

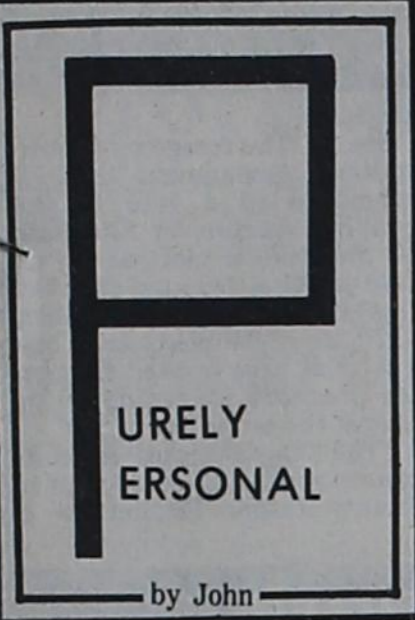
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Many people boobo but only a few friends even know of it. When the newspaper booboos, several thousand people are immediately aware of it. Last week on the society page, we had a nice advertisement complimenting Lisa Kittrell, Freda Leavell and Linda Autrey.

The ad was sponsored by Bobbie McFarland of Bobbie's. Unfortunately, the signature dropped off the copy before it got on the press, so Bobbie gets a rerun this week, and possibly a publicity bonus.

A pocketbook thought for the week - a few facts on the Food Stamp Program. There are now 11,900,000 people participating in the program, and it cost Uncle Sam (you and I) \$1,900,000,000 in fiscal 1971-72. The projection for 1972-73 is a great deal more!

The Department of Agriculture administers Federal Food Assistance through food stamps or commodity programs in approximately 3100 counties and other jurisdictions throughout the United States. Of only seven counties in the United States not participating in some kind of federally-assisted food program, two of them, Hall and Hunt, are in Texas.

If the do-gooders in Washington keep up the good work in protecting the people from themselves, in spite of the cost, we will all need federal food assistance. Through a highly debatable law passed by a fatuous Congress, the Department of Agriculture, on advice from the Department of Commerce, placed a ban on the use of DES in cattle feeds.

As we in the great productive area know, this will add substantially to the cost of cattle feeding and therefore ultimately to the consumer. That's me and you and you! Who else?

This bit of compounded silliness is not a desire of the Departments concerned, but rather, they are required to take this action pursuant to said ill-advised legislation. The answer is not to ignore or flout the law of the land but to require that Congress exhibit a modicum of common sense, and repeal or amend the law as it is needed. However, in an election year we can hardly expect miracles or at least any that might benefit the public.

We have been having the uneasy feeling lately that we might be aging, but recently we came across an article that tends to explain our late night lassitude. The explanation came in an article by Tom Horton of the Copley news service.

Mr. Horton discusses the findings of Dr. P. Lucifer Diddlethacker, noted expert on media influence on the masses. Doctor Diddlethacker's learned treatise is titled, "How Television's Chitchat News Is Giving Viewers Inferiority Complexes."

Dr. Diddlethacker argues that today's ad-libbing, news in the round, programs appear to be such a ball of fun, with the newsmen joshing each other on the air and seldom looking at the audience, that the viewer subconsciously feels rejected. The result is often mass disillusionment, loss of self-importance and guilt.

This explains why we never feel as well when we go to bed in the evening as when we arise in the morning. We must cut out watching our favorite late evening newscast. It is making us old before our time.

It may not be apparent to any but football fans, but fall is just around the corner. Mother Nature is already preparing some of her trees for their finest fall garb. The maple tree in the publisher's front yard is getting noticeable tinges of scarlet and gold and will soon be in its finest autumnal attire. From now until well after frost it will be very beautiful to behold, and we invite you to drive by to share in this example of nature's great handiwork.

Announces ASCS - -

Several Options Included In 1973 Wheat Program

Major provisions of the 1973 wheat program have been announced by the Secretary of Agriculture, says Prentice Mills, County Executive Director of ASCS. They include the set-aside required for participation, an option to voluntarily set-aside additional acreage and the payment rate for the additional acreage set-aside.

To participate in the wheat program, a producer must set-aside an acreage equal to 86 percent of the farm's domestic wheat allotment. Producers will again be allowed to substitute feed grains or soybeans for wheat to preserve allotment history. Barley will again be included in the 1973 feed grain program.

In addition to the set-aside required for participation, a producer may earn payment for setting aside additional acreage up to 150% of his domestic wheat allotment - twice the amount of additional acreage in the 1972 program - at a payment rate of 88 cents per bushel.

The announcement of voluntary wheat set-aside is being made much earlier than last year so the winter wheat producer can plan his wheat operation before investing any money in his 1973 crop.

The loan rate is same as in 1972 - \$1.25 per bushel - national average.

Farmers who elect to participate in the voluntary option may set-aside additional acreage up to 150 percent of their domestic wheat allotment. Payment rate for this additional set-aside will be 88 cents per bushel, times the farm's established yield, time the acres set aside.

In 1972 the voluntary option was limited to 75 percent of their domestic allotment with a payment of 94 cents per bushel. Producers who choose this option must agree to limit their total 1973 wheat program acreage planted for harvest. The limit will be their 1972 spring and winter wheat program acreages plus the 1972 voluntary set-aside minus

the 1973 voluntary set-aside acreage. Program acreages are those reported and accepted for compliance in 1972.

Substitution provisions of the 1973 wheat program are identical to those in 1972 with corn, grain sorghum, barley or soybeans allowed for preservation of allotment history. The USDA also announced that the 1973 feed grain program will have a mandatory set-aside for barley of not less than 25 percent of the farm's barley base, with other details of the feed grain program to be announced later.

As in the past two years, a producer will earn certificate payments based on his domestic allotment times the farm's established yield, and producers are not required to plant wheat to earn certificate payments, however, failure to plant at least 90 percent of the farm's 1973 domestic wheat allotment to either wheat, corn, grain sorghum, barley or soybeans can result in reduction of allotment by as much

as 20 percent. Under the Agricultural Act of 1970, if no wheat or substitute crops are planted for three consecutive years, the entire allotment may be lost. All allotments removed from farms will be reallocated to other wheat farms.

Substitution provisions allow acreage devoted to feed grain or soybeans to be considered planted to wheat to prevent loss of history and to qualify for payments. Acreage devoted to wheat or soybeans will be considered planted to feed grains to prevent loss of that base. This enables a producer to plant the combination of wheat, feed grain or soybeans that best fits his operation and preserve his planting history and program benefits.

As in 1972, land offered for set-aside must be equally productive and similar to that on which the program crop is to be grown. Producers may graze set-aside acres except during the five principal months of the normal growing season, but set-aside acreage must be protected against erosion, weeds, insect damage and rodents. In 1973, sweet sorghum again may be planted on the set-aside acreage and grazed, except during the five months of the growing season.

Producers who wish to qualify for program benefits need to sign up to participate. Sign-up dates will be announced later for the 1973 program. A producer may participate in the wheat program on any or all farms in which he has an interest, as he wishes.

ASCS County offices will notify wheat producers of their domestic allotment and the applicable set-aside for their farms.



ROTARY INTERNATIONAL PREXY - Making an official visit to the Clovis area was Roy Hickman of Birmingham, Ala., second from right, president of Rotary International. On hand to greet the international president Wednesday night in Clovis at a dinner in his honor were Texico-Farwell Rotarians, left to right, Mike Spearman, secretary; John Spearman, past president; Gil Patschke, past president; and Rev. W. T. Perry, 1972-73 president. Hickman chose Clovis as the site of one of his ten visits to clubs in the United States during his year as president.

Parmer County - -

SWCD Directors Plan Final Acre Ceremony

Parmer County Soil and Water Conservation District Directors had their regular meeting last week. Directors present were Leon Grissom, Leroy Johnson and Dick Rocky. Steve Messenger, district bookkeeper, and Herb Evans, SCS, were also present.

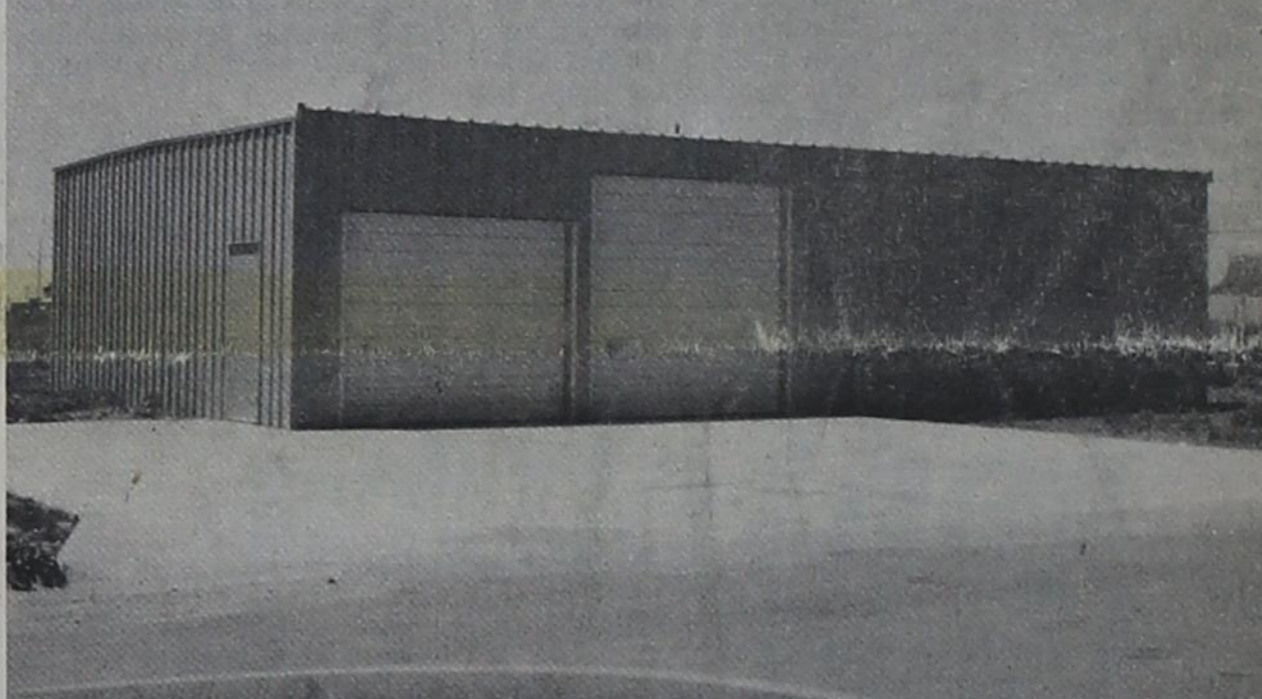
Soil Conservation Service activities for the month of July were reviewed.

The District prepared its annual plan and accepted the proposed activities for the coming year beginning September 1.

Other action taken was making of plans for the Final Acre Ceremony to be September 5. The ceremony will be at Parmerton, southwest of Friona, at 2 p.m. A. L. Black will be master of ceremonies and, according to Leon Grissom, Ed

Thomas, State Conservationist of the Soil Conservation Service, will be present to give the principal address. Purpose of the ceremony is to publicize that each acre in Parmer County has been soils mapped and the information is available to the land user.

Tentative plans were made to attend the Panhandle Association of SWCD meeting in Spearman on September 6.



CITY EQUIPMENT BARN - An equipment barn, built by the City of Farwell, to house the emergency vehicle, a sweeper, dusting machine, back hoe tractor and other incidental equipment is almost completed. Although the equipment has been moved into the all-steel structure at 304 First Street, wiring in the building is not finished and a restroom is not completed. Panhandle Steel Building of Amarillo built the barn for \$7,224 and Pete Griego of Clovis laid the concrete drive for \$1,300.



