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## GRAHAM CRACKERS

—WHG

Denver bills itself "Climate Capital of the World," and other parts of Colorado follow in suit with appropriate claims about this or that thing they have that no one else can duplicate.

We discovered over the weekend that Friona and in fact all of the Southwest can learn a good lesson in self-promotion from the tourist-conscious residents of Colorado. They are really on their toes when it comes to fleecing the traveler, and their cash registers ring out a merry jingle as their promotions come off on schedule.

For example, there doesn't seem to be much reason to have a bridge across the Royal Gorge except to claim it as the "highest suspension bridge in the world," which it is, and therefore everybody wants to have a look-see.

Or, there doesn't seem to be much point in having a road winding up to the top of Pike's Peak or Mount Evans—because there's no place to go but down when you get there—but the canny Coloradoans are making a mint off of those two promotions of natural resources.

The idea that takes the cake for making money is a new development at the foot of the approach to Pike's Peak, called "The North Pole." As you might suspect, it's a miniature village of everything that's supposed to be up on top, including Santa Claus, the pole itself, and many storybook characters.

No doubt many readers of this column have taken in this Colorado North Pole promotion. It's hard to miss, and the fellows who thought it up were natural born business geniuses.

For one thing, they put it right next to one of the most publicized tourist attractions of the North American continent, and secondly, they capitalized on the famous story of Santa Claus with all the trappings that usually go into the kid's Christmas story.

Any man and woman with children simply cannot resist the temptation to show the kids Santa Claus at work in his home at the North Pole.

Of course, there is a fee to get inside the place, and once there, the travelers are exposed to all sorts of things to participate in, at a price, naturally. Looking is free, but that's about all—and come to think of it, even looking costs money if it's the puppet show you want to gander at.

The idea of having Santa's little elves all at work making toys for the children is a "natural" for miking the tourist, and as you might suspect, all of the toys on display just happen to be available for sale if you care to pick up an item or two.

Folks don't mind getting fleeced if it's done right, though, and we suspect that most people are like ourselves. The Colorado version of the North Pole is actually pretty neat. The little houses are cute, the development of the Christmas theme quite complete, and even all the characters are in appropriate costume.

Santa Claus does come out and talk to the children for a few minutes, so if you can resist the temptation to buy half of his bag of toys, it's worth seeing—provided you have the kids with you, of course.

Back to Denver's climate—we don't know where the slogan originated, but it's typical of some of the showmanship put on in years past by the Bonfils and Tammen newspaper team that made the Denver Post the best-known newspaper in the nation. Perhaps they are the ones who thought up the idea.

Actually, Denver's climate is about on a par with Friona's, except admittedly, they are cooler in the summer because of their 5,200-foot altitude compared with our 4,000 feet.

Also, with the Rockies at their back to protect them from the Southwestern winds of spring, Denverites enjoy a lot nicer spring than we do. However, the Denver winter is long and cold, and although their sunshine may shine down as they claim it does, the air is often uncomfortable even on a calm winter afternoon.

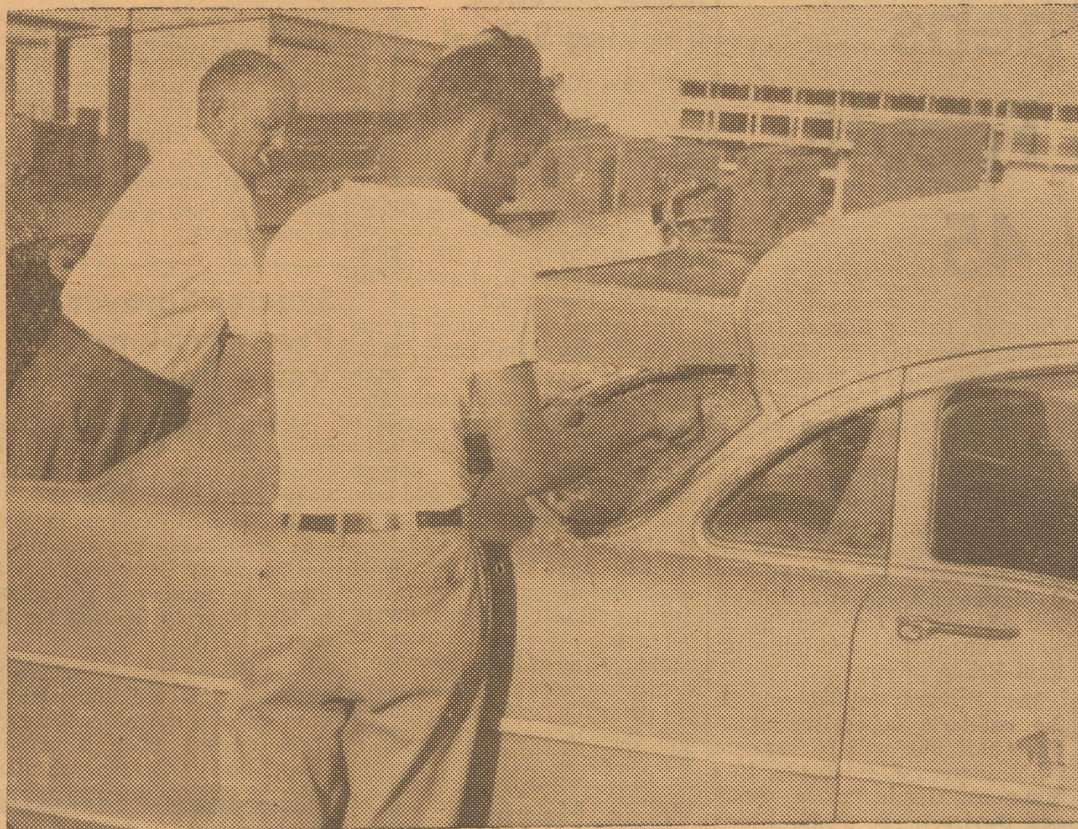
In short, what we are trying to say is that Coloradoans have made the most of their natural resources by putting to work some man-made ingenuity known as advertising. They understand the term in its fullest meaning.

We had forgotten to mention it, but a few days ago in town we spotted the first flight of ducks sailing overhead, pointed in a southern direction. The date? August 16. Can you beat that for early migratory movement?

This is supposed to signify an early fall, and the early freeze that is expected to come with it. Early falls, though a pleasant relief from the hot summer weather, are about the last thing a farming country such as ours wants.

Anyhow, we have to report the

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TRAILER RAMS CAR — Sterling Prichard, right, looks over damage done to the car after the trailer tongue shattered the rear window. At the left is the owner of the car, T. E. Spilker of Amarillo.

## Trailer Comes Loose

A safety hitch pin jarred from its hole in the tongue of a heavy flat-bed implement trailer Thursday afternoon and allowed the trailer to crash into an automobile on Main Street near the intersection of Highway 60.

Deon Awtry, driver of the pickup that towed the trailer, says the trailer pulled loose just after he had turned onto Main Street from Highway 60.

The tongue of the trailer punched out the rear glass of a car and crumpled the left rear fender.

Owner of the car, T. E. Spilker of Amarillo, was sitting in the front seat talking to S. S. Prichard, who was standing near the car, when the trailer rammed into the rear of his vehicle.

Awtry says he tried unsuccessfully to swerve the pickup into the path of the trailer. He found the safety hitch pin pulled partially up and the catch out of place.

## Police Chief Starts Duty Monday

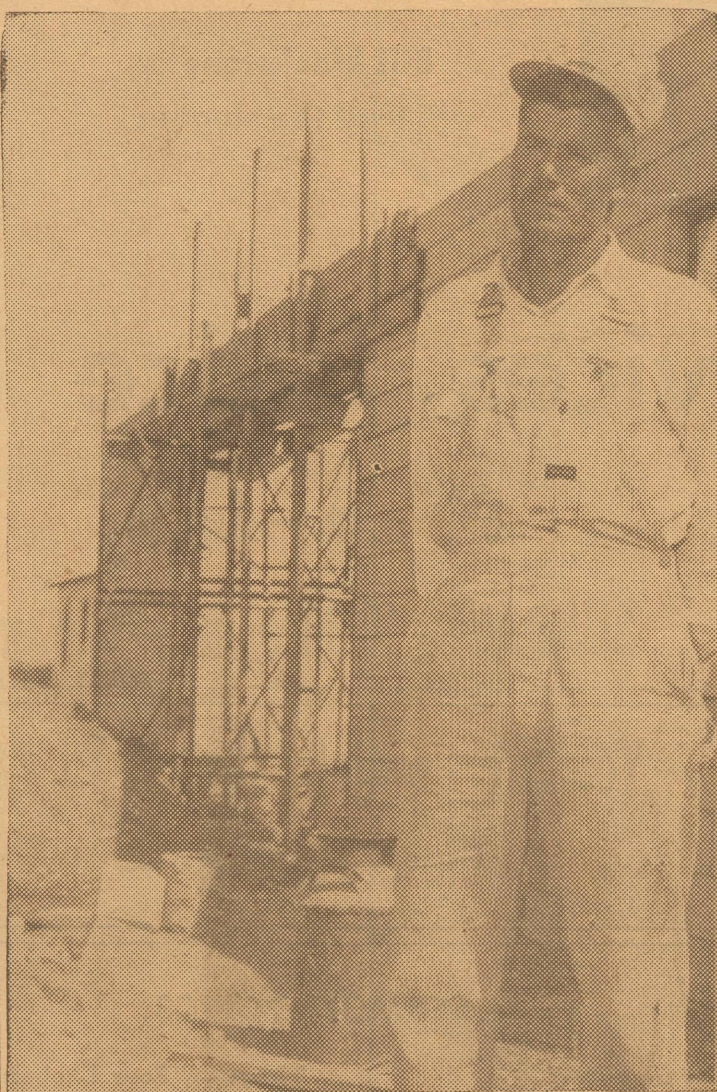
Ben Moorman, recently hired by the Friona city commission as police chief, takes over Monday morning. He transferred a portion of his house furnishings to Friona Tuesday, in preparation for moving in later during the week.

He comes to Friona with five years' experience as a peace officer, all of them at Saginaw. He resigned his job in Saginaw as chief to take the Friona badge, after holding it for four of the five years he has been an officer.

Moorman, 33, is married and has two sons, 10-years-old, and two daughters.

## STORES WILL BE CLOSED

Most retail merchants will observe Labor Day by closing their places of business Monday, September 2. Plans have been completed for postponing Dollar Day to Monday, September 9, says Andy Hurst, chairman of the retail merchants committee of the Chamber of Commerce.



NEW GARAGE BUILDING AND OWNER AT HUB — Joe Baker, who recently moved into the Hub community from Needmore, is constructing a building about one mile south of Hub which he plans to equip and run as a general garage and repair shop.

## Friona Chiefs

1957

September 6	Sunray, Here
September 13	Amherst, Here
September 20	Happy, Here
September 27	Whiteface, There
October 4	Open
October 11	Whitedeer, There
October 18	Bovina, Here
October 25	*Farwell, Here
November 1	*Sudan, There
November 8	*Springlake, There
November 15	*Morton, Here

\*Denotes Conference Game  
Starting Time — 8 p.m.

## Chiefs Preparing War Paint For Battles of 1957

First Friona Chief's football practice began Monday with 37 boys turning out for the initial practice.

The first workout included form blocking, tackling, scrimmage, passing, and punting, mingled with wind-building exercises.

Coach Colie Huffman reports an enthusiastic attitude among the players.

Kickoff game of the season is Sept. 6 against Sunray in Friona. Nine other games are to follow, with one open date on the schedule.

Next game will be Sept. 13 against Amherst in Friona. Two following games, Sept. 20, Happy, and Sept. 27, Whiteface, will be played on the opponents' fields.

Oct. 4 is open. October 11 opponent will be White Deer there, Oct. 18, Bovina on Friona's field. The Bovina game is included on activities for the Friona Maize Days.

Farwell is the next game and is scheduled for play at the home of the Chiefs. Nov. 1 will be date for playing Sudan, Nov. 8 for Springlake, and Nov. 15 for Morton.

Schedule for the 'B' team is as follows:  
Sept. 12, Dimmitt—there, Sept.

19, Springlake—there, Sept. 26, Muleshoe—here, Oct. 3, Springlake—here, Oct. 10, Farwell—here, Oct. 17, Olton—there, and Oct. 24, Farwell—there.

## BULLETIN—

### Plane Crash!

A U. S. Air Force four-engine fuel transport plane crashed Wednesday morning at 10:04 a.m. six miles north and four west of Bovina.

The plane's crew, six airmen, had bailed out near Hereford.

The crash, which scattered debris for approximately 1/4 of a mile in a swath 50 yards wide, was on a farm owned by A. B. Wilkinson, who lives in Bovina.

Just as it hit the ground, the plane knocked a motor from an irrigation well. The pump and gearhead were not disturbed.

Don Neuborough, who farms the Wilkinson place, said he had changed oil in the motor "less than five minutes" before the crash. He didn't, however, see the sinking plane until he had changed the oil and driven away in his pickup to make an irrigation tube set.

The transport had been refueling a jet plane and caught on fire in the air. Its home base was Cannon Air Base in Clovis. It had a capacity of 9,000 gallons and carried a 3,000-gallon fuel supply for its own use.

The plane was going in a southwestern direction when it plowed into a maize field.

## Planning Rolls On As Time Nears For Maize Days

Friona Maize Days, to be Oct. 18 and 19, will have a parade at 10:30 a.m. on Oct. 18, a dinner Friday at noon prepared by women of the Friona Methodist Church, displays of club activities, an auto "roadeo" Saturday and many more activities in which everyone can attend with expectation of having two days of attractions.

Plans for the above events and others were made Monday morning by the members of the chamber of commerce promotion committee, with all members present.

## School Begins Monday At 9

About 1,000 students in Friona and in the Friona Independent School District will start another nine months of school Monday at 9 a.m. as registration chores begin.

And among this number will be another influx of students into the Friona Schools, to bring the system about 50 students above last year's enrollment.

With the opening of school, an estimated 100 first graders will begin a 12-year period of public school attendance, stressed by older persons as the best 12 years of their lives.

Buses will operate on the same route as last spring, until new

students report they need additional routes. Then bus routes will be changed so that new or transferring students may be served. Bus schedules are to have students at the school by 8:30.

Ten buses will bring an estimated 500 students to school from the outlying area. Most of the buses were constructed for 48 passengers and some will be overloaded.

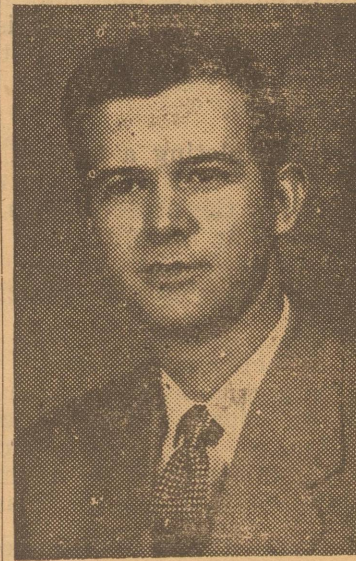
Part of the additional students will be those who attended the Rosedale, N. M., school last year, and who will transfer to Friona due to disbanding of the Rosedale Schools.

Hours which the school is to

use this year, according to Superintendent Dillie Kelley, are from 8:45 a.m. until 4 p.m.

Kelley reminds parents of beginning students that either a smallpox vaccination or evidence that the student has received the shot will be required. Also recommended for the beginning students are immunizations against whooping cough, tetanus and diphtheria.

A birth certificate is required for first graders and Kelley requests that parents supply their youngsters with a note giving the student's name and age, the parent's name and address.



STANLEY LOCKHART

## Gospel Meeting Begins Sunday

A gospel meeting is beginning at the Sixth Street Church of Christ Sunday morning. Stanley Lockhart of San Angelo, former minister of the church, will be the guest speaker. Services will be held week days at 8:45 a.m. and 8 p.m. and on Sundays at 10:30 and 6 p.m. through September 8. The public is cordially invited to attend the services by S. A. Freeman, minister.

## Instrument Specialist To Meet With Parents

A special meeting has been planned for parents of all children who are interested in being in the beginners band this fall. Richard Bentz, who is the band instructor, says, "It is very important that all parents of students taking band for the first time attend this meeting."

Ted Raven and Harold Phillips, both of Clovis, will be present and will have instruments on display at this meeting, which will be held in the band hall at 7:15 p.m. Tuesday, September 3.

