

GRAHAM CRACKERS

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We were beginning to feel a little bit self-conscious about jumping onto and poking fun at the professional weathermen, so last week we passed up a chance to gouge them by failing to see the biggest blizzard in 20 years coming.

However, more than anything else during the past week, we have noticed people griping about being inconvenienced in one way or another because they depended on radio and television weather forecasts that proved to be inaccurate.

Several folks say they listened as late as Saturday evening, when the wind was howling and the snow fogging down, without hearing any forecaster suggest that the big blow was likely to last and even get worse as time wore on.

We could rely on our common sense and do a lot better, we sometimes feel. Probably there's nothing as tricky to anticipate as an unseasonal storm like we have just witnessed.

However, with all the money for instruments, and all the data, and all the communication facilities our professional weather bureaucrats have, we'd think they could improve their batting average a little.

We'll match some of our old-timers, who watch the clouds, the winds, and the instinctive behavior of animals, against the best equipped professional meteorologists in the business.

As usual, the city commissioners are on the spot. They are being faced with the problem of what to do about prospects for a swimming pool in Friona. More than anything else, they want to do what the majority of the residents desire.

Street talk at the moment has it that it would be a huge task to raise the money by donation to build a nice pool that would be adequate for the community.

The possibility of paying for the pool with taxes is being considered but not without misgivings. For instance, if the city votes bonds to build the pool, it will have to raise taxes.

Then too, if the city taxpayers pay for the pool, residents of the entire area will benefit from an expense borne by in-city citizens. Of course, nobody begrudges anyone's use of the pool, but an ideal arrangement would be to have as many people share the expense as will likely be benefited by the project.

With the ink hardly dry on the last school bond election, it isn't likely that the school officials would be too hep to call another election to make the pool construction a project of the district.

Also, there's the matter of location, with some boosters favoring the old fairgrounds, and some, other spots in the city. In fact, the entire idea is a pretty knotty problem.

The city commissioners want to find out what the people think. Within the next week, The Star is going to try to help them find out. Won't you please cooperate with your opinions and suggestions. After all, it's your pool, and your money, that's being worried over.

A few individuals have already invested a lot of time and work and worry in the plan, and they have hit not a few roadblocks. Let's don't tear down what's already been done, but let's help solve this dilemma by letting the most powerful force in America speak: public opinion.

The election Tuesday proved to be interesting in several respects. The almost evenly divided vote in Friona between Dies and Yarborough did not surprise us too greatly, but some of the other precincts did.

"Pendegast" Moten of the Bovina Blade streamrollered our favorite man, Martin Dies, 111 to 30 in that box. In fact, if something had happened to the Bovina returns, that one box out of the eight in the county would have made Parmer County pro-Dies.

Yarborough was expected to sew up the rural vote, but we see that he got his ears pinned back at Black. Turning the coin over, though, he smothered Dies at Lazbuddie.

We were afraid that because Friona had no city election tied in with the special senate vote, a light turn-out might hold the key to the county outcome. However, with Yarborough and Dies so evenly divided here, it doesn't look as if it made any difference.

We bet Jake Lamb will be surprised to see how many Republicans he has running around his nose, to judge from the third-running candidate, Thad Hutcheson.

Those Republican ballots aren't from "turn-coat" Democrats, Jake. Us rebels voted for Dies.

Deposits Show Increase

An improvement over the financial condition of the community and the Friona trade territory was reflected in the statement of condition released by Friona State Bank this week, closing out the first quarter of business in 1957.

Deposits now total around \$3,131,000, compared with about \$2,650,000 at the same time one year ago. Charles Allen, cashier at the bank, says this is mainly because of improved crop conditions last year, plus some increase in the price of grain sorghums.

Loans are now about \$1,011,000, compared with \$904,000 in 1956. That also tied in with agriculture, believes the bank official, and primarily represents a large investment in fertilizer for the coming crop year.

Like Texas, Parmer Okays Yarborough For Senate

VOTE BY PRECINCTS

| | Fri. | Far. | Bov. | Laz. | O.L. | Lkv. | Rh. | Blk. | Ab. | Tot. |
|------------|------|------|------|------|------|------|-----|------|-----|------|
| Yarborough | 98 | 41 | 111 | 55 | 22 | 11 | 5 | 11 | 2 | 354 |
| Dies | 103 | 74 | 30 | 27 | 19 | 11 | 5 | 25 | 2 | 294 |
| Hutcheson | 61 | 28 | 25 | 13 | 7 | 2 | 3 | 9 | 0 | 148 |
| Bracewell | 6 | 30 | 29 | 2 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 71 |
| White | 11 | 0 | 5 | 14 | 0 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 28 |
| Adams | 0 | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 5 |
| Hart | 3 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 4 |
| Orms | 0 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 |
| Foerster | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Antoine | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |
| Hammonds | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 |

Parmer County voters went to the polls Tuesday and helped to elect Ralph Yarborough to his first major political office. It was the first time that the Austin Democrat carried the county in an election. He previously lost three times in the governor's race.

The county story: Yarborough compiled a total of 354 votes, followed by Martin Dies, 294; Thad Hutcheson, 148; Searcy Bracewell, 71; John White, 28; Elmer Adams, 5; James P. Hart, 4; Clyde R. Orms, 2; C. O. Foerster Jr., 1; and H. J. Antoine, 1.

Strongholds for Yarborough in the county were Bovina and Lazbuddie. Bovina gave Yarborough a 111-30 margin over Dies, and Lazbuddie went 55-27 in his favor. Until the Bovina box reported, the last one to do so, Dies was leading by a 266-245 margin over Yarborough.

Both the top candidates carried three boxes in the county, and in two, plus the absentee votes, they finished in a tie. Yarborough boxes were Bovina, Lazbuddie, and Oklahoma Lane and those favoring Dies were Farwell, Friona, and Black. Rhea and Lakeview gave each a like number and the four absentee ballots had both receiving two.

A total of 11 candidates copied votes from county precincts but other than the top four, who received organized backing in the county, the votes were light. Farwell gave the largest number of candidates votes, casting ballots for nine.

In Friona, the county's largest box Dies eked out a win over the Austin attorney, compiling 103 votes. Yarborough had 98. The close margin there, along with the Bovina landslide gave Yarborough the edge.

The county vote was considered average for this type of election. Over 900 ballots were cast which included about half of the qualified voters. City elections in Bovina and Farwell helped the turnout, but Friona's was lighter than it would have been, had there been a city election.

Meeting Begins At Church of Christ

Announcement has been made of a gospel meeting which will begin at the Church of Christ at Tenth and Euclid Streets Sunday, April 7 at 10:30 a. m. Dell Young of Spur will be the speaker.

Services will be held twice daily through Sunday, April 14, at 10:30 a. m. and 7:45 p. m. The public is invited to attend these services.

Minister Accepts Call At Baptist Church

Word was received in Friona this week that Rev. L. A. Sartain of Sundown has accepted the call of the First Baptist Church in Friona to serve in the capacity of pastor.

Rev. Sartain was to be present at the Wednesday evening prayer service to formally make his acceptance.

TO PRINCIPALS MEET

Tom Jarboe and Kenneth Fields, elementary and grade school principals of Friona Schools, will be in Austin next week attending a principal's conference. The two educators will leave Friona on Wednesday and will return Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rector were Monday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rector and sons.

Talent Show Pushed

The Friona Lions Club variety and talent show, scheduled for Friday night, April 26, in the school auditorium, began to take shape this week, as club committee members worked on details.

John Lamb and Charles Allen visited Matador, where a similar project is being undertaken, to get some ideas. They report that the show this year will feature some of the some brand of entertainment that was exhibited in last year's "Law West of the Pecos" production.

Amateur talent from the area will be the feature of the show, but the Lions plan to throw in plenty of gags to keep the show alive and kicking, they say this week.

Over \$300 in prizes will help lure amateurs to the show, believe Joe Ferrell and Wes Long, who are in charge of signing up talent. They urge that anyone interested in participating get in touch with them.

Tickets are being printed, and advance sales will begin probably late next week. The local auditorium, with seating capacity of 1000, is expected to be filled by the ambitious Lions members.

Two Injured In Well Drilling Accident

One man received serious injuries and another one was less seriously hurt in a well drilling accident on the Leonard Haws farm east of town Monday afternoon about 5:30. At the time of the accident the drill stem was being lifted up so that a joint of pipe could be put into the hole.

Sonny Weaks became pinned beneath the drill stem and called to Waymon Wilkins to get him out. In trying to free Weaks, Wilkins became entangled in the cat line and was twisted in the rope by both his feet and arms. Upon hearing the confusion Bill Bandy ran to turn off the motor, but before he reached the machine the engine died.

Weaks and Wilkins were taken to Parmer County Community Hospital, by Leonard Haws, George Reed, and Bill Bandy, and given emergency treatment. Several stitches were taken to close a gash in Weak's head, then he was dismissed. Wilkins was moved to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo by Claborn Funeral home Ambulance.

Upon admittance to the Amarillo hospital, Wilkins underwent surgery on his left arm. The bone was broken in four places and it was cut and bruised by the rope. Latest reports indicate that his condition is satisfactory. Weaks, Wilkins, and Bandy are employees of Adams Drilling Company in Friona.

Dale Hill Leases New Fulks Building

Announcement was made this week by J. V. "Smiley" Fulks that he has leased his new cafe building to Dale Hill of Amarillo. The building is now being completed, and ties in with the new addition to Smiley's Courts on Highway 60 in Friona.

Hill, who is married and has a 16-year-old son, is now working at Vega, but plans to move here as soon as the equipment for the building arrives and is installed.

The Hills' furniture has already been moved into a rent house in Friona.

To be known as Hill's Cafe, the new business will seat about 48 persons. It will be new throughout.

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THE FRIONA



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May Sponsor Series Of Spanish Classes

Provided enough interest is shown, the Friona Star and Claborn Furniture will sponsor an eight-week course in Spanish for Friona residents in the immediate future.

A meeting, to be at 8 o'clock Friday (tomorrow) evening in the city hall, will determine whether the series will be undertaken. Ben Vera of Floydada, who is now conducting classes in Dimmitt, will be at the meeting. He will explain details of the educational program.

With the increase in recent years of the number of persons in the community from time to time who speak only Spanish, plus the natural curiosity to learn that most residents feel about their south-of-the-border neighbors, W. H. Graham Jr. of the Star has appealed to all who are interested to take advantage of the opportunity to take the lessons.

"However," he said, "we aren't going to fiddle around any. If the people want to learn to speak Spanish, we'll have the classes. If not, we won't attempt the project on a half-hearted basis."

A charge of \$1 per lesson will be made, and the frequency and

times of the lessons will be determined at the meeting, where it will be attempted to keep the schedules in conformity with whatever will be convenient for the greatest number.

The Friday night meeting will not be instructional. It simply will be a time to determine if there will be classes, and if so, then when. "There isn't any obligation, and we urge you to come and find out about this opportunity," says Graham.



Tila Rue Hester

Local Girl Becomes Graduate Anesthetist

Graduate exercises for the anesthetist class at Harris Hospital in Fort Worth were held recently at the hospital. One of the four members of the graduating class was a Friona girl. She is Tila Rue Day Hester, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Day.

Mrs. Hester was a graduate nurse before she entered the School of Anesthesia at Harris. These graduates have completed 18 months of special training. There are only two such schools in Texas.

Following her graduation, Mrs. Hester will return to Sherman, where she has made her home for several years. She will be employed at Community Hospital at Sherman, from which she took a leave of absence in order to become an anesthetist.