ALL-STEEL CONSTRUCTION - Kelly Green Seed Company's new elevator lacks trimming on the outside, some wiring on the inside and a seed cleaner before it becomes one of the most modern seed-cleaning facilities in the area. Built at a cost in excess of \$75,000, the elevator was put together piece by piece utilizing a crane to raise large steel panels that fit together to make the structure.

August 17 and 18 - -

Farwell Students Check Out Books

Farwell High School students are reminded to check out books and lockers Thursday and Friday, Aug. 17 and 18.

Thursday, Farwell juniors will check out books and lockers at 9 a.m., and seniors at 1:30 p.m. Friday, sophomores will check out books and lockers at 9 a.m., and freshmen at 1:30 p.m.

Farwell Elementary and Junior High School enrollment will start at 9 a.m. Friday, Aug. 18. Buses will run that day arriving at school by 9 a.m. and returning children home by noon.

Kindergarten children will enroll Monday, Aug. 21, which is the first day of school.

At Open House - -

Tractor Unveiling Set

Cal Jordan Implements in Clovis has scheduled an open house for all farmers in this area on Saturday, Aug. 19. Jordan, owner, says he will unveil Generation Two, the biggest advance in tractors since John Deere introduced the New Generation tractors 12 years ago.

Jordan recently attended a two-day meeting at Waterloo, Iowa, where the new line was introduced to all John Deere dealers. He says their enthusiasm was very high, particularly after he and other dealers had operated the new tractors. While he cannot discuss specific details until the August 19 announcement, Jordan says it will be to every

farmer's advantage, especially from a health and comfort standpoint, to attend the open house and learn all the facts about the new John Deere tractors.

The open house will begin at 9:30 a.m. MDT and will last until 4 p.m. Refreshments of coffee and donuts will be served all day.

Pep Club Meets

Farwell Pep Club will have a meeting Thursday, Aug. 17, at 2 p.m. in Mrs. Charles Hargrove's room at Farwell High School. All freshmen sophomore, junior and senior girls interested in backing the Steers are urged to attend.



DR. STRAUSS ATKINSON

Revival Slated At Bapt. Church

Oklahoma Lane Baptist Church will have a revival beginning Sunday, August 13, through August 20. Dr. Strauss Atkinson, area missionary from Plainview, will be evangelist. Darrell Turner of Muleshoe will lead singing. Services will be at 10 a.m. and 8 p.m. each day and at regular worship service times on Sunday, according to Rev. Bob Roberts, pastor. Regular worship services are at 11 a.m. and 7 p.m. The territory over which Dr. Atkinson serves as missionary includes Parmer, Castro, Bailey, Cochran, Hockley, Terry, Swisher, Briscoe, Hale, Floyd, Motley, Crosby and Dickens counties. Turner is a layman in the First Baptist Church at Muleshoe.

Next Week - -

100 Called For Petit Jury Duty

Parmer County Sheriff's office released this week a list of 100 jurors who have been tapped for petit jury duty Tuesday and Wednesday, Aug. 15 and 16.

Jurors summoned for duty Tuesday are Mrs. John S. Williams, James W. Moody, Marie Kriegel, Clarence L. Jones, Audrey Mason, Mrs. C.A. Norton, Bobby L. Green, Mrs. L. R. Hand, Iven B. Clary, Linda L. Dozier, Myrna Hammonds, Steve Messenger, Clifford S. Crow, Charlie H. Wise and Mrs. Harry Lookingbill;

Also, Mrs. Cecil Malone, Rodney Murphy, Mrs. Charles L. Bass, Earl Franklin Graham, Tom Bonds, Raye Jene London, Alice K. Snodgrass, Mrs. Edmund Kitten, J. J. McDonald, Frank Hinkson, Mrs. James D. Johnston, Beverly Joy Obenshain, Mrs. E.S. White, Maurice Smith, Carl Guess, Burl F. Rogers, Martha E. Bates, E.G. Steelman and Guy A. Whitesides;

Also, Hubert L. Gohlke, Curtis J. Birchfield, Mary Ruth Redden, Woodrow Whitaker, Charles Sanders, Bessie Davies, Caryl R. Fallwell, Mrs. Lawrence Jamerson, Billy Dean Baxter, Mrs. O.M. Hammonds, Mrs. Manuel Lopez, Houston Bartlett, Floyd Millican, Lloyd Rector and Ismael Barraza. And, Tommy C. Haralson, John Leroy Witten, Mrs. R.E. Mears, W.M. Bradley, Paul Dwayne Bishop, Mrs. C.M. Coffey, Patricia Livengood, Margaret B. Caldwell, Bobby M. Gleason, Carl G. Davis,

Ralph Roming, Thoma Lou Bockman, Lana Doshier, Mrs. Andrew J. Jesko and John W. Frazier;

Also, Mrs. Peggy Snider, Marion E. Clark, R.J. Renner, Jr., Randol C. Allen, Mrs. Gerard Bradford, Douglas Landrum, Alice Lovelace and Matilda Caballero.

Jurors summoned for duty Wednesday are Wayne A. Jones, Mrs. Truman Gaines, R. E. Mears, Mrs. H.T. Magness, Mrs. Orville Burnett, Mrs. L.M. Grissom, Mrs. R.W. Shelton, Gilbert Gilliam, Mrs. I. W. Quicel, W.H. Gammon, Mike Ellis, Mrs. O.H. Jones and Zula Mae Rundell;

Also, C.B. Eddins, Wayne Foster, Mrs. W.A. Waddell, Felix A. Robbins, Mrs. George Treider, Mrs. Otto Lingnau, Fidencio Guzman, J.C. Robertson, Joyce Haseloff, Louise Hancock, Glaytus Wylie, M.T. Hukill, Mrs. John L. Ray, Walter H. Hughes and Bobby D. Wied.

Texico Hires

Basketball Coach

Darryl Haley of Roswell was hired Tuesday night by Texico School Board to fill the position of high school basketball coach. Haley, a 1972 graduate of Eastern New Mexico University, played basketball a couple of years in junior college and handled intermural classes in college.

He will also be helping in Texico High School's football program.

Mrs. Bridges Buried Mon

Funeral services were Monday afternoon in Steed Memorial Chapel in Clovis for Lillian Mae Bridges, 64, of Texico who died Saturday morning at Clovis Memorial Hospital of an apparent heart attack. Burial was in Texico Cemetery. Pallbearers were Ed Hordage, Joe Helton, Guy Cox, Truman Kittrell, Judge Stone, and Otis Higgins.

Mrs. Bridges had been a Texico resident 30 years and was a member of the Baptist Church. She was born June 1, 1908, in Valliant, Okla. She was preceded in death by her husband, Elmer, in 1958.

Survivors include one son, Kenneth, of El Paso; three daughters, Mrs. J. B. Mitchell of Levelland, Mrs. W. A. Setzer, Jr., of Carnegie, Okla.,

and Mrs. Stanley Williams of Clovis; and 11 grandchildren, two great-grandchildren and three brothers and three sisters.

Well Shut-Offs Occur Here

A number of irrigation wells were shut off the middle of last week by Pioneer Natural Gas Company, but full power had been restored by Thursday afternoon.

The gas company ran out of gas for several hours, but, according to reports, tapped gas from another source so Parmer County wells that had to be shut off could return to normal.

Manna From Heaven Falls On Selected

Manna from heaven, in this case rain, fell from the skies over the weekend on a select group of farms. Several farmers in an area north and west of Texico reported good rains Sunday afternoon and night, while an area of farms north and east of Farwell received considerable moisture from the clouds Friday night. Everywhere else moisture was slight, if not practically non-existent.

The Wayne Fosters, three miles east of the Oklahoma Lane crossroads, seemed to be more highly favored than anyone else this past weekend. They received two inches on their place, although at another of their farms one mie west and three miles south of where they live, only a sprinkle was recorded.

E. E. Routons, east of Oklahoma Lane, reported .9 inches Friday afternoon and night. Other reports in that area ranged from .8 inches to one inch.

B. A. Rogers of Texico said there was not any rain to speak of over the weekend in town, but that on his farm north of Pleasant Hill .2 to half an inch was recorded Sunday night.

There was probably more rain recorded in that area north of Texico, but the only other report received was .3 inches on the Elmer Langford place.

STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Bill Boykin
TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

AUSTIN, TEX. - A recent statewide survey shows 22 per cent of Texans, or 2.5 million, are poor compared to a national rate of 13 per cent. Further, Texas accounts for nearly 10 per cent of the nation's poor.

Texas Office of Economic Opportunity submitted the 300-page report to Governor Preston Smith, terming it the most comprehensive study ever undertaken among the Texas poor.

The Rio Grande Valley area was shown as having the highest incidence of poverty in the state - 42.2 per cent of the population. East Texas was next with 29 per cent poverty rate.

The East Texas and Lower Rio Grande Valley areas also have the smallest proportion of persons completing high school.

About 55 per cent of the heads of poor households are employed, and 70 per cent of those have fulltime permanent jobs, according to the study.

However, low income levels make it difficult for these persons to bring their families out of poverty.

Guidelines for the report set poverty level for a family of four at an annual income of \$3,800.

More than one third of the Texas poor are children under 15, and four out of five are black or Mexican-American.

George P. Taylor, TOEO director, said the report will be the basis of programs to alleviate poverty in the state. Recommendations include bringing in new industry to decrease unemployment, housing expansion and better health care and food programs.

A proposed four-year anti-poverty plan for Texas would seek \$6.3 million in aid from national and regional OEO.

REFORM SESSION STUDIED - Governor Smith disclosed he is putting together a "full package" of insurance reform proposals in case he decides to call a special legislative session this year.

Reports indicated the governor was serious when he said he may call such a session on insurance matters. Smith himself continued to lash out at the insurance regulatory board.

When members ordered a rate cut for auto insurance averaging 11 per cent statewide, Smith said a 21 per cent reduction was in order. Smith said he must work closely with legislative leadership to achieve anything in a special session, but Lt. Governor Ben Barnes and House Speaker Rayford Price said he hasn't said a word to them about his plans.

If Smith calls the session, apparently he will propose wholesale reorganization of the board and a controlled competitive rate system for property and auto insurance.

ELECTION BILLS PAID - The state ran out of money before it paid 1972 primary election expenses and fell about \$325,000 short of meeting all its bills.

The last \$117,000 available was sent to county officials last week. A lot of election workers, printers, and suppliers have not been paid for their work.

The money was dispensed on pro rata basis, amounting to 26.66 per cent of bills still outstanding in the counties.

Remaining expenses will have to go uncompensated until the 1973 Legislature can make appropriations. An appropriation of \$2.1 million was set aside by the Legislature last spring for the 1973 primaries. "I can find no other source of funds available at this time," said Secretary of State Bob Bullock. "When we have paid all the county chairmen, we will not have one cent remaining of the \$2.1 million

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appropriated. AG OPINIONS - Death penalties may be commuted to life sentences at any stage between jury verdict and granting of a new trial, Attorney General Crawford C. Martin held.

In other recent opinions, Martin concluded: "One convicted of a felony may have rights of citizenship restored and become eligible to hold public office."

"A county clerk may record marks or brands given the same name if the marks or brands are themselves different."

"Podiatrists may not create a professional association under the Texas Professional Act but can create a professional corporation where all shareholders are licensed podiatrists."

"The county attorney of Harris County may investigate election frauds, although the primary duty is that of the district attorney."

"Established procedural rules for parole revocation under a new U.S. Supreme Court decision are not applicable to revocations prior to June 29, 1972."

"Parks and Wildlife Department officers have duty to preserve the peace and disperse riots."

"A notary who continues to meet any one of three statutory requirements has not 'permanently removed' himself or created an automatic vacancy."

"A former state employee who was eligible to be a member of the Employees Retirement System is not eligible to

receive a Texas Ranger pension.

