

GRAHAM CRACKERS

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Even though the Chiefs lost to Ralls Saturday, everybody who went to the game at Plainview had a good time, so far as we have been able to tell. Actually, we were a little disappointed at the turn-out, although those big stands will dwarf most Class A crowds.

The weather couldn't have been nicer, and Friona got a break by having the east side of the bleachers, too. We noticed that the noses of the Ralls fans were turning a little blue along about the end of the third quarter, when the sun dipped behind the west side of the stand and shaded them.

The only trouble we had was when we adjourned at the half and stood in line under the bleachers for coffee for about 20 minutes. The ice was several inches thick down there, and our feet got cold and wouldn't thaw out the rest of the afternoon. We should have stayed topside and watched the bands and gone thirsty, we can sure see that now.

Our biggest thrill of the afternoon came when we were driving along in Plainview, "rubbernecking," as they call it now, trying to get our bearings. In all the confusion, we drove through a stop sign.

As luck would have it, a city cop was sitting near at hand in his parked car just looking for such a bonehead stunt. We turned red faced and drove on, just knowing our time was up.

However, he never budged. He pulled off the road to turn around and got stuck.

This screwball weather has been tough on the farmers and the farm workers as we've editorialized on before. But let us remind you that it causes other people no little trouble, too.

For example, we have been through the wringer trying to come out with a sensible headline in our Farm and Home news section. About two months ago, we wrote one that said we were on the brink of the biggest harvest in history. The day the paper came out, it started to rain.

Last week, it finally cleared off and the sun shone for four days straight. We thought the long wet spell had at last ended. We checked the weather bureau report at the last minute, and went into print with "Harvest Outlook Greatly Improved" headline in last week's Farm and Home.

Thursday morning, the snow began to fall, and needless to say, we were outfoxed again. However, we have an alibi. Let us quote you verbatim from the weather forecast appearing in the Thursday morning edition of the Amarillo Daily News:

HIGH OF 54 IS

FORECAST TODAY

Temperatures will be about the same today, according to weathermen at Amarillo Air Terminal.

High temperature expected today is 54 following another chilly night. Low temperature Wednesday night was expected to hit 27. High temperature Wednesday was 49.

Officially the forecast for Amarillo and vicinity calls for generally fair skies except for some high cloudiness Thursday and little change in temperatures.

The Panhandle and South Plains forecast calls for generally fair skies with no important temperature changes.

With such forecasting as that, we think we should turn the job of predicting the weather over to somebody like Don Karatall out on Frio Draw, or maybe even old Willie Williams down at Bovina. Those fellows are a lot more fun, and besides, they are just as accurate, too.

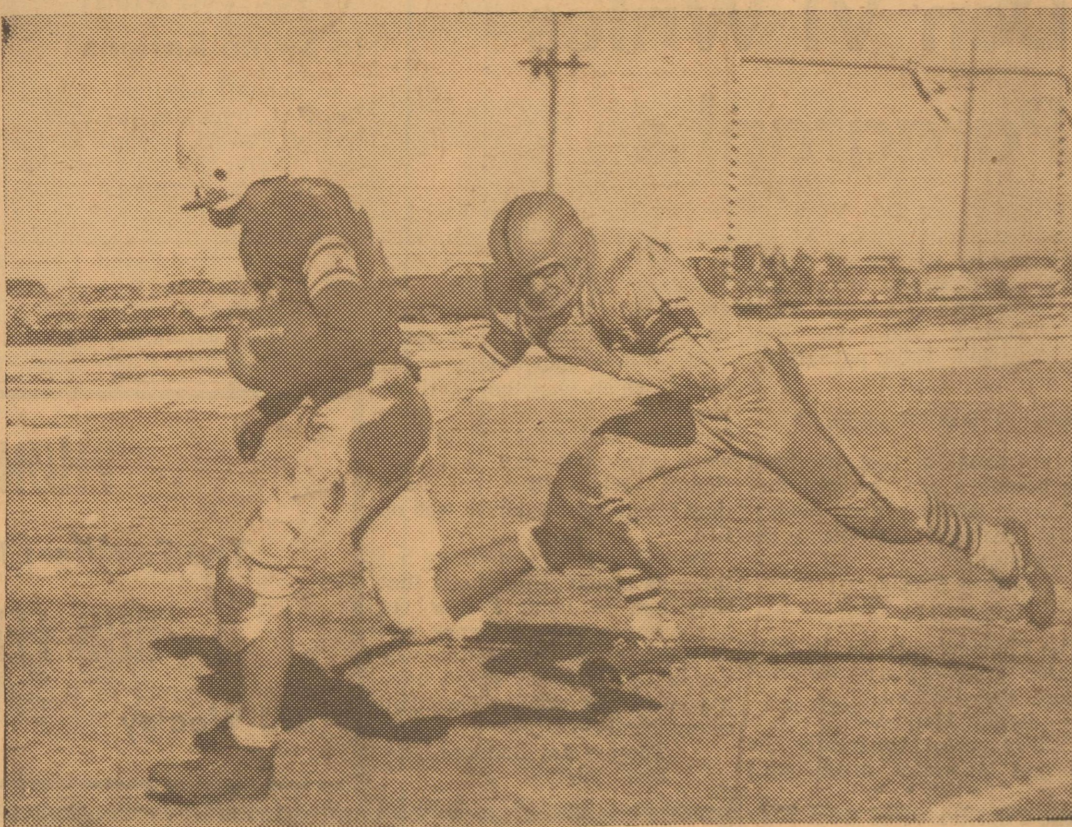
What's this about flying saucers being sighted near Friona? We haven't heard of it, although apparently someone has. Here are a few paragraphs from the weekly newsletter of Congressman Walter Rogers.

Walter, as you can see, has a tongue-in-check attitude about the subject this week:

The recent news stories about the sighting of flying saucers in the Panhandle of Texas has given us quite a bit of publicity all over the country. Whether it is good or bad is a debatable question. In fact, I have had several visits from people who are interested in flying saucers. Incidentally, there are a number of organizations devoted to the subject of flying saucers. These are private, not government, programs.

It is interesting to talk to these people who make a business of studying the different reports about these objects. I expect several of them have

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NOW OR NEVER says the Ralls Jackrabbit defender just before ball carrier Larry Fairchild steps across the goal for the first of Friona's touchdowns. The play covered 22 yards around left end, and fleet-footed Fairchild sprinted the yards without being touched until the lone defender pictured attempted the tackle.

Chiefs Lose 21-12 To Ralls Rabbits

The tough eleven of the Friona Chiefs took a 21-12 loss from the lumbering Ralls Jackrabbits in the bi-district playoff game Saturday afternoon in Plainview.

Outweighed by a team average of about 22 pounds per man, the Chiefs' hustle throughout the tilt kept them in good chance of coming from behind for victory until the middle of the final quarter. Time was a heavy factor against the Friona team, with the Chiefs pushing toward a touchdown in the closing minutes of the first half and having to take to the air as the minutes rushed by before the game ended.

But the Chiefs led in total yardage 269 to 246, hinting of the masterful display of football they used in their effort. Such an effort allowed them to gather in their two touchdowns, the first Friona scoring came on a 50-yard drive in six plays. Larry Fairchild galloped around left end for the final 22 yards.

The Chiefs scored on a pass to bring their total to 12 points, when Quarterback Leon Massey tossed 14 yards to End Gary Goetz. Conversions and both scoring drives failed with running attempts on the slippery field.

Ralls had scored two touchdowns prior to the last Chief touchdown and kicked points after both. This placed the Rabbits ahead 14-12.

Friona came back to kickoff, using the gambler's short kick. Ralls, however, covered the ball on the mid-field stripe. In six plays, the last one a fourth down try for two yards for a first, the Jackrabbits stole around end instead of the usual line plunge for a touchdown and point after. This caught the Chiefs guard down, and Ralls held a safe lead, 21-12.

Fullback Weldon Fairchild returned to be the top yardage gaining back of the Friona team by bullying his path through the hefty Ralls' line for 73 yards. Most of his total comes from three and four yards per carry, with his longest being a 16 yard trek.

Jerry London holds the second place in total yards and first in yards per carry among the Friona backfield. His total was 70 in nine carries, with an average per carry of about eight yards.

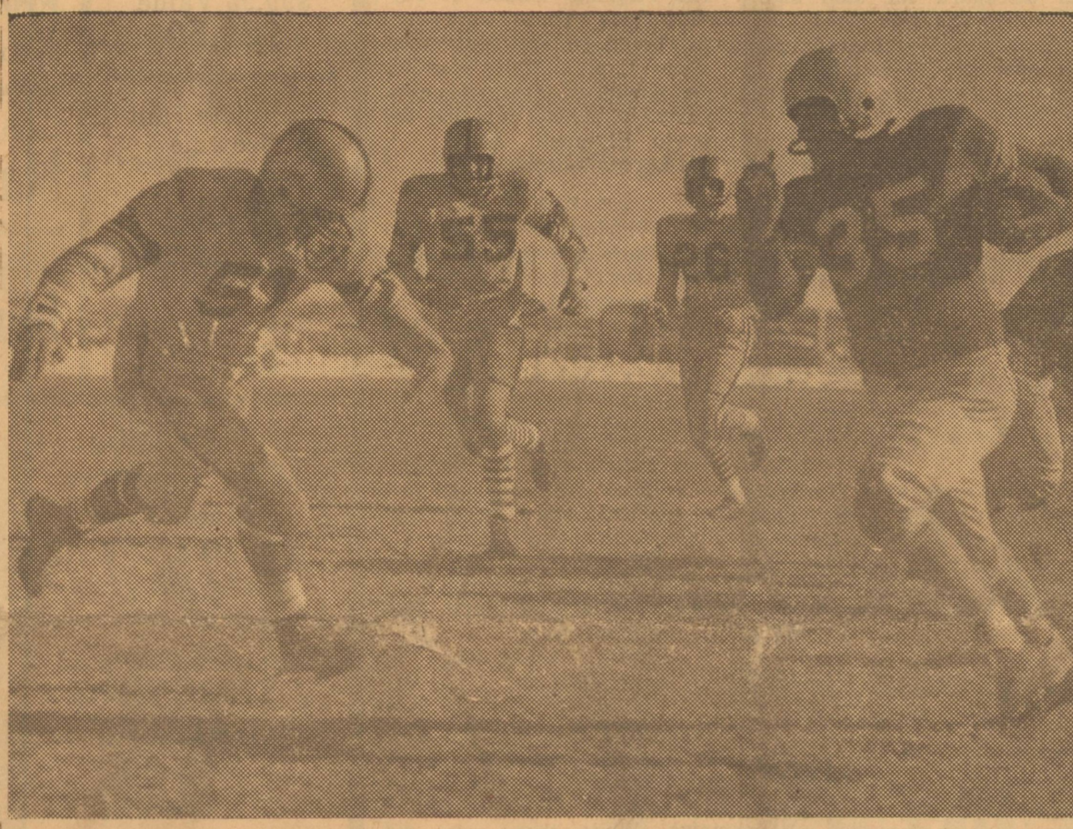
Larry Fairchild gathered in 58 yards in 10 carries, and is second in yards per carry. His per carry average is 5.8 yards.

Game at a Glance		
Friona		Ralls
13	First Downs	15
269	Net Yards	246
211	Yards Rushing	229
58	Yards Passing	17
3-25	Penalties	4-30
2-50	Punts	4-115
0	Opp. Fumbles Rec.	1

Fire Department Hosts Police Dept.

The Friona Police Department was special guest of the Friona Volunteer Fire Department at the firemen's fifth week of the month supper held Thursday night of last week at the club house.

Seventy-four persons were present for the event, at which a barbecue meal was served. After the meal, Fire Chief Charlie Bainum introduced Chief Ben Moorman and Patrolman Howard Mayfield of the police department. Bainum also led the group in singing several selections, with Mrs. Andy Hurst furnishing piano accompaniment.



THE GIANTS GET ACQUAINTED—Weldon Fairchild (35) is shown as he bursts through the Jackrabbits' line for another of his fullback gains, shortly before the Ralls tackler moves in. He led the Friona backs in total yardage.

Santa Coming Soon

Through the cooperation of the Retail Merchants Association and the American Legion, Santa Claus will make a personal appearance in Friona at 4:30 p. m. Saturday, December 7. Each child will have an opportunity to see him at the City Park immediately following the drawing.

Santa, who will arrive by plane at the Benger Air Park, will be met by the Friona Firemen and will come into town on the fire truck. There will be bags of treats for each child and Santa Claus will talk to the children.

Everyone is invited to meet Santa at the City Park by the Retail Merchants Association and the American Legion.

Police Record Three Accidents

Three minor auto accidents were investigated by Friona Police Chief Ben Moorman during the past week. No personal injuries were reported in any of the collisions.

The latest happened Saturday at the corner of Sixth and Main Streets. Drivers of the vehicles were L. M. Crow and Paul Dean Chew.

Elsie B. Moyer and Mrs. Tommie Ruth Mercer were drivers of cars that collided Thursday morning at the intersection of Main Street and Highway 60.

