

If there is anything that worries the average American man and woman more than his or her weight, we don't know what it would be.

It is a virtual impossibility to pick up a newspaper, magazine, or scan the bookshelves without seeing endless treatises on why you're overweight, what it's doing or going to do to you, and what to do about it.

Also, we notice that there seem to be about as many ways to lose weight as there are ways to put it on. The variety of diets appears to be limitless.

At least once a month, some magazine splashes some new fad diet across its covers, and the editors loudly proclaim they have found "the" way to reduce.

The thing that amazes us is that the public's appetite for articles based on the problem of overweight and how to control it appears to be as insatiable as the public's appetite for weight-producing foods.

We wish we knew just how many million dollars has been spent by Americans in their quest for a controlled waistline. We are sure the sum would be fabulous.

The subject of practical dieting to control weight has fostered quite a little industry in itself, and there are now many experts in the field. Most of them tend to agree that husband and wife have a lot to do with keeping each other's weight down.

The husband is usually the first to complain (because he often is not concerned with fact) about his wife's torso if it shows signs of being tremendous.

His suggestions regarding her plump profile are often pinpointed by subtle references to the lady with the hourglass figure down the block and the "If she can, why can't you?" tone.

It's effective (so say the experts), and gals by the gillions swarm the newsstands in search of hope for their baggy body and sagging outlook on life.

In the Graham household, the editor has fancied himself a stand-out in the weight control department. The bathroom scales have for years testified to his indomitable willpower and self control at the table.

After five years, he proudly explains to his wife that he has picked up only two pounds, and the implication that she ought to be able to do as well is rather obvious.

Of late, however, some new developments have come upon the horizon (that horizon you see when you look at your feet) and have the editor in quandary.

By noble displays of self restraint he's been able to keep the needle on the scale at a constant level, but for some reason or another, the trousers seem to grow smaller at the top with each passing day.

This usually isn't too noticeable, except just after dinner, when a taut belt (we refuse to admit defeat and let it out a notch) almost cuts off the wind it takes to carry on a normal conversation.

Walking is a chore and a sprint would be out of the question. It would probably bring on a fainting spell.

Our problem is not really one of bulk; it is a matter of distribution. Like the nation's farmers—we find we really don't have too much on hand, it's just that it's getting lumped in the wrong places.

This was one thing we hadn't figured on. All our philosophy about weight has been predicated on the assumption that if you don't gain, you still keep a pretty good shape. It just ain't so. Things have a way of shifting around as the years roll by.

We discover with a note of sadness that our biceps, triceps, calf muscles, and what have you, which are not used so strenuously any more are shrinking in size. They aren't leaving us entirely, however, they're just being transplanted to a more central location.

Another place where we've been thrown off course with our notions on how to keep trim has been the beltline itself. We had figured that if we just refused to let 'er out a notch, the discomfort of a tight belt in itself would constantly remind us that we needed to work on our push-aways (from the dinner table).

However, of late we have discovered that a one-inch-wide belt just can't stop progress. The upper half of our body has the quaint tendency to hang over the top of our belt like the eave of a house, and we somewhat resemble a double-decker ice cream cone when viewed head-on in anything less than a double-breasted suit.

The talk today is about the new cars and how much overhang they have. Like other things man has copied, nature had the overhang idea first. Just dig our silhouette.



**NEW BUSINESS** — The newest business for the Twin Cities is Hughes Auto Parts, located on the New Mexico side of the state line. Owner of the new business is Shorty Hughes, who plans a grand opening this Saturday. The parts store has been open for about three weeks.

## Pledges, Donations Total Over \$4,000

The drive to raise \$15,000 for a swimming pool in Texico-Farwell was started last week as personal contacts got underway by a Chamber of Commerce committee, and ESA sorority started contacting Twin City organizations in an effort to get all groups to sponsor projects aimed at raising money to go toward the pool.

Several downtown businesses were visited Saturday afternoon and over \$1300 in pledges and donations were received. This figure, along with the money already

in the hopper from previous donations and pledges, shoots the total over \$4000, according to Jess Landrum, financial secretary, and originator of the plan.

The businessmen making pledges set a figure they would donate between now and January 1, a tentative deadline for raising the money. Some said they would be willing to give more at a later date, if possible.

A complete list of the contributors will be printed in the next few weeks.

There are still some businessmen to be contacted as well as other citizens. These personal contacts will be made as soon as possible and Landrum says that more volunteers are needed to assist with this house-to-house canvass.

For those wanting to mail a contribution to the fund, they may do so by addressing it to the Swimming Pool Fund, Box 24, Farwell. A record is being kept of all the donations and if the project is never undertaken the money will be refunded.

Several fund-raising events are already in the planning stages and details concerning these will be announced later. Some being planned are a new car give-away, a Negro minstrel, and an auction sale.

Members of ESA hope to have contacted every Texico-Farwell and surrounding area organization by the end of the month and it is hoped that most will undertake a project.

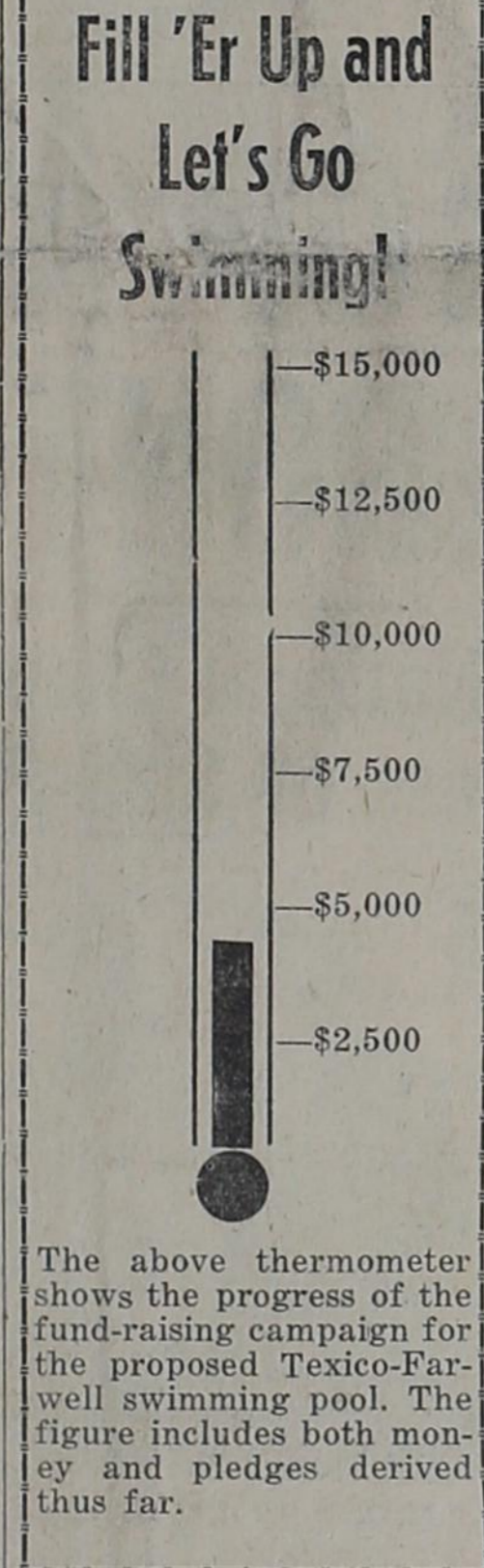
Also planned in the immediate future is the placing of containers in downtown businesses for people to put donations in.

### Senior Play Date Changed to 15th

The Farwell senior class play which was scheduled for tonight, has been postponed until next Friday, March 15, announces A. D. Daniel, sponsor. The play was postponed when Doris Pond, a member of the cast, underwent surgery last week.

Rehearsals were halted this week and will not resume until Monday night, says the sponsor.

The play, "Cupid in Pigtails," will get underway at 7:30 on the 15th, and admission prices are 75 cents for adults, 50 cents for high school students, and 25 cents for grade school students.



The above thermometer shows the progress of the fund-raising campaign for the proposed Texico-Farwell swimming pool. The figure includes both money and pledges derived thus far.

## Miss Hubbell Elected To Area FHA Office

Miss Naomi Hubbell of the Farwell Chapter of Future Homemakers of America was elected recording secretary of the Area 1 FHA at an area meeting held Saturday in Amarillo. Miss Hubbell is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Hubbell and is a junior at Farwell High.

Voting delegate for the Farwell representation was Miss Martha Smith.

Theme of the all-day affair was "Footsteps into the Future," and this was the topic of the address given by Rev. Jack A. Gray Jr., associate pastor of the First Methodist Church of Lubbock, who was principal speaker for the event.

Misses Patsy Sprowls and Martha Blair sang in the all-area choir which was composed of more than 200 girls from the area. Miss Sprowls was alternate for Miss Doris Pond who was unable to attend.

The Amarillo High School band entertained the group with musical presentations prior to the opening exercise, and a talent show, provided by talent from different chapters throughout the area, was included on the entertainment agenda for the day. First, second and third places, respectively, were won by Quail, New Deal and Whiteface schools.

Amarillo was chosen as the area convention site for 1958.

Other girls attending from the local chapter were Misses June Richie, Ruby Hillock, Carol Hukill, Martha Blair, Judy Herington, Janice Hillock, Jo Ann Hubbell, Gwenda Lee Parker, Judy Hillock, Alice Meissner, Wilma Norton, Janice Ramm, Doris Rolland, Joyce Routon, Naomi Hubbell and Martha Smith. Mrs. L. B. Penick, chapter advisor, and Mrs. Everett Christian, chapter mother, accompanied the group as sponsors.

## Hughes Auto Parts Opening Saturday

Texico-Farwell's newest business, Hughes Auto Parts, will have its grand opening this Saturday. Shorty Hughes, owner of the firm, invites everyone to come in and get acquainted at his location, just west of the state line.

Free coffee and donuts will be served all day and prizes will be awarded at different times during the day.

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### Clovis Vet To Be In Texico Tuesday

Next Tuesday, March 12, is the day Dr. B. L. Russell, Clovis veterinarian, will be in Texico to vaccinate dogs for rabies. He will be on hand from 1 to 5 p. m. and will vaccinate dogs at the City Hall, according to Mrs. Juanita Autrey, city clerk.

It is now time for Texico citizens to have their dogs licensed and before this can be done they have to have a rabies tag, the clerk points out. Therefore, the city is making it more convenient for dog-owners to have the dogs "shot," by having the vet set up shop in town for one afternoon.

Citizens failing to have their dogs vaccinated Tuesday will have to take them to Clovis for their rabies shots. A town ordinance requires that all dogs be vaccinated for rabies.

## Auction Is Planned

A community auction, with proceeds going to the swimming pool fund and the Farwell FFA, has been planned by the Farwell Future Farmers Chapter. At a meeting of the group Monday night, they voted to sponsor the event which will be Saturday, April 6.

All persons who have something to sell are asked to consign their items to the auction. "The FFA will charge a 5 percent commission on everything sold with half of the proceeds going to the chapter and half to the swimming pool," says Robert "Prof" Morton, FFA sponsor.

The boys plan to get several

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## New Football Coach Hired at Farwell

J. D. Atwell, 25, who guided the Wheeler Mustangs to the Class B Regional championship this past season, has accepted the head football coaching position at Farwell. The announcement was made this week by Jack Williams, superintendent, who says that the new coach comes to Farwell "highly recommended."

A graduate of Howard Payne College, Atwell has been in the coaching profession for five years. He spent two years at Friendship

High School as assistant coach, prior to going to Wheeler, where he has been for the past three seasons.

At Wheeler he has served in the capacity of head football coach, head coach for both boys and girls basketball, and track coach. In each sport, the coach's teams have posted remarkable records.

In football this past year, the Mustangs had a 9-2-1 record in going as far as possible in Class B, losing only to Stinnett and Panhandle, two Class A powerhouses. Stinnett was the team that defeated the Steers and went on to the Class A state championship, and Panhandle

finished second to the Rattlers in their district.

In basketball this season, Atwell's boys team compiled a 21-7 record, winning Bi-District before bowing out in the regional tournament. His girls team won its district, copped Bi-District honors Tuesday night and will be appearing in the regional tournament at Canyon this weekend. They now have a 24-5 record for the season.

Atwell told Williams in a telephone conversation Tuesday morning that he was "very happy to come to Farwell." He and his family plan to move here by June 1 and he has consented to conduct the Lions Club-sponsored youth program this summer.

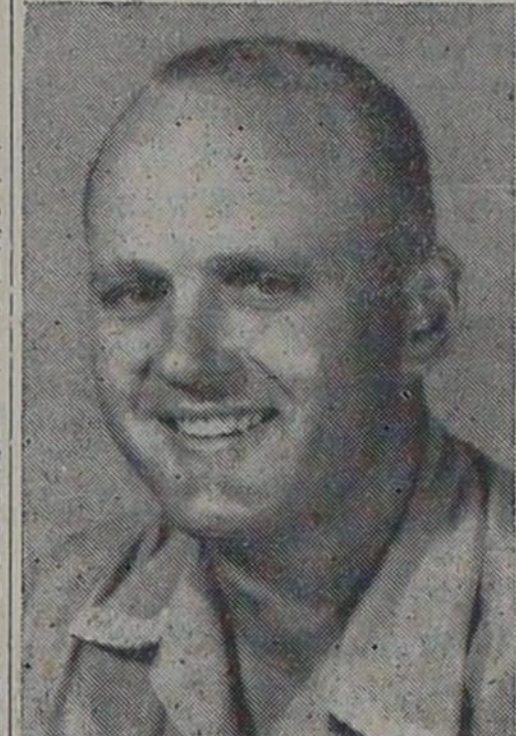
Atwell expressed the desire to be in Farwell during the summer to get acquainted before the school term begins next fall.

A native of Graham, Texas, the new Steer mentor holds a B. S. degree from Howard Payne and has a teachers certificate in history, physical education, and math. While at Howard Payne, he lettered four years in football and two years in track.