COURT MERGER URGED - Merger of the Texas Supreme Court and Court of Criminal Appeals, elimination of municipal and justice of the peace courts and non-partisan election of judges were proposed by the Chief Justice's Task Force for Court Improvement.

A series of seminars are being scheduled over the state to hear comments on the proposed revisions. Under the recommendations, courts of civil appeals would become courts of appeals handling both criminal and civil cases.

The Legislature would be directed to create a system of county courts at law to perform the judicial functions now performed by all courts below the district level.

UNEMPLOYMENT JUMPS - A jump in the unemployment rate last month was spurred largely by new graduates and summer job seekers, according to Texas Employment Commission.

The jobless rate reached 4.6 per cent statewide, but this was less than the 5.3 per cent rate of June, 1971.

Actually, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports, the Texas economy is getting better and better, and 1972 second-quarter and first-half performances of economic indicators ended on a solid upbeat. No boom is yet in sight, however.

"While wall mottoes exhort employees to think, most companies expect them to keep busy, too."



ATTEND CHURCH CAMP - Kristi Magness, Kim Magness, Joe Kirk and Ken Foster, left to right, are in the mountains of New Mexico this week attending Sacramento Methodist Assembly. They are from Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church.

PECAN producers in Texas will vote this fall on a proposed check-off referendum being conducted by the Texas Pecan Growers Association. Proposed assessment will not exceed 50 cents per 100 pounds of pecans. Money will be used to finance a program of production, marketing and use of pecans.

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Proposed PUBLIC NOTICE
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
NUMBER 13 ON THE BALLOT (HJR 82)
General Election November 7, 1972

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article XVI, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows: "Section 65. Wherever the Constitution authorizes an agency, instrumentality, or subdivision of the State to issue bonds and specifies the maximum rate of interest which may be paid on such bonds issued pursuant to such constitutional authority, such bonds may bear interest at rates not to exceed a weighted average annual interest rate of 6%. All Constitutional provisions specifically setting rates in conflict with this provision are hereby repealed." This amendment shall become effective upon its adoption.

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to vote of the qualified electors of this State at the general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1972, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "To set a six percent (6%) weighted average annual interest rate for bonds issued pursuant to constitutional authority presently having a specified interest ceiling."

Proposed PUBLIC NOTICE
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
NUMBER 5 ON THE BALLOT (HJR 35)
General Election November 7, 1972

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Section 2, Article VIII, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows: "Section 2. (a) All occupation taxes shall be equal and uniform upon the same class of subjects within the limits of the authority levying the tax; but the legislature may, by general laws, exempt from taxation public property used for public purposes; actual places of religious worship, also any property owned by a church or by a strictly religious society for the exclusive use as a dwelling place for the ministry of such church or religious society, and which yields no revenue whatever to such church or religious society; provided that such exemption shall not extend to more property than is reasonably necessary for a dwelling place and in no event more than one acre of land; places of burial not held for private or corporate profit; all buildings used exclusively and owned by persons or associations of persons for school purposes and the necessary furniture of all schools and property used exclusively and reasonably necessary in conducting any association engaged in promoting the religious, educational and physical development of boys, girls, young men or young women operating under a State or National organization of like character; also the endowment funds of such institutions of learning and religion not used with a view to profit; and when the same are invested in bonds or mortgages, or in land or other property which has been and shall hereafter be bought in by such institutions under foreclosure sales made to satisfy or protect such bonds or mortgages, that such exemption of such land and property shall continue only for two years after the purchase of the same at such sale by such institutions and no longer, and institutions of purely public charity; and all laws exempting property from taxation other than the property mentioned in this Section shall be null and void."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to vote of the qualified electors of this State at the election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1972, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment allowing certain tax exemptions to disabled veterans, their surviving spouses and surviving minor children, and the surviving spouses and surviving minor children of members of the armed forces who lose their life while on active duty."

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Proposed PUBLIC NOTICE
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
NUMBER 2 ON THE BALLOT (HJR 31)
General Election November 7, 1972

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Section 6 of Article IX of the Constitution of the State of Texas be, and the same is hereby, amended so as to read as follows: "Section 6. On the effective date of this Amendment, the Lamar County Hospital District is abolished. The Commissioners Court of Lamar County may provide for the transfer or for the disposition of the assets of the Lamar County Hospital District."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at the general election to be held the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1972, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the provision for voting for or against the proposition: "The Constitutional Amendment abolishing the Lamar County Hospital District."

Proposed PUBLIC NOTICE
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
NUMBER 14 ON THE BALLOT (HJR 57)
General Election November 7, 1972

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article VII, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended by adding a Section 6b, to read as follows: "Section 6b. Notwithstanding the provisions of Section 6, Article VII, Constitution of the State of Texas, any county, acting through the commissioners court, may reduce the county permanent school fund of that county and may distribute the amount of the reduction to the independent and common school districts of the county on a per scholastic basis to be used solely for the purpose of reducing bonded indebtedness of those districts or for making permanent improvements. The commissioners court shall, however, retain a sufficient amount of the cor-

pus of the county permanent school fund to pay ad valorem taxes on school lands or royalty interests owned at the time of the distribution. Nothing in this Section affects financial aid to any school district by the state." Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1972, at which election the ballots shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment to allow a county to reduce its county permanent school fund and distribute the money to independent and common school districts on a per scholastic basis."

Proposed PUBLIC NOTICE
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
NUMBER 3 ON THE BALLOT (HJR 41)
General Election November 7, 1972

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article XVI, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows: "Section 61. All district officers in the State of Texas and all county officers in counties having a population of twenty thousand (20,000) or more, according to the then last preceding Federal Census, shall be compensated on a salary basis. In all counties in this State, the Commissioners Courts shall be authorized to determine whether precinct officers shall be compensated on a fee basis or on a salary basis, with the exception that it shall be mandatory upon the Commissioners Courts, to compensate all justices of the peace, constables, deputy constables and precinct law enforcement officers on a salary basis beginning January 1, 1973; and in counties having a population of less than twenty thousand (20,000), according to the then last preceding Federal Census, the Commissioners Courts shall also have the authority to determine whether county officers shall be compensated on a fee basis or on a salary basis, with the exception that it shall be mandatory upon the Commissioners Courts to compensate all sheriffs, deputy sheriffs, county law enforcement officers in-

cluding sheriffs who also perform the duties of assessor and collector of taxes, and their deputies, on a salary basis beginning January 1, 1973. "All fees earned by district, county and precinct officers shall be paid into the county treasury where earned for the account of the proper fund, provided that fees incurred by the State, county and any municipality, or in case where a pauper's oath is filed, shall be paid into the county treasury when collected and provided that where any officer is compensated wholly on a fee basis such fees may be retained by such officer or paid into the treasury of the county as the Commissioners Court may direct. All Notaries Public, county surveyors and public weights shall continue to be compensated on a fee basis."

Sec. 2. The foregoing constitutional amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this state at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1972, at which election the ballot shall be printed to provide for voting for or against the proposition: "The constitutional amendment to require the commissioners court in all counties of the state to compensate all justices of the peace on a salary basis."

Proposed PUBLIC NOTICE
CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT
NUMBER 12 ON THE BALLOT (SJR 29)
General Election November 7, 1972

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS: Section 1. That Article XVI, Section 33, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows: "Section 33. The accounting officers in this State shall neither draw nor pay a warrant or check on funds of the State of Texas, whether in the treasury or otherwise, to any person for salary or compensation who holds at the same time more than one civil office of emolument, in violation of Section 40."

Sec. 2. That Article XVI, Section 40, Constitution of the State of Texas, be amended to read as follows: "Section 40. No person shall hold or exercise at the same time, more than one civil office of emolument, except that of Justice of the Peace, County Commissioner, Notary Public and Postmaster, Officer of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States and enlisted men of the National Guard, the National Guard Reserve, and the Organized Reserves of the United States, and retired officers of the United States Army, Air Force, Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard, and retired warrant officers, and retired enlisted men of the United States Army, Air Force, Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard, and the officers and directors of soil and water conservation districts, unless otherwise specially provided herein. Provided, that nothing in this Constitution shall be construed to prohibit an officer or enlisted man of the National Guard, and the National Guard Reserve, or an officer in the Officers Reserve Corps of the United States, or an enlisted man in the Organized Reserves of the United States, or retired officers of the United States Army, Air Force, Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard, and retired warrant officers, and retired enlisted men of the United States Army, Air Force, Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard, and officers of the

State soil and water conservation districts, from holding at the same time any other office or position of honor, trust or profit, under this State or the United States, or from voting at any election, general, special or primary in this State otherwise qualified. State employees or other individuals who receive all or part of their compensation either directly or indirectly from funds of the State of Texas and who are not State officers, shall not be barred from serving as members of the governing bodies of school districts, cities, towns, or other local governmental districts; provided, however, that such State employees or other individuals shall receive no salary for serving as members of such governing bodies. It is further provided that a non-elective State officer may hold other non-elective offices under the State or the United States, if the other office is of benefit to the State of Texas or is required by the State or Federal law, and there is no conflict with the original office for which he receives salary or compensation. No member of the Legislature of this State may hold any other office or position of profit under this State, or the United States, except as a notary public if qualified by law."

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Says Coach Booth - -

Farwell Squad Sports More Size And Depth

Farwell Steers have probably got more size and depth than in previous years, according to Head Football Coach Toby Booth. With these assets, their success depends on the courage, discipline and desire of the boys, Booth says.

"We're still a real young team, and we're facing tough teams this year," he said. Booth commented that each team on the schedule will be a challenge for the Steers.

Steers will begin practicing in shorts Monday, Aug. 14, in preparation for their first scrimmage August 25 at 7:30 p.m. in Vega with White Deer. All Steers must be present for practice, says Booth. Coaches, besides Booth involved with high school and junior high football programs are Jerry D. Owen, Don Alana and Larry McDorman.

Coach Booth listed seniors, juniors and sophomores who will participate in the football program this year. A rundown

of seniors, their probable positions and coach's comments are listed below. In the following weeks, rundowns on the other players will be made available.

SENIORS

Johnny Boling - 155 lb. quarterback, works real hard; should be one of the better quarterbacks in the district. Our success depends on his ability and that of the other quarterback, Kevin Hargrove, to move the team, said Booth. Craig Capps - 180 lb. defensive and offensive guard. Our success depends on people like him to come through for us, said Booth.

David Dannheim - 160 lb. tight end and corner man. We expect great things from him. He should be a great blocker, tackler and leader. He started for us last year.

Steve Kaltwasser - 170 lb. tackle. He started as a junior last year. He's probably one of

the better blockers in the district.

Doug Johnston - 170 lb. split end. He has a knack for finding an opening. He has a real good pair of hands.

Harold Jones - 155 lb. guard. He played offensive guard and defensive middle guard last year. He is very quick and strong and should be a great asset.

Mack McFarland - 155 lb. defensive linebacker. He is very tough and has great agility. He is probably one of the better linebackers in the district.

David Norton - 155 lb. halfback. He has good speed and should be a good running back.

Ray Norton - 155 lb. halfback. He is a good leader and has the ability to be a great running back.

Ty Phillips - 205 lb. tackle. He has good speed and is quick. He should be a great defensive and offensive tackle.

JUNIORS

Juniors and their probable positions are Andy Bowery, fullback; Jesse Cantu, guard; Freddie Dale, center; Jace Ensor, guard; Kevin Hardage, tailback; Kevin Hargrove, quarterback; Bill Johnston, guard; Conda Jones, guard; Carl Kirkland, wingback; Winfred Long, fullback; Rudy Rodriguez, halfback; Darrell Stanton, tight end; Greg Taylor, wingback; Kie Watkins, tackle; and Ricky Williams, end.

