

LAUNCH INCORPORATION MOVE

RED CROSS DRIVE OFF TO SLOW START IN PARMER COUNTY, CHAIRMAN SAYS

ENTRY DEADLINE GIVEN

Parmer County exhibitors who plan to enter stock at the South Plains Fat Stock Show, opening in Lubbock March 20, were reminded today that entries must be filed with the county agent in time that they can be forwarded to Lubbock or March 10th Agent Joe W. Jones said Tuesday that he was contacting 4H boys who planned to attend the show and urged others who expected to take stock to get their entries in.

"Little to report", was the reply given by Frank Spring, chairman of the Parmer County 1950 Red Cross Roll Call, when questioned regarding the progress of the campaign or Tuesday morning.

Spring explained that business duties had kept him tied up since the drive was inaugurated on March 1 but added that he and G. B. Buske who heads up the drive at Friona would try some sort of concerted action in that part of the county this week.

"So far as I know," he added "around \$100 has been taken in locally, and thus far I have no report from other communities."

In Farwell, Chairman Frank Seale reported Tuesday at noon that he had a total of \$195 in hand, but said "We still have a long way to go to reach our part of the county quota", explaining that Farwell's share of the Parmer assignment was "around \$350".

Seale invited local contributors to send their contributions to him, rather than waiting for personal solicitation, and urged that the quota be reached as soon as possible.

No information was available here the first of the week regarding other communities, but County Chairman Spring expressed his opinion that workers were busy and that the quota would be in hand before the drive is slated to close on March 31.

Texico Plans City Election, Discuss Water and Sewer

At a meeting of the Town Council held Monday night at the City Hall the Texico Town Council took steps for the city election which will be held on the second Tuesday in April. Town Clerk W. L. Freeman said today that three councilmen, a mayor and a clerk-treasurer are to be selected at the forthcoming election.

Listed as those whose terms will expire, Freeman named Mayor Orval Francis, Clerk Freeman, Councilmen John Lockhart, Carl McCully and Johnnie Lewis. Two councilmen are to be chosen for four-year terms and one for a two-year term. The mayor and clerk are both elected for two years.

Prior to the business session, the Council heard a report of Engineer Bill Howren and others, regarding the installation of a sewer system in Texico. Howren gave it as his opinion that the most practical plan for a system in that city would be to go north of town to a lake bed for a disposal plant. In his opinion, it would not be practical to attempt to connect the Texico system with a similar system in Farwell, due to the contour of the townsite slope.

Councilmen took the matter under advisement, and promised to investigate the financing of such a project. Uppermost in the minds of the Town Council, however, is the problem of working out a solution to the water shortage in a large part of the city. A move has been on foot for the past several months to solve the problem with the most recent move to install larger water mains and pay for the work by a meter assessment on each water consumer in the town.

Figures are still being compiled as to the approximate cost of enlarging the distributing lines, particularly in the vicinity of the school grounds and in the north and east part of the residential sections. Officials said today that the most practical means of meeting the problem was to "go as far as we can with what money a reasonable water assessment will provide."

They also were inclined to believe a small bond issue may be necessary to complete the system to serve the city adequately, but that is not considered in the immediate future.

Farwell Pioneer Is Reported Near Death

D. B. Landford, 82-year-old Farwell pioneer, is reported near death at the home of his sister-in-law at Vernon, where he and Mrs. Landford have been spending the winter.

Mrs. Guy Cox, daughter of the aged local man, said today that her father had been in a coma since the middle of last week, and during that time Mr. and Mrs. Cox have been called to Vernon on two occasions when it was feared the end was near.

Figures Given For CCC Grain Loans

Final figures on Commodity Credit Corporation grain loans for 1949 were released the first of the week by Joe Camp, head of the Parmer County PMA office, with a total of \$8,679,270.60 being shown on loans issued farmers of the county.

These figures, Camp explained, include loans on wheat, grain sorghums and barley, with approximately 4500 applications for CCC loans being processed at the local office.

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DR. WILLIAM B. CHILDRESS who last weekend assumed duties at the Parmer County Community Hospital in Friona. Dr. Childress comes to Friona from Dallas and will assist Dr. Paul L. Spring at the hospital.

Parmer Farmers Go To Washington On County Cotton Quota

Three Parmer county cotton farmers carried the plea of the county for more cotton acreage to Washington this week, when Arlin Hartzog, president of the recently-formed cotton growers association, Bill Sherry and Harold Carpenter had a hearing with the cotton sub-committee.

Congressman Gene Worley arranged an appointment for the local representatives in Washington on Tuesday. The three had not returned at The Tribune went to press, and no details regarding the Washington hearing were available.

In 1949, cotton acreage over the county climbed to near 10,000 acres only to get a slap in the face when the 1950 acreage allotment was announced as 5008 acres. Farmers protested vigorously, and are now making a strong attempt to get the 1951 allotment set as a figure comparable or higher, to that of 1949.

160-Acre Farm Will Go At Auction Sale

The 160-acre farm of J. I. Rury, located 5 1/2 miles north and one mile east of Farwell will go to the highest bidder at an auction sale to be conducted on the premises on Tuesday, March 14.

The sale is necessitated by ill health in the family, Mr. Rury said when making arrangements. In addition to the property, which has a fair set of improvements, several items of farm machinery are to go to the highest bidder.

The sale will get underway at 1 p. m., and will be called by Col. Dick Doshier, with Orval Francis acting as clerk.

TO LOVINGTON

R. D. Williams, Sr., of this city left early Monday morning for Lovington, N. M., where he will be employed by a construction company for several months.

Visitors Enjoy "Behind The Scenes" Look At New Friona Bank Building

Unrestricted curiosity had its day in Friona, Saturday, when visitors were conducted on a behind-the-scenes tour of the new Friona State Bank building as the establishment held its formal opening.

Strikingly modern from the inclined canopy over the door through all interior appointments, the new bank building looked more like a florist's shop on opening day, as congratulatory bouquets arrived en masse, and more than 600 visitors came by to "look the set-up over."

Playing hosts were members of the bank personnel, who with wide smiles conducted eager visitors over their new modern home which contrasts sharply with the old brick building erected in 1909.

Among the visiting dignitaries on hand for the occasion were Joe Clark, vice president of the Fort Worth National Bank; Mr. Bradbury of the Stockyards National Bank of Kansas City, and a number of bank officials from Amarillo and Pampa establishments.

Definite plans looking forward to the eventual incorporation of the City of Farwell were taken at a meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce last Thursday evening, held at the offices of the Sikes Motor Co.

A resolution was introduced and passed, asking that a petition be circulated calling for a special election to vote on the incorporation.

The motivating purpose of calling the election with the hope of incorporating the city is to further plans on the realization of a sewer system for Farwell. Discussion of an adequate sewer system has been under discussion for the past several years and sentiment in favor of a disposal system has crystallized during recent weeks.

Attorneys and laymen alike who have looked into the procedure of installing a sewer system seem to be agreed that the most favorable plan is to incorporate the city and then take steps to vote bonds to retire the debt.

Engineer Bill Howren of Amarillo, who has just completed preliminary surveys of the city, has stated that a bond issue in the amount of around \$40,000 would be necessary to provide an adequate system. This amount, he says, would install the system and pay the cost of equipping a disposal plant at an old lake bed northeast of the city, now being used for a public dumping ground.

Attorney John Aldridge, who is handling the legal phase of calling the election, said today that petitions would be circulated as soon as field notes designating the proposed incorporation limits could be prepared. Tentatively, the incorporation would embrace from First to Ninth Street east and west and from Avenue A to Avenue H, north and south. More familiarly known, the borders would be from the bank corner east to the old Darr location, and from Highway 70 south to the first street south of the John Aldridge residence property.

Consideration is also being given an area north of the railroad tracks to include the industrial section now occupied by the Sharp Machinery Co., the Helton Oil Co., the Henderson Grain Co., and the Bagley Oil Company. Whether or not these businesses will be included in the corporate limits is yet to be decided.

Engineer Howren, in plotting the city, said that lines would be laid to accommodate every residence and business house in the city, as well as the courthouse and school house. The only residences omitted, under his plan, would be a small section east of the school, lying beyond Ninth Street.

Attorney Aldridge said today that it was his idea that if the bond issue is called, it would be wise to vote half of the issue in revenue bonds and the remaining half in tax bonds with the view of retiring both issues in a period of ten years.

Little Lost Teddy Looks For Owner

A slightly bedaggl'd, one-eyed Teddy Bear, obviously the joy of some child's heart, is looking for his owner.

The bear was found in Farwell at the street intersection by the W. H. Graham residence, lying in the weeds at the side of the road, and is now at the Graham home. The young owner may claim the toy by calling for it.



EXPATRIATE IS DISINHERITED . . . George Bacon stands with his English wife in front of their Nottingham home. Bacon's father, millionaire Paul V. Bacon, partner in the Boston Educational and Text Book Publishing Co., cut his son out of his will because he would not return to the United States, but preferred to live in England with the girl he married while he served in the army.

FROM THE HOPPER

By HOP

Our old friend, Bob Maddux, who now lives at Roswell, is very unhappy with us. Some several weeks ago he had us enter his subscription and he claims that he has only received one copy of the paper since that time. Sorry, Bob, but we have checked your address carefully and find it is the same you gave us. But we are determined that you shall get the paper if we have to deliver it to you in person every week.

About the most handicapped man we have run into of late is Press Abbott, an old XIT cowhand now living at Bovina. Press happened to a little accident a few days ago and had a fall, receiving some broken bones in his right hand. "I can't even fill my pipe," Press complained, going on to add that he also had great difficulty in getting his clothes on and off.

Noticed in the *S. Star* news this week where the people of Sudan got behind their Red Cross drive in grand style and completed the town's quota in a single day. Congratulations, Sudan. The only way to do a job is to go out and do it, and the people of Sudan have shown that it can be done with a determined effort.

The people of Sudan evidently didn't tell the solicitor to "come back tomorrow or the next day" but plunked down and met their obligation promptly and on the spot. There is nothing more annoying to a solicitor than to be told that he must call a second or a third time. Why can't people realize that the man who takes time from his business to make the solicitations is entitled to more consideration? If the solicitor is willing to give of his time in making the call, he certainly should not be expected to make a second or third call.

Ruby Meeks took us to task recently for stating that a new house in east Farwell was the property of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Meeks. Well, Ruby this town is so full of Meeks that we can't keep them all straight. Actually, it looks like the Johnson grass and the Meeks are going to inherit the earth. Anyway we're sorry for the error.

A tourist, traveling in a Rolls-Royce, entered a Friona garage and asked if they had a mechanic who . . . (Continued on last page)

Ezell Final Rites Tuesday Afternoon

Funeral services for Roy B. Ezell 72, who had served Parmer County as county treasurer for the past sixteen years, were conducted at the Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church in this city Tuesday afternoon by Rev. Murphy Duncan, assisted by B. N. Graham and T. J. Carter, of Lubbock, former superintendent of the local schools.

Death came to Mr. Ezell in a Clovis hospital at 10:15 Saturday night following a long illness. He had been in poor health for several months and early last December entered a Lubbock hospital for treatment. Returned to his home in Farwell some weeks ago, he was confined to his home and had not been able to attend the duties of his office for the past four months.

He was taken to a Clovis hospital early last week after suffering a sinking spell at his home. Mrs. Ezell who had fallen victim of influenza and pneumonia, also entered a Clovis hospital at the same time.

Under the direction of the Steed Funeral Home of Clovis, burial was made in the Bovina Cemetery immediately following the services.

The Ezell family came to Parmer County in 1917 from Crosby County where he had engaged in stock raising and farming since his marriage to Della Mae Martin in 1900. His first business venture in Parmer County was on a sheep ranch three miles south of Bovina. After operating there for only one year, a heavy snow and severe cold winter of 1918 killed off his 4000 head of sheep and shortly thereafter he moved his family to Bovina, where Mrs. Ezell was named postmaster and served for nine years. In 1934 Ezell entered the race for county treasurer and took office on January 1, 1945. He served in that capacity up to his death.

Recently, the Commissioners Court approved Mrs. Ezell as deputy treasurer, and she has carried on the duties of the office since then, while her husband was confined to his home.

Ezell migrated from Fort Worth to Crosby County in 1898, while he was yet a young man, and played the part of an early-day cowboy in the rough-and-tumble days of the early West.

Besides his widow, Mr. Ezell is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Nannie Mae Parker, Roswell; Mrs. Lillian Parker, Amarillo; three sons R. B. Jr., Roswell; Glenn Martin Portales; Eugene, Bovina; one brother, Will F. Ezell, Crosbyton; one sister, Mrs. Ruby Fowler, in Tennessee; fourteen grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

DHIA Formed For Parmer County

Organization of a Parmer County Dairy Herd Improvement Association was completed at Friona, Tuesday night, when Clifford Crow was named as president, Dudley Robason as vice president and Tilden Slagle as secretary.

L. V. Bednorz, of Dimmitt, will be the official tester for the group, and will start work as soon as sufficient arrangements are completed in the county.

Farmers in this area are invited to contact County Agent Joe W. Jones and those on the far side of the county are asked to get in touch with Crow in regard to having herds tested.

March

1-Canada grants woman suffrage, 1918.

2-Alamo day in Texas.

3-Birthday of Luther Burbank, Andre Michoux, botanists.

4-International Women's day.