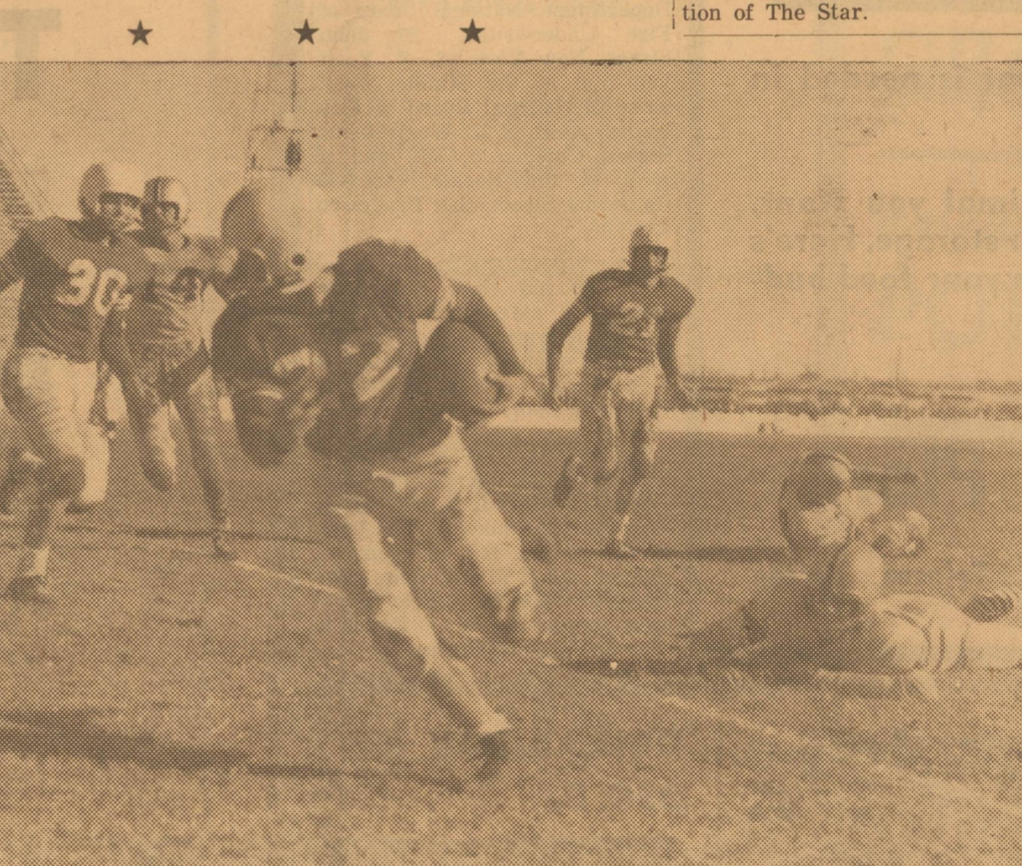
A grain truck and car collided Wednesday near the railroad tracks in the Hub road.

Chief Moorman lists the driver of the truck as Mrs. Ila Daniel, and Mrs. H. G. Houston as the car driver.

BUILDING PERMITS

The following building permit was issued by the city of Friona during the week ending November 25:

Mrs. A. S. Curry, 806 Woodland, move in a residence, \$5,500.



TWO DOWN, NINE MORE TO GO—A couple of hefty Ralls Jackrabbits get left behind as Friona's Larry Fairchild makes a cut down field for quick yardage.

Report From Frio Draw

Dear Editor, I ain't particularly jumpin' up and down about it, but it 'pears to me that the Republicans is getting a pretty good job done about the maize surplus this year. At least it 'pears there will be quite a bit less than the USDA was expectin' from this area.

What with the rain, and snow, an' cows eatin' mine up, I figure we oughta be able to start next year without any worry about the last three year's crop still being around. It ought not to be mor'n two year's hangin' around by next year, anyhow.

Too bad this surplus problem couldn't have been taken care of when the Democrats were in. Ef'n they had been in, I betcha they coulda cut it down to one year's production.

Yours truly,
Don Karatall

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Teachers Plan Study Guide To Improve School Studies

Teachers of Friona School will this afternoon begin a five-purpose program recognized as a step in bettering the instruction of students.

The program is known as "in-service training" and the end result sought is a curricula guide for teachers.

Dillie Kelley, superintendent, lists the five purposes as:

1. To coordinate the instruction program of the school.

2. To assist teaching person-

nel in improving methods of instruction and improve the lesson planning.

3. To assist the personnel in keeping their instruction in harmony with other classes and subject divisions.

4. To assist new teachers in preparing their daily and weekly teaching schedule.

5. To provide a situation for professional growth on the part of each teacher.

The program began in full scope this afternoon, with teachers meeting for about an hour. Kelley and the school principals, Raymond Cook, Baker Duggins and Tom Jarboe, have been gathering material and discussing procedure in carrying out the program some time. Approval of the board of education, allowing teachers to spend one

hour a month of school time in pursuit of the in-service training, was given last month, Kelley says.

In a sense, the curricula guide will allow each teacher to know what he is expected to teach, when it should be taught, what his students are prepared to learn at different levels, and how to better plan for daily instruction.

In a school of the Friona school's size, a problem of coordination exists. This is because different grades are divided into sections. For example, the first three grades are divided into four sections each.

With four teachers handling a section of the same grade, the likelihood is slim that the same material will be presented to all

four sections. The situation comes to the forefront when the students are promoted to the next grade. As an example, a student from one section may have been instructed in fractions, while students from another section may have been left unexposed to fractions.

Thus, the curricula guides are intended to end a large amount of guesswork. When completed, the curricula guide will inform teachers of material that is to be covered. Each section will then be coordinated, regardless of the teacher, provided the guide is followed.

However, the guide is not to be a strait-jacket for teachers, according to Kelley. Method of teaching is to be left to the teacher, with the sole limitation—

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Group Forms To View Schools

A committee to study the schools in Parmer County is shaping up. Known as the Hale-Aikin Committee of Parmer County, the group is to be composed of six persons from each school district in the county.

Dillie Kelley, superintendent of the Friona Schools, has been chosen chairman of the group, after having served as temporary chairman. Other members of the group will include the superintendent of Bovina, Lazbuddie, and Farwell schools.

Also taking part, as members of the committee, will be the presidents of the boards of education throughout the county, and four laymen members.

Announcement of the committee members will be made next week, Kelley says.

New Car Awaits Friona Shopper

Shoppers in Friona during the Christmas shopping period will be in the running for a new car. Friona merchants, in cooperation with the Retail Merchants Association, are providing the attraction to be awarded to a Friona shopper.

Further details of the giveaway will be in next week's edition of The Star.

Provision for the committee was made by the 55th legislature, in connection with the teacher pay-raise amendment enacted by the legislature.

Frerich Takes Part In Training Test

Pfc. Leon J. Frerich, son of Mr. and Mrs. John R. Frerich, Rt. 3, Friona, recently participated in a three-week training test with members of the 5th Anti-Aircraft Artillery Battalion at the Todendorf NATO Firing Range in Germany.

Frerich, who is a member of the battalion's Battery A, entered the army in December of 1956 and completed basic training at Fort Bliss. He was employed by the International Minerals and Chemical Corporation at Comstock before he entered the service.

School Dismisses Wednesday at 3 p.m.

Friona Schools will be dismissed today (Wednesday) at 3 p.m. for the Thanksgiving holidays, according to Dillie Kelley, superintendent.

Ordinarily dismissed at 4 p.m., the early dismissal is to allow teachers and the administrators to begin work on a curriculum guide for the school. (See separate story, TEACHERS PLAN STUDY GUIDE.)

Retail Merchants Will Observe Thanksgiving

Thanksgiving Day will be observed by most members of the Retail Merchants Association. Some exceptions to this will be the Continental Grain Company and Friona Wheat Growers elevators. Both of these firms plan to remain open to take care of grain which farmers bring in if the weather permits.

Some other firms which plan to remain open are Friona Consumers, Hill's Cafe, Bi-Wize Drug, the Tasty Cream Drive In, and possibly some of the service stations.

Garth Infant Buried Here

Final rites were conducted Saturday afternoon at the First Baptist Church for Doris May Garth, infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Garth of Rt. 1, Friona.

She was born November 4 at Muleshoe and died November 22. Rev. L. A. Sartain, pastor, officiated. Survivors include the parents; one sister, Kathryn; and maternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Fuller of Okemah, Okla. Burial was in Babyland at the Friona Cemetery under the direction of Singleton Funeral Home of Muleshoe.

One out of seven or about seven percent of Texas' population is composed of persons 65 years of age or older. In rural areas, the percentage is even higher, says Reagan Brown extension rural sociologist and their needs are of growing interest.

But, Take A Look at The Chiefs' Record!

A successful season, measured by non-idealists standards, has just been completed by the fighting Friona Chiefs. Though they lost the bi-district tilt against Ralls, the Chiefs vindicated themselves with capable, tough football.

However, the season's record shows how far the Chiefs progressed under the tutoring of Coach Colie Huffman.

Vital Statistics (From Star Game Accounts)		
Friona		Opponents
114	First Downs	113
2237	Total Yards	1931
150	Scores	81

SUNRAY
The Friona Chiefs, meeting their first opponent of the season, took a mild 12-6 beating in a rain-soaked gruel on the gridiron.

AMHERST
Spoofted by the accurate passing of Amherst's Keith Blair, the Chiefs were unable to break a third quarter, 12-12 tie, though the Friona team displayed a superior ground gaining offense.

HAPPY
Though playing their best ball game of the season, the Chiefs were unhappily overtaken by the Happy Cowboys when the Cowboys overcame the Chiefs' two-touchdown lead and kicked a point after to win 13-12.

WHITEFACE
The Chiefs came from behind the Whiteface Antelopes in the latter part of the third quarter for their first win of the season, 7-6.

WHITE DEER
A smoothly operating Friona

Chief football team rambled over the Bucks of White Deer, making pre-game predictors hunt other crystal balls. The victory by the Chiefs is recognized as the upset game of the week in High Plains football as the Chiefs dished up 35 points to the Bucks' 19.

FARWELL
The Friona Chiefs' fundamental football machine, with every cog well oiled, threw the recently high-flying Steers of Farwell into a tailspin by a score of 18-0. The victory cast them into the limelight for a district crown in this their last year of Class A football.

SUDAN
Coach Colie Huffman's crew of Chiefs dulled the stinger of the Sudan Hornets 13-6, and continued their trek toward district championship. This was the first time in the history of the two schools' competition that Friona has garnished a victory over the Lamb County team.

SPRINGLAKE
After a late start, the Chiefs rolled over the Springlake Wolverines 35-6, gaining momentum in their sprint toward the district title. The Chiefs turned the second half of the game into a rampage before a shivering crowd of Friona boosters.

MORTON
By mauling the Morton Indians 12-7, Huffman's crew donned the title of District 3-A Champions. Meeting the Morton pigskin warriors, the Chiefs maintained the toughest defense ever displayed on the gridiron of Friona High School.

THE STAR'S EDITORIAL COMMENT

Thanksgiving Look Bleak? Maybe We Need Two

To many persons in this area, Thanksgiving in 1957 may seem a bit empty. The harvest is late. There may be notes at the bank, or bills unpaid. Seemingly, a successful year hangs in the balance of whether the weather conditions are favorable.

The unpleasant part of this is that it is true. It is terrible to see the crops mature, produce well, only to be denied the harvest.

A year's labor could be wasted. Disheartened persons would wonder if it would be worth the effort to try again. All the expense would lump together, creating a harsh debt.

What is there to be thankful for at this year's Thanksgiving Day?

Human nature is such that often a person cannot be sincerely grateful—unless he has nothing. Traditionally, the American Thanksgiving originated with early settlers joining with the friendly Indians for a feast. What did they have to be thankful for? Apparently they had nothing, except the food at the feast, a few stores, a log cabin, and a long winter ahead.

And what have we in comparison?

Safe Toys

Adults should insist that all toys they buy or give to children be safe—incapable of causing fire, shock, or explosion.

Your best assurance of getting a safe electrical toy is to look for the UL label or tag on the toy.

The UL label is especially important on toys producing heat.

Adults should take care also in purchasing chemical sets for children. Toys requiring alcohol,

kerosene, gasoline or carbide lamps may be hazardous in juvenile hands.

Parents should supervise any play with electrical toys or toys involving fuels and chemicals.

The nation's top authorities on irrigation and related fields were featured speakers on the program for the statewide Irrigation Conference sponsored by the newly-organized Texas



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Perhaps most of us would have to look at last year's television set, and drive last year's automobile. We might have to revert to a simple diet of meat and beans.

Things are not as bad as they could be!

Why, after thinking it over, one might decide that we have so much in this country to be grateful for, that we wish Texas still had two Thanksgivings, so we could more express our appreciation.

What's Doin' In Friona

Thursday, November 28
Thanksgiving

Friday, November 29
Interdenominational Church Women meet at First Baptist Church
Parmer County Farmer's Union meeting, Hub Community Center

Saturday, November 30
Drawing at City Park, 4:30

Monday, December 2
Dollar Day in Friona
Hospital Board
School Board
Rhea HD Club
Rainbow Girls
American Legion

Tuesday, December 3
Modern Study Club
Friona Masonic Lodge

Wednesday, December 4
Congregational Women's Fellowship
Ladies Bible Class at Sixth Street Church of Christ

Thursday, December 5
Hub HD Club
Parmer County HD Club
Friona Firemen

IN THE COURTS

CITY COURT

The following cases were disposed of in city corporation court of Judge Walter Loveless during the week ending November 25:

William Duane Johnson, charged with speeding 45 m.p.h. in a 30 m.p.h. zone, pled guilty and was fined \$15.

James William Bates, charged with disregard for stop sign, pled guilty and was fined \$5.

Johnny Max Winkler, charged with speeding 50 m.p.h. in a 30 m.p.h. zone, pled guilty and was fined \$20.

Ray Wilson, charged with no driver's license, pled guilty and was fined \$10.

Santo Ronda, charged with no driver's license, pled guilty and was fined \$10.

Paul Dean Chew, charged with leaving scene of accident, pled guilty and was fined \$20.

L. M. Crow, charged with leaving scene of accident, pled guilty and was fined \$10.

JP COURT

The following case was disposed of in justice of the peace court of Judge Walter Loveless during the week ending November 25:

David Geick, charged with theft, pled guilty and was fined \$79.50.

Film Listing

The National Board of Fire Underwriters has a selection of 28 free fire prevention films, several of which concern winter fire hazards and the steps to be taken to save lives and property. To obtain a copy of the film listings, write to Public Relations Department, National Board of Fire Underwriters, 85 John Street, New York 38, N. Y. If you live in the Middle West, write to National Board of Fire Underwriters at 222 West Adams Street, Chicago 6, Ill., and if west of the Rockies, to 465 California Street, San Francisco 4, Calif.

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Den VI Writes Paragraphs

Cub Scouts of Den VI wrote Thanksgiving paragraphs at their Tuesday afternoon meeting in the O. J. Beene home. This den has been studying about the Pilgrims and the first Thanksgiving. Their paragraphs follow:

What I Am Thankful For

I am thankful that we have our homes. I am thankful that we have mothers and daddys. I am thankful for the grass that grows.

Tommy Sherley

The Pilgrims came to America in 1492. They explored America before they settled.

Kenny Squyres
(Editors note. Apparently one cub got his dates mixed up.)