INJURES FINGER

Mrs. Joe Brummett received a broken bone and cuts and bruises on the index finger of her right hand Saturday afternoon when it became entangled in the beater of an electric mixer. Several stitches were taken to close the cuts. She was given emergency treatment at the Parmer County Community Hospital, then released.

School Voting Saturday

D. C. Herring and Hoyt Smith, whose terms expire this year as trustees for the Friona School District, will be up for re-election in Saturday's school election.

They are unopposed, and in the absence of an organized write-in campaign, their re-election is virtually taken for granted, Herring is now serving as president of the board.

Others on the board who are not up for re-election or replacement this year are Paul Fortenberry, Fern Barnett, Hadley Reeve, Arthur Drake, and Cordie Potts.

Terms are for two years. Voting will be at the school house.

Also up for re-election to the county board of school trustees is J. L. "Jim" Shaffer, who also is unopposed. Voters of commissioners' precinct No. 1 will participate in this election.

At Friona, ballots will be cast at the school, at Black the community house, at Rhea the parish hall, at Lakeview Otho Whitefield's, and at Lazbuddie the school.

LAKEVIEW FARMER INJURED

Loy Loafman, farmer in the Lakeview community, was painfully injured while repairing a windmill at his home Wednesday afternoon. A gear fell from the top of the tower and struck his head. Several stitches were required to close the gash and he was hospitalized until Thursday afternoon.

TO FORT HOOD

Mr. and Mrs. John Burrow and LaVoyce went to Fort Hood over the weekend to visit their son and brother, Johnny, who is stationed there.

City Meet Features Variety

The city commission meeting Monday night at the city hall was a veritable variety show, with the city dads discussing such deep and shallow subjects as police cars, police help, insurance, water rates, swimming pools, and stray dogs.

The meeting was begun with talk about an item City Clerk Roy Wilson had included in this year's city budget: a car for the police department.

The city now pays mileage on private cars. Wilson pointed out that the city now has "everything it takes" to properly equip a police car, and that the cost of such a vehicle, new, would be about \$1700.

After a discussion on the pros and cons of owning versus renting autos, the commission, which included Mayor A. W. Anthony, Oscar Baxter, and J. G. McFarland, decided to talk with dealers to see how much it will cost to buy a new car and trade it in each year. They are seeking a "flat" fee to arrive at a reasonably accurate figure on yearly cost.

Chas. Lovelace, county sheriff,

was a visitor to the meeting, and made inquiry of the commission, saying he sought to "find out where we stand" on city-county law enforcement matters.

The recent termination by the city of a partnership arrangement that utilized one officer on a part-time basis for both enforcement agencies had left the county with a part-time deputy in Friona and no city-employed officer on days.

The sheriff asked the commission if they would consider rehiring Deputy Jim Roberts as a part-time city officer. The commission took no action, but members and the sheriff agreed on the mutual need for cooperation between the two agencies.

"You look around and see if you can find someone we all agree on," was Mayor Anthony's suggestion.

Eric Rushing, local insurance agent, also called on the commissioners. He made an appeal for a part of the city's insurance policies.

McFarland was first to comment favorably on his request. "I think

we ought to distribute this insurance to the taxpayers—we ought to pass it around some," he said.

Insurance held by the city is now written by Ethridge-Spring Agency.

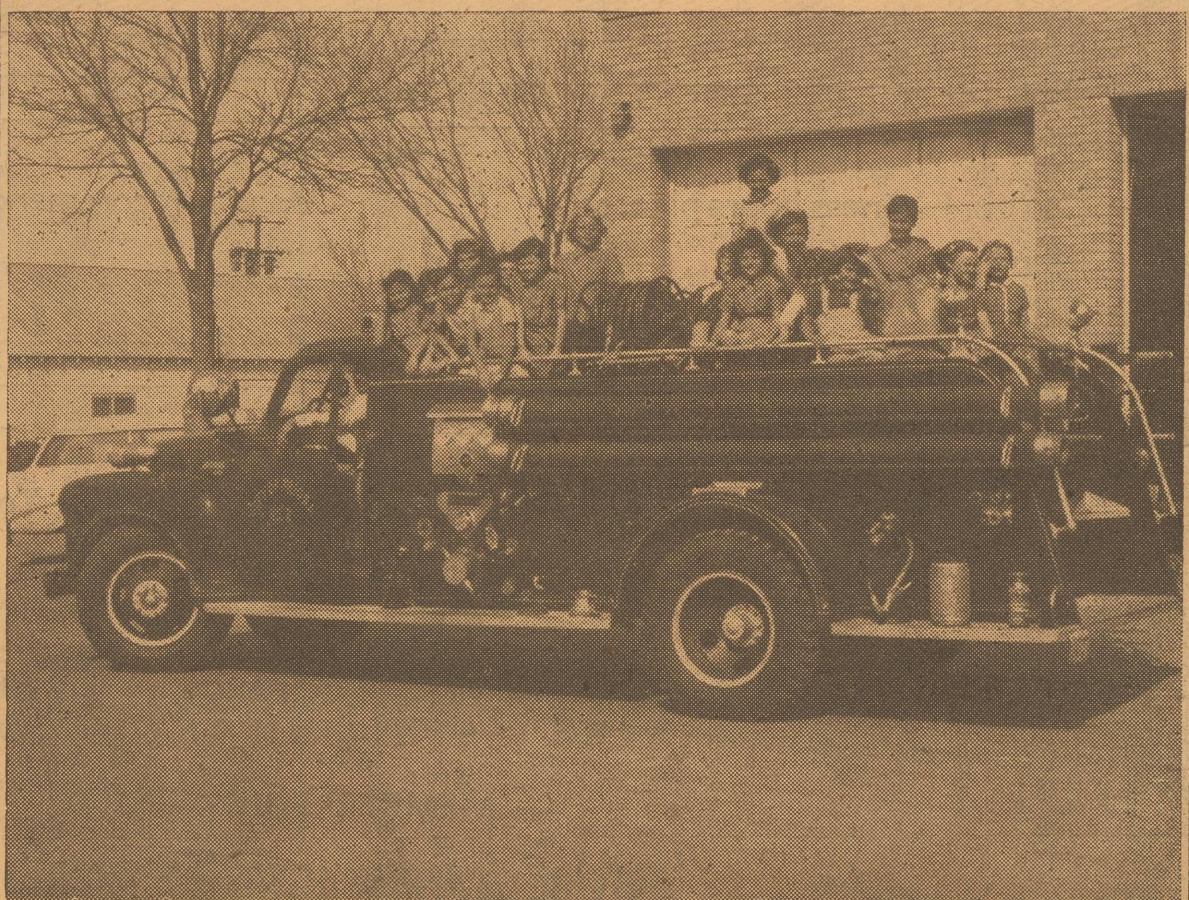
Mayor Anthony said, "If we're not going to show any favors, we're going to have to let all our agents write some." There are 10 or more agents in the community.

McFarland said, "Dan (Ethridge) has sure given the city wonderful service, but I think we ought to divide up with some of the others."

Clerk Wilson checked and reported that six policies will expire this year. The first, which will be April 16, was awarded to Rushing Insurance Agency. It was for a premium of \$59.50.

The commission took under study water rates of the city, after a request by the Friona Chamber of Commerce that they investigate the rate being charged large users. This request had been made after an inquiry from one of the owners of the potato shed in Friona, who compared rates charged here with

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FIRETRUCK RIDERS — This group of Brownies got a big bang out of the Monday afternoon ride on the big city fire truck. Although the day was windy, they all hated for the ride to end. At the wheel is Roy Wilson, city clerk.

THE STAR'S EDITORIAL COMMENT

Write Them Now

Most of the time, residents of cities the size of Friona take little or no interest in national affairs. This is easily understood, inasmuch as it just about takes all a person's time to provide for himself and his family's needs, without worrying about the state of the nation.

However, it is pure foolishness to ignore the profound effect that policies laid down in Washington have on our daily lives. While we cannot hope to keep abreast of current national events as though we were ourselves a member of congress, it nonetheless behooves us to have some inkling of what's going on in the nation's capital.

The Star would like to remind you that the present administration proposes to spend over 70 billions of dollars this year in the biggest, most grandiose spending spree ever launched in peaceable times. A Republican administration, charged with economy in government, is poised in preparedness for launching a tax-gobbling program that almost eludes the imagination. Our 1957 budget is one that has "something in it for everybody," including a sizeable cuff to the ears of the "sap citizens" as Will Harrison calls us, who pay

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the taxes for such programs.

If government spending is ever to be curbed, it must be now. To allow the federal planners to ram such a proposal down our throats at a time of relative peace and prosperity will only pave the way for bigger and wilder schemes in the years to come.

More than likely, you haven't written your senator or congressman in some time. For the benefit of your family's future, for the benefit of Friona, for the benefit of the nation, we urge you to join in casting a vote against government extravagance on the national level. Your legislators are awaiting word from you. This is one of the rare moments in history where a few positive words from the "grassroots" can make a real difference.

Friona Meets Quota

Friona workers this week reported they have completed a drive for the USO, and have raised \$170 locally for that cause.

Frank Spring, county USO chairman, says the county goal is \$400 but that he has not heard from other communities on results there as yet.

Working here were Spring, Joe Ferrell, Wright Williams, and J. C. Claborn.

Spring noted that this is the first time that such a drive has been conducted in Friona since during the war.

Warren Embree and R. W. Anderson are chairmen at Bovina and Farwell, respectively.

Three Permits Issued During Past Week

Three building permits were issued by the City of Friona during the past week. The first went to Danny Mack Balnum for a new frame and brick veneer residence at 316 West 14th in the Lakeside Addition. The 53x37 home is estimated to cost \$12,000.

Roy Williams was issued permits for walks and drives at two houses at 1003 and 1005 West 5th Street. Estimated cost is \$400.

F. H. Hadley obtained a permit to repair a roof on his house at 604 East 8th. Wiley and Hall contractors, estimate the cost to be \$100.

Travis Mayer of Wichita, Kansas, returned home Saturday after spending several days in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wooley and sons in the Hub community. Mayer is Mrs. Wooley's brother.

Annual Meeting Draws Large Crowd

The annual meeting of the Friona Consumers Company at the American Legion hall Saturday afternoon was well attended. Tom Jones and Wayne Briggs of Southern Farm Supply at Amarillo were out-of-town guests.

Following the business meeting, during which T. E. Lovett and George A. Jones were elected directors, a group discussion was held and Tom Jones served as presiding officer.

Refreshments of doughnuts and coffee were served to the 75 persons who attended. Attendance gifts were \$35 to Jim Mears, \$10 to Mrs. H. A. Hyde, and \$5 to B. C. Day. Buddy Lloyd, manager, states, "It was a very good meeting. The attendance was the largest I remember in recent years, and we appreciate the interest shown."

Water Extensions Underway in City

Improvements to the municipal water system are now being made by city employees.

These improvements are taking the form of extensions into areas not formerly served by the city waterworks. A 600-foot 2-inch steel line is being run north on Walnut Avenue from 12th to 14th Streets, to serve the Hughes Nursery.

Also, a line is being run from April to Walnut Avenue on 9th Street, a distance of 300 feet. This cast iron 2-inch pipe will serve the Pete Buske rental property in eastern Friona.

Demonstration Well Attended

About 50 persons registered for the washer and dryer demonstration which was given at Vestal-Brewer Hardware Monday afternoon. A combination washer-dryer and conventional washer and dryer were demonstrated by Evelyn Brown and Deann Cowley, home economists for Southwestern Public

Service Company. They were assisted by Roy Armstrong of Nunn Electric Company and Tom Hart of Southwestern Public Service Company.

Loyde Brewer presented the treasurer of each home demonstration club in the vicinity 25 cents for each member and guest who registered for the club. Mrs. Elmer Oldham received an ice cream dipper, Mrs. Luther was given a set of measuring spoons, and a set of jello molds was given to Mrs. J. T. Sims.