5-Battle between Monitor and Merrimac.

6-Spring Song.

7-Great Atlantic states blizzard, 1888.

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Health Note

Texas State Department of Health

AUSTIN—Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, says that the season of the year when typhoid fever is most prevalent will soon be here and urges everyone to clean up their premises to eliminate flies and other insects. A town is only as clean as the individual citizens and public health should be everyone's concern.

The typhoid germ travels from an infected person to the well person; this is generally accomplished by water, milk, flies, fingers, or food. Every case is contracted by way of the mouth and digestive system.

A carrier is a person who has had typhoid fever at some time and who even after recovery carried the germs of the disease in the urine and discharge of the bowels. Carriers who are careless in their personal habits are likely to infect any food they handle with unwashed hands. Some of the most serious and far-reaching outbreaks of the disease have been caused by drinking milk or eating foods that have been handled by carriers. Persons may be carriers without knowing it.

Typhoid fever is unnecessary and preventable. Every case is due either to community negligence or to the carelessness of some individual. Persons planning a vacation or trip where sanitation may not be rigidly enforced should protect themselves against this disease by being immunized. Its prevention is accomplished by the enforcement of public health measures to protect food, milk, and water supplies, and by immunization. The purity of water, milk, or food cannot be judged by looking at it, so the best thing to do is to play safe and have your physician protect you.

New Dining Hall Will Begin At Wayland

PLAINVIEW — Construction for the new dining hall, the Colonel C. C. Slaughter Memorial Center, will begin at Wayland College this week. The building will be ready for use for the fall term of 1950 unless there is a delay in getting steel. Excavations for the basement are already complete.

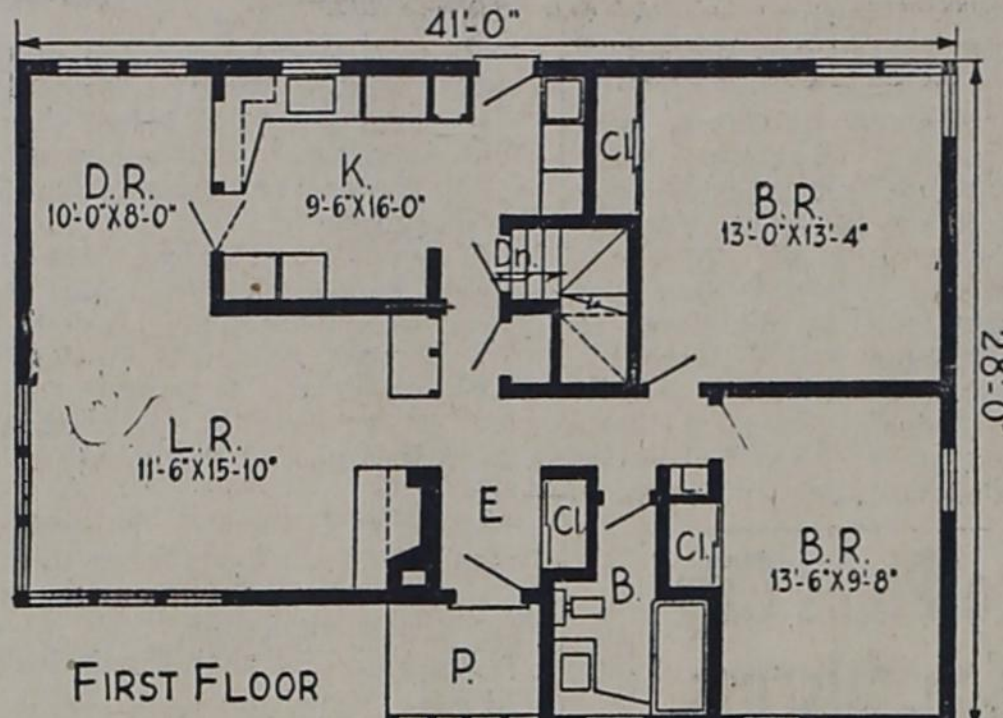
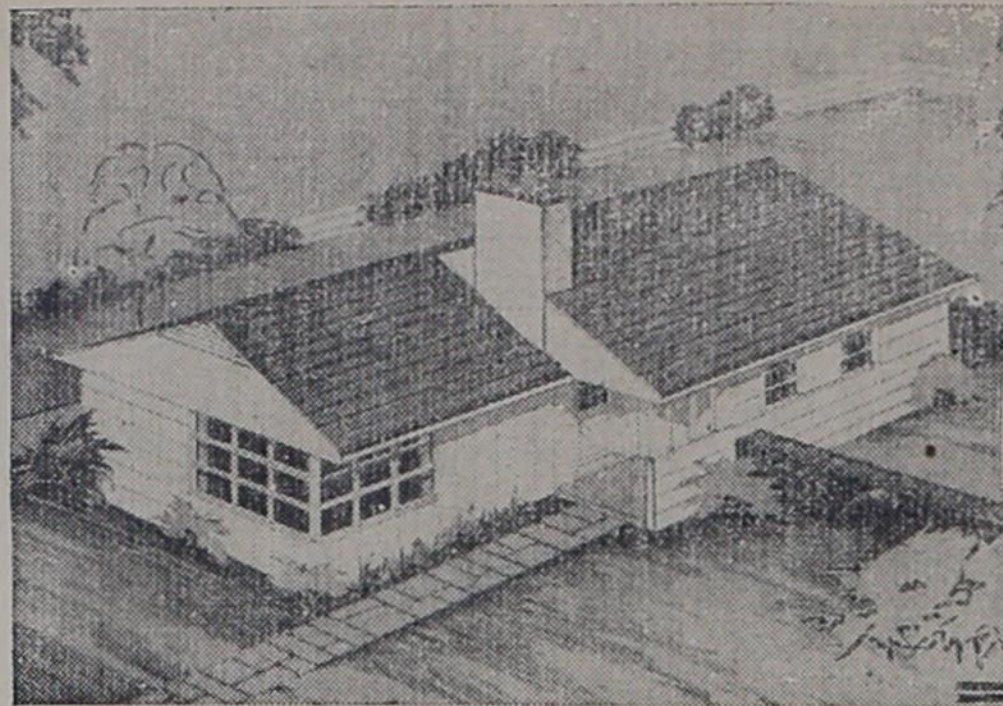
Creed Hancock of Plainview, is chairman of the building committee. Other members are W. B. Davenport, E. M. Osborne and Burton Craig, all of Plainview, and Dr. A. Hope Ower, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Plainview.

Emmett F. Rittenberry of Amarillo is the architect. The dining room 100x125, will seat 350 at regular tables, 450 banquet style, and can serve 1500 to 1700 an hour cafeteria style.

The 45x47 foot kitchen includes all necessary facilities plus cold storage for meat, cooler storage for fresh vegetables and fruit, and an elevator to the basement.

Made of cream brick, the building also has a porch and large lounge. Earl Perkins of Plainview is the contractor.

Need letterheads? Dial 2131.



This home was designed with alternative exteriors and interiors, enabling the owner to choose the combination which suits his own needs best. Because of these optional major features, the dwelling has been selected by American Builder magazine, 30 Church St., New York 7, N. Y., as its Plan No. 38.

The two exteriors are the same except that one has a steeper roof pitch than the other. The house as shown above has the more gently sloping roof. The steeper roof provides an expansion attic where rooms might be added in the future. For either type of roof, Walter T. Anicka, the architect, suggests that the color of the shingles form the basis for the entire exterior color scheme.

The floor plan shown would be used with a basement. For a basementless house, the stairway would be eliminated. This would leave space for a small utility room where a heater could be installed.

The living room-dining room and the kitchen face the street. The bedrooms, overlooking the rear yard, are in the quietest part of the house.

The house contains 1,020 square feet of space on the first floor. This figure would be useful in estimating cost of construction.

(Detailed estimating plans and a complete home planning package of building information are available from American Builder, 30 Church St., New York 7, N. Y. Refer to Plan No. 38.)

Wages Not An Issue In Phone Strike

"Wages are no longer an issue in the telephone strike called for next Friday, on the basis of a public statement by Joseph A. Beirne, President of the CIO Communications Workers of America, a spokesman for the American Telephone and Telegraph Company said recently.

"Mr. Beirne has said publicly that if the Company tomorrow or today proposed to give us an increase that would bring us up to the increases in the cost of living since 1939, there would be an area for agreement."

"No matter how you examine the facts, telephone wages have gone up more since 1939 than the cost of living," the spokesman said.

"During the ten-year period, according to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, the cost of living has gone up 69 per cent. In the same period," he said, "telephone wage rates have gone up an average of 102 per cent. This figure is not based on a sample or a selected group. It is based on an actual count of all Bell System employees in each job classification. It is a comparison of the actual wage rates of telephone people today with those paid people with the same amount of experience doing the same jobs in 1939.

"Whether you compare today's telephone wages with pre-war, or the end of the war, they have more than kept pace with the cost of living."

"Since 1945, the cost of living has gone up 32.7 per cent. Telephone people's average weekly earnings

according to the Bureau of Labor Statistics, are up 45.2 per cent in the same period. And, telephone people, unlike workers in many industries, have steady, year-round employment.

"The facts show that telephone people are getting more than Mr. Beirne said would provide an 'area for agreement'. According to his own statement, made Friday night on the nationally broadcast 'Meet the Press' He should not let the threat of a strike hang over the public another hour. He should withdraw the threat and let telephone people devote their full time and energy to serving the public."

RUTHERFORD HONORED
DENTON — Bennie Rutherford, Texas' leading basketball scorer, is North Texas State College's "Most Outstanding Athlete". The lanky Slidcager was named the college's No. 1 athlete at the annual T club banquet held for NTSC lettermen last week.

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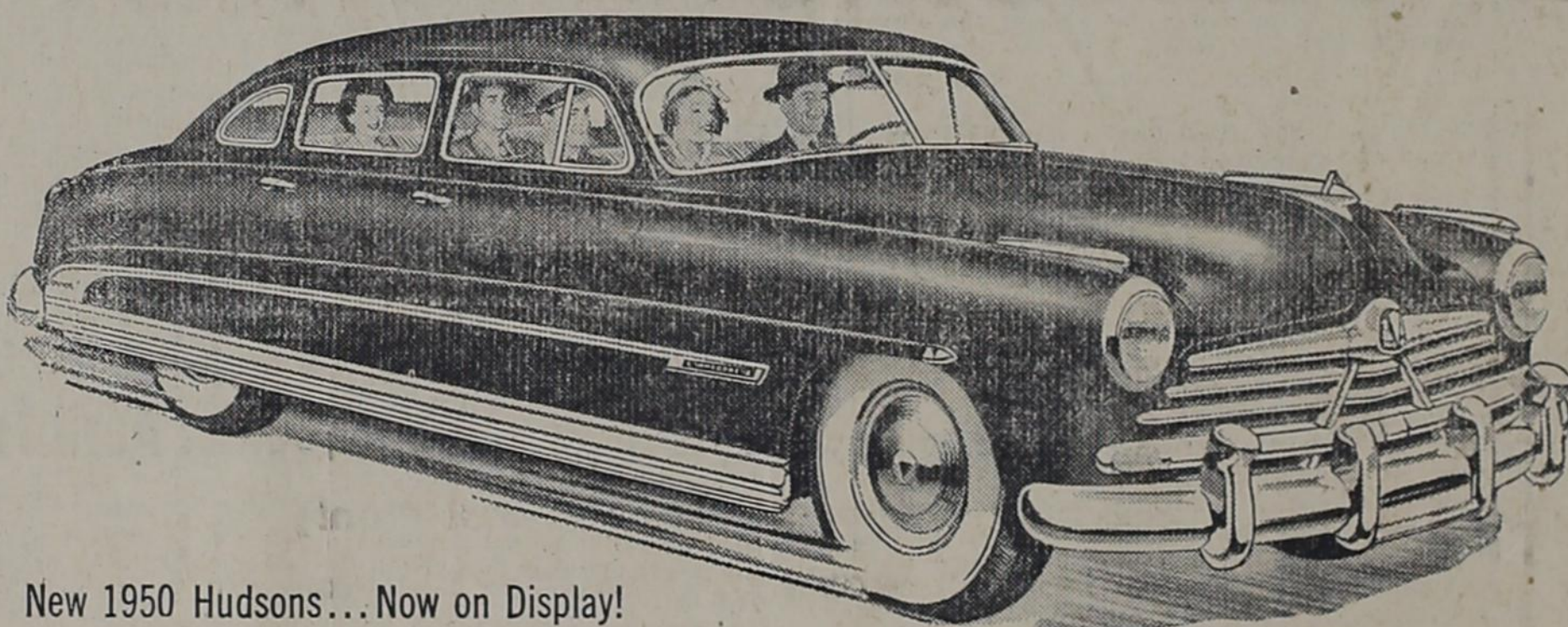
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HEALTH NOTES

AUSTIN—Seasonal health hazards for young children are to be guarded against in the wintertime just as carefully as they are in the summertime, in the opinion of Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer.

called summer complaints which affect small children but certain winter diseases can be just as harmful and are just as likely to make their appearance unless proper precautions are used," Dr. Cox said.