He is married and he and his wife, Peggy, have two children, Jeffrey Mark, two years old; and Lisa Ann, three months.

Atwell succeeds Russell Young at the head coaching position. Young resigned recently to accept a position at McAllen High School.

Atwell was one of 19 applicants, who ranged all the way from college graduates to Class A and AA head coaches, Williams says.



J. D. ATWELL

### FIGHTING TOPS JP RECORD LIST

When workmen were recently tearing down the house formerly occupied by the late Bob Williams, some Justice of Peace records on cases tried in 1914 were found. The records were those kept by Williams, one of the early JP's in Texico.

Of the 25 cases listed, all being dated in the spring of 1914, fighting in the streets led the list. Eleven of the 25 showed men were charged with this offense and each was fined \$5.

Other cases included drunkenness, vagrancy, concealing of deadly weapons, disturbance of peace, and non-payment of a promissory note. Also, one man was fined \$2 for stealing \$1.50 worth of meat.

According to Sam Lewis, present justice of peace in Texico, these are the only early records of the office now in existence. The records were turned over to The Furniture Mart, the firm which recently bought the house where the records were found.

### Pancake Day Nets \$140 for Uniforms

A Pancake Day at the Border Cafe Saturday netted \$140 to be used for purchasing band uniforms for the Farwell band. The day's business grossed over \$160 but additional supplies had to be purchased later in the day, above what had been donated by various firms.

The response exceeded what had been anticipated, thus making the additional purchases necessary, according to Mrs. Alton Berry, cafe owner.

Mr. and Mrs. Berry did the cooking and band mothers and band students assisted with waiting tables and dishwashing. Customers throughout the day were served only pancakes, bacon, sausage, donuts, and coffee.

Donating items for the event were Dottie Lee Bread Company, donuts; Morton Food, one gallon of syrup; Bradshaw Grocery, sausage and syrup; State Line Grocery, flour and five pounds of sugar; Piggly Wiggly, 12 pounds of bacon; and Price's Creamery, milk. Also, the band mothers furnished oleo, eggs, butter, and milk. The cafe furnished the coffee.

### School Trustee Petitions Filed

Four petitions have been filed for the coming school trustee election, April 6. Candidates, whose names have been filed for the election, are Walter Kaltwasser, for re-election, Vernon L. Billingsley, Clay Henson, and Herbert C. Potts.

The deadline for filing petitions is 10 days prior to the election (this does not include the day of filing and the day of election).

To be elected on the same day as the local board members will be county trustees from three precincts, Bovina, Friona, and Farwell. Clyde Magness is the incumbent from Farwell and his name has been filed for re-election.

### Farwell Teachers to District Meet Friday

The Farwell faculty will be in Amarillo tomorrow (Friday) attending the annual district teachers meeting. Most of the local teachers are making plans to attend and school will be dismissed for the day, according to Jack Williams, superintendent.

## License Dates Selected

Auto license tags will be on sale at various points over the county during the next three weeks, announces Lee Thompson, assessor-collector. The tags will be on sale from 8:30 to 5 p. m. at the following places:

- Friona—Saturdays, March 9, 16, and 23, at the city offices.
- Bovina—Fridays, March 15 and 22, at the city offices.
- Lazbuddie—Thursday, March 14, at the Lazbuddie Store.
- Black—Thursday, March 21, at the Tri-County Elevator.

"We will be on hand at these places only for the purpose of selling license tags," Thompson says. All tag-purchasers must have their titles and last year's receipt. Thompson asks that those having out-of-state cars or new cars to register, come by the Farwell office to do this. "Applications for titles and transfers of titles must be made at the court house due to the limited supplies we will have with us at these other places," Thompson says.



**THE PAYOFF** — At closing time Saturday night, Mrs. Alton Berry of the Border Cafe, turns over the net receipts from the Pancake Day to several of the band mothers. The day's run netted \$140 and the band mothers receiving the money are Mrs. Jim Billingsley, Mrs. John Armstrong, and Mrs. Jack Williams. The money will be used for outfitting the Farwell Band with new uniforms.



# THE TRIBUNE'S EDITORIAL COMMENT

## WANTED!

Somebody to shoulder a little civic responsibility in Texico-Farwell. The field is wide open and there is plenty of room for advancement. In fact, you can start right at the top—no working up, and no chance of being fired.

You need not worry about being able to get along with your fellow workers—they are very few, and they will let you have your own way at any civic-improvement project you might want to undertake. The townspeople are very helpful at handing out suggestions but in no way will they interfere with your work.

There are no education requirements for this job, no age limit, and no set hours. The length of time you spend is entirely up to you and by working only a few hours a week, much can be accomplished.

All that is required is that you be willing to do something beneficial for your community and your fellowman. Occasionally you may miss one of your favorite TV programs but the pay is the best in the world—the satisfaction of knowing you are doing your fellow citizens a service.

You need not apply anywhere. Just give up a little bit of your leisure time and go to work. Several specific projects are being attempted at present. Where somebody's assistance would be most



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welcome are a swimming pool and a community hall.

However, if you have something else you would much rather work at for this community, the project can be undertaken anytime you are ready to start.

### 4-H Officers Will Have FB Program

Texico girls 4-H Club will present the program at the regular Texico Farm Bureau meeting to be held Thursday evening, March 14, at the school lunchroom.

The program will be in the form of a candlelight officer installation program and all members of the club will participate.

Officers to be installed include Gale Hadley, president; Beth Ellen Peyton, vice-president; D' Rene Danforth, secretary-treasurer; Sharon Hendrix, assistant secretary; Pat Hill, reporter; and Sandra Pendergrass, song leader.

### Brotherhood Fetes Ladies Tuesday

Members of the Texico Baptist Brotherhood honored their wives at their annual "ladies night" meeting held at the church Tuesday evening.

Guest speaker for the affair was Rev. Carl Scott, pastor of the Central Baptist Church of Clovis. His topic was "Four Anchors for Good Living," and explained these points as anchors to hold one in a good life like an anchor holds a ship. The four points stressed by the speaker were (1) personal acceptance of Christ as the saviour, (2) the Bible, (3) strong home ties and affection, and (4) regular church attendance.

Prior to his talk, the congregation sang "Blest Be The Tie That Binds" and D. J. Brown led in prayer. The closing song was "Work, For the Night is Coming," and Buddy Pearce gave the benediction.

Menu for the evening meal included barbecue, pinto beans, assorted salads, relishes, assorted pies and coffee.

Attending were the special guests, Rev. and Mrs. Carl Scott and daughters, Judy and Susan, and Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Billington, Mr. and Mrs. Olan Schlueter, Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Poteet, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Pearce, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Carpenter, Mr. and Mrs. Gorman Byrd, Mrs. J. O. Ford;

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Donahy, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Whitener, Mr. and Mrs. Sid Thomas, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Webb and Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Morgan and Wanda.

### Arnold D. Young Is Wed In New Jersey

Miss Kathryn Balfrey, daughter of Clarence F. Balfrey and the late Mrs. Celesta H. Balfrey, of Seaside Park, New Jersey, became the bride of Arnold D. Young, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Young of Farwell, in a recent ceremony at the Union Church of Seaside Park. Rev. Loring P. Schoenhut, pastor of the church, performed the double-ring ceremony as the couple stood before an altar banked with baskets of white flowers and pom-poms.

Mrs. Martha Goodman of Island Heights played traditional wedding selections.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a ballerina length white net and satin gown, which featured a full skirt, fitted bodice with a mandarin collar and long sleeves.

Her illusion finger-tip veil cascaded from a seed pearl crown. She carried white rose buds on her grandmother's white Bible.

Mrs. Jeffrey R. Kell of Cedar-croft, was matron of honor for her sister. She wore a ballerina length gown of pink chiffon and her head piece was a seed pearl tiara. She carried a bouquet of

pink rose buds. Miss Barbara Wilbert, cousin of the bride, was bridesmaid and she wore a peacock blue gown and head piece styled identically to that of the matron of honor. She carried a bouquet of yellow rose buds.

Junior bridesmaid was Miss Patricia Thompson, cousin of the bride, from Allenwood, N. J. She wore a pale blue net ballerina gown with a head piece and bouquet identical to those of the senior bridesmaid.

Austin Young of Roanoke, Va., served his brother as best man. Ushers were William Balfrey, brother of the bride, and Jeffrey R. Kell, the bride's brother-in-law.

Mrs. Clara A. Wilbert chose a dark blue silk suit accented with light blue accessories and a corsage of white roses for her granddaughter's wedding.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the church hall.

For a wedding trip to Washington, D. C. and Virginia, the bride selected a blue dress with matching accessories and a corsage of white rose buds.

After their return to Seaside Park, they are making their home with her father.

The bride was graduated from Toms River High School and is employed by an insurance company in Toms River. Young is a graduate of Bovina High School and is currently employed by the American Telephone and Telegraph Company in Ocean Gate, N. J. He also served in the Navy for three years.

### What Do You Know About Track Rules?

In answer to several questions which arise in the minds of track fans, Shelby Jobs, a Farwell coach, has answered several which could be a benefit to fans and participants alike, at coming meets. For the next few weeks, The Tribune will run a series of the questions and answers, submitted by Jobs.

Q. Will records be considered that are made in a preliminary effort?

A.—Yes.

Q.—Are officials authorized to grant additional trials for a record in the broad jump, shot put, discus throw, hammer throw, and javelin throw?

A.—No. Records in these

events must be made in the number of trial or final throws and jumps allowed in regular competition.

Q.—Are officials authorized to allow a competitor in the high jump or pole vault to try for a record after the competitor has won the event?

A.—Yes. The competitor is allowed three attempts at any height or heights which are above those made during competition. The bar must not be lowered once the competitor has jumped or vaulted at any height. Failure to clear the bar at any height in three trials will end the contestant's right to continue for a record.

Q.—Can points be scored in preliminaries?

A.—No points will be scored in the preliminaries for a race, hurdle event, pole vault, or high jump. It is possible to score points in the preliminaries of the broad jump and weight events. A competitor's best distance is credited to him in the broad jump or weight events whether this distance is made in the preliminaries or the finals.

Q.—In relay races will a whole team be disqualified if the first runner of a team makes two false starts?

A.—Yes. Coaches should be careful to place a steady man in the leadoff position.

### TEXICO BAPTIST NEWS

Rev. C. C. Morgan, Pastor

Sunday School and training union attendance was down some on March 3 with 153 present for Sunday School and 73 attending training union. One woman came for baptism at the church Sunday morning. Baptismal services were held Sunday night.

WMU members met at the church Wednesday for mission study with each member present giving one chapter from the mission book "Missions USA." Members present were Mrs. Nora Day, mission study chairman; and Mesdames D. J. Bown, M. H. Poteet, C. C. Morgan, J. O. Ford, S. G. Billington and B. A. Kelley. Fol-

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lowing the study, Mrs. Kelley served cookies and pops to the group.

Brotherhood members and their wives enjoyed a supper at the church on Tuesday evening which was the regular meeting of the Brotherhood. (See story elsewhere in paper.)

Members of the WMU met Monday afternoon and Wednesday afternoon at the church for programs in observance of the week of prayer for home missions. The group will meet at the church at 11 a. m. tomorrow (Friday) for a program and covered dish luncheon to conclude the week's programs.



If you didn't visit the school during this week, and if you didn't eat in the cafeteria in Farwell, you missed a treat. Had lunch there the day they had ham on the menu. Everything was delicious, but those big luscious rolls and the apricot cobbler were really something.

Warlick and Bee Gee Thomas are mighty proud of that little daughter. Warlick writes Grandmother Thomas, at length, about what a beautiful baby the new arrival happens to be.

Their birth announcements were really cute too. Since Warlick is studying law, the announcement was fashioned after a legal document.

It read, in part, "Now comes Kerry Thomas, plaintiff in this suit, respectfully requesting that Warlick and Bobbye G. Thomas, defendants herein, being the proud parents of plaintiff, do from the 20th day of February in the year

1957 recognize fully the inherent rights entitled said plaintiff.

"That plaintiff, all 7 lbs., 11 ozs. thereof, be given constant care and attention, to wit, love and affection, proper diet, and a dry diaper on request."

The announcement bore the signature of Dr. Truman N. Morris, listed as Attorney for Plaintiff. We thought it was pretty clever.

We suppose a silly question merits a silly answer. We conversationally asked Barry Williams, small son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert Williams, "Are you visiting Milton Lee this morning?" "No," he quickly informed us, "we're not visiting, we're playing."

We have two small children and a house to keep up, and we definitely feel our responsibilities. But we also feel that we have to assume a share in civic work. We can't help but feel that our responsibility as a citizen can not be borne by anyone else.

If we neglect our duty in this capacity, our community will suffer. We owe it to our hometown to try to make it a better place to live.

When we try to tell ourselves that we haven't the time, we realize that anything we do to aid others, will help us too.

That's the reason we're doing all we can to aid Jess Landrum in getting a swimming pool. It's natural for kids to want to learn to swim. We hope they have an opportunity to go only a few blocks to the "ole swimmin' hole," not many miles.

A rather painful experience when we were younger makes us more

emphatically for a swimming pool in our community. We had to drive about 20 miles to go swimming, to the "breaks" as we called them.

We slipped off a mossy bank one day and didn't know how to swim, having never had an opportunity to learn. We were lucky, since the group chaperone was right there and pulled us out. There was a young man who later in the summer was not so fortunate.

No—it wouldn't happen here because the only pools are public ones at Clovis, Muleshoe and other places. But more of our children in the community will learn to swim if we have a pool right here.

If may sound a little far-fetched. We didn't think it could happen to us either, but it nearly did.