New Residents

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Chester are some of Friona's newest residents. The Chesters moved into Mrs. Kinsley's apartment from Sudan. Chester is a partner in the Chester-Fleming Gin, formerly North Plains Gin, here.

Dr. and Mrs. John Freeman, Johnny and Susan were weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Magness and Jacquelyn.

Friona Band Takes Part In Festival

Friona's high school band was in Borger last Thursday participating in the Borger Band Festival. The local band, under the direction of J. D. Fry, received a first division rating in sight reading and a second division rating in concert.

The ratings received by Friona were the highest given to schools of Friona's size, Fry says. Many of the ratings given other Class A schools were third and fourth division.

Friona's 71-piece band was entered in competition with about 18 other schools.

Guest From Colorado

Mervyn Cooper of Lamar, Colorado, was a Monday night guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Martin. The Calvin Martins and their guests, and the Larry Martins were supper guests in the Clarence Martin home.

What's Doin' In Friona

Thursday, April 4, 1957

Hub HD Club meets with Helen Fallwell
Friona Firemen
Parmerton HD Club

Friday, April 5

Rhea Farm Bureau
Visitation Day at Beene Kindergarten 10 to 11 a. m.
County spelling bee at Friona
Friona preschool visitation day for first graders of 1957-58.
Spanish class meeting, City Hall

Saturday, April 6

Friona school board election
Lazbuddie school board election
Drawing at City Park at 3:30
Rainbow Girls bake sale at Piggly Wiggly

Sunday, April 7

Gospel meeting begins at Euclid Avenue Church of Christ

Monday, April 8

Boy Scouts meet at Scout hut
Friona Eastern Star

Tuesday, April 9

Progressive Study Club
Baptist Brotherhood

Wednesday, April 10

Friona Woman's Club

Ladies Bible Class, Sixth Street Church of Christ, 10 a. m.

Thursday, April 11

Friona Lions Club
Lakeview HD Club

Friday, April 12

Parmer County Annual Junior Livestock Show
Rhea pie supper

CARD OF THANKS

Words cannot express our sincere thanks to all of you, our friends and neighbors, for your many many kindnesses during our recent bereavement. We wish to say "thanks" for the beautiful flowers. We feel that they are a tribute to Pa's memory. To all of you who were so thoughtful in coming and bringing food, we feel grateful. Your thoughtfulness to us will always be a pleasant memory and has made our grief lighter.

Mrs. Charlie Holmgren
Mrs. Marie Sanders and family
Charles and Isabelle Holmgren

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Binghams Return

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Bingham returned home Tuesday afternoon after making a trip to Lansing, Michigan, to accept delivery of a new car. The Binghams had been gone about ten days.

Out-Of-County Attendance Listed

Out of the county people here to attend the funeral of W. M. Lloyd last week were: Mr. and Mrs. Lester Smith of Clarendon, Mrs. K. F. Smith and son of Halfway, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith of Dimmitt, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Ryals and sons of Anton, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Free of Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Kelley of Childress, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kelley and daughter of Clovis, and Mr. and Mrs. Albert Kelley of Childress;

Also, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brand of Clovis, Louis Robards of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Casey Adams of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hartsfield of Amarillo, Mrs. Clyde Hinkle of Floydada, Mrs. Eva Taylor of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Noel Teague of Melrose, Mrs. Dollie Emert and son of Floydada, and Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hawkins of Muleshoe;

Also, Callie, Duane, and Shirley Lloyd of Muleshoe, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lloyd and children of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. O'Hair of Lubbock, Rev. and Mrs. Tommie Allen of Ralls, and Don Lloyd of Lubbock.

Swimming Pool Funds Enlarged

The young people of the Black community sponsored a pie supper at the community house Monday evening. The Trebelaires, accompanied by Mrs. Eva Miller, sang several songs. Tom Gee and Danny Douglas also sang several numbers.

Bill Flippin was the auctioneer. The entire amount of the proceeds was \$321.95. This money will be given to the swimming pool fund for Friona.

Moseleys Return

Mr. and Mrs. David Moseley returned home Wednesday afternoon from Mineola, where they had been for the past three weeks. They were called to the bedside of Moseley's brother, whose condition is much improved. The Moseleys also visited Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Sanders and Mr. and Mrs. Buford Taylor, former Friona residents.

WRESTLING

First Event:

Dizzy Davis vs The Great Bolo
2 out of 3 falls or 1 hour time limit

Main Event:

World Championship Match—
Slave Girl Moolah (World Champion) vs Betty Grable (Challenger)
2 out of 3 falls or 90 minute time limit

Sponsored by Hereford Lion's Club

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Saturday, April 6, 8:30 p.m.

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Can you suggest any additional services we should perform?

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Friona State Bank

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Group Spends Evening In Clovis

Tuesday evening of last week, Lavon Fleming, Carolyn Crump, Janet Snead, Jan Edelman, Paula Neel, Margaret Mabry, Elaine Holcomb, Geneva Floyd, Robbie Boggess, and Betty Barnett went to Clovis for dinner and attended a show.

They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Boggess, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Fleming, and Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. John Aduddell and daughters of the Pleasant Valley community in Lamb County were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Skinner.

Mrs. Ida Merrill has been visiting her brother and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Gray, at Snyder. She returned home early this week.

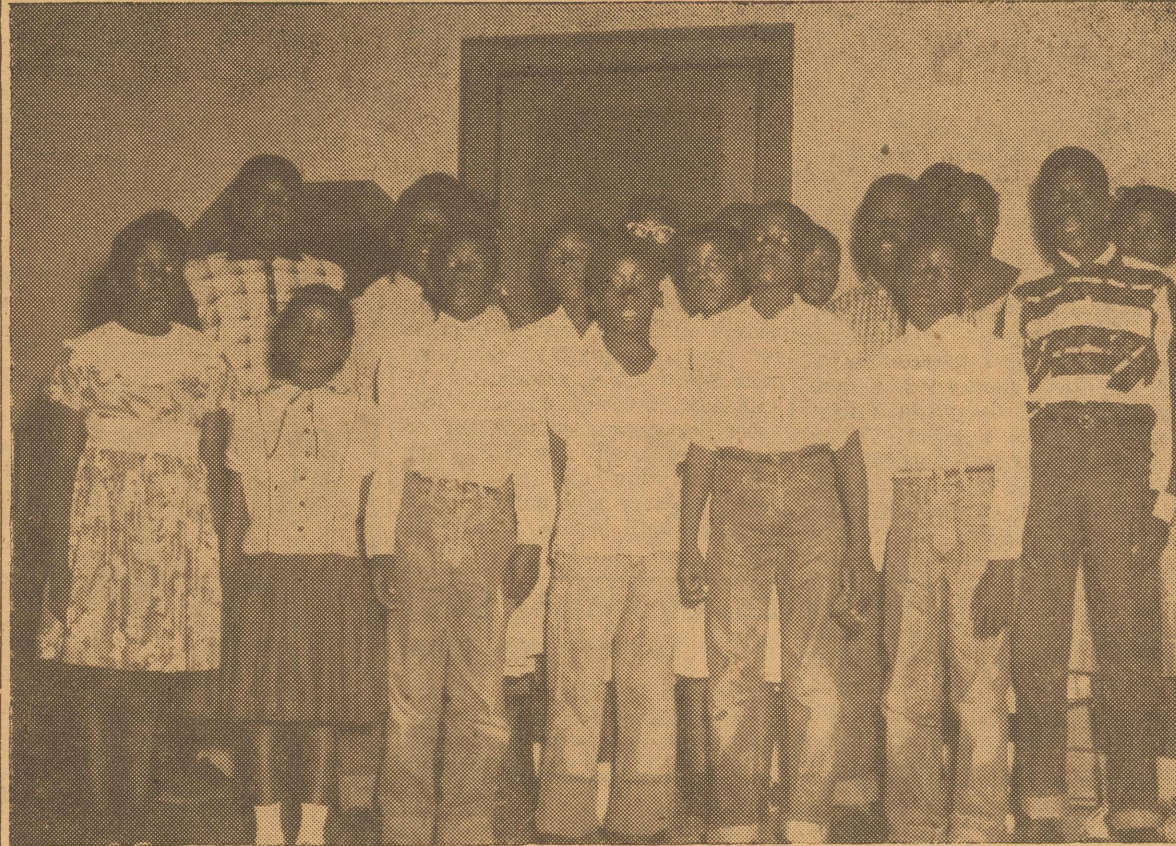
Billy Sides, M. J. Stacy, Mac McMurry, and Bill Wooley returned Sunday night from a fishing trip to Langtree on the Rio Grande river.

Deann Buske, who is a student at Texas Tech, spent Saturday night with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Buske.

Mr. and Mrs. F. R. King and son, Dean, of Gainesville were weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Roberts.

HOG PRICES HIGHER

Hog prices in 1957 will be well above the early 1956 lows, and except for seasonal fluctuations, should continue higher than last year's prices, says John G. McHaney, extension economist. Little hope, however, is held for any major uptrend in either cattle or sheep prices during the year.



PRESENT PROGRAM — These boys and girls, students at the Muleshoe colored school, presented an entertaining program to the Friona Lions Club Thursday evening. The children were under the direction of Mrs. Christene Raven.

PRODUCTION CUT

Cotton diseases are estimated to have cut cotton production in Texas during the past five years by more than 2,000,000 bales. Seeding diseases are credited with about 20 percent of the losses. Angular leaf spot or bacterial blight, root rot, boll rots, fusarium wilt, root knot, verticillium wilt, nematodes and rust are listed by Extension Plant Pathologist Harlan Smith as other diseases of great economic importance.

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of youngsters; and scissors, pins and sharp tools are no good as playthings for children.

Entomologists of the Texas Extension Service have recently released a new guide on controlling household pests. The publication is L-311 and is available from the offices of county extension agents or from the Agricultural Information Office, College Station, Texas.

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Chiefs Finish Close Third In District

Friona's Chiefs came close to the district track championship at Farwell last Saturday, but coming in behind Sudan and Farwell in the final event, the Chiefs had to settle for third place in a three-way scramble for the conference crown.

When all the points had been tallied, the standings in the meet saw Farwell, 45; Sudan 44½; and Friona, 43½. Morton had 12 and Springlake had 9. Going into the final events, the mile relay, the Friona squad trailed Farwell by only one-half point for the top spot. Sudan won the mile relay, so they shot ahead of the Chiefs into second place.

It was an exceptionally close meet in many respects, and Friona competitors brought home four blue ribbons, the same number as did Farwell and Sudan. Winning first place for Friona was Sterling Pritchard in the mile, Phillip Weatherly in the high jump and high hurdles; and Weldon Fairchild in the half mile.

Weatherly came in second to

Farwell's David Willard for top individual of the day, totaling 13 points. Willard rolled up 14½. Along with his two first places, Weatherly won third in the shot and fourth in the low hurdles.

Individuals placing first or second in each event will represent this district in the regional meet at Lubbock next week.

As this was the first meet under a new district setup, all first place times heights, and distances, will be records.

The complete results of the meet:

The complete results of the meet: 880-YARD RUN — Fairchild, Friona; Hardage, Farwell; Shannon, Sudan; May, Sudan. 2:15.3. 220-YARD DASH — Willard, Farwell; Hillock, Farwell; London, Friona; Woods, Morton. 23.2.

MILE RUN — Pritchard, Friona; Jesko, Farwell; Gatrigh, Morton; Testerman, Sudan. 5:11.9.

120-YARD HIGH HURDLES — Weatherly, Friona; Bartley, Sudan; Truax, Friona; Flanagan, Morton. 16.0.