In the group of winter diseases Dr. Cox included influenza, tonsillitis, pneumonia, bronchitis, asthma and even diphtheria when a child has not been immunized. Any such disease



REMORSEFUL ROBBER . . . Clyde J. McGinty, 29, sobs hysterically after his arrest on charges of knifing an Oakland, Calif., tavern keeper in a holdup attempt. McGinty is flanked by Patrolman Jerry Dineen (left) and Inspector Sid Brown. The tavern keeper received cuts on his neck and hands. McGinty was booked for investigation of robbery after he was picked up by police and search of his person disclosed that his pockets held some change from the bar.

affecting a child's respiratory or breathing system is apt to be very serious and only too often fatal. Pneumonia often develops from a neglected cold or may follow a severe case of measles or whooping cough. Bronchitis condition may also prove to be an after effect of these diseases and these respiratory ailments are much more difficult to combat successfully than the digestive ailments which are prevalent in the summertime and

known as summer complaints.

"These winter diseases are especially dangerous to babies and very young children," Dr. Cox stated. "Nearly all of them are spread from secretions of the nose and mouth. Children not in vigorous health are naturally more susceptible to these complaints and the first line of defense against them is to strengthen the child's power of resistance to disease," Dr. Cox advised. "The se-

cond step is to keep them under medical supervision and the third is to make sure that they avoid contact with those who have coughs, colds, or fevers."

OLD-FASHIONED GAS LIGHTS SOUGHT FOR TECH CAMPUS

LUBBOCK—A long search for two gas street lights for the entrance to the Petroleum Engineering building at Texas Technological college has ended.

Prof. W. L. Ducker, head of the petroleum engineering department, says he has been promised two of the

gas lamps which Chicago authorities are replacing with electricity. The lamps have been in use for more than a half-century.

"I've been wanting those lamps for our building because of the historical significance to the petroleum industry, and it was a mere accident that led me to these," Professor Ducker said.

The lamps will be acquired through the Welsbach corporation of Philadelphia and the city of Chicago salvage department.

Ulysses's wanderings are recorded in the epic poem the Odyssey.

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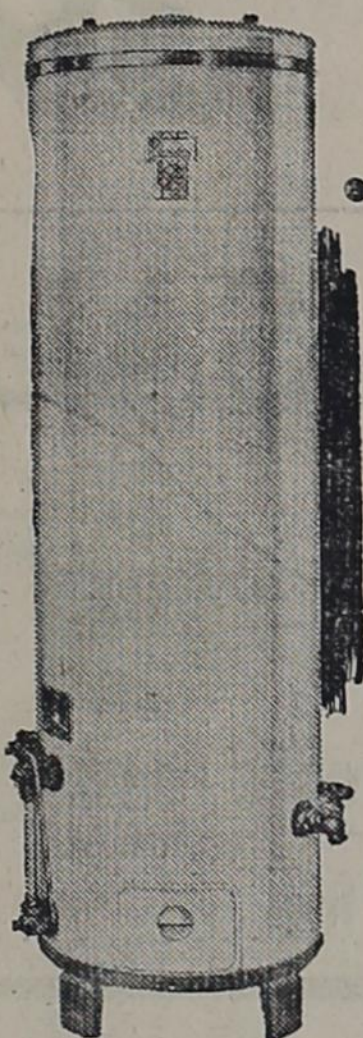
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Manage & Maintain Your Farm Buildings

COLLEGE STATION — Farm buildings require management along with maintenance and the more uses that can be made of the buildings the more profitable they are to the farm business. W. S. Allen, extension agricultural engineer-buildings of Texas A. and M. College, compares farm buildings to a specially designed machine and notes that the parts of the machine that will receive the greatest amount of wear are provided with special lubrication. He says farm buildings should get the same attention.

Improper roof and ground drainage, he points out, are chief causes for failure in farm building. Water dripping from the roof of a building will splash dirt and water against the foundation and may cause the building to settle and over a period of time will cause parts of the building near the ground to rot. Good management, he says, will include gutters and downspouts to take the water from the roof and away from the building and its foundation. Grading and drainage are mighty important items in prolonging the useful life of a building.

He points out that the use of wood preservatives and paint on farm buildings is a good investment and will add years to their useful life. Wood preservatives should be used on all parts of the building near the ground and too, termite proofing should be included in all farm building construction.

Roofs and roof coverings are most important, he adds. Selection of the roof covering should be carefully thought out and planned according to the needs and uses of the proposed building. If it is going to be a large permanent structure, a long-lasting type of roofing should be used. A cheaper type roofing can be used on the temporary structures. Regardless of the type of roofing used, he says it should be put on correctly and kept in good repair. Leaks can cause lots of damage to the structure as well as to the materials or products stored in the building.

Changes in farming operations call for changes in the type and kind of farm structures, points out Allen. This may mean that existing buildings should be torn down and rebuilt or may be a remodeling job would be cheaper. He says there is little excuse for putting up with inconvenient buildings on the farm. Either rebuild or remodel them and this may involve a new location.

He says that many farm and home accidents are caused from improper building management and maintenance. Don't wait, he says, until a building becomes a hazard to repair it. Periodic checks should be made on foundations, framing, roofs and other parts of the farm buildings to see that they are in good shape. If damaged or weak boards are found, make the necessary repairs and replacements. It will save you time and trouble later on and the accident you prevent may save a doctor bill or

even a limb. Every farmer, he concludes, should practice careful management and maintenance on all farm structures. It is just good business.

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This is a "Public Works" Project, as defined in House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Tex-

as and House Bill No. 115 of the 44th Legislature of the State of Texas, and as such is subject to the provisions of said House Bills. No provisions herein are intended to be in conflict with the provisions of said Acts.

In accordance with provisions of said House Bills, the State Highway Commission has ascertained the wage rates prevailing in the locality in which this work is to be done. The Contractor shall pay not less than the prevailing wage rates shown in the proposal for Group 2 for each craft or type of "Laborer", "Workman", or "Mechanic" employed on this project.

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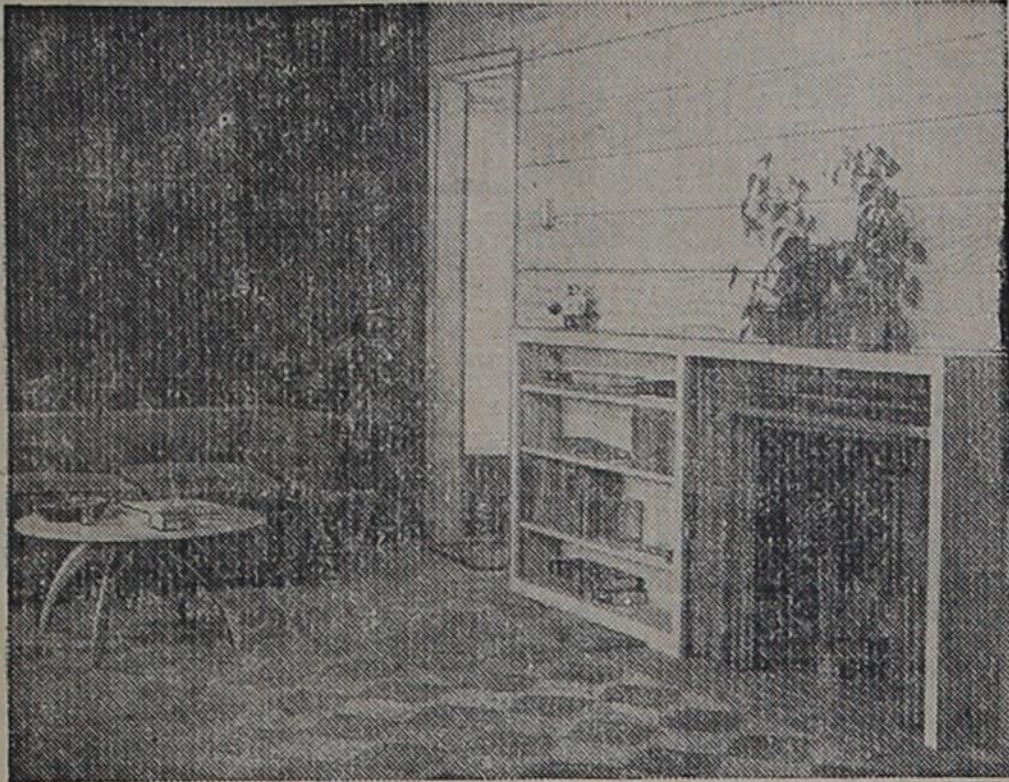
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Questions & Answers

Q. I am an honorably discharged World War II veteran. Are VA education or training benefits available to me if I go to a private teacher who will prepare me to enter college?

A. If you are training under Public Law 16 because of a service-incurred disability, you may have a private tutor if one is prescribed for you by VA vocational guidance counselors. No private tutor is available to you under the GI Bill which stipulates that a veteran must attend a state-approved school or training establishment to get VA benefits.

Q. Will VA guarantee my loan for the purchase of residential property containing more than one family unit? I am a World War II veteran.

A. Yes, but the total number of separate units in the apartment cannot be more than four if you are the only buyer. If other veterans are joining you in the purchase, then one additional unit may be added to the above-mentioned four for each vet participating in the purchase.

Q. Where does Veterans Administration conduct medical examinations for rating purposes?

A. Examination for rating purposes are made when possible in regional and sub-regional offices. If more convenient, they may be made in VA hospitals or by VA designated private physicians.

Q. Have I any recourse to civil courts if I do not like the decision of VA on my disability compensation claim?

A. No. The law specifically provides that the decision of the Administrator of Veterans Affairs in such matters is final and conclusive.

Estate Seeks Heirs Of Stephen Howard

CHICAGO—Possible descendants but more likely brothers and sisters or nieces and nephews of Stephen A. Howard and his wife, Sarah, nee Stokes, are being sought in West Texas to claim an estate of \$5,200 of which they obviously never heard.

Walter C. Cox, probate genealogist of Chicago, who specializes in tracing missing relatives to settle estates, is directing the hunt but with few helpful clues.

"The estate was left," Cox said "by a descendant of Mr. and Mrs. Howard, who died without issue and inheritance therefore reverts back through their lineage to next of kin."

"The Howards were married in west of West Texas in about 1880 and there is reason to believe that the relatives sought are now living somewhere in Texas."

"Mr. and Mrs. Howard's children or grandchildren, if any, would have first claim to the tidy estate. However, since it appears doubtful that there are any such descendants, the couple's brothers and sisters or nieces and nephews, successively, would be next in line."

Cox warned that persons believing themselves to be the heirs sought must submit proof of relationship acceptable to the court having jurisdiction over the estate.

Texas Wildlife Is Shown On Films

AUSTIN—The action story of Texas wildlife is being shared by Lone Star State residents with vast numbers of outsiders. The Executive Secretary reported that departmental motion pictures have been provided



HE DIDN'T EVEN HAVE A LICENSE . . . This is the shambles created in Los Angeles recently when little 2½-year-old Terry Hupp took his mother's car out for a spin. Here, Terry "signs" the traffic report. With him is police officer Charles O'Dell. Terry started motor, plowed through four fences, a trailer park and a few trees. To all questions of the "arresting" officer, he merely observed, "Yipe!" One trailer occupant was treated for shock.

ded other states for several years but recently requests for Game Department films has increased because of television in many Eastern states.

These states have obtained films from the Game, Fish and Oysterman Commission files to make their own copies for TV treatment. Copying is usually necessary because color film must be changed to black and white for TV transmission.

Meanwhile, Texans are availing themselves of the Game Department's wildlife film library. Each week both sound and silent films are mailed in increasing numbers to sportsmen's organizations, civic and other groups, schools, and churches. Films are sent express prepaid from the Commission's headquarters in Austin with the primary requirement that they be handled carefully and returned express prepaid immediately after they have been used.

Tech Aggies Acquire Steer From Firm

LUBBOCK—Texas Technological college's agriculture division is scheduled to acquire another yearling Hereford steer early this month as a gift of a Lubbock-San Angelo mercantile firm.

Dean W. L. Stangel said the Hemphill-Wells department stores are donating the yearling. It will be purchased

at San Angelo by Grady Mitcham, manager of the department store there. William Piper, Jr., Walnut Springs senior and Tech herdsman, will help Mitcham choose the steer.

Dean Stangel said the steer will be named "Sir Spencer XII." The firm has donated 11 other steers to the Tech herd in past years and each has borne the name, "Sir Spencer."

Tech Holstein Cow Gets High Rating

LUBBOCK—Tech Premier Alcartra, a registered Holstein-Friesian cow owned by Texas Technological college, has completed a 365-day production test of 583 pounds of butterfat and 17,373 pounds of milk made in Herd Improvement Registry.

The cow was milked three times daily and was 4 years, 7 months when she began here test period. The report came from the Holstein-Friesian Association of America, Brattleboro, Vt.