### Local Persons Attend Funeral

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Randol and Uncle Tom Randol were in Tucumcari, N. M., on Tuesday to attend the funeral of Uncle Tom's niece, Mrs. Bert Jennings. Mrs. Jennings had visited here several times and was well-known here and in Clovis. Another local relative, Ebb Randol, was unable to attend the funeral because of illness.

Rev. and Mrs. E. J. Keith and sons were expected to arrive home late Wednesday from Lamesa where they had been to attend the funeral of Keith's grandfather who died there Monday. The Keiths left for Lamesa on Tuesday morning.

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# Social Events of Interest

## Plan Open House For Club Building

Texico Woman's Club will sponsor open house at their new club building on Friday evening, March 15, starting at 8 o'clock (CST). A game session with prizes to be awarded, entertainment and refreshments have been scheduled for the evening. There will be no admission fee, according to Mrs. Fred Danforth, club president.

Mrs. Danforth says that while the profits from the activity will be used to help pay redecorating expenses, the event is planned so that people of the area may enjoy visiting with each other on that night.

Two prizes will also be awarded at the open house event. They will be given away at 10 p. m. (CST). Refreshments of hot coffee, pie, cake and pop will be available throughout the evening and club

members are reminded that they are to bring either a pie, a cake or cupcakes to the club building that night or earlier in the afternoon.

Committees appointed by Mrs. Danforth for the open house include Mesdames Milton Henson, M. H. Poteet, B. A. Rogers, Everett Autrey, Don Fought, Russell Johnson and Tena Roth, refreshments; Mesdames Ival Hesser, Curtis Miller, John Adams, Les Means, Jim Moss, Agrie Jones and Judge Stone, prizes and stands;

Also, Mrs. C. B. Stockton and Mrs. Avis Patterson, drawing; Mrs. N. W. Peyton and Mrs. Ansel Doolittle, chair arrangement; Mrs. Agrie Jones, game equipment; Mesdames Gorman Byrd, Irene Baker, T. L. McLeod, Jess Richardson, Frank Doshier and Guy Cohee, clean-up committee. Mrs. Grace Sanders is in charge of advertising and signs.

Members of the social committee, Mesdames Frank Seale, N. W. Peyton and C. B. Stockton, along with Mrs. Danforth, Mrs. Agrie Jones, and Mrs. Ira S. Levins, will compose the reception committee for the evening.

Mrs. Danforth also reports that a hot water heater has been installed in the club building and that a sink for the kitchen has been purchased. The kitchen has been completely partitioned from the other part of the building and the stove has been connected. Draperies for the front windows are completed but are not yet hung and the last cabinets for the building are being made this week.

T. H. Richey, custodian of Texico School, made and presented a coat hanger stand to the club for the building. Mrs. Danforth expressed the club's appreciation for this donation and also to the eighth grade class of Texico School which made a cash donation of \$10 to the club.

## Mrs. Graham Hostess To WSCS Meeting

Mrs. W. H. Graham Sr. was hostess for the meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service of Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church on Wednesday afternoon, February 27.

Mrs. A. D. Smith was in charge of the program on "Those Who Serve" and was assisted in the presentation of the program by Mrs. E. G. Blair and Mrs. James A. Cox.

Others present for the meeting were Mesdames B. N. Graham, J. R. Thornton, Albert Thomas, G. W. Atchley, Lena Yoder, Curtis Jones, R. C. Cantrell and one guest, Mrs. Meyers.

Mrs. Graham served refreshments of angel cake with hot fruit cocktail sauce and coffee to the group.

## Recent Bride Is Shower Honoree

Mrs. Alfred Doshier, the former Miss Melba Burns, was honored at a surprise bridal shower at the home of Mrs. Marshall Gates in Texico on Thursday afternoon, February 27.

Hostesses for the shower were Mesdames Floyd Scaper, Jerrill Doshier, and Marshall Gates.

After the honoree opened her gifts, refreshments of pineapple punch and cake were served to the guests.

Attending were Mrs. Shelton Sapp, Mrs. Quentin Clear, Mrs. Dick Doshier, Mrs. W. H. Burns, Miss Audrey Hapke, Mrs. Robert Hicks, Mrs. Bill Dollar, Mrs. Vernon Symcox and daughters, Mrs. Joe Carpenter and Mrs. Leroy Williams. Many who were unable to attend sent gifts.

## Farwell WMU Has Mission Program

Programs in observance of week of prayer for home missions have been the highlights of two morning sessions of the Farwell Baptist WMU this week.

Members of the organization met Monday and Tuesday mornings at the church for these programs with Mrs. Sterlyn Billington in charge.

A special program which was scheduled to be presented by the group at Wednesday night's regular prayer service, has been postponed until Sunday evening at the training union hour.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. John C. Range of Route 2, Muleshoe. The groom's parents are Mr. and Mrs. James Warren Perry Sr. of 3189 E. 33rd, Tulsa.

Mrs. Herbert C. Miller Jr. of Denison attended her sister as matron of honor. Mrs. Miller wore a pink dress of petite-point pique fashioned in slim lines with three-quarter length sleeves and rounded neckline. It was accented with a pink satin cummerbund. She carried a bouquet of deep pink rosebuds.

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## Wesleyan Guild, WSCS Meet Monday

Wesleyan Guild of Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church will meet in a joint meeting with the Woman's Society of Christian Service of the church on Monday evening, March 11, at the home of Mrs. W. W. Vinyard with Mrs. Bess Mansfield as co-hostess. Meeting time is 8 o'clock.

Guest speaker for the evening will be Dr. T. J. Glenn, new doctor at Farwell Clinic.

All members of both organizations are cordially invited.



Carla Beth Range Weds J. W. Perry, Jr.

Miss Carla Beth Range of Muleshoe and James Warren Perry Jr. of Tulsa, Okla. were united in a double-ring ceremony Friday night, March 1, in the pastor's study of the First Baptist Church of Garland, Texas, where the bride attended high school. Rev. Charles L. Cockrell officiated.

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waistline. The sleeves were three-quarter length edged by a band of satin.

Her elbow-length veil of illusion was attached to a small white cap. Her bouquet was of white rosebuds and stephanotis.

Serving his brother as best man was Graden Perry of Tulsa, Okla. A reception was held immediately following the ceremony in the home of the bride's grandmother, Mrs. J. W. Hart, at 1805 Peavy Road, Dallas. Members of the houseparty were Mrs. Charles C. Cooley of Dallas, aunt of the bride, and Miss Juanita Range, the bride's sister. The bride's chosen colors of pink and old gold were carried out in the decorations for the reception.

The bride and groom are both attending Baylor University in Waco. The bride is a sophomore and is majoring in art. The groom is a senior accounting major. He is a member of Beta Alpha Psi and Delta Sigma Pi fraternities and is president of the school of business on the campus.

After a short wedding trip, the couple will reside in Waco until May when Perry will be graduated from Baylor.

## Health Is Topic Of HD Club Meet

A program on health problems was given at the February 27 meeting of the West Camp Home Demonstration Club which was held at the home of Mrs. Wanda Walker at 2:30 in the afternoon.

Mrs. Walker presented a devotional, "Bread of Life," as the

opening exercise and members answered roll call by telling of a nursing experience in their lives.

Mrs. Mae Busbice gave a report from the council meeting and announced that the next council meeting will be in Levelland on Wednesday, March 27.

Mrs. Delia Peel had charge of the program on health and presented these two topics: "Bed Rest for Fever" and "Salt as Medicine."

Members present for this meeting were Mesdames Mae Busbice, Ethel Harding, Delia Peel, Sue Nesbitt, Wanda Walker and Alta Hughes.

Mrs. Inyde Curtis will be hostess to the next meeting of the group which is to be Wednesday, March 13, at 2:30 p. m.

## Lt. and Mrs. Rawls Have Baby Daughter

Lt. and Mrs. Elvin H. Rawls are the proud parents of a daughter, Theresa Lyn, who was born at a Savannah, Ga. hospital on Thursday, February 21.

The young lady, who is the first child of Mr. and Mrs. Rawls, weighed six pounds and six ounces at birth.

Mrs. Rawls is the former Miss Ella Bradshaw, daughter of the Bill Bradshaws of Bovina, and a former teacher in the Farwell school system. Mrs. J. T. Hulsey of Farwell is paternal great-grandmother.

Lt. Rawls is stationed with the Air Force at Travis Field in Savannah.

## Mikala Faville Is Named Best Citizen

Miss Mikala Faville, senior at Texico High School and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Faville, has been named the "good citizen" of the Texico High School for this year. Mikala was elected by students and faculty members of the school for the contest which is sponsored annually by the DAR.

Chosen on the qualities of dependability, service, leadership and patriotism, Mikala will be recognized in a special service at the high school graduation exercises in May.

Mr. and Mrs. Monty Parsons and her mother, Mrs. Lena Yoder, were Sunday afternoon guests in the Leroy Kilmer home in Clovis.

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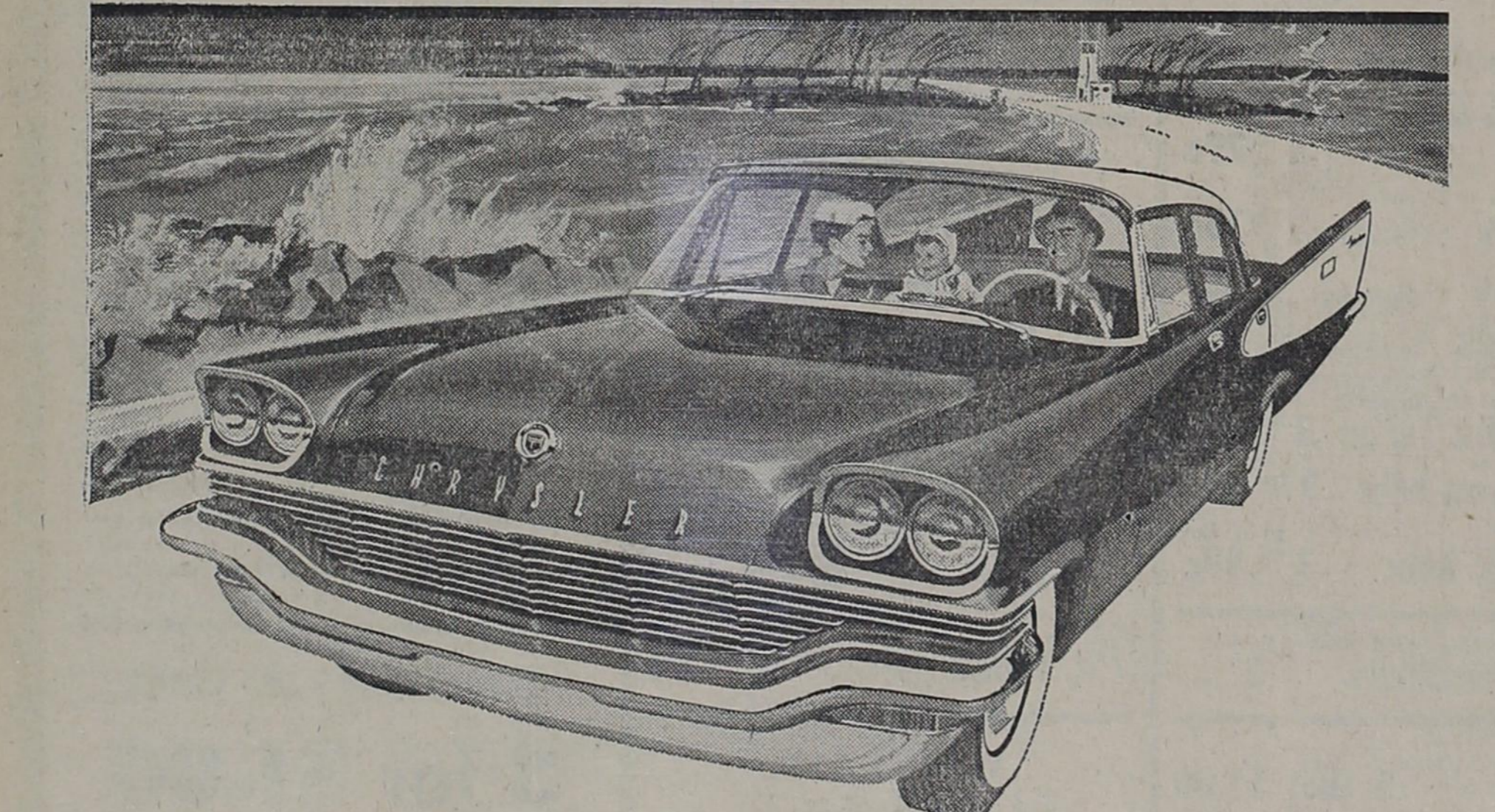
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## Class Has Meeting With Mrs. Green

Mrs. Geraldine Green was hostess to members of the Rebecca Class of First Baptist Church, Farwell, when the group met for a regular monthly meeting on Monday evening, March 4.

During the business session a nominating committee was appointed to nominate officers for the next period. Serving on this committee are Mrs. Elsie Hardage, Mrs. Beulah Williams and Mrs. Bessie Landrum.

The group also voted that each member will donate \$1 each month to a fund to be used for painting their classroom at the church.

Mrs. Erma Jobs presented the devotional for the evening on "Stop Fuming and Fretting" from the book, "The Power of Positive Thinking," by Norman Vincent Peale. Mrs. Beulah Williams directed games and the hostess served refreshments.

Attending were Mesdames Hardage, Williams, Landrum, Jobs, Mable Kesner, Audie McManigal, Juanita Garrett, Dickie Magness, Pearl Gerles, Hattie Coffey and the hostess, Mrs. Green.

Mr. and Mrs. Judge Stone visited Sunday in Quitaque with her sister, Jane Hamilton and family.

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**Weekend Guests In Brown Home**

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Brown of Texico over the weekend included her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Fields of Vici, Okla., two of her sisters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Ratzsch of Wenatchee, Wash., and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Leavell, Carroll, Larry and Clydene of Jal, N. M.;

Also, Mrs. Brown's nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Ratzsch and Billy of Albuquerque, and the Browns' daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Neil Weems, Erma and Kerry of Portales.