100-YARD DASH — Willard, Farwell; Hillock, Farwell; London, Friona; Thompson, Morton. 10:4. 440-YARD DASH — Williams, Sudan; Garner, Farwell; Fisher, Sudan; Gore, Sudan. 53.9.

180-YARD LOW HURDLES — Pike, Farwell; tie for second, Ballard and Bartley, Sudan; Weatherly, Friona. 22:0.

POLE VAULT — Graves, Sudan; Massey, Friona; Dick, Sudan; Goetz, Friona. 10' 6".

SHOT PUT — Leonhart, Springlake; McMahan, Friona; Weatherly, Friona; Murrell, Springlake. 42

feet. BROAD JUMP — Thompson, Morton; Willard, Farwell; Bartley, Sudan; Chiles, Friona. 21' 8". DISCUS — Bartley, Sudan; Murrell, Springlake; Lovelace, Farwell; McMahan, Friona. 110 feet. HIGH JUMP — Weatherly, Friona; Humphrey, Sudan; tie for third and fourth, Lovelace, Farwell; Reid, Farwell; Massey, Friona. 5' 8¾".

440-YARD RELAY — Farwell, Friona, Sudan, Springlake. 46.9. MILE RELAY — Sudan, Farwell, Friona, Morton. 3:43.7.

Points were distributed on a 5-3-2-1 basis.

Spencer Charged With Kidnapping

Robert Spencer, 20, of Arizona, was arrested near Friona Sunday afternoon and charged with kidnapping. He allegedly picked up a 14-year-old Friona girl Saturday afternoon, keeping her out most of the night. The girl was returned to her home unharmed, say county officers.

The arrest was made by Jim Roberts, Parmer County deputy sheriff, about 4 p.m. Sunday. The case has been bound over to the grand jury by Justice of Peace J. R. Thornton. Spencer's bond was set at \$2,000.

Visit Relatives

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sides were hosts to a fish fry in their home Monday evening. Sides went fishing last weekend on the Rio Grande.

Guests were Mr. and Mrs. I. T. Graves and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Rector and sons, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rector and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Lindeman and children.

HOSPITALIZED AT HEREFORD

Mrs. John Wright, who underwent surgery at the Deaf Smith County Hospital at Hereford Monday of last week, is still hospitalized but expects to return to her home northeast of town late this week.

NOTES FROM THE Hospital

ADMITTED—Mrs. Dave Dawkins, o. b., Bovina; S. S. Sheek, medical, Friona; Mrs. Leroy Blaylock, o. b., Friona; Mrs. Johnny Dawkins, o. b., Bovina; Mrs. Y. B. Mayfield, medical, Muleshoe; Loy Loanman, accident, Friona; Gasper Arroyo, medical, Friona; Mr. R. A. Cargile, surgical, Friona; Mrs. Leslie Venable, medical, Bovina; Mrs. J. E. Williams, medical, Lazbuddie; Joe Douglas, medical, Friona; Mrs. Frank Reed, o. b., Friona; Mrs. Lorene Dean, medical, Friona; Mrs. Ida Merrill, medical, Friona; W. A. Tritsch, medical, Bovina; Mrs. L. B. Blake, medical, Friona;

DISMISSED—Debra Baxter, Mrs. H. D. Blythe, S. S. Sheek, Loy

Loanman, Mary Ruth Weaver, Mrs. Y. B. Mayfield, Mrs. Dave Dawkins, Mrs. Leroy Blaylock and baby, Mrs. Johnny Dawkins and baby; Mrs. Leslie Venable.

Judge Bills To Be In Farwell Monday

District Judge E. A. Bills will be in Farwell Monday, beginning a new term of court in Parmer County. On tap for the judge are several non-jury criminal cases and possibly some civil cases, reports Sheriff Chas. Lovelace.

Usually, both grand and petit juries are summoned with the beginning of each new term, but since they were called just a short time ago, they will not be called up again until needed, the sheriff says.

County Spelling Bee Here Tomorrow, 1 p.m.

Friona is the site of the Parmer County Spelling Bee which is scheduled to get underway tomorrow at

1 p. m. Schools to be on hand for the event are Farwell, Lazbuddie, and Bovina.

Each school will have three representatives in both the fifth and sixth grade and the seventh and eighth grade divisions. The county champion from each group will participate in the regional bee at Amarillo on April 27.

From there, the top speller in the seventh and eighth grade division will go on to Washington, D. C., for the national contest.

Representing Friona in the sen-

ior division will be Janet Smith, Donna Blackburn, and Jim Carl Lillard. In the junior division will be Iva Ben Parr, Gary Morrison, and Andrea Milligan.

The representatives were determined in contests at the school Tuesday, says Kenneth Fields, who is in charge of the bee.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Vestal Jr. and daughters and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rector and children were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Rector.



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Friona Wins Honors In Junior Division

In the two junior divisions of the district track meet last weekend, Friona and Farwell each rolled up a championship. In the junior high school division, Friona won easily, recording 42 points, Farwell had 22½, Morton had 19½, and Springlake and Sudan each had 2.

In the grade school division, Farwell amassed 35 points. It was followed by Friona, 28 1/3; Sudan, 21 1/3; Springlake, 3; and Morton, 3.

Top individual performer in the junior high division was K. Carter, who totaled 14½ points. J. F. Mounts of Farwell was the leading point-getter in grade school racking up 13.

The complete results in the junior high division:

BROAD JUMP—Brooks, Friona; Bradley, Friona; Ray, Friona; Ellis, Springlake. 17' 9¼".

HIGH JUMP—McDorman, Farwell; tie for 2nd, Bradley, Friona; Rundell, Farwell; and Ray, Friona. 4' 8".

SHOT PUT—Nairn, Morton; Bradley, Friona; Hughes, Farwell;

Carter, Friona. 42 feet.

CHINNING—Cruse, Farwell; Carter, Friona; Hardage, Farwell; Burleson, Farwell. 32 times.

50-YARD DASH—Nairn, Morton; Jackson, Friona; Fisher, Sudan; Miller, Morton. 6:0.

100-YARD DASH—Carter, Friona; Nairn, Morton; Miller, Morton; tie for fourth, Willingham, Morton; and Curtis, Farwell. 11:0.

75-YARD DASH—Carter, Friona; McDorman, Farwell; Brooks, Friona; Ray, Friona. 8:45.

440-YARD RELAY—Friona, Morton, Farwell, Springlake. 49:8.

GRADE SCHOOL

HIGH JUMP—Huggins, Farwell; Williams, Farwell; Dial, Farwell; tie for fourth, Chiles, Friona; Tucker, Morton; and Lynch, Sudan. 4' 9".

SHOT PUT—McCarty, Sudan; Mounts, Farwell; Fererick, Friona; Hadaway, Springlake. 36' 2".

BROAD JUMP—Claborn, Friona; Rudd, Sudan; Huggins, Farwell; Lovelace, Farwell. 18' 3½".

CHINNING—O w e n s , Farwell;

Galvan, Sudan; Outland, Friona; Smart, Farwell. 35 times.

50-YARD DASH—tie for first, Claborn and Sanders, Friona; Rudd, Sudan; Lovelace, Farwell. 6:2.

100-YARD DASH—Mounts, Farwell; West, Sudan; Rankin, Friona; Fererick, Friona. 11:6.

75-YARD DASH—Mounts, Farwell; Rankin, Friona; West, Sudan; Tunnell, Springlake. 9:05.

440-YARD RELAY—Friona, Sudan, Farwell, Springlake. 52:65.

Classes Have Joint Meeting

Members of the Homemakers Class of the First Baptist Church entertained members of the Ruth Class with a party in the home of Betty Jo Talley Monday evening. Co-hostesses with Mrs. Talley were Odie Claborn and Thelma Ruth Shelton.

The opening prayer was led by Gertrude Murphee. Betty Jo Talley led the group in playing three games, then Tacy Smith gave the devotional. The entertaining rooms were decorated with spring flowers and the color scheme of yellow and green was carried out in the refreshments.

Yellow cake and lime punch were served to Tacy Smith, Mattie Faye Crow, Waneta Taylor, Gertrude Murphee, Bernice Massey, Gertrude Renner, Flossie Bales, Sallie Cole, Neoma Oldham, Wilma Carroll, Estelle Jones, Naomi Stephens, Pauline Castleberry, Zula Carlton, Movelda Fortenberry, Lorena Wood, Frances White, Tress Tannahill, Jerry Sherrieb, and the hostesses.

CARD OF THANKS

To each and everyone of you, our friends, neighbors, doctors, nurses, and the whole hospital staff, we take this means of saying "thank you" for your help, food, words of encouragement, flowers, and cards during the illness and death of our beloved husband, father, grandfather, and brother. May God bless each of you is our prayer.

The Lloyd family

Club Members Hear Reports

Several interesting reports were given at the Wednesday afternoon meeting of the Friona Woman's Club at the club house. The meeting was opened by those present repeating the club collect. A report on the style show was given, and Mrs. Pearl Kinsley gave a short review of her recent trip to Florida.

Mrs. F. W. Reeve gave a report on the recent Federated Club convention which she, Mrs. C. W. Dixon, Mrs. A. W. Anthony Sr., Mrs. Malinda Schlenker, and Mrs. Bev Buchanan attended at Amarillo. Mrs. Reeve reported on the Fine Arts program. Then, Mrs. Anthony reported on the Bluebonnet Tea; Mrs. Schlenker gave a report on the program on which H. A. Bartle of Kansas City was principal speaker.

Mrs. Dixon reported on her impression of Madame Chali Ghetto. A memorial service was held for the 28 members who had passed away during the past year. At the closing meeting of the convention Judge Phillip Gilliam spoke of the work of the Juvenile Court, of which he has been judge for 21 years. Of the 100,000 cases he has had before him, only three children were Jewish.

Red Cross Drive Goes Over The Top

Wesley Foster, Parmer County Red Cross chairman, announced Monday evening that the fund raising campaign, which was conducted last week by Ella Lamb and Fern Awtrey, was very successful. By working two afternoons, these two workers were able to solicit more than Friona's quota.

"We are very grateful to the people for the wonderful response to the drive and to Mrs. Lamb and

Mrs. Awtrey for conducting it," says Foster. Reports from the rural communities have not been received yet, but are expected within the next few days.

Friona's quota amounted to \$500 and the contributions were \$581.67 according to figures released by Foster.

Jennings' Airplane Suffers Storm Damage

A late discovery of damage done during the big snowstorm was made by Elvie Jennings of Bengel Air Park last week.

When he opened his hanger door after the weather had cleared he discovered that the wind had blown snow through a crack above it, and the weight of the wet snow had collapsed a wing on his private plane.

Damage was not regarded as serious, however, and required only the replacement of a wing strut.

Polio Vaccinations Halted by Shortage

A shortage of polio vaccine has temporarily interrupted the "get your polio shot" campaign at the Parmer County Community Hospital, reports Kenneth Thompson, manager.

Laboratory sources said a sudden demand "dried up" their supply, and they won't be able to catch up for a while, explained the administrator. The last two months of 1957 have produced more calls for the vaccine than all of 1956, he said.

Thompson adds, "We will be sure to announce just as soon as we can begin the shots again."

Thursday afternoon had previously been set aside at the hospital for giving the immunization shots.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fortenberry, Richard, Paula, and Don were Sunday visitors in the home of Fortenberry's mother, Mrs. O. L. Fortenberry, at Happy.

School Board Election Will Be Held Saturday

The school board election will be held Saturday at the High School building. The polls will open at 8 a. m. and close at 7 p. m.

Two trustees will be elected. Names on the ballot will be D. C. Herring and Hoyt Smith. Both of these men are currently serving on the board.