SOPHOMORES

Sophomores and their positions are Paul Brigham, guard; Gene Christian, center; Lesley Curtis, quarterback; Mike Deel, end; George Garza, back; Kent Gast, end; Barry Goldsmith, guard; Gary Green, end; Charles Hargrove, end; Mark Haseloff, guard; Lynn Kittrell, guard; Pablo Lucio, back; Tommy Maltos, back; Thad Phillips, back; William Rundell, end; Larry Sutton, guard; and Mike Woods, back.

Steer managers are Billy Roberts, Tim Meeks, Mark Parie and Timothy Morris.



WON SPIRIT STICK - Texico varsity cheerleaders recently returned from cheerleader camp at Eastern New Mexico University with the spirit stick. They gained a superior rating which gave them the right to buy a superior pin. The girls brought home one white ribbon, outstanding; one red ribbon, excellent; and three blue ribbons, superior. Pictured are, left to right, front row: Regina Kelley, Carla Richardson and Linda Wilson; back row: Diane Riley, Kim Pearce, Cindy Eshleman and Sponsor Connie Elliott.

Report From The Sheriff's Office

Parmer County sheriff's officers recovered a table model television set recently which was taken about a month ago from the Eldon Bruce residence in Bovina.

Three Bovina men were charged this week with possession of marijuana. Donald Pesch, Richard Holloway and Robert Paul Fowler were released after making bonds of \$2,500 which had been posted for each of them, said Deputy Henry Minter of Bovina.

Fire Calls

Farwell Fire Department was not called out during the past week.

Texico fire Department's emergency vehicle was called twice during the past week. Saturday, a call was made to take Mrs. Bridges to Clovis Memorial Hospital. Wednesday morning Mrs. Sam Lewis was taken to a Hereford hospital.

Hadley Goes To ASCS Meets

John Hadley, chairman of the New Mexico State Agriculture Stabilization and Conservation Service, from Texico was in Washington, D. C., recently for a meeting of ASCS representatives from all 50 states. They discussed various farm programs with USDA officials. The New Mexico ASCS representatives were in Washington July 9-15.

Since his Washington trip, Hadley has also been to Lincoln, Neb., for a Great Plains ASCS meeting.



For Wolverines - -

Size, Depth Lacking But Not Enthusiasm

Texico Wolverines are going to be young, small in size and lacking in depth and experience in some positions, but they should have good speed in their backs and flankers and an abundance of enthusiasm, according to their new football

coach, Bucky Walters. Wolverine football practice got underway Wednesday at 5:30 p.m., but all other pre-school workouts will start at 6:30 p.m. The team will be practicing without pads until August 14. After that date, contact equipment will be used. Walters said he hopes to have some pre-season scrimmage games.

Craig Attends Colo. Workshop

Mr. and Mrs. James Craig returned Saturday, July 29, from Gunnison, Colo., where Craig spent two weeks attending an industrial arts workshop. Craig said he enjoyed catching fish between classes.

Farwell Coaches Attend School

Farwell coaches Toby Booth, Larry McDorman, Vernon Scott, Don Alana and Jerry D. Owen were in Houston last week attending coaching school.

Coach Walters named 12 prospective returning lettermen and their probable positions. They are Randy Harrison, junior, quarterback; Allen Haile, senior, center; Gerald Whitener, senior, guard; Kent Armstrong, junior, end or back; Eugene Wallace, Junior, cornerback and back; Dwayne Kelley, junior, guard; Fulgencio Ortiz, senior, cornerback and quarterback; Curtis Lindley, junior, flanker-safety; Domingo Rojas, senior, safety-flanker; Craig Chumley, junior, center-guard; and M. H. Askew, junior, end.

"We hope to have a number of good prospects from our last

year's freshman team, some late transfers of last year and some newcomers," said Walters. He added that he is looking for three good managers.

"We have a very tough schedule beginning with Hagerman, our first game September 1, state runner-up last year in Class A; and with Jal later in the season, Class AA champion last year," he added.

Melrose has been tapped as the pre-season conference favorite. Walters said they are big, fast and experienced.

JOHNNY



WATFORD

From the typewriter of Texas journalist Stanley Walker: "Associate with people of cultivated tastes and some of the culture may rub off on you. Hang around musical folk and you may, with luck, get to know Brahms from Beethoven. But keep company with the very rich and you'll end up picking up the check."

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Leatherwood Competes In Nat'l Finals Rodeo

Terry Leatherwood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Don Leatherwood of Texico, participated in the National High School Rodeo Finals in Henderson, Colo., last week.

Leatherwood competed in team roping and tiedown calf roping events. He completed two go-rounds, but didn't qualify for the third go-round. Mr. and Mrs. Leatherwood

and Mr. and Mrs. Leon Luce and Diane of Texico were in Henderson for the rodeo which began Tuesday, Aug. 1. The Luces returned home Friday, Aug. 4, and the Leatherwoods returned home Saturday, Aug. 5.

Twenty-six states and Canada were represented at the National High School Rodeo Finals.

Texico Youths In Rodeo

Several Texico youths competed in the Los Alamos Junior Rodeo the weekend of August 29 and 30. Dusty Leatherwood tied for second and third in saddle bronc riding.

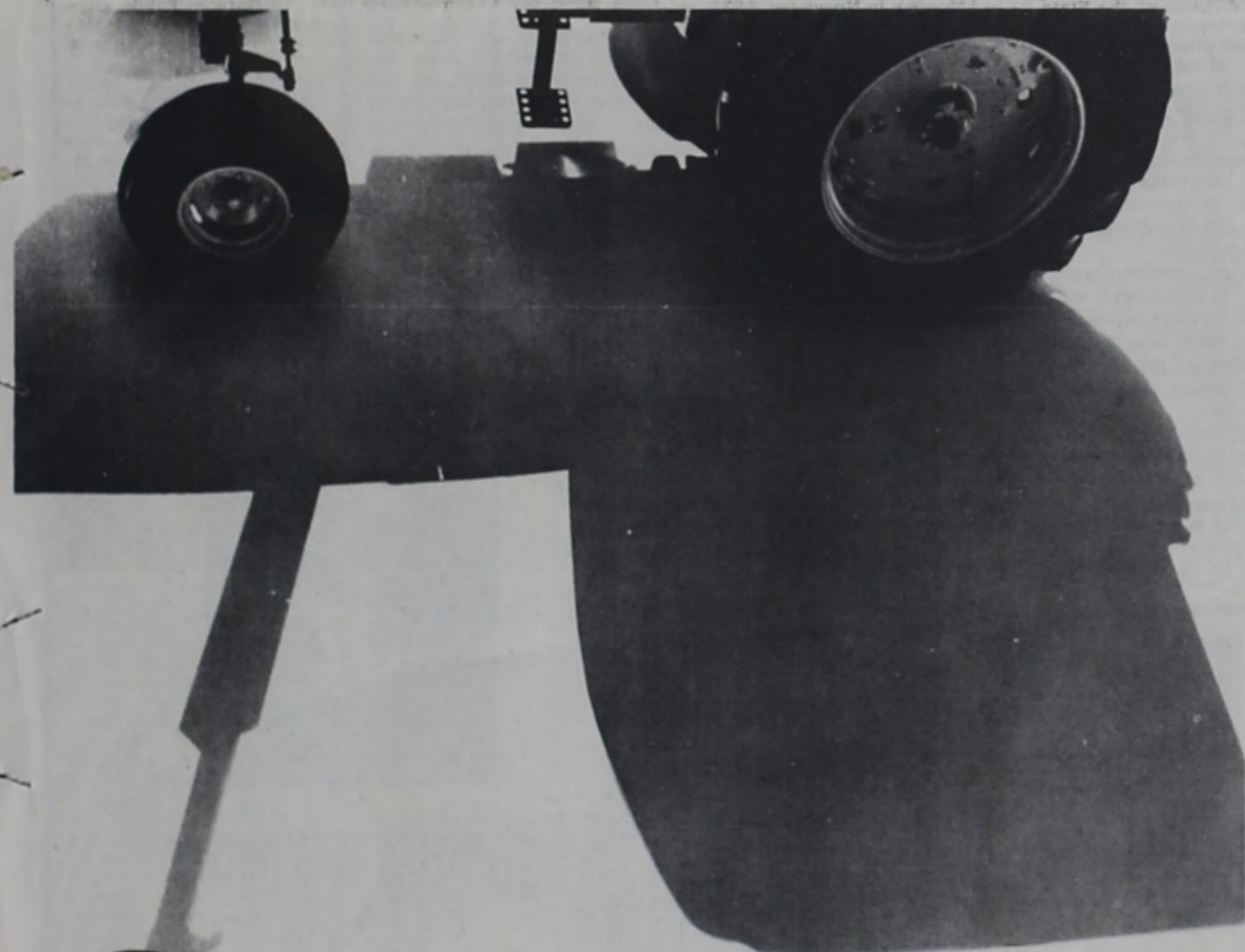
Diane Luce, Diane Riley, Terry Leatherwood, and Pecos Shannon were also competing in the rodeo.

Electric sewing machines have been used since 1889!

White Named To Dean's List

James Martin White, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. White of Route 1, Texico, was named to the Dean's Honor List for the Spring semester, 1972, at Baylor University, Waco.

He made a grade average of at least 3.60 but less than 3.80 for the term, while registered for not less than 15 semester hours. He is one of 267 students, 160 women and 107 men, attaining this distinction.



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BIRTHDAY PARTY - Jana Peoples, right, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Peoples of Farwell, was honored on her third birthday Sunday, July 30, with a party at Farwell City Park. Her guests, David Moseley, left, and Kendra Stephens, enjoyed birthday cake with white icing, decorated with a blue "Bo Peep and her sheep" and three pink candles, and lemonade. Adults attending were the honoree's mother and grandmother, Mrs. Claude Coffer, and Mrs. Darrell Stephens and Mrs. Hugh Moseley, all of Farwell.

For Girl Scouts - -

Experience In Mexico Brings Knowledge, Fun

(Editor's Note - Three Farwell Girl Scouts returned July 20 from a 10-day stay in Mexico where they went sightseeing in Mexico City and mingled with Girl Scouts from all over the world at Our Cabana. Kittie Warren, Jaquetta Crook and Pam Nance each wrote an essay relating their experiences on the trip.)

by Jaquetta Crook

Well, we're back. We all had so much fun, we hated to leave. The Cabana was really great. It was really pretty there. Everything was so green.

We really had fun at the Cabana. There was always something to do, but then there was plenty of swimming and free time, too. We went some place almost every day. We saw lots of old churches and museums and things like that. Also, we went to the pyramids and to the ballet, and we got to ride the subway.

While we were at the Cabana, we met a lot of girls from different countries and different parts of the United States. I got to know all of them pretty good. Especially one girl from the Philippines and another girl from London. They were all so sweet.

On Thursday, July 13, we went to Cuernavaca for a service project. I was selected to help with the boys, age 11 to 14. We were making plaster of Paris lions. We got plaster of Paris all over us, but it was really worth it. Those little kids were so eager to learn. And they were really quick, too. They were all real cute.

I really thought the whole trip was really great, and if any of the Girl Scouts are ever given an opportunity like that, they sure ought to take it because it would be something to always remember.

I would sure like to thank everyone for helping us get to go. I really have appreciated it very much. Thanks so much for the swaps. All the girls really enjoyed them. Thanks a million for everything. I'll remember this and appreciate it forever and a day.

by Pam Nance

Granddaughter Visits Here

Stephanie Traxson of Fort Worth is visiting with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Sterlyn Billington of Farwell for two weeks. She arrived Friday, July 28, along with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Traxson, and a cousin, Lynne Williams of Houston.

The Traxsons and Lynne spent the night before returning home. Lynne is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Williams. Mrs. Traxson and Mrs. Williams are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Billington.