Bentz urges all parents of beginning band students, to whom he has not already talked, to contact him before the meeting if possible.

## NEW CHOIR DIRECTOR

Richard Bentz, who is the new band instructor in the local schools, has been employed by the Friona Methodist Church as choir director. Bentz will work with all the choirs of the church.

Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Foster of Friona attended market in Dallas this week. They returned about the middle of the week.

## ★ GETS TWO, LOSES MORE

A city resident raiding a farmer's watermelon patch reports luck in finding melons, and getting them out of the patch, but figures he could have bought the two at a store and would have been to less expense.

Bill Nichols, the melon hungry city resident, says he was melon picking on the M. A. Black farm north of Friona, and bent over to pluck one. His pipe fell out of his shirt pocket. After looking for and not finding the pipe, he decided to take another melon. This time, when he bent over, his britches split.

It doesn't seem right that Nichols should have gotten into trouble. Owner Black was along, and Nichols wasn't doing the plucking under cover.

## Office Will Be Closed

Lucy Jones has announced that the Chamber of Commerce and Friona Texas Federal Credit Union office will be closed from Saturday, August 31, through Thursday, September 5.

Mrs. Jones, who will be on vacation, plans to visit Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Chitwood and children at Dallas and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Chitwood and family at Bowie.

## Hub, Co-Op Win League Trophies

Hub team of the Intermediate League and Friona Consumers of the Little League, who dominated their classes all season, are holders of first place trophies for 1957 Little League and Intermediate League Baseball.

The season wound up Thursday after two nights of play-off games between contenders for the league championships.

Second place teams are McCaslin of the Intermediate League and Jones Construction Co. of the Little League.

Individual honors went to four players for the season.

Dennis Howell of Friona Consumers was awarded the trophy for best all-around player of the Little League. Jesse Shirley of the Rockwell team was named best sportsman of the Little League and presented a trophy.

Individual honors of the Intermediate League went to Everett Gee of Herring Implement Co. team for best all-around player. Danny Murphree of Bengier Air Park was presented the trophy of the best sportsman of the Intermediate League.

Scores of the final games of season competition were Co-op 19, Jones 18.

Hub 9, McCaslin 7, was score for the ending Intermediate League game.

Last activities of the baseball summer recreation program will be Sunday afternoon when four Little League teams will join together for an "All Star" game at the ball park at 2.

Jones Construction Co. will team with Rockwell Lumber to play an all-star team composed of players from Friona Consumers and Reeve Chevrolet.

## Report From Frio Draw

Dear Editor,

I read in your paper the last two weeks about the Rip Van Winkle, alias Mr. Boyd, who must have sleeping sickness. I respectfully submit this suggestion by which the problem might be solved.

Ef'n he'd maybe git hisself a wife, providin' he ain't already got one, then orta solve it. I feel well qualified to propose this 'cause ever since me and Katie got married 30 years ago, she's always drug me outa bed early and said, "Git out and make the kids a livin'."

Yours truly,  
Don Karatall

## INJURES FOOT

John Blackburn of Welch Auto Supply dropped a heavy object on his foot Tuesday afternoon and broke a bone. He will have to wear a cast on the foot for about six weeks.



FRIONA BAND BEGINS PRACTICE—Coming down the street in front of the school, the Friona band gets in a marching drill at the start of practice. About 70 students are signed up to play with the band, reports Richard Bentz, director.



# THE STAR'S EDITORIAL COMMENT

## Chores Become Recreation Through A Bit of Enthusiasm

Name any task or chore which you wish. Pick out one that is difficult and discouraging, one that has been done often. Attempt to do this job with the usual amount of interest and finish it with the thought, "Well, I'm glad it is finished."

Completing a task in a mediocre manner does not produce for any person the pride that he will feel if he has done his best. Add enthusiasm to a person's attitude and every task he does will become an act of enjoyable living.

There are currently several community activities which depend upon enthusiasm for accomplishment. Among these are churches, schools, clubs, the football team, Maize Days Celebration, the band, and others.

And the best place to gain enthusiasm is wherever you are, today. Look at things about you, and change them a bit if a change is in order, and take the attitude that things are better after the change. Look at anything that confronts you with the idea that it will be enjoyable, if not enjoyable do—enjoyable after the chore is accomplished.

Enthusiasm can mean much to your business, and it can be noticed by others. Enthusiasm is catching in Fri-



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ona like it is everywhere. Share yours with someone and be even more enthusiastic.

Friona can do things. The Friona Chiefs can win their football district this year. Friona Chamber of Commerce can arrange the best community celebration this year. Friona School can have the best band, the most active clubs, and Friona can have churches that really do things.

Take a double dose of enthusiasm. See things happen in which pride and more enthusiasm will be generated.

# School Opens Monday, Faculty Numbers 45

The 1957-58 school term opens Monday, September 2. All students will meet at the schools at 9 a.m. for a two and one-half hour session. Buses will run and will return the students home about noon. A full schedule will begin Tuesday morning and the cafeteria will be open.

The faculty this year numbers 45, twelve of which will be new here. Eleven of them are teaching here for the first time and one, Mrs. Carmaleet Truitt, will be returning after an absence of several years. Mrs. Truitt has taught the past two years at Bovina and will teach English in high school.

Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Brown taught in the Hart School last year and are graduates of West Texas State. Brown will teach history and civics in high school and Mrs. Brown will teach one section of the first grade.

Another husband and wife team, who are teaching here for the first time, is Mr. and Mrs. Sam Green. They are graduates of ENMU at Portales and taught at Three Way in Bailey County before coming here.

Virginia Beck, whose home is at McLean, will teach English in high school. She is a graduate of West Texas State and is just beginning her teaching career. Another West Texas State graduate who is teaching for the first time is Edgar Walden Talley. He will teach English in the seventh and eighth grades.

Eldridge Ledbetter of Amarillo and a graduate of West Texas State is also a beginning teacher. He will teach English and speech. J. M. Perryman of Paris and a graduate of East Texas State College at Commerce will teach general math and general science. Another ETSC graduate, whose home is at Greenville, Billy Don Robertson, will teach business.

Richard Bentz, formerly of Chariton, Iowa, is the new band director. He is a graduate of ENMU and was assistant band director there before coming to Friona.

The new homemaking instructor will be Mrs. Eunice Ratliff. She has taught in Oklahoma for the past 35 years, but this is her first Texas experience. Before coming to Friona, she taught at Roosevelt, Okla.

From a point of service, J. T. Gee, a culture instructor, is the oldest member of the faculty. Gee is beginning his 27th year as an instructor, 22 years of which have been in Friona. He began teaching here in the fall of 1935 and has taught continuously since that time.

Other faculty members are Dillie M. Kelley, superintendent; John R. Cook, high school principal; Baker Duggins, grade school principal; Tom Bob Jarboe, elementary school principal; Marie Carroll, school nurse; and Elsie L. Ritter, public school music in the first four grades.

Also, Ethel Benger, Irma Stark, Jewel Woodward, first grade; Ranghild Hanson, Vera Hayes, and Bessie P. Watson, second grade; Jo Phillips, Wana Brewer, and Susie Locke, third grade; Mabel C. Jones, Margaret Duggins, and Mari Frances Watkins, fourth grade; Marguerite Bruce, Ruth Edelman, and Viola Leonard, fifth grade.

Other teachers in the grade school will be Raymond B.

Christian, Luther Hayes, Santha Bragg, Donald P. Watkins, Maudie Thibodeaux, and Durely W. Hodgson, who will teach in the sixth, seventh, and eighth grades.

High school teachers and the subjects they will teach are as follows: Coleman Huffman Jr., history and coach; Holland D. Watkins, math and coach; Roy C. Simmons, business and physical education; Tacy Smith, biology, chemistry, and physics; Paul Bragg, math.

Mrs. Howard Mayfield will be the cafeteria supervisor again this year. She will be assisted by Mesdames J. P. Ready, Roy Simmons, Glenn Taylor, Frances Davis, L. D. Pope, Ralph Durstine, Lela Gardner, and W. J. LaFavers. School custodians will be Fred Lloyd, high school; Clarence Ashcraft, grade school; H. D. Hodgson, elementary school; and H. B. Gardner, gym and auditorium.

Mr. and Mrs. Deon Awtry and family and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hall last week were in Pagosa, Colo., for a six-day vacation.

## Allen Attends Banking School

Charles Allen, cashier at the Friona State Bank, is attending a course of instruction at the School of Banking at the University of Wisconsin, Madison. This will make the third consecutive year that Allen, who has been employed by the local bank since March of 1946, has attended the school.

The school is sponsored by the Central States Conference, composed of bankers in 16 mid-western states. Attendance this year is expected to be approximately 1100. This group will be composed of officers, department managers, presidents, and board chairmen of banks from 40 states.

Allen has done extension work throughout the year between resident sessions involving problems in all phases of banking, and will be awarded a certificate of graduation. He left Amarillo by plane Saturday and expects to return Monday, September 9.

## Wins Honors Overseas

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. John Burrow that their son, Johnny Burrow, has recently been chosen for honors at Frankfurt, Germany, where he is stationed with the United States Army. Early this month he was passed by a board of officers for the company "Soldier of the Month" award. Later he was selected "Di-

vision Troops Soldier of the Month." This selection made him eligible for the 3rd Armored Division "Soldier of the Month." A win in this competition would qualify him for competition in the V Corps soldier award.

Burrow, who enlisted in the army last December at Midland, has been overseas about three months.

## Skeeter Sprayer Pressure Slumps; Valve Repaired

Although mosquito population in Friona is estimated to be lower this year than it was last year when comparing the two years over-all, a drop in pressure on the city's spraying rig for two recent sprayings has allowed the number of mosquitoes to leap sharply upward for the past two weeks.

Discussions of the mosquito situation indicate the rise in numbers during the past two or three weeks, which is perhaps brought on by the showers about

two weeks ago.

Also contributing to the increase is maladjustment of the city's sprayer. Pressures were not consistent and the last two applications of insecticide were not effective, according to Roy Wilson, city clerk.

Wilson said he noticed the low pressure when the employees started to operate the rig Monday and repaired it.

Another layer of insecticide was being fogged over the city Tuesday with the rig appearing to be doing an adequate job.

Though Friona has had the mosquito problem this year, no serious consequences have developed, as Friona has evaded an outbreak of encephalitis, commonly called sleeping sickness.

A recent report from neighboring Deaf Smith County says that three persons in that area have contracted the disease.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wooley and sons and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Taylor and children spent Saturday at Buffalo Lake picnicking and water skiing.

## What's Doin' In Friona

**Friday, August 30**  
FHA Social, 5:30, 7 p.m.  
Interdenominational Church Women, Friona Methodist Church, 3 p.m.  
Girl Scout day camp ends.

**Saturday, August 31**  
Faculty meeting, high school auditorium, 2 p.m.  
Drawing in City Park, 4 p.m.  
Friona faculty-board meeting at the cafeteria, 7:30 p.m.

**Sunday, September 1**  
Gospel meeting begins at Sixth Street Church of Christ. Revival closes at First Baptist Church.

**Monday, September 2**  
City commission  
School board  
Hospital board

Ruth Sunday School Class of First Baptist Church  
Rhea Home Demonstration Club  
Rainbow Girls  
School opens  
Stores will be closed for Labor Day

**Tuesday, September 3**  
Modern Study Club  
Shower for missionary to Jamaica  
Masonic Lodge  
Meeting for parents of beginning band students, band hall, 7:15 p.m.

**Wednesday, September 4**  
Congregational Women's Fellowship  
Friona HD Club

**Thursday, September 5**  
Hub HD Club  
Friona firemen  
Parmerton HD Club  
Parmer County SCD Banquet, Bovina School Cafeteria

**It's A Girl**  
Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Fallwell became parents of a baby girl at the Parmer County Community Hospital at 3:45 p.m. Wednesday. The baby, who was named Terri Darlene, weighed 7 lbs., 10 ozs. Mrs. Pat Fallwell of Friona is the paternal grandmother.

**Have Guests**  
Weekend guests of the John Wrights were Mrs. Ward Terry and sons, Stanley and Leland, of Childress, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Smith and son of Paducah.

## Open House Well Attended

Open house day which marked the official beginning of the Hi-Plains Savings & Loan Association in Hereford Saturday afternoon was well attended. About 100 persons from the area which the Association will serve signed the guest register.

G. B. Buske, member of the board of directors, states, "We were well pleased with the opening. Several people came prepared to make deposits. All Friona deposits will be made in the Friona State Bank."

Eric Rushing of Rushing's Insurance Agency will be the local representative and anyone interested in the services offered by the Association is invited to call at his office in the Mabry Building for further details.

There will be a special service for savings accounts for children and children of all ages are invited by Buske to take advantage of this opportunity to open a savings account.

Members of the board of directors and their wives were hosts. Refreshments of coffee, cookies and soft drinks were served. Those from Friona who attended were Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Buske, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Magness, Sloan H. Osborn, and Eric Rushing.

## Osborns To Austin

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Osborn left Saturday for Austin where they plan to make their home for the next year. Osborn will enroll at the University of Texas Law School and complete requirements for his L.L.B. When asked where he planned to practice, Joe answered, "I don't know for sure, but it will be somewhere in West Texas."

## Defendant Receives \$6,000 Judgment On Right-Of-Way

In a Parmer County Court condemnation suit for a right-of-way easement last Friday morning, Mrs. Loucile Foster was awarded a \$6,000 judgment for damage to her property near Lariat.

A jury of six reached the verdict after the county began condemnation procedures for obtaining the right-of-way for a Farm-to-Market road. The tract of land involved was the west one-half of Section 16, block 7 of Parmer County.

Before the condemnation procedures were taken, a special commission of three county citizens had turned in a damage appraisal of \$1,433. Prior to that, the county had offered \$1,250 payment. Both figures were not acceptable to the defendant.

Property involved in the suit were 6.2 acres for the actual road right-of-way and 2.4 acres for a bar pit. Also 40 acres of land which were cut off without irrigation water were figured in the damage payment.

The county based its offer on \$125 for each acre taken for the road, along with special other considerations.

In the condemnation suit, Sam Aldridge was counsel for the defendant and Bill Sheehan was the county's attorney.

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**announces TWO payments**  
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# Gospel Meeting

## Sixth Street Church of Christ

— FRIONA —  
SEPT. 1 through SEPT. 8

Stanley Lockhart  
former minister of this church, will be the speaker.

Bill Blackstone  
will lead the singing

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# Services Twice Daily

8:45 a. m. — 8 p. m.  
SUNDAY — 10:30 a. m. — 6 p. m.

— You Are Cordially Invited To Attend These Meetings —

SERMON TOPICS:

Sun.—"Personal Evangelism"	Thurs.—"Poor Exchange"
Mon.—"The Ghost of Self"	Fri.—"Thou Shalt Love The Lord Thy God"
Tues.—"The Stringent Note of Christianity"	Sat.—"Teach Them to Observe All Things"
Wed.—"How to Find Your Life"	Sun.—"Where Is Our God"



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### IN THE COURTS

#### CITY COURT

The following case was disposed of in Frona Corporation Court during the week ending August 27:

Carroll Wayne Jones of Hereford, charged with no driver's license and excessive noise, pled guilty and was fined \$10. Arresting officer—H. D. Mayfield.

#### J. P. COURT

The following cases were disposed of in justice of the peace court of Judge Walter Loveless during the week ending August 27.

Joe Lopez, charged with no driver's license, pled guilty and was fined \$16.50.

Harrison Gee, charged with no motor vehicle inspection sticker, pled guilty and was fined \$16.50.

### Pump Engine Shorts, Water Depletes Quickly

A short in an electric motor powering one of the city's three pumps left residents on the short end of the water supply Thursday evening of last week. Heavy water usage continued and quickly lowered the water supply after the pump shorted about 3:30 p.m.

While waiting for another power unit to arrive, an auxiliary motor was hired from Massey Bros. Drilling Co. to catch the supply up with demand.

Another motor was set on the pump Friday about 5 p.m.

### To Oklahoma

Mrs. Bill Wooley and Scotty of the Hub community and Geneva and Susan Floyd left Tuesday morning for a visit with relatives in Oklahoma. Mrs. Wooley and Scotty will visit relatives at Erick and Granite and Geneva and Susan will visit relatives at Erick. They expect to return later this week.

### Pre-School Meetings To Be Held Saturday

Two meetings of the Frona School faculty are planned for Saturday.

