Chiefs and their sister team, the Redwings, went to the finals of the Amherst invitational basketball tournament last weekend. But neither managed to come home with a championship trophy.

The Redwings' old Nemesis, Lazbuddie, stopped them 78-50 to take the blue ribbon, and Muleshoe whopped the boys 67-47 for the crown. Friona teams did, however, win four games to get into the finals and take home second place.

The Chiefs handled Three-Way with no trouble, 59-43 Thursday afternoon, after leading 14-10 and 50-35 at the first and third quarter marks. The score was tied 31-31 at halftime.

The Redskins stopped Amherst 49-42 in the second round. Quarter scores were 10-10, 27-23, and 34-27 with the Indians out in front in all but the first round.

In the finals, however, Muleshoe led all the way—17-8, 28-20, and 35-46. Will hit 22 points, and Sanders followed with 17 for Muleshoe; while Weatherly garnered 14 and Barnett collected 12 for the Chiefs.

"This is the first time we have played Lazbuddie and been out-hustled," commented Baker Duggins, girls' coach, after the loss to Lazbuddie in the finals Saturday night.

The Redwings have met Lazbuddie four times and been nipped each meeting by the exceptionally strong team from southeastern Farmer County. In fact, Lazbuddie is the only team the "Wings have not been able to beat.

"We just weren't ready to meet Lazbuddie again," said the coach. Thursday, Friona beat Pep 66-41. Quarter scores: 18-6, 34-16, and 50-31.

Amherst was the second victim of the Redwings on Friday. They fell 49-45 in a game that was one of the closest of the tournament. Friona took an early lead of 14-9 in the first quarter, but relinquished it to Amherst by two points, 29-22, at halftime. The Redwings also led 36-35 at the three-quarter mark.

In the finals, Lazbuddie jumped ahead 16-11 at the end of the

first round, and continued in the lead at intermission time, 35-22. The winners led 59-41 at the end of three quarters of play.

No all-tournament team was named at Amherst.

Crackers

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complacency to apathy, from apathy to fear, from fear to dependency, and from dependency back to bondage once more."

It is a shock and an eye-opener for us to apply this yardstick of human progress to the American people. "Bondage" signifies the period of religious suppression in the Old World. The spiritual faith of the pilgrims and others inspired them with courage, and they sought the freedom of a new America. Eventually, they fought for and gained independence from the colonial power of England.

America's pioneers pushed back the frontiers, fostered industrialization, and wrought abundance (in a material sense) on a scale never before duplicated in history.

In the most recent generation or two, we have seen the rise of selfishness and the complacency and apathy of a people too interested in fattening themselves to have concern about the pillars of freedom their forefathers had erected.

We think the author we are quoting has erred in placing "fear" before "dependency." It appears to us to come in the reverse order.

"Dependency" is now the motto of our national economic outlook. We depend on the government for things which we ourselves could and should provide. "Fear" will come later, when we discover that the federal government, our Great Protector, has become our master rather than our servant.

Will America return herself to bondage? We hope not. Perhaps it is not too late to back up.

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Extra Busy Night For City Fathers

(Continued from page 1.)

The commission discussed previous year's activities in this department of city affairs, and noted an expense budget of about \$3,300 for last year.

Wilson said he thinks the department needs the extra room that would have been available with the additional garage originally planned when the city hall was considered last year.

When estimates on building costs went too high, the city pared plans, and the extra garage which would have been added to the existing fire station was a casualty of the economizing.

Wilson said finances would not permit constructing the unit this year.

The commissioners passed on without further reference to the subject.

Taking a quick peek at the budget, Wilson told the dads he has anticipated expenses of around \$88,000 for the coming year. He expects revenue to be about \$77,000, but with about \$13,000 on hand now, the city should come out with a couple of thousand dollars in the bank at the end of the year.

"That's cutting it too close," commented Mayor Anthony, pointing out that even a slight change could result in red ink. Commissioner McFarland also commented on the subject, saying that it looked to him as if "we're losing ground if we spend more money than we take in."

At this point, the commission agreed that the budget checking would be too big a job for that evening, so they requested copies to take with them and went on to other matters.

Clerk Wilson gave the fathers a hint of what will be in store for them to decide on in coming months. Many things have to be passed on sooner than that.

In a nutshell, here's the docket:

1. City employees are requesting coverage under Social Security laws, which are optional in the case of workers for a municipality.
2. There is a need to "codify" city ordinances, to prevent duplication and overlapping.
3. The commission will be asked to review salaries of city employees, with a view to increases.
4. There is currently about \$6,500 in delinquent taxes that needs to be taken care of. Wilson expects another \$1,500-\$2,000 to go on the delinquent list by the first of next month.
5. The clerk has figured in the budget for the purchase of a city-owned police car.
6. Also in regard to law enforcement, the chances of increasing policemen to two full-time men instead of the "one and a half" men at present will be considered.
7. Licensing of contractors to protect the public from unqualified workmen.
8. Enforce local ordinances already on the books.
9. Review city fire zones.
10. Investigate the council-manager form of city government, as compared to the present clerk-commissioner type.
11. Have an ordinance setting hours, vacations, days off, and other working regulations for city employees.
12. Review plumbing licensing law.
13. Amend fee-setting ordinances that do not require money be paid the city in advance, to insure the city of payment in cases applicable.
14. "Beefing up" of the electrical code to require more adequate wiring.
15. An ordinance setting forth the location of utility installations (poles, meters, underground lines, and others).
16. Institution of a fire prevention program.

Only a few of these matters requiring official action were even touched on Monday evening, and no decisions were made.

Charles Osborn, local insurance agent, appeared before the commission with a request that he be considered for the insurance on the new city hall. Mayor Anthony explained that the commission felt it would be difficult to divide the insurance of the city among the eight or more agents in Friona, but agreed to review the policies and give the matter further deliberation.

Night Patrolman Helton, who had waited through the long meeting until he had a chance to address the group, appealed to the commissioners for an increase in salary.

Now drawing \$275 monthly, the officer reviewed his work for the members of the commis-

sion, seeking to justify his request for an increase. He did not mention any specific amount but suggested an increase in salary or mileage—or both—or living."

Helton said he has given the city from four to six hours daily extra time for which he has not been paid. "I know I wasn't required to do that—but I did it because I want to do a good job here," he said.

As the commissioners pondered Helton's request, some other matters were brought up. But just as the meeting closed, Commissioner Baxter suggested an increase to \$320 per month.

Mayor Anthony and Commissioner McFarland went along with this motion, and Helton accepted the city's offer. In addition to this pay, he is receiving a mileage allowance of seven cents per mile.

(Helton had previously said that the seven cents is less than he can own and operate a car. He pointed out that his work requires from driving in alleys in lower gear ratios, to speeding after traffic violators. This, he inferred, could not be regarded as "normal" driving.)

Other visitors during the meeting included several members of the Friona American Legion, who asked the commission if they could have permission to use much-disputed Block 52 for the location of a swimming pool which is their current project.

The commissioners listened to the plan of the Legionnaires, and then said they would need time to answer the request. "We want to find out what people want," said Mayor Anthony.

Russell Massey, commander of the Legion and spokesman for the delegation, okayed the request for a short delay to make a decision. He told the city dads that for various reasons, it has not been possible for the Legion to obtain other sites which had been under consideration previously.

(Actually, it should be mentioned that the city does not own the block — yet. They are anticipat-

ing receiving it from the county commissioners who now hold it as a location for a county courthouse. It was deeded the county by George Wright for that purpose decades ago.

(In recent years, the city and county have been at odds on who is to pay for paving around the block, located in the center of town. The county has refused the debt, and the city has decided to ask the county for the property in lieu of cash payment. Unofficial sources say the county probably would do this.)

A "tailpipe" law to curb the racket emanating from "straights" on some cars operated within the city limits was talked for a few minutes, but no action was taken. Mileage reports from Roberts and Helton were accepted.

Also coming in for considerable talk is the current agreement between the city and Pioneer Natural Gas Company. For \$125 per month, the city provides the company with office space (and pays utility bills), and furnishes employees to read gas meters, make collections, and perform other services for the firm.

Wilson pointed out that in the beginning, this had been a satisfactory arrangement, but the gas company's business has increased to such an extent that performing the duties of Pioneer places a heavy burden on an already busy city work force.

Wilson expressed the desire to request the gas company to seek offices and assistance elsewhere, but the commissioners, eyeing the \$125 per month, in-

structed the clerk to write Pioneer officials and request they meet with the commission to see if things can be worked out. A substantial rate increase for Pioneer was hinted.

The discussion drifted to the city-owned police car which will be included in next year's budget. Little talk was given the matter, but Commissioner McFarland said, "I'm flat against buying a car."

Wilson asked the commissioners if he could indicate to other city employees that they can look forward to a slight increase in salaries, but no action was taken. He has made provision for increases in the budget.

Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Schiller and Anton were weekend guests in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Noel Wood and Mr. and Mrs. Marion Fite Jr. The Schillers are parents of Mrs. Wood and Mrs. Fite.

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For the past several evenings a flock of birds has gathered in the City Park just about dusk. They make such a noise every one starts looking and asking questions. The sound is somewhat like frogs hollering after a big rain. Maybe we should call on our naturalist friend, Goose Ramsey, at Dimmitt for an explanation.

One person with whom we were discussing the matter suggested that it was a good sign of snow. The longer we live, the more different kinds of weather predicting we learn about. If any of our readers happen to know the answer to this bird gathering, we surely would appreciate your explanation.