The group enjoyed a turkey dinner with all the trimmings on Sunday, and the afternoon was spent visiting and taking pictures.

**Bridge Party**

Enjoying an evening of bridge at the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Getz on Saturday, March 2, were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Rundell, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. John Aldridge.

**In White Home**

Guests at a dinner given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe White on Thursday evening, February 28, were Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Symcox, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Pipkin, Mrs. Rose Walls, Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Magness, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Magness, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Head, and Mr. McGill and Mrs. Prenskey, both of Clovis.

**Meets Tonight**

Mrs. Don Fought will be hostess to members of the Companion Class of the Texico Baptist Church for the class's regular monthly meeting on Thursday evening (tonight) at 8 o'clock.

All members and associate members are invited to be present.

**Anniversary Party**

Helping Mr. and Mrs. John Porter celebrate their wedding anniversary on Tuesday evening, February 26, were Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Henderson and Mr. and Mrs. John Getz. The group enjoyed a chicken dinner at a Clovis restaurant.

**ESA Members Will Have Business Meet**

Members of Theta Rho Chapter of ESA will meet Monday evening, March 11, at the home of Mrs. Joe Jones for a business session.

On the agenda for discussion for the meeting are the swimming pool project, ESA state convention, and the chapter's scrapbook which will be entered in state competition at the convention. Mrs. Mitz Walling is in charge of the scrapbook for the year.

**Lonnie Tidwell Visits Morgans**

Lonnie Ray Tidwell, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Tidwell of Petersburg, visited Wednesday until Sunday of last week with his grandparents, Rev. and Mrs. C. C. Morgan and Wanda. Lonnie Ray accompanied his grandfather home from a trip there last Wednesday and his parents came for him Sunday.

The Tidwells were Saturday night guests of her sister and

husband, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Watson, and the group enjoyed dinner and visiting together at the Morgan home on Sunday.

**Harold Trimble Are Parents of Daughter**

Mr. and Mrs. George Harold Trimble of Alamogordo, N. M., are the parents of a new daughter who was born in Alamogordo on Friday, February 15. The new arrival tipped the scales at nine pounds and six ounces.

The Trimble have two other daughters, Celia and Lynn. Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Foster of Farwell and paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Trimble of Bovina.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster returned to their home here last Thursday after visiting two weeks with the Trimbles in Alamogordo.

Miss Billie Fay Heckman was in Silverton, Tex. during the weekend where she enjoyed visiting with relatives and friends.

**To Carlsbad**

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Johnson left Wednesday afternoon for Carlsbad, N. M., to attend a convention of the Southeastern Water and Sewer Association. They also planned to visit their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Johnson, before returning home late Thursday.

**Visit Parents**

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Spurlin and children and Mr. and Mrs. Sonny Spurlin and daughter of Amarillo visited last weekend in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Spurlin. Visiting briefly on Tuesday of this week in the Spurlin home was their daughter, Mrs. Roscoe Fenn of Amarillo.

**Visits Here Briefly**

S-Sgt. Glen Kaemper visited here briefly with his aunts, Mrs. Nora Day and Mrs. Charles McDaniel, and cousins, Darlene Day and Mrs. Ronny Ferguson.

Kaemper had recently returned to the states from two years of overseas duty. He was to report at 29 Palms, California, March 6.

**Miss Marlene Hesser Weds Jerry Johnson**

The First Baptist Church of Texico formed the setting for the wedding of Miss Marlene Hesser and Jerry Johnson in a candlelight service on Saturday evening, March 2, at 8 o'clock. Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Ival Hesser and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Johnson, all of Texico.

Rev. R. C. Bolton, pastor of the First Christian Church of Clovis, officiated at the double-ring ceremony.

A large bouquet of orchid stock, white gladioli and huge white mums formed the focal point of the wedding setting in the center of the altar. The bouquet was outlined by pyramid candelabra holding lighted tapers, and two smaller bouquets of stock, gladioli and mums were outlined by three-branched candelabra holding lighted tapers. The setting was centered with a white kneeling bench and was accented with a heavy background of palms.

A white aisle cloth marked the bridal aisle and the family pews were marked with white bows.

Mrs. Elseworth Swisher of Stillwater, Okla., cousin of the bride, was matron of honor. She was attired in a ballerina length dress of orchid crystalline featuring princess lines with a wide gored skirt, and a stand-up band which formed a loose collar. Inset fabric folds in each gore of the skirt and godets set in the lower part of the gores

accented the fullness of the skirt. She carried a colonial bouquet of variegated orchid and white symphony carnations.

Jimmy Don Moss was best man and ushers were Jack Hesser, brother of the bride, and Raymond Jesko. The ushers also served as candlelighters.

Flower girl was Miss Judy Stevenson of Enid, Okla., cousin of the bride. She wore a blue organza dress and matching blue headpiece. She carried a white basket filled with orchid stock and orchid wax flowers.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a waltz length gown of white nylon sheer organza flecked with tiny bowknots over crisp taffeta. The dress was highlighted by a deep, scooped neckline featuring imported Venetian lace with a raised embroidered floral design.

Her veil of illusion was attached to a double bandeau of white velvet and seed pearls. She carried a cascade arrangement composed of an orchid, stephanotis and fern atop a white Bible.

For something old she carried a penny made the year of her birth; something new was her wedding ensemble; something borrowed was the white Bible, belonging to the groom's sister, Miss Gloria Johnson; and something blue was a garter.

Miss Jean Carpenter of Clovis played traditional marches for the professional and recreational and accompanied Miss Marilyn Carpenter, also of Clovis, as she sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer."

Mrs. Hesser, mother of the bride, wore a blue wool jersey sheath dress and duster with a deep rose camellia corsage. Mother of the groom, Mrs. Johnson, chose a champagne colored linen suit with a deep rose camellia corsage.

A reception was held in the church basement immediately following the ceremony. Hostesses for the reception were Miss Gloria Johnson, Texico, Mrs. Joe Stevenson of Enid, Okla., aunt of the bride, and Mrs. Lloyd Kinyon and Mrs. Donald Demaree, both of Clovis.

Miss Johnson presided at the punch service and Mrs. Stevenson served the cake. The reception table was laid with a cut work cloth over orchid and was centered with an epergne arrangement of orchid and white stock. A three tiered wedding cake, topped with a miniature bride and groom, also graced the table. Orchid mints

were served with cake and bubble punch to the guests. White napkins with the names "Marlene and Jerry" in silver, completed the table decorations.

Miss Sue Evans of Clovis presided at the bride's book.

The bride changed to a navy linen suit with a box jacket and white "sissy" blouse with black and navy accessories for her going away costume.

Following a wedding trip, the newlyweds are at home at 510 North Alameta, Carlsbad, N. M., where the groom is employed by Houston Lumber Co.

The bride is a 1956 graduate of Clovis High School and attended ENMU last fall. The groom was graduated from Texico High School in 1955.

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Judd and son, Bob, of Clovis enjoyed supper on Monday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Monty Parsons.

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\*Contest duration is March 4 through April 20. Entries received between March 4-16 will be judged in first contest. Thereafter, entries will be judged weekly.



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## Lions Ladies Night Scheduled Monday

The annual Texico-Farwell Lions Club ladies night will be Monday night at the City Cafe in Farwell. The feed gets underway at 7:30 and the program for the evening will be a travelogue on Alaska, presented by a captain from Clovis Air Force Base.

## CONTRACTORS' NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 1.219 miles of Gr., Flex. Base & 3-Course Surface Treatment from Eleventh St., to First St., in Amherst and from F. M. 2290 in Bovina to F. M. 1731 on Highway No. F. M. 37 & U. S. 60, covered by C 52-8-5, & C 168-1&2-8&7, in Lamb and Parmer County, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, until 9:00 A. M., March 19, 1957, and then publicly opened and

This is a "Public Works" Project, as defined in House Bill No. 54 of the 43rd Legislature of the State of Texas 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 the provisions of said House Bills, the State Highway Commission has ascertained and set forth in the proposal the wage rates, for each craft or type of workman or mechanic needed to execute the work on the above named project, now prevailing in the locality in which the work is to be performed, and the Contractor shall pay not less than these wage rates as shown in the proposal for each craft or type of laborer, workman, or mechanic employed on this project.

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## HD Club Meets In Bradshaw Home

Oklahoma Lane Home Demonstration Club met Thursday, February 28, with Mrs. Skeet Bradshaw, with eight members and one visitor present. A future bake sale and other club business was discussed. Mrs. Julia Symcox and Mrs. Gladys Hardage gave a demonstration on work simplification. The next meeting has been changed to Wednesday, March 13, in the home of Mrs. Gladys Kaltwasser. Refreshments were served to Mesdames Carrie Hardage, Gladys Hardage, Gladys Kaltwasser, Ella Krieger, Velma Magness, Julia Symcox, Katherine White, Canevah Turner and one guest, Mrs. Harold Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Primrose and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rundell spent Sunday in Logan, New Mexico, visiting with Mr. and Mrs. K. F. Primrose, parents of Claude Primrose.

## METHODIST CHURCH NEWS

Rev. Vernon Willard, Pastor  
Attendance for Sunday School, Sunday, March 3, was 73. Mrs. R. E. Blankenship sang as special music "Throw Out The Lifeline." For the evening service David Willard played "In The Garden" on the piano, as special music. Wednesday night prayer service was held in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Foster with 28 present. Rev. Willard gave the meditation and Mrs. Troy Christian and Mrs. R. E. Blankenship sang special music. The Fosters were presented with a Bible.

Both circles of the WSCS met at the church Monday night, for their regular monthly meeting and social. The Naomi Circle was in charge of the program, entitled "Islands In a Community." Taken from the study, "Mental Health," the program was given by Mrs. W. P. Shelley, assisted by Mrs. Sam Billingsley, Mrs. Lee Jones, Mrs. R. E. Blankenship and Ruth Ann, Mrs. Melvin Sudderth, and Rev. and Mrs. Willard.

Mrs. Sam Billingsley gave the meditation and Mrs. Curtis Jones gave the closing prayer.

Naomi Circle served refreshments to Mesdames Donald Christian, B. J. Foster, James Roach, Wayne Foster, Merrill Rundell, Wendol Christian, Vernon C. Willard, Melborn Jones, Troy Christian, C. C. Christian, W. P. Shelley, T. L. Kent, Lee Jones, Melvin Sudderth, Sam Billingsley, R. E.

Blankenship, George Douglas, Claude Primrose, Curtis Jones, and Bro. Willard.

## BAPTIST CHURCH NEWS

Rev. Irving Looney, Pastor  
Sunday School attendance, Sunday, March 3, was 96. Howard Garner sang the special music. Mr. and Mrs. Glen Underwood joined the church by baptism.

Training union attendance was 67 and layman Jimmie McGuire spoke at the evening service. All candidates for baptism were baptized and observance of the Lord's Supper followed the baptismal services.

The Ruby Parker circle of the WMU met Monday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Jack Roach. The program was a chapter from the book "Missions U. S. A." The chapter was on "Witnessing" under the direction of Mrs. Jack Roach. Those present were Mesdames Walter Vernon, Fred O'Hair, Sterling Donaldson, Frank Edwards, Harold Carpenter, Howard Garner and Jack Roach.

## Congratulations

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Jones are the proud parents of a new daughter born Thursday, February 28, at Clovis Air Force Base hospital. She has been named LaDonna Karen. The little lady and her mother are making their home with Mrs. Jones' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Blevins, while Jones is stationed in California in the service.

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## HAS THROAT INFECTION

Miss Edith Ann Walling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Mitz Walling, was confined at home from school the middle of this week because of a throat infection.

## "Coffee Breaks"

It was the teen-age daughter's first dance, and she desperately wanted an off-the-shoulder frock. Her mother felt she wasn't old enough to wear anything so sophisticated. There was a heated family discussion and it was father who finally settled the problem.

"Well," he proposed, "let her try one on. If it stays up she's old enough to wear it."

He who horses around too much may someday find himself a groom.

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TUESDAY EVENING, JANUARY 29, 1957

## Alexandria Daily Town Talk

### Orchid to the Railroads

Railroads serving the Southwest's drought belt, and particularly the Texas and Pacific, have found it necessary and advisable to buy newspaper space to tell America a little something about their

In the drought area to make a 50 per cent reduction in interest rates, or if all the merchants had been asked to cut in half the prices they charge for basic needs of farmers and ranchers.

"But when the railroads are asked by the president to make a 50 per cent reduction in their rates on hay, or other

BIG SPRING DAILY HERALD  
BIG SPRING, TEXAS, SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 3, 1957  
Thanks For A Big Good Turn

"If all the banks in the susceptible areas of the West and Southwest were asked by President Eisenhower to make a 50 per cent reduction in interest rates on their loans to farmers and ranchers, it would be considered most unusual."

"Or, if all the merchants of the area were asked to make a 50 per cent reduction in the prices of one or more of their basic items, as a bid to the farmers and ranchers, that also would be considered most unusual."

Most everyone seems to have been shipped at full rates originally. But happily, several hundred farmers and ranchers in the Central Texas region had the grace to say "thanks." Last week they gave a banquet at Dublin for some 50 railroad officials. The rate reduction, they said, had been a "life saver" and they wanted the officials to know that they appreciated it. They also took occasion to point

Rails Morning News February 9, 1957

## Rare Appreciation

Since the day of Sam Bass, when many Texans approved his robbing of trains, cussing the railroads has been popular. While many have squawked about freight rates, others have complained of noise and tax officers have asked the rail lines with more than their share of levies.

But folks in and around the Texas town of Dublin don't think that way about the railroads. Recently ranchmen, dairymen, and farmers for a banquet honoring purpose was to show the action of the road that the freight rate for drought areas by this slashed rate, through March 31, had been \$1,500,000 since enabled many to keep off-going to sell at should being appreciated drought country.