Graham Children Visit On Weekend

Visiting with Mrs. B. N. Graham of Farwell over the weekend was her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Graham of Pampa. Her two daughters and husbands, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Thornton of Dimmitt and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ross of Morton visited here Sunday afternoon. The Rosses were on their way home from Denver.



BACK FROM MEXICO - Senior Girl Scouts Pam Nance, Jaquetta Crook and Kittie Warren, left to right, boarded the plane in Mexico and returned Thursday, July 20, from a 10-day stay at Our Cabana and Mexico City. The girls got a chance to meet many other Girl Scouts from other countries and different parts of the United States during their stay at Our Cabana.

can stall for time after upsetting that balance.

Following the film, it was interesting to listen to Dr. David Brower, president of Friends of Earth, the first international ecology group, and chairman against the S.S.T. He told of the different kinds of pollution we were distributing upon the earth. He stressed education in this area.

Shopping was an experience with the markets and haggling. We got gyped some but broke out even.

Another one of our activities that we did I approached unwillingly. We were to teach 500 Spanish-speaking children crafts and games for an hour and a half. There were 32 of us. But as our bus rolled down the streets of Cuernavaca, the children ran behind it.

When we got there, they were as nice and cooperative as could be. It was sad to say good-bye to those faces. For them, that was the only planned entertainment all week. For us, it was the best experience of the whole trip.

Our flag ceremony was carried out with a world flag because of the different nations involved. This act made us feel united and differences were forgotten. *****

by Kittie Warren

We left the airport at Lubbock at seven o'clock in the morning. We had a wonderful breakfast on the plane. Upon arrival in Mexico City we went through customs, then we were on our way to the Cabana. This took about one and a half hours by taxi through mountainous areas and narrow rough roads. This country looked much like the area around Ruidoso, N.M.

When we arrived at the Cabana we were greeted by the staff and assigned dormitory rooms. Then we unpacked

Lenton Pool Sons Visit

Visiting over the weekend at the Lenton Pool home in Farwell were their sons and families, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pool, Desta and John, of Alamogordo and Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Pool, Micky, David and Brett, of Chattanooga, Tenn.

Also visiting were Dr. and Mrs. Floyd Golden of Amarillo. Mrs. Golden is Pool's sister. Monday night the group went to Canyon to see "Texas" at Palo Duro Canyon. They met the Goldenes there. The Jerry Pools are visiting until Thursday when they will return home.

Go To Wilson

Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Kitten were in Wilson over the weekend. They returned Mrs. R. A. Kahlich home. Mrs. Kahlich, Mrs. Kitten's mother, had visited in the Kitten home for a week.

Copeland Has Leg Surgery

Rev. H. H. Copeland, of Modesto, Calif., father of Mrs. Clarke Billingsley of Farwell, underwent leg surgery two months ago. He is reported to be doing better.

Kendra Stephens Is One Year Old



KENDRA STEPHENS

Little miss Kendra Stephens, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Darrell Stephens, was honored Monday, Aug. 7, with a party in her parents' home in Farwell. The occasion was her first birthday.

Those present to help celebrate her birthday were Andria Chadwick, Jeff Stewart, Leslie Monk, Scottie Coker, Kristi and Brent Stephens, Diane and Faith Ann Wright, Kevin Owen and Jana Peoples.

The group was served birthday cake made in the shape of a large rabbit, orange sherbet and punch.

Maternal grandfather of the birthday girl is J. L. Ivy of Lazbuddie. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Stephens of Muleshoe.

Farwell People Attend Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Magness and Mrs. Joel White, Lynne, Joyce and Peggy, all of Farwell, were in Levelland over the weekend attending the Staggs family reunion. Mrs. Magness is a member of that family.

Daughter Home

Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. Marie Cox of Farwell were her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Gary Shankles and Shari, of Falls Church, Va. Mrs. Shankles visited here for the first time in two years.

Visits In City

W. C. Strickland, former Farwell resident, of Dallas visited Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Perry of Farwell, and with others in the area.

Daughter Here

Mrs. Ray Larson of Las Cruces spent a week with her family, Mr. and Mrs. John Hadley and Richard of Texico, before her husband came to return her to their home the weekend of July 29 and 30.

Visitors In McDonald Home

Visiting in the J. H. McDonald home of Farwell over the weekend were their son and family, the Leroy McDonalds, and their great-grandson, Jerry McDonald, all of Hereford; and their grandchildren, Charlotte and Tammarra of Clovis, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Billy McDonald.

Committees Appointed By LWML Women

Lutheran Women's Missionary League met Thursday, Aug. 3, in the Parish Hall of St. John Lutheran Church at Lariat. Mrs. Gilbert Kaltwasser opened the meeting with the hymn "With the Lord Begin Thy Task." Her topic was "The District Convention Report: Declare His Glory."

Committees were appointed for the Zone Fall Rally to be in Lariat at St. John Lutheran Church September 19. Theme of the rally will be "Prayer Power".

Preparations were made to renovate the parsonage. August 27 has been set as the date for Pastor Martin Platzer's installation at St. John Lutheran Church.

An offering was sent to The Lutheran Hour. Another coffee maker for use in the kitchen was purchased. Meeting was closed with prayer.

Atkinsons

Parents Of Girl

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Atkinson of Fort Worth announce the arrival in their home of their daughter, Kelle Rene. She was born July 21. She weighed 9 lbs., 2 ozs. and was 21 inches at birth.

Maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Martin of Farwell. Mr. and Mrs. Theo Atkinson of Farwell are paternal grandparents. Great-grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Martin of Farwell and Mrs. Lara Garrison of Portales.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Martin were in Fort Worth July 31 through August 1 for a visit with their new grandchild.

Mayes Visit

Lovelaces

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mayes and new daughter, Margaret Elizabeth, of Midland visited last week with Mrs. Mayes' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Lovelace of Farwell. The family arrived Tuesday, Aug. 1, and returned home Saturday, Aug. 5.

In Andrews

Cheryl Boling of Farwell was in Andrews over the weekend to play the piano in a revival at Calvary Baptist Church which was being led by former Farwell resident, Dale McCleskey.

McCleskey recently married the former Cheryl Kaltwasser of Farwell.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames Gilbert Kaltwasser, Herbert Peiman, Otto Lingnau, G. P. Meissner, Ernest Ramm, Ed Ramm, Hubert Gohlke, Walter Kaltwasser; and Mrs. Hintze of Littlefield.

Returns Home From Cruise

Will Anderson, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Anderson of Farwell, returned Tuesday, Aug. 1, after spending nine weeks on a sea cruise across the Atlantic Ocean.

The cruise was offered by Texas A&M University.

Grandchildren In Henson Home

Cammy and Kimberly Henson, daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Henson of Mesquite, Tex., are spending three weeks with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Clay Henson of Farwell. The Jerry Hensons are arriving Monday to spend a week before taking their daughters home.

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Social Events
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Shower Fetes Meredith Anderson

Meredith Anderson of Farwell, bride-elect of Patrick Bruce Curry of Houston, was honored Thursday, Aug. 3, with a lingerie luncheon in Clovis. Hostesses were Mesdames Mark Liethen, Glen Phillips, Bert Williams, Don Williams and Elmer Hargrove.

A luncheon of chicken salad, fresh fruit platter, iced tea, lime sherbet served in olden ice cream glasses, and blueberry muffins was served to the honoree, special guests, hostesses, and the honoree's friends.

Seated at the head table were the honoree; her mother, Mrs. R.W. Anderson; her paternal grandmother, Mrs. G.D. Anderson; and aunts, Mrs. G.D. Anderson, Jr., of Bovina and Mrs. Marilyn Edwards, and special guests, Jayne von Forrell of Clovis and Terri Edwards, her cousin.

The head table was covered with a double wedding ring quilt belonging to Mrs. Rosa Roberts of Clovis. Tables on either side of the head table were covered with flower

garden quilts belonging to Mrs. Elmer Hargrove and made by Mrs. Willie Williams. Other tables were covered with Texas star, snowflake, wagon wheel and butterfly quilts made by Mrs. Johnie Williams and Mrs. M.A. Snider, Sr.

White China, sterling flatware and sterling goblets were used. Each place setting was completed with a cutglass or sterling napkin ring holding a napkin in one of the bride-elect's chosen colors of hot pink, two shades of lavender, lime green and yellow.

Nosegays of wild flowers and baby's breath in olden spoon holders and other assorted pieces of olden glass ran the length of each table. There were 17 floral arrangements in all. Silver candelabra holding candles in the honoree's chosen colors were intermingled with the floral arrangements. Tables were placed in a U-shape.

Luncheon Fetes Miss Blankenship

A buffet-style luncheon in the home of Mrs. Donald Christian Tuesday, Aug. 8, honored Ruth Anne Blankenship, bride-elect of Ricky Bennett of Levelland. Co-hostess was Mrs. Christian's daughter, Trumi.

The serving table was decorated with a basket of fresh daisies, mums, carnations and baby's breath which was later presented to the honoree by the hostesses. Another hostess gift was a photo recipe album.

The luncheon consisted of lasagne, rolls, tossed salad, iced tea and cheesecake. Guests sat at individual tables covered with white cloths printed with yellow roses. Arrangements of fresh flowers accented each table.

The registration table was covered with a white cloth and decorated with an arrangement of fresh flowers. Guests attending brought copies of their favorite recipes.

Attending were the honoree, her mother, Mrs. R. E. Blankenship, Loy Christian of Bovina, and Jean Kirk, Cindy

Phillips, Sharon Williams, Meredith Anderson, Tina and Sheree Rundell and Cheryl Boling, all of Farwell.

Davises Attend Store Convention

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Glenn Davis were in Houston July 21-26 for a Piggly Wiggly convention. Davis said they enjoyed attending a baseball game at the Astrodome and being entertained by the Serendipity Singers and George Kirby, celebrities booked by the convention. He said they stayed at the Marriott Hotel where ball teams and celebrities come when they are in Houston.

In Gast Home

Ricky Gast of Galveston spent Wednesday through Sunday last week visiting in the home of his uncle and family, the Smokey Gasts of Farwell.

hioned bonnets. The bride-elect's place was marked with a little doll dressed in 35-year-old white lace.

After lunch, the honoree opened her gifts. Hostess gift was a hostess gown. Mrs. Don Williams presided at a registration table covered with a quilt and decorated with a candle and doll.

Attending the shower were Caroline Anderson, Susan Patschke, Marsha Lovelace, Cindy Phillips, Penny Phillips, Sharon Williams, LaShawn Sheets, Deb Wardlaw, Debra Garner, Tina Rundell, Ruth Anne Blankenship, Kim Snider, Jayne von Forrell of Clovis, the honoree, special guests and hostesses.

Chris Colbert Is Shower Honoree

Chris Colbert of Clovis, bride-elect of Brad Jordon of Farwell, was honored with a come and go bridal shower in Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church parlor Monday afternoon, August 7.

Hostesses were Mesdames Roy Snodgrass, Alvin Mace, Joe Helton, Mitz Walling, Charles Petty, Marilyn Edwards, Deana Avara and Don Williams.

Hostess gift was an electric mixer. The serving table was laid with white net over white satin with white satin roses along the skirt. A silver candelabrum holding pink tapers entwined with pink carnations and greenery decorated the table.

Crystal appointments were used by the hostesses in serving finger sandwiches, pink mints fashioned like roses, nuts and pink punch. Pink and white are the honoree's chosen colors.

Bendetta Bass of Clovis presided at a registration table covered in white satin with a white net overlay. Forty-four guests were in attendance.

Mrs. Boyd Colbert, the honoree's mother; Mrs. Pike Jordan, the groom-elect's grandmother; were presented corsages of pink carnations. The honoree was presented with a corsage of small pink roses.

Other special guest was Miss Colbert's sister-in-law, Mrs. Dan Colbert of Clovis.