Dillie Kelley, superintendent, has called a meeting Saturday afternoon at 2 p.m. for all members of the faculty for a general assembly in the auditorium. Orientation of teachers to changes in regulations and procedure is to be held, with teachers meeting with principals of schools in which they teach.

Instructions for registration Monday are to be included, Kelley says.

A "social hour-get acquainted meeting" is slated Saturday night at 7:30 p.m. for the board of trustees, and the faculty and their wives. A meal will be prepared at the school cafeteria.

### Visitors Leave

Lt. Col. and Mrs. A. L. Outland, Lorna, Robert, and Linda, left Saturday morning for their home in San Antonio after spending a few days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Outland, Nancy and Hank. The San Antonio Outlands had been vacationing at El Paso and Ruidoso.

### Byron Brewer Painfully Injured

Byron Brewer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Loyde Brewer, was severely burned in an accident at White Sands, N. M., Friday evening. The Brewers and Mrs. Floyd Spear and son, Roger, of Oklahoma City, were visiting the Glen Brewers at Alamogordo.

The group attended a picnic at White Sands. After supper Byron and another boy returned to the scene of the fire to watch it burn and Byron accidentally sat down in a vat of grease in which the group had been French frying potatoes.

A man who was nearby saw the accident and immediately threw the boy down on the sand and smothered the fire. He was then taken to a doctor who diagnosed the burns on his hips and left hand as being second and third degree burns.

Mr. and Mrs. Brewer, Byron and Galen, and the Spears returned to Frona late Sunday.

### Dr. Milton C. Adams Optometrist

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### News From LAZBUDDIE

By MRS. CLYDE MONK



Janice Gallman To Wed Robert Edwards

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Gallman of Lazbuddie announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Janice to Robert Lee Edwards, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Edwards of Pampa.

Vows will be exchanged in the parsonage of the Sixth Street Methodist Church of Amarillo at 10 o'clock a.m. Saturday, August 31. The pastor, Rev. Aubrey F. White, will officiate.

Miss Gallman and Edwards are both spring graduates of Pampa High School.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett McBroom and Susan visited in Canyon Sunday with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeeter Garner

and children spent last weekend in Ralls with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Woodard.

Guests in the Roy Daniel home the first of the week were his nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Daniel, Janet and Carolyn from Shawnee, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Hedges of Shawnee. Mrs. Daniel and Mrs. Hedges were schoolmates.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Graef returned Monday from their trip abroad where they have been on tour for the past month.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Clay have returned from a two weeks vacation. They visited relatives in Claude and Wellington and spent some time in Portales and Ruidoso.

Mr. and Mrs. T. R. Smallwood and Mira are visiting relatives this week in Dodson, Bridgeport, and Ralls. Karen is staying with her grandmother Smallwood in Muleshoe while the rest of the family is gone.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Carrell and Peggy Ann spent a few days last week at their ranch at Cotton Center.

Mr. and Mrs. Demp Foster and boys, Timmy and Steve, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Foster Sr., and Ronnie Hurd spent the last part of last week at Ruidoso.

### Miss Danny Gargile Weds Ken Menefee

In a candlelight ceremony at the Lazbuddie Baptist Church on Friday evening, August 23, at 7:30, Miss Danny Rue Gargile, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Gargile, became the bride of Kenneth Dwain Menefee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Scott Menefee of Corpus Christi.

Rev. Bill Curry officiated at the double ring ceremony. The wedding setting was formed by

an archway of candelabra holding pink candles. Baskets of greenery and pink and white gladioli formed the background.

Miss Nealy Steinbock played traditional wedding music and accompanied Jim Gordon who sang "Because", "I Love You Truly" and "The Lord's Prayer".

Attending the bride as maid of honor was Miss Mona Hall who wore a pink cotton dress with a bouffant skirt and carried a bouquet of pink rosebuds.

Candles were lighted by Jim Gordon. Carolyn Menefee, sister of the groom, carried the rings on a white taffeta covered pillow trimmed with pink lace. Troy Shirrock of Muleshoe served as best man. Ushers were Ted Treider, cousin of the groom, and Joe Cox.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, was attired in a wool persey dress of off-white. Her white hat was covered with iridescent sequins. She carried a white Bible topped with pink rosebuds and silver sprinkled staphanotis and satin streamers.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the parsonage of the church.

The serving table was laid with a crocheted cloth over pink with a centerpiece of pink and white roses. Also gracing the table was the bouquet of the maid of honor and the three tiered wedding cake topped with a miniature bride and groom.

Presiding at the table were Misses Alice Gordon and Maudine Barnes.

After a short wedding trip, the couple will be at home in Corpus Christi where Menefee will be employed. He also plans to attend school part time to complete his credits for graduation.

The bride is a 1957 graduate of Lazbuddie High School.

Out-of-town guests for the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. LaVern White and Marie, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Roland and Ardith, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Hough and Patsy, Mr. and Mrs. John F. Thompson and Darrell, and Mr. and Mrs. Broyles, all of Frona; And, Misses Evelyn Calder and Wanda Pool of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Perry Barnes of Clovis, and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Reeves and children of Dimmitt.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Jennings surprised their son Derrell on his 15th birthday, Sunday, with a dinner. Those helping Derrell to celebrate were Clyde Redwine, Marie Houston, Patsy Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Lanis Hughes and Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Page.

### Summer Program Comes To End

The Lazbuddie Community Club has brought activities to an end for the summer, and have announced their program to have been successful. They have sponsored the boys' ball games during the summer, and also the weekly swimming program at the Muleshoe pool.

Clarence Mason, president, and Demp Foster, secretary-treasurer, take this means of thanking those who had a part in making the projects a success.

Aiding the program were Dee Chitwood, J. S. Barnes, D. B. Ivy, Frank Wilbanks, Don Schuman, Fred Wilbanks, J. C. Embury, W. G. Harlan, E. E. Engleking, Hubert Elliott, Bob Jones, Wesley Barnes, J. G. Ward, Jimmie Seaton, Ansel Ashford, Junior Matthews, Eulan Parham, Judd Clark, John McGeehee, Pete Mimms, Ed, Rex, R. J., Alfred, Walter, Alex, and Wallie Steinbock;

Muleshoe businesses: King Bros. Grain, Piggly Wiggly, Muleshoe Jewelry, Sanders Lumber Company, Lenderson Implement, Lindsey Jewelry, Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber, Ray Griffith Elevator, Charles Lenau Lumber, Bailey County Electric, B&C Motors, D. H. Sneed, Cashway, Gulf Corporation, Ray Jordan, Sanitary Barbershop, Western Auto, Johnson-Nix, Muleshoe State Bank, Gifford-Hill-Western, Wiedebush & Childers, Rufus Gilbreath, Western Fertilizer, and Johnson Furniture.

Frona businesses: Ethridge-Spring Agency, Bert Shackelford; Farwell; Security State Bank; Clovis; Bryson-Tanner Furniture.

Mr. and Mrs. Otto Huff from Melrose, N. M., visited last Tuesday in the home of her cousin and family, the Dick Scotts.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Steinbock, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Brown and Sonya, and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Treider and Brad are vacationing in Lake City, Colo., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lacy Hardage and Billy returned last week from a vacation trip that carried them through Colorado, Wyo-

Kirby Wayne Carrell returned Saturday from an eight weeks harvest run which carried him to Nebraska and North and South Dakota.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Elliott and son Ronnie from Anadarko, Okla., stopped over last Thursday and visited with the Hubert and Leonard Elliott families. The Elmer Elliotts were enroute home from a visit in Fresno, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Stiles left by train this week for a two weeks visit in Klamath Falls, Ore., with Mr. and Mrs. Loyal Lust, who are former residents of this community. The Stileses also plan to stop off in San Jose, Calif., for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Pendergrass and Susan, and Mrs. Pendergrass's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Trigg from Abilene, visited Saturday night and Sunday in Amarillo with their brothers and families, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Hester and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hester.

### Visit Parents

Mr. and Mrs. Geoffrey Gustin and children, Jerry D., Connie Sue, Ricky and Dennis, visited this past week in the home of his parents, the C. D. Gustins. The Gustins have been in Tokyo, Japan, for the past two and one half years where Geoffrey has been serving with the armed forces. They left here this week to go to Chanute, Kan., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. Stevenson, then to Lake Charles, La., where he will be stationed.

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oming, Nebraska, and back through Kansas and Burkburnett, Tex., where they visited her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Ady.

Sunday guests in the Tice Hugg home were Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Prater and son Jimmy Lynn from Amarillo.

### Have New Son

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Donald Spitzer are the proud parents of their first child, a son, born

at Clovis Memorial Hospital. The young man weighed seven pounds and has been named Gregory Don.

### At Lake Brownwood

Mr. and Mrs. Eulan Parham, Sharon and Terry, and Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Gleason and family spent several days last week at Brownwood doing some fishing. The Parhams returned home by

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**Lazbuddie—**

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Merkel to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Parham. The Gleasons stopped over in Anson to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Gleason.

Recent Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Cox were her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Irvin from Duncan, Okla., and her mother Mrs. J. P. Wilson from Friona.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith and Timmy and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kimbrough and Nancy attended the drag races in Big Spring, Sunday.

**Tour Caverns**

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mimms and children, Kelly, Jill, Clay and Tracy, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Blanton and children, Ronald, Linda, Randol and Terry, from the Sunnyside Community, and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morman and children, Dale and Sherry,

from Clovis, enjoyed a trip through Carlsbad Caverns last Friday. They returned home by Ruidoso.

Mr. and Mrs. Doug Horsley and children, Max and Gene, and Mrs. L. V. Vivian attended the Old Settlers Reunion at Roaring Springs last Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Robert L. Kimbrough and Mr. and Mrs. Glen Splawn from Muleshoe are taking a trip through Colorado and Utah this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Goodwin from Houston were recent visitors in the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Cargile. The Goodwins were on their way to the West Coast.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Mason and girls, Brenda and Jan, vacationed several days last week in Tres Ritos, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Daniels visited Sunday in Tulia with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Reece Wilterding and children, Steve and Shelley.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis Gulley and children, Johnny and Jane, vacationed last week at Cowles, N. M., and also in Clayton, N. M., where they visited the Ft. Jordan Museum.

**Donald Darling Dies In Portales**

Funeral services were held Monday afternoon at the Fourth Street Church of Christ in Portales for Donald A. Darling, 51, who died with a heart attack. He was a brother of Duane Darling of this community. Other survivors include his

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**HOUSE FOR SALE**—Three rooms and bath, to be moved. See Jake Patterson, 18 miles west of Friona or write L. H. Edwards, 3415 25th Street, Lubbock. Phone Porter 3-1707. 47-1tp.

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The Commissioners' Court of Parmer County has authorized me to advertise for bids to be opened on September 23, 1957 on the following machinery, to-wit:

One Motor Grader with 115 hp. diesel engine, & Tandem drive. The grader to be equipped with 13:00x24 tandems, 9:00x25 Front Tires, 14 foot moldboard with two foot extension, steering booster, cab, cab heater, and rain traps, and equipped with lights.

The County will offer in trade one Allis-Chalmers Grader located in Precinct No. 1 of Parmer County.

The Court reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids.

/s/ A. D. Smith  
County Judge  
Parmer County, Texas 47-2tc.

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**mother, Mrs. Pearl Darling; and one sister, Gladys.**

Others attending the funeral from Lazbuddie were Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Keith, Jerry and Kay Ann Smith, R. A. Hartsell, John Gammon, Neal Bradshaw, Pete Mimms, Harold Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Walt Hansen and children spent the weekend in Lamesa visiting her mother Mrs. Irene Wicksom.

**Visit Mrs. Treider**  
Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Mehesky and Beverly from Corpus Christi are visiting this week in the home of her mother, Mrs. Laura Treider. Other guests on Sunday in Mrs. Treider's home were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Cheyne, Laura Faith and Brenda from Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Brown from Denver City, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Treider Sr., and Mr. and Mrs. Juel Treider.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Scott and Ronald spent the weekend at Dodson visiting his mother and sister, Mrs. W. T. Scott and Gladys.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Simms from Albuquerque, N. M., are visiting this week in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Menefee. On Tuesday the Simmses and Mrs. Menefee attended a "World Missions Conference" convention in Portales.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Chitwood and children, Dick and Pat, vacationed last week in Vallejo, Colo.

Charles and Grace Paul visited in Roswell last Tuesday and returned their sister Mrs. D. W. Bradbury to her home there after she had visited several weeks in the Paul home here.

**In Seaton Home**  
Visitors the first part of last week in the John L. Seaton home were her grandmother Mrs. J. H. Brigrance from Tulare, Calif., and two aunts, Mrs. Wade Miller, Tulare, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Buck Franklin from Visalia, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Dixon from San Diego.

The last part of the week an aunt and uncle of Seaton's, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Seaton from Oilton, Okla., and Mrs. W. E. Payne from Muleshoe, visited with the Seaton's. Mrs. Payne is Mrs. Seaton's mother.

Mr. and Mrs. John McGehee and boys, Gerald and Kenneth, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Scruggs and family from Olton, are fishing at Lake Brownwood this week.

The little lady weighed seven pounds and nine ounces and has been named Tamra Larae. This is the first child of the Treiders and the grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Juel Treider and Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Lawrence.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Young and boys, Cooper and Steve, spent last week at Conchas doing some last minute fishing before school starts.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Embry, Carolyn and Lee, Mr. and Mrs. James Welch, Sharon and Rhonda, Mrs. E. R. Lawhon and Janice, and Billy Carson from Olton spent Sunday afternoon at Monument Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Scott and Terry returned home Saturday from a vacation in the scenic mountains of Arizona. They returned by Waxahachie to visit their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stafford, Carolyn Scott, who has been visiting her sister, will return home later this week.

Mrs. Ed Steinbeck and her niece, Mrs. W. F. Stewart and boys, from Pleasant Valley are visiting this week in Frederick, Okla., with relatives.

**In Colorado**  
Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Merriott spent last week vacationing in Colorado and returned home by Dalhart where they visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Merriott. Lonnie has also been to Ft. Worth recently where he had more x-rays made of his leg. He reports that he thinks his leg is doing fine.

**WMU Plans Social For Teachers**

The Pauline Cammack Circle of the Baptist church met Monday at the church building with Mrs. Bert Gordon in charge of the business. Plans were made for a reception and social Sunday evening after church services to be held at the church for the teachers that will be attending church there.

Mrs. L. B. Hambright had charge of the Bible Study on

"Prayers for Work." Others present were Mesdames F. W. Greene, Carrie Withrow, Luther Ham, Wesley Barnes, John Agee, W. R. Broadhurst, A. E. Redwine and one new member, Mrs. E. E. Mason.

Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Watkins, Coretta and Dean, returned last week from a 15-day vacation to Etowah, Marysville and Knoxville, Tenn., where they visited with relatives. They were accompanied by Jimmy Blankenship from Wilson.

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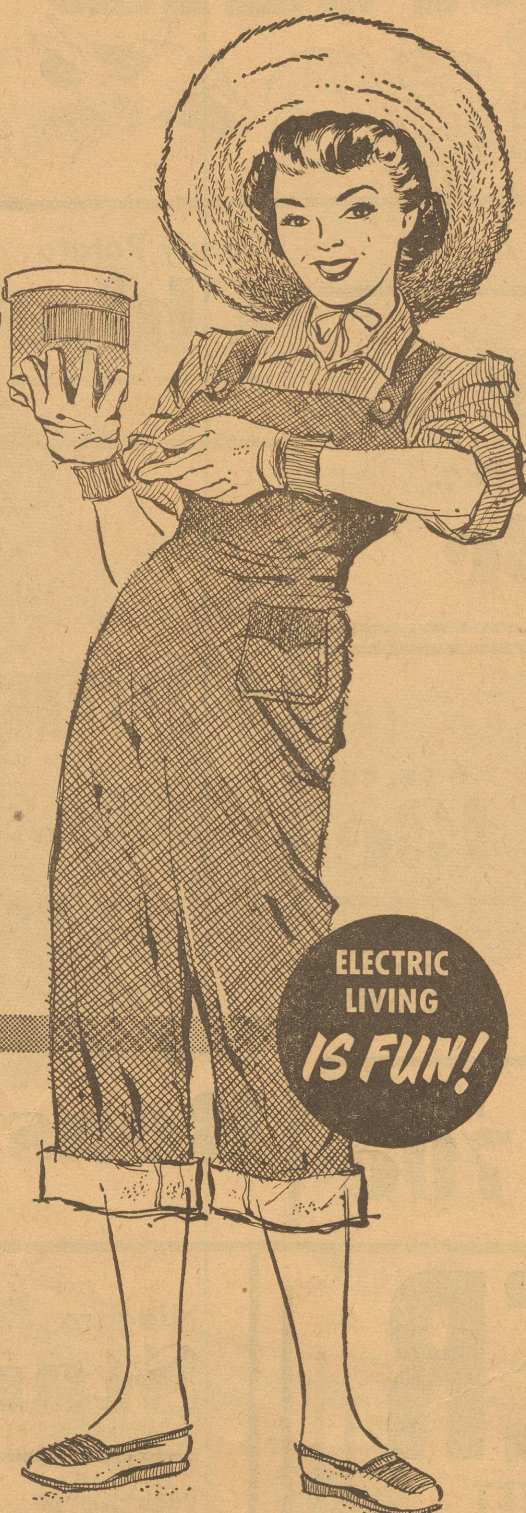
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**Q. How does the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation protect bank depositors against loss?**

...mum of \$10,000 on each of the accounts shown below?