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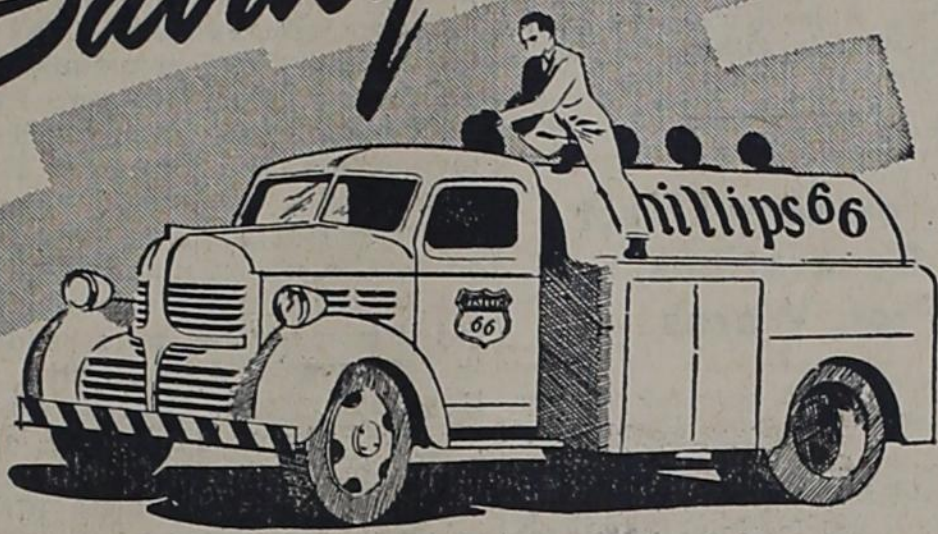
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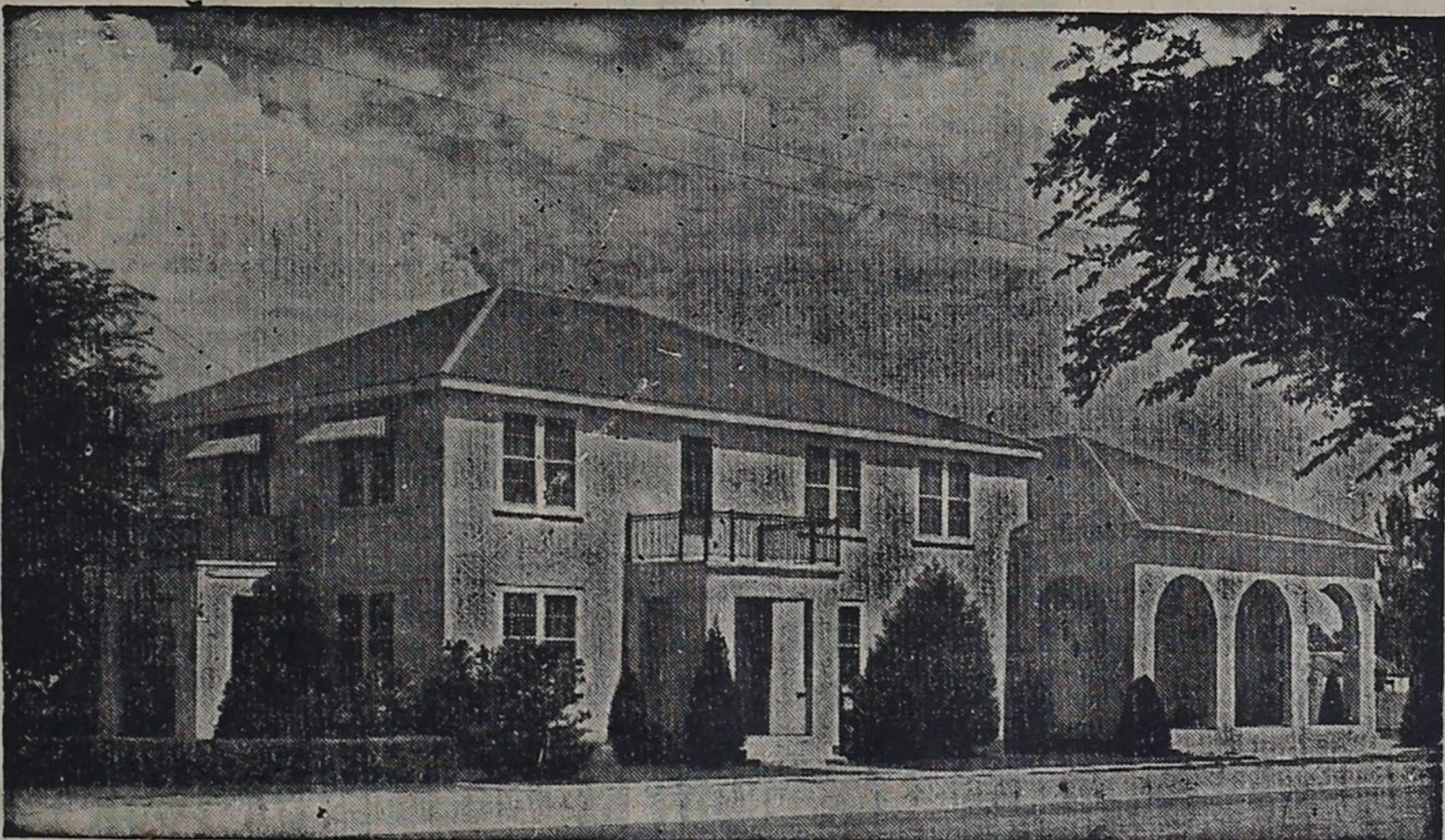
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FOR SALE—Three Aberdeen-Angus calves. R. L. Douglas, 2 1/2 miles north Wilsey Switch. 20-2tp

FOR SALE—160 acres, 6 miles north on state line road, 1 1/2 mile east. Improved, \$50 per acre. J. I. Rury, Texico, Rt. 2. 18-4tp

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FOR SALE—At a bargain, 20-ft. modern house trailer, 1949 model, only 100 miles on the road, under shed all time; equipped with butane gas for heating and cooking, electric refrigerator, two rooms with two beds everything practically new. Les Means at Home Grocery & Market, Texico. 21-1tp

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Old Dwellings Usually Need Plan Changes

A fully satisfactory job of remodeling an old house often entails major floor plan changes because old dwellings ordinarily have small living rooms, inadequate closet and storage space, and poor kitchen arrangements. Partitions between rooms should be inspected to determine which ones could be removed without difficulty and which ones are bearing walls helping support the weight of the house. A first story wall usually is a bearing wall if it is directly underneath a wall on the second floor.

Removal of a bearing wall is more expensive than taking out a simple partition. A steel beam to support the weight usually must be installed. If an opening such as a large doorway or an archway is cut in a bearing wall, the load can be held up by a beam resting on posts at the sides of the opening. Frequently, the most inexpensive way to enhance the appearance of the exterior of a house is to use color. A home can be painted in such a way that the best features are emphasized while attention is detracted from less pleasing parts.

If the roof line is ungraceful, the trim along the edge of the roof should be painted an inconspicuous color, and dark asphalt shingles should be selected for reroofing. To draw attention to an attractive roof line, pick brighter asphalt shingles. By drawing the eye upward, a light-colored roof also will make a house seem taller.

If the proportions of a house are pleasing, its outline can be accentuated by painting the trim in strong contrast to the sidewalls.

GETTING RID OF BATS

To get rid of a bat in the house, open a window and shine automobile headlights on the opening. Attracted by the light, the bat will fly out.

CLEANING LAMP SHADES

Parchment lamp shades can be cleaned with a cloth which has been dampened in soapy water.

UNRESTRICTED QUOTAS

M-Sgt. John Temple of the Recruiting Station in Clovis, and Walt Leichty, Chief US Navy, in charge of Navy recruiting in Clovis, announce unrestricted quotas for the month of March. The recruiters stated that the Army and Air Force are accepting applications from male applicants single and of good moral character between the ages of 17 through 34, while Navy applicants must be between 17 through 30.

Applicants should present birth certificates. Sgt. Temple and Chief Leichty said that in certain cases previous servicemen may be re-enlisted if married. Interested men are advised to either call at or telephone the Armed forces recruiting station located in the basement of the Post Office building, Clovis.

"ROMANCES OF OLD NEW ORLEANS" * * * When the 19-year-old Anna Mathilda Morales, brunette red-lipped and vivid looked up during the height of the grand ball at Pensacola in panish Florida, she saw danger smiling at her—in the eyes of a young widower from New Orleans It's in *The American Weekly*, that great magazine distributed with next Sunday's Los Angeles Examiner.

Texas 4-H members last year exhibited about 22,000 head of livestock and poultry at 212 livestock shows and fairs.

New Santa Fe Train Goes Out April 2nd

A new train over the Santa Fe's northern route between Kansas City and Los Angeles will go into effect April 2. At the same time the once popular custom of off-train dining made famous by the Fred Harvey System and its Harvey Girls will be revived on the existent California Limited.

The new dining arrangement does not affect the Super Chief, Chief, El Capitan and Grand Canyon. They will maintain their present dining car facilities.

R. T. Anderson, Santa Fe's general passenger traffic manager, Chicago, has announced that one section of The Grand Canyon which now operates in two sections between Chicago and Los Angeles through Amarillo, Clovis and Belen, will be identified as Trains 123 and 124 and will travel over the Northern District between Kansas City and Los Angeles. This will add an additional train to the Northern District, Anderson said, giving Santa Fe patrons there through service to and from the Pacific Coast via the Grand Canyon for the first time in many years.

There will be no curtailment of present Grand Canyon service thru Amarillo, Clovis and Belen, as the section identified as Trains 23 and 23 which will continue to operate through the Panhandle, will carry both chair car and Pullman accommodations and will have no change in schedule.

In explaining the revival of the tradition-stepped method of dining room service for passengers on the California Limited at intermittent stop-overs along the southwestern route, Anderson said, "We are confident the revival of dining arrangements will be received enthusiastically by tourists in the West and Southwest. A number of vacationers have eagerly solicited our consideration of a more leisurely type of trip through the picturesque Indian Country of New Mexico and Arizona and the new schedule on the California Limited has been patterned along these lines.

"The new program means additions to our Harvey House staff at Albuquerque and Gallup, N. M.; Winslow, Williams and Seligman, Ariz., where meals will be served to California Limited passengers. Some new construction and remodeling of the dining rooms, particularly at Seligman, will be undertaken. We believe the program has a definite appeal to vacation travelers," he said.

Also on April 2 a new streamliner to be known as the Kansas City Chief will be established between Kansas City and Chicago, scheduled for accommodation of business people.

Veterans Urged To Place Dividends In US Saving Bonds

DALLAS—Texas veterans will be asked to "salt away" part of their national service life insurance dividends in U. S. Savings Bonds, Nathan Adams of Dallas, state Savings Bonds chairman, announces.

Adams said that principal veterans organizations of the state began to participate in the campaign to urge ex-servicemen and women to use their dividend money as nest-eggs for the future. Texas veterans are slated to receive about \$150,000,000.

The world's largest walled, outdoor swimming pool is in Balmorhea State Park near Balmorhea, Texas.

Soft Water System Cuts Home Expense

Equipment for softening hard water cuts household operating expenses and provides longer life for pipes and drains, says American Builder magazine.

"It is estimated that the cost of hard water averages from \$75 to \$125 a year, depending on the hardness of the water and the size of the family," the magazine says.

The New York State Department of Health is quoted as saying, "The life of clothes washed in hard water is shortened 20 to 40 percent."

"Probably the most widely used water-softening systems are those which employ the zeolite process," American Builder says. "Zeolite, a white, durable chemical, is contained in a water-softener tank which may be installed in the home water system.

"Zeolite has an affinity for calcium and magnesium, the minerals which make water hard. The minerals are absorbed by the zeolite as the water passes through the tank.

"When zeolite is saturated with the minerals taken from the water, it must be 'regenerated,' or flushed with a solution of common salt and water. It is then ready to be used again."

In many communities, water softeners are installed on a service basis. A local company installs a portable softener in the water line.

Radiation May Effect Many Generations, Tech Prof. Warns

LUBBOCK—The best information that American scientists have indicates that the soil around Hiroshima and Nagasaki, Japan, will be radioactive with particles from the bomb for about 1,700 years, Dr. J. C. Cross, Texas Tech biologist reports.

Dr. Cross, professor and head of the Tech biology department, says that from a genetics standpoint, no conclusions about the effects of radiation can be made until the exposed Japanese have produced a number of offspring.

"Our known patterns of radiation tell us that we can expect anything insofar as heredity is concerned," he says.

"About all you can say is that the outlook is very black," he adds. He says the use of geiger counters in connection with radiation studies "might be of doubtful value" from a genetics standpoint.

Longview, Texas, is the southern terminus of the "Big Inch" pipe line extending into Illinois.

Texans Like Their Home Gardens

COLLEGE STATION—A look at last year's annual extension report on horticulture shows how important home gardens, truck crops and orchards are to the state. According to associate extension horticulturist J. E. Hutchison of Texas A. & M. county agents reported that 513,047 home gardens were planted and used last year. Of this number, 308,144 were farm gardens, 191,967 were city and urban gardens and 18,168 4-H club gardens.

Production was good, and some of the increase can be traced to improved practices. Inoculation and seed treatment practices were used by 19,000 more gardeners in 1949 than in 1948. About half of all the gardeners used commercial fertilizers in accordance with recommendations that came from the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

Truck crop demonstrations were conducted in 143 Texas counties and numbered 12,154. Principal crops involved were tomatoes, watermelons, sweet potatoes, Irish potatoes, onions, cucumbers, cantaloups, spinach, carrots, beets and peppers. Special training schools held at agricultural experiment stations in all sections of the state were used to bring truck growers and county agents up to date on the latest methods of production and new varieties of crops.

County agents conducted 895 plant bed preparation demonstrations and 686 demonstrations were used to introduce better strains of sweet potatoes. Agents also conducted 271 demonstrations showing improved practices that could be used in the production of cucumbers for pickling.