## Farmers Praise Railroads For Reducing Freight Rates On Drouth Hay Shipments

Railroads serving the drought area in the eight Southwestern states, actually they were more than \$3,000,000 by the 50% rate during the period Oct. 1 to the present time. Over the \$300,000 these representatives of agriculture have received more than \$3,000,000 in drought relief benefits through reduced rates, voluntarily on the part of the railroads of the area to maintain their livestock herds when the

are of the action of the railroads in reducing by one half the freight rates on hay moving into the drought-stricken area of the Southwest, and "whereas it is an acknowledged fact that this action enabled many farmers, ranchers and dairymen of the area to maintain their livestock herds when the

we have found ourselves in trouble and the railroads of America as they have many times in the past have come to the rescue by reducing rates for our farmers and ranchers. We should all say "thanks" sincerely" to the railroads of America.

Any question that the railroads do not make sacrifices to aid agriculture.

THE MIDLAND PACIFIC RAILROAD, SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1957

## Golden Deed, Indeed!

The nation's railroads through the years have been good neighbors in most instances—extending aid, financial and otherwise, to their friends and neighbors and to their country in times of emergency.

More than that, railroads generally have assumed the role of citizen—active and participating—in the communities they serve.

February 7, 1957

## The Longview Daily News

### The \$25 Million Good Deed

While thinking about good deeds (this being Boy Scout Week, and Scouts being famous for good deeds), I thought about that \$25,000,000 good deed the railroads and ranchers of the west as us like a right sizable good deed.

President Eisenhower on three the past four years has asked the railroads to make a 50 per cent

MARSHALL NEWS MESSENGER SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 10, 1957

## Railroads Render a Vital Service

The Texas and Pacific Railway Co. deserves a lot of readership from its current advertisement that explains the railroads' \$25,000,000 good deed for the drought area Southwest.

The railway passenger in its analog the drought area we a 50 per cent reduction it would make

Or, the railway as were asked to cut the aid drought victim be startling news"

But, when President asks the railroads to reduce rates on feedstuffs in drought area it is tak of fact procedure.

It's become almost the railroads having requests four times in years.

Only the railroads, rationation facilities, have in aid the region, they verment points out.

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IN REPLY YOUR TELEGRAM FEBRUARY 4, RAILROADS HAVE NOT BEEN COMPENSATED BY GOVERNMENT SUBSIDY OR DIRECT PAYMENT FOR THE FIFTY PERCENT REDUCTION THEY VOLUNTARILY MADE ON SHIPMENTS OF HAY TO DROUTH DESIGNATED STATES. MANY REPORTS WE HAVE RECEIVED FROM THESE STATES INDICATE THESE REDUCED RAIL RATES HAVE BEEN VERY HELPFUL TO FARMERS AND RANCHERS. WE WOULD APPRECIATE IT IF YOU WOULD PUBLICIZE THIS STATEMENT= EZRA TAFT BENSON SECRETARY OF AGRICULTURE=

THE COMPANY WILL APPRECIATE SUGGESTIONS FROM ITS PATRONS CONCERNING ITS SERVICE

## \$25,000,000 Contribution ...to Farmers and Ranchers

Within the past four years the railroads have contributed to the farmers, ranchers and dairymen, through a 50% reduction in rates on hay and other feedstuffs, 25 million dollars.

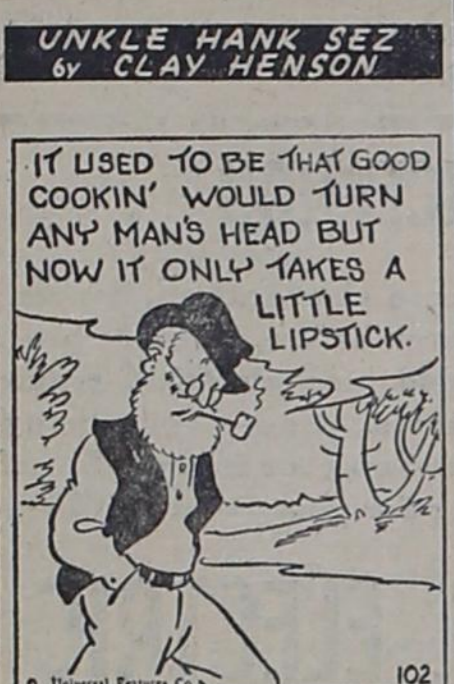
Both the Congress of the United States and the Legislature of Texas, by resolution, have expressed their thanks to the railroads for this substantial contribution.

Through the years the railroads have always extended a helping hand to their neighbors in times of disaster. To us this is a basic responsibility of good Americans.

Telegram is in reply to WIRE sent by Wylie Stewart, Scripps-Howard Newspapers

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**Honors Teachers**

Wednesday the PTA honored all of the teachers by presenting each of them with a carnation and a note saying how much we appreciate them as teachers and take Public School Week as the time to say so.

**Fourth Graders Have Party**

Several of the fourth grade youngsters enjoyed a skating party at Friona Friday afternoon. These were Jody Brown, Rachel Moore, Linda Monk, Jan Nowell, Donna Precure, Bobbie Jo Jones, Kaye Anne Smith, Marcella Mayfield, Theron Vaughan and Ronald Ashford.

Others going along were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Mayfield and Mesdames Dee Brown, Bob Jones, DeWitt Precure, Clyde Monk, and Carolyn Sue Kirk, Billy Jones, Johnny Jones, Ronald Mayfield, Kathryn Smith and Johnny Nowell.

**TO PRESENT PLAY**

Junior class of Lazbuddie School will present their annual play on Friday night, March 15. The name of the comedy is "Lucindy Peck from Cabbage Neck." Action will begin at 8:15 and the class would like to see the whole community come out and enjoy this with them.

Mrs. Carrie Withrow, who underwent surgery in an Amarillo hospital, is at home now and doing fine, according to reports.

**WMU Circles Meet For Business**

All three circles of the WMU met together Monday afternoon for a business and social affair. Mrs. S. E. Williams brought the devotional. Reports from the committees were heard and plans were started for the annual senior banquet to be held this spring. Cake, coffee and cocoa were served by Mrs. A. E. Redwine and Mrs. L. B. Hambright to Mesdames John Agee, Claude Heath, Wesley Barnes, George Washington, Weldon Slaton, F. W. Greene, Earl Peterson, Jack Black, Bert Gordon, Abe Mallouf and Mrs. S. E. Williams.

**Max Eubanks Has Birthday Party**

Max Eubanks celebrated his tenth birthday with a party at the home of his parents Sunday afternoon. Max received a number of gifts, and games and refreshments were enjoyed by the children. Those helping Max to celebrate were Marla and Marquita Seaton, Gary, Larry, and Bill Eubanks, Ann Hudson, Sharon Dalhrymple, Linda and Ronald Ashford, Rebecca and Melodie Anderson and David Luna.

**Local Girls At Amarillo Meeting**

On Saturday, March 2, Sharron Thorn, Juanita Scott, Carolyn Scott, and Mrs. Dian Reed attended the Area I FHA meeting which

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<b>BANANAS</b> Lb. ....	<b>10c</b>
<b>CAULIFLOWER</b> Large Heads ..... Each	<b>28c</b>
<b>CARROTS</b> Cello Bag ..... Each	<b>9c</b>
<b>STRAWBERRIES</b> Frozen ..... 10 Oz.	<b>19c</b>
<b>ORANGE JUICE</b> Libby's Frozen ..... 6 oz.	<b>13c</b>
<b>MELLORINE</b> Ice Cream ..... 1/2 Gal.	<b>39c</b>

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<b>PEAS</b> Concho—303 Can ... 2 FOR	<b>27c</b>
<b>POPCORN</b> Pops-Rite—10 oz. can 2 FOR	<b>25c</b>
<b>FLOUR</b> Gold Medal ..... 10 Lbs.	<b>88c</b>
<b>COFFEE</b> Folger's ..... Lb. Can	<b>99c</b>

**LAZBUDDIE**  
By MRS. CLYDE MONK

**Large Group Attends PTA Meet Monday**

Lazbuddie PTA met Monday evening with one of the largest crowds of the year in attendance. A nominating committee was elected and members are Mrs. Calvin Embry, Mrs. Don Schumann and Mrs. Joe Bates Jennings. Mr. Hinkson, president of the school board, gave a short talk concerning Public School Week.

Mrs. Freisen's first grade students gave a program consisting of rhythm band numbers and concluding with the songs, "How Much Is That Doggie in the Window" and "What Ever Will Be, Will Be." The audience also got a sneak preview of the one-act play that will be presented at the district meet. The name of the play is "The Darkest Hour."

Mr. Ward stated that there were 347 students enrolled in school. The 3B interscholastic meet will be held at Lazbuddie this year with some of the events to begin about March 19. Full details will be in the paper next week. Schools participating in these events will be Lazbuddie, Nazareth, Vega, Adrian, Bovina, Happy and Walcott Elementary.

was held in Amarillo at the municipal auditorium. "Footsteps into the Future" was this year's theme. Some 2,000 persons attended this meeting.

Sharron Thorn and Juanita Scott sang on the program in the choir which was composed of 202 voices. The choir was made up of two members of each FHA chapter in the area. Selections sung were "The Bells of St. Mary," "Over the Rainbow," and "Lead on America." The choir was directed by the Anton High School music director.

Carolyn Scott, FHA voting delegate, attended the house of delegates luncheon and voting session at the Palo Duro High School. The FHA members luncheon was held at the Amarillo High School. An impressive ceremony of the installation of new officers was the climax of the meeting.

**Is Honored At Shower**

Mrs. Larry Treider, nee Duella Lawrence, was honored with a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. Raymond Houston recently. The motif of the affair was the sweetheart theme and the serving table was covered with white lace over red taffeta. White cake squares and red punch were served. Junior hostesses, friends and former classmates of the bride, greeted and registered the guests and presided at the table. They were Misses Patsy Cox, Janice Clark, Marie Houston, Ranny Rue Cargile, Donna Redwine, and Rosemary Agee. Miss Agee played several piano selections while the guests were assembling and also accompanied her mother, Mrs. John Agee, who sang "The Wedding Prayer."

Guests were Mesdames Andrew Brown, Edd Clark, Max Steinbock, G. A. Watson, Richard Engelking, David White, J. D. White, Gene Smith, Ted Treider, Joe Cox, Dee Brown, Freda White, Don McDonald, J. J. McDonald, Leroy Wilson, A. H. Wilson, Juel Treider,

Earl Peterson, John Vaughan, Gene Phillips, Sam Brownlee, Herbert Clay, Opal Bewley, Fred Wilbanks, Dodavah Lawrence, Leon Smith, Dian Reed, Jimmy Dale Black, Willie Steinbock;

And, Misses Mona Hall and Madalyn Schumann. Many sent gifts who were unable to attend. Hostesses were Mesdames Raymond Houston, A. E. Redwine, Calvin Clark, Walter Steinbock, Artie Beavers, Dan Cargile, John Agee, John Littlefield, and Roy Glover.

**Have New Son**

Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Hunton of Portales have announced the arrival of a baby boy. The young man has been named David Thorn. Mrs. Hunton is the former Winona Thorn and was reared in this community.

Mrs. Leon Smith is in Denton helping care for a new granddaughter. We did not learn the young lady's name, but she is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sybert.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawson Edwards from Bovina visited her sister, Mrs. Perry Barnes, Sunday. There is a lot of sickness in the community with the mumps and measles ranking high among the younger fry.

Mrs. Gene Smith was hostess in her home for a recent pink and blue shower given in honor of Mrs. Don (Chilli) Jordan. Mrs. Jordan is the former Leota Mahon.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson were Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Stone, Ben and Bob of Plainview and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Montgomery, Dewayne and Dale of Earth.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Clark and children visited his brother and family, the Ed Clarks, at Hereford, Sunday.

Mrs. J. O. Cantrell from Clovis spent Monday with Mrs. C. C. Graef.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Harrison, Jerry and Janice from Hale Center visited in the home of her aunt

and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Monk, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Curtis from Farwell visited Sunday in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Crim.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Morman and children from Clovis visited her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mimms, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Scott and Ronald visited over the weekend in Lubbock and attended the regional basketball games.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Roark of Monte Vista, Colorado, visited Thursday and Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Johnson and boys.

George Taylor, a former resident of the community, now of Leveland, was here on business and visited in the Willie Steinbock home, Monday.

Leonard Smith, Joe Briggs, Andy Fuqua, Ray Hartman and Don Smith are all spending this week in Mexico catching up on some fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Splawn spent Sunday in Floyd, New Mexico, visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Collins. Mrs. Collins is the home economics teacher in Floyd.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Mc-

Gehee and daughter spent Sunday in Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Vaughan, Eugene and Kent visited with relatives in Hollis, Oklahoma over the weekend.

Elaine, Mary Jane and Tommy Gonsler from Portales spent the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Garvin Thorn.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Hardage attended the funeral of a friend at Vaughn, New Mexico, Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Elliot attended the funeral of Otis English at Sunnyside on Sunday.

Miss Stella Pendergrass attended the funeral of a friend of the family at Munday, Tex., this week.

Cecil Wiley from Lubbock has been visiting in the homes of John Crim and Jess Pendergrass while attending to business here.

Mr. and Mrs. G. W. (Pete) Mimms, Clay and Tracy, visited with relatives in Ralls on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Campbell from Oxnard, Calif., were recent visitors in the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Teague and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morris from Portales spent last week in the homes of their sons and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Morris and Mr. and Mrs. Valton Morris.

The D. A. Tarters had as their guests over the weekend their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Clark and children, from Brownfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Chitwood and children visited with relatives in Albuquerque, New Mexico, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Young and boys visited Sunday in Sweetwater with Young's family.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Kimbrough and Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Splawn enjoyed the basketball games in

Lubbock Saturday. Mrs. Jack Smith and Katherine attended the wedding of Mary Ann Huseman at Nazareth on Monday morning.