**A. In many ways, but these are the most important:**

1. Each bank approved for deposit insurance must meet high standards;
2. Adherence to these standards is determined regularly through bank examinations; and
3. If, despite these precautions, an insured bank gets into difficulties, the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation is there promptly with cash to protect the depositors.

John Doe .....	\$10,000
Mary Doe .....	\$10,000
John Doe and Mary Doe, Joint account with right of survivorship .....	\$10,000
John Doe, Mary Doe, and Richard Doe, Joint account with right of survivorship .....	\$10,000
John Doe and Mary Doe, Community funds (in community property State) .....	\$10,000
John Doe and Mary Doe, Executor, of the Estate of (Name) deceased .....	\$10,000
John Doe, Administrator of Estate of (Name) deceased .....	\$10,000
John Doe, Trustee of (Name) Estate .....	\$10,000

**Q. What is the maximum protection to a depositor in an insured bank?**

**A. Yes. Each account is maintained in a different right or capacity.**

**A. \$10,000. This maximum applies to accounts maintained by a depositor in an insured bank in the same right and capacity. Account maintained in different rights or capacities are separately insured to \$10,000 in each right or capacity maintained.**

**Q. Does the depositor pay for the insurance protection?**

**A. No. The insured bank pays for this protection by semi-annual assessments based on its total deposits.**

**Q. May depositors maintaining deposits in an insured bank in the following rights and capacities be separately insured to the maximum of \$10,000 on each of the accounts shown below?**

**Q. How large is the Corporation's fund for protection of depositors?**

**A. Surplus of the Federal Deposit Insurance Corporation now exceeds \$1,450,000,000.**

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# «The High Plains Farm and Home»

## Don't Neglect Alfalfa As A Soil Building Crop

Alfalfa, the Plains favorite hay crop, is such a good producer of forage that it has about put itself out of the business as a soil building crop. And, the truth is, reports County Agent Joe Jones, alfalfa is one of the very best top soil builders that any farmer could incorporate into his farming.

"Alfalfa doesn't have to be farmed as a cash crop, and when it isn't, it doesn't take so much land preparation or water," points out the agricul-

tural official. "Too many farmers are looking for something miraculous to use as a soil builder or green manure crop, when the best crop available when properly handled is all around them."

Agent Jones is making his point at a time when farmers who are interested in improving their land are thinking about fall-seeded legumes as soil builders. The time for planning is at hand.

"Of course, we don't want to overlook the value of sweet clovers, vetch, soy beans, or other legumes, but it does seem that alfalfa is a natural if handled properly," points out Jones.

Two Farwell farmers are making good use of alfalfa as a straight soil improvement crop. They are Elmer Hargrove and Don Williams. Willie Williams, Don's father, reports that the men have had good success with their venture.

In one place, they have 70 acres in alfalfa, and it is in its second year. That is near West Camp south of Farwell in land that is moderately sandy.

The Farwell farmers planted their alfalfa in rows in order that water could be run down furrows just as in row crop practice.

Last year, no hay was taken from the field, but the seed was cut, and this year, the crop will be turned under and the land returned to cash cropping next year.

Williams believes, "There's not anything as good a soil builder as alfalfa. You can neglect it if you're in a tight, and

it'll go right on. It's easy to get a good stand of alfalfa in the fall."

The area farmers watered their crop twice last year, which is hardly comparable with the five or six waterings that farmers who raise alfalfa for hay usually worry with.

The county agent suggests that alfalfa can be seeded in maize stubble where the water furrow is still deep enough to guide the water. If the furrow has been worn down, new furrows can be opened and the stubble left to protect the small alfalfa from blowing while getting started. Seeding in dry soil and watering works good for alfalfa, says Jones.

"Using alfalfa this way as a soil building crop, farmers can apply water at any time of the year they get to it. But be sure to keep in mind that we are talking of building soil and not growing hay. Normally we catch enough rainfall at some time during the year to grow one good crop of hay."

After maturity, the alfalfa grown for a land builder can be shredded and the residue returned to the land. A new crop will follow just as it does when hay is cut—provided moisture is available.

Jones also indicates that rough land can be built up in this way because lister furrows are being used to guide the water. Any land that can be watered in row crop can be watered in alfalfa this way.

Net value of Texas manufacturers rose from \$773,896 in 1949 to \$3,500,000,000 in 1955.

Of the 150 major U. S. Air Force bases, 27 are located in Texas.

Texas had 11 different capitals before settling on Austin in 1840.



This is what farmers usually think of when the word "alfalfa" is mentioned. It is true that irrigated alfalfa on the High Plains does quite well, and if the price of hay is good, it makes a good cash crop. However, there are other ways of making alfalfa pay, and one of them is to make use of its soil-building qualities without so much emphasis on making hay.

### THE PARMER FARMER

By LELAND BOYD AND W. H. GRAHAM JR.

A story last week of Doyle Cummings' pig parlor project reported what might well be called excellent profit from a hog enterprise. Not to say we told you so—but two times prior to last week's story this writer mentioned hogs as a good paying way to sell grain.

Perhaps we had better make clear that now could hardly be a good time to enter the hog feeding business. But it is a good project to keep around year after year. We have never talked with anyone who has bought hogs when the price was high and had to sell at a low price, who made money on the swine. The guy who makes money in the hog business is one who gets into the game and stays in it, not expecting to clean up in one year.

Since hog prices are high, we would not advise anyone that now is a fine time to enter hog raising. It would be a good time to have hogs to sell, though.

In driving about the Black community Sunday, we noticed that some rather thin clouds gave up more than they appeared worth. One spot about three miles northeast of Black must have received about .25 of an inch.

Charles Rector, who farms about three miles south of Friona, tells us that his place got about .34 Sunday. He tells us that the area there has received only a little more than an inch of rain since June 1, counting the shower that fell Sunday afternoon.

If your memory serves you correctly, and you remember farming during the depression, then you are an experienced farmer. Even if you lived on the farm then, we are sure you recall how the family made a

living with a small amount of cash.

We were talking to another fellow the other day about this subject. He says with belief that if there comes another depression like the one of the 30's more than half of the farmers will starve. There just isn't enough diversification, we were told, and we thought about this.

This seems pretty logical, since most farms do not even have chickens with which to produce an egg for breakfast. Most people used to have a cow, chickens, hogs, a horse, and some sheep. No matter how low wages got, and how high prices go, a family had practically all they wanted to eat.

One of the authors of this column had a chance to see some farming country very different from that of the irrigated Plains, last weekend. Included in his tours were the ranges and mountain meadows of the New Mexico and Colorado Rockies, and the Arkansas Valley project of eastern Colorado.

The big news in the mountains is wrapped up in one word: water. So far this year, they have had plenty of it—in fact, too much at times—but no one we talked with was complaining.

Ranges on the eastern slopes of the mountains are verdant green, and most of the stream beds have water in them... something that hasn't been true for the past few years. Snowfall in the mountains is near record levels last winter, and the rains this summer have teamed up with a big snow runoff to make the ranching country look very prosperous.

Actually, the most interesting thing we saw was the Arkansas Valley. The river, as you know, rises near the continental divide in the mountains, and, swelled by countless rivulets, swells to a major stream by time it reaches the plain below.

The Arkansas cuts a deep canyon and is unusable for agricultural purposes until it moves out into the open east of Pueblo, where its vast resources are put to use by the ingenuity of man.

From Pueblo east to Lamar, about 120 miles, the valley floor is intensely farmed. Much of the land is given over to truck

to peer down past the side of the column pipe into the well.

The water level appeared to be from 25 to 30 feet down, and the pump was producing heavily from this level with no effort. Although the water was doubtless fresh and suitable for human consumption, it was colored brown to some extent. It did not resemble the sparkling clear water of our deep wells at all.

We did not spend much time in the valley, and do not know if they ever run short of water or not. All of the crops appeared to have plenty of water when we were there.

One thing that we noticed particularly was that there was very little water in the ditches along the road. The Colorado farmers make very efficient use of their water, even though they appear to have plenty. The biggest waste we noticed is that most of their ditches are lined with trees and big weeds—something typical of older ditch-irrigated regions.

#### IT STUCK ANYWAY

HOUSTON, Tex. — Traffic judge Wallace P. Kelly asked George Willis whether he had a driver's license, after Willis was charged with driving without one.

"Yes sir," Willis said. "Right here."

Taking the worn paper, Judge Kelly read, "This is to certify that the person herein named has passed all tests for nervousness and has been licensed to operate a motor vehicle. It is to be understood that the operator of the car. Back seat drivers must carry this license on person or otherwise must keep quiet while vehicle is in motion."

Willis, who can't read, said he got his license in a barbershop. Judge Kelly fined him \$65.

Air mail service in Texas began May 12, 1926.

Texas ranks fifth in the nation in number of air passengers carried each year.

## Good Records Urged

Goals, plans and records help farm and home development families get more family living satisfactions than where no goals are established and no plans made. Records help in evaluating what was done last year and help in planning for the years, says Elsie P. Short, agent in farm and home development for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

The Otto Becks of Woodboro in Refugio County say the biggest help in farm and home development is the planning done by the entire family.

Their decision-making is based on the farm record books. The long and short-time goals by which they measure results accomplished each year are a part of their record keeping. This system keeps a constant check on cost figure on each farm and home operation which becomes increasingly important because of the cost-price squeeze.

Th home garden has made substantial contribution to the Beck family income. This past spring they planted 65 pounds of Irish cobbler seed potatoes and harvested 790 pounds of nice large potatoes which were stored for home use. Other garden grown produce was used either fresh or stored for later use.

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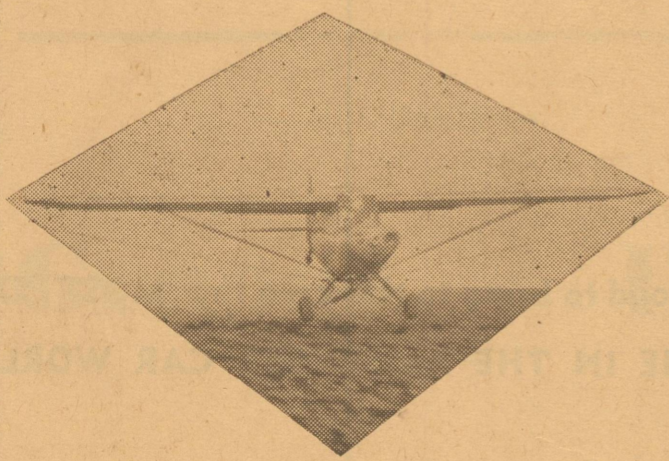
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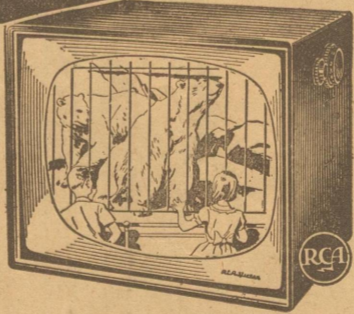
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## THE PARMER COUNTY IMPLEMENT CO. NEWS

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—P C I C N—

We watched the playoffs of the Little League baseball clubs Thursday night. The boys played their hearts out. Seems too bad that there must always be a loser. The boys may have lost the trophy but they never lose their enthusiasm and sportsmanship. The boys, their coaches and sponsors all did a wonderful job. We were especially proud to watch Teddie Renner who pitched the whole game and who did a swell job at the bat

even tho he had his left arm in a cast. Trophy winners were Jones Construction team and the Hub team.

—P C I C N—

If your binder needs fixing up, now is the time to get started. For parts call us day or night.

—P C I C N—

Friona Girl Scouts held their sixth annual day camp Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. This year the camp was at the Community House at Black and that made it more fun since it let most of the girls get farther away from home.

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Our used cars are the best buys. Drop by and see these before you buy.

—P C I C N—

Chatter at our house: Are rain drops round when they hit the ground? How old is an elephant? What makes jello jell?—Where do grasshoppers sleep?—Who makes lightning?—When will it snow?—Why does the wind blow?—When can I go to China?—I want somebody to play checkers with me.

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—P C I C N—

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# Do You Figure Value of Water To Your Farm?

By W. H. GRAHAM JR.

You wouldn't be a typical American farmer if you occasionally didn't sit down and try to figure out the size of your farming investment—that is, just how much your operation is worth in dollars and cents.

There are many standards and formulas used in arriving at approximate values of farm property, and most of them go up and down with the ups and downs of agricultural prosperity in this region.

Generally, the trend has been upward in farm land values for many years, and the rise in land prices got its biggest jump four or five years ago when big-scale irrigation development set in.

Even though the "boom" is over and a leveling-off period has set in, Parmer County area land values held their own against those of other parts of the Southwest, and one of the main reasons is because of the tremendous underground water supply.

It has been an oddity that in the past few buyers (or sellers) of land on the irrigated Plains have taken the water bearing sands into consideration in making transactions, especially to the degree that a value in terms of acre-feet of water, or thickness in feet of the saturated material, is concerned.

That is, an irrigated farm in Lubbock County has nearly always been considered an "irrigated" farm permanently. There is, however, no assurance to the buyer that the irrigated farm he buys this year will be an irrigated farm 10 years from now.

Buyers who have noticed that

they paid too much for too little water have caused a trend in valuing land that takes into consideration the actual inventory of water beneath a given farm, and simply to say that "this quarter section irrigates nicely from an eight-inch well" is no longer enough.

While it is true that land prices in older irrigated areas to the south and east have held up quite well, the belief is that they have done this more because of large cotton allotment bases than because of their value as irrigated farms. A little water will go a long way on cotton, and farmers of the South Plains have proved that there's money to be made with four, three, and even two inch irrigation wells.

However, there's little selling and buying of land in that area today, and the migration of farmers from older areas that are "drying up" is rather pronounced, and hence, the amount of water in storage is becoming an increasingly important factor.

The drought, the development of irrigation, and the soil bank have upset the table values of regular "dirt" or dryland farms in this part of the Plains, but about as good a figure as any is \$50 an acre. At least, that's a round figure to use a pencil on, and it shows a reasonable increment over the \$10 an acre price that was originally paid for much of it.

Irrigated prices have been somewhat unstable, too, especially since acreage controls and declining farm prices have set in. And, often, a farm is sold at a per-acre price that includes, across the board, such improvements as houses, outbuildings,

irrigation wells, bench levelling, allotment bases, and what-not. In other words, the true value of all these "extras" is rolled into the per-acre price of the farm. That being the case, some area land could well sell for \$400 per acre—and some has. However, an average piece of fairly good farm land, with average improvements, costs about \$250 today.

So, if dryland farms are worth \$50 per acre, and irrigated farms are worth \$250 per acre, doesn't it stand to reason that the difference of \$200 an acre is due ALTOGETHER to the value of water beneath the farm?