Nancy Ruth Patschke, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G.W. Patschke of Farwell, became the bride of Steven Joe Blair, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blair of Farwell, Sunday afternoon, July 30, in Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church. Rev. W. T. Perry, pastor, performed the double ring ceremony before an altar decorated with daisy mums and greenery. An open Bible flanked by candles completed the altar setting. Background decorations included two candle trees entwined with daisies

and yellow bows holding white candles. Yellow bows and daisies marked the pews along the bridal aisle. Mrs. Charles Hargrove, accompanied by organist Mrs. Donald Christian, sang "Whither Thou Goest", "Wedding Prayer" and "Let Us Break Bread Together." The latter was sung at a communion service for the bride and groom.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown which she designed, fashioned of white voile featuring a chapel-length train. The bodice was overlaid with imported lace, its scalloped edge accented with pearls. Scalloped short sleeves were edged at each peak. The lower edge of the dress had scalloped matching lace with pearls at each peak. The illusion veil was accented with matching imported lace and pearls. The four-tiered shoulder-length veil fell from an array of fresh daisies, yellow roses and pearls. She carried a bouquet of daisies, yellow roses, stephanotis and baby's breath accented with pearls.

Carrying out wedding tradition, the bride wore pennies in her shoe minted in the birthdates of the bride and groom as something old. Something new was her wedding dress and veil and a golden ank on a gold chain symbolizing eternal love and life which was a gift from the groom. Something borrowed was a handkerchief from Mrs. Joe Blair, and something blue was a garter.

Susan Patschke of Farwell was her sister's maid of honor. Bridesmaid was Helen Matthews of Sherman. They wore formal-length princess style yellow gowns with puffed short sleeves trimmed in white lace. Matching organly open crown yellow picture hats trimmed with white lace and entwined with matching yellow completed their ensembles. They carried baskets of daisies and baby's breath.

Michael Norris of Lubbock, brother-in-law of the groom, served as best man. Groomsman was Greg Meeks of Farwell. Ushers were Gary Blair of Farwell, brother of the groom, and Doug Harriman of Farwell. The groom and his attendants were attired in black tuxedos with bright yellow ruffled shirts with the ruffles outlined in black. In their lapels were boutonnières of yellow stephanotis.

Mrs. Patschke, the bride's mother, chose a mint green formal-length dress for her daughter's wedding. It featured white and dark green tiny flower trim on the bodice and around the bottom of the skirt. She wore a daisy and yellow rose corsage. Mrs. Blair, mother of the groom, chose a sky blue street-length dress. She also wore a daisy and

Wedding Reminder

Friends of Lynne White and Robin Mahaney, both of Farwell, are reminded of the couple's wedding and reception Friday, Aug. 11, (today) at 7:30 p.m. in Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church. Miss White is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joel Preston White and Mahaney is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Mahaney.

Chris Colbert Is Shower Honoree

Miss Colbert opened her gifts prior to the shower and they were displayed in the church foyer.

Harding Reunion Held At Ruidoso

The Harding family reunion was in Ruidoso over the weekend. Sons and their families of Mrs. N. R. Harding of Farwell were in attendance. The families enjoyed horseback riding and jeep riding. An especially exciting occurrence during the trip was the appearance of a bear. A bear got into an ice chest laying on a picnic table next to a camper inhabited by the Nathan Harding family. The bear incident was a favorite topic of the children during the weekend.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Hurshel Harding, Deborah and David, and Mrs. N. R. Harding, all of Farwell; Mr. and Mrs. Warren G. Harding, Bob and Kay, of San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Harding, of Levelland; and Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Harding, Sherie and Jack, of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Potts, former Farwell residents now living in Ruidoso, visited with the families. Also visiting the families was Harold Hawkins of Bovina. Hawkins was a former college buddy of Nathan Harding.

Nancy Patschke, Steve Blair United In Double Ring Vows



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yellow rose corsage.

After the wedding, a reception took place in Fellowship Hall of the church. The serving table was covered with a mint green cloth overlaid with white lace. Table decorations included a gold punch fountain topped with daisies and a layered wedding cake topped with white icing, daisies with yellow centers and green leaves. The cake itself was pale yellow.

Gold flatware, crystal plates and yellow napkins were used in serving ham and tuna pinwheel sandwiches tinted yellow and green on gold trays. Jeanne Norris of Lubbock, sister of the groom, and Karen Leslie of Wichita Falls served the guests. Debra Garner furnished piano selections during the reception. Cindy Phillips registered guests at a table covered with a lace cloth topped with a basket of daisies. Hostesses were Mesdames Jim Wiman, Glen Phillips, A. D. Kirk and Edith Blair.

For a wedding trip to Bayfield, Colo., the bride chose a long red, white and blue skirt and blouse. The couple will be at home at Cherrystone Apt. # 9, Weatherford, Okla., where both will attend school at Southwestern University.

The bride is a 1970 graduate of Farwell High School. She attended South Plains College one semester and Texas Tech University three semesters as an accounting major. The groom is a 1970 graduate of Farwell High School. He attended Texas Tech two years as a pharmacy major.

Women View Demonstration

Several women who enjoy getting together and visiting have formed a friendship club for that express purpose. At the last of July, the women met in the Smokey Gast home with Mrs. G. H. Schooling as hostess.

Mesdames Ruby Smithson, Ethel Goodman, Ida Elrod, Phrona Buxtram and Lee Hill of Clovis and Mose Glascock and Glen Phillips of Farwell viewed a demonstration on home decorating.

Billingsleys In El Paso

Mr. and Mrs. Clarke Billingsley of Farwell were in El Paso the first part of the week. Their son, Phillip, of Las Cruces underwent surgery Tuesday in an El Paso hospital. The Billingsleys were to return Wednesday night.

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A Weekly Report Of Agri-Business News

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Of The Texas Department of Agriculture
John C. White, Commissioner

Livestock Inspection Reinstated... Stocks of Grain Show Increase... Wool Production Declines... Early Stalk Destruction Urged...

LIVESTOCK moving from Texas, Oklahoma, Puerto Rico and parts of Arizona, California and New Mexico must be inspected and certified free of screwworms before being moved interstate.

The regulations will be in effect through Nov. 30 of this year, and from April 15 through Nov. 30 in future years until the present screwworm infestation is overcome.

State and federal veterinarians, state and federal livestock inspectors and accredited veterinarians are authorized to make the necessary inspections, supervise pesticide applications and issue shipping certificates.

TEXAS stocks of grain in all positions as of July 1 are estimated at 190 million bushels. This compares with 141 million bushels a year ago. The largest increase is in sorghum stocks followed by wheat, corn and rye. Stocks of oats, barley and soybeans are down from a year ago.

Sorghum stocks are estimated at 129 million bushels compared with 86.9 million bushels in 1971.

Nationwide, large increases were noted in corn, sorghum grain, wheat and rye. Stocks of corn, oats, barley, and sorghum totaled 81.7 million tons, 35 percent more than 1971.

Feed grain disappearance during April-June totaled 44 million tons, 17 percent more than for the same quarter in 1971.

WOOL production in Texas for 1972 is estimated at 29,765,000 pounds, according to the Texas Crop and Livestock Reporting Service. This is down two percent from last year's production of 30,397,000 pounds.

Spring shown wool is expected to account for 83 percent of the total wool production.

Nationwide, wool production is expected to be down four percent from the 1971 production of 159,084,000 pounds.

The Texas lamb crop is now estimated at 2,302,000 head, up one percent from last year. Nationwide, the lamb crop is estimated to be down four percent from 1971.

EARLY destruction of cotton stalks in the Lower Rio Grande Valley as well as throughout all of the state is urged. Mandatory deadline is Aug. 31 in the Lower Rio Grande Valley counties of Cameron, Willacy and certain portions of Hidalgo and Starr counties under the pink bollworm act.

Early destruction of stalks will help prevent build-ups of pink bollworms and other cotton insects for the 1973 crop.

HOG CHOLERA outbreaks in Texas and throughout the nation continue to hamper efforts in the final stage of hog cholera eradication.

Fifty cases have been reported in Texas since late last year. Federal quarantines are now in effect in all of seven Texas counties-Dawson, Harris, Jim Wells, Moore, Nueces, Terry and Webb-and parts of Bexar, Mitchell and Nolan counties.

System Gaining Acceptance

Minimum tillage is gaining wide acceptance throughout Texas and the United States. Minimum tillage is a new system of farming that is producing more net return per acre for many farmers while reducing soil erosion, say Soil Conservation Service officials.

Minimum tillage leaves last season's crop residues on the soil surface to provide a seedbed for a new crop. Farmers leave the past season residues on the soil surface and use planting equipment such as fluted coulters, common drills or chisel openers to place the seed in an otherwise undisturbed seedbed. Herbicides are used to control weeds during the growing season. Tillage is kept to a minimum by the use of herbicides.

Farmers such as Frank Hinkson are finding advantages such as: reducing breakdown of soil structure, reduces soil compaction, improves soil aeration, soil takes water more readily, less labor, reduces trips across the field, lower production costs, conserves moisture, soil erosion reduced as much as 95 percent, protects seedlings from wind damage, more food and cover for pheasants and other wildlife.

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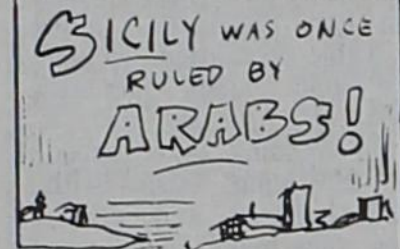
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TWO MINUTES WITH THE BIBLE

BY CORNELIUS R. STAM, PRES. BERAN BIBLE SOCIETY CHICAGO, ILLINOIS 60635

A CLEAR CONSCIENCE

With the knowledge of good and evil man came into the possession of conscience. A sense of blameworthiness smote him when he committed, or even contemplated committing evil. This has been so ever since. The Bible tells us that even the most ungodly and benighted heathen "show the work of the law written in their hearts, their conscience also bearing witness, and their thoughts the meanwhile accusing or else excusing one another" (Rom. 2:15).

It is true that man's conscience can be violated so often that it becomes calloused or, as St. Paul puts it: "seared with a hot iron" (1 Tim. 4:2), but events or incidents can take place which suddenly awaken the conscience and make it sensitive again. Many a person has indulged in "the pleasures of sin" more and more freely until, suddenly, his sin has found him out and his conscience has caught up with him to condemn him day and night and make life itself unbearable. The Bible teaches that all men outside of Christ are, to some degree, troubled by guilty consciences and certainly most are "through fear of death... all their lifetime subject to bondage" (Heb. 2:14). But it also teaches that "Christ died for our sins" so that, our penalty having been paid, we might be delivered from a guilty conscience.

The works and ceremonies of the Mosaic law could never accomplish this, but intelligent believers in Christ, having been "once purged," have "no more conscience of sins" (Heb. 9:14; 10:1,2). They are, to be sure, conscious of their sins and shortcomings, but they are no longer troubled by a condemning conscience, for they know that the penalty for all their sins, from the cradle to the coffin, was fully met by Christ at Calvary.

This is not to imply that even a believer cannot be troubled about offending the One who paid for his sins, but he knows that the judgment for these sins is past. Thus he earnestly seeks, like Paul, "to have always a conscience void of offence toward God and toward man" (Acts 24:16).

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NEWS

What ever became of the Texas Water Plan? The West Texas-Eastern New Mexico Water Import Project?

Both are alive and well, thank you. To really understand and appreciate current developments in the field of water development several more questions need to be asked. What is the Texas Water Plan and the import project? How are they related?