The Pilgrims came from England. They came to America in early 1621. The Pilgrims were the second people in our country. They met up with the Indians one day. The Indians were not friendly at first. One day the government made peace with the chief of the tribe. And the government asked the chief if he would come to a Thanksgiving feast.

Bobby Sims

When the Pilgrims landed on Cape Cod, they found that the land was not good. So they went exploring and after awhile they found Plymouth Rock and lived there.

Johnny Mabry
(Editor's note. Johnny illustrated his paragraph with some interesting drawings which cannot be reproduced in the paper.)

The Pilgrims landed at Plymouth Rock. There were men and women on the boat going to shore. Captain Myles Standish went ahead of everyone else. He went exploring and led the rest to Plymouth Rock.

Larry Johnson

The Pilgrims landed on Plymouth Rock in 1621 on the Mayflower ship. There they had many hardships in America. Almost everybody got sick. They all went hunting to get some food.

Darrell Schwab

The Pilgrims landed on Plymouth Rock in 1621. They met the Indians and the Indians taught them how to grow corn. Then the Indians taught them how to make popcorn. My school is having a play. I am the medicine man.

Happy Thanksgiving
Jay Beene

When the Pilgrims got here they sent an excursion into the land. When they got to a stream, they found a clay pot full of maize. While they were dis-

Cottonseed Meal In Swine Rations

An animal nutrition expert, Dr. T. J. Cunha of the University of Florida, reports in his text, "Swine Feeding and Nutrition", (1957): "Recent experiments at Florida and at many other stations have shown that low-gossypol cottonseed meal containing less than 0.04 percent of free gossypol is safe for feeding to swine as the only protein supplement. The Florida tests 9 to 10 percent of the ration.

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THANKSGIVING--



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WANTED—Bundle threshing with a Case thresher. Also baling of any kind of feed. F. R. Stiver, Phone 930, Hereford, Texas. Box 188. 7-3tp

FOR SALE—Two lots in west part of Friona. Located on pavement. Owen Broyles, Route 1, Box 11, Muleshoe, Texas. 7-3tp

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American Legion Plans Work Night

A work meeting has been planned by members of the American Legion and Legion Auxiliary for Monday evening, December 2. There will be a turkey supper before the meeting. All legionnaires and their wives are urged by Russell Massey, commander, to be present. The women are to bring a pie or a salad for the supper. After supper treats for the children, who will be at the City Park to see Santa Claus December 7, will be sacked. Says Massey, "This will be a big job unless a large number of men and women attend the supper and help with the work."

Vehicle Owners Should Obtain Inspection Stickers

With only one-tenth of the motor vehicles in Texas inspected for the year 1958, automobile and truck owners were urged today to obtain their new inspection stickers before the holiday season. Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, called upon motorists to obtain their 1958 inspection stickers as soon as possible in order to alleviate the last minute rush on the 4,200 inspection stations in Texas. Garrison said only about 450,000 of the four million registered vehicles in the state have been inspected and approved. "While this number exceeds that for the same period last year," he said, "the present rate of inspection will not prevent inspection stations from being rushed again during the last few weeks of the inspection period ending April 15, 1958. Vehicle owners who complete their inspections before the holiday period will avoid the inconvenience of waiting at the inspection stations." The state police director also said that early inspections will be of benefit to motorists who plan trips during the Thanksgiving to New Year's period by eliminating mechanical defects. Last year more than 6,000 4-H club boys participated in the Texas 4-H Club Tractor Program. W. L. Ulich, extension agricultural engineer, says plans have been perfected which should make possible an increase in this number. Local leaders who will guide the 4-H members will be trained in a series of district schools beginning in late November. Last year more than 400 local leaders in 204 counties were active in the program.

City Tax Collections On Par with 1957

Despite an unfavorable fall for Friona's economy, tax collections for the city are nearly abreast of the percentage paid at this time last year, according to City Clerk Roy Wilson. "Actually, more money has been paid in than there was at this time last year. But the tax roll is larger this year than last year's, so the percentage of collection is slightly less," Wilson says. The total amount collected this year during October and including November until Monday is \$12,798.84. Last year, October and November collections totaled \$12,584.42. The 1957 roll assesses the total city taxes at \$46,880.06. The roll for 1956 was \$42,431.02, \$4,449.04 less than the 1957 roll. This year, the percentage collected is 27.3 percent; 29.6 percent was already collected at this time last year, according to Wilson's figures.

Local Girl Accepts Position in Lubbock

Loletta O'Brian, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth O'Brian of Rt. 1, Friona, recently completed a course in secretarial science at Draughon's Business College at Lubbock. Upon completion of her course, she accepted a position with the National Carloading Corporation in Lubbock. Miss O'Brian, who is a 1956 graduate of Friona High School, enrolled at the school in September of 1956. According to a report from Draughon's, she made excellent grades while attending school.

Who Is Eligible For SS Benefits?

Do you know which members of your family would be eligible for social security benefits if anything should happen to you? John R. Sanderson, district manager of the Amarillo social security office, said that many questions received in the district office indicate that workers and their families do not understand the survivors benefits provided in the event of the death of the worker. The law now permits widows to draw monthly benefits at age 62. Widows who are younger may draw monthly benefits if they have in their care a child of the deceased worker who is entitled to benefits. Sanderson said most people know that a child of a deceased worker is

entitled to benefits until age 18. Many people, however, are not aware that a disabled son or daughter over 18 may qualify for a child's benefit if the disability began before age 18. Under certain circumstances a widower who was dependent on his wife may qualify for monthly benefits. Dependent parents may qualify if the worker was not survived by a spouse or a child entitled to monthly benefits. Sanderson pointed out that in almost every case a lump-sum death benefit can be paid to

survivors. This payment is in addition to any monthly benefits the family may get. He emphasized that benefits are not paid automatically; families must make application for them. The social security office recommends that every worker find out what payments may be due in the event of his death. Workers need this information to plan effectively for the financial security of their families. Your social security office has a booklet entitled "Your Social Security" which provides this information. You may write or

telephone your social security office for a copy.

Good cotton planting seed with high germination may be scarce next spring. Late planting last spring plus too much rain during the harvest season has created a situation which could bring on the scarcity, says Fred C. Elliott, extension cotton specialist. And to add to the trouble, he says the condition exists over all the Southland. Elliott advises farmers to save and properly store good quality seed of known varieties.

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Social Events of Interest

Cousins Honored By Young Family

The family of Mrs. N. S. Young of Spade gathered at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. K. Carter Sunday for a family dinner honoring Buford Carter and Roy Young, who are home on leave before reporting for overseas duty with the U. S. Army.

Those present other than Mrs. Young and the guests of honor, who are both her grandsons, were Mr. and Mrs. Noah Young and Monroe, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Young and Jan, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Veazey, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Houston and Debbie, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stowers and Ineta;

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Beavers, Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Capps and children, Gary and Craig; Kenneth, Pete, Judy and Joy Carter, Owen Houston, and Nancy Outland, all of Friona;

Also, Loretta Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bridges and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Bridges and baby of Hereford;

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Austin of Plainview; and Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Young, Clinton Jr., and Rita of Levelland;

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Hall and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mitchell, Judy, Jeannie, and Joan, and Marshall Young, all of Dimmitt; Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Young, Martin, Ernest, Loren, Ronald, Tony, and Melba Sue of Littlefield;

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Harris and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Jody Young and baby, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Young, Shirley and Hershel, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Nelson, Jimmie, Ronnie, and Susie of Littlefield.

Rebecca Class Has Regular Meet

The Rebecca Class of the First Baptist Church had its regular business and social meeting at the home of Mrs. C. W. Dixon Thursday afternoon. The Bible study was the first six chapters of Deuteronomy. The opening prayer was led by Mrs. Dixon.

Following the meeting, refreshments of pumpkin pie and coffee were served by the hostess. Plans were made for a box to be sent to a missionary in the foreign field in the near future.

Those present were Mesdames Ethel Chitwood, E. E. Taylor, Charles Rauh, Eva Roberson, L. R. Dilger, Elmer Euler, M. A. Black, Bill Cogdill, J. M. Bradley, and the hostess.

Birthday Dinner Honors Mr. Bracken

C. L. Bracken, who observed his birthday Saturday, was honored with a birthday dinner in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Kemp in Amarillo Sunday. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Bracken and Rudy and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Bracken and children of Friona;

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Julius Bracken of Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bracken of Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Southward of Stinnett, Mrs. H. A. Ritchen of Dalhart, Mrs. O. A. Ritchen of Herlong, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kemp and Mrs. Minnie Ellison of Amarillo.

Mrs. King, who is a sister of Mrs. Bracken, returned home with the Brackens Sunday afternoon and will visit here several days before going back to California.

Bracken, who has recently undergone surgery, is convalescing at his home in the east part of town.

Edelmans Return

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Edelman and Jan returned Sunday night from Houston where they had attended the wedding of Von Edelman and Nancy Palmer. The Von Edelmans plan to be in Friona early in December to visit in the W. L. Edelman home before going to Honolulu to make their home.

Frionans Return From West Coast

Mrs. Jim Cocannouer and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Crume returned Wednesday afternoon after spending ten days vacationing and visiting relatives in California. At Oakland they visited Mrs. Alice Fling and Mrs. Dorothy Wholly, sister and niece of Mrs. Cocannouer.

They also visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fling and children at Long Beach. Fling

is Mrs. Cocannouer's nephew. Mrs. Alice Fling accompanied the group home. Mr. and Mrs. Cocannouer and Mrs. Fling left Friday morning for Pomona, Mo., due to the illness of a brother, Leonard Pope of that city.

Mrs. O. F. Lange is visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Carolyn Lynn and son, Johnny, at Fort Worth this week. She plans to return home next week.

Guest Speaker

Douglas Rohre of Canyon, who is the head of the Church of Christ Bible Chair at West Texas State College will be the guest speaker at the Sixth Street Church of Christ at 8 p. m. today (Wednesday). The service will be open to the public and anyone who desires to attend will be welcome.

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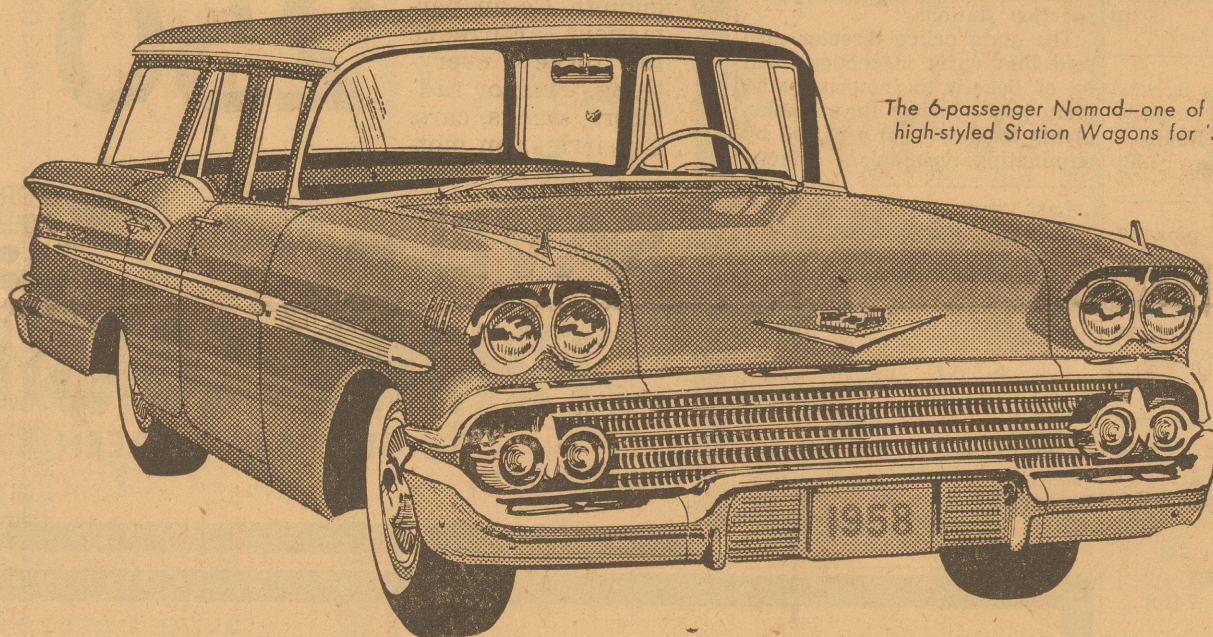
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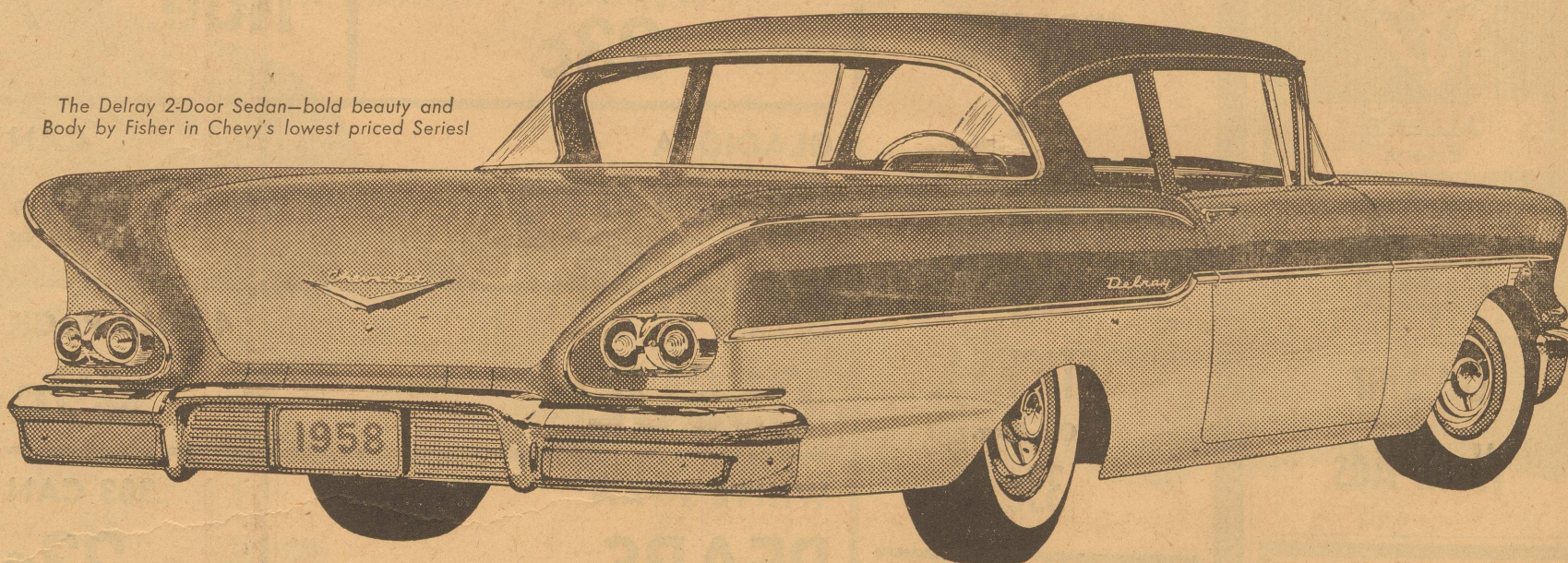
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The Seventh District Texas Federation of Music Clubs junior festival will be held March 8, 1958. It will be in three divisions, as in former years. One division will be at Lubbock, one at Quanah, and one at Hereford. Juniors from Seventh District may enter any one of the festivals scheduled.