**Band Concert Is Well Attended**

A large crowd was on hand for the annual band concert featuring the bands of Farwell School at the school auditorium on Friday evening, March 1.

Mrs. Erma Jobs, Farwell band director, reports that \$269.25 was taken in from ticket sales for the annual affair.

She expressed her appreciation to everyone who cooperated in making the concert so successful and said that she was well pleased with the turnout for the presentation.

This year's concert featured selections by all four bands of the Farwell School, including the beginners, the juniors, the swing band and the concert band. All proceeds from the ticket sales go into the band uniform fund.

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## SLOW DOWN... DEATH IS SO PERMANENT!

Editorial — Betty Pendergrass

Among the latest exhibits adorning the walls of our Alma Mater are posters, cartoons and writings, promoting a safety campaign. Taking an important stand in this campaign is the driver's education class.

Surveys show that New Mexico leads in having the highest percentage of traffic fatalities, according to mileage and population. That is a definite reflection on the courtesy and safety of the drivers of our state.

Is there any sensible or reasonable excuse for one state to set a record like this over a period of years? What is the solution to this problem? No, it isn't just the reckless teenager, or the speeding adult who is late for a dentist appointment, or the older person who "just didn't see that stop sign." It's a combination of persons of all these ages who have a lack of driving courtesy and a determination to "get there."

"Drive Carefully" . . . those are well-worn words used nationally on thousands of posters. These words very seldom get their share of the attention. Yet, if these two words meant enough to everyone, there wouldn't be so many courtroom appearances, arrests or fines. Still there is one thing that makes these penalties seem minor; that is the number of fatalities. Life is too precious to be atoned for with a \$50 speeding fine.

Thus we arrive to our destination . . . drive carefully. Of course "you" may be the world's best driver, but what about that "other" fellow?

## Fourth Graders Receive New Books

Mrs. Byrd's fourth grade room received some new books this week. There are two books on "The Happy Hollisters," and on "Abraham Lincoln," one on "Lassie Comes Home," and one on the "Bobbsey Twins." Students are very proud of their new books.

Third graders have certainly had a variety of weekend activities. Serena Smith went for an airplane ride with her uncle and Billy Curcival, will accompany the delega-

## Delegates Chosen For State Student Council Convention

Texico High School student council will send five delegates to the New Mexico Student Council Convention to be held at Los Alamos High School March 14-16.

The council will also head a panel discussion on "Public Relations" at the convention. Dick Lockhart will act as chairman with Mikala Faville assisting him as secretary. Other delegates besides Lockhart and Faville are Jerry King, Weldon Bell, and Dicky Adams. King, the local president, will act as voting delegate for the Texico Council.

Paul Fredrick, high school prin-

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tion, which will leave March 13. tis went boat riding and got to steer the boat.

Bennie Lawson has been ill the last two weeks with the chicken pox. Marilyn Doshier has also been ill the last couple of days.

Harvey and Beverly Jo Winkles are the proud big brother and sister of a new baby brother born Saturday, February 16.

Serena Smith has recently moved to Farmington, New Mexico, and her classmates were very sorry to lose such a wonderful student and friend.

Second graders have started their new readers, "On We Go," and have some of their spring decorations put up. They have also made booklets on "Holland."

They also welcomed a new student, Julia Hughes from Des Moines, New Mexico.

First graders also have some of their spring decorations up in their room. Mrs. Lerby Faville, teacher, reports that they are going to put up a weather chart around the first of March, so they may be able to keep a record of the changeable weather during the month of March.

Zadene Burris, first grader, was absent this last week as she was sick with the measles. Russell McCollough has just recently moved to Farmington, New Mexico.

## New Teacher Hired At THS

Mrs. Mark Fairman, of New Braunfels, Texas, assumed duties in the Texico School last week replacing Mrs. Marian Travis who moved to Waco, Texas. Mrs. Fairman will teach seventh grade, freshmen, and sophomore English. She will also be a junior sponsor and co-direct, along with John Adams, the coming junior play, "If Mother Only Knew," scheduled to be given March 22.

Before coming to Texico, Mrs. Fairman taught at New Braunfels, until January 31, of this year. She is a graduate of Baylor University with the class of 1950, graduating with a major in English.

Mr. and Mrs. Fairman are the parents of two small boys, neither of whom go to school.

## Texico Ag Boys Sell Hogs

Thursday evening, February 21, Allen Kelley, Nathan Tharp and Tom Hudson left for Lubbock, to attend the Southwestern Duroc Congress Show and Sale. This show and sale was an adult show and not for just the FFA members. Duroc breeders from Oklahoma, Texas and New Mexico were in attendance at the meeting.

Allen and J. C. Kelley sold a boar for \$85 and three gilts at \$57.50 each while Nathan received

## ENMU Instructor Addresses FHA Club

"Your Future Is What You Make It" was the topic used by Mrs. D. H. Reed, instructor in home economics at E. N. M. U., as she spoke to members of the Texico Home Economics Club recently.

Mrs. Reed stressed the fact that whatever way you go in life is "strictly up to you." "You must decide what vocation in life you want and work toward that end," she said.

"In measuring your vocation there are three important yardsticks which you should use," stated Mrs. Reed. "They are the yardstick of contentment, of income, and of opportunity," she said.

The wants of life was another part of Mrs. Reed's talk. "Just what do you want from life," asked Mrs. Reed. Following her question she answered, "certain rewards, personal growth, and contribution to the world in which we live."

In Mrs. Reed left this thought for each to keep in mind while choosing a vocation. "Your career belongs first to God from whom all the skills of a vocation come."

\$55 for a boar and \$42.50 each for his gilts. The boys also received approximately \$80 in prize money.

In the judging, Allen and J. C. placed 2nd with a pen of gilts with Nathan taking 3rd. In the boar class, the Kelleys took 4th place and Nathan 6th place. Allen and J. C. had the 2nd highest selling pen of 3 gilts and the 4th highest priced boar of the show. Mr. Hudson and the boys were very pleased with the prices that were received for the hogs, as they had the youngest hogs that were entered in the show.

Other activities from the Ag Club in the past week was the individual selling of other hogs by the FFA boys.

Jerry Reid sold a bred gilt for \$120, Raymond Hadley sold a boar for \$75 and Allen and J. C. Kelley sold four bred gilts at \$131.25 each and an open gilt for \$75.

In the last three weeks, the Texico FFA boys have sold approximately 13 head of hogs, averaging \$108.83 each. The amount of sales comes to \$1414.70 for the FFA boys.

## Journalism Students Enter Press Contest

News stories, features, editorials, columns, photography, 1955-56 edition of the annual—"The Wolverine," and three issues of "The Wolverine's Tale" have been entered in the Panhandle High School Press Association contest by the members of the journalism class of Texico High School. This contest will be held on the campus of West Texas State College on March 19.

The Press Club of Texico has entered Carolyn Curd in the Dorinda E. Bond contest which determines the outstanding high school journalist in the Panhandle area with the winner receiving a trophy. All types of Carolyn's writing, including news stories, editorials, col-

umns, and features have been submitted.

The Dorinda E. Bond contest is sponsored each year by the Amarillo News and Globe Times. Dorinda E. Bond was a former sponsor of the Panhandle High School Press Association.

Forty-four schools who are members of this association will be represented at this meeting. Students planning to make the trip during Texico's first year of membership are: Carolyn Curd, Melba Doshier, Joyce Gillean, Susan Levins, Mikala Faville, Betty Pendergrass, Glenda Richardson, Verlene Thigpen, Rebecca Richardson, Oneita Autry, Audrey Hapke, and Anita Watts, along with the journalism sponsor, Mrs. Jimmie Allman.

## Senior Personality

By Rebecca Richardson

Announcing: Joe Berry Glaze  
Born: October 16, 1937

To: Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Glaze

This tall, brown haired senior is quite active in school this year. He is enrolled in English III, general math, typing 1, speech, and P. E. He was pitcher for the high school baseball team, center for the basketball team, and is active in track. He also took part in the senior play, "The Birds And The Boys."

Joe says that his favorite food is "a whole steak dinner." He says that Pat Boone is his favorite singer while his favorite song is "Don't Be Cruel." He likes Mrs. Allman best for a teacher, but his favorite class is typing. He thinks Randolph Scott acts best, but his favorite person is Virginia Lawson.

We are sure Joe will succeed in everything he tackles, and we wish him the best of luck in everything.

## Commenting

With Carolyn

The annual "Wolverine Varieties" have been scheduled for March 26, according to Mrs. Jimmie Allman, sponsor of this event. The program is divided in three parts. "Elmer," a one-act comedy, will be given by members of the journalism class. Students from the speech class are to present "The Laff Review." Highlight of the program will be the traditional crowning of the most beautiful girl and most handsome boy at THS.

Congratulations to D'Rene Danforth, freshman, who was chosen first place winner on the KICA-TV Talent Time Show. She did an acrobatic dance routine, "The Merry Widow Waltz."

Jerry Henson, Pep Club Beau, and Glenn Hancock, FHA Prince Charming, were presented identification bracelets at a recent assembly. Mikala Faville, cheerleader, presented Jerry's bracelet on behalf of the Pep Club, while Rebecca Richardson, FHA president, made Glenn's presentation.

At a recent student council meeting, several amendments were proposed for the present constitution. For these amendments to become effective, the student body must pass them by a two-thirds ma-

## SIXTH GRADE HAS NEW PUPIL

The sixth graders welcome a new pupil, Wanda Jo Davis, from Clovis.

Hal Ed Helton, Day Hall, and Willie Stover have returned to school after a seige of illness.

The class is enjoying a change in the arrangement of their seats. During the Valentine party the class played chalk games and the Valentine game.

For study course the class is learning fractions, reports Jenness Weisler, reporter.

majority vote. Copies of the proposed amendments are posted on bulletin boards throughout the school. Be sure to read and study these amendments, so you will know what is going on in your school. Then vote—the one way to preserve democracy.

## Juniors To Present Play

"If Mother Only Knew," a three-act comedy is the play selected by the Texico junior class to be given Friday, March 22. Directing the play are Mrs. Mark Fairman and John Adams.

The cast, consisting of five men and six women, is as follows: Janet Maxwell, mother about 38, played by Rebecca Richardson; Aunt Mary, mother's aunt, played by Lynell Lovett. Playing the part of Connie, 17-year-old daughter, and a freshman in college is Gloria Johnson. Audrey Hapke is playing the part of Betty Lou Maxwell, 15-year-old daughter who has reached the point where she can solve deep, emotional problems with an insight far beyond her years.

Bernadine, Betty Lou's pal who is also 15, is being played by Melva Doshier. The thirteen-year-old son, Wilbur, is played by Nathan Tharp. Hercules Nelson, Wilbur's bosom pal, is being played by Dwayne Winkles.

The father, John Maxwell, will be played by Matt Pendergrass. Gladys Gooch, Mrs. Maxwell's former roommate, is played by Garlene Clear. Charles Burke, "Brains" about 19 and Connie's one and only, is being portrayed by D. E. Hammit. Johnny Brown plays the part of Dr. Jeffrey Gooch, Gladys' husband.

The play is a comedy farce which will furnish numerous laughs and plenty of relaxation and entertainment for the entire evening.

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# « Parmer County Farm and Home »

## Bureau To Launch Membership Drive At Bovina Monday

Parmer County Farm Bureau will launch its annual membership drive with a banquet for workers and guests Monday night in the Bovina School Cafeteria. Jack Patterson, vice-president in charge of membership acquisition, said he expected another successful drive on Tuesday, and that the work would be much lighter than some years past because a good number of those billed by mail have either returned their renewal checks by mail or in person.

About 59 workers and their wives will be in attendance at the banquet. Millard Shivers, TFB organization director, will be the speaker of the evening. Patterson said he believed everyone will profit from Shivers' address. The meal will be prepared and served by the staff of the cafeteria. Ralph Smith is working with the ladies in obtaining food. Mrs. J. T. Jones, Mrs. A. R. McCutchan and Mrs. Jack Patterson are in charge of decorations.

Goal for the drive is 650 members, which is just few more than are now in good standing. Several memberships are up for renewal in March, the regular drive month for Parmer County.

Drive captains are M. T. Glasscock, Farwell; Franklin Bauer,

Rhea; John Henderson and Bruce Parr, Black; Dennis Williams and J. T. Jones, Bovina; J. D. White, Lazbuddie; Harry Hamilton, Lakeview; and Roy V. Miller, north of Friona, and Spencer Hough, city of Friona.

Dennis Williams and Spencer Hough are regular members of the membership committee with Patterson.

### New Early-Maturing Grain Sorghum Variety Released

Redbine 58, a new early maturing grain sorghum variety, has been developed by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station in cooperation with the Midwest Research Institute and Corn Products Refining Company.

Redbine 58 is earlier in maturity than most presently grown combine varieties of grain sorghum. It blooms in 58 days at Lubbock and is three to four days earlier than Martin and about two-weeks earlier than Redbine 66. It usually performs better and is a surer crop under dryland planting in areas of low rainfall or in dry years. It is also adapted to higher altitudes and latitudes where early maturity is important.

The bright reddish-yellow grain of the new variety is hard like Martin, germinates well, does not weather badly in the field and threshes well. It is highly superior to Combine 7078 in these respects and is a more attractive grain than its Martin parent. Head bearing stems of the variety are long and the heads dry early as the grain matures.

In tests, Redbine 58 has produced as much or more grain per acre as other early maturing varieties and coupled with its good combining characteristics, makes it a desirable variety.

Adequate supplies of planting seed for farm use should be available for 1957 plantings since seed were released last spring to certified seed growers.