As stated in the introduction to the Texas Water Plan, "Water planning is a means to an end and not an end in itself. Its objective is the development of water resources as effectively and economically as possible to meet man's needs while at the same time protecting him from flooding and periodic drought." With this concept in mind, a comprehensive plan for the full development of the state's water resources was developed. Unfortunately, in-state resources fell short of long-range projected needs, consequently, the Texas Water Plan includes provisions for importing water from outside state boundaries to "balance" the "water budget." In toto, the Texas Water Plan is a statutorily authorized blueprint to guide the state's water development to the end that adequate future water is available to all. It is made up of various individual projects, one of which is the proposed West Texas-Eastern New Mexico Import Project.

The import project, as currently envisioned, would take water from the Mississippi River south of New Orleans, and through a system of canals, transport the water across Louisiana, the northern part of Texas and would terminate on the High Plains of Texas and New Mexico. Throughout the length of the canal, the imported water would be put to beneficial use by municipalities, industries and agricultural interests. More appropriately, the proposal could well have been called the Louisiana, Eastern Texas, Northern Texas, Western Texas and Eastern New Mexico Import Project.

Much study must understandably go into such an import proposal. Fully funded by Congress, the study was divided into three distinct segments. The Mississippi River Commission was assigned the task to make a determination if surplus water is available from the Mississippi, and if so, when and where it is available.

The Corps of Engineers was charged with making a reconnaissance study of canal routing and sizing from the point of take on the river to a

point designated as "Twin Lakes" north of Dallas. The Bureau of Reclamation takes up the study at that point, and is looking at canal sizing and routes to the High Plains along with studies of a distribution system to farms on the High Plains.

The studies, which will have taken seven years when completed, will be handed over to Congress next year. Already, enough is known about the findings to indicate the project is not a pipedream. From an engineering standpoint it is feasible. The big question is "do the beneficiaries want the project enough to pursue its implementation?"

COURTHOUSE NOTES

Instrument report ending August 3, 1972, in County Clerk office Bonnie Warren, County Clerk.

WD - Dasey Henderson, et al - Myrtle Bouldin, Tr., All lot 1, Blk. 69, Friona, Texas.

WD - John H. Johnson - Pioneer Cattle Order Buyers, Lot 3, Blk. 12, McMillen & Fergus Add., Friona.

WD - Cecil Porter - Pioneer Cattle Order Buyers, Inc., lots 1, 2, 4, 5, Blk. 12, McMillen-Fergus Add., Friona.

WD - Clifford W. Mowbray - High Plains Dev. Co., tract 1, West Loop Drive Add., Friona.

WD - O. W. Rhinehart - R. W. McGrew, lot 21, Eastview Add., Bovina.

WD - Calvin W. Sparks - O.W. Rhinehart, lot 21, Eastview Add., Bovina.

WD - M.W. Sudderth - O.W. Rhinehart, part lot 3, Blk. 58, OT Bovina.

WD - John Robert Armstrong - Gladys Armstrong, lots 1 & 2, Blk. 14, Farwell.

WD - Mac Hancock - Verney Towns, Part NW 1/4 Sec. 63, Blk. Z, Johnson, Sub.

WD - Jerry D. Loflin - Troy L. Clark, lot 21, Blk. 1, Lakeside, Friona.



As long as there are final examinations, there will be prayers in public schools.—Harold S. May, The Florence (Ala.) Herald.

Even a new broom won't sweep clean unless someone uses it.—James A. Williams, Jr., Southwest Virginia Enterprise.

Local Man's Mother Dies

Mrs. J. I. Davis, longtime Portales resident, mother of Carl G. Davis of Farwell, died Tuesday, Aug. 8, in Retirement Ranch. Services were to be Thursday at 3 p.m. in Wheeler Chapel, Portales, with burial in Decatur, Tex.

Besides her son in Farwell, Mrs. Davis was survived by two sons, Aubrey of Retirement Ranch and Orville of Albuquerque; four grandchildren, four great-grandchildren and a sister and brother.

Services For Former Resident

Mr. B. B. Bates of Prairieville, Tex., a former Oklahoma Lane resident, died Wednesday, Aug. 2, in Prairieville. Funeral services were in Prairieville Friday with burial in San Antonio. Masonic graveside services were in San Antonio.

The Bates family moved to Oklahoma Lane community in 1916 from Crowell, Tex. They later moved near Bovina. Mr. Bates was preceded in death by his wife; a daughter, Nell; and son, Floyd; who are buried at Bovina, and a daughter, Lois, who is buried at Friona. Another son, Dean, also preceded him in death.

Children surviving Mr. Bates are Gladys Sides, and Coy, B. B. Jr., and Frank, all of San Antonio, and Earl and Wayne, addresses unknown.

Local Woman's Mother Dies

Mrs. T. E. (Grace) Brown, 82, of Amarillo, mother of Mrs. Ed Farmer of Texico, died Sunday evening in St. Anthony's Hospital at Amarillo.

Funeral services were Wednesday afternoon at Boxwell Brothers Ivy Chapel with Rev. Clarence Stephens, pastor of Tenth Avenue United Methodist Church in Amarillo, officiating. Burial was in Llano Cemetery.

A member of the Tenth Avenue United Methodist Church, she had been an Amarillo resident 55 years. Besides her daughter, Mrs. Farmer, is survived by her husband, Thomas, three sons, two other daughters, 12 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Brother Visits

Visiting this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Tharp and children of Texico are Mrs. Tharp's brother and family, the Glenn Smiths, from Arkansas. The Smiths arrived Saturday.



At Home In Farmer County

By Jana Pronger
County HD Agent

Advocates of organic foods claim that these foods help cure diseases and increase one's life span.

Not so, according to foods and nutrition specialist for the Extension Service.

Some organic food enthusiasts say that these foods are nutritionally superior, better tasting and safer because they're free from the "poison" of chemical fertilizers and toxic sprays, but these claims are false.

A plant's genetic make-up determines its food value. And the U. S. Department of Agriculture reports that there's no proof that fruits and vegetables produced without chemical fertilizers contain more vitamins and minerals.

This means that there can be no difference in the nutritional value of plants grown with chemical fertilizers and those grown with organic fertilizers. If pesticides aren't used, insects and diseases infest crops, thus causing a poor appearance of organic foods as compared to other produce.

Besides looking less glamorous, organic fruits and vegetables usually cost two or three times more than non-organic foods.

Foods aren't "poisoned" by chemical fertilizers and toxic sprays, as organic food proponents say. Experts continually check produce for its level of pesticide residue. The permissible residue level is well below any amount that might produce undesirable health effects. Markets aren't allowed to sell any food with a chemical residue level that exceeds this permissible mark.

Producers of organic foods use only organic fertilizers such as manure and compost.

They also rebuild the soil by a system of long-range crop rotations.

But facts show that modern scientific agricultural methods maintain soil fertility and even lead to increased crop yields.

All fruits and vegetables aid in maintaining good health by contributing vitamins and minerals to the diet.

So whether they're organic or non-organic, these fruits and vegetables remain an important part of our diet.

Carter Suffers Stroke On Trip

Rufus Carter of Farwell suffered a stroke Tuesday while visiting his daughter, Mrs. Gene McClure, of Tulare, Calif. His condition was not known at press time.

His daughter, Mrs. Onie Bradshaw of Farwell, returned from California Tuesday, received the news, and returned to California to be with her father.

They had gone to California along with Carter's other daughter, Mrs. Duke Baker of Big Spring, and Mrs. Bradshaw's daughter after hearing of the death Friday of Carter's son, Harvey, of Stockton, Calif.

The rest of the family had returned home leaving Carter to visit with his daughter.

Hospital Notes

Mrs. Helen Webb of Texico is reported to be doing much better after she was admitted Sunday to Clovis Memorial Hospital for medical treatment.

Mrs. Sam Lewis of Texico was taken Wednesday to a Hereford hospital where she is undergoing medical treatment.

Mrs. Ruby Dixon of Farwell is recuperating at home after spending several days in a Friona hospital undergoing medical treatment.

Dale McCuan of Farwell is still improving at Lubbock Methodist Hospital where he has been hospitalized several weeks.

Clarence Crawford of Farwell was released Tuesday from Memorial Hospital, but he was admitted early Wednesday morning after he became ill again.

Sister Here

Visiting Monday night in the home of Janie Crane of Farwell was her sister, Mrs. Jimmy Brown of Denton.

Mrs. Brown is visiting in Muleshoe with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Crane. Also visiting is Mrs. Brown's son, Jay.

Nutrition Notes

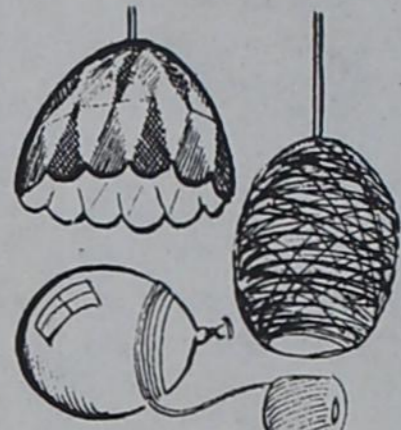
Vegetables rank high in vitamins and minerals which are so essential in our daily diets. Cook vegetables in small amounts of water to retain maximum nutrition and serve tender-crisp for best flavor, color, and texture.

CREATIVE CRAFT IDEAS

Papier-Mache Lamp Shades

Are you looking for a great but easy decorating idea? A do-it-yourself lamp shade made from papier mache may be just the thing. It is easy and inexpensive. A colorful way to light up a room, be it in a college dorm or at home.

Choose tissue or cord depending on the effect you want. A tissue lamp shade will be opaque, colors can be used to form designs for a Tiffany effect. A cord lamp shade will be a see-through type. For a scallop design on a tissue lamp, draw the edge in chalk on the balloon. Use this as a guide when molding over tissue. Tear tissue into strips or scraps. Dip into papier mache paste, allow excess paste to drip off, and mold over balloon. For added strength, begin with a layer of torn rice paper. Continue adding tissue, overlapping pieces, until there are two to three layers. Use several colors, cut into shapes if desired, for a design effect.



To make the shade you'll need a balloon, tissue or cord and papier mache paste plus a protected work surface. Blow up the balloon; it will determine the shape of the shade as tissue or cord is molded around. Set balloon in a box so it won't move all around while you're working.

To make the papier mache paste, mix equal amounts of Niagara instant laundry starch and cold water. One cup of each should be sufficient for a lamp shade. Let the mixture stand a minute to thicken.

For the cord shade, soak cord in starch solution, then wrap it around balloon criss-cross fashion. Leave one end uncovered as an opening for a light fixture.

The lamp shades should dry thoroughly on the balloon. When completely dry and hardened, break the balloon, pulling it away from the shade as the air escapes. Make a small hole in top of tissue shade for light cord. Tape cord to the shade when adjusted to desired length. Bulb should not touch the sides of the lamp shade.