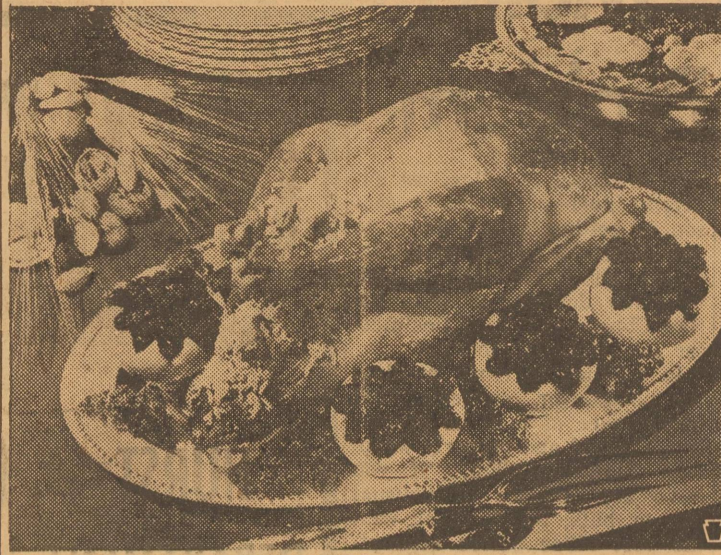
Miss Mattie Mae Swisher, chairman, urges all music teachers to enter their pupils in the

festivals. Further information may be secured by writing Mrs. A. J. Schroeter, Box 73, Hereford, Texas, acting chairman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Welch and daughter, Dolores, of Pettit, were weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Russel O'Brian and daughters, Linda and Karen.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Ivie of Lubbock were weekend guests in the home of Ivie's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rosco Ivie.

THE FEAST OF '57



Thanksgiving and the specialty of the day . . . King Turkey, of course! And, here's a stuffing to give it even greater glamour . . . Mushroom Rice Stuffing made with packaged pre-cooked rice. For a colorful garnish, fill orange cups with spiced fresh cranberries.

- MUSHROOM RICE STUFFING**
 1 large box (about 4 cups) packaged pre-cooked rice
 1 tablespoon salt
 1/2 teaspoon pepper
 5 cups water, boiling
 1/2 cup butter
 1/2 cup chopped onions
 2 cups chopped celery and celery leaves
 1/2 pound (about 1 1/2 cups) sliced, fresh mushrooms

Add packaged pre-cooked rice, salt, and pepper to water, boiling in a large saucepan. Mix just to moisten all rice. Cover, remove from heat, and let stand as directed in Step 2 on the back of the packaged pre-cooked rice box.

Meanwhile, melt butter in skillet. Add onions, celery and leaves, and mushrooms. Saute until lightly browned. Add to prepared rice. Put stuffing into turkey. Do not pack tightly. Roast at once. Makes 12 cups stuffing, or enough for a 12- to 15-pound turkey.

This mix-up also proved the old adage that some good comes from most ill winds. We particularly enjoyed conversations with several persons who accidentally called us as well as with some we accidentally called. About half the time we answered the telephone the voice on the wire said, "I'm sorry. I was calling Welch Auto Supply, the G. B. Buske residence, Dick Habbinga or some other party."

One of the cub scout dens wrote Thanksgiving letters at their regular meeting last week. We are printing these letters and think they should serve as reminders to all of us to stop long enough Thursday to meditate on the many things we have for which we should be thankful.

When you plan your Christmas shopping, be sure to plan to do it in Friona. Local merchants have a large variety of items for personal gifts or for the home. In addition to good service at moderate prices, the merchants are offering another bonus this year. Tickets will be given on each cash purchase and a new 1958 model automobile will be given away Christmas Eve.

There is no better gift you could buy for any child who is in school than a good dictionary. We have some at the Star office that will be very helpful to your child until he finishes college and they are moderately priced.

Several of our residents are planning to move into new homes in the near future. The Hoyt Smiths will move in from their farm in the Messenger community; the A. L. Black family will

be moving soon from their farm in the Hub community; the Ross Terrys are planning to move from the east part of town into a new house just south of Brookfield's Texaco Station.

Mrs. A. S. Curry, who is a pioneer resident of Friona, has purchased a new house and will move here from Amarillo as soon as her house is moved onto a lot just north of Mildred Hilton's home in the west part of town. Mrs. Curry is the mother of Mrs. Cayson Jones ad is well known here.

The annual Dairyman's Short Course, sponsored by the Department of Dairy Science, will be held on December 5-6. All meetings are scheduled for Texas A & M's Memorial Student Center.

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Methodists Have Thanksgiving Observance

The Friona Methodist Church had its Thanksgiving observance Sunday. The morning music and sermon carried out the Thanksgiving theme and the evening service was a basket supper in Fellowship Hall to which all members and their families were invited.

About 120 persons attended the supper. Rev. Hugh Blaylock, pastor, showed color slides which were made last summer in the eastern section of the nation.

gram, Pearl Kinsley, Wilma Wise, Nona Pavalus, Edith Lillard, Marie Sanders, Luella Maurer, Ethel Reeve, and Ann Shackelford.

Overnight Guests

Monday and Tuesday overnight guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Granville England were Mr. and Mrs. John Wickersing and daughters, Linda and Kathy. The Wickerings were on their way from Dallas to Modesto, Calif., where they plan to make their home. Mrs. Wickersing and Mrs. England are sisters.

Homemaker Contest To Be Tuesday

"Homemaker of Tomorrow" day will be observed here and throughout the nation Tuesday, December 3. More than 11,000 senior high school girls will take a 50-minute written examination testing their homemaking knowledge and attitudes. Scholarships totaling \$106,000 are offered by General Mills in this fourth annual Betty Crocker search for the American Homemaker of Tomorrow. The girl making the highest score in the examination will be given the title, Homemaker of Tomorrow for her school and her test will be entered in the national contest.

Fellowship Has Mission Program

The Union Congregational Women's Fellowship met Wednesday afternoon for a program on home missions. The devotional, which was given by Mrs. Ethel Reeve, was based on Thanksgiving. Those present were Viola Treider, who directed the pro-

in & around FRIONA WITH JUNE

Wasn't the snow wonderful? Perhaps we should have said, "Wouldn't the snow have been wonderful if the farmers had had all their crops harvested?" Any kind of moisture right now is considered a menace to crop gathering and isn't very welcome. A few combines ran right on through the snow.

Strangers who happen to be passing through Parmer County Friday probably thought some farmers had taken leave of their senses. At least a dozen combines ran most of the day in the surrounding area. The fellow who announced over the radio that farmers would have only 1 1/2 days last week to work in the fields didn't know the Parmer County farmers.

Surely we have heard everything now. Last week we mentioned the beautiful foliage on the trees at the McLellan home west of town. At least two persons took our advice and looked at it. They were members of the family.

Postmaster McLellan reported that his wife had called his attention to the unusual colorings in the orchard and yard, but he had not taken time off to look at it. However, after reading about it, he did spend a few minutes observing it and really enjoyed it.

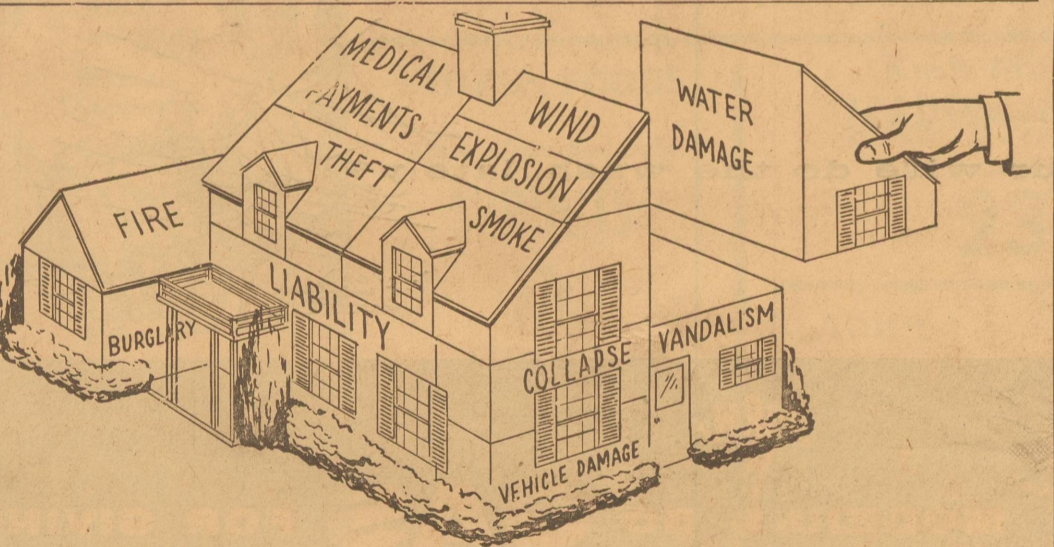
Saturday afternoon Betty Louise Rector, who is the daughter of the McLellans, said, "I never drive up from the west, so I hadn't seen the trees until I made a special trip to look at them." Their beauty is beginning to fade now that the leaves are all falling to the ground.

So many Frionans went to the Friona-Ralls game at Plainview Saturday afternoon that the town looked deserted until about 3:30. By time for the drawing a sizeable crowd had gathered, but not as many as usually attend this weekly event in the City Park.

Think December 21 marks the beginning of winter on most calendars, but our office calendar marks it by the first day our editor, W. H. Graham Jr., shows up with gloves on. On this day, the annual battle of the gloves begins, too. This year the battle began November 22 with the loss of pair number one.

We also know that spring is here when Sonny no longer greets everyone on the staff with the same question, "Have you seen my gloves?" If any of you find a pair of man's dress gloves, you might just bring them to the office. We probably know the person who has lost them.

Our apologies this week go to everyone we called last week that we didn't intend to call. More than half the calls we made went "haywire" and we reached the wrong parties. If there is anything more hectic than a newspaper office on Mondays and Tuesdays, it is a newspaper office with a "mixed-up" telephone.



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 "Let us come before His presence with Thanksgiving, and make a joyful noise unto Him with psalms."
 "For the Lord is a great God, and a King above all gods."
 "In His hands are the deep places of the earth: the strength of the hills is His also."
 "The sea is His, and He made it: and His hands formed the dry land."
 "O come, let us worship and bow down: let us kneel before the Lord, our Maker."
 —Psalms 95:1-6

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CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH Sunday Services Church School 10 a. m. Worship 11 a. m. Pilgrim Fellowship 5 p. m.	FRIONA METHODIST CHURCH 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.	UNITED PENTECOSTAL CHURCH 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.
Continental Grain Co. Preach Cranfill	RHEA LUTHERAN CHURCH Sunday Services Church Service 10 A. M. Sunday School and Bible Class 11 A. M. Ladies Aid: 2nd Thursday Mens Club: 4th Thursday	Bi-Wize Drug Your Rexall Store
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Non-Farm Employment Up in County

Farmer and other counties in this vicinity followed the West Texas trend in increasing population, non-farm employment and factory jobs in 1956, according to statistics compiled by the Texas Employment Commission and released in a recent issue of "West Texas Today."

The overall rate of increase for the area was four percent in population and non-farm employment and eight percent in factory jobs. The Commission estimates a gain of 115,854 for a total of 2,957,274 for the area.

Parmer County's increase is estimated at 214, bringing the total to 10,139. Of this number 3,780 are employed; 2,090 are farm workers, and 1,690 are non-farm workers. Fifty are in manufacturing jobs.

Deaf Smith County netted the largest increase with 1,050. Its total of 5,600 employed persons breaks down into 2,022 farm workers and 3,578 nonfarm workers. Factory employees number 210.

An increase of 485 is charted for Lamb County and brings the total to 23,935. It has the largest number of farm workers

3,000, and 5,200 non-farm workers. The 150 in manufacturing jobs complete the total employed population.

Bailey County gained 250. Farm workers account for 1,235 of the total 2,875, while 1,640 are non-farm workers. An additional 100 are factory employees.

The estimates were made over a period of time extending from June to December. The drought precipitated some shifting from rural to urban employment, but diversified resources in the area proved sufficient to take care of the situation. Industrial counties netted gains substantial enough to balance the 50 counties which either lost population or held stationary.

Larger population centers such as Fort Worth and El Paso naturally made the largest numerical gains, but smaller cities made more impressive jumps percentage-wise. Odessa put Ector County at the top with a 16 percent gain. Other sizeable population centers with continued growth in 1956 were Amarillo and San Angelo.

Ever since this part of the Western Plains was opened to settlement, it has been predominantly agricultural. In recent years, Parmer County has become one of the state's leading producers of agricultural commodities, owing chiefly to the rapid development of irrigation.

Big economic changes have been wrought in the county economy, but they have nearly all taken place immediately within the agricultural and service-to-farming classifications.

In fact, the only manufacturing business in Parmer County is Gifford-Hill-Western of Farwell, which itself is a producer of products directly related to the farming economy.