For a long time we have known that our city has been in need of a good cleaning. However, we hadn't realized quite how badly it was needed until New Year's Day. As it happened that day, there was almost no one in town except us. Main street was deserted except for the deep pile of debris which lined the curb on either side.

The only solution we can think of that would be workable would be for each one of us to start teaching our children by setting them a good example of keeping the streets free from trash. If each of us carried a litter bag in the car and never threw a gum wrapper, candy wrapper, banana peel, or any other rubbish in the street, most of the children would soon get the idea.

Some of the teachers in our schools spend hours teaching our children things which we should have taught them before they were school age. This situation ought not to exist, whether it be in connection with having community pride or some other good

habits which parents should cultivate.

The Modern Study Club does such a good job on so many projects for the betterment of the community that we are thinking of suggesting to the members that they sponsor a "Keep Our City Clean" project.

It is census taking time again. Everyone who has children in school has probably already received a blank on which to enumerate the names and ages of the school age children in the family. If you have a child who will be old enough to go to school this fall, be sure to secure a blank from your school superintendent's office.

Or, if you have any friends, or neighbors who will have a child in school for the first time, pass this information on to them. This is very important since the amount of money allocated to each school depends upon the number of pupils listed on the census blanks.

A clever quip which someone came up with during the New Year resolution time was, "You should never put off until tomorrow what you should have done week before last."

The moisture which we had last week, even though it wasn't enough to measure, renews our hopes that it will rain again someday. Many of the farmers in the area are busy with plowing in preparation for the 1957 crop. Some snow or other winter moisture would be most welcome in every section of the country.

Several Girl Scout enthusiasts attended the luncheon of the Caprock Council at Lubbock Tuesday. This council has been in the planning stage a long time and most everyone who is familiar with Girl Scout activities feels that being a member of it is a long step forward.

Had it not been for the time and effort expended by Louisa Wilson, Ethel Ruth Spring, Irene McFarland, Deke Kendrick, Nora O'Brian, and several others, this goal would never have been reached. Our vote of thanks this week goes to them for accomplishing their task.

The new front on the Crawford buildings on the west side of main street adds much to the appearance of the street. The old-fashioned porch was removed and a modernistic one was added. The new front runs from the north side of the Friona Shoe Shop to the south side of the Corner Grocery.

Our apologies this week go to

the two persons whose names were either left out or misprinted in last week's classified ads. We do appreciate having them called to our attention and will make an effort to keep the same thing from happening again.

We would like for all of our readers to keep in mind that the Friona Star is your paper. Any news tip you can give us or any suggestion you can make for the improvement of the paper will be greatly appreciated. If at any time you come by the office or call and do not get an answer, please feel free to call Parmer 3418.

During these times of "tight money," as most people refer to it, one business establishment came up with a pretty good motto. It read "Try our 100% down and no payments later plan." That might be a good way to keep out of debt until things look more prosperous.

Taking School Census

Officials of the Friona schools are conducting the annual school census. Blanks have been given to students now in school. These blanks should be filled in and returned to Mr. Kelley's office as soon as possible as the entire census must be completed by February 1.

Parents of children who will be starting to school next September, and who have not been otherwise contacted, are asked to call the office of Superintendent Dillie M. Kelley.

Under state law, parents or guardians are required to supply census information on all children of school age. All children who were born after September 1, 1939 and before September 1, 1951 should be enumerated.

Anyone who knows of a child that will be eligible to enter school for the first time, is asked to contact the superintendent's office so this child can be enumerated on the 1957 census roll. No child who lives outside the Friona Independent School District should be listed on the Friona Independent School District's Census Roll.

Hospitality is the art of making people feel at home when you darn well wish they were.

Measles Epidemic Spreading

Parmer County schools took a noted drop in attendance this week as the current outbreak of measles continued to spread.

"The siege has definitely reached epidemic proportions," said Dr. Paul Spring, county health officer, this week when questioned concerning the outbreak.

At the time of this writing 120 cases have been reported in Friona and from 60 to 70 cases in Bovina. Evidently the disease has not yet reached Farwell as no cases have been evidenced in that area.

Bovina schools were closed at the first of the week in an effort to keep the disease from spreading further.

According to Dr. Spring, the epidemic possibly had its beginning in the Earth and Muleshoe areas and is moving south. Following a loose pattern, the disease reoccurs approximately every three years in the same vicinities.

Dr. Spring urges parents whose children might have been exposed to keep them under careful observation.

As of yet, no severe cases have been reported.

Bill Blackstones Become Parents

SP-3 and Mrs. Bill Blackstone of Frankfort, Germany, became parents of a baby girl December 23. She weighed 8 lbs. 5 ozs. and was named Leslie Gwenn. Mrs. Blackstone, who was Helga Nowak before her marriage, is looking forward to her first trip to the United States.

Blackstone, who is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Blackstone, expects to be discharged in June. After June 1, the Blackstones plan to make their home in the U. S.

KELLEY TO AUSTIN

Superintendent Dillie M. Kelley left Wednesday morning for Austin. He will attend the annual superintendent's meeting in the capitol city and attend to some business. Kelley expects to return this weekend.

At no time is this more the land of promise than during the election year.

SECTION II
THE FRIONA STAR

Wilson Lane To Be PTA Guest Speaker

Mr. Wilson Lane, principal, Emerson School, Amarillo, will be the guest speaker at the PTA meeting Thursday evening, January 17, at 7:30 p.m. in the auditorium. Mental health will be the theme of the meeting.

Wilson's topic will be "Individual Differences—Bane or Blessing." He will discuss types of differences revealed by a testing program in a fifth grade class. He will use large paper doll figures, representing pupils, to illustrate these differences.

A special feature on the program will be songs by the Mother Singers. Ova Outland is the director of this group, Dorothy Hough is the accompanist and the members are Mattie Faye Crow, Ora Mae Anthony, Gwen Graves, Bell Maynard and Geraldine Sherrieb. Several Friona persons have

attended programs on which Lane appeared and recommended him highly, according to Ella Lamb, president. Mrs. Lamb urges all parents and interested parties to attend this meeting.

Out of Town Guests

Weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Southward were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hope of Albuquerque, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Mitchell and children of Hedrick, Oklahoma, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Douglas and children of Tulia.

Former Resident Visits

Mrs. Edna M. Thompson of Lubbock, who is a former resident of the Iub community, spent several days last week visiting at the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Dyle Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Sand, and Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Gibson.

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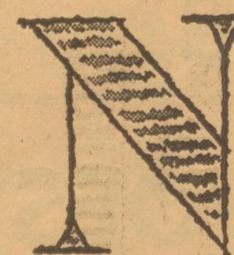
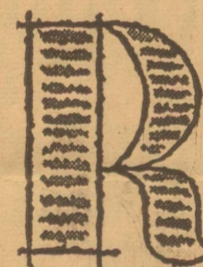
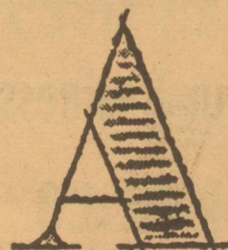
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News From LAZBUDDIE

MRS. CALVIN EMBRY

Girls Win Trophy At Tournaments

Lazbuddie High School girls won their game with Friona Saturday night 87 to 52. This was the final game of the Amherst tournament. Therefore, the girls added a trophy to the new trophy case at school. High point girl for Lazbuddie was Joy Smith with 39 followed by Janice Oliver with 31.

Lazbuddie boys won consolation over Pep, 44 to 25. High point boy for Lazbuddie was Glen Watkins with 15 followed by James Gillmore with 13. High point for Pep was Gerener with 11.

The grade school boys and girls basketball teams will clash with the Springlake grade teams at Lazbuddie January 14 at 6 p. m.

Lazbuddie basketball teams will travel to Happy, January 15.

January 18, Nazareth comes to Lazbuddie, instead of Lazbuddie going to Nazareth, as on the schedule.

Local Teachers Enjoy Holidays

The following is a report concerning where Lazbuddie school teachers spent the holidays.

Mrs. P. M. Friesen visited in Anadarko, Okla., Mrs. George Freeman visited in Farwell, and Mrs. Addie McMillian visited in Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Cooper spent the holidays in Marshall, Ark., with their parents while Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Gillmore visited in Olney and Beeville.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilbanks and Paul visited in Marshall, Ark., with both Mr. and Mrs. Wilbanks parents. Mrs. W. S. Stephenson, mother of Mrs. Wilbanks, came home with them for an extended visit.

Mr. and Mrs. David Estes were in California and also toured the Grand Canyon. Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ward visited in Post, Tex., and Durant, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. James Haynes and boys visited in Ft. Smith, Ark., and in Salem, Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Lawrence and Smithy visited in Marshall, Ark., with relatives. Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Williams were in Lubbock for a few days; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Black and children visited

in Idabel, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. George Washington visited in parts of Oklahoma.

MOD Benefit Is Tonight

There will be a basketball game, Thursday evening, January 17, 7:15 p. m., between the faculty of the Lazbuddie School and the farmers of the community. The faculty manager will be James Haynes, while Junior Matthews will manage the farmers. There will be no admission charge for the game, but free-will offering will be taken for the March of Dimes drive, of which Mrs. Joe Jesko is the Lazbuddie chairman. After the game will be a "42" party.

Lazbuddie FU To Meet Tuesday

Lazbuddie Farmers Union will meet at the Lazbuddie School on Tuesday evening, January 15, at 7:30.

Plans for a membership drive for the organization will be discussed as well as the sending of a delegate to Washington.