More than 3,200 commercial orchard demonstrations were conducted in 142 counties during 1949, says Hutchison. Home orchards came in for their share of attention, 31-265 demonstrations were conducted in 228 counties of the state. County agents reported that more than 1,400,000 fruit trees of all types were planted in home orchards. In addition, about the same number of berry plants were set and more than 300,000 fig and grape cuttings were set by demonstrators working under the supervision of county demonstration agents. 4H club members were busy, they conducted more than 10,500 farm fruit plot demonstrations that involved planting and maintenance of home orchards of one acre or less in size.

All of this work resulted in more and better fresh fruits and vegetables for the home table, with the surplus being canned, stored in the freezer, or sold. Concludes Hutchison "it all adds up to better balanced diets and improved health for rural Texans."

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How About Eggs In That Freezer Locker?

COLLEGE STATION—Right now eggs are plentiful and compared with other high protein foods, they are a good buy. The homemaker who is hunting bargains in food and has the freezing and storage facilities will be wise to take advantage of the present situation, says Lucille Shultz, associate extension foods and nutrition specialist.

She says eggs can be stored in the home freezer or freezer locker for six months or more and still be as good as fresh eggs. Only clean eggs should be used, she warns, for dirt from dirty shells may drop into the eggs during the breaking process and spoil the keeping quality. Fresh clean eggs should be broken into a clean bowl and mixed thoroughly but do not whip in air. Fill moisture vapor-proof containers with the egg mixture and they are ready to freeze and store.

If yolks are separated from the whites and frozen separately, she says you'll want to use corn syrup sugar or salt to prevent a gummy condition. For each cup of yolks, add one tablespoon of syrup or sugar or one teaspoon salt. Mix thoroughly and use same type containers recommended for whole-egg mixture. The whites frozen separately need nothing added and no mixing.

513,047 home gardens were planted and used by Texans last year. 191,967 were city or urban—the balance were farm or 4-H gardens.

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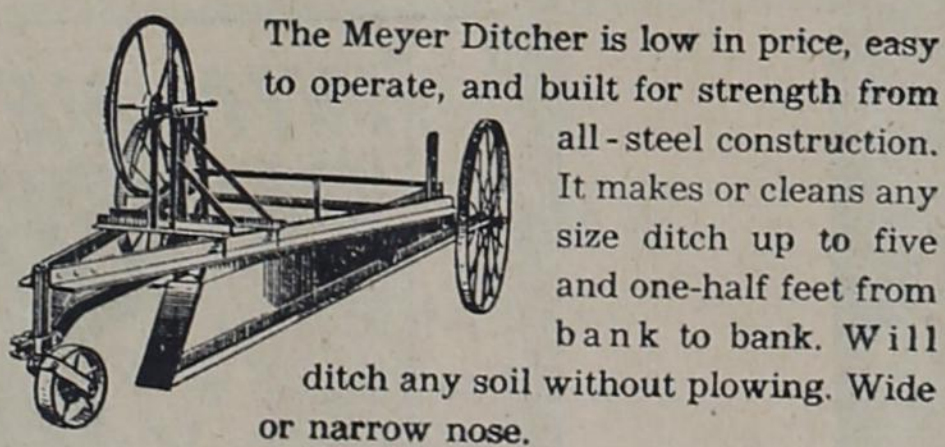
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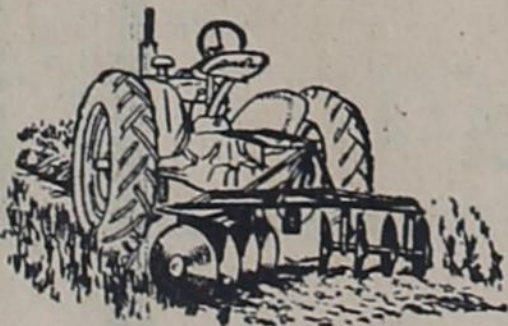
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The Senior Class of Texico will present "The Adventure of Grandpa", a hilarious three-act comedy, on Friday evening, March 17, at 8:00 in the high school auditorium.

An apparently innocent plot to fool grandpa (James Harding), into believing that his grandson (Jim Blington), has a wife (Betty Donahey) turns into something more than funny when the quarantine is slapped on a dancing academy with all members and patrons inside. Raymond Morgan obligingly takes on the masquerade of the wife for a "few minutes", and things get even worse as the grandson's true love (Peggy Donahey) is also present.

Add to this the blandishments of a French dancing mistress (Billie Roberts), the blunders of a Scandinavian maid (Joyce Holland), "the duty" of Officer McCormack (Paul Clark), and the kitchenish actions of Mrs. Pansy Hopscotch (Mark Leavell) and the play gets more amusing as it unrolls.

Admission will be 25c for children and 50c for adults and the public is cordially invited to attend.

Mrs. Glenn Phillips Is Recent Shower Honoree

A miscellaneous shower honoring Mrs. Glenn Phillips was held in the homemaking department of the Farwell school on Thursday, Feb. 23rd.

Hostesses for the affair were Miss Maxine Ford, Mesdames Ray Ford, Guy Cox, Willie Williams, John Porter, Olan Schleuter and C. A. Cassidy.

Miss Ford registered the guests and Mrs. Ford and Mrs. Porter served from a lovely lace-covered table centered with a bouquet of snapdragons and sweet peas. Individual red and white cakes were served with spiced apple juice, mints and nuts.

Soft music was played throughout the social hour, with Misses Ann Bateman and Peggy Schleuter at the piano.

Attending were Mesdames C. B. Lovelace, R. C. Martin, Johnnie Williams, Austin Jones, Bob Sudderth, Kate Phillips, T. J. Massengill, Bunk Phillips, Calvin Blain, B. J. Foster, Bert Williams, Carl Deaton, Bess Mansfield, M. C. Roberts; Misses Iris Thornton, Dorothy Casady, Peggy Schleuter and Ann Bateman.

Regrets were received from Mmes Wilfred Quickel, James Spurlin, C. G. Davis, M. T. Glasscock, Earl Booth and Joan, Jack Williams, Oleta Coffman, M. A. Snider, Ollie Linder, E. G. Williams, Anne Overstreet, Virgil Martin, J. E. Stone, J. H. Stone, Harry Whitley, Woody McDermitt, Clarence Meeks, Gabe Anderson, Mitz Walling, W. H. Spurlin, Sam Aldridge, Doyle Cummings, John Armstrong, E. C. Brown, O. Huggins, D. O. Rolland, Ray Sudderth, Buster Gast, Bob Anderson, O. C. Sikes, James Bruce, Joe Magness, LeRoy Faville, Karl Gast, Arlon Lovelace, Stafford Bradshaw, Elmer Hargrove, Perry Crawley, B. N. Graham, Hayden Cason, C. M. Henderson and O. B. Pipkin; Misses Marilyn Anderson, Linda and Connie Phillips.

Symbolizing the married state, a huge rolling pin was presented by Buster and Smokey Gast.

Are Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Clark, of Clovis were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Houghtelm the past Sunday. Mrs. Clark is a niece of the local lady.

Week Of Dedication To Be Observed In Local ME Church

"This week, March 5th through March 12th, has been designated as a week of dedication in the Methodist Church," Rev. Murphy Duncan, pastor of the local church, said on Sunday.

In making the announcement, the pastor added that special services would be conducted at the church on three evenings, beginning tonight (Wednesday).

Tonight's speaker will be Rev. J. C. English, pastor of the Clovis First Church, on Thursday night Rev. H. H. Allen, pastor of the Trinity Methodist Church in Clovis, will address the audience. The Friday night guest speaker will be announced later.

Services in the evening began at 7:30, and a cordial invitation is extended to all residents, with the membership being especially urged to attend. On Sunday, March 12, a special self-denial offering for the work of the church in missionary service will be taken, Rev. Duncan added.

Friendship Night Held By Bovina Star Group

Bovina Chapter No. 839 Order of Eastern Star held its annual Friendship Night program, on March 2nd with Dr. Floyd Golden, of the Eastern New Mexico University, Portales, as the guest speaker.

Special music was given by Mary Lou Elliott, who sang "Dear Heart and Gentle People". The Chapter was happy to welcome 38 visitors from organizations at Dimmitt, Littlefield, Muleshoe, Clovis, McLellan, Hereford, Earth and Sterlington chapters.

Outstanding guests were Pat Boone, Past Worthy Grand Patron, Flora Best Boone, Grand Conductress, and Willie Mae Ross of the credentials committee, all of the Grand Chapter of Texas.

The beautiful serving tables featured the Easter motif, with Easter bunnies and candles flanking a lovely floral arrangement.

Family Reunion Held In Lunsford Home

A family reunion was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Lunsford in Farwell the past Saturday, when brothers and sisters of Mrs. Lunsford gathered to enjoy a chicken dinner.

Those present included Mr. and Mrs. Roy Williams, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Crook, Mrs. Clarence Crook and children, all of Clovis; Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Jones of Long Beach, California; Mrs. Buster Lunsford and son Rickie, and Mrs. Les Means of Texico.

Returns From Georgia

Mrs. A. D. Smith returned to her home in Farwell, Sunday, after spending three weeks in Young Harris, Georgia. She was called to Georgia by the death of a brother-in-law, Merle Mann, and remained to visit her sister for some time before returning here.

Brother Visits Here

Cecil Millwee left the past weekend to return to his home in Cleveland, Ohio, after having spent several days in Farwell as a guest in the home of his sister, Mrs. W. W. Vinyard.

Officers To Be Elected For Farwell P-T A

The Parent Teacher Association of the Farwell school will convene in regular session, Thursday, March 9 at 8 o'clock at the Farwell school building. Highlight of the gathering will be the election of officers for the coming year.

"Teamwork in the Social World and Business World", will be discussed by Mrs. Tom Foster, Mrs. Loyd Cain, Mrs. Lenton Pool and Mrs. Calvin Sanders.

Hostesses for the March meeting include Mesdames Frank Phillips, Myron Hillock, Bob Hammonds, Ben Smart, Gene Lovelace, John Lovelace, Buster Cochran, Dale McCuan, O. C. Pullam and Ernest Kube.

Syms-Wright Nuptials Read In Albuquerque

Double-ring nuptials for Miss Louise Syms and Lt. Norman Wright both formerly of the Lazbuddy community, were held in the Crest Hill Baptist Church in Albuquerque the past Friday, March 3rd.

Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Menefee attended the ceremony and the bride was given in marriage by her grandfather, Mr. Menefee. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Syms, and formerly taught in the Lazbuddy school.

Lt. Wright expects to leave for Japan within the next thirty days and Mrs. Wright, following her spring graduation from the University of New Mexico in Albuquerque, will join her husband overseas.

Guests In Means Home

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Jones, of Long Beach, Calif., are visiting in the home of her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Les Means, in Texico. They plan to leave today (Wednesday) for points in Missouri and Illinois to visit with other relatives.

Pfc. Alfred Beisenodine of Reno, Nevada, also arrived here Tuesday for a visit in the Means home. He is the son of a nephew of the local people.

Texico Classes Will Attend ENMU Play

Texico juniors and seniors, with their sponsors, will be in Portales tonight (Wednesday), as guests at Eastern New Mexico University, at "The Fan", spring play of the University, is previewed.

Mrs. Agrie Jones, sponsor of the seniors, said Tuesday that practically all members of the student groups plan to make the trip. Mrs. Jimmie Allman, junior sponsor, also expects to attend.

Home From California

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Booth have returned from a two-week vacation to California, and on their return were accompanied by their daughter, Mrs. Blanche Leinen and son, Jack, of Sunnymeade, who will spend several days here with relatives and friends.

Are Guests Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Renner and children and Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Renner, Jr., all of Friona, were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Renner in Farwell.

Are Dinner Guests

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lemmons and Mrs. W. C. Watkins, of Clovis, and Miss Peggy Williams of Farwell were dinner guests in the home of Mrs. Bettie Smart, the past Friday night.

Sweet Simplicity



French-inspired, American-made is this Fuller cotton broadcloth dress, one of the Kate Greenaway juvenile fashions featured in the February Good Housekeeping. Its sturdy seams won't "give" in the laundry, and its simple design is a friend of the lady who dunks, starches, and irons. Available in desert coral with wide trim, or gray with red, the dress sells for about \$5 in sizes 3 to 6, and a dollar more in sizes 7 to 14.

Negro Minstrel Was Outstanding Success

Residents of Texico-Farwell will long remember the Negro minstrel staged Tuesday night at the Farwell school auditorium by the Clovis Lions Club, under the sponsorship of the Texico-Farwell Club.

In a two-hour program that was spiced with blackface comedy, intermingled with a number of good musical numbers, the visiting Lions literally rolled the audience in the aisles.

The most sensational number of the program was Eva Clair Barnes in her three tap-dancing appearance and the local audience rated her as a professional, compared to other members of the cast.

Other specialty acts, appearing on the program between the blackface jokes were outstanding, and drew wholehearted applause.

Capping the climax of the evening's entertainment was the parade of a dozen local Lions, representing the various months of the year, and dressed (or undressed) in scant women's apparel.

New Building Goes Up On Main Street

Construction work got underway the latter part of last week on a small building on Avenue A, by Don Watkins, just west of the Martin Produce in Farwell.