Attempts are being made by community developers to encourage diversification of employment in the direction of light manufacturing industries, although little headway has been evidenced.

Maintaining a High Percentage Crop

"The supplemental feeding of beef cattle during the dry grass season can be an important factor in maintaining a high percentage calf crop," Farm Advisor Rocky Lydon, San Benito County, California, points out in the "California Farmer" magazine. He adds: "Dry range feed is high in fiber content and low in necessary protein. This lack of protein, when apparently sufficient dry feed is available, results in considerable loss of flesh during the later summer and fall. Sufficient protein in the diet is necessary for proper digestion of dry range feed." Lydon recommends the use of a self-fed mixture containing 50 percent cottonseed meal, 15 percent alfalfa meal, 2 percent bone meal, and 33 percent salt for mature cattle.

Growers of upland and extra long staple cotton will vote in referendums on December 10 to determine whether or not marketing quotas will be operative on their 1958 crops. At least two-thirds of those voting in the two referendums must approve the quotas if they are to remain in effect. Texas has allotted 7,474,661 acres of upland cotton and 27,829 acres of extra long staple cotton for 1958 planting.

Christmas Mail Presents Problem

Turkey Heads November Plentiful Foods List

Many Thanksgiving menus will likely include turkey and the trimmings, for turkey heads the U. S. Department of Agriculture's plentiful foods list for November.

Heavy supplies of pork, lamb, and broiling and frying chickens also will be available for main dish servings in November.

Cranberries and fall fruits such as apples, pears, and canned purple plums are in good supply. Grape products—juice, jelly and jam—made the plentiful foods list for the first time in recent years.

November plentiful vegetables are limited to Irish potatoes, pinto beans and peas, including dry, canned and frozen.

John J. Slaughter, Southwest food distribution chief, Agriculture Marketing Service, points out that food stocks in the major trade areas of this region are checked regularly and only those foods in especially heavy supply make the USDA plentiful list.

OBVIOUS OMISSION

The sign in the window of the highway diner read: "\$500 to the truck driver who orders something we can't furnish." A hungry driver sat down at a table and said to the waitress, "Bring me a elephant ear sandwich." Hurrying to the kitchen, she said to the chef, "Better get ready to fork over 500 clams. There's a truck jockey outside who wants an elephant ear sandwich." "What!" bellowed the chef. "You mean to tell me we're out of elephant ears?" "No, we're not out of elephant ears," replied the waitress, "but we ain't got no more of them big buns."

"The biggest problem we anticipate during the holiday season is getting mail patrons to put Christmas cards and gifts in the post office early enough to make delivery possible before Christmas," said Postmaster Leo McLellan today.

In addition to early mailing, the postmaster suggests that every piece of mail be properly addressed and properly wrapped. Says McLellan, "If you have any articles of unusual size or bulk, better check with the post office before attempting to mail them."

The limits on the size and weight of packages vary, depending on where a package is mailed.

When wrapping gifts for the mail, it is always better to use corrugated cartons, especially where there are a number of various sized objects in the shipment. Use plenty of wadded tissue or newspaper for extra protection against shock, and securely wrap each package or carton in heavy paper, and then tie it with strong cord.

Another thing which McLellan says is particularly important is to include an extra label with your return address and the recipient's address inside the carton or package before it is wrapped. His advice to everyone is, "Remember to wrap securely, address correctly, and mail early."

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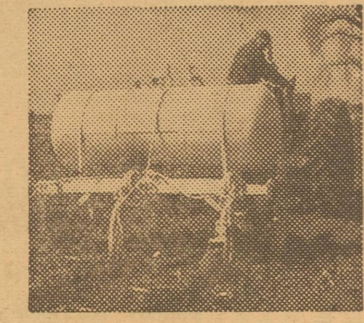
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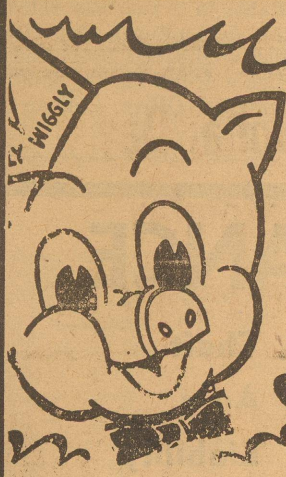


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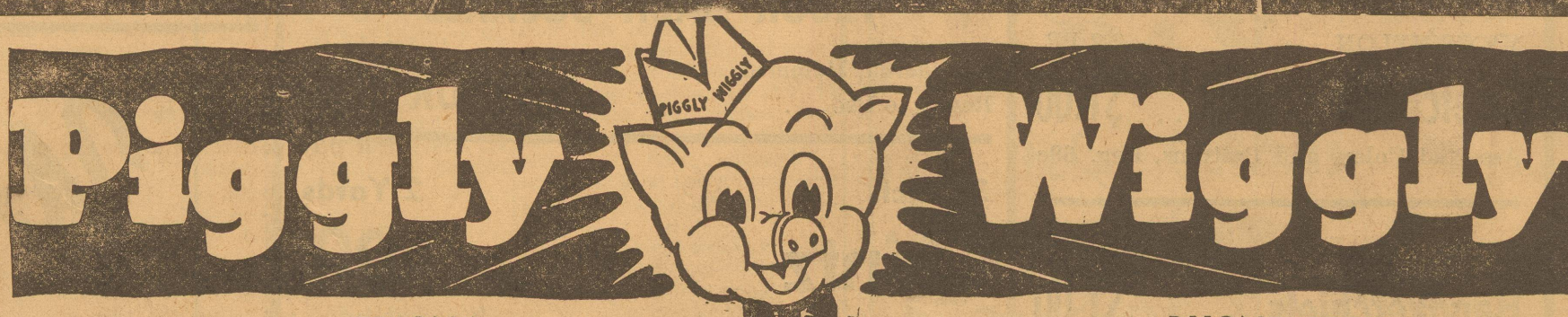
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CRACKERS—

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been out in the Panhandle digging into the reported sightings near Friona.

One of these fellows was in the office the other day and

told me about the man in Nebraska who reported he had seen one of these ships and had communicated with its occupants. I asked where this man was at the present time, and I was told he had been confined in a mental institution. I asked my informant if he

was placed there because of his report about the flying saucer. My informant told me the Nebraskan had been placed in the institution not because he reported seeing a flying saucer and communicating with the occupants thereof, but because he had told this story the same identical way a great number of times.

This came as quite a surprise to me, because I had always thought people got into trouble for not telling the story the same way each time. According to my informant, this is old-fashioned.

According to the new rules, if you tell the story the same way every time, you are possessed of a fixation, according to psychiatrists and, therefore, subject to being confined in the mental institution.

This creates quite a problem, because you will have to be fully aware at all times of the rule which is being applied in the particular jurisdiction in which you find yourself. The point is that, if you see a flying saucer, don't report it until you find out what rule is being applied in that locality.

If you stay with your original story you might end up in a mental institution and, on the other hand, if you change any of the facts after you have repeated the story several times, you may find yourself in the same place. It might be best to say nothing.

Teachers Plan Study Guide

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tion being that the material from the guide be covered, Kelley says.

In the realm of professional growth on the part of each teacher, a program of visitation at other schools is planned. Teachers will have the opportunity to see how Johnny gets his lessons in other towns.

The visiting teacher can observe methods used in other schools, and adopt or reject the methods, according to their usefulness to him. Opportunity to grow professionally will be offered each teacher.

"The program can never be fully complete," Kelley says. "Every time a text is revised or changed, the curricula guide will also be in need of revision."

Kelley points out the usefulness of the guide in helping the school administrator.

"New teachers, especially, inquire about what they should teach, and how, and when, and it is difficult for the principal to tell the teacher what material is to be presented in different level classes. The curricula guide will solve this problem, because an outline for each grade will be included in the curricula

guide," Kelley says.

The program is a follow-up of an evaluation of the school several years ago. Since then, a similar guide has been prepared for physical education. Use of the physical education guide began with the 1956-57 school year, and is in its second year now.

The guides are by nature a task to prepare. Perhaps the remainder of the present school year and the 1958-59 school year will be needed for completion, Kelley says.

But the value the students would receive from the guides—a coordinated instruction, increased speed of learning through improved methods, and better prepared lessons from teachers—warrant the energy that it will take to prepare the guide, Kelley affirms.

Farm fires destroy at least \$150 millions worth of property on farms every year. The Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council points out chief causes of fires as defective chimneys; sparks on combustible roofs; inadequate lightning protection; carelessness with matches; spontaneous ignition, improper use of gasoline; misuse of electrical appliances and electricity and unsafe stove and furnace installation.

New Club Formed At Local School

Students interested in science met in the science laboratory Monday morning at 11:45 for the purpose of organizing a club. Miss Tacy Smith, who is one of the science instructors, presided over the meeting.

The following officers were elected: Pat Cranfill, president; Adelle Smith, vice-president; Margaret Mabry, secretary; Dale Smith, treasurer; Janiece Bock, reporter; and George Terry, librarian.

Three committees were selected. They were an assembly committee, a program committee, and a science fair committee. Serving on the assembly committee will be Carla Singleterry, Jan Edelman was selected to serve as chairman of the program committee. Assisting her will be Judy Smith, Joan Wheeler, Adelle Smith, Billie Rae McKee, Gerald Daniel, J. B. Douglas, Ronnie Wood, Leonard Burnett, Monty Baker, Erma Lou Drake, and Robert Nelson.

Those on the science fair committee are Gary Sherrieb, Dale Smith, Robbie Osborn, David Massey, Randy Dickson, Jerry Hinkle, and Luellen McLean.

Miss Smith will serve as club sponsor. A meeting will be held in the near future for the purpose of selecting a name for the club.

Death Toll

Last year the Christmas holiday death toll was the worst on record. In that four-day weekend — Saturday through Tuesday midnight (Christmas) — there were 883 accidental deaths. Of these, 705 died in auto accidents, 54 in fires, 124 in other accidents.

Methods now have been developed which permit the techniques of tilt-up construction to be used on the farm by the utilization of farm equipment. Otto Kunze and Price Hobgood of the Department of Agriculture Information Office, College Station, Texas A & M College System, developed the on-the-farm methods. Details are available in a recently released Texas Agricultural Experiment Station publication B-874 and it's available from the Agricultural Information Office, College Station, Texas.

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NEWS FROM LAZBUDDIE

By MRS. CLYDE MONK

PTA Supper Is Termed Success

The Thanksgiving supper last Friday evening sponsored by the P. T. A. was quite successful according to the executive committee. Exact figures were not complete, but approximately \$200 was cleared on the project. Donations of food and money were contributed by the following, and the P. T. A. wishes to take this means to thank them for this: Watkins Gin, Lazbuddie Butane Co., Nichols Gin, Lazbuddie Store, Clay's Corner Gro. and Station, Muleshoe State Bank, King Bros. Grain, Lindsay Jewelry, Cashway Gro., Muleshoe Lock, Hart Hardware, Cobb's Dept. Store, Blackburn Gro., Cox Drive-In, Piggy Wiggly, Johnson-Pool, Remund-Wilson Dept. Store, and Western Drug.

Mrs. Leon Smith Shower Honoree

Mrs. Leon Smith, who before her recent marriage was the former Miss Shirley Davenport, of the Needmore community, was honored with a miscellaneous shower Tuesday afternoon, November 19. The Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church was the setting for the shower with the following as hostesses: Mesdames J. C. Redwine, Glen Lesly, Les Bruns, T. O. Lesly, C. A. Watson, J. A. McDonald, Raymond Houston, John Littlefield, Clayton Graef, J. R. Harris Sr., Don Schumann and J. R. Harris Jr.

Miss Betty Davenport, sister of the honoree, registered the guests while Mrs. John Agee played several numbers at the piano. The honoree and her mother and mother-in-law were presented corsages made of small kitchen articles. Mrs. Agee read some scripture and a prayer was given by Mrs. C. A. Watson. Mrs. Agee also presented a reading titled "What is a Husband?"

Mrs. Smith was assisted with the opening of gifts by Mrs. Lloyd Davenport, Mrs. Leon Smith Sr., Mrs. Marvin Davenport, Betty Davenport and Toni Smith. The serving table was laid with a pink cloth covered with lace and was centered with a small castle made of pink trimmed in silver with the lettering "Leon and Shirley." A miniature bride and groom stood in front of the castle.

Refreshments were white cake iced in white with pink letters "L and S" on each individual square, mints and spiced tea. Besides those already mentioned, those present and sending gifts were Mesdames Juel Treider, Larry Treider, Joe Cox, Clyde Monk, Dick Scott, Stanley Sigman, John Gammon, Herbert Dykes, Walter Steinbock, Ted Raven, Frank Hinkson, V. H. Bewley, Don Littlefield, M. M. Gann, D. Smith, Nola Treider, Virgil Teague, H. H. Briggs, R. L. Kimbrough, J. G. Horsley, Luther Ham, V. J. Sigman, E. W. Farmer, R. K. Allan, David White, E. T. Ford, Jimmy Black, Joe Briggs, Clayton Wells, C. D. Gupton, J. V. Bouldens, Helen Fallwell, Jan Holland, Eva Attaway and Hunke.

Loch of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Will Walkup of Houston, E. V. Crain, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. McDonald and Kim, and Mr. and Mrs. Mike Langford, Marlene and Mickie.

On Sunday the George Crains were in Sudan to continue the family reunion of the Crain family, this being the first time in 16 years they had all been together.

Methodists Enjoy Annual Supper

The annual Thanksgiving supper of the Methodist Church was held Sunday evening in the Fellowship Hall. The tables were attractively decorated with fruit and fall leaves intermingled with miniature turkeys and pilgrims, and centerpieces of cornucopias filled with fruit, fall leaves and red and yellow candles.

Approximately 75 guests and members enjoyed the traditional turkey feed with all the trimmings. Pastor of the Shallowater Methodist Church, J. E. Peters, was a guest speaker following the meal.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Kirby from Dimmitt spent the weekend with their daughter and family, the Thomas Carrells. On Sunday Carrell's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond West and daughter, Shelia Dianne, from Dimmitt, also visited with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Al E. Jennings attended the "Grand Ole Opry" show in Lubbock Friday night and remained over in Lubbock visiting with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Hughes.