To Sweetwater

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Nazworth, Mrs. Billy Nazworth, and Roy Mack Nazworth spent the weekend at Sweetwater. They were met there by Pvt. Billy Nazworth of Fort Hood. The group visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Nazworth.

Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Parr, Cordelia, and Roscoe Jr. were Monday guests in the home of Mrs. W. A. Beazley at Clovis. Mrs. Beazley is the mother of Mrs. Parr. She has been quite ill but is improving at the present time.

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Local Club Wins Awards

Several members of the Progressive Study Club attended the Seventh District Convention of Federated Clubs in Amarillo last week. Betty Jarboe, president, made the announcement at the Tuesday evening meeting of the club that they had been presented two awards.

Layvon Hughes, delegate, and Gay Jordan, alternate, attended the Thursday sessions and Betty Jarboe, Sue Procter, Ruthie Fite, and Jo Nettles attended the Friday session. One award was for first place in the Litterbug Contest, and the other was for having 100 percent of the club members subscribing to the "Club Woman."

At the regular meeting at the club house Tuesday evening, Betty Jarboe, president, had charge of the business meeting. The minutes were read by Mary Bavousett in the absence of Lynn Roberts. She also reported on the style show that the club assisted with last week.

The theme of the program was, "A Prettier You At Home." The devotional was given by Margie Herring. Mary Lou Cason demonstrated some new spring hair styles and talked to the group about styling hair to compliment different shaped faces. Juanda Jarrell gave a demonstration of new pat-

terns and materials. Betty Baxter and Winifred Hurst modeled basic black dresses, and demonstrated several different looks that could be achieved with different accessories and the same dress.

Fern Sanders became the newest member of the club. Two visitors, Mary Lou Cason and Patricia Hundley, and 19 club members were served refreshments of cake, party sandwiches, coffee, and tea by the hostesses, Betty Rector and Ruthie Fite.

Surprise Party Honors Mrs. Reed

A group of relatives of Mrs. G. E. Reed met at her home Saturday evening for a surprise birthday party. Following an evening of "42," refreshments of cake and cold drinks were served. The cake was decorated with pink, brown, and green and topped with a carnation.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Boggess, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Boggess and children, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Johnson and children, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Reithmayer and children, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Bandy and sons, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Raymond Reed and daughter.

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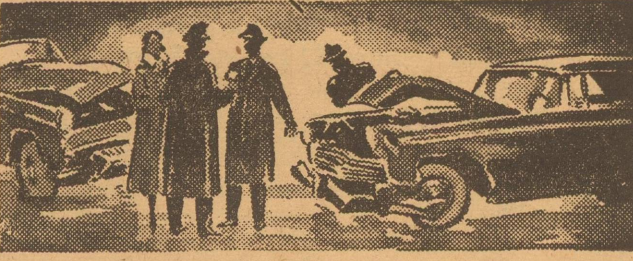
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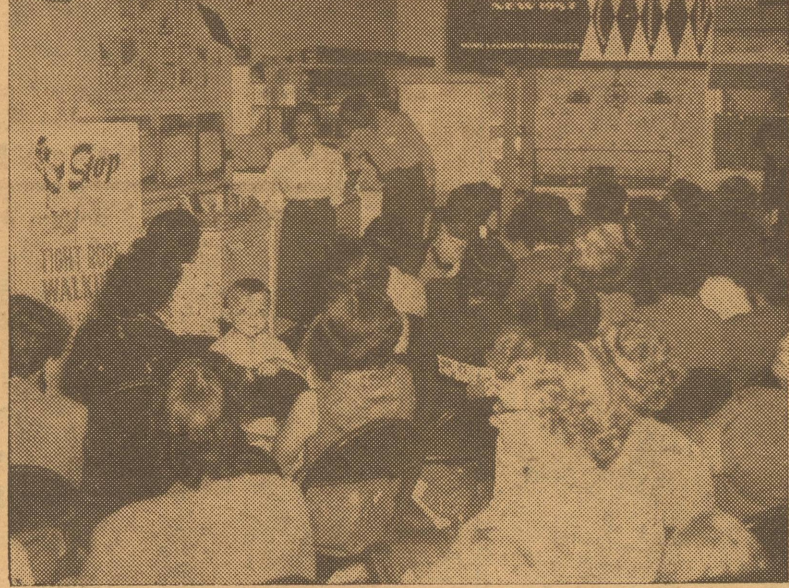
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Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Snead and children were weekend guests in the home of Snead's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Snead Sr., at Littlefield.

Variety Is Feature Of City Meeting

(Continued from Page 1)

While Friona's rates are lower in some respects, the large user or industrial rate (over one million gallons per month) is 15 cents per thousand. Hereford's is nine cents.

Wilson said that a detailed study of the cost of water to the city had been made in 1953, and that the rates were not found to be high in comparison with what it cost to produce the water.

The commissioners passed on to other matters without indicating whether they advocated a rate change or not.

Friona's off-discussed swimming pool came up at the meeting again, with the commissioners feeling they were placed in quite a quandary. Boosters of the pool have approached the dads with a request that consider voting city bonds to finance the project.

However, as no petition has been circulated calling for an election, the commissioners have taken no action. They issued an appeal to the citizens of the community to make their desires known.

A request by Jim Roberts that he be paid for a week's vacation last year which he did not take when in the employ of the city, was disallowed.

The commissioners agreed that it would be necessary to make similar allowances for other city employees who for one reason or another did not use their vacation time, either. That would affect several.

The city sounded its warning that it is ready to crack down on stray and unlicensed dogs that are in the city limits. An appeal was made last month to have dogs registered and vaccinated, but the response was light.

Stray dogs constitute a menace to city health, in addition to being a general nuisance, the city has maintained, and control measures will be undertaken.

Mr. and Mrs. James W. Cunningham, Dale, and Janet and Mrs. Susie Cunningham spent the weekend at Red River. They returned to Friona late Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Cunningham of Amarillo were weekend guests in the homes of Mrs. J. E. Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. James W. Cunningham and Mr. and Mrs. Walter Cunningham.

Friona Does Well In Tennis Meet

Friona School students fared well in the District 3-A tennis tournament at Tulia Monday.

In the senior boys doubles, Burkie Hand and Wesley Barnett won first place, beating Farwell 6-1, 6-1. Nolen Johnson then won the senior boys singles over Sudan, 6-3, 6-2.

In the senior girls doubles, Doris McFarland and Betty Agee took second, losing to Sudan 6-2, 6-4, 6-4. Lila Gay Buske won the girls singles over Sudan 6-2, 11-9.

Junior boys doubles: Ronnie Wood and Ronnie Castleberry took first over Farwell.

Junior boys singles: Glendel Jones first place over Sudan.

Junior girls doubles—Geneva

Floyd and Adele Smith first (not opposed). Junior girls singles—Gwendolyn Green first place over Sudan.

Senior Scouts Meet Monday

Seven senior Scouts were present for the Monday afternoon meeting at the Methodist Annex. Plans were discussed for raising funds to buy a TV set for J. D. Jones, former Friona man, who is hospitalized at Amarillo, and for assisting with the swimming pool project.

Jolynda Stokes and Marilyn Potts served cake and punch to Sally Hough, Mary Tom Spring, Carolyn Baxter, Peggy Widner, and Nora O'Brian, leader of the group.

Surprise Party Fetes G. B. Buske

G. B. Buske was honored with a surprise birthday party in his home Saturday evening. The dinner was served buffet style, the gifts were opened, then the evening was spent visiting and playing games.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Noyle Wood, Ronnie, Jonell, and Eddie; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fortenberry, Richard, Paula, and Don; Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Black, Kitty, Danny, and Keith; Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Magness and Jacquelyn; Also, Dr. and Mrs. John Freeman, Johnny, and Susan; Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Buske, Deann, Lila May, Phila Gay, and Kim; and Mrs. Florence Buske.

GETS FACE LIFTING

Bainum Butane, on Highway 60 in Friona, got a "face lifting" this week. A new front of granite-colored brick was installed, and another coat of stucco helped tidy up the outside. Mack Bainum also notes that the inside is to be repainted, too.

Baxters Have Dinner Guests

Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Baxter were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baxter, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Baxter and Patricia, Mr. and Mrs. Sterling Graham and Gail, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Young and Jan, Mr. and Mrs. Otey Hinds, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Martin and children, Mr. and Mrs. Larry Martin and children, Mr.

and Mrs. Calvin Martin, and Mr. and Mrs. Lou Baxter and Stevie of Bovina.

Afternoon callers were Mr. and Mrs. Charley Baxter and sons of Clovis and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Baxter of Bovina.

Kinsley Past Matrons Meet

The Kinsley Past Matrons Club met in the home of Mrs. Pearl Kinsley Monday afternoon. Following the business meeting, refreshments of chicken salad sandwiches, salad, and coffee were served by the hostess to Mesdames Ed Bogges, Charles Russell, and Etha Chitwood.

Easter decorations were used and favors were palm trees. The next meeting will be in the J. T. Guinn home May 3 at 3 p. m.

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An interesting little publication came across our desk last week. It was published by Harris Hospital of Fort Worth. The name of the publication was "The Steth-o-Scoop." Some of the columns were headed, "X-Ray Hi-Lites," "O. B. Blarney," "Lab Tid-Bits," and "Surgical Sessions."

Since we had never read a hospital publication before, reading it was quite an experience. One item in it that stuck in our memory is, "The amount of money in your bank account is not the true measure of your success. If you are honest, fair, tolerant, kindly, charitable of others and well behaved, you are a success, no matter how small your bank account."

The Coma.

Seems like we are really getting in practice on voting right now. First, there was the school bond election; second, the election of a United States senator came up; and next week we will elect two new school board members.

According to the experts, a person should vote in each election, but so far they have been unable to sell the majority of us on the importance of voting when two places are to be filled and only two names are on the ballot.

Bouquets this week should go to Ella Lamb and Fern Awtry for the wonderful job they did conducting the Red Cross drive. They began Wednesday morning and before five Thursday afternoon they had solicited more than Friona's quota. We think these ladies are to be commended for doing such a good job.

This is a few days late for April Fool Jokes, but the following is one of the most interesting things we have read on the subject. In fact,

we had wondered where the custom of observing April 1st originated. Maybe you have too. If so, maybe this will clarify the matter for you.

APRIL FOOL JOKES

When you play some prank on April Fool's Day you will be following a custom that goes back over 375 years; so far, in fact, that its true origin is uncertain.

In 1564, the tenants of France celebrated a gala day on April 1, playing tricks and doing foolish things. They were happy because they had won an important court decision over the land owners of the country. This was the start of April Fool's Day.

There have been many famous April Fool pranks, but probably none which lasted longer than one which is still an annual event in a small town in Maine. In this town is a hotel patronized by traveling salesmen and businessmen. During the winter, a large storm vestibule is placed on the front veranda, protecting the main entrance to the hotel.

Early on the morning of April 1, this storm porch is moved to one side, so that it leads to a blank wall. On the wall is hung a sign reading, "April Fool!" People hurry up the walk, open the door of the storm porch and find themselves in a blind alley, face to face with the April Fool sign.

Their bewilderment is complete, because the real entrance cannot be seen from the walk, and it has apparently vanished. This trick was played 40 years ago by the owner of the hotel, and is still played every year. It seems to be just as successful as ever.

This was lifted from the April issue of "Cheer," which is a small booklet that we receive each month. It always contains some amusing articles, some jokes, and some aphorisms which we enjoy. The line under the name reads, "Not copyrighted. If there is good here we want to share it."