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### THE H. D. AGENT'S CORNER

Jimmie Lou Wainscott

Food must have relatively high nutritive value or it isn't a "bargain" at any price, according to extension foods and nutrition specialists. A really good food buy involves many considerations other than price. Daily food needs for all family members, their likes and dislikes, foods in season, time and work needed to prepare the food are some factors to consider. Storage space for food and equipment for preparation will determine how much and what kind of food you buy. Careful planning and selection will make your food buys real bargains. Shopping lists developed from balanced menus will save shopping time and money by giving you real nutritive value for your money.

"Eat Well for Less" a bulletin written by extension foods and nutrition specialists, gives suggestions for planning, buying and preparing meals. Get a copy from your county home demonstration agent's office.

Here is a good standby for chocolate cake and icing.

#### Chocolate Fudge Loaf

- 1 3/4 cups sifted cake flour
- 1 3/4 teaspoons baking powder
- 1/2 teaspoon salt
- 1/2 cup butter or other shortening
- 3/4 cup milk
- 1 cup sugar
- 1 egg well beaten
- 2 squares unsweetened chocolate, melted
- 1 teaspoon vanilla

Sift flour once, measure, add baking powder and salt, and sift together three times. Cream butter thoroughly, add sugar gradually, and cream together until light and fluffy. Add egg and beat well; then add chocolate. Blend. Add flour, alternately with milk, a small amount at a time. Beat after each addition until smooth. Add vanilla. Bake in a greased pan, 8x8x2 inches, in moderate oven (325 degrees F.) 1 hour. Spread fudge frosting generously over the cake.

#### Fudge Frosting

- 3 squares Baker's unsweetened chocolate, cut in pieces
  - 1 1/2 cups milk
  - 3 cups sugar
  - Dash of salt
  - 3 tablespoons light corn syrup
  - 3 tablespoons butter
  - 1 1/2 teaspoons vanilla
- Add chocolate to milk and place over low flame. Cook until mixture is smooth and blended, stirring constantly. Add sugar, salt and corn syrup, stir until sugar is dissolved and mixture boils. Continue cooking, without stirring, until a small amount of mixture forms a very soft ball in cold water (232 degrees F.). Remove from fire. Add butter and vanilla. Cool to lukewarm (110 degrees F.). Beat until of right consistency to spread. If desired, place over hot water to keep soft while spreading. Makes enough frosting to cover tops and sides of two 9-inch layers, or top and sides of 8x8x2-inch cake, or about 2 dozen cup cakes.

Parmer County girls 4-H clubs are only 3 years old this year. There are 8 girls 4-H clubs in the county with an enrollment of 131. Their demonstrations are many. They include food preparation, clothing, bedroom improvement, safety, home management, food preservation and many others.

Parmer County girls 4-H clubs plan to put up exhibits, in their own communities, to help celebrate National 4-H Club Week.

### Research Foundation Opens New Office

The office of the High Plains station of the Texas Research Foundation is now located just west of the research station site at Halfway. The staff of the station moved from their temporary office at 704 1/2 W. 5th., Plainview, February 28. Increased tempo of activity at the 310-acre research farm made the early move necessary.

An acre of land just west of the station was purchased from Marvin Dean in February. A residence has been converted to an office. As soon as funds become available, a headquarters building will be erected on the south side of Highway 70 just east of the Halfway Baptist Church. The present office will then become the residence of a station employee.

Construction of an equipment storage barn is underway on the new acre site. The second irrigation well is being drilled on the east side of the 310-acre research farm. All the land has been plowed and is being floated, getting ready for the first year of research. Leases on the site were completed January 9. This late season start is compelling the scientists and staff to work at high speed to "catch up."

### NEWS FROM THE

## FARM BUREAU

By RAYMOND EULER

Your local Farm Bureau last week contacted your state representative and senator, urging their opposition to a proposed bill to revise county precincts according to population, rather than geographical lines. It is believed that a move of this nature would open the road to possible ulterior use of the system to control county business without consideration of the people in thinly settled areas of the county.

Harry Hamilton, legislative committee co-chairman, also urged Representative Osborn and Senator Andy Rogers to give support to the bill to appropriate more funds for expansion of extension and state experiment college work. The stated purpose of this bill is as much toward research and marketing purposes as production.

One item of interest being discussed along this line, is the possibility of producing synthetics from agricultural products if that seems to be what people will buy more readily than the natural products. This seems to be another version of the axiom, "if you can't beat 'em, join 'em."

We're not too familiar with Congressman Pat McNamara of Michigan. He did make a statement that gives us less respect for his judgment, and more respect for that of the United States Chamber of Commerce last week, however, McNamara made a prepared statement referring to what he called the antediluvian outlook on life of the Chamber. (That word means old fashioned).

He was lambasting the US C of C for stating that it is against

federal aid for school construction. We are happy to say that the Chamber is not by any means lonely in its view on this matter. American Farm Bureau takes the same view, and the congressman might do well to find how some of his constituents feel about the matter before going too far. Actually, we have heard very little in favor of this federal aid proposal from any except bureaucrats and politicians.

If you haven't sent in your membership renewal, please do it now so your neighbor will get home in time for supper Tuesday (because he didn't have to stop at your place).

Miss Joan Vaughn, of Tulia, 1956 Texas Farm Bureau Queen, was honored by passage of a resolution presented by Senator Andy Rogers on Tuesday of last week. The Lieutenant Governor and all the senators signed the resolution, which congratulated and complimented Joan and her parents for their contribution of good will through their appearance in Miami, Florida in December, as guests of American Farm Bureau.

Three bills sponsored by Texas Farm Bureau are well on the way to becoming laws in the state, some of them already passed. The three bills referred to are regarding egg grading, commercial feed labeling, and use of farm registered pickups for passenger vehicles without extra license charge.

We would like to remind those of you who have wheat acreage allotments, but who have not planted wheat, to sign the proper forms at the ASC office to retain your allotment for future years. This is a privilege you have as the result of Farm Bureau's action, emanating from Parmer County in 1953.

We hear a lot about the decrease in the number of farms, but until recently had not noticed figures on other types of business. U.S.D.A. figures reveal that grocery stores decreased in number from 351,000 in 1948 to 279,000 in 1954.

Jack Patterson says we need to express appreciation to you for your good response to statements you receive for your dues by mail. Each check received by mail will save several miles of driving for some farmer who will be out working on the membership drive in March.

Just a short time ago the Justice Department of the United States Government prepared to go into court charging unions with conspiracy with business firms in restraint of trade. This is the first such case in American history. Since just about every demand for increased pay for labor is complied with, and the consumer foots the bill in increased costs of the necessities of life and business, it seems that this way may be none too early for such charges. Rectification of such practices might curb inflation quickly.

Consider this: A wicked man taketh a gift out of the bosom to pervert the ways of judgement. Proverbs 17:23-30.

## Ag Committeeman To Address PCGA

Rep. Jamie L. Whitten, (D. Miss.) chairman of the powerful house agriculture appropriations committee, will make the keynote address at the annual meeting of the Plains Cotton Growers, March 18, in Lubbock, Woodrow Fleming of Parmer County, a director, said this week.

W. O. Fortenberry, president of Plains Cotton Growers, told directors last week that Whitten had accepted an invitation to visit the South Plains and speak here.

Whitten will speak on "The Farm Problem," at the afternoon session of the PCG annual meeting. Cotton producers and industry representatives from throughout the 23-county area served by the PCG will attend the annual meeting to be held in the Municipal Auditorium on Texas Tech campus.

The Mississippi congressman played a major role in getting the present cotton export sales program at competitive prices passed and has always been interested and active in cotton legislation, Fleming says.

Whitten believes there should be no acreage restrictions in cotton and that farmers should be supported only on domestic sales based on history and be permitted to plant all the cotton acreage they wish for world market competition.

He has publicly stated that he believes U. S. agriculture is on the wrong road in reducing cotton acreage and he believes Secretary Benson's policy of lower prices has not increased the domestic consumption in this country.

A recently released Texas Agricultural Experiment Station publication, "Influence of Rainfall on Profits from Fertilizer Applications to East Texas Forage," indicate that the odds for a profit are good with forage valued at \$15, \$20 and \$25 a ton and when fertilizers applied cost \$13.70 an acre. The complete report is available from the Agriculture Information Office, College Station, Texas.

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## The Parmer County Implement Co. News



"The Place Where Most People Trade"

Friona, Texas—Wednesday, March 6, 1957

Sixty-eight Friona High School girls attended the Area I meeting of Future Homemakers of America in Amarillo Saturday. Two thousand, eight hundred and twenty-eight girls were present which was a new attendance record for Area I. Friona was the largest delegation present but some of the girls had traveled over 200 miles to attend.

If you are going to apply dry fertilizer, we have the applicator you need. Do two jobs at once and apply fertilizer as you list.

Spring is almost here. Time for plowing and planting. Now is the time to get all your repairs made so you will be ready when the weather is right. Our parts department is one of the biggest on the Golden Spread.

Our family attended the show "Giant" and afterwards, mother asked John Bill if he'd like to have a big ranch like the one in the picture. He answered, "No, I'd rather have an oil well like in the picture." He's a true Texan.

Oldsmobile, the ruler of the highways for '57, has the best trade-in value of any car in its price range. You too can drive one and we have 'em. Come by, take a ride and let's trade.

Mr. O. B. Ginn of Amarillo was in Friona Saturday. Mr. Ginn was superintendent of Friona Schools several years ago. He and Mrs. Ginn have a summer camp for children near Taos, New Mexico and Mr. Ginn was here to enroll some Friona youngsters for this summer.

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It is time to start that irrigation well. Be sure to drain and flush your gear head before starting. This washes out the rust and saves wear as well as time. Call 2091 if you need help.

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Wes Izzard, of the Amarillo news keeps mentioning folks who have seen the first robin of the year. We've had robins in Friona all year. We think they stay here for fear berries will appear on the pyracantha bushes and they wouldn't be here to eat them. Friona is about the only town we know of where it is impossible to grow pyracantha berries and the robins are the culprits.

More people ride on Goodyear tires than any other brand of tires. It costs no more to have the best. Come by.

What's the difference between Texas fleas and other fleas? "Texas fleas own their own dogs."

Have you attended any of the style shows given by Friona's Federated Woman's Clubs? These annual affairs are something of which our folks are justly proud. The money is used to maintain the club house and the merchants donate their time and trouble. The fourth style show will be presented at the auditorium Tuesday, March 19, at 8 p. m. Children, adults and family groups will all have part in the show. Make plans to attend.

Ben Woody, our shop foreman, will help you solve any of your repair problems.

If you need irrigation tarps, tubes, or dam rods, remember P.C.I.C. sells for less.

Friona folks welcome two new business firms to our town. The Humble filling station on Highway 60 and the barber shop north of the Friona Shoe Shop on Main Street.

"Bolts and Nuts" is the name of the comedy to be presented by the senior class of Friona High School this Friday at 8 p. m. in the auditorium. Tickets may be purchased from the senior class and they will be on sale at the door. Mr. Dubble is the director, coach and producer.

Beth Jordan lost her diaper bag between town and her home, which is a mile and a half south on the Muleshoe road. It is a tan plastic bag and in it were six or seven diapers, one bottle full of milk and a jar of ointment that Beth really needs. The ointment had a prescription label with Beth's name on it, and she hopes the finder will call her parents at 4963 or leave the bag at our house.

A New York joke we enjoyed goes like this: There had been a devastating atomic attack on this old earth. Everything had been destroyed. Every city, every farm, everything. Only the Empire State building was left and one man in the top story. He looked sadly out the window and decided he didn't care to be the only human being left on this old earth. So he jumped and as he passed the tenth story window he heard a telephone ringing.

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# THE HAPPY HOMEMAKER

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 ½ cup flour  
 few grains of salt  
 ¾ cup milk  
 2 tablespoons oleo  
 1 teaspoon vanilla  
 ¾ cup chopped pecans

Boil sugar and water until syrupy. Sift flour in with egg until smooth, then add milk. Combine this mixture with the hot syrup in top of double boiler and cook until thick. Add oleo and vanilla. When cool, stir in nuts and pour into baked pie shell.

**PASTRY**  
 1½ cups flour  
 ½ cup shortening  
 ½ teaspoon salt

Sift together flour and salt, cut in shortening. Stir in gradually just enough water to hold dry ingredients together. Roll out and place in pie pan. Then bake.

Ever get too much liquid in frosting and no more powdered sugar in the house? Add graham cracker crumbs to the frosting

until the right consistency. The crumbs absorb extra moisture and give a nut-like flavor.

Read a recipe a few days ago that must have been developed by the peanut butter industry. It was for Peanut Butter Soup. To those of us who do not particularly care for peanut butter, it surely does not sound appetizing, does it? Just out of curiosity, we may try it. If the family approves of it, will pass it on later.

If you have had trouble with root knot in your garden soil, it is wise to fumigate the soil ten days to two weeks before planting. Your yield of warm weather crops such as tomatoes, peas, cucumbers and okra are more susceptible to root knot damage, and the soil in which these are to be planted should be fumigated.

Complete instructions on how to control root knot disease can be secured from the County Agent's office or from the Texas A&M College Extension Service.

# THE PARMER FARMER

A few weeks ago we were talking with Allen White, who is the office manager of the High Plains Underground Water District in Lubbock, and also is editor of "The Cross Section," a monthly publication of the water district.

Allen passed on some first hand information to us which we have not seen recorded in either the paper, which he edits, or any farm magazine of the area. We had been asking him about how successful the district's re-charge experimental project had been over in Floyd County and he told us that the results had been both discouraging and encouraging.

In that experiment, the water district attempted to set up a re-charge well in an old lake bed and to return surface rain water to the water bearing sands formation by means of the re-charge well. Because nearly all of our fresh water lakes on the plains are very shallow and temporary, the water in these lakes has a very high silt content.

To overcome the difficulty that is experienced in returning dirty water to underground formations, the district had "filtered" the water through a pit, which had been filled with cotton burs.