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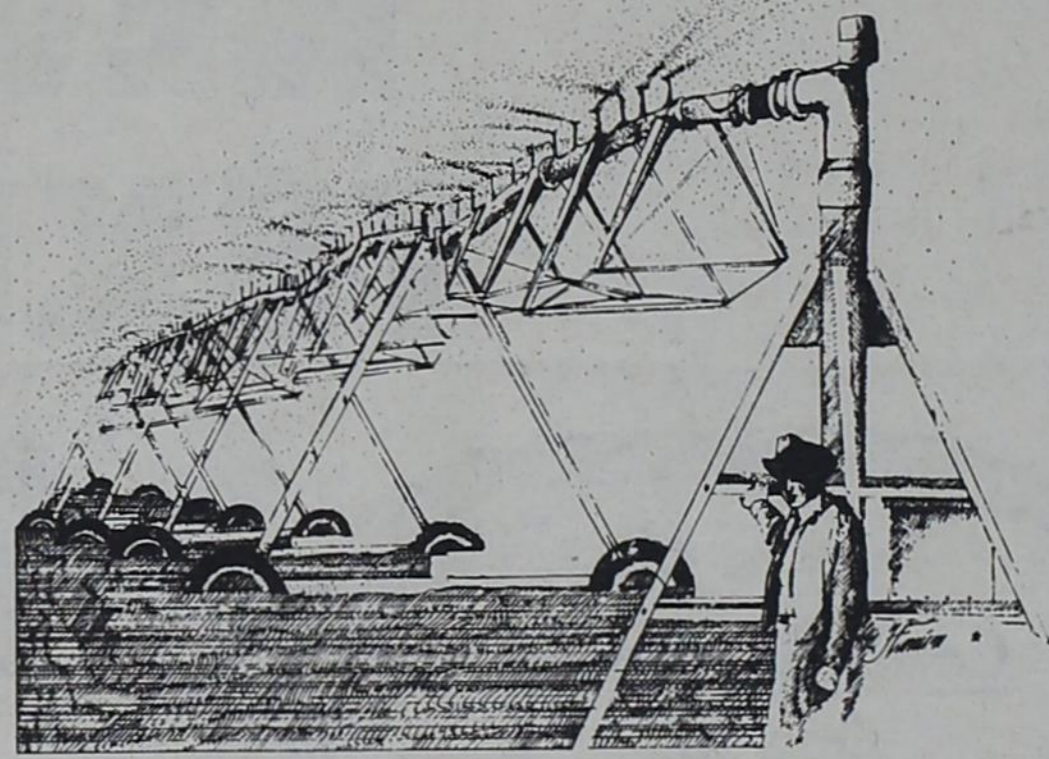
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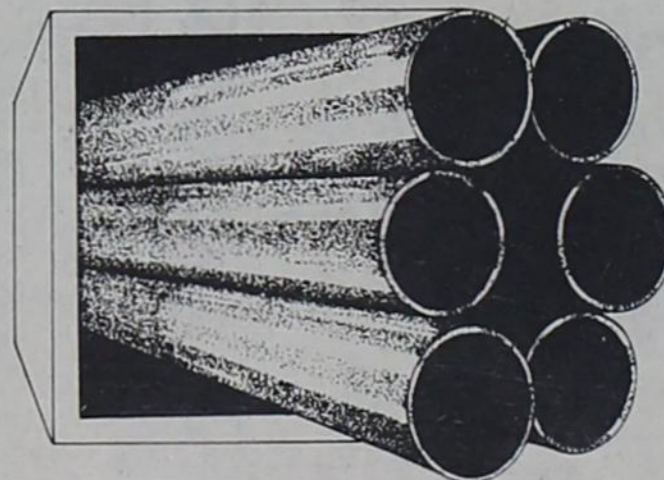
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Portraying Area Homemakers

by Janie Crane

Our area homemaker this week, Mrs. John (Evelyn) Hadley, is a longtime resident of the Texico area. She came to Texico with her mother and father when she was 11 years old. Her husband has lived here since 1929.

When Mrs. Hadley came to Texico, her father was pastor of First Baptist Church, Texico. She attended Texico schools and married John in 1940 the year after she graduated. John also attended Texico schools. The couple has been married 32 years. They have lived on their farm five miles south and two miles west of Texico since their marriage. The Hadleys have six children and nine grandchildren. All of their children attended Texico schools. Richard, their youngest, will be in the eighth grade this year at Texico High School.

Hadley has been farming and ranching all his life. He is employed by the U. S. Agricultural Department as chairman of the state ASCS committee.

Mrs. Hadley said she is busier now than she ever was. "I used to think when we got the children raised things would slow down, but they haven't. I think now I'm more involved," she says.

The kids have kept us young-at-heart. The first four children were each two years apart. Lou Ann and Richard are our youngest," she says. Lou Ann recently married and is living in Las Cruces.

Mrs. Hadley is a member of Texico Woman's Club and is organist at First Baptist Church, Texico, where the family attends church.

In fact, our homemaker's favorite hobby is playing the organ. "I love to play for my own enjoyment and for the church," she added.

Mrs. Hadley's love for music has reached to her children. All but one of the girls play the piano. The family, when they were at home, used to gather around the piano and sing. Today, whenever they are at home, they still get together to sing.

Our homemaker still finds



CHURCH ORGANIST—Our area homemaker this week, Mrs. John (Evelyn) Hadley of Texico, is church organist for Texico's First Baptist Church. Playing the organ is her favorite hobby. When her six children are all at home, they enjoy gathering around the organ to sing. Even though all her children are gone from home except Richard, Mrs. Hadley finds herself even more involved than she dreamed. She is also a member of Texico Woman's Club.

herself fixing big meals even though most of her children have left home. After all, ranching and farming can whet a man's appetite and Richard is a growing boy who spent most of his summer playing Little League baseball. Here are four of the Hadley family's favorite recipes.

ICE CREAM

1 1/2 gallons
9 eggs, beaten until thick (like egg whites)
3 c. sugar, added gradually at reduced speed

1 t. vanilla extract
1 t. lemon extract
1 pt. half and half
1 c. evaporated milk (13 oz.)
Finish filling with whole milk.

CHOCOLATE KISS

PEANUT BUTTER COOKIES

2 3/4 c. sifted flour
2 t. soda

1 t. salt
1 c. butter or oleo
3/4 c. creamy peanut butter
1 c. granulated sugar
1 c. brown sugar (firmly packed)
2 eggs
2 t. vanilla
5 dozen foil-wrapped chocolate kisses
Roll into one inch balls, then sugar. Bake for 10 minutes, then put one kiss on each cookie and bake two more minutes at 375 degrees.

JAM CAKE

3/4 c. butter
1 c. buttermilk
1 c. raisins
1 c. pecans
2 c. sugar
4 c. flour
1 c. blackberry jam or jelly
4 eggs

Visitors In Randol Home

Visitors recently in the home of Ebb Randol of Farwell were Minister Jack Mackey of Amarillo, Friday; Minister John G. Reese of Lubbock, Thursday; and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kellar and children of Huntington Beach, Calif., Tuesday.

Mrs. Kellar (Sharon) was born in Texico. Her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Duncan Williams, now reside in California. The Kellar family also visited with the Grayson Roberts in Texico.

Kirkland Serves As Coordinator For Fellowship

Jack A. Kirkland of Farwell served as coordinator for a Praise The Lord Fellowship at Hale Center over the weekend. Butch Franklin did the preaching at the fellowship.

Other youths attending were Deb Wardlaw, Susan Patschke, Caroline Anderson, Sandra Watkins, Polly Dollar, Mary Hunt, Libby Cavallero, Ray Norton, Lesley Curtis, Leigh Ann Kirkland, Natalie Dollar and Sharon Booth.

1 t. each cinnamon and nutmeg
2 t. soda dissolved in one cup warm water
Cream butter and sugar; add eggs (beaten) and milk. Sift spices and flour together three times. Stir in jam. Add pecans and raisins. Makes four nine-inch layers. Bake 350 degrees for 20 minutes.

FILLING

2 egg yolks
1/2 c. sugar
1 T. butter
1 c. milk
2 T. flour added to sugar
1 c. pecans
Cook as cream filling. Spread filling between layers. Top with your favorite caramel or seven minute frosting.

POT ROAST

3 to 4 pound roast
1 pkg. onion soup mix
1 c. mushroom soup
Brown roast slightly, then pour onion soup mix and mushroom soup on top of roast. Bake at 325 degrees for three hours. Serve with rice.



VCS PROJECT — Mrs. Donald Christian hands a check and order to Rev. W. T. Perry for New Testaments for the Mission Methodist Church at Juarez, Mexico. At the recent Vacation Church School in Hamlin Memorial United Methodist Church, a project was adopted to provide these. Mrs. Christian reports that 75 New Testaments were ordered.

A weekly public service feature from the Texas State Department of Health

Accent on Health

J.E. PEAVY, M.D., Commissioner of Health

When the month of August rolls around, thousands of Texas mothers suddenly realize that only a few more weeks remain until school begins.

Parents with youngsters beginning school for the first time this September look forward to school with a little more excitement, and many mothers whose first-born are going off to school may be a bit bewildered by it all.

In addition to the million-and-one chores that must be performed in getting the youngster ready for school — new shoes, clothes, health examination — most school districts require proof of age for beginning students. A certified copy of a birth certificate is usually requested, reports the Texas State Department of Health.

This fall there will be a quarter-million new first graders in the schools throughout Texas, with the total public school enrollment expected to reach 2.8 million. Continued growth of the school population is expected for the next two to three years, according to the Texas Education Agency.

If you write the Texas State Department of Health, Bureau of Vital Statistics, 410 East Fifth St., Austin, Texas, be sure to: include the child's name, place of birth, date of birth, and the parents' names (including the mother's maiden name.) The State Health Department fee for a certified copy of the birth certificate is \$2.00.

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RETURN OF CHALK AND SLATE? Some psychologists are now theorizing that children may learn to write better if slates are used instead of paper. Smooth paper, the theory goes, doesn't offer enough writing resistance to a child's awkward attempts, so his writing becomes messy and unreadable.

A resulting aversion to writing can lead to difficulties in spelling, reports a psychological team at the Technical University of Aachen, in the Federal Republic of Germany. The team has run tests for two years with 150 children. Results suggest that the old-fashioned slate and a soft slate pencil facilitate learning considerably.

expect to see during the day — a cowboy hat, a cactus, a windmill are examples. When their cards are all filled in, they check off the things they see. The winner is the first person to check off every square.

The "bingo kit" is easy and inexpensive to put together, and is safe for kids to use in a moving car: A couple of art pads from any stationery store (the stiff backings make them easy to prop on a tiny lap), and a box or two of crayons which have no sharp points and are non-toxic.

This will help make a vacation trip or a short jaunt a colorful experience, and will give the youngsters an interesting record of the things they saw.

FUN ON WHEELS: There are few things more challenging to parents than a back seat filled with wrangling, restless youngsters on what is supposed to be a family vacation.

The inevitable tedium of long hours between stops can be countered, however, by diversions that make getting to your destination half the fun. The trick is not to take children's minds off the trip but to put their minds on it.

"Bingo cards" for the road is one of the games children find especially absorbing. They make the cards by ruling boxes on plain sheets of paper, then filling in each box with a drawing of something they

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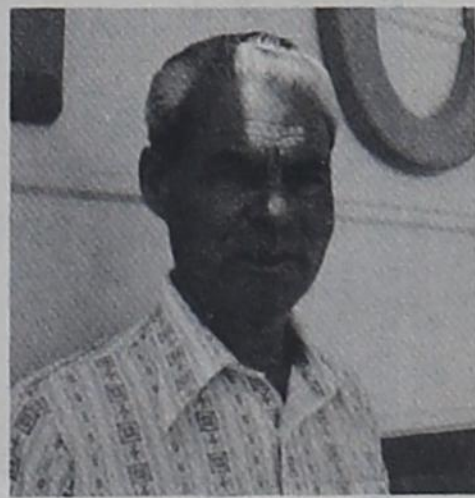
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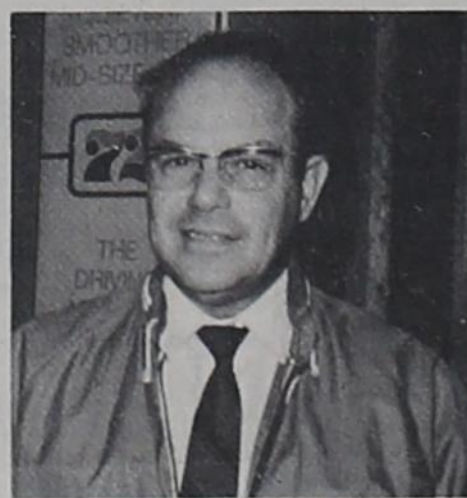
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