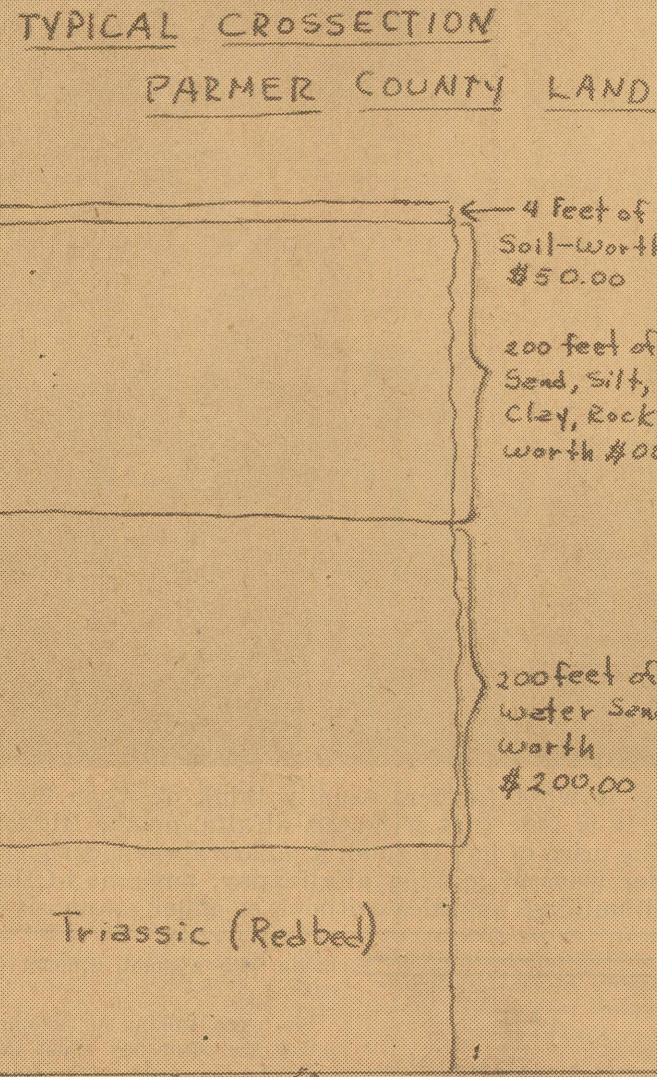
If you accept this reasoning, then the temptation to place a value on the acre feet or per-foot saturated area water-bearing sands is great. Well capacities are figured in terms of gallons per minute or acre-feet per hour, but the pulse of the irrigation well is found in the location of the static water table, and its movement up or down with respect to the bottom of the water-bearing formation.

The thickness of the Ogallala formation, which is Parmer County's only producing sand, varies from less than 50 feet in a small area in the northwest part of the county, to greater than 400 feet in the east-central section. Also, the depth to water varies from 103 feet near Lariat in the southern area to 287 feet near Pleasant Hill in the western area.

However, the county over, the average thickness is something on the order of 200 feet, and the typical depth to water is 200 feet, also. That being true, the hypothetical cross-section illustration has been prepared to accompany this article.

The first three or four feet of an area farmer's land is worth about \$50. That is the land that he does his farming on. From the bottom of his soil to the first water-bearing sand, his land is worth virtually nothing to him. It consists of caliche, clay, silt, sand, rocks, and other miscellaneous material. When the water-bearing portions of the Ogallala are reached, the landowner again finds something worthwhile.

If the water under his farm means an increase in the per-acre farm value of \$200, then



If you should slice the land of the Parmer County farming area into chunks, you'd get a cross-section something like this. The picture varies from place to place, but on an average, this is a pretty good idea of what the slice would look like. Figuring the average land price at \$250 per acre, it is easy to see that the greater part of that value is made up of the water that lies far below the plow. In this diagram, the soil is pictured as four feet in thickness, the water table 200 feet below, and the Ogallala or water bearing sands 200 feet in thickness.

perhaps it is not unreasonable to assign a per-foot valuation of \$10 to the water. In theory, then, at least, the value of the farm above would decline \$10 per acre with each foot of water removed by pumpage from the sand, or increase \$10 with each foot returned by artificial or natural means.

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### Fall Fashion News

Here is some fall fashion news as reported at the American Home Economics Association recent meeting in St. Louis. Popular silhouettes this fall will include straight, full and pleated skirts. The sheath will have only a draw string to mark the waist. Dark cottons will be popular in early fall. Other materials will include dress crepes, chiffon-weight wools, printed jerseys and patterned woven jerseys, tweeds, soft flannels and rayons. Many patterns will be borrowed from men's wear. Striped suiting, scotch plaids, argyle geometrics and regimental stripes will be popular. One color to be seen a lot will be bright blue. Hairstyles and hats will have a shaped-to-the-head look and berets will be popular again. Shoes with pointed toe and pencil-thin heel will be top fashion.

### Cleaning Mineral Deposits From Steam Iron

There is a good chance that your iron is collecting a mineral deposit unless you are using softened or distilled water, according to extension home management specialists. Combat this deposit in the water cavity and the steam vents by using distilled vinegar occasionally.

Simply fill the cavity with vinegar, steam for 15 minutes, and then let iron stand overnight. In the morning, pour the vinegar out of the cavity and rinse thoroughly. This rinsing is important and should be very completely done, since vinegar steam on your freshly-laundered clothes is most undesirable.

## Miss Rea Wins

Miss Virginia Rea of the Bovina Girls 4-H Club was named first place winner of the annual bake show of the Parmer County 4-H Club girls held at the courthouse in Farwell on Wednesday, August 21.

Each girl entered a plain but

ter cake and six refrigerator rolls in the contest.

Judges for the show were Mrs. W. M. Turner and Mrs. Edd Hardage, members of the Oklahoma Lane Home Demonstration Club.

Miss Rea placed first on the overall high score on both entries, first place on cakes and second place on rolls.

Other winners named in the overall scoring included second place, Judy Billingsley, Farwell Club; third place, Lexie Stevenson, Bovina Club; and fourth, Barbara Rea, Bovina Club.

First place winner on rolls was Barbara Rea and second place winner on cakes was Judy Billingsley.

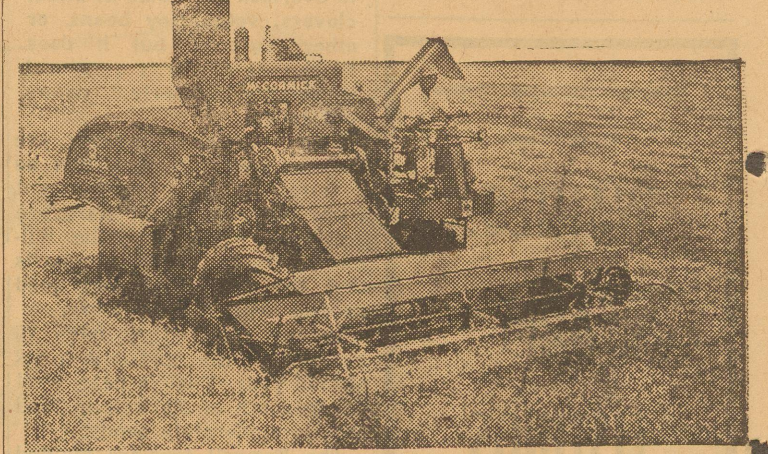
Virginia, as county winner, will enter a cake and rolls in the "Better Baking Contest" for the title of "Wheat Queen" at the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo next month.

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# Rain Hoped For Seeding

On the brink of wheat-seeding time, Parmer County area farmers—most of them, anyway—are hoping for some more rain to finish off the growing season.

General showers of two weeks ago have not been sufficient to provide ample planting moisture, though they did help at the time. With about one-half of Parmer County's 100,000-acres-plus wheat headed for irrigation farming this year, moisture right at the moment of planting time is not imperative. However, the dryland farmer would like to have some.

Irrigation farmers finishing out their maize wouldn't complain of a rain, either, although

the time of making grain with timely moisture is past.

Cotton farmers are so-so about rain prospects. From now on, they can be either hurt or helped—depending on how the fall weather turns out—by additional moisture.

Early feed is making the "turn" and ripening fast. The first grain sorghum was received at the elevators of Parmer County August 27 of last year. From the start, however, it has been apparent that the 1957 crop is considerably later than last year, and on an average, is thought to be from 10 days to two weeks behind time.

The first cotton was harvested

and baled on September 3 last year, to set a new record.

### CLINK IS BEST COOLER

PAMPA, Tex. — Employees of Hom and Gee Grocery and Market had a new item of merchandise when they went to the produce vault in the firms' warehouse.

As the men entered the vault they found a local man sitting in a corner.

Police officers were called and the "cold produce" was taken to the police station where he was thawed out and charged with being intoxicated.

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Ragged fields, such as the one appearing above, near Bovina, are disturbing farmers who plant seed that is supposed to be uniform, and has given some rise to controversy between farmers and seed producers. The plants sky-lighted above the bulk of the crop are known as "true tall" by seed men. Farmers complain of such fields, but seed growers maintain that purity standards as high as 99 percent do not eliminate such conditions in this area, where heavy planting rates and intense farming has become the rule. Generally speaking, area farmers believe the seed laws are not strict enough, and seed producers believe they are too strict already.

# SCD Plans Feed

Supervisors of Parmer County Soil Conservation District met with businessmen and civic leaders of Bovina Monday afternoon in Bovina Restaurant to discuss the annual soil conservation district banquet. It will be in Bovina School cafeteria Thursday night, September 5.

A. L. Black, SCD chairman, told the group of the plans which had been made in connection with the banquet and discussed ticket sales.

"Farmers who attend will have an opportunity to get better acquainted with what the Soil Conservation District offers them if they attend the banquet," Black said.

Banquet speaker will be Austin Meredith, secretary of Canadian River Authority.

Also, a plaque will be presented to the outstanding farmer in the county for the year.

SCD officials present other than Black were Floyd Crume, work unit conservationist; Steve Messenger, secretary; Joe Blair, supervisor; George Crain, supervisor; and Carl Schlenker, supervisor.

Others in attendance were J. W. Wright, George Trimble, Bob Johnston, R. M. Crawford, Bud Crump, Troy Fuller, and Dolph Moten.

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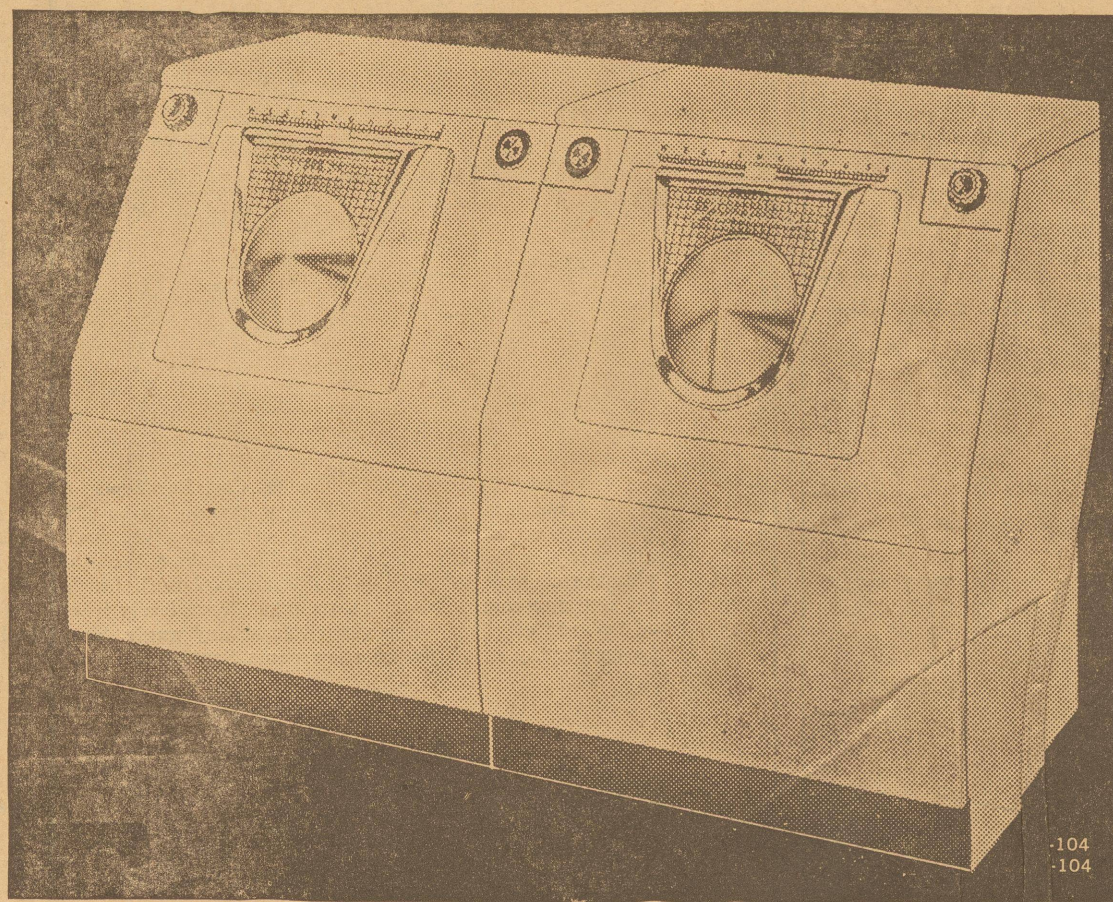
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## THE HAPPY HOMEMAKER

BY JUNE FLOYD

Is ironing one of the most unpleasant tasks you have to do? If so, you are a typical homemaker. According to a survey made recently in the central section of the United States, the typical homemaker listed ironing as her most disagreeable chore.

A lot of the work of ironing has been eliminated recently with ironers, new ironing tables, steam irons, and other time and energy saving gadgets. In the near future we will be able to purchase a steam iron with an attachment which completely does away with sprinkling clothes.

The water tank on the iron is

filled with lukewarm water, then you are able to pray a fine mist over the garment as it is being ironed and wrinkles and creases iron off easily. It is not even necessary to sprinkle starched garments when you use one of these new irons.

Manufacturers of material have done much in recent years to reduce the amount of ironing homemakers have to do. When buying any garment, be sure to check the label to determine whether or not the material has been specially treated so that it will resist wrinkles.

If you plan planting a fall garden, now the time to be getting started. Turnips that are planted the first part of August will be making greens in about five weeks and turnips a little later. The secret of growing good turnips is supposed to be the selection of sandy soil and the application of water frequently.

Mustard spinach, radishes, lettuce, and other kinds of greens can be planted now and will be ready for the table before long. Early fall is also a good time to start strawberry beds or some varieties of roses and other flowers.

Here's a new remedy for a stubborn zipper. That is, it is new to us. When a zipper sticks, just rub a pencil lead gently over it. The graphite that is in the lead is supposed to make the zipper "zip" satisfactorily.

The Tri-State Fair at Amarillo has this year on September 16-18 if any of our homemakers plan to enter baked foods, canning foods, or needlework, it isn't too early to be making plans. Have your exhibit ready. Do be some of our readers plan to exhibit some crochet work, you will be eligible for competition in the national contest.

For a tasty addition to any noon or evening meal this winter, try this recipe for mixed pickles.

- Ingredients:
- 3 quarts green tomatoes
  - 1 1/2 quarts ripe tomatoes
  - 3 large onions
  - 3 red bell peppers
  - 3 green bell peppers
  - 2 cups celery
  - 1 head cabbage
  - 1 cucumber
  - 1/4 cup salt
  - 3 pints vinegar
  - 2 lbs. brown sugar
  - 1 teaspoon black pepper
  - 1 teaspoon prepared mustard
- Chop all vegetables. Sprinkle

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This double row cotton is being tried out on the Elmer Oldham farm about three miles southeast of Friona. It is some of the first to be tried in the county, and is promising to return some good experience, if not profit for its owners. Notice how thickly spaced the stalks are, even though planted double row.

## Elmer Oldham Tries Double Row Cotton

A vegetable planter was given a new use this year at the Elmer Oldham farm about three miles southeast of Friona. Instead of planting vegetables, different hoppers and plates were installed on a vegetable planter and cotton was planted in double rows on a 40-inch wide bed.

There has been a small acreage of feed planted and grown in double rows in the Parmer County area, but this is among the first cotton to get a try. From appearances and early estimates, the double row cotton will be satisfactory and perhaps produce enough more than single row cotton to justify more cotton being planted in this manner.

Two and a half bales per acre is the estimate for production on the double row field, a stand a chance to do even better than that. There are 34 acres planted double row.

A little difficulty was experienced with weed control during the early season rains, but after the cotton grew enough to shade the ground, weeds have given little trouble.

As the cotton appears now, it is not as tall as single row cotton, and not quite as lush. But little if any shredding of fruit is noticed.

After planting the cotton was fertilized with hydrous ammonia and ammonium phosphate. A special cultivator is used, with a small plow going between the rowing first cultivation.