The inside of the back cover this month read like this, "The greatest mistake you can make in life is to be continually fearing you will make one." Wouldn't you like to

know who originated that one? * * *

The Otis Neels are making an addition to their store and home at the Hub. An extension is being built from the north end of the store and from the west end of the house. When the remodeling job is finished, they will have an attractive combination store and home.

Golden Circle Class Meets In Baxter Home

The Golden Circle Class of the First Baptist Church held its regular meeting in the home of Lily May Baxter Monday evening. The opening prayer was led by Melba Burleson. A study of Baptist doctrine was held following a short business meeting.

Gladys Day, who was co-hostess, and Lily May Baxter served refreshments to Melba Burleson, Betty Renner, Mary Ruth Connely, Layvon Hughes, Doris Carter, Christine Shirley, Arvilla England, Mary Sheehan, Helen Good-nough, Glindaene Bailey, and Lorene Estep.

Local Ladies Attend Shower

A bridal shower was given in the home of Mrs. Leslie Pattison at Clovis Tuesday evening of last week honoring Wynell Baxter Tyler of Denver, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Baxter of Clovis.

Those who attended from Friona were Mesdames Sloan Osborn, Roy Clements, Claude Osborn, Calvin Martin, Larry Martin, and Clarence Martin.



Deann Buske Named Summer Missionary

An announcement was made by the Baptist General Convention of Texas in Dallas recently that Deann Buske, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Buske, has been appointed a summer missionary to Hawaii. She will spend June, July, and August working with foreign missionaries already in that locality.

Deann, who is a student at Texas Tech at Lubbock, was one of 17 such missionaries selected as the representatives of Baptist students on Texas college and university campuses. She is a 1955 graduate of Friona High School and is a member of the First Baptist Church here.

SECTION II
THE FRIONA STAR
Friona Is Second In Literary Events

Friona School students finished second to Sudan in the District 16-B Literary Contests last Friday at Sudan. Ready writing entries are not yet judged, but in all other events Sudan totaled 159 points, and Friona had 117½. Other district schools in order were Farwell 105½, Morton 65, and Springlake 34.

Friona won seven first places at the meet. Students copping top honors from here were Gwendolyn Green, grade school girls declamation; Luann Hardesty and Janice Miller, debate team; Jim Bob Jones, story telling; Bob Sanders, grade school, boys declamation; Eva Woolbright, extemporaneous speech; and Helen Hamilton, typing.

Also, the grade school picture memory team from Friona was a winner. The Friona team included Karen Sue Osborn, Dennis Howell, Myra Bennett, Joyce Houlette, Lynn Wilson, Jearene Massey,

Jerry Cass, Shirley Hutson, Nan Lillard, Sharen Dean, and Katie Blackstone.

The complete list of Friona students winning places in the various events had not yet been received by the local school on Monday of this week. All students winning either first or second in the contests will enter the regional meet at Lubbock next weekend.

The interscholastic league champion of this district will be the school which has the largest accumulative point total in all spring events. Other events included are track and field, tennis, and volleyball.

The tennis meet was scheduled for yesterday (Wednesday) at Tullia and the volleyball meet is to be Saturday at Springlake. In the only remaining league event, volleyball, Friona will have representatives in both high school and grade school boys and girls tournaments.

Party Honors Cordelia Parr

Mrs. Roscoe Parr honored her daughter, Cordelia, with a party in the family home Saturday afternoon in observance of her 12th birthday. Guests were invited from two to four and the afternoon was spent coloring Easter eggs and staging an Easter egg hunt.

Favors were bubble gum and Easter rabbits. Refreshments of birthday cake and ice cream were served to Carolyn Singleterry, Susan Perry, Linda Crow, Judy Carter, Janet Buckley, Mary Knight, Martha Knight, and Roscoe Parr Jr. Iva Ben Parr, who was unable to attend, spent Sunday with Cordelia.

Weekend Guests To Michigan

Weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Rickerd were Mr. and Mrs. Edker Miller and son, Dale. The Millers are Mrs. Rickerd's parents and live at Roosevelt, Oklahoma.

Fish Fry In Sides Home

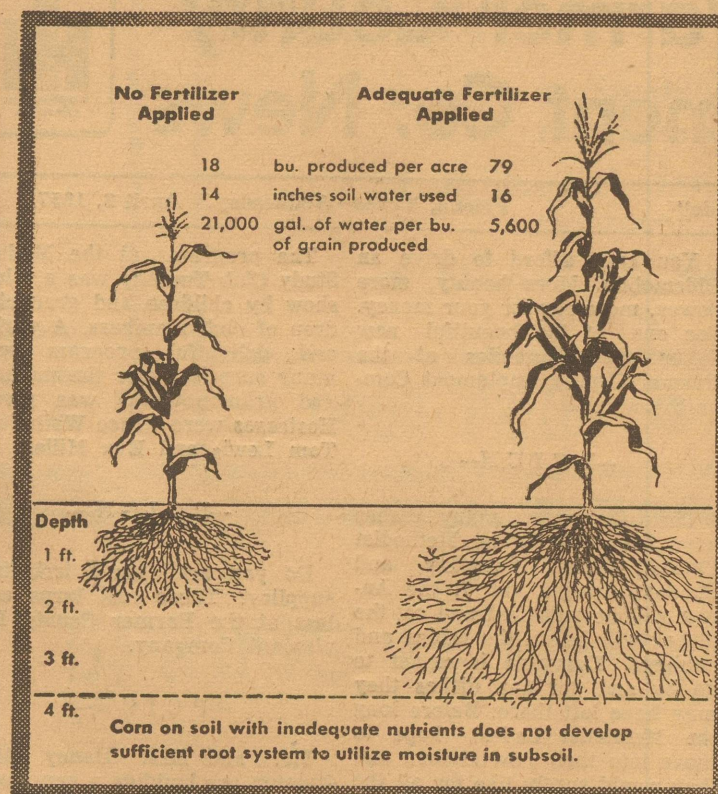
Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Smith and Esther Gail left Monday afternoon by train for Lansing, Michigan. They will accept delivery of a new car for Joe B. Douglas at the factory and plan to return in about a week.

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Recreation School Held at Farwell

Miss Lucille Moore, recreation specialist from the Agriculture Extension Service at College Station, was in Farwell on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday evenings of this week to conduct a recreation training school for 4-H Club recreation leaders from Parmer County. Also represented at the training sessions were 4-H and adult leaders from Castro and Deaf Smith Counties.

Starting the sessions off with lectures on how training leaders should get the attention of their audiences and participants, Miss Moore then showed the group how to play many new games.

The recreation specialist emphasized the importance of the leader in getting a group to join in the activities of a group party and told the attendants that planning was one of the most important parts of the role of a leader. Miss Moore stated that a person should plan at least one full day ahead before giving a party, and that when "party time" arrives, he should have necessary equipment ready.

She explained that the more persons involved in a game, the more fun there would be, and told the group that each leader should "employ" several assistants in each activity.

Explaining the game to the group, even if they already think they know how to play it, is vital, remarked the specialist. After explaining the rules of the game, the leader should then "show" them how, she said.

Listing the most important rules for leaders, Miss Moore put planning first. Number two on the list was that the leader himself must look like he's enjoying himself. Next in line was that the leader must know what he wants done and how to do it. Explaining it to the group was next and finally, a leader should know when to stop

one activity and move on to another. And the specialist says that that time is when everyone is enjoying himself in that particular game so that one game will not be "worn out."

Miss Moore's sessions were especially beneficial to the 4-H leaders attending because they are the ones in charge of the county-wide parties staged throughout the year by the 4-H clubs. And with such large crowds for the parties, sometimes it is difficult to get all of the attendants to participate.

Among those attending the meetings besides Joe Jones, Parmer County Agent, Miss Jimmie Lou Wainwright, home demonstration agent for the county, and Miss Moore, were Mrs. Earl Plank, Earlean Plank, Mrs. Cecil Curtis, Don Curtis, John McCuan, Diann Barnes, Bonnie Cochran, Pat Chitwood, Mrs. Dee Chitwood;

Also, Billy Hardage, Don Glover, Frankie Coffman, Richard Chitwood, Odie Bradshaw, Cooper Young, Sherry Vestal, Verdona Curtis, Judy Miller, Edith Wilson, Margaret Mabry, Mrs. Glenn Maples, Mrs. Paul Johnson, Glenn Ann Maples, Jack Sharp, Mary Taack, Sandy Johnson, Mike Ellis, Beverly Smith, Virginia Willard;

And, Judy Billingsley, Mrs. Leon Billingsley, Mrs. A. L. Black, Gary Stevenson, James Stevens, Gladys Dean, Lexie Stevenson, Barbara Rea, Mrs. Eugene Ellis, Mrs. Elmo Dean, Mrs. Albert Drager, Mrs. James Mabry and Patricia Barker.

Black Community Presented Award

The Black Neighborhood Club was one of several organizations to receive group awards from the Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council at the annual council meeting held in Houston last week.

Recognition certificates were presented to groups and individuals for their outstanding contributions to farm and home safety during 1956.

Residents of the Black community on hand at the Houston meeting to receive the award were Mr. and Mrs. Pete Braxton and Mr. and Mrs. John Bengner.

The first wartime atomic blast at Hiroshima destroyed 62,000 of 90,000 buildings and irreparably damaged 6,000 more. Today atomic weapons are many times more powerful.

NEWS FROM THE FARM BUREAU

By RAYMOND EULER

We are pleased to note that several Plains congressmen are getting around to stating publicly that federal spending should be cut deeply, and that this can only be done when the people at home slow down on their requests for federal checks. Farm Bureau has held this view for some time, and has been rebuked quite severely by some political groups and individuals.

The truth of the matter that ultimately almost had to be recognized, is that our servant should not be made the manager of our estate. We noted with some satisfaction, that at the forum conducted in Abilene a few days ago by some congressmen and senators, the audience applauded statements that indicated a need for a return to more localized, and less centralized government.

The writer was privileged to accompany the Plains Farm Bureau leaders who journeyed down to the capitol in Austin last week to visit with our legislators and see them in action in the house and senate. It was both enlightening and enjoyable. We found Farm Bureau legislation being given thorough and air consideration. Several of those bills are assured of passage.

The opposing force is not the legislators themselves, but some of the lobbyists who have selfish individual dollar interests that might be jeopardized by some of the proposals. Among such bills are the egg grading and labeling bill, milk labeling, household insecticide labeling, flexible insurance rates, and several others. Milk processors and distributors strongly opposed passage of a "minimum butterfat content labeling bill," even though they insisted they never distributed milk below these minimum requirements.

The only argument they presented was that it would cost the state government so much money. The fact was quickly established that it would not cost the state government one cent more, since the milk must be inspected, whether labeled or not. The bill is still under committee consideration.

The Electric Cooperative Corporation Act, actively supported by Farm Bureau, is meeting strong opposition by private power companies, but is expected to become enacted anyway. Your letter to your representative and senator would be worthwhile insurance of its passage, however. They are anxious to hear from you.

Consider this: The ear that heareth the reproof of life abideth among the wise. Proverbs 15:31.

4-H Club News

BOVINA 4-H CLUB NEWS
Gary Stevenson, Reporter

The Bovina Boys 4-H Club met in Bovina auditorium, March 27. President Dickie Clayton called the meeting to order. Ronnie Sudderth led the pledge. Secretary Ken Horn read the minutes of last meeting. There was no new or old business. The meeting was turned over to Joe Jones, who told us about a project show at Lazbuddie. There was a recreation school at Farwell on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, April 1, 2 and 3.

Dickie Clayton told us about the cotton meeting where boys winning in the county cotton contest were awarded their prizes. There were seven 4-H boys there. They must keep good records on their crops to win anything. We will need to know by the next meeting what our projects for 1957 will be. We discussed projects, including what we could have, taking care of projects, etc. Jones discussed the Sears program. The boys who would like to win a Sears gift will have to write essays and turn them in to him. Six gifts will be awarded. The essays will be judged and the best six win the gifts.