All farmers of the area are invited to the meeting.

MEETS JANUARY 18

The annual meeting of the members of the Bailey County Electric Cooperative Association will be held in the high school auditorium in Muleshoe, January 18, at 2 p. m. This is our duty as a community to attend this meeting. If possible, let's have a good representation from Lazbuddie.

TOUR SOUTH TEXAS

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Brown and boys, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Brown and children, and Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Watkins and children, toured recently in San Antonio and Corpus Christi. They fished in the Gulf where Jimmy Brown landed a 42 lb. drum. F. L. also caught a 31 pounder. The Watkinses and F. L. Browns went from there to the Rio Grande Valley. They did some sight seeing in Mexico. The Dee Browns returned to Coleman where Mrs. Brown visited several hours with a former school friend.

Have New Son

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Reeder, on the birth of a son, born January 3. Proud grandparents of the new arrival are Mr. and Mrs. Sam Lucy of Lazbuddie.

Louise Ham and Jim Gordon have returned to school at Howard Payne.

In Barnes Home

Mrs. Perry Barnes had as guests in her home, Sunday, December 31, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Barnes, Jr. and children, Clovis; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Scott Menefee and children, Corpus Christi; Mr. and Mrs. Richard McKinney, Estes Park, Colo.; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Seaton and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Barnes and children, all of Lazbuddie.

WMU Circles Meet

All three circles of the WMU met at the church on Monday. Mrs. F. M. Greene brought the devotional. Mrs. A. E. Redwine was in charge of the business. Mrs. Jack Black served refreshments to Mesdames Ted Treider, Juel Treider, W. S. Menefee, F. W. Greene, A. E. Redwine, Carrie Withrow, Claud Heath, Buster Jones, C. K. Roberts, Earl Peterson, Raymond Houston, T. J. Williams, H. G. DeLoach, and one new member, Billie Mitchel. Mrs. Carrie Withrow and Mrs. Raymond Houston were in charge of the Sunbeams.

BURIED IN LUBBOCK

G. K. Bullock Sr., age 65, of Petersburg passed away December 25. Burial was in Tech Memorial Park, Lubbock. He was the father of Wyle Bullock of Lazbuddie.

It's A Boy

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Clark on the birth of a son, born January 7. The young man has been named Danny Wayne.

Jean Louise Gammon, Winnie Ham, Barbara Hinkson and Jimmie Frank Carpenter returned to school at Texas Tech, after spending the holidays with their parents.

Nealy Steinbock, student at Eastern New Mexico University in Portales, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. "Shorty" Steinbock.

Mina Jennings, student at SMU, spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Finis Jennings.

Leland Gustin returned last week to Houston, where he is a student at the University of Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Young and boys reported having a wonderful time while on tour through the Rio Grande Valley, Corpus Christi, the state capital, and the Alamo. They spent some time fishing in the Gulf.

Donna Kim, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McDonald, is home from the hospital, where she spent several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Neeley, of Tulsa, Okla., recently visited in the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Treider Jr.

Mrs. Mae Mahan and Mrs. Claude Blackburn visited in Lubbock, Monday.

J. T. Bostick, of New Deal, visited in the home of his daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Houston.

Mrs. E. B. St. John, of Durant, Okla., is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Ward. Mrs. St. John is the mother of Mrs. Ward.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Bass and son returned home last week from Albuquerque, N. M. While there they visited Mrs. Bass's parents.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Seaton, Jackie and Johnnie visited several days last week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ross R. Stewart Jr. of Ft. Worth. The Stewarts are former teachers of Lazbuddie.

Mrs. Clyde Knight and boys visited over the weekend in the home of her sister, Mrs. Al Jennings and family.

The John Gammons had as guests over the New Year holi-

days, Mrs. W. P. Jennings, Mary Jane and Walter Taylor of Lubbock, and Mary and Pat Hendricks of Dallas. Mrs. Jennings is the mother of Mrs. Gammon.

Betty Floyd and Lee Poamer of Plainview visited Sunday in the home of Betty's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Floyd and Jeannell.

Mrs. A. W. Black visited Sunday in the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Spittlar.

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. K. Horsley were Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Stancell and family, and Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Horsley.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Chitwood and children spent the Christmas holidays with her father, Myron Goss in Miami, Florida. Enroute home they stopped off at Dallas and attended the Cotton Bowl game.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Gustin, Leland and Ronnie, Mrs. Joe Bates Jennings, Joe Brian and Trama spent the New Year holidays in Jacksboro, visiting with relatives and friends.

Lazbuddie welcomes Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thomas and children, Mr. and Mrs. Bearden and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cantrell and children to the community.

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. Roy Farley on the birth of a daughter, Le Ann, born Decem-

ber 31. The Woman's Society of Christian Service meets January 10, at 3 p. m., for their regular meeting. Mrs. C. D. Gustin will begin the study on "Paul's Letters to the Local Churches."

Mr. and Mrs. Grady King visited in Southland, Sunday. John McGehee is reported to be getting along fine in the Friona hospital.

A meeting was held at the Lazbuddie Baptist Church, Monday night. Twelve members were present to view films and discuss ways of being better teachers and officers.

Jack King and Wayne Moore of Muleshoe, and Howard Watson and Leon Smith, of Lazbuddie visited several days in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Purl Tippie had as visitors in their home during the holidays, Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Taylor, Wichita Falls; Bill Tippie, Amarillo; Bob Tippie, Canyon; J. W. Tippie, Whitesboro; and Sgt. and Mrs. Bob Smith, Savannah, Ga.

Lazbuddie PTA met for a regular session Monday evening, January 7. Mrs. Lockhart, school nurse, showed films on dental care after the business session was completed.

Jimmy Ivy returned to Amarillo College last week. Mitzi Ivy returned home last

week from Redwood, Calif., where she had been visiting.

Sunday guests in the home of Rev. and Mrs. C. K. Roberts were Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Menefee of Lazbuddie.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Elliott and children returned last week from San Francisco and Fresno, Calif. They had a nice time but were glad to be home.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Clark had as visitors for the holidays, Mrs. Clark's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ryder, also her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Coveington and family of Archer City, Texas.

Mrs. O. M. Jennings has returned home after being confined to the hospital in Friona for several days.

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Gillmore were their son and family, the B. J. Gillmores of Lubbock.

Janice Gallman spent the holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gallman. Janice is finishing her senior year in Pampano.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Engelking spent Christmas in Marshall, Ark., with Mrs. Engelking's grandparents. Richard reported having good luck squirrel hunting. He bagged 11 of the little furriers, and brought them to Texas to eat.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Treider have been honeymooning in parts of Kansas.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Matthews spent the weekend in the home of their son, Rev. Bruce Matthews.

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ly things of God's creation such as the beautiful mountains, the sunshine, the rain, the beauties of flowers, star-spangled skies at night, etc. He is speaking of the sphere of evil which is opposed to God and after which things some men seek to the destruction of their own souls. The world, with its wicked passions, pleasures, and pursuits is to be hated and turned away from in our determination to do God's will.

"And the world passeth away, and the lust thereof: but he that doeth the will of God abideth forever." (I John 2:17) All that matters, then, as we pass through life is that we learn to do God's will, and having learned the way to hold steadfastly to it until we pass from this life into the beyond.

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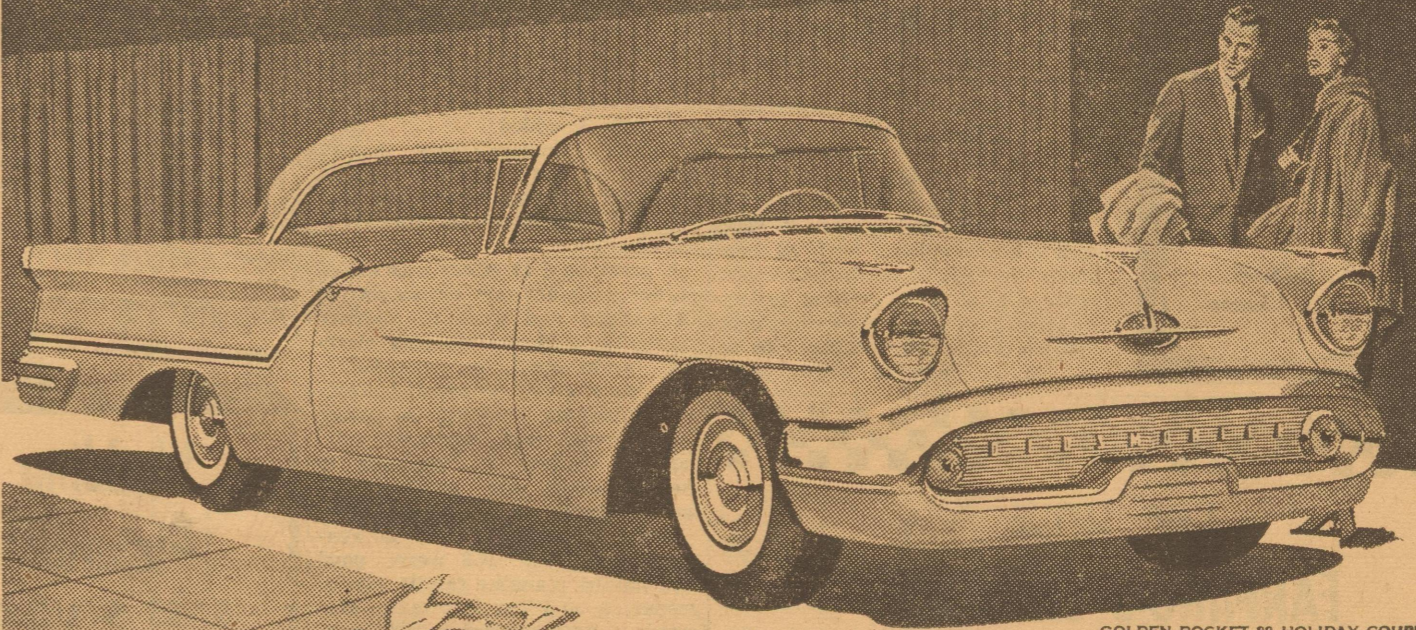
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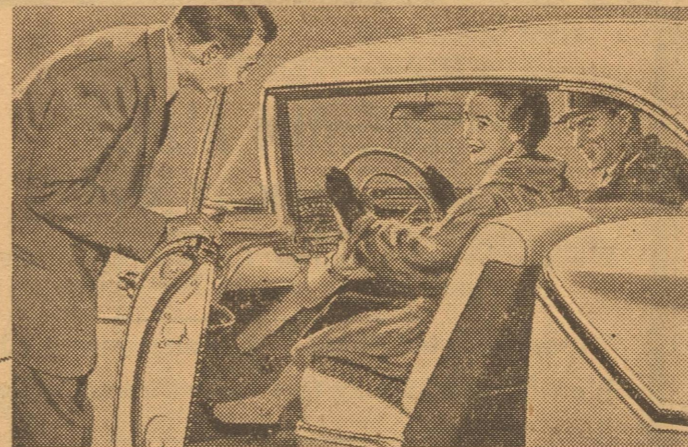
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« Parmer County Farm and Home »