Oldham says he is well pleased with the experiment, and if plans do not change will plant double row cotton again next year.

He does plan to plant on a lower bed the next year, because there was a little difficulty experienced in getting dirt thrown to the cotton to cover weeds.

How successful the double row cotton is in producing more than cotton planted in single rows remains to be seen by yield after the harvest, but it is speculated that product obtained will make other farmers take notice. An extraordinary yield, more than three bales per acre, was reported from an experiment with the double row planting near Hereford last year.

Each row has about the same number of stalks as it would have for single row, and extra plants keep the stalks small. Each plant need to carry only a few bolls to bring the yield over single row cotton.

If the experiment is successful, this method of planting cotton will point out one way to overcome the handicap of limited acreage. Hopes are that about a third more production can be obtained from planting in double rows.

## "Let's Go Fishing" Is Good Advice For Cotton Men

There's no better time than right now for the High Plains irrigated cotton grower to pack his camping equipment and head for the hills to enjoy a week or two of fishing.

Odd advice to be appearing in a farm and home publication? Why, not at all!

The idea is this: Evidence has mounted through years of research that High Plains cotton growers are gambling against better profits by watering their crops later than right now.

Year in and year out, wet weather, cool weather, or an early freeze will cut them short of the profits they hope to make by irrigating their cotton this late in the year.

Water applied now will only lengthen maturity, make the plant tall and sappy, and help put on fruit that is doomed to be nipped in the bud by that first freeze of the year.

In addition, if the fiber does not mature as it normally would, not only the lint yield is reduced, but the quality of the product is substantially lowered, also.

So, although some farmers have watered in September and gotten away with it, the practice is usually regarded as about like crime—it just doesn't pay over the long haul.

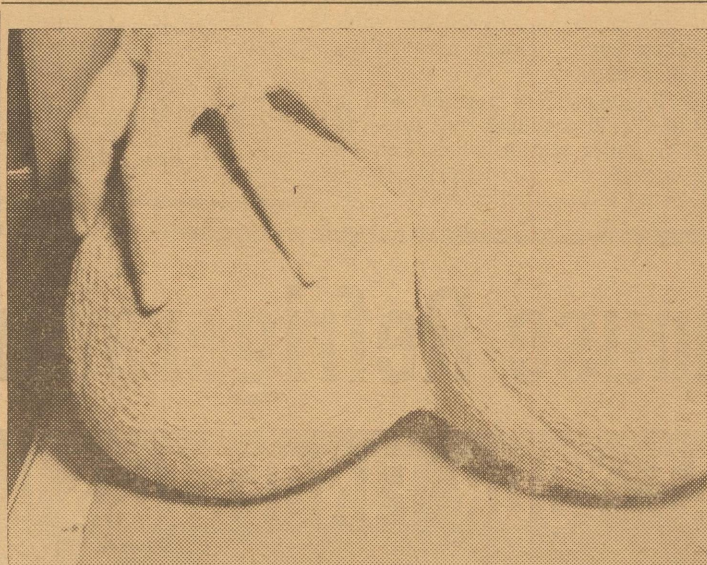
Cotton farmers find it really hard to stand idly by and watch their crops wilt under the hot late summer sun, so perhaps the best advice is to go fishing.

Of Texas' 135 junior and senior colleges, 83 are privately supported, 52 by taxes.

In the University of Texas library are some 1,106,818 books.

Eighty-nine of Texas' 254 counties have general library service.

Some 400 to 500 fairs, exhibitions and festivals are held annually in Texas.



SIAMESE CANTALOUPE??? Could be. Harvey Blackstone, who grew this odd-looking cantaloupe in his garden in the Black community, couldn't offer any explanation for the strange looking formation. Each part of the cantaloupe was attached to a regular stem which ran into a single branch from the vine. The Blackstones noticed the peculiar looking cantaloupe some time ago but left it on the vine until it ripened. Each side had seeds and looked like any ordinary cantaloupe.

Laws setting up Texas' public school system were signed Jan. 32, 1854.

Amber is used chiefly for making the mouthpieces for pipes.

Texas has been the leading mineral-producing state since 1935. Use of electric power in Texas began in the 1880's. First power plant was at Galveston. Texas' first telephone line was installed in the Galveston News plant on March 18, 1878.

Texas paid 3,025,000 acres of land for the present Capitol building. Some 48 per cent of Texas' population is in cities of 10,000 or more. More than half the population of Delaware lives in Wilmington.

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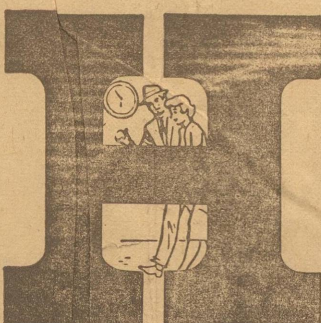
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**WHITE-WINGED DOVES and mourning doves,** Sept. 13, 15, and 17.

**BAG LIMIT:** 10 per day in the aggregate, White-wings (in season) and mourning doves. Possession limit: 10.

**SEASON CLOSED**

**NO HUNTING** permitted in game refuges and game reserves.

**SPECIAL NOTE:** Unlawful to take white-winged doves or chachalacas South of U. S. Highway 83, formerly State Highway 4, in southern tip of Texas, marked on map as "Game Sanctuary."

**SHOTGUNS** must be plugged permanently to three-shell capacity, may not be larger than 10 gauge. Hunting doves with rifles prohibited.

**SHOOTING HOURS:** White-winged and mourning doves, in season, 12 o'clock noon to sunset.

**KAUFMAN COUNTY:** Dove season closed in Combine Community.

**GAME SANCTUARY**

**McMULLEN COUNTY:** Open season by State law Nov. 1 to Dec. 15; by Federal Law Oct. 1 to Nov. 17.

Texas Game and Fish Commission  
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## Simple Electrical Device May Tell Farmers To Irrigate

Farmers may someday tell when their crops need irrigating by using a simple electrical device tested recently by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. It measures moisture stress—an indicator of a plant's moisture needs.

For a rapid reading of a plant's water requirements, two small prongs of the device are stuck into the stem of the plant. The prongs are two stainless steel electrodes connected to an ohmmeter which measures the electrical resistance in the plant. The lumber industry uses a similar instrument to measure moisture in wood.

In experiments with cotton plants, the researchers found that electrical resistance went down as moisture amount went up. Within four hours after irrigation, a sharp drop in resistance was observed on the ohmmeter.

The experimenters believe that the increase in electrical resistance with increasing moisture stress is the result of the drying out of the solid framework, or cell walls, of the plant.

This creates in the woody tissues of the plant either longer conducting paths between electrodes, or increases gaps in conducting paths—readily indicated by the ohmmeter.

The method has promise as a tool to help the average farmer determine when to irrigate, according to scientists of USDA's Agricultural Research Service who are making the studies. They point out that research is continuing, aimed at making the method easy to use by any farmer who irrigates.

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Now is the time to make preparation to plant wheat. Some farmers have already begun their land preparation.

When fertilizing wheat it is usually better to fertilize before planting. This enables the nitrogen to speed up the decomposition of old stubble and thus release plant foods much quicker than otherwise.

Speaking of fertilizing, it won't be long before grain sorghum will be harvested and land preparation will begin again and many of you will want to fertilize for next year's crop. To increase your organic matter, increase your intake rate on the

tighter soils and decrease your evaporation of soil moisture next growing season, shred your stalks and fertilize as soon as you can after you have cut sorghum. This will hold true with your corn stubble.

Chances are you will have more of it to decompose of than you will with grain sorghum. In getting this done early, you will have but very little residue left to bother you next spring at planting time.

Many farmers have indicated to us they intend to put in concrete pipe this fall. We have already exceeded last year's amount of pipe that was installed and with what is expected to go in this fall we will probably double last year's application.

If you are contemplating a pipe installation and are not sure where you want to put it, contact one of the SCS technicians and they will be glad to assist you in making this determination.

Filling small lakes in the middle of fields is on the increase. Farmers are finding by filling these they are able to improve their irrigation at a nominal cost to them. The SCS technicians can assist you in figuring the cuts and fills on the amount of dirt to be moved.

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**INSTRUMENTS RECORDED WEEK ENDING AUGUST 24, 1957, COUNTY CLERK'S OFFICE, FARWELL, TEXAS**

W. D.—Laverna Brock et al, Lucille Andrews, 3/4 Int. Lots 8, 9, & 10, Blk. 75, Friona.

W. D.—Laverna Brock et vir, Lucille Andrews, et al, 1/4 Int. Lots 9, 10, 11 & 12, Blk. 87, Friona.

W. D.—O. C. Jones et ux, Charles L. Mercer, Lots 3 & 4, Blk. 27, Friona.

D. T.—Charles L. Mercer et ux, First Fed. Savings & Loan, Lots 3 & 4, Blk. 27, Friona.

D. T.—H. J. Charles et ux, Mellon Nat. Bank & Trust Co., Lots 1, 2, 3, 26 & 27, Blk. 2, Gardner's Sub, Bovina.

W. D.—C. M. Jones et ux, Walter R. Cunningham et ux, W 70' Lots 5 & 6, Blk. 5, Friona.

D. T.—Walter R. Cunningham et ux, Frank A. Spring, Tr.—W 70' Lots 5 & 6, Blk. 5, Friona.

W. D.—Verney Towns et ux, Vernon Jamison, SW/4 Sec. 64, Blk. "2" Johnson.

Fed. Tax Lien—U.S.A., James W. & Fay McMahan—See Record.

Fed. Tax Lien—U.S.A., V. C. Krueger—See Record.

Fed. Tax Lien—U.S.A., Clarence D. & Mary Price—See Record.

In early geologic ages West and Northwest Texas was covered with the Permian Sea.

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**BUILDING PERMIT**

The following building permit was issued by the City of Friona during the week ending August 27:

J. W. Baxter, 1003 Main, re-finish exterior walls and install permastone to residence, estimated cost \$2,750.

**Veazeys Return**

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Veazey returned Friday after spending several days vacationing at Red River, Colorado Springs, and other interesting spots in Colorado and New Mexico.

**NEWS FROM**

**Rhea**

By MRS. FRANKLIN BAUER

**HD Club To Meet Monday Night**

The Rhea Home Demonstration Club took a couple of months rest, but will resume their meetings again. The group will meet Monday night, Sept. 2, in the home of Mrs. Willie Wall. Election of officers will be held at this meeting.

**MISSION DAY OBSERVED**

The Mission Festival observed at Rhea Lutheran Church Sunday was well attended. Pastor Szegedin of Hereford was guest speaker for both the morning and afternoon services. Noon and evening meals were served to the group by the members of the local congregation. The purpose of the festival was to remember missions. Approximately \$900 was collected for missions.

**Attend Rally**

Those from Rhea attending the fall Walther League Rally at Hereford Sunday afternoon

were Irene and Edmund Drager, Gary Goetz, Charles Wagner, Herbert Schueler, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Sachs, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Schueler. The fall rallies consist of competition among Leaguers in the Zone in volleyball, relays, shot-put, and various other events.

Mrs. Ehlers of Wilson, mother of Mrs. Albert Drager, spent the week visiting with her daughter and family. Ervin Nieman of Muleshoe, cousin of Mrs. Drager, visited in the Drager home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Martensen and children recently returned from Colorado and Nebraska where they had been visiting friends and relatives.

Those enjoying a wiener roast in Mrs. F. T. Schlenker's back yard Saturday night were the Elmo Dean, Cordie Potts, and Carl Schlenker families. Also present were Catherine and Madaline Chang.

Mrs. Elmo Dean, Gladys and Lindy, and Catherine Chang attended the vesper services held at the Friona Methodist Church recently.

Bobby and Billy Perkins of Friona visited in the Florian Jarecki home during the week. Mr. and Mrs. Milton Sullivan and children and Mr. and Mrs. Florian Jarecki and children recently spent a day at Ruidoso. Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Ramm

and Ruth visited in the Franklin Bauer home Sunday evening.

Sunday evening visitors in the Norbert Schueler home were Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Kaltwasser and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Sachs attended a stewardship meeting Sunday at Hereford Lutheran Church.

Leon Barchum and Arvin Martensen returned to Nebraska Saturday. They had been working in the community during the summer.

**Are You Going Tonight?**

"Are you going to the meeting tonight?" That question can be taken three ways in Friona Sunday evening. A revival is in progress at the United Pentecostal Church. The First Baptist Church will be having the final service in its current revival. The first evening service in a series of gospel meetings will be held at the Sixth Street Church of Christ.

**Notes From The Hospital**

ADMITTED: Mrs. Buddy Fallwell of Friona, o. b.; Armandina De Los Santos of Hereford, medical; Mrs. Roy Blackwell of Muleshoe, o. b.; Debbie Hall of Friona, medical; Bill Moore of Bovina, medical; Mrs. Ellen Daniel of Farwell, medical; Jim Dixon of Friona, surgical; Terry Don Adams of Bovina, medical; Jack Haney of Bovina, surgical; Mrs. Domingo Hernandez of Friona, o. b.; Shirley Glenn of Muleshoe, medical; Gail Bartlett of Friona, t and a; Mrs. G. A. Collier of Friona, surgical; M. B. Buchanan of Friona, medical.

DISMISSED: Roy Don Rector, Mrs. Charles Broadhurst, George Dawson, Debbie Hall, Mrs. Buddy Fallwell and baby girl.

**Friona Baptists To Begin Drive**

Plans for a four-week program emphasizing church financing are nearing completion by members of the Friona Baptist Church, reports Steve Messenger, general co-chairman of the program.

The church members voted about a month ago to adopt the "Forward Program of Church Financing of Southern Baptists." According to present plans, the campaign will begin Sept. 8 and continue through Oct. 6.

**Hursts Return**

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Hurst and children returned Tuesday morning from Walters, Okla., where they had been visiting in the home of Hurst's brother, Rev. Lance Hurst, pastor of the First Methodist Church of that city. Rev. Hurst has been seriously ill following a heart attack.

**Legion Delays Regular Meeting**

Regular meeting time for the Friona American Legion is to be postponed from Monday, Sept. 2, until the following week, Monday, Sept. 9, according to Russell Massey, commander.

Monday is Labor Day and that is the reason for rescheduling the meeting, Massey says.

**FHA NOTES**

Geneva Floyd, Reporter

The Friona FHA executive council met with Mrs. Harry Ratliff in her home Thursday afternoon at 2. Plans were made for the local chapter for the coming year.

The first social event will be a get-acquainted watermelon party in the back yard of the G. B. Buske home Friday, August 30, from 5:30 to 7 p. m. This party will be for all girls interested in homemaking as well as the members of the chapter.

Following the meeting Mrs. Ratliff served ice cream and fruit punch to Judy Barnett, Luellen McLean, Lavon Fleming, Phila May Buske, Helen Hamilton, Geneva Floyd, and Mrs. Dalton Caffey, who was a guest.

Friday afternoon Phila May Buske, Nancy Outland, Raye Jene Jones, Luellen McLean, and Geneva Floyd met at the Fleming home and made invitations to the watermelon party. Lorna Outland of San Antonio, who was visiting her cousin, Nancy, was a guest.

Watermelons were served by Lavon in the backyard following the meeting.

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**To Conchas**

Mrs. Glen Mingus and daughter, Vicki, left Tuesday morning for Conchas where they will spend a few days vacationing with Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hagar and children of Hereford. Glenda Mingus accompanied the Hagers to Conchas several days ago.

**Kendrick Chairs Oil Info Program**

H. K. Kendrick of Friona is community-school chairman for petroleum's school information program for 1957-58.

The local program will emphasize three main service projects this year. They are a school program providing free supplemental teaching and student materials and special information services to junior and senior high schools, making speakers, films and demonstrations available to public audiences and promoting Oil Progress Week in October.

**From Denton**

Saturday afternoon guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Pope were Bonna Brawley, who is a student at North Texas State College at Denton, and Leland Boyd, news editor of the Friona Star. Miss Brawley, whose home is at Glen Rose, was a weekend guest in the C. W. Dixon home.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith Blackburn and Jill and Mrs. H. D. Mayfield visited Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Snider Jr. and children at Farwell Sunday afternoon.

**CRACKERS—**

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facts. It does look like an early fall, if ducks moving south means anything.

Incidentally, we had a witness to the sight: Granville McFarland. He'll vouch for this story.

Since we have been in the newspaper business, we have noticed a tendency of the profession that has given us no little concern. That is that whenever we make a printed mistake about someone or something, it seems that no matter how hard we try, we keep on making mistakes about the same person or same thing for week after week. We suppose you could call it a jinx.