FARWELL JUNIOR 4-H NEWS
Roy Donaldson, Reporter

Farwell Junior Boys 4-H Club met at school on Thursday, March 28. Leon Lovelace and Ronny Henson gave a demonstration on raising young chickens. Ronny Vestal and Bill Quicquel gave a demonstration on care of the syringe for vaccinating livestock.

The county livestock show will be April 12 at Friona. We will have more demonstrations at the next 4-H meeting. Jimmy Terrell will demonstrate planting a garden and Ricky Cooper will also have a demonstration for this next meeting. Roy Donaldson will give a demonstration on raising pigs to weaning age.

FARWELL SENIOR 4-H CLUB
Maurice Smith, Reporter

Farwell Senior Boys 4-H Club met Thursday, March 28, at school. In the absence of the president, Jimmy Cain presided over the meeting. Scotty Turner led the club in the pledge. Van Crume read the minutes of last meeting. Jimmy Keith gave a demonstration on electric plating, and Johnny Sprowls gave a demonstration on wiring a light switch.

LAZBUDDIE JUNIOR BOYS 4-H
Gary Mac Brown, Reporter

Lazbuddie Junior 4-H Club met at school Tuesday, March 26. The meeting was called to order by the president, Calvin Mason. The minutes of last meeting were read by Glendale King. Gary Brown gave a report on the county cotton contest. Glendale King gave a report on the Lazbuddie show. Joe Jones, County Agent, talked about

how to show calves and hogs. Lendon Haney joined the club at this meeting.

LAZBUDDIE SENIOR 4-H CLUB
Billy Hardage, Reporter

Lazbuddie Senior 4-H Club met at school on March 26. Odie Bradshaw, president, called the meeting to order. Cooper Young, pledge leader, led the club in the 4-H Pledge. Roy Miller read the minutes of the last meeting. James Brown told about the cotton meeting at Bovina, at which awards in the county cotton contest were given. Odie Bradshaw gave a report on the Lazbuddie Fat Stock Show. The meeting was then turned over to Joe Jones. He discussed projects and their care and how we could improve on showing our projects. Richard Chitwood told about the Lubbock Fat Stock Show where he won sixth place with his calf and Darrell Jennings won seventh. Joe Jones told us when we should get our projects so they would be the right size for showing. Jones said the county fat stock show would be April 12, and told us what to do to get our projects ready.

We then discussed the recreation school to be held in Farwell on the 1, 2, and 3 of April. Five boys from our club were selected to attend. They were Cooper Young, Richard Chitwood, Billy Hardage, Jerry Don Glover, and Odie Bradshaw. Joe Jones closed the meeting.

THE HAPPY HOMEMAKER

If you don't have some rhubarb growing in your garden, you are missing out on a very rare treat. There is nothing that is easier to grow or that makes better pies or sauce. Recently a recipe came across our desk that sounds very good. Just wish our garden had a few stalks of rhubarb.

RHUBARB GINGERBREAD (Shortcake Style)

2 1/3 cups sifted all-purpose flour
1/2 teaspoon salt
2 teaspoons soda
1 teaspoon ground ginger
1 teaspoon ground cinnamon
1/2 teaspoon ground nutmeg
3/4 cup brown sugar
3/4 cup shortening, melted
3/4 cup mild, light molasses
1 cup sour milk
2 eggs, beaten
Rhubarb Sauce
1 cup heavy cream, whipped
2 tablespoons sugar
Preheat oven to 375 degrees. Sift first six ingredients together into large mixing bowl. Add brown sugar and mix well. Combine next four ingredients and gradually stir

into flour mixture. Beat until smooth. Turn into two well greased, lightly floured 9x9x2-inch pans. Bake 25 minutes or until done. Turn out on a wire rack to cool. Put together in shortcake fashion with Rhubarb Sauce and whipped cream sweetened with 2 tablespoons sugar. Makes about 8 servings.

RHUBARB SAUCE

Combine 4 cups fresh rhubarb cut into 1/2 inch pieces, 2 tablespoons quick cooking tapioca, 1/8 teaspoon salt, and 3/4 cup sugar in top of double boiler. Mix well. Cover and cook over hot water 35 to 40 minutes, or until tender. Stir once or twice, being careful not to break rhubarb. Drain off juice and lift out best whole pieces to use as garnish. Spread remaining drained rhubarb and whipped cream sweetened with the 2 tablespoons of sugar between gingerbread layers and over the top. Garnish with whole pieces of rhubarb.

Did you know that there are gadgets on the market that will enable a person to fasten a back zipper without anyone assisting? So far as we have been able to learn, they are not on sale at local stores, but probably will be very soon. Think the inventor had sheath dresses in mind while working on the invention.

All a person has to do is to hook or snap a small chain link device onto the zipper pull, then pull the chain over one shoulder until the zipper is closed and remove the gadget.

Several persons have asked for the recipe for salad which Mrs. E. R. Day makes and has taken to several gatherings at the First Baptist Church. Mrs. Day was very cooperative and has written the recipe for us to share with you.

Says Mrs. Day, "It is Tila Rue's favorite salad." It has appeared in several publications as "Perfection Salad." Regardless of what it is called, we know several persons who are very anxious to have the recipe.

Perfection Salad
1 box lime Jello

1 1/2 cups boiling water
3 tablespoons sugar
1 No. 2 can crushed pineapple
2 small packages cream cheese
1 cup chopped pecans
1 cup heavy cream
Dissolve Jello in boiling water. Add cream cheese and stir until dissolved. Add sugar, pineapple and nuts. Chill until thick. Whip cream and fold into Jello mixture. Chill until firm.

WASHINGTON BOUND

W. L. Edelman and James Mabry will leave Amarillo Saturday evening for Washington. They will represent the Parmer County Cotton Association at a hearing of the House Agricultural Committee. Other delegations are being sent by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce and the Plains Cotton Growers.

Follow Chemical Directions Carefully

Chemicals of many kinds are used by agricultural producers in ever-increasing amounts as a regular part of their production program. But, warns the Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council, all chemicals should be used exactly as the manufacturer suggests. Failure to observe the recommendations given for safe handling and use of farm used chemicals can result in great personal injury or even death. Don't take chances, follow the manufacturer's directions to the letter.

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The program at the Modern Study Club Tuesday was a talent show by children and grandchildren of club members. A varied and delightful program with many surprises (for the mothers and grandmothers) was given. Hostesses were Grace Whitefield, Tom Lewis and Eva Miller.

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Thru the years many dishes have been left at the Methodist Church Annex. Saturday and Sunday, April 6 and 7, the Annex will be unlocked and all the dishes will be on the tables and cabinets. Everyone is urged to go by and get any dishes they may have left there. Before long the Methodist Ladies hope to move into their new kitchen and they would surely like for all the dishes to be back where they belong before moving day.

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Our shop is busy, but not too busy to do your repair job. Call Ben Woody at 2091 if you are having trouble with the motors on your farm.

Easterner, after his first day on horseback: "If, when I die, the journey to my eternal home leads me to Hell, I hope to make the trip on horseback. I'll be so glad to get off I won't care where I am."

The cleavage between sheepmen and cattlemen in early Texas was sharp and the breach was wide. A tough, weather beaten cattleman was persuaded, after much urging by the pastor, to attend church. The pastor began reading from the Scriptures but had gone no farther than "The Lord is my Shepherd, I shall not..." when the cattleman jumped up and trumped out. He'd been tricked into a place where they dealt with sheep herders.

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Must Comply with SB Requirements

Farmers who have placed cotton or wheat under the Soil Bank Acreage Reserve Program should remember that they must comply with all requirements of the program in order to qualify for the payments, Joe W. Magness, chairman of the Parmer County ASC committee, reminds farmers this week.

A program provision which farmers are likely to overlook, Magness says, is the one which requires that a farmer comply with all acreage allotments established for his farm if he wants to earn any kind of a soil bank payment. This means for instance, that a farmer who expects to earn payments under the wheat acreage reserve program must also comply with the cotton allotment for his farm, if there is one.

Payments to farmers who take part in the Soil Bank Acreage Reserve Program will be made when compliances with the program provision can be fully determined, the manager says.

Compliance with acreage limitations is in general on a harvested rather than a planted acre basis. Therefore, in many instances, compliance cannot be checked until nearly cotton harvest time.

Through March 31, 1957, over 9,800 acres have been put in the conservation reserve in the county,

reports Magness. This acreage is covered by 62 contracts and includes all contracts signed from October, 1956, through March 31, 1957. About 30 percent of the total number of contracts signed include the entire eligible acreage on the farmers covered.

Total payments for the acres involved on these contracts could be as much as \$166,883 for rental and soil conservation practice payments.

April 15 is the final date for signing conservation reserve contracts to go into effect in 1957.

THE H. D. AGENT'S CORNER

Jimmie Lou Waincott

ADJUST MACHINE TO SEW SYNTHETICS . . . Some synthetic fabrics have a tendency to pucker in stitching if not handled properly, says Nena Roberson, clothing specialist for the Agricultural Ex-

tension Service. Make three adjustments before you begin sewing:

First, shorten the stitch slightly. Some spongy types of synthetics take about the same length stitch as similar-textured natural fibers. Test for the proper stitch on the lengthwise grain of the fabric. When the lengthwise grain shows the proper stitch, the crosswise grain and the bias will be correct, too.

Next, loosen the tension slightly. Adjust the top tension first as this may be all that is necessary. If not, loosen the bobbin tension screw a bit. Many machines are set tighter than necessary for ordinary sewing.

For hard finish synthetics, such as nylon organdy or a very smooth, tightly-woven synthetic, increase the pressure from the presser foot. Thicker fabrics will require only the usual pressure.

Thread may make a difference, too . . . nylon, dacron and mercerized cotton are used for sewing on synthetics. For best results, use a thread corresponding to the largest percentage of fiber in the fabric—nylon thread on nylon, mostly nylon blends, etc.

Be sure to use the same thread on the bobbin as in the needle, and wind the thread loosely and evenly on the bobbin, with no tension.

present, established breaks are giving, but we have to start at some point and the quicker that we do, the quicker we will see the results.

We noticed that in the eastern part of the District that the trees slowed down and stopped a large amount of that hard, fast moving snow in the recent storm.

THE PARMER FARMER

You may have noticed a few weeks ago that we said farmers in southwestern Lamb County were figuring on buying water rights in the sandhills north of them, and pumping the water through big pipelines to irrigate their dryland cotton.

This, we thought at the time, was a plan to capture the imagination of even the most ambitious promoter.

Well, that plan got shot full of

holes last week when the City of Lubbock and Southwestern Public Service Company plunked down over a cold million dollars for water rights on 37,000 sandhills acres. At least, so says the County Wide News at Littlefield.

The water rights sold for about \$35 per acre.

That is sure to put some farmers to frothing at the mouth down there in Lamb County, where underground water is already a subject that can start a fight at the drop of a hat.

An interesting article appears in The Nation's Agriculture, written by Charles Shuman, president of the American Farm Bureau. He writes of government subsidies to various segments of the national economy.

Direct subsidy payments to the airlines are about \$34 million this year, he says, plus another \$20 million for airport construction. The postal subsidy to newspapers and magazines is approximately \$218 million per year, while direct mail advertising is carried at a loss of \$147 million.

Water transportation costs the taxpayers \$170 million per year, and labor, which is protected by the minimum wage law and the government unemployment compensation program, is benefitted by

more than one and one-half billion dollars per year. Tax write-offs granted large industries, says Shuman, amount to about \$65 million per year.