Parmer County Farm And Home Picture Reviewed by Agents

"The picture as a whole looks better than last year for the farmer in Parmer County," reports Joe W. Jones, county agent, in his annual extension service report, released this week.

The narrative report, combined with that of Jimmie Lou Wainwright, county Home Demonstration agent, contains a summarized picture of the farming scene in this county for 1956 and analyzes the prospective farm program for the coming year. Jones feels that the farmer will experience a better year in '57 due to an easing of financial stress through the strengthening of grain sorghum prices, good wheat yields, and above-average cotton yields and grade.

However, he contends that many of the farm owners in this area have bought their farms in the past four years and are heavily in debt. The 2200 irrigation wells which will irrigate some 350,000 Parmer County acres in 1957, represent an investment of about 18 million dollars and were purchased with borrowed money.

"With the debts farmers have already obligated themselves to pay and the trend of lowering farm income coupled with the rising production costs, many will find it hard to meet their obligations. The tenant farmer is in the same condition as many new land owners. Many of each will pass out of the farming picture if the present trend of higher production costs, along with tight acreage controls, and the downward trend of farm prices continues."

Planted cotton acreage for 1956 approximated 42,000 acres. Jones estimates that five per cent of this was lost due to dry weather, hail, rains, winds, and soil bank entries, leaving about 40,000 acres to be harvested. From this acreage, Parmer County farmers gleaned a gross cotton income of about nine and a half million dollars.

Despite a comparatively poor cotton yield in 1955, the growing season of this past year was ideal and farmers harvested the best crop ever.

In the past five years, farmers in this area planted more of their irrigated and dry lands to grain sorghum than any other crop.

The chief problems facing the grain sorghum farmer have been his lowering production on lands that have been irrigated several years and the lack of an assured fair price support program high enough to guarantee a reasonable income from the use of his water and land.

Grain sorghums require a great deal of water during the hot summer months. This has limited considerably the number of acres that the farmer can water adequately.

This situation, Jones feels, will be relieved by rainfall, an increased number of wells, and staggering of planting dates.

The use of legumes and fertilizers is also expected to increase grain sorghum production, which was good this past year with higher prices than were expected. "As a whole," Jones reflects, "grain sorghum farmers did all right." "However, it is felt that farmers had better make plans to grow grain sorghum at support levels and not expect the price situation to be favorable every year like it was in 1956."

Wheat, always a major dry-land crop, has been relatively slow in taking its place under the irrigation system. Parmer County has about 100,000 acres of wheat allotted for the 1957 crop with several thousand acres seeded for irrigation.

Irrigated wheat production of late has been on the down-grade, due to the fact that the crop must show good yields to evidence a profit where so much expense is involved. This is a major consideration of the wheat farmer.

The livestock industry has also been on the decrease in Parmer County in the past four or five years. This has partially been due to the rise in irrigation farming and the break in the prices of most animal products.

Jones notes that despite its high cost, irrigation continues to play a bigger part in Parmer County's agriculture activities each year. With the aid of irrigation, the farmer will be better able to cope with other problems such as continual increase in production costs, and lowering farm product prices.

Cost of production continues to be one of the farmers major problems.

It is felt that, on the whole, yields are increasing from year to year but rising cost of production is eating away an excess of would-be profit.

Irrigation is considered to be the nearest apparent solution to the situation. The agent feels that, for the most part, the farmers are doing a good job with it but as yet don't seem to realize the full value of water. Continued emphasis will be applied in this direction throughout '57.

Organized efforts were begun toward weed control and the establishment of windbreaks for the home last year and will be continued in 1957.

The Home Demonstration report, filed by Jimmie Lou Wainwright, rounded out the combined narrative.

Although Parmer County was without an HD agent until May, the time following was bustling with activity with major emphasis being placed on home management, furnishings and equipment, clothing, foods and nutrition, family life education, and community development.

Working in conjunction with both 4-H and Home Demonstration Clubs, Miss Wainwright, aside from the '56 activities, spent a good deal of time working to form a program nucleus for 1957.

Working in conjunction with the program building committee, organized two years ago, the 11 organized Home Demonstration Clubs in Parmer County carried out 1955 plans for a strengthened 4-H program, better publicity on extension work, encouragement for young people to make farming a career, and assembling of additional personnel to work with the HD organizations.

Working with eight living room demonstrators, the agent spent considerable time encouraging care of furniture, good lighting, and proper furniture selection.

Along with living room improvement, the club members reported the following home improvements: 25 kitchens improved, 12 bedrooms improved, 6 baths built, 10 built-in cabinets added, and 3 dressers and 2 beds added.

Eighteen leaders were trained concerning work simplification in the home and are now in the process of giving demonstrations for 1957.

A great deal of effort was exerted toward wardrobe emphasis for all women and girls of Parmer County in 1956. Besides six clothing workshops, nine demonstrations were given concerning wardrobe planning, pattern selection, sewing equipment, grooming, and care of clothes. Participating in the workshops were 58 girls with the assistance of 14 adult leaders.

Goals for the 4-H girls in Parmer County for 1956 were: good food habits, planning family meals, preparing and serving main dish salads, and preparation of vegetables for freezing. Eleven demonstrations by Miss Wainwright were conducted for the purpose of fulfilling these goals.

To help families develop closer

family ties was the goal for Parmer County's program on family life education on the "family fun" project.

In '56, both 4-H and HD clubs worked on recreation on three levels—club, community, and county. 4-H boys and girls gave 35 demonstrations to Lions Clubs, Farm Bureau meetings, Soil Conservation district supervisors, HD clubs and PTA groups.

NEWS FROM THE FARM BUREAU

By RAYMOND EULER

Calendars with the big date numbers, fishing information, theoretical weather information, etc., are available at the office. Pick one up at your convenience. If you have a new car or truck, get some more "Scotch Lite" stickers.

Texas Farm Bureau has arranged for a meeting with President Eisenhower and USDA Secretary Benson at San Angelo during their "drouth tour" of this area. A meeting in Lamesa Thursday of this week will accumulate and summarize suggestions of Farm Bureau Leaders of the Texas Plains, for drouth aids.

During Texas Legislative sessions this year, Texas Farm Bureau Representatives will be present urging acceptance of TPB resolutions. Some of these are: 1. Assisting Texas Extension and Experiment Departments to obtain increased state appropriations necessary to carry out an expanded research and education program.

2. Passage of a new Texas Commercial Feed Law. 3. Passage of a State Egg Grading and Labeling Law. 4. Support of all fair and feasible water legislation but opposition to any water legislation that would be financed by an increase in the state-wide Advalorem Tax. 5. Supporting exemption of farm utility trailers from licensing. 6. Urging increased appropriations for Livestock Disease Control Program. 7. Opposing any increase in State Motor Fuel Tax. 8. For a labeling law requiring all Grade A milk to be labeled to show butter fat content. 9. Opposing efforts to take away State Non-Highway used Gasoline Tax Refund. These, of course, are just a few of the important subjects.

The March of Dimes is due your support. Please give liberally. Most informed farmers are no longer interested in arguing the subject of flexible versus rigid price supports. There are still some politicians and political hopefuls that introduce the subject, but farmers who have looked at the picture long and honestly have decided that a real sale of a product is much more valuable than a loan from an agency that can neither sell nor give the security away with any success. Some "grain leaders" who are really only warehousemen still swear rigidity is the only answer, but the producer is becoming increasingly leary of taking advice from the man who makes more out of his product in storage than he does out of producing it.

Consider this: A wicked doer giveth heed to false lips; and a liar giveth ear to a naughty tongue. Proverbs 17:4.

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County 4-H Clubbers Receive Recognition At Bovina Meeting

Highlight of the annual county-wide 4-H Club achievement event held Saturday night at Bovina was the presentation of awards to 4-H members for outstanding work during the 1956 club year.