The current jinx giving The Star fits is the Sixth Street Church of Christ. We can't stand to look a member of that church in the face after last week, when we ran a picture of a man who was supposed to be Stanley Lockhart, but who wasn't.

That error might be forgivable, except that it's the most recent in a too-long series of blunders on stories, ads, and information that has appeared in our columns in recent weeks.

We certainly are chagrined about this trouble, and want to thank all of those associated with the church for their understanding attitude. It has about reached the point where we can't seem to help ourselves. Everything goes wrong. We certainly offer our apologies.

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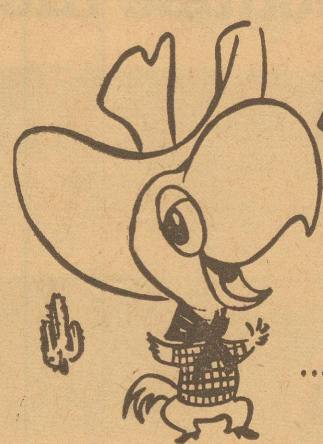
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**A MU MU AND LEI**—Deann Buske, recently returned from a 10-week trip as a student missionary in Hawaii, wears a Hawaiian dress, has an orchid lei and displays a hand-carved fish which one of the natives made. She also brought back the coconut which still has the hull on it, as well as many other souvenirs.

**Drakes Return After Long Trip**

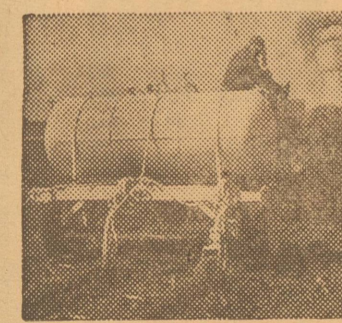
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Drake, Erma, Betty, and Peggy and Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Drake returned Tuesday of last week after a 16-day vacation trip which took them 4800 miles through nine states and one province in Canada. The group visited Mrs. A. O. Drake's nephews, Sam Adair and Stuart Hoover, at Denver.

They also visited Mrs. Arthur Drake's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dell Dodge of Byars, Colo.; and Mrs. A. O. Drake's cousin, Stuart Anderson, at Glenrock, Wyo., before reaching their destination in Canada. At Shellbrook, which is a small town near Prince Albert, Saskatchewan, Canada, they visited in the homes of Fay and Wayne Miller and Goldie Hyllestead, who are Mrs. A. O. Drake's brother's children.

While at Shellbrook the group went to Waskesiu Lake, which is at the northern tip of Canada. On the return trip they came through St. Paul, Des Moines, St. Louis, Kansas City, Tulsa, and Oklahoma City. The only turnpike they drove on was the Turner Turnpike from Tulsa to Oklahoma City. Drake said, "That is really worth the money. Ninety-nine miles for only \$1.40. You can drive 70 miles per hour and never have to slow down for anything."

At Centerville, Iowa, they visited Mrs. A. O. Drake's brother, Dr. W. B. Miller; and at Blockton, Iowa, they visited A. O. Drake's brother, Albert Drake, and sister, Florence Hughes, and

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"It surely has been a short summer." That expression is always heard so many times at this time of year. It seems that at the end of school in the spring parents, teachers, and pupils always plan to do so many things. Then at the end of the summer they remember that so many of them have not yet been done that it seems the summer has passed so quickly.

The noise of activity is already being evidenced in the vicinity of the schools. In the morning, the band can be heard from the downtown section of town. It reminds all of us that within the next few days those two or three blocks down in that section of town will be the center of interest for the next nine months.

The students with whom we have talked are very enthusiastic about the opening of school. Most of them are eager to get started again and to meet the new teachers and pupils.

Most of us think of Friona as being a very friendly town, but do we really show our new residents that we want to be friends with them? Just last week we heard one person say, "We like Friona now, but when we first moved here everyone seemed so cold and unfriendly."

This statement came as a shock to us, but after giving the thought some consideration, it is easy to see why some newcomers might have the same idea. Beginning with the new teachers who are moving here at the present time, let's all try to make some new residents of our town feel welcome.

Thursday afternoon, Friday, and Saturday morning we could have used a device attached to the telephone that said, "We don't know who he is, either." Many calls came through inquiring the identity of the person whose picture appeared in the Star above the story about the gospel meeting to be held at the Sixth Street Church of Christ.

Our thanks go to each person who called and made inquiry. However, at the time most of you called, we didn't know whose picture it was. Learned Forester, who is leading the singing at the revival meeting now in progress at the First Baptist Church.

A story is going the rounds that Forester was taking quite a ribbing at the revival Thursday and Friday evenings about his picture being on the front page of the paper. He is reported to have replied, "Yes, that was me all right, but don't believe everything you read in the story that followed."

Parmer County residents now live in the 154th Judicial District. This new district was created by taking Parmer, Bailey and Lamb counties out of the

64th district. When we go to court, though, we will hardly know the difference. Judge E. A. Bills will be presiding judge of the new district.

The Floyds are very grateful to the Harvey Blackstones for sharing their cantaloupes with us. Some local farmers are growing them commercially this year, but the Blackstones just have a small garden plot. Harvey says he has never had a better yield than he has this year.

Nan Lillard, daughter of the Harold Lillards, seems to be taking an extended vacation this year. She spent several days visiting the R. L. Bates and Don Hunt families at Sunray. Then was met in Canyon by her mother and brothers, Jim Carl and Miles, Friday.

At Canyon it was learned that the Dalton Teagues were going to the mountains for a few days, so instead of coming home Nan is now sight-seeing. If she doesn't meet up with relatives going somewhere else, she will probably be home this weekend.

Whatever happened to our yard beautification contest? Seems like something was planned earlier for prizes to be given to the winners. Did we have any entries? Whether there is or is not a contest, some of the yards in Friona are beautiful. The colors in several yards show some artistic arrangement.

We love the patch of red verbenas near the curb in front of the Marvin Mimms residence. Don't know whether Marvin or Joe is the gardener in that family, but we admire their taste in landscaping.

The Wesley Cunninghams have a beautiful yard, too. The long row of flowers on the south side of their yard is very colorful. Don't think there are prettier dahlias anywhere. Some of the stalks have had as many as eight blooms at one time.

Since the first Monday in September is a holiday this year, local merchants have decided to postpone Dollar Day one week. That will make Monday, September 9, Dollar Day for this month. Local stores have many bargains in back-to-school merchandise as well as articles for the home.

**On Vacation**

Mr. and Mrs. Hardy May and Arlen and Mr. and Mrs. Ross Miller left Saturday for a sight-seeing trip. They planned to go to Denver, Colorado Springs, and other Colorado points before returning home the last of this week.

**Navy Buddies Visit**

Mr. and Mrs. Al Reyes and daughter, Sharon, of Tuffin, Calif., spent last week visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Renner and children. Renner and Reyes were buddies in the Navy a few years ago.

**Green Family Meets At Memphis Sunday**

Fifty-one members of the Green family gathered at the City Park in Memphis Sunday for a basket lunch and family reunion. The afternoon was spent playing games and visiting.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Thornton, Jimmie, Fannie, Sue, Eddie, Glenda, and Helen of Sunray; Mr. and Mrs. A. Gregory and Loretta and Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Hayes of Lindsay, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Orville Jenkins, Orville Boyd, Gregory, and Gary of Quanah; and Mr. and Mrs. Taylor Green of Friona;

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Green of Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Johnson of Friona, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Lee Johnson, Bobby Joe and Linda of Muleshoe; Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Green and Mr. Miller of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Green and Richard, Canyon, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Green, Lanell and David of Marlow, Okla.;

Also, Mrs. Allie Blalock and Mrs. Jewel Thommasson of Duncan, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Hint Blalock, Mr. and Mrs. David Wines and Mr. Wines of Bovina; Mrs. Bud Gray and Mrs. Floyd Gray and son, Ronald Ray, of Marlow, Okla.; Mrs. Edna Schested of Oklahoma City and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Smith of Durham, Okla.

**Kindergarten Opening Set**

Monday, September 2, will mark the opening of Mrs. Beene's Kindergarten for the second consecutive year. The first week will be preparation week and pupils will report from 10:30 to 11:30 on Monday and Tuesday; from 9:30 to 11:30 on Wednesday and Thursday; and from 8:45 to 11:30 on Friday.

Beginning September 9, all pupils will attend classes from 8:45 to 11:30. Mrs. Beene holds a BBA degree from Texas Tech and taught in the Hereford and Friona schools. During the war she worked at Colton Center in New Orleans and took several courses in pre-school education at Tulane University.

**Day Camp In Session**

Girl Scout Day Camp is in session at the Black Community House Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday of this week from 3 to 7 p.m. The daily sessions are adequately supervised by adult Girl Scouts and are conducted according to National Girl Scout Camping rules and regulations.

All parents of girls who are attending are invited to a special dinner and entertainment beginning at 7 p.m. Friday by the Girl Scout Council.

**To Colorado**

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Neal, Kay and Dale of the Hub community left Monday for Denver, Colorado Springs, and Estes Park. They plan to return late this week.

**CHRISTMAS ALREADY?**

The W. S. Crow home south of town was the scene of the first Christmas party of the season. The intermediate GA's met for a shower of Christmas gifts for boys and girls in a mission field, who otherwise might not receive gifts.

Christmas decorations were used in the living room and the centerpiece on the serving table was a miniature Christmas tree. Carols were sung and games suitable for a Christmas party were played.

The refreshments carried out the theme of the party. Those present were Mesdames Steve Messenger and W. S. Crow, Margie Carlton, Monte Baker, Karen Balls, Linda Perry, and Joan Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Wooley Sr. of Erick, Okla., were weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wooley and sons of the Hub community.

**SECTION II The Friona Star**

**Guests From Lamesa Tuesday**

Tuesday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter R. Riethmayer and children were Mrs. Paul McClung and children, Martha, Larry and Willie, of Lamesa.

In the evening, the Riethmayers accompanied their guests to Littlefield where Paul McClung was conducting a gospel meeting at the Littlefield Drive Church of Christ. After church the Riethmayers, McClungs and a group of friends from Lamesa and Anton met for refreshments and a visit.

**Missionary To Speak**

Guest speaker at the regular fifth Friday meeting of the Interdenominational Church Women of Friona will be Mrs. A. L. McKenzie, who is a missionary in Jamaica. The meeting will

be held at 3 p.m. at the Friona Methodist Church.

All women of all the churches in town are invited to attend this meeting by Mrs. Carl Maurer, program chairman.

A social hour has been planned in Fellowship Hall following the meeting. Hostesses will be women of the Friona Methodist Church. Everyone attending the meeting is invited to attend the social by Mrs. Jean K. Anthony, chairman of the social committee.

**Visiting Relatives**

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Busby and Donald left Thursday afternoon for Dallas and Texarkana to visit relatives. In Dallas they will be guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Hannabas. Mrs. Hannabas is the former Ima Jewell Busby. They will be guests in the home of Busby's sister, Mrs. Annie Long, at Texarkana.

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		Lemons 13c lb.	Lettuce Head 15c



**Guests In Minchew Home**

A-1c and Mrs. Johnny Thomas Bagwell of Denver arrived in Friona Wednesday for a visit in the home of Mrs. Bagwell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Minchew. Bagwell returned Friday and Mrs. Bagwell stayed for a longer visit.

Other guests in the Minchew home Wednesday were Mrs. Carl Lawton, Lea and Gary of Chattanooga, Tenn.; and Mrs. Gail Mabry, Mrs. Marvin Hall and Mike, and Mrs. H. W. O'Neal, all of Lubbock. Mesdames

Lawton, Mabry, O'Neal and Minchew are sisters, and Mrs. Hall is Mrs. Minchew's niece.

**Fites Return**

Mr. and Mrs. Marion Fite Jr. returned home Saturday after a trip which took them to Colorado Springs, Pikes Peak, the Royal Gorge, and Red River. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Horace Byerley of Hale Center. The Fite boys visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. V. J. Schiller at Anton, during the absence of their parents.

**Vacationing At Tres Ritos**

Several Frionans have been vacationing at the Osborn cabin at Tres Ritos the past two weeks. Mr. and Mrs. Joe Osborn spent several days up there before being joined by Mr. and Mrs. Sloan H. Osborn, Sally and Robbie; and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Clements, Jim Roy and Don.

The Joe Osborns, Sloan Osborn, Roy and Jim Roy Clements returned home late last week. Then the Charles Osborns and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Burt of Hollis, Okla., went up for the weekend. Mr. and Mrs. Claude Osborn spent a few days there, too.

**Spend Evening In Clovis**

Messrs. and Mmes. Leonard Nettles, Bill Wooley, James Procter, S. A. Freeman, and Eugene Bandy accompanied a group of young people to Clovis Monday evening for a skating party and Mexican supper. After supper some of the group attended a movie.

Those going were Elaine Holcomb, Lavon Fleming, Janet Snead, Eva Woolbright, Phyllis Hinds, Frank Woolbright, Wayland Hinds, Gerald Neel, Bryant Dukes, Doyle Freeman, Luellen McLean, Margaret Mabry, Paula Neel, Barbara O'Brian, and Robbie Boggess.

**Shower For Missionary**

The Ruth Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church has planned a shower for Mrs. A. L. McKenzie, who is a missionary to Jamaica. The shower will be held at 8 p. m. Tuesday in the educational building. The building will be open so that gifts may be left in the afternoon. All ladies are invited to at-

tend and bring gifts for the mission work. Things that are especially needed are medical supplies, school supplies and used clothing. Mrs. Ray Castleberry, vice-president of the class, says, "Anyone who desires to help with the mission work is invited to do so."

**Vera, Billy Jones Visit Parents Here**

Home for visits with Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Jones during the weekend were their daughter and son, Vera Ann and Billy Ray Jones.

Vera Ann has just completed some summer college work at the University of Colorado before going to Hobbs, N. M., where she will teach speech this year.

Billy has just finished a summer field trip in the mountains of Colorado which he attended as instructor with the Texas Tech Department of Geology.

**Club Plans All Day Meeting**

The Hi-Point Home Demonstration Club met Friday at the home of Mrs. Joe Brummett, with Mrs. Floyd Rector serving as hostess. An all-day meeting for lessons in Vinyl Artercraft was planned for Thursday, September 12, in the Brummett home. Each member is to bring a salad for lunch.

Refreshments of punch and cookies were served by the hostess to Mesdames G. L. Mingus, Glen Mingus, Lloyd Mingus, Elmer Oldham, Homer Lindeman, Joe Brummett, Dan Tims, Billy Dean Baxter, Lee Renner, and a guest, Mrs. Carroll Hagar of Hereford.

The next regular meeting will be Friday, September 13, in the home of Mrs. Lee Renner.

**Maurers Have Guests**

Guests in the Carl Maurer home this week are Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cleveland and children of Denver and Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Donnelly and children of Artesia. Mrs. Cleveland is the former June Maurer and Mrs. Donnelly was Shirley Maurer before her marriage. The Donnellys plan to go home this weekend and the Clevelands will be here another week.

Mrs. L. B. McClain of Paris was a weekend visitor in the home of Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Graves and sons.

**Martins Return**

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Martin and their daughter, Mrs. Eugene Nidey and her daughters of Campo, Colo., returned from Truth or Consequences Tuesday after spending two weeks there. Nidey came to Friona to meet his family and return them to Campo.

**Claborns Go Visiting**

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Claborn returned Tuesday after spending several days visiting friends in Dayton, Ohio. While their parents were gone, Jackie and Johnny visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis West of Hereford.

**NEWS FROM BLACK**

By MRS. CLAUDE EDELMON

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Dean and children spent Sunday with Mrs. Dean's mother, Mrs. Merle Shirley, in Friona.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Day and Leona Wolfe visited with the John S. Thompsons recently.

Mrs. Fred Dennis has been ill. Residents of the community wish her a speedy recovery.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Prewett, Graham and Ann, and Mr. and Mrs. Truett Pool spent last week at Red River, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Tatum and Tommy left the past weekend for Ruidoso and other New Mexico points.