The building will be of tile material, 50x55 feet. In addition to providing room for a business and living quarters, a small office space, 14x28 will be arranged on the west side of the building. Primarily, the building is being erected to accommodate Mary's Cafe, Watkins said.

Hospital Notes

Patients admitted: Jerry Don Carlton, medical, Friona; Dickie Lee Renner, medical, Friona; Lynn Looney, medical, Bovina; Charles Rauh medical, Bovina; F. M. Osborn, medical, Friona; Jim Richey, medical, Jimmie Lee Dean, medical, Farwell; Mrs. Ruth Meeks, medical, Farwell; Mrs. E. L. Cochran, medical, Farwell; Mrs. David Carson, medical, Bovina; Mrs. W. O. Barber, medical, Friona; Mrs. Frank Osborn, medical, Friona; David Wines, accident, Bovina; Ronnie Wines, accident, Bovina; Sandra Patrick, medical, Summerfield; Janet Robason, medical, Friona; Mr. Watkins, medical, Farwell; Mrs. Tom Lloyd, medical, Bovina; Treva Rolan, medical, Friona.

Patients dismissed: Rev. J. E. Tidwell, Friona; Roger Ezell, Bovina; Johnny McCuan, Farwell; Bill Venable, Bovina; Mr. Rogers, Dalhart; Lynn Looney, Bovina; Dale McCuan Farwell; Dickie Lee Renner, Farwell; Mrs. Clifford Beavers and son Friona; Mrs. E. L. Cochran, Farwell; Jimmie Lee Dean, Farwell; Mrs. Jim Richey, Texico; Mrs. Ben Rodgers and twin daughters, Friona; Mrs. David Carson, Bovina; F. M. Osborn Friona; Nelson Pearce, Bellview, N. M.; Mrs. Tom Lloyd, Bovina.

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Cerebral Palsy Clinic In Lubbock March 20

The Cerebral Palsy Treatment Center will hold a clinic for the examination of cerebral palsied children on Monday, March 20. Dr. C. B. Sadler, Amarillo, Dr. E. T. Driscoll, Plainview and Dr. R. Q. Lewis, Lubbock, will examine patients.

The clinic will be the first held in the Treatment Center's new \$42,500 building located at 4502 Ave. N. in Lubbock. The new building provides facilities for physical therapy, occupational therapy and speech therapy. To date 244 cases have been registered at the Center for care.

Parents interested in bringing children to the clinic on March 20 are requested to register their child at the Center some time before the clinic. Further information may be obtained by contacting Dr. Esther Snell, director of the Treatment Center, 3502 Ave. N., or calling Lubbock 6541.

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Wilson Food Store Observes Birthday

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Your attention is invited to the large advertisement in this issue of The Tribune. In addition to special prices throughout the store, all Hunt's brand canned goods are being offered at drastic reductions.

NAMED ENUMERATOR

William M. Roberts, principal of the Farwell school, was named as official census taker for the school district when board members held a business session at the school Monday night. Supt. Jack Williams reported Tuesday.

IN NEW HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Les Means moved the first of the week into their newly-completed home in Texico.

Miss Twila Strickland and Miss Ruth Williams, both of Lubbock, visited during the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Humble in Farwell.

Dick Walker and children, Susanne, Jimmy and Warner, spent the past Sunday visiting in Fort Sumner.

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- PEN & PENCIL Combination sets, \$1.29
(1 pencil & 2 pens)
- FOOD FRESHNER, For the ice box \$1.59
- SKILLETS, All steel 59c
- VACUUM BOTTLES each \$1.39
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Bovina Happenings

BY MARIE VENABLE

LEGION-AUXILIARY MEET

The Bovina American Legion and Auxiliary met Monday night in regular session, with a very good attendance. Several business matters were taken up, and it was voted to hold a birthday party on Monday night, the 20th, to celebrate the Legion birthday of March 15. A basket supper will be held at 7:30 at the Hall.

BASEBALL SEASON OPENS

The Bovina Baseball Club announces that the first game of the season will be played on the school diamond on Sunday, March 12, beginning at 2:30. The Lazbuddy team is to furnish competition. Admission will be 25c for adults and 10c for children.

DORCAS CIRCLE MEETS

The Dorcas Circle of the Methodist Church met in the home of Mrs. Fred Langer last Wednesday for an all-day meeting and covered dish lunch. The early part of the day was spent in needle work. Mrs. Earl Richards led the business session in the absence of Mrs. T. J. Hopingardner president.

The study on Japan was conducted by Mrs. I. W. Quickel. One new member, Mrs. Alvin Hammonds, was welcomed, and guests present included Mrs. Sparks, mother of Mrs. Loyd Battey, and Mrs. Rex Whetstone and children. She is the daughter of Mrs. Lewis Pesch. Members present were Meses. Earl Richards, Oscar Bruce, John Wilson, Frank Wilson, Pat Kunselman, A. G. White, I. W. Quickel, Lewis Pesch, E. D. Ashcraft, Elvin Hammonds and Loyd Battey.

COSMETIC PARTY HELD

A "Debutante" cosmetic and Fuller brush party was held in the home of

Mrs. Elton R. Venable, Thursday afternoon. A demonstration on the cosmetics was the feature of the afternoon. Prizes went to Mrs. Glenroy Davies, and Mrs. Frank Wilson and samples of shampoo, lipstick, toilet water and hand cream were presented to the ladies present by the agent, Mrs. Fred Langer.

The hostess served sweet rolls and coffee to all present at the close of the afternoon. Attending were Mesdames A. G. White, Byron Turner, Frank Wilson, Charlie Jefferson, Hubert Ellison, Bass Elliott, Elmer Venable, Tyson Eubanks, Glenroy Davies, Miss Sherri Lyn Langer, Windol and Wayne Davies, Radford Venable, Margaret Joe Venable.

QUILTING PARTY HELD

A quilting for Mrs. J. R. Caldwell was held in her home south of Bovina last Thursday, March 2nd. All attendants carried a covered dish for the luncheon and spent a very enjoyable day. Present were Mesdames Lee Thompson, Ward Thompson, Mel Gun, Jim Ellison, Will Parker, Elmer Venable, Oscar Venable, Levi Johnson. The next quilting will be in the home of Mrs. Mel Gun, March 16.

WOMEN'S JUNIOR LEAGUE MEETS ON WEDNESDAY

The Women's Junior League of Bovina met Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Bass Elliott and spent two hours discussing rules constitution and by-laws for the newly-formed Club which is being sponsored by the local Women's Study Club.

Officers elected were Mrs. Bass Elliott, president; Mrs. Bob Sudderth, vice president; Mrs. Charles Hawkins, treasurer; Mrs. Durward Bell, reporter.

The next meeting will be held at the Bovina Legion Hall on Thursday March 16, at 2:30, at which time the public is invited to attend a fashion show sponsored by the Vohs Co., of Clovis.

Refreshments of punch and cookies were served to Meses. Bill Liles, Charles Hawkins, D. C. Looney, Bob Sudderth, Howard Looney, Clarence hanks, Durward Bell, A. V. Warren, Davies, Bob Johnston Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Richards have

begun work on their new home on the east side of town.

Mrs. Mable Newberry returned on Monday from a two-week visit in Liberal, Kansas.

Lynn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Looney, received medical care in the Friona hospital last week. Mr. and Mrs. David Harrison and family, of Quannah, visited in the J. E. Bingham home, Sunday. She is the daughter of Mrs. Bingham.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Spears and son of Scooby, Montana, spent the past weekend in the home of Spear's nephew, Otis Floyd.

Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Blair, of Texico visited in the J. E. Bingham home Sunday.

'Operation Vittles' Pilot Now Enrolled At Tech

LUBBOCK—A former Texas Tech student is back on the campus doing classwork again after having served as a pilot on 130 air missions on the recent Berlin air lift.

Lt. Bill Sayers is now at Reese air force base near here as an instructor. In his off-duty hours he is taking work which will lead to the B. A. degree in journalism and has hopes of publishing a manuscript he has prepared on his air lift experiences.

During his days on the cold war front, Sayers was on the VIP (Very Important Persons) run. His passengers included Gen. Lucius Clay and the liberal mayor of Berlin, Ernest Reuter. While carrying Reuter one of the plane's engines died and Sayers was forced to return to Frankfurt to avoid the risk of a forced landing in an area where Reuter was a "persona non grata."

Most of the time Sayers flew cargoes of coal, however. Besides the VIPs, he occasionally had a load of sausage or baby food.

Aside from the gruelling hours on "Operation Vittles," what does Sayers remember most vividly? Probab-

ly the \$5.50 he paid for a breakfast in England.

"And it was terrible," he added with a grimace.

Eighty Teachers Get HomeWork, Too

LUBBOCK—Off-duty sailors are teased for renting row boats, but nobody is kidding 80 school teachers who are taking classes themselves at Texas Technological college each Saturday morning for three-hour stretches.

The teachers are attending courses offered as a special concession to persons who are teaching school and want to continue work on advanced degrees or merely catch up on the latest ideas in education.

Dr. Doyle D. Jackson, acting head of the education department, said the courses "are not extension classes in any sense of the word."

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WHEAT PRODUCTION

AUSTIN—Texas wheat production totaling 2,575,000 bushels in Decem-

ber, slid 3 per cent from November and 22 per cent from December 1948, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports.

After adjustment for seasonal variation, the Bureau's index of wheat grindings slipped 6 per cent to 107 per cent of the prewar (1935-39) base period.

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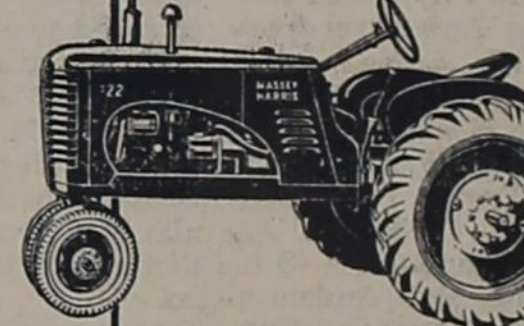
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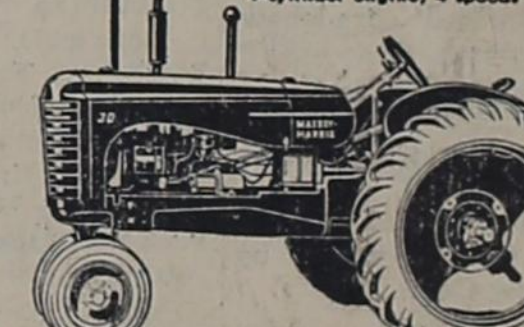
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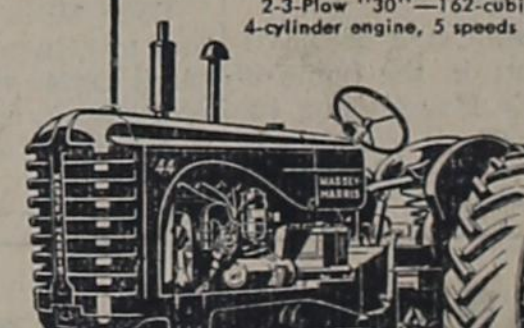
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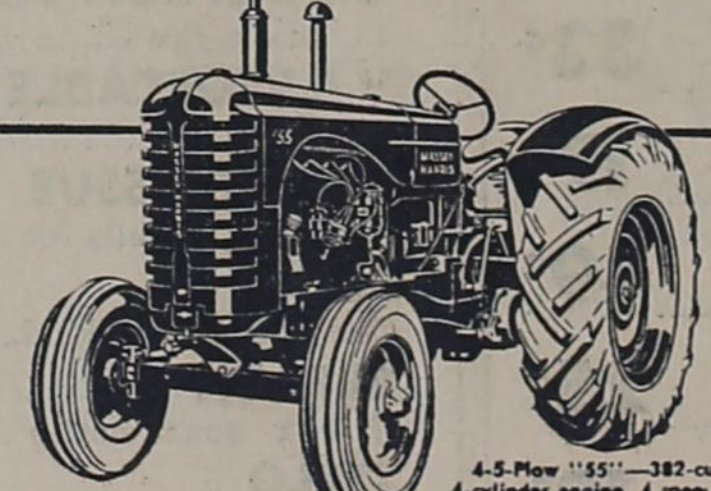
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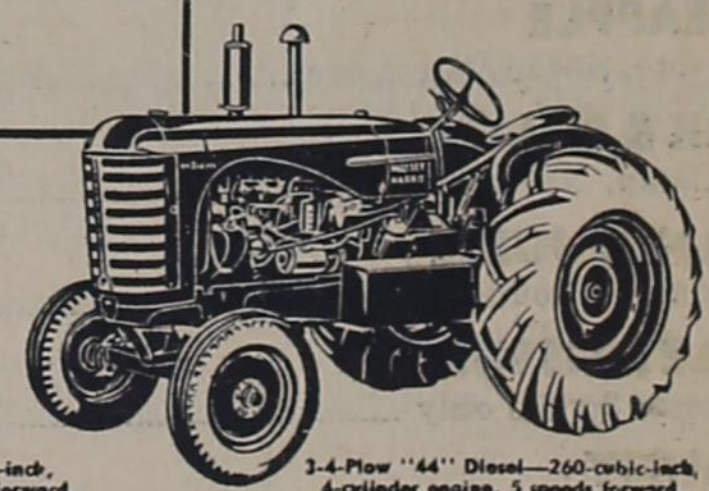
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Each of them received \$200 to \$300 a year plus a job to pay college expenses. The jobs they have held during school include those of waiter in the mess halls, fry cook in a cafe, stable boy, yard man, laboratory assistant, printer's devil and baby sitter. During summer vacations they have worked on farms and ranches, in offices, on the highways and as roughnecks in the oil fields.