Brenda Kay Kimbrough is all "swelled up" this week with the mumps.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Lovejoy and Barry from Lovington, N. M., spent the weekend with her parents, the J. B. Wrights. On Sunday the June Wagons from Muleshoe joined the group for dinner.

C. D. Gustin was a medical patient in the Muleshoe hospital

the latter part of last week, but is home now and is resting well.

An early Thanksgiving dinner was held Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Chitwood Jr. Present besides the Chitwoods and children, Pat and Dickie, were Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Chitwood Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Young Jr., Cooper and Steve.

Those quail hunting in New Mexico on Saturday were Gene Smith, Lee Kimbrough, Glen Splawn, R. L. Kimbrough, Finis Kimbrough, Johnny Crowe, and Sig Kimbrough. It was a very satisfactory trip as they returned home with their limit.

Roy Teague was admitted to the West Plains hospital Sunday for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Atlas Townsend from Fresno, Calif., visited Saturday night in the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Hall and children. The Townsends were on their way to Arkansas to visit with relatives.

Rhonda Lynn Welch underwent major surgery last Friday in the Clovis Memorial Hospital. She is reported to be doing fine.

On Thursday, Clayton Ray Graef had major surgery in the Dimmitt hospital. He was recuperating nicely the first part of the week.

Mrs. Mae Mahon and granddaughter, Donna Hunt, spent the weekend in Lubbock visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Chilli Jordan and Pamela.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Morton from Dimmitt visited one afternoon last week in the Rufus Carter home. Mrs. Bernice English was a Sunday guest in the Carter home.

Mrs. Truman Gleason and children, Linda and Bobby, visited Sunday in Earth with her nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Gaston. Gaston is the ag teacher in the Springlake school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Maddox visited Sunday in Brownfield and Morton with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Jo Bullard and Miss Evelyn Matthews from Lubbock spent the weekend visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Matthews.

FFA Boys Enter Contest Saturday

Jack Black and several of the FFA boys attended the Littlefield District Leadership Contests held in Muleshoe Saturday.

The boys entered a senior skill demonstration team consisting of Bob Hall, Ronnie Briggs and DeWayne Teague and they placed 6th. The junior chapter conducted a meeting procedure. Taking part in this were president, Ronnie Johnson; vice-president, Odis Bradshaw; secretary, R. L. Porter; treasurer, Gale Hargrove; reporter, Don Glover; sentinel, Coy Mason; advisor, David Tartar; and member and alternate delegate, Roy Max Miller. The boys placed 7th in this demonstration.

Mr. and Mrs. Beardean Broyles and Becky spent Sunday in Lubbock visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Hardy.

Mrs. Howard W. Carpenter and Sussie visited in Lubbock on Saturday.

In Zahn Home

A Thanksgiving dinner was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Zahn, Sunday, in connection with celebrating three birthdays. Present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Dunn from Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. John Zahn and boys, Craig and Mark, from Farwell, and Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Koontz, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Koontz and Danny, and Mr. and Mrs. Short Smith, all from Portales.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Hurd and children from Muleshoe visited Sunday in the home of her brother and family, the Demp Fosters. Other guests were their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Foster Sr.

Jack Smith, accompanied by his brother, Gerald Smith from Clovis, spent the weekend in Tyler on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Donaldson from Muleshoe were weekend guests in the Bill Lancaster home.

Mr. and Mrs. Euel Hall and her mother, Mrs. Katie Crouch from Muleshoe, visited the first part of the week in Dallas and attended to business while there.

Carolyn Hinkson and Sussie Carpenter.

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Hardage and Billy spent the weekend in Wichita Falls with relatives. Lloyd Vaughan, accompanied by Glenn McKinney from Sunny-side, made a trip to Hollis, Okla., Friday night and returned Mrs. Vaughan's mother, Mrs. E. C. Jones, back with them for a visit with the family.

Mr. and Mrs. John L. Seaton and girls were on their way to Canyon Saturday to visit his mother when the wiring on their car caught fire at Friona. They were unable to continue their trip. The car was not damaged except for the wiring which was burned.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Woodard from Ralls spent the weekend in the home of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jeeter Garner and family, and her sister and family, the T. R. Smallwoods.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Watts from Farwell visited Saturday evening in the home of her parents, the Finis Jenningses.

HOLIDAYS SET

For the benefit of parents wanting to take a vacation trip at Christmas time, the school holidays have been set from Friday, December 20 at 2:30 until Thursday morning, January 2.

C. M. Splawn is a patient in the Muleshoe hospital receiving medical attention for a heart condition. Their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Woodie Splawn from Whiteface, were here visiting the family over the weekend.

Betty Floyd from Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Runyon from Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Keith visited Sunday in the Smith-Floyd home.

Monday—pressed ham, mashed potatoes, black eyed peas, sauerkraut, bread, milk, apple-sauce cake.

Tuesday—pinto beans, spinach, Spanish rice, sliced beets, peach halves, hot rolls, butter, milk.

Wednesday—pork roast, English peas, sweet potatoes, cabbage salad, cornbread, butter, milk, pear halves.

Thursday—hamburgers, pickles, onions, lettuce, sliced cheese, potato chips, fruit

Butler Family Loses Home in Fire

The Joe Butler family had the misfortune of having their home and all their possessions destroyed by fire last Friday afternoon.

The five Butler children, all of whom are in school, were at school at the time of the fire and the Butlers were also away. Nothing was saved from the house.

Churches and individuals in the community are assisting in getting furniture, clothing and other items for the family.

Jack Black, agriculture teacher at Lazbuddie School, is chairman in charge of getting the things to the Butlers, and he reports this week that the greatest needs are all kinds of furniture, beds and bedding.

Menefees Home From Corpus Trip

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Menefee returned last Thursday from Corpus where they have been for the past two months on a vacation, visit and fishing trip. The Menefees returned with approximately 150 pounds of dressed fish of different kinds.

A Thanksgiving supper is being planned at the Baptist church Wednesday night in the form of a fish fry and the Menefees are furnishing the fish.

The Allen Grusenordts, who live 1 3/4 miles north of Clay's Corner, are very anxious to know if anyone knows of the whereabouts of their springer Spaniel dog. He is 8 years old, and answers to the name of Spot. He is white with brown spots.

LUNCH MENU FOR DECEMBER 2

Monday—pressed ham, mashed potatoes, black eyed peas, sauerkraut, bread, milk, apple-sauce cake.

Tuesday—pinto beans, spinach, Spanish rice, sliced beets, peach halves, hot rolls, butter, milk.

Wednesday—pork roast, English peas, sweet potatoes, cabbage salad, cornbread, butter, milk, pear halves.

Thursday—hamburgers, pickles, onions, lettuce, sliced cheese, potato chips, fruit

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Jello, milk.
Friday—fish sticks, catsup, buttered corn, potatoes, carrot strips, hot rolls, butter, milk, ice cream.

NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF PARMER

Notice is hereby given that whereas on the 19th day of May, 1954, H. H. Weis and his wife, Rebecca Weis, executed a Deed of Trust to me as Trustee for the benefit of First Federal Savings & Loan Association of Clovis, a corporation of Clovis, New Mexico, on the hereinafter described real property, which Deed of Trust appears of record in Volume 43, Page 417, of the Deed of Trust Records of Parmer County, Texas, to which record reference is here made to more fully show the wording and effect of such instrument and the property covered by it; and,

WHEREAS, the said H. H. Weis and his wife, Rebecca Weis, have made default in the payment of the note described in such instrument, leaving \$2,850.09 on this date remaining unpaid thereon; and,

WHEREAS, said beneficiary, First Federal Savings & Loan Association of Clovis has requested me to enforce said trust

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Sam Aldridge, Trustee as aforesaid, hereby give notice that I will,

accordingly, after due publication of this notice as required by such Deed of Trust and the law, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House door of Parmer County, Texas, in which such property is situated, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m., on the first Tuesday in December, 1957, being the third day of December, 1957, the following described real estate so described in and created by said Deed of Trust, all of Lot 1 and the North half (N½) of Lot 2, of Block 31, of the Original Town of Friona, Parmer County, Texas, as shown by Plat of said town of record in the Deed Records of Parmer County, Texas.

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Son Born To Lee Kimbroughs

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kimbrough are the proud parents of a baby boy born Tuesday, November 19. The young man weighed six pounds and ten ounces and has been named Robert Mack. The Kimbroughs have another child, Nancy, who is two years old. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Kimbrough and Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Vaughan of Winters.

Crain Family Has Reunion

A fish fry and family reunion was held Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Crain. Those enjoying the feed and get-together were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Crain and Jackson and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Crain and Jimmy, all from Waco; Mrs. Gayde Bount and Greg Anderson from Hubbard; Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Swart and Roger, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Deloch and Mr. and Mrs. A. Crain, all from Sudan; Also, Mr. and Mrs. Buster De-

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Big Snow Swirls Hopes of Harvest

Just as the weather was long last looking hopeful, out of virtually nowhere the year's first snow blew in last week, capping the harvest again for another extended delay.

It was a shocking development in the weather picture, and proved to be the first big snow that fell this early in many years. In fact, records and memories of farmers can't recall any other snow as heavy by the third week in November.

After repeated days and days of drizzle and fog, the clouds appeared breaking up the first of last week, and the sun shone most of the time all day Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday.

It was headed into another good day and crops were just drying out Thursday morning when a front moved in from the north and filled the sky with billions of flakes of powdery snow in a matter of minutes.

The mercury plunged downward, and the snow continued on into the night, leaving a cover of from two to three and one-half inches all over the Plains. Some wind accompanied the snow, although it was not high enough to cause crop damage itself. The wind did cause drifting, however, because of the extreme dryness of the flakes.

Also, the fact that the snow was so dry helped farmers in this instance, because the snow fell to the ground in most fields, and did not stack up on grain heads or crust over to a great extent. A wet snow or freezing drizzle was feared by farmers because of losses it might cause due to falling.

Farmers could hardly believe their eyes. Not that it was so unusual for snow to fall at this time of year, but it is the first time in history that an irrigated crop—representing an investment of millions of dollars—had been caught out in the fields by

snow. Friday and Saturday did not bring any more snow. In fact, they brought clearing weather, although temperatures remained very cold, and a low of around 10 degrees was generally recorded in the area Saturday morning.

It seemed that the weather had this storm to "get out of its system," and since the snow, the sun has beamed down in the customary High Plains brilliance—something farmers had almost forgotten the description of. Combines started churning again Monday morning, and by Tuesday were in full swing. In many cases, wetness of the ground proved to be a bigger worry than moisture in the grain itself. The snow, added to other moisture already in the soil, provided very boggy conditions for the self-propelled combines.

On the ground, the snow is shaded from the warming rays of the sun by the heavy foliage of the crop, and it is being slow to dry out, while the grain heads themselves are getting the brunt of the solar heat.

Yields are again surprising farmers, and pleasantly so. Irrigated grain is turning out from 3,500 pounds per acre up on the average—and the average is mostly up this year. There will be many farmers who will average close to or above 5,000 pounds on their farms this year.

Farmers are in no mood to putter around, and the amount of grain cut on a day-to-day basis will probably set a record if the combines are allowed to roll. By mid-week, farmers should pass the half-way mark on their 250,000-acre-plus grain sorghum harvest.

As one farmer finishes up, he climbs back aboard his combine and rolls into the fields next door to aid his neighbor. Every available machine, in-

cluding trucks, is being pressed into service to gather the harvest as soon as possible.

Cotton producers continue to take a dim view of prospects this year. Late-opening bolls are yielding disappointing lint, with respect to both quantity and quality, but with emphasis on the latter.

Parmer County, which produced 60,000 bales of cotton last year, will probably be cut back to 50,000 this year, but the dollar volume may be reduced as much as one-third because of falling grades, which always show up in the price the cotton sells for.

A one-third loss in gross, if that proves to be the case, will mean a serious cut-back in profits for the growers of 43,000 acres of the snowy white stuff this year.

However, it should be remembered that last year was an exceptionally good year for growing cotton, while this year was an exceptionally poor one. That makes the comparisons seem more out of focus than they should be.

Just what the final outcome will be is awaiting the completion of harvest, of course, but experienced growers and ginners maintain that producers should get ready for some unhappy revelations when they start figuring up the year's work on the cotton crop.

Union To Meet

Officers for a new year will be elected at a county-wide meeting of the Parmer County Farmer's Union Friday, November 29. The meeting will be in the Hub community building, and will begin at 7:30 p. m.

Up for filling will be the offices of county president, and resolutions will be studied by the group. Delegates will be selected to attend the state Farmer's Union convention which will be in Abilene December 6 and 7.

Wyle Bullock of Lazbuddie, FU secretary, reports that Joe Berg of Panhandle, who is the state Farmer's Union vice-president, will be the principal speaker. Berg has appeared in Parmer County previously.

W. L. "Preach" Edelman of Friona is now county FU president, and has been since the Union's organization three years ago.



Writing a page in Parmer County agriculture's history, this combine continues cutting grain even though snow was pelting down, and the ground was covered with it. Farmers were in no mood to stop work unless forced to. The picture was made on the Carl Maurer farm near Friona.

SOIL CONSERVATION DISTRICT NEWS



OUR SOIL ★ OUR STRENGTH

Do you know what soil conservation districts are?

And what we stand for?

We are people, working together in our communities and in our counties and in our watersheds to protect and improve this nation's most vital resources—soil and water.

We stand for local leadership in doing this job—a job that becomes more urgent every day.

As our population grows—at the rate of a quarter of a million people a month—and our cities and industries expand, we demand more from our land. And we're cutting into our good farm land for non-agricultural use at the rate of 1,000,000 acres a year. This land goes into urban developments, airports, highways, and other uses where it is lost for production of food or fiber.

Just because our land produces enough for our 170 million people in 1957 is no assurance it can produce abundantly for an expected 225 million or more by 1975 or in possible emergencies, unless the farm land is kept in condition to produce what is needed, efficiently and economically. That means keeping our land permanently productive.

We can't afford to let our soil and water conservation "insurance" lapse. Combating soil erosion and encouraging good land use is a job soil conservation districts can do well.