Achievement awards, which are donated by the Ford Motor Co. of Dearborn, Mich., were presented to James Stevens of the Bovina 4-H Club and Cooper Young of the Lazbuddie 4-H.

Truman McKillip of the Farwell 4-H group was given the leadership award. Receiving the gold star award which is presented by Texas A&M College, was Johnny McCuan of Farwell.

Frankie Coffman and Johnny Armstrong of Farwell won the soil and water conservation award presented by the Firestone Tire and Rubber Co. These two boys presented a soil and water conservation demonstration at various meetings of civic organizations during the year and won first place in the district contest with the demonstration and third place at the state contests.

Winners of the field crops award were Richard Chitwood of Lazbuddie, Robert Tomlinson of Farwell, Mike Ellis of Friona and James Brown of Lazbuddie.

Meat animal awards went to Billy Hardage of Lazbuddie, Tommy Tatum of Friona, Gary Foster of Lazbuddie and Jim Roy Wells of Friona.

Johnny Armstrong of Farwell and Glendale King of Lazbuddie were presented awards for the beautification of home grounds.

The safety award was presented to Truman McKillip and Johnny McCuan of Farwell who won first place in the district with their safety demonstration and sixth place in the state contests with the same project.

Frankie Coffman and Bill Quicquel of Farwell and Paul Edwin Wilbanks of Lazbuddie were the winners of the garden awards.

4-H boys receiving membership pins were James Stevens, Gary Stevenson, Julius Bradshaw and Dickie Clayton of Bovina; Joe Hughes, Robert Tomlinson, Jerald Gober, Frankie Coffman, Roy Donaldson, Bill Quicquel, Truman McKillip, Johnny Armstrong, Johnny McCuan, Eddie Collins, Tommy Barker, David Watkins and Mike Nelson of Farwell.

Also, Joe Bob Johnson, Johnny Mabry, Johnny Miller, Ronny Castleberry, Randy Price, Tommy Tatum, Dewain Phipps, Mike Ellis, Jim Roy Wells, Weldon Massey, Laverne Mabry, Larry Mabry, Tommy Scales, Ralph Palmateer, Jim Greeson, Wallace McKeenan

and Maynard Greeson of Friona. Lazbuddie boys receiving membership pins were Carroll Redwine, Eugene Houston, Jerry Engleking, Ronald Scott, Odie Bradshaw, David Smith, Wayne Peterson, Richard Chitwood, Harrol Redwine, James Brown, Gary Mac Brown, Billy Hardage, Coy Mason, Cooper Young, Paul Wilbanks, Glendale King, Steven Young, Gerald Foster, Gary Foster, Joe Gordon and John Agee.

In the girls' division, Judy Billingsley of Farwell and Beverly Smith of Lazbuddie were recipients of the achievement awards. The leadership award was presented to Margaret Mabry of Friona. Janice Darling of Lazbuddie and Lexie Stevenson and Barbara Rea, both of Bovina, received the girls' home economics awards, and the clothing awards were presented to Karen Bales of Bovina, Mary Ruth Riley of Friona and Donna Sudderth of Bovina.

Katherine Smith of Lazbuddie won the food preparation award and the frozen food awards went to Pat Chitwood of the Lazbuddie junior club and Sharron Thorn of the Lazbuddie senior club.

The dress revue award winners were Sally Hough and Margaret Mabry of Friona and Beverly Smith and Sharron Thorn of Lazbuddie. Virginia Rea of Bovina won the canning award.

First year membership pins were presented to Carol Jean Hastings and Margaret Taylor, both of Bovina; Jane Hubbell of Farwell, Janie Parker of Friona and Pat Chitwood of Lazbuddie.

Girls receiving second year pins were Marilyn Sue Brandon, Gladys Dean, Sherri Lynn Langer, Bettie Mae Stevens, Lexie Stevenson, and Donna Sudderth, of the Bovina Clubs; Judy Billingsley, Jean Reed, Zell Billingsley and Paula Winegarter of Farwell.

Also, Karen Bales, Dolores Elmore, Margaret Mabry, Jacquelyn Magness, Mary Ruth Riley and

Janet Snead of the Friona Clubs; and Janice Darling, Eva Dean Ivy, Beverly Smith, Sharron Thorn and Katherine Smith of Lazbuddie.

Girls' 4-H leaders who were presented leadership pins were Mrs. Carl Rea of Bovina, Mrs. Leon Billingsley, Mrs. E. R. Coffman, Mrs. Sterling Donaldson and Mrs. Bill Foster, all of Farwell; Mrs. Evert Bales and Mrs. James Mabry of Friona; and Mrs. Dee Chitwood, Mrs. Duane Darling, Mrs. Jack Smith and Mrs. A. G. Thorn of Lazbuddie.

About 150 persons attended the event. Frankie Coffman was chairman of the program and Gladys Dean was chairman of the party. The 4-H pledge was led by Gladys Dean to open the program and the presentation of awards were made by County Extension Agents Jimmie Lou Wainwright and Joe Jones.

Games were led by Margaret Mabry, Beverly Smith, Mike Ellis, Gladys Dean and James Stevens. Closing songs were led by Truman McKillip, Mike Ellis and Margaret Mabry, and the closing prayer was led by Johnny Armstrong of Farwell.

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The Parmer County Implement Co. News

"The Place Where Most People Trade" Friona, Texas—Wednesday, January 8, 1957

The David Carsons have lost their dog and surely would like to get him home again. Spike, a big male Collie, has lived with the Carsons ten years and they surely miss him. If you hear of a lost Collie, please call the Carsons at 5182 in Friona.

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—PCICN—

David Charles, our four year old, insists that he be allowed to return thanks for us at meal-time and since he talks fast our mother didn't understand for several weeks exactly what he was saying. All of us have requested the same "Thank you" verse for years. "For things we like to eat, thy loving gift of food, we thank thee Lord, today for Thou art kind and good." David's version ended "for I have been kind and good."

—PCICN—

If you are planning to buy a new pickup or truck, the place to buy or trade is the Parmer County Implement Company. The world's finest pickups and trucks—International—will cost less. We can arrange almost any kind of terms and will give you a good price for your old pickup or truck.

—PCICN—

Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Christian of Claude visited with the Frank Springs last week. Mrs. Christian and Mrs. Spring are sisters.

—PCICN—

Mr. Bill Saunders is adding a room to his rent house in the east part of town. Mr. Saunders is doing most of the work himself.

If you haven't driven a '57 Olds, you have no idea of the dream car of your life. Come by and let us give you a demonstration.

—PCICN—

Have you seen the IH six-row lister and planter? Just what you need for large acreage. When better machinery is built, International will build it.

—PCICN—

Beth Jordan, small daughter of the Ben Jordans, is in the hospital in Amarillo. Beth and her mother had hoped to come home Sunday, but Sunday morning Beth was feeling worse and so they had to stay a few days more.

—PCICN—

Don't forget your irrigation well and motor have a dry year ahead. Call Ben Woody now. Just say fit it for a long season. No job too large or too small.

—PCICN—

Texas horned toads look like miniatures of vicious prehistoric reptiles, but are the most friendly, mildest mannered little pets you could have. Strictly land critters, they never bathe and their habitat is the dry prairie. They are neither toads or frogs. They are lizards.

—PCICN—

If it is parts you need, it's parts you get. 2091 is the number. We'll send it out by mail if you desire.

—PCICN—

A well-known bootmaker tells the story about a rancher whose new boots were too tight for him. He offered to stretch them. "Not on your life," replied the rancher. "These boots are too tight and that is the way they are going to stay. Every morning when I get out, I gotta corral some cows that busted out in the night and mend the fences they tore down. All day long I gotta watch my ranch blowing away in dust. At night after supper I listen to the radio tell about the

high price of feed and the low price of beef and all the time my wife nags me to move to the city. Man, when I get ready for bed and pull these tight boots off, that's the only real pleasure I get all day."

—PCICN—

We watched while the movers worked at moving the Friona Motor Company building, Friday morning. For awhile we thought they couldn't possibly turn it onto the road as they planned, but sure enough they had plenty of room. Bedford Caldwell bought the building and had it moved to Bovina.

—PCICN—

Mr. Otis Massey is in the hospital where he had one eye removed and a cataract removed from his other eye. Mr. Massey is much better now and hopes to be home before long.

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Several of Friona's adult Girl Scouts attended a charter meeting of the Caprock area in Lubbock Tuesday. Friona is now a member of the Caprock Area. Deke Kendrick, Olive Massey, Ella Lamb, Nora O'Brian, Ruth Terry, Edith Johnson, Lynn Chitwood, Mary Roberts, and Louisa Wilson, made the trip.

—PCICN—

Lots of measles, mumps, chicken pox and bad colds were among the school children last week. The first four grades were hardest hit and 119 were absent in the elementary building one day. Bovina and Muleshoe Schools dismissed several days because of absentees.

No Cotton Allotment Cuts in '57

ASC Office Manager Prentice Mills told Farm Bureau directors Monday night that any farmer who received a cut in his cotton allotment should call at the ASC office for a correction. No one would have been cut, and if one was, it was due to an error in calculations he said. The average allotment this year, said Mills, is 84.14 per-cent of the three-year average.

FB President Gilbert Kaltwasser read letters received from Congressmen W. R. Poage, George Mahon, and Walter Rogers expressing their concern and support for government loans being made of "split" grades of cotton. The letters were in answer to letters written by Kaltwasser after a recent directors meeting where the subject was discussed.