Mr. and Mrs. James Buckley and children vacationed in Colorado the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Roberson and Marie left Saturday for Colorado. The Vernon Christians of Bonham, who are former Black residents, have bought land near Center, Colorado, and are moving there. The Robersons are lending them a hand in the process of moving.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Braxton and sons spent several days last

week vacationing in Colorado. At Aspen they found a charming Swiss colony and report that the music and pastry was really wonderful.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Ray and son of Albuquerque visited Saturday and Sunday in the Braxton home. Sunday Mr. and Mrs. P. O. Southall and Mrs. Benthall Miller and children of Clovis visited in the Braxton home.

Mrs. P. O. Southall and Mrs. Benthall Miller returned from Dallas Saturday where they had been for the graduation of Mrs. Gene Smith from a nurse's school there. Mrs. Smith is Mrs. Southall's daughter and Mrs. Miller's sister.

Jimmy Patton and Joe Carlisle joined the Lewellens and Parris in the San Louis Valley of Colorado last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Patton, Jimmy and Virginia went to Amarillo Saturday to help Mrs. Patton's grandmother, Mrs. W. W. Parkinson, celebrate her 88th birthday. A picnic at Thompson Park was the highlight of the celebration.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Towner and children of Colorado Springs, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson R. Black and family, and Lloyd Parkinson of Fort Worth were also at the picnic. Mrs. Towner and children came home with the Pattons for a visit. She and Mrs. Patton are sisters.

Dr. and Mrs. L. B. Barnett and family of Hereford were

Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Barnett. Mr. and Mrs. Paul Houston of Slaton are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fern Barnett.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Carlton visited relatives at Memphis and Hedley Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Lloyd Shulk and Charles returned Friday after spending a week with Mrs. Shulk's mother, Mrs. J. W. Lumpkin at Sentinel, Okla.

The Mayo Phipps spent last week sight-seeing and vacationing in Yellowstone National Park.

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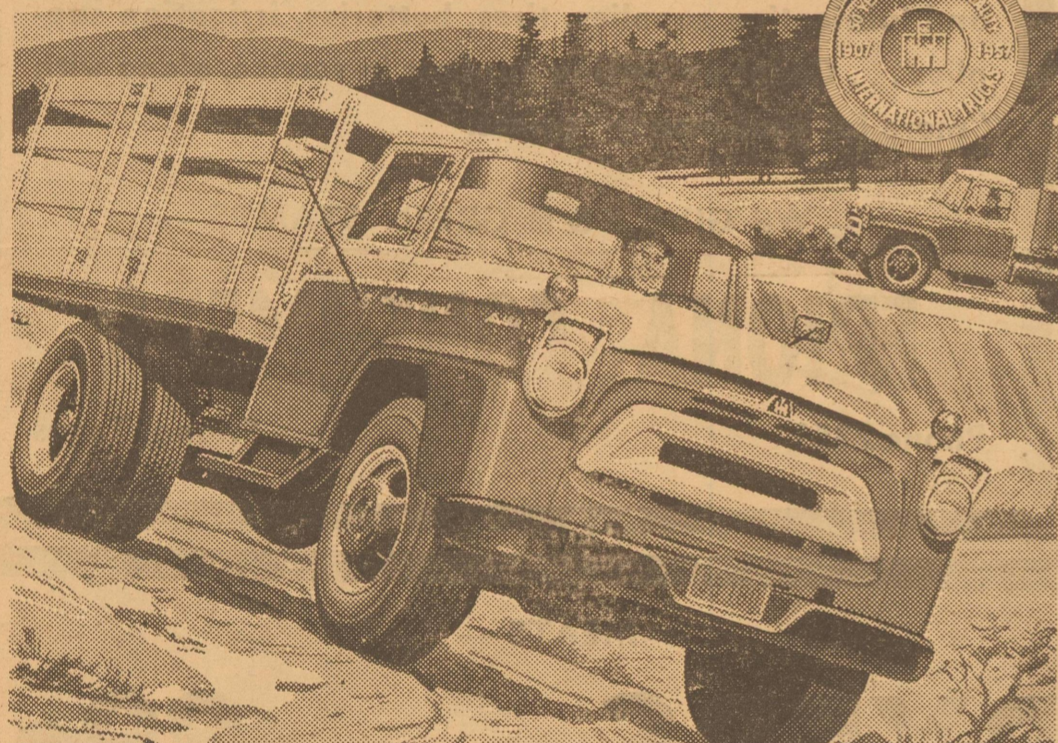
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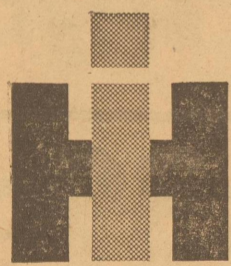
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<p><b>CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH</b></p> <p>Sunday Services Church School 10 a. m. Worship 11 a. m. Pilgrim Fellowship 5 p. m.</p>	<p><b>FRIONA METHODIST CHURCH</b></p> <p>Sunday Services Sunday School 10 a. m. Church Service 11 a. m. MYF meetings 6 p. m. Evening Worship 7 p. m. Wednesday Choir practice 7:30 p. m.</p>	<p><b>UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH</b></p> <p>Sunday Services Sunday School 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. Young People's Meeting 6:30 p. m. Preaching 7:30 p. m. Wednesday Prayer Service 7:30 p. m.</p>	
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<p>Bainum Butane Phone 2171</p>	<p><b>Clack's Humble Service</b> Malcolm Clack</p>	<p><b>Friona Battery &amp; Electric</b> Johnny Wilson</p>	
<p>Attendance In Sunday School Last Sunday In Friona Churches Was <b>1097</b> (Last Week—1048)</p>			<p><b>Crow's Slaughtering</b> "Wholesale &amp; Retail Meats"</p>
<p><b>This Friendly Message Sponsored by the above Friona Businesses</b></p>			<p><b>Reed's Modern Cleaners</b> Bud and Juanita Reed</p>

**FERTILIZE BEFORE FALL WHEAT PLANTING**

**HARVEST PROFIT TWO IMPORTANT WAYS**

Anhydrous Ammonia applied now, before Fall planting time will pay two ways — decay crop residues and remain bound in the soil for later use by plants.

Let our competent personnel help you plan a date for applying 82% Anhydrous Ammonia soon.

**MAURER FERTILIZER**

Phone 3261 Friona, Texas



**We Give S & H Green Stamps**

Borden's Sweet or Buttermilk

**BISCUITS**

3 cans **29c**

Wicklow — 2 Lb. Family Style

**BACON**

**\$1.29**

Jumbo Pak

**FRANKS**

3 Lb. Bag  
**89c**

Center Cuts

**Pork Chops**

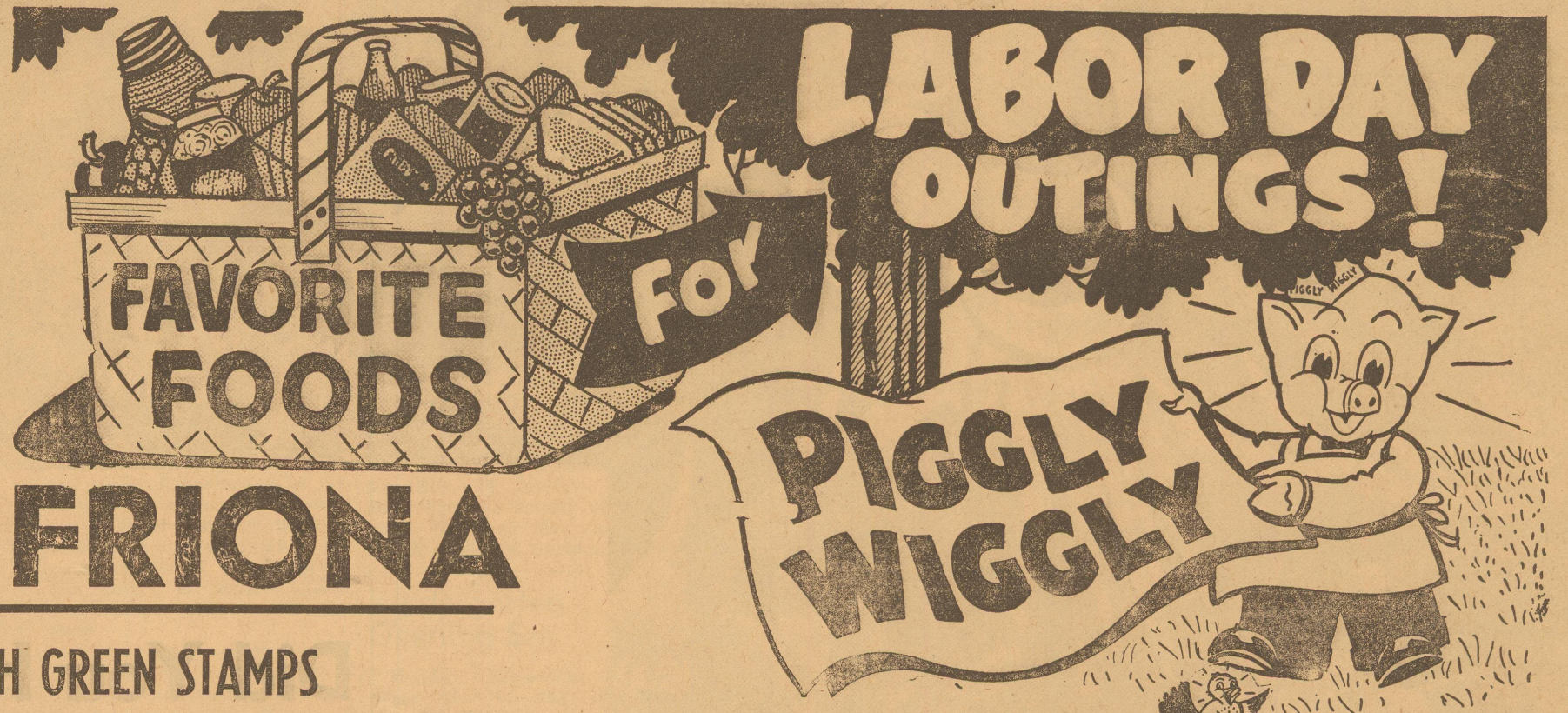
**59c**

Plymouth Brand

**OLEO**

1 LB. PKG.

5 for **\$1**



SAVE AS YOU SPEND WITH S & H GREEN STAMPS

SNOWDRIFT — The Wesson Oil Shortening

**SHORTENING** 3 Lb. Can

**69c**

**PAPER**

Notebook  
Any Color

2 for **35c**



GLADIOLA

**FLOUR**

10 Lb.  
Print Bag

**89c**

LANE'S

**MELLORINE**

1/2 Gal.

**39c**

FOLGER'S — Your Favorite Grind

**COFFEE**

1 Lb. Can

**89c**

Giant Box

**TIDE**

**69c**

Regular Carton

**COCA COLA** **29c**

6 Bottles — Plus Deposit

CAMPFIRE

**PORK AND BEANS**

No. 300 Can

12 for **\$1**

Friona Chief Notebook

**BINDERS**

Picture of Chief On  
Front — Friona School Colors

**\$1.98**

\$2.98 Value

WE  
WILL  
BE  
CLOSED

**LABOR DAY**



These Prices Good  
ALL WEEK  
Aug. 29 thru Sept. 4

**LIBBY'S CANNED MEATS**

SPANISH RICE 15 1/2 oz. can **19c**

No Beans  
CHILE 16 oz. can **39c**

No Beans  
CHILE 24 oz. can **49c**

BEEF LOAF 7 oz. can **29c**

BEEF STEW 24 oz. can **43c**

CHOPPED BEEF 12 oz. can **39c**

CHOPPED HAM 3 oz. can **59c**

DEVILED HAM 3 oz. can 2 for **35c**

LUNCHEON HAM 12 oz. can **43c**

With Beans and Meat Sauce  
CHILE SPG. 16 oz. can **29c**

POTTED MEAT 5 1/2 oz. can 2 for **29c**

VEAL LOAF 7 oz. can **29c**

VIENNA SAUSAGE 4 oz. can 2 for **39c**

With Bar-B-Q Sauce  
VIENNA SAUSAGE 5 oz. can 2 for **43c**

**FRIONA**



Phone 3001

Starkist

**TUNA**

Chunk Style — Green Label

**29c**

Fruit's at its best NOW!  
**FILL YOUR FOOD LOCKER**

Thompson Seedless

**GRAPES**

lb. **15c**

California

**LETTUCE**

2 heads **29c**

Pink

**TOMATOES**

2 lbs. **29c**

Hi-C  
**ORANGE DRINK**

46 Oz. Can

4 for **\$1**

TenderCrust

**BREAD**

22c

King Size Loaf

TenderCrust

**BROWN SERVE ROLLS**

2 pkgs. **39c**

TenderCrust

**POTATO CHIPS**

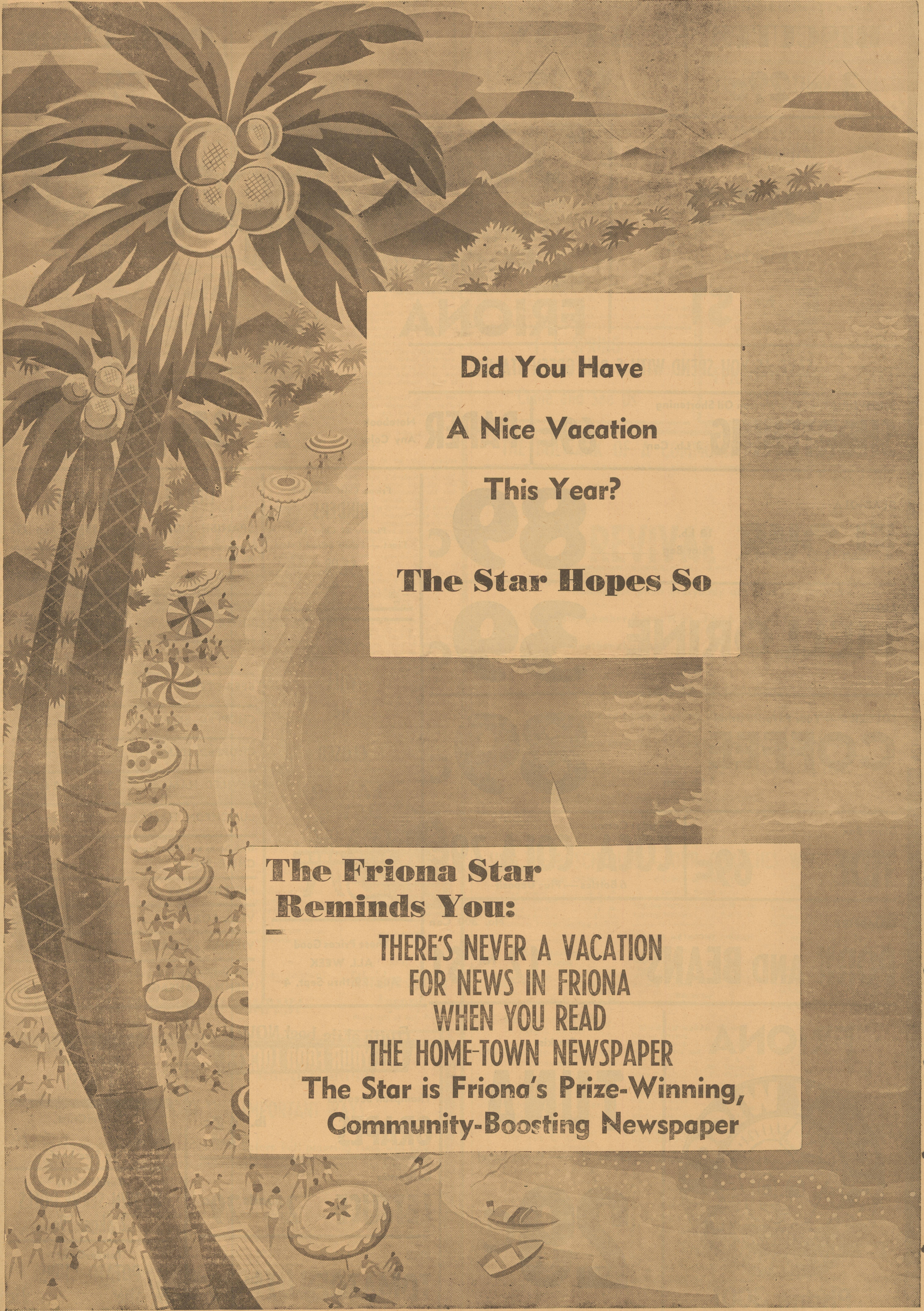
29c Size 25c

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A Nice Vacation  
This Year?  
The Star Hopes So**

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