This sounded like a good theory and it was believed that after the cotton burs became laden with silt, which was taken from the water, the burs could be removed and replaced with clean burs in the pit. Then the operation could begin all over again.

However, practice proved that the muddy rainwater, which had trickled down from surrounding farm land was carrying so many tiny particles of soil that the silt-ing problem was terrific.

At first, the rate of intake of the "reverse" well was very high, but it diminished at a ratio directly connected with the amount of water introduced through the well because the silt would stack up in the underground formations and cause the water to be slowed down or stopped as it attempted to enter the underground formations.

In this sense, Allen told us, the re-charge experiment was a disappointment; however, it has now been discovered that if a regular irrigation pump is inserted into the re-charge well that it can "clean out" the clogged underground formation in just a fraction of the time that it took for filtration to set in.

That is, White believes, that farmers will see the advantage of having a "two way" irrigation well located in or near the hundreds of lakes that dot the irriga-

ed High Plains. Farmers will find it feasible for their wells to pump water during the irrigation season from the underground formation in just exactly the same way that wells are doing all over the plains now, except that these wells would be located at the lowest point on the farm rather than at the highest point and the water would be transmitted to the irrigation ditches by means of pipe either underground or over ground, connected to the well's discharge pipe.

Then, when rains do occur and the lakes do have water in them, water can either be returned to the underground formation through this "two way" well, or can be pumped to the crop as needed. In the cold or winter months, when no irrigation is being done, it will be possible to use the well as a recharge unit altogether starting the pump only periodically in order to clean out the underground formation so that surface water can be emptied into it.

Very likely, installations of this kind will appear impractical at first. However, as the irrigation water table under the plains continues a steady decline and it becomes apparent that land owners of the high plains area are faced with the probability of depletion of the most valuable resource, it will be discovered that these "two way" wells are, in fact, a very sensible investment.

Another thing that should be pointed out is the fact that an irrigation well located at a low point lifts water no further than an irrigation well located on a high point. The well on the low point has a shorter lift to the surface, but, then, the water is transferred through lateral pipe to the area which is to be irrigated. On the other hand, a well located on a high point lifts the water straight up to the point where irrigation ditches can then take care of it.

Even after its first year of operation, there is still considerable befuddlement among farm operators as to the mechanics of the soil bank program.

Perhaps a broad definition of the phases of the over-all program together with its aims, might help to establish clearly the functions of his special farm legislation.

Prentice Mills of the ASC office has passed along to us something that might be some help in this respect. It's boiled down and is minus the details, and is pretty easily understood:

**1957 SOIL BANK**

There are two parts to the Soil Bank Program—the acreage reserve or one year program, and the conservation reserve or five or ten year program.

Both programs are entirely voluntary. You can sign an agreement or not. After an agreement is signed it cannot be cancelled or changed by either the farmer or government for the life of the contract. You may cancel or change the agreement until the

final sign up date of March 1 for the acreage reserve, or March 15, for the conservation reserve.

Both programs are alike in that you designate a certain part of the farm as the reserve acreage. This area cannot be changed for the life of the agreement. The reserve acreage cannot be grazed or a crop cannot be harvested from the acreage. Either agreement must be signed by all parties interested in the crops and the payments are divided between the landlord and tenant, usually as the crop is divided.

A limited amount of money is available for each program and it is available on a "first come, first served" basis.

Here are some specific parts of the acreage reserve program. This is designed to reduce the acreage and production of certain crops. The rate set up for your farm is for average irrigated land if irrigation facilities are available. The land designated as acreage reserve may be summer fallowed or planted to certain soil building crops to be turned under or incorporated into the soil this fall. March 1 is the final date to sign an agreement and it cannot be cancelled or changed. You sign the agreement to reduce the 1957 acreage of cotton below the allotment and you are not obligated to sign again in 1958. You may reduce your cotton acreage up to 30% of the allotment or 10 acres, whichever is larger, on a guaranteed basis and offer additional acreage which will be accepted if money is available after March 1.

The conservation reserve program is designed to reduce the acreage of crops planted on farms and generally is supposed to take the less productive land out of cultivation. The annual rate in this county is \$10 per acre on each farm. You reduce the acreage of soil bank base crops—generally cotton, small grain and grain sorghum—below the average planted in 1955 and 1956. This designated acreage is planted in permanent pasture grasses which cannot be grazed or harvested until the end of the contract period.

You can put from five acres to the total cropland in this program. March 15 is the final date to sign an agreement.

One of the most interesting things we know of at the moment relating to High Plains agriculture is the attempt by landowners in southwestern Lamb County to irrigate their land.

They are organizing a project, the estimated cost of which is \$8 million, to bring water from the sandhills north of them to their parched, sandy land.

This part of Lamb County is bone dry — or the next thing to it — and about the only irrigation they have now is very small stuff we would call "dribblers."

Most of the land lies south of Sudan, and would be nursed by fresh water which lies under the untilled sandhills to the north in abundance. These are the same sandhills, incidentally, which Lubbock plans to draw water from, and Littlefield is resorting to the same source.

According to the Littlefield paper, the farmers intend to declare a water district, embracing about 300 quarter sections of land, and they would vote a bond issue to finance the improvement.

Money from the Small Reclamations Projects Act would be available, at no interest rate, for this purpose, and taxes within the district would pay the government back over a period of 30 years.

They propose to buy 20,000 acres of water rights, and apparently already have this part of the deal tied down. They figure the rights will cost them \$700,000.

It will then take 145 irrigation wells to pump water into two 42-inch concrete pipelines from the sandhills to the project area.

Total cost per acre for water delivered to the farm is expected to run between \$19 and \$24 per year.

They have plenty of cotton allotments down there — all they need is the water to make good. If this deal goes through, it should be interesting to other dryland areas that are situated adjacent large fresh water sources.

# Cotton Prop Rate Is 28.15 Per Pound

Parmer County farmers will receive a guaranteed price of 28.15 cents per pound for middling 7/8-inch 1957-crop upland cotton, according to Prentice Mills, county ASC manager.

This price support is the national minimum level, based on the average location. Recently announced by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, the level of support reflects 77 percent of the current parity price of 36.56 per pound. In event that the applicable parity price is higher than the support level at the beginning of the next marketing year, the level of support will be increased accordingly.

Cotton producers approved the marketing quotas for the 1957 upland cotton by a 92.4 percent favorable vote in a referendum on December 11. The support level for last year's cotton was 29.34 cents per pound, reflecting 82½ percent of the parity price.

The support level is determined on the basis of supply percentage at the beginning of each marketing year, which is August 1.

As for grain sorghums, Parmer County farmers will be guaranteed \$1.80 per hundred weight for grade No. 2 or better (except mixed grain sorghums). The national average is \$1.83 and it reflects 70 percent of the parity price as of January 15.

The 1957 supports are a lower percent of parity than they were for 1956 grain sorghum crops.

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Parmer County Farm Bureau, in March, 1952, began negotiations making natural gas available to farmers on cooperative lines for irrigation.

Farm Bureau Policies are neither Democrat nor Republican. Support of bi-partisan FB recommendations is sought (successfully) from both parties.

Wheat farmers can retain acreage allotments without planting as result of Congressional action sponsored first by Parmer County FB, then Texas and American FB in 1953.

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# Pfeiffenberger Talks To Cotton Growers

George Pfeiffenberger, executive vice-president of the Plains Cotton Growers Association, was featured speaker at the meeting of the Parmer County Cotton Improvement Association in Bovina Monday evening.

Out to hear the cotton man were about 50 adults and youngsters, the latter being those who placed in a cotton growing contest sponsored by the county association the past year.

Winning first place in the contest and being recognized with a plaque and a check for \$50 for his accomplishment, was Johnny Mabry, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Mabry of the Hub community. He had a yield of 1487 pounds of lint cotton per acre.

Richard Chitwood took second place with a yield of 1459 pounds. Other winners were Gary Mac Brown, Joe Hughes, Joe Bob Johnson, and Johnny Miller, in that order.

Most of Pfeiffenberger's talk was an explanation of the work of the Plains Growers Association. He emphasized their three-point program which places emphasis on service, research, and marketing.

At the end of the program, an election was held which returned Arlin Hartzog of Bovina to office

as president and also retained W. L. Edelman as vice-president and Wes Long as secretary, both of Friona.

Directors for the coming year include James Mabry, J. E. Noland, Truman Kent, Dee Brown, Hershel Johnson, Joe Blair, Jack Smith and Hartzog.

## Report Given on Bank Participation

Parmer County farmers have at this time contracted \$95.5 acres in the acreage reserve of the soil bank for cotton, reports Joe Magness, chairman of the county ASC board. There were 32 contracts representing payments totaling \$34,950 and acreage payments in the county averaged \$59 per acre.

Wheat acreage in the reserve program totaled 6,370 acres and it represents a total payment of \$61,698. The conservation reserve (this is the 5 to 10 year program) for both 1956 and 1957 totaled 7,724 acres at \$10 per acre.

Magness points out that Parmer County farmers are not going very strong for this program. "This, of course, is because the production of the soil in Parmer County is worth much more on most farms than the payment offered to lay out these acres," Magness says.

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Now that preplanting irrigation is beginning, tail water is also beginning to run down the barrow ditches and fill up many of the lakes that haven't had a drop of rain water in them.

It is a shame to be so wasteful of such a precious natural resource, which can't possibly last forever, as some would like to have us believe. It is not the systems that lose small amounts of water we are talking about. It is true that on the best of irrigation systems, some water will be lost. The waste-water we are talking about is where water will run out the end of the fields for several hours.

At least three billion tons of solid soil materials are washed out of the fields and pastures of the United States each year by water erosion alone. It has been figured that to move such a bulk of American soil on rails would take a train of freight cars 475,000 miles long—enough to girdle the earth 18 times at the equator.

William Jennings Bryan said:

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## Lazbuddie Stock Show Is Saturday

A fat stock show is being conducted at Lazbuddie this Saturday. It is a local event and will involve only Lazbuddie FFA and 4-H boys, according to Jack Black, agriculture instructor at Lazbuddie Schools.

The event will take place at the vocational ag department of the school and the boys will show fat calves, lambs, and barrows. The judging will take place in the morning and the livestock will be there for show until 5 p.m.

Ribbons will be awarded to the winners.

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## 4-H News

**Bovina 4-H Club News**  
Gary Stevenson, reporter

Bovina Boys 4-H club met in the school auditorium at 9 a. m., Wednesday, February 27, with 23 members present. President Dickie Clayton called the meeting to order. Ronnie Sudderth led the minutes of last meeting. There was not any new or old business. The meeting was then turned over to Joe Jones, county agent. We talked about projects that would be worthwhile for a community tour. Mr. Jones discussed the grain sorghum and cotton contests held in the county last year. The awards for winners were given Monday night, February 25, in Friona. Mr. Jones said that the more boys who entered the more prize money there would be.

Mr. Jones also discussed landscaping (beautification of home grounds) for a project. He told us how to order trees from the Texas Forest Service to start a wind-break around the home and told us how to grow them etc.

The Cotton Growers Association will award the cotton contest awards Monday night, March 4, in the Bovina cafeteria. We discussed our record books and pictures for them. The meeting was closed by Mr. Jones.

**Farwell Junior Boys 4-H News**  
Roy Donaldson, reporter

Farwell Junior 4-H boys met at school Thursday, February 28. We had two new members join at this meeting—Charles Carthel and Ronny Boone. President Leon Lovelace called the meeting to order and Joe Reed, secretary, read the minutes of the last meeting. The meeting was then turned over to Joe Jones, county agent, who gave a demonstration on treating garden seed with a seed disinfectant. Leon Lovelace, Ronny Henson, Bill Quikel, Ronnie Vestal, Billy Field, Jimmy Armstrong, David Routon, and Joe Tom Reed will give a demonstration at the next meeting.

**Lazbuddie Senior Boys 4-H News**  
Billy Hardage, reporter

On February 26, the Lazbuddie Senior 4-H Club met in the eighth grade room. President Odis Bradshaw opened the meeting. Cooper Young, pledge leader, led our club in the pledge. Roy Max Miller, secretary, read the minutes of the last meeting. The meeting was then turned over to Joe Jones, county agent. Richard Chitwood told about the awards program at Friona on

February 25, where he took fifth place in the grain sorghum contest. Joe Jones discussed the grain sorghum contest for the following year. He returned James Brown's record book which he had entered in the cotton contest. He also explained how to cross grains and get Texas Hybrid Grain. Mr. Jones said that the Lazbuddie Stock Show was to be March 9.

**Farwell Senior Boys 4-H News**  
Maurice Smith, reporter

The Farwell Senior 4-H Club boys met Thursday, February 28, at school. President Bill Owen called the meeting to order and Benjy Dial led the club in the 4-H pledge. Jerry Lovelace, secretary, read the minutes of the last meeting. The meeting was then turned over to Joe Jones, county agent, who talked to us about cotton projects. We also talked about demonstrations that could be given before the club. Bill Owen and Benjy Dial are going to give a team demonstration at the next meeting and Johnny Sprows and Jimmy Keith are going to give in-

easy, and we will be pleased to individual demonstrations. Mr. Jones help you. Just give us a call.

closed the meeting.

**Friona Junior 4-H Club News**  
Danny Carmichael, reporter

Friona Junior boys 4-H Club planned a tour for Saturday, February 2. We started from the Friona High School auditorium at 1:30 p. m. First we visited Johnny Miller, Charles and Connie Ray and Dewain Phipps on the north-west side of town. Right outside of town we visited Jim Roy Wells' project. Then we went to Black were we saw Tommy Tatum's Sears gift. The last two places visited were Weldon Massey and Dwight O'Brian.

The following boys had these projects: Jim Roy Wells, calf; Johnny Miller, calf; Charles and Connie Ray, swine; Dewain Phipps, calf; Tommy Tatum, swine; Dwight O'Brian, calf; and Weldon Massey, calf.

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