Harry Hamilton, co-chairman of the legislative committee, reported that the Texas Farm Bureau legislative office in Austin was again open at 601 Nalle Building. Gene Leach and Leon Lilly are in charge of the office, and legislative matters in which local farmers are interested should be directed to these men at the above address.

L. F. Bruns, co-chairman of the legislative committee with Hamilton, was instructed to write letters to senators and representatives urging adoption of the "Flexible Insurance Rate" law, which would allow companies who so desire to charge their patrons on the basis of their driving safety experience. County Agent Joe Jones reported on the successful 4-H club achievement program and also spoke briefly concerning SCD official's concern about the plight of some irrigated fields in this area in the event of heavy rains.

Bill Boling, Farwell FHA office manager, reported that \$6,500 is available for emergency roughage purchases.

Roughage Program For Texas Extended

The roughage program for Texas has been extended in all 238 counties previously designated, Walter T. McKay announced today. County committees in all designated counties are being advised that they may now accept applications for a supply of roughage feed to carry basic livestock through March 15, 1957.

There is a limited amount of money available under the roughage program. Deadline for receiving roughage applications is January 11, 1957.

McKay was also advised that it is the policy of the Department of Agriculture to continue the emergency feed grain and roughage programs in the drought areas as long as there is a need for these programs.

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THE HAPPY HOMEMAKER

It has been said that nothing can be a success unless it has the proper beginning. Of course, that does not mean that if one makes an error he cannot begin again. If at any time in your homemaking career you feel that you are not doing a good job, there is always a time to begin doing better.

Most of us are so busy with one thing and another that it is very easy for us to leave undone some of the things we really should do. One thing that would be well for those of us who have children to keep in mind is that we can do a wonderful job of teaching our children just by setting them a good example.

Do you, when crossing the street with your child, always go to the intersection to cross? Most of us do not. By doing this we are teaching our children by our example that it is all right to cross any place we desire.

Then when the child is old enough to go to school and the teachers begin to impress upon him the importance of crossing where the lines are marked, the child is apt to think that the teacher is trying to teach him something which his mother does not believe.

This is only one of the dozens, or maybe hundreds, of things which we should teach our children by our example. Some of the young high school students who are taking driver education are surprised to learn that a driver should be considerate of fellow drivers. Perhaps this is a lesson which he should have learned by watching his parents when they are at the wheel.

Teaching is one ability which every homemaker needs very badly. It is also an ability which can be cultivated. A good example set by anyone will do more teaching than all the words one could ever say. Our teaching is much more effective if we live what we are trying to teach others.

Homemaking should be a very satisfying career in spite of all the things which a homemaker is called upon to do. If yours is not, maybe you have not made the proper beginning. Stop long enough to take stock and determine whether or not you are on the proper track. If not, back up and begin again.

If you plan to make a good garden, you might like to follow the plan used by Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wise. They are two of the best gardeners we know and we noticed in passing recently that they have their garden plot plowed up.

At this time of the year so many seed catalogues come in the mail that most gardeners are inspired to begin. Some of them carry free sample garden seeds of new varieties of flowers or vegetables. If you enjoy growing a new specie, you might send for some of the samples.

If your old cannister set is beginning to lose its finish, there is a new product on the market which goes on like scotch tape and comes in several different patterns.

A plan is underway in the clothing industry to standardize the

size of all clothing. When it is perfected, it will be much easier for us to buy clothes for every member of the family. It is quite confusing when you buy a size 18 dress in a moderately priced garment, a size 12 coat, and a size 16 dress in a higher priced garment.

If you are just buying for one or two, it isn't quite such a task but if there are five or six in the family it becomes confusing. If present plans materialize, it will be compulsory that every garment be made according to standard measurements.

So many mothers have young children with measles and chicken pox at the present time. Here is a suggestion that works real well at our house. When a small child needs his temperature taken, he is allowed to hold the egg timer in his hand until all the sand is emptied, provided he will hold the thermometer in his mouth at the same time.

Since the egg timer is not a plaything and is usually used by the older ones in the family only, holding it is a special treat and the thermometer isn't looked at as a bad thing.

Farmers Union SPEAKS

By W. L. EDELMON

Now that the 85th congress is in session it will be interesting to watch the efforts of public officials who have represented themselves as wanting to do something for the declining income of the family farmer. It is difficult to understand Mr. Benson's requests that no more farm commodities be included with those receiving support price, and at the same time accept his statement, that he is for the farmer, as being sincere.

On Monday of this week Mr. Benson was asked to appear before the house committee on agriculture to give testimony for new legislation for agriculture. Among other things, he expressed his objection to any broadening of the commodity list which might receive price supports. This seems to be only natural since he has recently expressed concern over

the possibility that lowered surpluses might cause the flexible price supports to be flexed upward. "This is a bad feature of the law," he was quoted as saying.

The special "rigged" corn referendum held on December 11 was further evidence that every attempt is being made to destroy the good that can be had in a farm program. Had Mr. Benson's proposal, which sounded good for 1957, been approved, it would have removed corn from the list of basic crops for which congress has provided special supports. Under such a plan Mr. Benson could have set the supports for corn anywhere down to zero after 1957. It is quite notable that the vote in strong Farmers Union states defeated this move.

Although we are not in the commercial corn producing states, it is only to point out the obvious that a disastrous price situation for corn would be doubly disastrous for our feed grain production.

At this early date in 1957 a view of the economic prospects for the year might be in order. The adoption by the administration of a policy of national economic planning and management will forego the probability of any major depression. Employment, corporate profits, and interest charges will be kept at high levels, although over-all output and rate of expansion will be considerably below what otherwise would be expected except for the administration's "hard money" policy.

The "hard money" policy could put such a drag on the momentum of business that some recession would be seen in 1957.

Because of the extended timetable for any new farm legislation becoming effective this year, it is doubtful that any material increase in farm income can be expected. The national parity level for farm commodities will remain near 80 percent. The fact that our major crop, grain sorghum, is not listed as a basic crop with special supports, raises a special question for us. Under the present law regulating supports for feed grains, we are at the mercy of the secretary of agriculture.

We have no mandatory supports but have a 70 percent or greater support if the secretary of agriculture determines a support to be necessary. The increased government payments under the soil bank will bring relatively little money to Parmer County because it fails to make any differential in irrigated and dryland farms.

The cost-price squeeze will continue and the farmers' cost will be higher in 1957 than ever before.

The all-time record high for cost of living reached at the close of 1956 will be surpassed in 1957.

Although the picture above is

Bureau Recommends Action For Drouth

Parmer County Farm Bureau has endorsed eight recommendations regarding the prolonged drouth in the Plains states. These suggestions will be presented at a "drouth conference" in Lamesa today (Thursday), and from other counties will come ideas of a similar nature.

The conference will sift out these many suggestions and form a final draft which will represent Texas Farm Bureau, and these will be offered to President Eisenhower and Secretary of Agriculture Benson when they visit in San Angelo next week on their tour of drouth-stricken states.

Here are the county-level recommendations:

1. Money be made available through an emergency fund for immediate tillage such as chiseling, deep plowing, etc., as an emergency practice.
2. Design a system whereby drafts in payment of both ACP and emergency tillage practices can be made on local level by ASC Committees as soon as practices are completed and approved for payment.
3. Set up a system whereby FHA

loans can be distributed more readily after application is made.

4. Make more money available to expand irrigation.

5. Provide office clerk for SCS offices.

6. Set up higher annual payments for both acreage reserve and conservation reserve contracts to encourage more participation in soil bank program.

7. Give farmers income tax relief for a few years until they have had a chance to recover financially from this extended drouth.

8. Change administration of cattle & livestock emergency program as follows: Any drouth Relief Program Assistance for foundation herd maintenance should be made available to all owners of such herds without regard for the financial status of the individual, just as other agricultural programs are administered.

In order to produce large litters of strong pigs sows must be provided with an adequate level of trace minerals, according to recent

not the brightest we have faced it is not entirely hopeless. The voice of the family farmer being heard by those who care and can do something about it will bring better times. The thousands of bus trippers sponsored by National Farmers Union have begun arriving in Washington. The first bus load from Texas will leave Wichita Falls on January 25. Any member of Farmers Union is eligible to go. One delegate for each 10 members will be selected.

Members interested in making the trip should contact Oscar Baxter, secretary of the Friona Local, or Wyle Bullock, secretary of the Lazbuddie Local. "Speak for yourself John" was never more applicable than now.

Travis Talks Labor With Farm Bureau

E. G. Travis, field assistant of the Amarillo district office of Texas Employment Service, addressed Parmer County Farm Bureau directors Monday night.

Accompanying him and assisting in the discussion were J. D. Jordan, Littlefield office manager and Maurice Oden, Muleshoe office manager of TES.

Subject of the discussion was braceros, important labor group of Mexican nationals who are al-

ways much in demand at the peak of Plains cotton harvest. J. T. Jones, Farm Bureau director of Bovina, had negotiated with Employment officials in an effort to arrange a more convenient method of obtaining and using Mexican workers.

Travis explained that under the present law, only the area employment offices are allowed to handle details of bracero distribution for agricultural work. Littlefield is the nearest office designated for this purpose, and Travis and fellow workers said it was doubtful if the program could be decentralized any more than it is, because of the complications accompanying the program.