Why? Because from the very beginning, Americans have fought for a great principle—the principle that free men can govern themselves successfully. We believe in personal liberty and the dignity of the individual. We are determined that our families shall have the opportunity to live in peace and safety, without fear of compulsion.

Our government is founded on the principle that we, all of us together, have the spirit and the ability to decide for ourselves the actions we want to take together in our joint interests and common welfare. This is what we stand for.

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ment and the best society that men and women have ever enjoyed on earth. This is the kind of government and society that offers the greatest advantages in personal liberty and the greatest opportunities for accomplishment.

This is the form, the spirit, and the practice of Soil Conservation District.

Erosion has a chain of reactions. Soil washes off a field and finally piles up in a reservoir behind a man-made dam. A gully creeps up the slope with out regard to fences, property lines, county lines, or state lines. Dust from a bare field buries a neighbor's wheat. Water rushes off over-grazed pastures to flood the land and towns below.

The wording of the laws permitting the formation of soil conservation districts varies from state to state, but the state laws do follow a general pattern. The administration of the laws is in the hands of state soil conservation committees, boards, or commissions.

The men who make up these committees are usually state agriculture department heads, or active farmers or ranchers, or both. They receive no federal funds nor are they under any form of federal control.

Soil conservation districts are governed by local citizens. The members of the governing bodies are called supervisors in Texas.

Generally, supervisors donate their time and pay their own expenses. They are not on the federal payroll. Most state laws provide that each soil conservation district shall have five supervisors, as does Texas. The supervisors must be local citizens and must also be active landowning farmers or ranchers.

Through their district governing body, local people formulate their own soil conservation program. This governing body directs the activities of the district. It also co-ordinates the conservation efforts of various state and federal agencies and other organizations.

Where funds permit district-owned equipment, as in Texas, the governing body controls the use of it. The governing body also handles the district money and signs the checks. In brief, soil conservation districts are a true example of local self-government. The people of a community join together voluntarily and legally to solve their own problems in their own way.

(From—"The What, Why, and How of Soil Conservation Districts.")

NEWS FROM THE FARM BUREAU

By RAYMOND EULER

At the last minute, due to weather conditions conducive to milo harvesting, Dennis Williams and his wife were unable to attend the TFB convention in Dallas last week. However, the Ralph Smiths, Gilbert Kaltwassers, Raymond Eulers, and Mose Glascock were in attendance.

Having five voting delegates present, Parmer County was ahead of most counties in the area, and we are proud of this indication of interest.

At the state FB directors meeting following the convention, J. Walter Hammond was replaced as president by J. Harold West of Bishop. Hammond had served as president for 18 years, and had seen the organization under his leadership increase from a few thousand to over 70,000 members.

Numerous state and national legislation matters have originated with Texas Farm Bureau in the last few years, and three bills in the state originated in Parmer County. West is a young man and probably will be able to stand the rapid pace of events falling on the shoulders of the office to which he

was elected. The best speakers of the convention were John Lynn, Washington legislative director for American Farm Bureau, and Governor Price Daniel.

At the close of his speech, in

which he mentioned the fact that he had not been asked to join Farm Bureau recently, the governor was met on the platform by Millard Shivers, state organizational director, and signed up at the regular dues rate, \$10. Among other things, the governor said that there would be no letup in the building of FM roads in Texas during his administration.

He also deplored the federal troops invasion of public schools and outlined plans for making this impossible in Texas schools. (You have read of this in daily papers.)

John Lynn warned against our falling into the trap set by Russia with the Sputnik launching, and spending crazily to match it without regard for the necessity of economic balance.

He also said that the proposed plan of producers selling on the open market with the government making direct subsidy payments would cost \$15 billion annually; and that an increase of five percent in meat consumption would take care of surplus grains. (This was in support of voluntary producer promotion of meat sales through advertising.)

Ralph Smith, who went down to Dallas four days early to serve on the resolutions committee, was interviewed by Hal Mayfield of KGNC, Amarillo. On Monday, Gilbert Kaltwasser was interviewed by KRDL, Dallas, reported for broadcast the following day.

Remember to respond promptly when you are notified of expiration dates on your farm used fuel refund claims.

Consider this: "A righteous man falling down before the wicked is as a troubled fountain, and a corrupt spring." Proverbs 25:26.

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Chatter at our house: Why is the sky blue? Why can't you see up when it snows? Did you know people might get to go to the moon? I don't feel so well today, so why don't I stay home and make a snow man instead of going to school? Okay! O-KAY! Will you make some snow ice cream? But I don't need any overshoes. Henry (he's our dog) needs to come in the house. He's cold.

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The Jimmy Baxters, who moved from here to Littlefield, enjoy their work and like their new neighbors, but Betty (Mrs. Baxter) says she likes the weather in Friona better. Seems like it rains all the time in Littlefield.

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DT—Ruben T. Taylor, F. F. S. & L. A., Lots 1 and 2, Blk. 10, M & F, Friona.

DT—Clyde Austin Rains, Plainview P. C. A., N½ Sec. 10, Jowell Sub.

WD—C. R. Elliott, Florene Curry, E. 20' Lot 10, Blk. 116, Bovina.

Agre.—Charles L. Lenau, Pure Oil Co., SW¼ Sec. 7, E. K. Warren Sub. 1, Blk. W.

Agre.—South Coast Life Ins. Co., Charles E. Moore, see the above.

Rel.—Honolulu Oil Corp., Rudolph Pyritz, NW¼ Sec. 80, Blk. H, Kelly.

Rel.—Honolulu Oil Corp., Mrs. Annie H. Vaughan, NW ¼ Sec. 89, Blk. H, Kelly.

Rel.—Honolulu Oil Corp., Eugene A. Seaton, W½ of Sec. 96, Blk. H, Kelly.

Rel.—Honolulu Oil Corp., Alex Steinbock, SW¼ Sec. 79, Kelly, Blk. H.

WD—E. H. Meeks, Billy Meeks, Lots 17, 18, 19, and 20, Blk. 58, Farwell.

WD—Billy Meeks, E. H. Meeks, see above.

DT—Billy Meeks, Veterans Affairs, see above.

DT—L. T. Utzman, F. F. S. & L. A., Lots 10 and 11, Blk. 11, Farwell; W½ Lots 29, 30, 31, and 32, Blk. 13, Farwell; W. 100 ft. Lots 1 to 6, and all Lots 7, 8, and 9, Blk. 7, Farwell.

Sub.—Fed. Land Bank, Pure Oil Co., see record.

Rati.—Jewel Scales Kimbrough, Pure Oil Co., E½ of NE¼ Sec. 13, E. K. Warren.

Rati.—Jewel Scales Kimbrough, Pure Oil Co., Sub. No. 1, Blk. W.

Rati.—Jewel Scales Kimbrough, Pure Oil Co., NW¼ Sec. 13, and all E½ of SE¼.

Rati.—Jewel Scales Kimbrough, Pure Oil Co., Sec. 20, Warren Sub. No. 1, Blk. W.

Rati.—Jewel Scales Kimbrough, W½ of NE¼ Sec. 13, Warren Sub. No. 1, Blk. W.

Rati.—Estelle R. Warren, Pure Oil Co., W½ of NE¼ Sec. 13, Warren Sub. No. 1, Blk. W.

Rati.—Estelle R. Warren, Pure Oil Co., E½ of NE¼ Sec. 13, Warren Sub. No. 1, Blk. W.

Rati.—Estelle R. Warren, Pure Oil Co., NW¼ Sec. 13 and all E½ of SE¼ Sec. 20, Warren Sub. No. 1, Blk. W.

ROW—Marshall R. Garner, Lloyd Thompson, S½ Sec. 1, T3S, R3E.

WD—J. M. Vestal, A. C. Clark, Lots 20, 21, 22 and 23, Blk. 44, Farwell.

WD—L. R. Talley - Curtis W. Murphree - W/2 Sec. 2, Harding Sub.

DT—Curtis W. Murphree - L. R. Talley - W/2 Sec. 2, Harding Sub.

DT—Bill Baxter - F. F. S. & L. A. - Lot 19, Blk. 3, Staley Add., Friona.

DT—T. A. Williams - F. F. S. & L. A. - Lot 11, Blk. 2, Staley Add., Friona.

WD—R. L. Fleming - W. B. Stark - Lot 17, Blk. 3, Staley Add., Friona.

DT—W. B. Stark - F. F. S. & L. A. - Lot 17, Blk. 3, Staley Add., Friona.

DT—Jery M. Nix - L. M. Abel - W/2 Sec. 2, T1N, R3E.

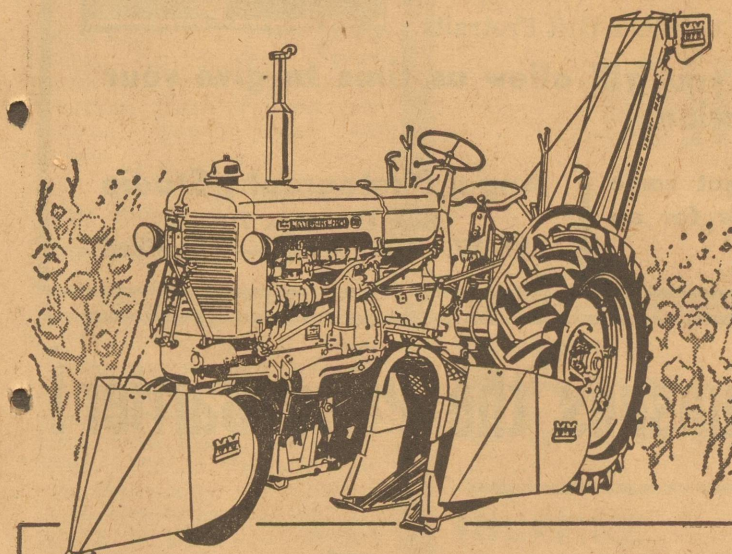
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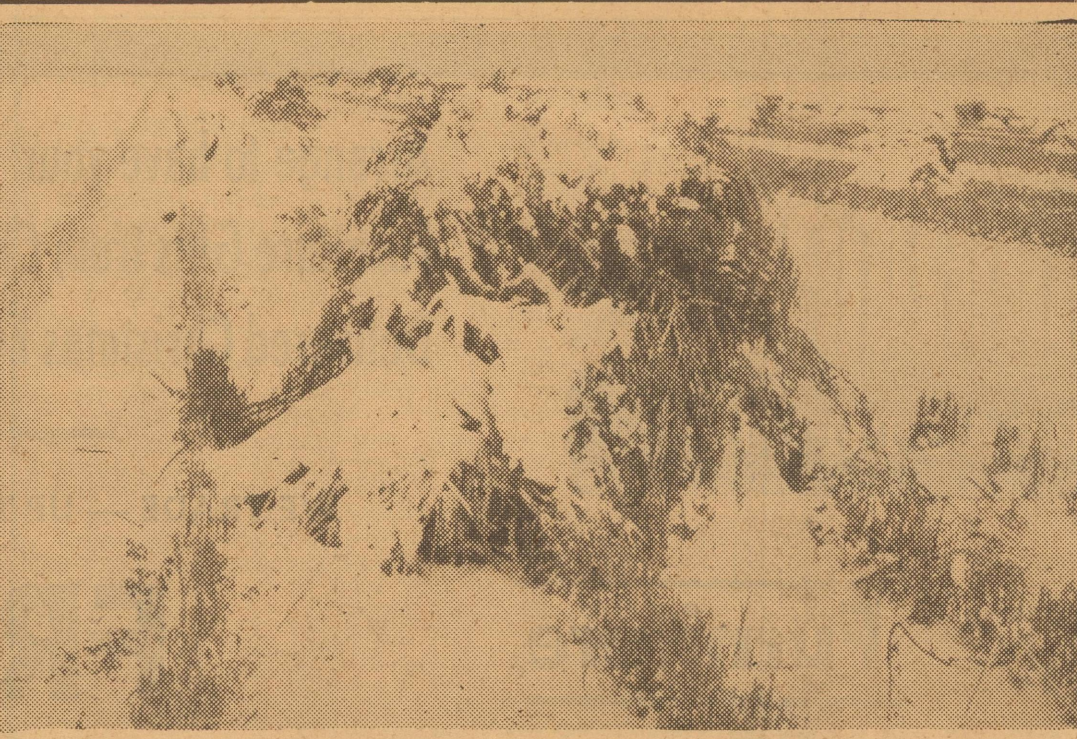
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Making a pretty sight were these shocks of sudan that were partially covered by the snow of last weekend. Sudan put up in this way did not receive any damage from the moisture, which was slight. Besides, there isn't any rush to get sudan to market this year because of low prices for the crop.

THE HAPPY HOMEMAKER

BY JUNE FLOYD

Do you use your time wisely? The statement has been made that if modern homemakers knew how to spend their time wisely, they would have more spare time than they could use. If that be true, and it may be, most of us do not know the secret.

Our mothers and grandmothers always looked forward to having more time for doing fancy work in the winter. Do any of us have time for fancy work? It really seems that with all our modern conveniences, homemakers of today would have a lot of idle time, but such is not the case.

Of course, most of us do more things outside our homes than our mothers and grandmothers did. It may also be true that with their endless number of tasks they learned to use their time more wisely. Maybe one of our problems is lack of organization.

Perhaps some study could be given to our method of operation and some constructive changes could be made in our daily schedules. Maybe it would be worth the effort to spend some time interesting other members of the family in helping work out a family plan for more efficient use of the time which is allotted to each of us each day.

If the lack of time was just the problem of a few homemakers, we could just dismiss it with the old standby statement, "She's the exception that proves the rule."

However, when almost every homemaker with whom you talk ends her conversation with, "I'm so far behind I will never catch up," or "I've just got so many things to do I will never finish all of them," it is time to stop and think about it.

If any homemaker who reads this column has some good ideas about spending our time more wisely, we would certainly appreciate hearing them.

Had you ever thought of saving the name and address from mail which you receive? These may be used when answering advertisements for which typed names and addresses are requested. This idea should be especially helpful to homemakers who do not have typewriters.

Part of the fun of the holiday season is sharing plans, work, and expectations with younger members of the family. One of the most interesting "do it together" projects for smaller children is cookie making. Any

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A business trip of three weeks ago took us south into the Lamesa, Big Spring, and Level-land area. That part of the South Plains in recent years has attracted more headlines because of oil than agriculture, although they, like us, were founded on farming years ago.