Required to make above-average grades in order to hold their scholarships, they have ranked high in their classes. One has an almost perfect A average for his four years. The average of all grades made by the entire group in four years is above B.

They have won their share of honors in other campus activities. One was president of their Freshman class, another outstanding in intramural athletics, while another won a summer fellowship for leadership in campus religious activities. Five were elected to the top military honor organization, the Ross Volunteers, and six to top scholarship honor societies. Nine will graduate as Honor Military Students.

Since this "pilot" group entered school in 1946, the Opportunity Awards program has grown. There are now 148 boys enrolled at Texas A. and M. College on these scholarships, with sixty or more expected to be granted opportunities next September.



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25,550 CHICKS STARTED, 25,144 RAISED

Chick mortality at the Ralston Purina Research Farm is extremely low, records for a calendar year show, when 25,550 chicks were started with 98.41 per cent, or 25,144, raised, it was announced recently.

In one lot of 2,000 chicks moved from the brooder house at 6 weeks of age, the livability was 99.6%. These were fall chicks, generally regarded as more difficult to raise.

Purina researchers in charge of the poultry unit say this record of low mortality was possible only because they used good chicks, followed good practices in management and sanitation, and because the feed supplied was adequate for the needs of the chicks.

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Recipe Of The Week PUFFY OMELET

Four eggs, one-fourth cup top milk or light cream, one-half teaspoon salt, speck of pepper, fat.

Separate eggs. Beat the yolk slightly, add liquid and seasonings; then beat until thick and lemon colored. Fold in stiffly beaten egg whites. Heat frying pan, add fat enough to oil sides and bottom of pan. Turn in omelet mixture. Spread evenly over pan and cook slowly. When well cooked and delicately browned underneath, put in moderate oven (350 degrees F.) and cook until top is dry and firm but not brown. Loosen omelet with spatula, fold and turn onto a hot platter. If desired, instead of cooking on top of stove, place in oven for entire cooking period. Four servings.

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- For Sheriff, Tax Assessor-Collector:**
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- For County and District Clerk:**
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- For Commissioner, Precinct 1:**
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- For County Commissioner, Pct. 2:**
C. H. (CHARLES) JEFFERSON
- For County Commissioner, Pct. 3:**
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- For Commissioner, Pct. 4:**
H. L. IVY
W. S. MENEFFEE
(Re-election)
- For District Attorney 64th Judicial District:**
JOE SHARP
- For County Treasurer:**
ROY B. EZELL
(Re-election)

Seven-Steps Cotton Program Steps Out

COLLEGE STATION—The south-wide 7-step cotton program, because of the reduction in cotton acreage, will receive even more consideration than in the past, says Fred C. Elliott, extension cotton work specialist of Texas A. and M. College. The reduced acreage, he says, means a greater concentration on better methods for greater production from fewer acres, for now, it will be the efficient producers who will continue to make a profit from his cotton operations.

The seven steps include: fitting cotton into balanced farming; taking care of the soil; using the best variety; making your labor count; controlling insect and diseases; picking and ginning for high grade and selling for grade, staple and varietal value. Basically, says Elliott, this is just a good farming program that individual farmers can carry out on their own farm. It is not new but it does emphasize the basic practices and methods that can lead to greater and cheaper production per farm and at the same time the soil can be improved and built up.

Elliott says the Texas Extension Service has had the active support of all allied cotton interests in the state and this cooperation on the county and state level has been responsible for making the program successful.

Last year, more than 7,000 farmers in 87 counties cut their losses from root-rot by planting legumes, principally sweet clovers. In 146 counties, farmers planted cotton following phosphate and legumes and barnyard manure was used on nearly 8,000 other farms in 124 counties in the state.

Elliott says cotton farmers are planting better seed. Higher yielding varieties of superior fiber are being bred by the Agricultural Texas Experiment Station and the seed breeders of the state. In 1949, nearly 600 one-variety associations produced better cotton on approximately 5 million acres.

Mechanization has saved labor and has cut the cost of production for the cotton farmer. The rotary hoe, the stripper and mechanical picker have been widely and successfully used. He reports that farming last year really went after the bugs. Cotton farmers used more than 50 million pounds of insecticides, as dusts and sprays, on 5 million acres of cotton. This insect control program was a contributing factor to the high state average yield in 1949. The best per acre yield since 1894.

He reports that more than 100,000 cotton farms in 167 counties were

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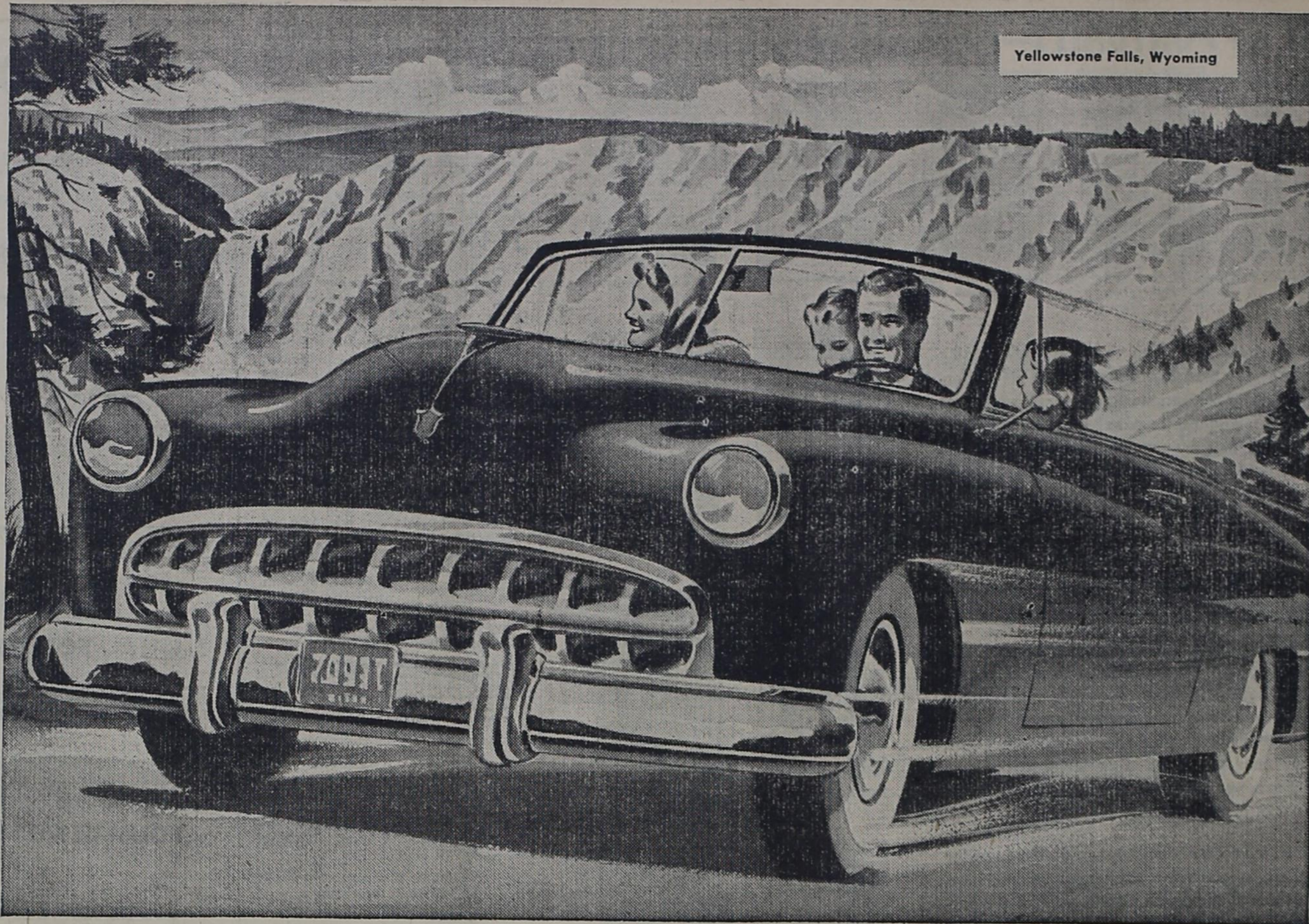
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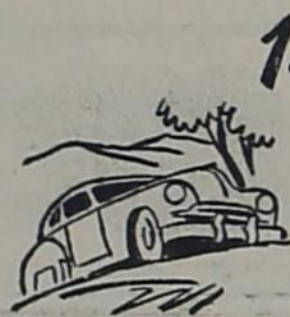
Elliott expects even greater achievements for the coming years, for he says the program is now well organized and all interested groups and individuals know and recognize the value of the program to the cotton industry. He believes that per acre yields can be increased even above the 1949 figure if farmers will continue to use the best known production methods and practices on their farms.

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Now among the exes of local basketball squads, even though they will not graduate until June, are the eleven girls pictured above, who recently completed their high school cage careers. In the pictures, left to right: Pauline Sheets, Billie Christian, Hettie Nan Randol, June Christian, Valarie Dial, all from Farwell; Joyce Holland, Lona Mae Jones, Billie Roberts, Peggy and Betty Rogers, Patsy Engram, and Coeta Roth, all of Texico.

Eleven Senior Girls Wind Up Sport Careers At Texico And Farwell

Farwell and Texico schools will be poorer next year by eleven girl athletes, as the groups pictured above all to graduate this spring, recently wound up their high school sport careers with the end of the 1949-50 cage season.

Members of basketball squads that during the past season distinguished themselves in competition, all of the girls have been active in high school sports for three or more years. The Texico Whirlwinds placed second in their recent county tournament while the Farwell girls got the same rating in Parmer County.

In the Farwell group, three of the coming graduates are first-string forwards who have made themselves well known over the area. Valarie Dial, Hettie Nan Randol and June Christian have carried the Farwell scoring department, while on the other end of the line, Billie Christian and Pauline Sheets have seen plenty of action on defense.

Billie Christian served during the just-closed season as co-captain of the locals, and has earned her fourth letter in basketball, transferring here a year ago from Oklahoma Lane. Billie has twice been selected as an

all-star, once at the Farwell tournament last December, and at the Parmer county meet, held last month at Lazbuddy. Quick and determined she has been a strong part of the Farwell guarding division.

Pauline Sheets, the other guard who has wound up her high school work, has lettered three years with the squad and served as captain of the team in 1947. Although she did not "start" regularly this year, she has been active in subbing.

Valarie Dial, high scoring individual during the recent season despite her half-pint stature which leads guards to think she can be easily controlled, has lettered with the Farwell team for four consecutive years. This year her speciality has been the dead-eye approach to free shots, with her ability giving the locals a good lead in several games. Valarie was selected for all-star honors last December at the Bovina tournament and was also awarded a place on the all-county team recently.

June Christian, who did more smooth ball-handling than she did shooting, was nevertheless an important asset in the scoring department. She was co-captain during

the just-closed season and proudly exhibits four service stripes on her new jacket. June was named for all-star honors at an invitation meet in Oklahoma Lane in 1946, from which school she transferred to Farwell and in 1947 got another top rating at the Bovina meet.

Although she finished up her four years of high school play without being rated on an all-star team, Hettie Nan Randol, tall easy-going forward, has made the most spectacular improvement of any high school player during the past season. Not to be rushed, Hettie took her time, and utilizing three styles of basketting came in for second-high honors during the season, and lettered all four years.

Across the line in Texico, three sports departments will feel the loss of the seven girls pictured above this year, as the majority have been active in all sports offered, including volleyball, softball, and most important, basketball.

Three of the 1949-50 starting cagers will graduate this spring, taking from the team two forwards and one top-notch guard.

Patsy Engram, persistent high-scoring individual for the team, recently received her fourth cage letter. Four times Patsy has rated all-star honors in the hardwood sport two years ago on the all-county sextette at Clovis, last year on the invitation tournament team at Muleshoe and this year on both Bovina and Farwell invitation squads. In her junior year she was co-captain of the team, moving up to captain the locals this past season.

In addition to basketball, Patsy is a four-year member of the softball squad, serving as catcher for the first two years and then acting as pitcher. She was with the group placing

second in the county for two years, and the past season the girls won first. She was a member of the volleyball squad for the past three years and is now active again in that sport.

Betty Donahey, who came here last fall from Pleasant Hill, has been an addition to the scoring division coming in second high, and she has four letters for cage work, taking three at Pleasant Hill and one at Texico. For four years, she served as second baseman on the softball team and has also taken part in volleyball.

Tall, effective Billie Roberts, also a transfer from Pleasant Hill, is the stellar guard who leaves the team this year, after taking her fourth stripe. Billie was an all-star in the Ranchvale invitation meet in 1946 made the Farwell and Curry county all-stars in 1947, and in 1948 and 1949 was named to the outstanding player group at the Bovina tourney.

Not confining her work to basketball, Billie played three years on the Pleasant Hill softball team as left fielder and catcher, and this past fall was first baseman at Texico.

Coeta Roth holds only a single letter in basketball, but her enthusiasm for the sport knows no bounds and she has also had a whirl at the other athletic events at the school since she joined the student group. She is a cage guard, and played right field in softball.