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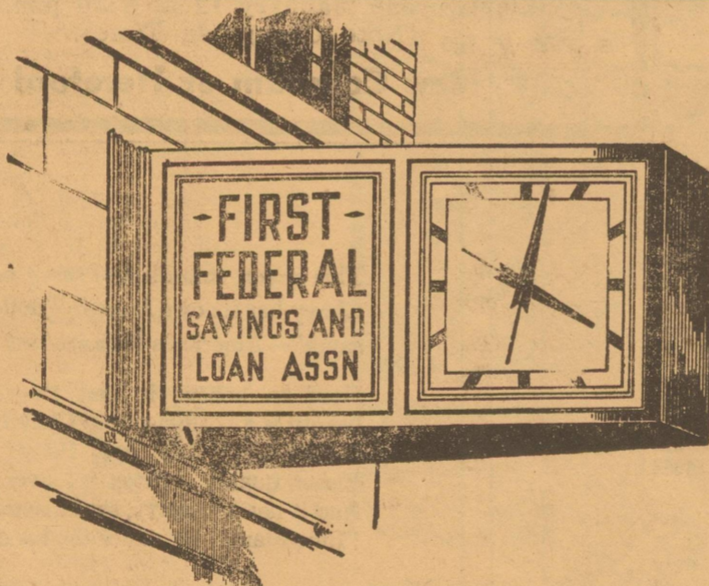
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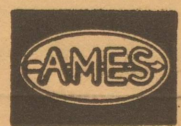


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Friona Grows in '56, Reports City Clerk

According to reports released this week from the office of Roy Wilson, city clerk, the residential and business districts of Friona experienced a notable expansion in 1956.

Building permits issued from January to December of last year indicate that 19 buildings were completed and four others were transported into Friona from other areas.

These figures do not include construction which was begun in 1956 but incomplete at the first of 1957. Thirteen of the 19 completed structures were residences, six were business buildings. Of the four imported buildings, three were residential, one a business house.

A comparatively small number of business structures were converted to residences and a few buildings were transported within the city limits.

Friona citizens invested a sizeable amount of their 1956 income in remodeling their homes and businesses.

Additional rooms, re-roofing, and garages dotted the permit list and a number of permits were issued

for the laying of driveways, sidewalks, and curbing.

Ruth Class Has Social

The Ruth Class of the First Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. Ray Castleberry for its regular business and social meeting Monday evening. Co-hostesses were Mesdames Evert Bails and Buck Wheeler. Mrs. J. T. Carroll led the opening prayer.

The devotional was given by Melba Miller on "Judge Not." Her talk was based on Matthew 7:1-5. Mrs. Joe Douglas, president, had charge of the business meeting. Mrs. Lloyd Prewett led the group in singing several songs. The closing prayer was led by Mrs. Buck Wheeler.

Those present were Mesdames J. D. Sanders and David, Joe Brown, John Wright, Vernon Roberts, Joe Douglas, W. S. Crow, John Baker, Lloyd Prewett, Ralph Miller, J. T. Carroll, and Ralph Taylor. The hostesses served coffee and pie.

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Move To Arkansas

Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Hogue left last week for Hope, Arkansas, where they will make their home. The Hagues have operated the Hogue super market at Hub for the past two years.

Hospital Accreditation Possible Within Year, Hopes Baxter

By FRED REAGAN

"Within a year, approximately, we hope to have the Parmer County Community Hospital accredited by the Joint Commission on Accreditation of Hospitals," Jimmy Baxter, hospital administrator, predicted this week.

The announcement came as a result of a plan now being formulated by the hospital staff anticipating fulfillment of the requirements necessary for accreditation.

Accreditation from the JCAH is bestowed only upon those hospitals which can meet requirements established to insure the quality of medical care which the Joint Commission can faithfully recommend to the public.

To qualify for accreditation the hospital must have at least 25 beds, have been in operation at least twelve months and, if located in the United States, be listed in the Administrator's Guide issue of "Hospitals," published by the American Hospital Association.

Member organizations of the JCAH are the American College of Physicians, the American College of Surgeons, the American Hospital Association, the American Medical Association, and the Canadian Medical Association.

Baxter said that the new, modern quarters in which the hospital is now housed made the move toward accreditation possible. The outlay and condition of the former building made consideration of the move impossible.

Aside from the physical plant of the hospital, facilities for the following services are essential for accreditation by the Commission: administration, dietary, medical records, pharmacy or drug room, clinical laboratory, pathological services, radiology, medical library, medical staff, and nursing staff.

Required standards for these things are precise and must be rigidly maintained. After accreditation, representatives of the Commission will tour and periodically check the hospital, insuring patrons of the utmost in professional medical care.

The plan now under consideration by hospital officials includes all requirements and will be put into effect as soon as possible. Once in action, the standards must be maintained for a period of one year before the Commission will grant accreditation.

The Friona fire department and the ladies auxiliary of the hospital are also drawing up plans to work in conjunction with the original.

Particularly needed at present is a radiologist to check x-ray films. And much more complete medical records must be kept than have been maintained in the past.

Senior Scouts Meet Monday

The senior Scouts had their regular weekly meeting at the Methodist annex. The meeting was called to order by Peggy Widner, president. Jolynda Stokes, treasurer, gave a financial report. Geneva Floyd read a letter of thanks from the manager of the Austin state school for the Christmas package which was sent the school.

Brownie Troop 1B visited the senior Scouts and was taught the flag ceremony. Each Scout is requested by Mrs. O'Brian, leader, to bring her duties to the next meeting.

This troop is selling greeting cards and everyone who wishes to buy any kind of greeting cards is asked to contact Mrs. Russel O'Brian or any member of the senior Scout troop.

Only four hospitals in this locality are accredited—two in Amarillo, one in Wellington and one in Canyon. Hospitals in Dumas, Borger, Hereford, and Friona are now in the process of reamping to qualify for accreditation.

New Year Party In Progressive Affair

The New Year party, which began about seven Monday evening at the L. R. White home, then progressed to the G. H. Brock and Roy Miller homes, was attended by 16 persons. Punch and cookies were served at the White and Brock homes, then supper and a watch party followed at the Miller home.

Those attending were Loletta O'Brian, Marie and Jimmy White, Clyde Hays, Jarrell Wright, Jerry Scarborough, Gordon Wright, Morris Bruns, Margie Haws, Donna, Linda, and Janice Miller, Mickey Ready, Sandra Brock, and Mr. and Mrs. Myrle Jackson.

Mrs. Beulah Munder and Mrs. Mabel Massey of Cleburne visited Otis Massey at St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mrs. M. J. Ivie of Amarillo and Mrs. Irvin Henderson of Baldwin Park, California, were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Rosco Ivie.

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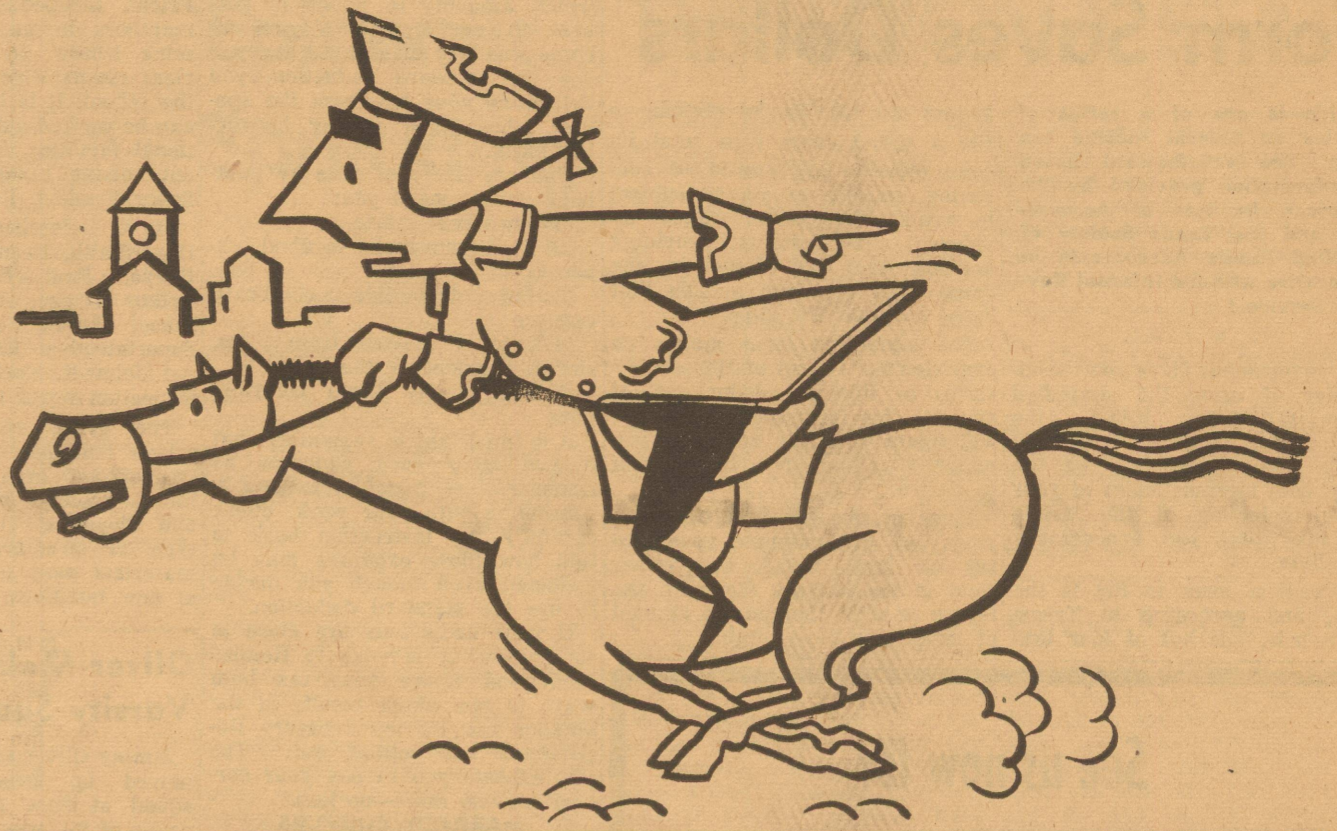
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The government gives you the alternative of using the simplified income tax form 1040-A, the "short form" 1040, or the "long form" 1040, depending on the amount and circumstances of your income. Selection of the wrong form may cost you unnecessary tax dollars.