The drought of recent years had about pushed their farming into the background, but they are certainly due to bounce back this year. Their cotton and maize crops are in wonderful shape, in spite of being just as late as ours.

That part of the country will be back in the news in a big way this year when the farming reports are out, and this is typical of many other "borderline" farming areas that hit and miss as the weather comes and goes.

To the north, to the east, to the south, and even to the west, everybody is harvesting a big small grain crop this year, and the milo production will be astounding.

Just one year ago, trucks were turning our combines in the turn-rows to haul grain and hay to drought-stricken farming areas in all directions. This year, there'll be no exporting, except for that part of the crop that is exported through government channels.

Prospects for maize prices to be good next year are extremely dim. Only legislation can keep them up, because the carry-over of grain will be tremendous. Farmers already sense this, even though this year's crop is not out of the way yet.

No sudden and drastic cropping changes are on the horizon, though. It simply is not possible to change overnight such a large farming machine as we have on the Plains to produce new and different crops.

We have pointed out before how really insignificant the vegetable and other small-acreage crops are in the amount of total cultivated land they tie up. If vegetable production was increased ten-fold, there would still be less than three percent of our farm land devoted to those crops.

Still, gradual changes will continue. Here are some that will bear watching.

SESAME—About 3,000 acres in the county this year, virtually all irrigated. It has done well, and farmers who got good stands and watered well have been pleased with the result.

Sesame prices have proved to be stable ever since it was introduced here three years ago, and indications are that the Texas Sesame Seed Growers

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Stalk Use Urged

Some farmers may be overlooking a good method of helping sustain production on their farms—especially under irrigated conditions—according to the Parmer County Soil Conservation Service.

This can be done by using the grain stubble as a soil conditioner; that is, chopping it into the top few inches of the soil, points out Floyd Crume, SCS conservationist.

Stubble handled in this manner serves two purposes; he says. It decreases wind erosion, and it increases the ability of the soil to absorb moisture (both irrigation water and rainfall) during the fall and winter months.

In order for the stubble to be sufficiently decomposed, and to keep the soil in good condition, a high nitrogen-type fertilizer should be applied to the mulched-in stubble, advises the conservationist.

After making representative clippings of some of the fields in the Parmer County Soil Conservation District, SCS technicians conclude that there are about two pounds of stubble left in the field for each pound of grain harvested.

In other words, if a farmer cuts 3,000 pounds of grain per acre, he should have around 6,000 pounds of stubble per acre left in his field.

Crume points out that by figuring that it takes about 20 pounds of high-nitrogen fertilizer to decompose a ton of stubble, a farmer can arrive at the amount of fertilizer that he needs to apply.

Also, he should have a soil analysis run to determine the amount of available nitrogen present in the soil, suggest the SCS technicians.

pre-school age child will enjoy cutting cookies and placing them on cookie sheets.

Cookies can be cut in the shapes of stars, Christmas trees, bells, or other objects and used for tree decorations. Strings can be secured to the back of the cookies with a blob of icing which will harden in a few minutes.

A very interesting centerpiece can be made with star shaped cookies. First cut a block of wood and insert a dowel stick in the center and nail it securely. Make the stick the height you want your cookie tree and cover the base and stick with foil paper.

Cut cookies in graduated sizes of stars and cut a round hole in the middle. Decorate with red and green icing and arrange on the stick.

If your family likes date loaf candy, it is sure to enjoy—**Date Nut Pie**

2 cups sweet milk
½ cup brown sugar
½ cup granulated sugar
4 tablespoons flour
¼ teaspoon salt
2 tablespoons oleo or butter
1 teaspoon vanilla
½ cup chopped nuts
¾ cup chopped dates

Place 1½ cups of milk in sauce pan and heat to a boil. Mix brown sugar, granulated sugar, salt, flour, and ½ cup milk together well. Add to milk which has been allowed to cool to lukewarm. Stir in butter, vanilla, nuts, dates, and salt and mix until butter is melted.

Pour into unbaked pie shell and bake in moderate oven until knife inserted in center of pie comes out clean.

Some homemakers have difficulty making pastry. Our favorite recipe is hot water pie crust. It is very easily mixed and there is no guesswork to it. Just mix ¾ cup melted shortening, ¼ cup hot water, ¼ teaspoon salt, and ¼ teaspoon baking powder in mixing bowl. Sift in 1½ cups flour and stir until flour disappears.

Place mixture on floured board and work in enough extra flour to make crust desired consistency. This recipe makes three ten-inch pie shells.

From the 1957 Yearbook of Agriculture—The Romans had several good manuals for farmers. Columella's Husbandry, written about A. D. 60, was a handbook for 15 generations.

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intend to keep demand moving up with production. So far, they've done a good job of it and the price has remained about 10 cents a pound.

If the seed threshes out well this year, our acreage will probably jump to 4,000 or 5,000 for next year. It might even double. The Association says they can stand a lot more and can sell it all.

CORN—With an unexpected jump in the price support, corn this year will be one of the better money-making crops. It's too early to speculate on yields yet, but most of them are good, in spite of falling caused by the weather.

However, there is no assurance whatever that the government will return with another good guaranteed price in non-commercial areas in 1958. That should be watched carefully. Supported prices in commercial areas have been coming down in recent years.

CARROTS—Especially in the Friona area where carrots are doing well this year, there will be greatly accelerated interest in this vegetable. Carrots appear to be ideally suited in many respects for High Plains production.

Prices have been good all year long, and if processing facilities are expanded, the acreage (now about 300) could be doubled.

POTATOES—After a record-breaking, money-making crop in 1956, growers were deflated by a strictly mediocre season this year. This was due primarily to weak demand and depressed

prices for most Plains spuds, but tonnage was down, also, further reducing the gross.

Potatoes are a risky crop here, with the Plains production having to sandwich in between other harvests over the country if good prices are expected. This is never a controllable factor on account of weather.

Very little money was made on spuds this year, and it is doubtful if too many farmers will want to try them on account of their relatively high cost of production.

Potatoes are grown primarily in the Friona and Lariat areas, and there are sheds to serve both of these deals.

ONIONS—Onions were cheap and plentiful this year, too, and acreage devoted to this crop will continue to be very nominal. Right now, the long-range prospect for next year is that prices will improve, but that news doesn't always stimulate production.

Reduced acreages nearly always follow a poor year, and last year was tough on some of the new growers who won't be back in that business in 1958.

Other crops such as lettuce, tomatoes, sugar beets, bell peppers, dry beans, cantaloupes, cabbage, and so-forth will remain almost inconsequential so far as county production figures are concerned.

Auto accidents kill more persons under 65 years of age than any other type accident, the National Safety Council says.

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New Mexico Man Has Rain, Also

Farmers of this part of the High Plains aren't the only ones having a soggy fall for harvest. At least, that's the facts as presented by Roy Slagle, a former Parmer County resident.

Roy, who now lives at Farley, N. M., wrote concerning his difficulties in getting the harvest in this year. His letter follows:

The weather is bad up here—lots of rain and snow. We had about a foot of snow out of two snows. The ground is all covered up, grass and all. We can't take care of our crops here either, on account of rain and snow.

I have 100 acres of corn out in the field and can't gather it. Also have 70 acres of white wonder millet in the swath all covered up with snow and the geese and ducks are eating it up as fast as it uncovers from the snow.

There are thousands of acres of bundles on the ground not shocked, and spoiling, and a world of baled hay spoiling. I shocked my feed in the rain and mud with a raincoat and gum boots on.

Anyway, I got it up in good shape without much spoilage. If you don't think this is true, ask Sloan Osborn and Bill Stewart, as they came by and caught me shocking on Sunday with my raincoat and gum boots on, and I came in as muddy as a hog.

Well, I am doing nothing but feeding my cattle and sitting

by the fire. It is awfully cold here—five below last night and several nights before. We live on Highway 56—55 miles west of Clayton and 28 miles east of Springer and eight miles east of Abbott and three miles west of Farley.

If you ever get up this way, stop in and see us, as I would like to show you a good grass country. I enjoy reading the paper very much.

The sun is out good and hot today. Maybe the snow will melt off in a few days.

My wife, Corda, has been having the flu the last week, but is feeling a lot better now. I have escaped it so far. Hoping you and all are doing fine.

Yours,
ROY T. SLAGLE
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Feeding Silage To Breeding Sows

Bred gilts fed corn silage, supplemented with 1½ pounds of protein concentrate and 1 to 2 pounds of ground corn, weaned about the same number of pigs as those fed a conventional-type mixed ration in feeding trials at Purdue University. Use of the silage ration reduced feed costs \$1.15 per gilt. Results of this test emphasize the importance of feeding adequate protein with silage. When the protein supplement was reduced from 1½ pounds to 1 pound, per gilt daily, survival of pigs to weaning age was reduced 18 percentage points.



It's never happened before, but it happened last week. More than half of a record crop of grain sorghum was left standing out in the fields as snow fell. Middles such as this one in a field near Farwell were solidly blanketed, and the snow has been slow to melt.

Watch Pork Prices

Statistics show that prices received by farmers for hogs in 1957 have shown good gains over those received in 1956, but these price gains can be maintained only if the supply of hogs is kept in line with prospective demands.

Price increases such as those from 1956 to 1957 have a tendency to encourage more hog production next year. If production is increased materially, prices in the fall of 1958 could be much lower than at the present time, warns John G. McHaney, extension economist.

Market analysts think that spring farrowings in 1958 will show a minimum increase of seven percent, and they could be larger; and prices to farmers will react as they have in the past.

For example, the 1954 spring crop increased 10 percent and prices to farmers fell 23 percent the following September through February. In 1955, the spring crop increased nine percent and prices to farmers fell 29 percent the following September - February.

There are three big reasons for the expected large pig crop in 1958, says McHaney.

(1) Bumper harvests of feed crops this year make more spring farrowings in 1958 highly probable.

(2) Hog prices in 1957 have been good, and may encourage more production.

(3) The number of bushels of corn that could be bought with the price of a hundred pounds of hogs has averaged above 12 for many years. This September, it ran to a high of 16.6 bushels and is expected to run between 14 and 15 during the present breeding season. This situation invariably leads to increased farrowings.

This year's hog prices encourage production, but just because prices are good one year is no sign they will be good the next year, concludes McHaney.

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Cotton Vote Set For December 10

Cotton growers are reminded that they will make an important decision on Tuesday, December 10.

On that day, growers will vote in a referendum to decide whether marketing quotas will be in effect for this 1958 upland cotton crop. All farmers who engaged in the production of upland cotton will be eligible to vote in the referendum, says Prentice Mills, ASC office manager.

If at least two-thirds of the growers voting approve, marketing quotas will be in effect on all farms growing upland cotton in 1958, penalties will apply on excess cotton and price supports to those growers who comply with their cotton acreage allotments will be available at the full level of effective supports.

Under current legislation, this support will be between 75 and 90 percent of parity, the minimum level within this range depending upon the supply situation at the time the determination is made.

If more than one-third of the growers disapprove quotas there will be no marketing quotas or penalties, and price supports to eligible growers (who comply with their allotments) will be available at 50 percent of parity.

In either case acreage allotments will continue in effect for the 1958 cotton crop as a means of determining eligibility for price support.

It is pointed out that legislation directs the secretary of agriculture to proclaim marketing quotas for the next upland cotton crop, when the cotton supply exceeds normal. Quotas are not put into operation, however, unless they are approved by at least two-thirds of the growers voting in a referendum on the question.

The 1958 wheat referendum was held on June 20, at which time there were more votes cast in Parmer County than any other county in Texas.

"We are hoping that this will be true in the cotton referendum," says Mills.

According to R. G. Shrauner, chairman, Texas Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee, this will be the twelfth time that growers have registered their choice on this question.

Marketing quotas, points out Shrauner, operate through acreage allotments. A grower who exceeds the cotton acreage allotment for his farm, under a cotton marketing quota program will be subject to a marketing quota penalty of 50 percent of parity on the farm's excess production. Growers who do not exceed their cotton allotments may market free of penalty all of the 1958 cotton production from their farms.

The total supply of upland cotton for the 1957-58 marketing year is estimated at 23.6 million running bales and the normal supply, that needed for domestic uses, for exports and a 30 percent carry-over reserve, is estimated at 17.6 million bales. Thus, the prospective total supply exceeds the normal supply by about 5.6 million bales, and quotas for the 1958 crop of upland cotton had to be proclaimed.

Science has been producing so many substitutes lately that it's hard to remember what it was we needed in the first place.

HD Council Has Regular Meeting

The Parmer County HD Council met November 25 at 2 p. m. in the American Legion Hall in Friona. Seven clubs were represented. These were Black, Friona, Hi-Point, Hub, Lakeview, Midway, and Northside.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Dee Chitwood, president. Club reports were given. Mrs. Chitwood reported that 25 members were present for the Thanksgiving luncheon which was held at Oklahoma Lane on November 21.

The meeting was adjourned and then the meeting for election of a council chairman was held. Maxine Price was voted on and will be the THDA Council chairman for 1958.

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Parmer County ASC OK's Distress Loans

Authorization has been granted to the Parmer County ASC committee to make temporary recourse loans to producers on 1957 crop grain sorghums. This authorization permits producers to obtain loans on grain sorghum stored on the ground in the open and on grain sorghums stored in temporary facilities, says Prentice Mills, ASC office manager.

Distress loans are made on the basis that, within 90 days from the date of the temporary loan, or March 31, 1958, whichever is earlier, the producer must place the grain sorghum in approved farm storage or approved warehouse storage and obtain a regular loan or repay the amount of the distress loan, plus interest.

Application for distress loans must be made to the county ASC office within 30 days after the producer completes harvest of the grain sorghums tendered for loan. Distress loans will be made at 80 percent of the county loan

rate which would apply to the grain sorghums under the 1957-crop grain sorghums price support program.

The county office cannot approve distress loans on grain sorghum piled on the ground unless the grain is protected from animals and so located that drainage from moisture will not seriously affect the quantity and quality of the grain sorghums, Mills points out.

Distress loans will bear interest from the date of disbursement to date of repayment at 3½ percent per annum, except that in the case of default, loans will bear interest at the rate of 6 percent per annum from the date of default.

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