Lona Mae Jones, another newcomer to the defensive department the past fall, holds three letters in basketball, taking two at Grady and one at Texico, and is, incidentally, winding up her high school work in three years. She has spent three years as softball centerfielder, and played net in volleyball season.

Peggy Jo Donahey, also from Plea-

sant Hill, joined the guards of the Whirlwinds this year, and took her last letter with the locals after making the first string for three years at Pleasant Hill. She has also been active in softball and volleyball.

Joyce Holland, the last of the Pleasant Hill transfers to graduate this spring, has received her third letter for basketball with the Texico squad, where she served as a guard. Previously she had played at Amarillo and Pleasant Hill, and at the latter lettered as a forward. Joyce has been a member of the softball and volleyball groups for all four years.

Public More Aware Of Social Security

"Changing economic conditions, with the labor market tightening and some prices declining, are making the public more aware of the value of social security," John R. Sanderson, manager of the Amarillo social security office said today.

"People want to know what they are going to get for the money they have been paying and what protec-

tion they have," he said.

During the three-month period ending February 28th, Sanderson said the social security office in Amarillo answered 2650 inquiries about old-age and survivors insurance.

Emphasizing the purpose behind this Federal program, Sanderson explained it is designed to give working families a measure of financial protection when regular income stops due to retirement after age 65 or when the worker dies at any age. "Benefits are in no sense charity," he pointed out. "They are paid as a matter of right, the same as private insurance payments."

Inquiries regarding old-age and survivors insurance benefits should be directed to the Social Security Administration, Amarillo.

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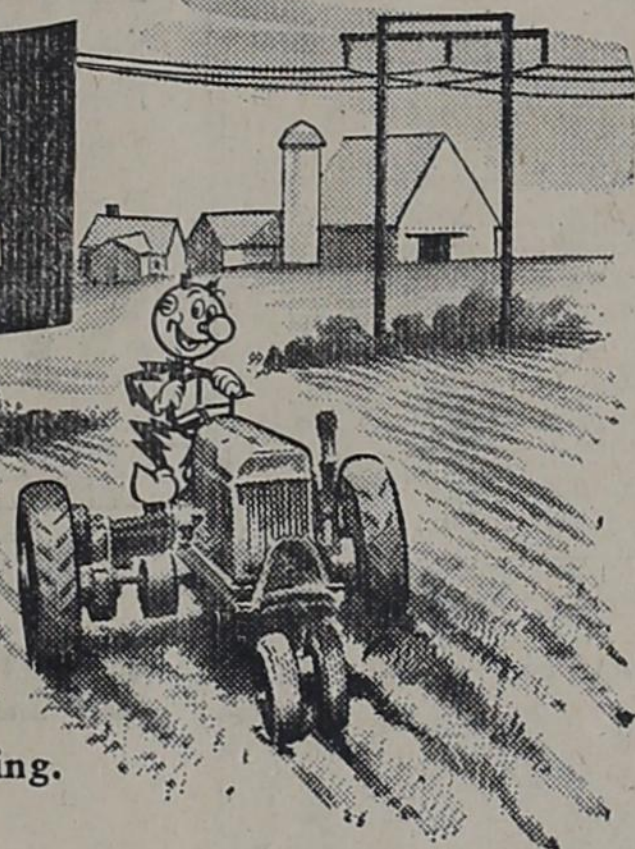
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-SPORTS-

Teams Rack Up Good Batting Average In Recently Closed Cage Season

Taking a total of 48 victories against 14 losses, the Farwell senior cage teams, both boys and girls, are resting on the laurels they grabbed off during the recently-closed basketball season.

Both the Steers and the girls had a good batting average for the year with the boys winning 20 and losing eight, while the girls racked up 28 wins against six defeats.

In points amassed, the Steers totaled 978 while their opponents were gathering 760. Donald Ford led the way with 222, followed closely by Bobby Poteet, who hit the hoop for a total of 221. Other high pointers were Melvin Terry, who bucketed 148, Bobby Dollar, 105; and John Christian, with a total of 120.

An even half of their defeats came at the hands of Adrian, which apparently is slated to oust Farwell every time the two meet. Two of the Adrian wins were conference matches, one was in the vital district tournament and the other came early in the season when the two collided in the finals of the local invitation tourney.

Two New Mexico teams surprised the Steers by handing them losses the honors going to Melrose and Texico, while Vega also gave them a dumping. The last loss of the year came in the play-off for second place in the district, when a hot Bovina aggregation clinched that position.

And the Bovina girls were the nemesis of the locals, for five of the losses received during the season came at the hands of the Bovinates, with Dimmitt (district winners) giving the local lassies their other spanking. The girls were a little better off than the boys with their jinx team, however, as they did get past Bovina in one battle as the county tourney unraveled.

During the season, the girls ran up a total of 1205 points to the 865 counted by their opponents. Valarie Dial led the scoring with 433, Hettie Nan Randol was second with 359 and June Christian hooped 152.

The girls were tournament winners at an invitation affair held here in December, and also took the title at the county meet. At Bovina, they rated second, losing to their hotesses, and a third place ranking was attained at Abernathy.

The Steers record for the year includes one tournament championship, at Hale Center; and two seconds, one at home and one at Abernathy.

Doose Participates In War Exercises

John C. Doose, engineman second class, USN, of Route 1, Farwell, is aboard the submarine USS Chopper participating in the joint Army, Navy and Air Force realistic war exercises being conducted in the Caribbean area which will include a mock assault and seizure of the Island of Vieques.

Portrex, or Puerto Rican Exercises the largest peacetime maneuvers ever to be held in this hemisphere will afford combat experience for nearly 80,000 men of the armed forces and will include the menace to the Fleet by submarine and attacking aircraft, both land and carrier-based.

Upon completion of the exercises the Chopper will return to Key West, Fla.

New Drivers License Slated For Texas

After years of study aimed at better serving the motorists of the state Texas has pioneered in improving the style and procedure of issuance of drivers' licenses, according to Col. Homer Garrison Jr., director of the Texas Department of Public Safety. Under direct supervision of A. F. Temple, Chief of the Department's Drivers License Division, the new license has been adopted, after extensive study, for greater ease of processing with a view toward making renewal of licenses less effort on the part of motorists. Texas, so far as is known, is the first state to adopt the technique of notifying drivers when licenses are about to expire.

Effective this week, the License Division will begin issuing the new style Operator, Commercial and Chauffeur permits to all applicants. Licenses now in effect will remain valid and will be replaced by the new form upon the next renewal.

Complete handling of the new license will be effected by madmen, and the license itself will be mailed out in the form of a post card which is so arranged to permit separator to allow proper fitting into billfolds and card cases.

One of the more important features of the new procedure will be a recorded renewal copy of the original license which will be mailed to operators about a month prior to the expiration date of their license, advising them that it is about out. This is expected to be a real benefit to the thousands of Texas drivers who habitually allow their licenses to expire because of neglect in checking the expiration date. The new license will carry the actual date of expiration rather than the date of issuance as previously used.

Holders of the old type license which has been in use for several years will not be required to execute a form when seeking renewal. All that is necessary is to tear off the renewal stub, make any corrections as to address, etc., on same, and mail it along with a money order in the proper amount.

Cost and validation periods of the license remain the same, fifty cents for operators license for two years; \$1 for commercial licenses for one year; and \$3 for chauffeurs license for one year.

Boys Fail To Place At Amarillo Show

Parmer County 4H clubbers failed to place their swine at the Amarillo Fat Stock Show, which opened the first of the week, as strong Oklahoma entries literally ran away with that division of the show.

County Agent Joe W. Jones, returning here on Tuesday, reported that the two county boys showing were Kenneth Joe Lowrie and Rex Isham, both of the Bovina club.

The boys will sell their entries Lowrie two cross-bred barrows and Isham one Duroc, at the sale which is to be held on Friday as the show winds up, Jones added.

Louis Caillouet, of Socorro, N. M. spent the past week with his family in Texico.

Girls Come Out Ahead On Season, Wolverines Wind Up In Arrears

Taking nine of their games played during the year and losing seven—a number of those by heart-breaking close margins, the Texico Whirlwinds have recently closer a successful season of 1949-50 cage play.

Coach Fern Stout's girls, who took an overtime win from Ranchvale to advance to the finals in the Curry county tournament, were edged to second place by the Forest squad. In other tourney play, although they did not place, they staged a December surprise by defeating favored Bovina on the Farwell court, 20-21.

Two victories on different meetings were racked up by the girls over Ranchvale, Field, Rosedale and Bovina, while a single win was taken over Grady. Losses came at the hands of Muleshoe, Farwell and Forrest, two each, Ranchvale and Bovina.

In their various matches during the season, the Whirlwinds scored 362 points while allowing their opposition to rack up 384. Patsy Engram was high for the year with 181. The senior boys, on the other side of the ledger, got the worst of their recent season, taking only five wins out of 20 starts, in both regular and tournament play, and were outscored 559 to 658 by the opposing teams.

Their surprise win of the season was the one over the Farwell Steers which came at the formal opening of the new Texico gymnasium, when the Wolverines got basket-hot and proceeded to make the Steers wish they had stayed at home. Other victories came over Field, Ranchvale, Elida and Jal.

Losses went to Rosedale, Elida, Rogers, Forrest, Grady, Floyd, Tucumcari, Ranchvale and Eunice, with two each going to Clovis, Rogers and Melrose.

Directors Will Meet Tonight At Friona

Directors of the spring fat stock show, annually held in Friona for Parmer county exhibitors, will meet at the Friona high school tonight (Wednesday), to iron out details of the coming exhibit.

Agent Joe W. Jones said that new directors are to be selected and dates for the spring show will be determined, to be announced next week in The Tribune.

Los Angeles Firm Opens Warehouse

Under the management of L. L. Tatham, the Layne & Bowler Co. of Los Angeles, is opening a new warehouse in Farwell and will occupy the Ed Muckelroy building, recently vacated by the Hardage Hudson Company.

Tatham said the firm would carry a full line of heavy irrigation pumps pipe and pumping machinery for deep wells. He said that until recently their warehouse had been maintained at the Tharp Machinery Co.

The warehouse, Tatham explained, will serve as a distributing center for a number of salesmen scattered over this section of Texas and New Mexico. Supplies are brought here by truck directly from Los Angeles where they are made. Tatham was not in a position to name the man who would be in charge of the local warehouse, saying that he would be sent here from Los Angeles.

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MAN OF DESTINY... Dr. Tingfu Tsing, chief of Chinese nationalist delegation to U. N., seeks to prevent his government's being discredited as his time comes to assume presidency of security council.

Small Turnout Here For Census Workers

"We definitely did not have sufficient people interested," George H. McCleskey, of the Amarillo Bureau of Census, reported to The Tribune on Thursday, following an afternoon of checking would-be census takers at the Parmer County courthouse. Examinations were given those who reported at the courthouse on Thursday, and those who pass will qualify for jobs as census enumerators in the county. The supervisor declined to make any comment on the number of those who qualified here Thursday, saying that such a report could not be made public until things were in readiness for the actual nose-counting.

McCleskey added that more workers must be secured from this county. He explained that he would not return here to conduct tests but added that individuals interested could call at the Texas Employment office in Hereford, where they will be given application forms and the examination, with the papers in turn being forwarded to the Amarillo district office.

Deadline for such applicants is March 22nd, McCleskey said, adding "By that time we have to know how we stand on workers to compile the census", and urged that Parmer residents make application for the work at the Hereford office. "If you are interested and are in Amarillo before that time, you may take the exams at the Amarillo office," he pointed out.

BADMINTON CHAMPS

PORTALES—Badminton champions at Eastern New Mexico University are Gervadine Jones, Texico, and Pauline Barber, Grady. These two students recently won the women's intramural tournament for the second consecutive year.

In second place are Wilma Daniel, Rogers, and Fannie Capps, House. The four are members of the Women's Athletic Association.

DIVIDEND DECLARED

A dividend (No. 149) of \$1.50 a share on its common stock was declared by the Santa Fe Railway's board of directors meeting in Chicago February 28. President Fred G. Gurley announced the dividend is payable June 1, 1950, to stockholders of record April 28, 1950.

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(Continued From Page 1) could get his engine to run. He explained that the engine "went dead" on Farmerton hill, but with Monday's tail wind he was able to negotiate the last few miles without the aid of the motor. Guess "it's an ill wind that blows nobody good".

First Sand Storm Of Spring, Monday

This region of the Plains country experienced its first real sandstorm of the Spring season on Monday of this week, when a high wind from the west lashed and swirled throughout the day.

Devoid of moisture, occasioned by more than five months of dry weather, topsoil moved with the wind but farmers interviewed since the storm claim that the damage was not heavy. Stubble land where row crops were produced last year withstood the cutting wind, but some freshly plowed land and wheat fields took the worst beating.

Despite the continued dry weather and the damaging Monday wind, farmers still agree that much of the wheat is still alive and will come out surprisingly if moisture is forthcoming in the near future. A light snow



STRONG MAN... Moscow has named Vulko Chervenkov, secretary general of the Bulgarian Communist party, as the strong man with the job of tightening Soviet control over the Bulgarian government. He will be made minister of the interior, the post that gives holder control of the police.

fell here last Thursday morning, however, the coverage was light and resulted in little lasting good.

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