The easiest form to file is the 1040-A, and according to Treasury records, one out of four tax-

payers use it. To be eligible to file a 1040-A form your total income must be less than \$5,000, consisting entirely of wages subject to withholding (or of wages, dividends, and interest, providing not more than \$100 of such income came from a source outside that listed on your W-2 slips.

The simplified form makes no provision for "Head of Household" status or itemized deductions. If you use this form the government will figure your tax and send you either a refund or a bill, if you so desire.

However, for the first time this year, you can compute your own tax on form 1040-A and either return or show thereon the amount of refund you have coming.

WHETHER TO ITEMIZE

Should you decide to use the regular form 1040, you still have the choice of itemizing deductions or using a standard deduction which amounts to about 10 percent of your income. If your income was less than \$5,000 and you use the standard deduction, you determine your tax from the special table given in the instruction book.

You are likely to save by itemizing deductions if you:

- (1) Own real estate
- (2) Had unusual medical expenses
- (3) Had deductible child-care expense
- (4) Suffered losses from fire, storm, accident or theft
- (5) Made fairly large contributions

It is important to remember that if you incur such expenses as transportation, meals or lodging in connection with your work, check carefully the instruction book to find how these expenses may be deducted even though you decide to use the standard deduction.

If your deductions are close to 10 percent, it is wise to itemize them and figure your tax both ways to see which results in the smaller tax. As the Treasury Department has pointed out: "The law expects you to pay your correct tax—no more—no less."

MARRIED COUPLES

Most married couples save tax dollars by filing joint return instead of separate returns. This is because the tax is figured on a joint return as if the husband and wife each had one-half the total income (even though the wife may actually have had no income). Income-splitting, as it is called, may bring the couple down into a lower tax bracket.

Watch for the exceptions, however. If you had capital losses or unusually high medical expenses, you will be wise to figure both jointly and separately to see which results in less tax.

If you are supporting a dependent and maintain a home for that person although you are single, widowed, divorced or legally separated, you may be able to qualify as a "head of household," and figure your tax on a special table which gives you part of the advantage enjoyed by married couples filing joint returns.

UNDERGOES SURGERY

Otis Massey, long-time resident of Friona, underwent surgery for the removal of an eye at St. Anthony's Hospital at Amarillo Monday afternoon. His condition is satisfactory and he expects to be dismissed late this week.

If there's something you think is missing in our news coverage, tell us about it. We'd like to know.

School Board Studies Future Building Needs

A study is being made by the Friona Independent School board members in an effort to determine where to build additional class rooms which are needed by the school. It is hoped that a plan can be worked out so that the additional facilities can be built without raising taxes or evaluations, Superintendent Kelley reports.

D. C. Herring, Cordie Potts, Hoyt Smith, Fern Barnett, Hadley Reeve, Paul Fortenberry, and Arthur Drake, members of the school board, accompanied by Superintendent Kelley and Principal John R. Cook, made several inspection tours last week.

The group visited elementary school buildings at Hereford and Canyon and high school and elementary school buildings at Tulia and Floydada. They observed the type of structures and building materials used in different types of new buildings.

Oliver Makes Varsity Squad

Jimmy Oliver of Friona has been moved up from the freshman squad at New Mexico A&M because of his speed. Although he is a shorter member of the basketball team, Oliver has made a good showing this year.

Oliver started for the Aggies against Kentucky Wesleyan at Owensboro, Kentucky, tallied 9 points, and grabbed 6 rebounds. A freshman in arts and sciences, he was a four-year letterman in high school and made the all-district team two consecutive years.

Oliver is the son of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Oliver Jr., who have lived in the Lazbuddie and Friona communities several years but are now living near Muleshoe.

Oliver played basketball for Lazbuddie High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Carlton spent New Year's Day in Lubbock. They visited Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Hargrove and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Wyatt and son.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Pearl Kinsley Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs. Clair Case of Upper Sandusky, Ohio, and Mrs. Roy Slagle of Farley, New Mexico.

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: H. T. Shellnutt, Mrs. Ila Bell; John T. Shellnutt; Murl Shellnutt, and should he have ever married, of his unknown wife or wives; W. R. Reece, and his wife, Maude Reece; Boyd Reece, and should he have ever married, then of his unknown wife or wives; Bert Shellnutt, and should he have ever married, then of his unknown wife or wives; and if any of said persons be deceased; then the heirs and legal representatives of such of said defendants who may be deceased, Defendants, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court of Parmer County at the Courthouse thereof, in Farwell, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 11th day of February A. D. 1956, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 25th day of October A. D. 1956, in this cause, numbered 1884 on the docket of said court and styled BROWN SECURITIES CORPORATION, Plaintiff, vs. H. T. SHELLNUTT ET AL, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Suit to foreclose Mechanic's and Materialman's Lien and Statutory Paving Lien upon Lots 9 and 10,

Black 40, Original Town of Friona, Parmer County, Texas as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Far-

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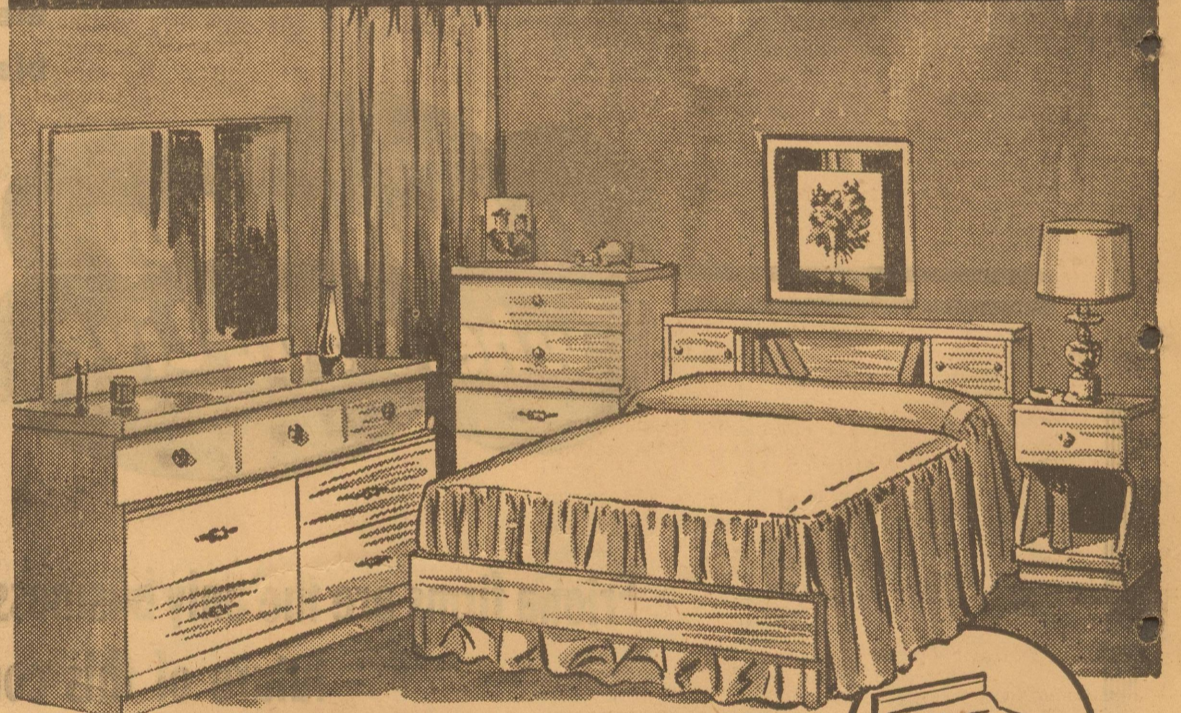
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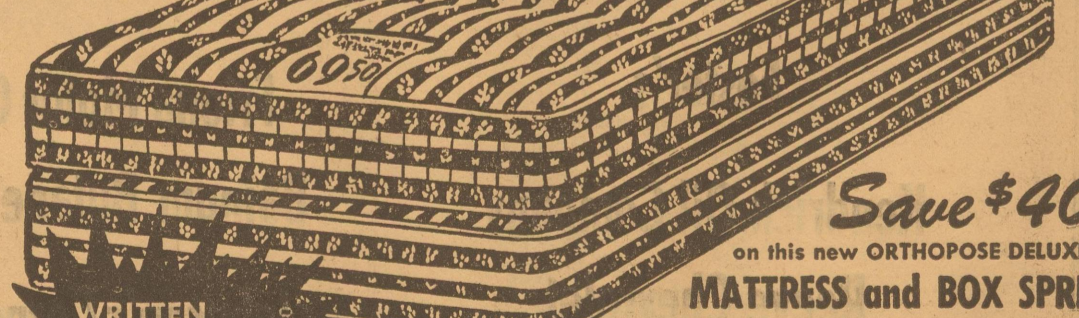
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