However, AFB head figures that government underwriting of agriculture involves big sums, too. Commodity Credit Corporation loses \$975 million on stored farm products, he says, plus another \$645 million on the export program. Soil bank costs are going over one billion.

The writer warns, "We might be able to defend expenditures of this kind as a temporary matter to help agriculture become more

prosperous. However, past experience with government subsidy seems to prove that those who receive grants and gifts finally pay a very high price."

"Expanding real markets is a far better way of increasing farm income than increasing dependence on subsidies," he says. We agree.

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We were out by Donald Watkins' farm out south of Bovina, and we observed that Donald was setting out a farmstead windbreak on the west side of his home. The windbreak is Red Cedar composed of three rows with trees alternately spaced in each row. Donald has also ordered and received 300 more Red Cedars for replacement stock should any die, and to put a windbreak on the north side of his home next year.

For those of you who have been thinking about setting out your windbreak trees, now is the time to get this job done before the hot, drying winds begin. It is also necessary on most of these trees that they be protected from wind and sand.

When moving trees for resetting, caution should be taken to ball the soil around the roots in the transfer. This increases greatly the percentage of livability of trees when moved.

Quite a few windbreaks are beginning to show up now. And in a few years the protection and beauty to the farmstead will be priceless. This can be observed on the windbreaks that were established a few years ago. Of course, it will take the new trees a few years to give us the protection that the

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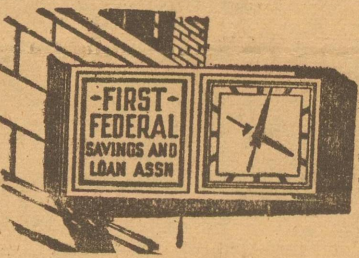
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BOVINA



BIG OPERATION — J. T. Ford looks over the work of more than 80 field hands as they hand-plant onion settings on his farm between Farwell and Bovina. Such hand work is both time consuming and expensive.

County Men Try 70 Acres Onions

Commercial production of onions has been attempted in Parmer County a number of times before, but probably not on such a scale as is being tried this year by some farmers between Farwell and Bovina, who this week are planting between 60 and 70 acres to the eye-watering crop.

The men are J. T. Ford and his sons, Burl and Doyle. They have pooled their resources for the big venture, and have agreed to divide the profits—or losses—between themselves.

A lot is at stake in an enterprise of this kind. The Fords estimate that if they have a "washout" on their onion crop this year, it will set them back \$12,000. On the

other hand, however, when demand for onions is good and prices are stable, a small fortune could be reaped from the acreage.

Last year, for instance, when onions were selling for up to \$5 a crate, and some fields were yielding up to 1000 crates an acre, the growers on the Plains did quite well for themselves.

The vegetables are being planted on J. T.'s farm, which has mixed, deep soil and abundant water. "I don't believe you can go anywhere to find better conditions for vegetable growing," J. T. believes.

Planting began Monday of this week, and even with over 100 hands in the field to set the young plants out, the Fords figure it

A 20-acre onion patch is considered a pretty big planting. The Fords are sure to have the biggest onion deal in the area this year, and it is possible they may have the biggest acreage on the Plains.

The onion settings, which were ordered from Uvalde, are placed into the prepared bed 3 1/2 inches apart in dual rows that have been marked off by special equipment, and water furrows are provided on either side.

The local farmers are planting four varieties of onions to assure that they won't be "short" on any kind at any given time. White and Yellow Spanish, and White and Yellow Grinos are being sown.

In all, it is taking 1300 crates of seedlings to cover the acreage. With about 60 bunches of onions per crate, and about 80 plants per bunch it is easy to see how much work will be required to place each of the more than six million plants in the ground.

Vegetable farming is new to the Fords since they have moved to the Plains, but they've had some experience with it before. Near San Angelo a number of years ago they raised onions, but not on so large a scale as here.

The farmers know they're taking a big gamble, but they have made up their minds to go ahead. They are figuring to "stay with it" for five years—win, lose or draw.

The onion sets cost about \$50 per acre, and it takes about \$40

will take 10 days to finish the tremendous job.



MAKING THE SEED BED — Here Doyle Ford, on the tractor, pulls a special sled that shapes the seed bed and marks where onions are to be set in the moist soil.



HOW TO DO IT — These two young Spanish American hands exhibit considerable dexterity in placing the young onion plant into a specially marked indentation in the row.

per acre to plant them. By time the crop is ready for harvest, the Fords will have about \$175 per acre invested.

They have pre-watered the land, and heavily fertilized with 500 pounds of 16-20-0, 100 pounds anhydrous ammonia, and 100 pounds potash.

The crop will be watered about six times, and will be ready for harvest about the middle of July. No contract for selling has been made for the onions, but Ford says they will sell through a vegetable broker and not direct.

As soon as the onion crop is out of the way, the Fords will follow with a carrot crop aimed at fall consumption. The carrots will be planted about August 1, and will be harvested late in October.

Asked what price they hope for, Ford says, "If we can get \$1 a sack, we'll do okay." He says the 10-year average onion price is about \$2.50 per sack.

The onions will be aimed at the "middle market" that will come off after the "winter garden" harvests in the Rio Grande Valley and South Texas.

Onions are hardy plants, and Ford says he doesn't think they'll have any trouble raising a big crop. The onions will have to be hand-hoeed three times for weeds, and possibly sprayed once for thrips.

"Tell everybody not to say 'cut the onions' when they order hamburgers," he requested the reporter.

Junior Stock Show Friday, April 12

Parmer County's annual Jr. Fat Stock Show will be next Friday, April 12, in Friona. The show is for fat stock and breeding stock and entries must be in their places by 8 a. m. on the 12th, says Joe Jones, county agent.

The entries may be brought to the barns Thursday afternoon. The agent says that breeding stock must be registered, but fat animals need not be.

A sale will follow the show. The show is open to all 4-H club and FFA members of Parmer County.

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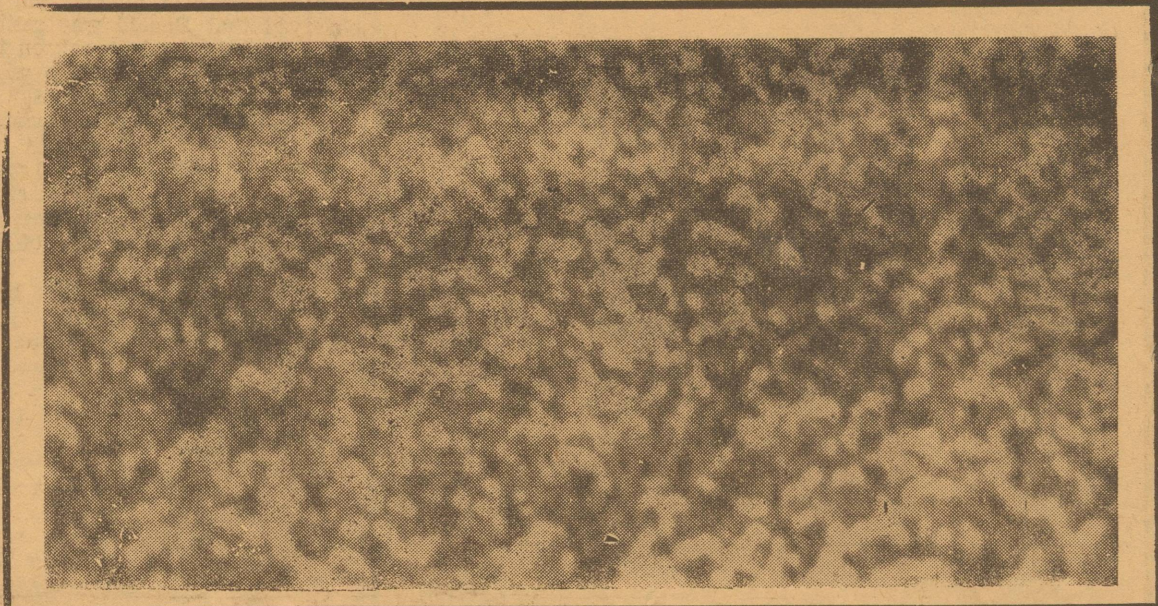
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NEWS FROM

Rhea

By Mrs. Franklin Bauer

MEN'S CLUB MEET

The Lutheran Men's Club met Thursday night for their business meeting and topic study. The meeting was opened with scripture reading and a prayer by Pastor Stroebel. Melvin Sachs conducted the business meeting. After the business session Pastor Stroebel led the topic discussion.

Chris Drager served refreshments to the twelve members present.

ATTEND MEETING

Those attending the Lutheran Layman's League meeting held at Christ Lutheran Church in Lubbock Sunday were Melvin Sachs, Ray Martensen, Walter Schueler, and Franklin Bauer.

Pink and Blue Shower For Mrs. Schueler

Mrs. Floyd Schueler was honored with a pink and blue shower at the Parish Hall Friday night. The table was decorated with a pink parasol with pink and blue streamers from the parasol to the girls.

Games carrying out the theme were played by the group and refreshments of cake, mints, and spiced tea were served by the hostesses, Mesdames Herman Schueler, Carl Schlenker, Walter Schueler, Norbert Schueler and Franklin Bauer.

Those attending and sending gifts were Mesdames Elmo Dean, Robert Schueler, Ray Martensen, Melton Sullivan, Florian Jarecki, Albert Drager, Cordie Potts, Raymond Schueler, Malinda Schlenker and Miss Irene Drager.

HD Club Meets With Mrs. Drager

Mrs. Albert Drager was hostess for the regular meeting of the Rhea Home Demonstration Club in her home Monday afternoon.

The program for the meeting was "Breakfast for the Family," led by Miss Jimmie Lou Wainscott, county home demonstration agent. Various types of breakfast menus were discussed and prepared.

Refreshments of cake and coffee were served to Mesdames Franklin Bauer, Elmo Dean, Paul Hall, Ray Martensen, Schlenker, Herman Schueler, Walter Schueler, Carl Schlenker, and one visitor, Mrs. W. H. Awtry.

TRIP CANCELLED

Mrs. Billy Sifford left Thursday for a visit with a grandmother and other relatives in Oklahoma, but was unable to go any further than Wellington, Tex., Hamilton, Tex., and Mobeetie, Texas, returning home Wednesday morning.

EYE SURGERY

Terresa Schueler, 4-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norbert Schueler, entered St. Anthony's Hospital in Amarillo Thursday for eye surgery to correct an eye that had crossed several years ago. She returned home Friday with both eyes bandaged. One eye bandage was removed Monday, and the other is to be removed Thursday.

IT'S A SMALL WORLD

The Oliver Rieken's decided last week that this was a small world. After being introduced to the Dick Habbingas of Friona it was discovered that they were cousins. The Rieken's moved to Friona last month and had been living in Mrs. Joe Collier's apartment which is next door to Mr. and Mrs. Dick Habbinga.

Barbara Meeks visited with her sister, Mrs. Floyd Schueler, during the week. Barbara had attended school Friday and was unable to return home due to the blizzard. She remained in Vega with friends until highways were opened enabling Floyd and Glenda to get her.

Those from the community attending the Consumer's meeting held at Friona Saturday afternoon were Mr. Carl Schlenker and Franklin Bauer.

Jack Patterson and Willie Wall spent several days fishing recently. Paul Hall and Cordie Potts returned home Thursday from a week of fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Franklin Bauer

and children spent Thursday and Friday in Happy with Mr. and Mrs. I. L. Bauer.

SUNDAY VISITS

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Schueler and children visited with the Pete Hoffmans in Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schueler visited in Grady with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kamradt.

Pat Crews and Wayne Worley of Lubbock visited in the Paul Hall home. Byran and Roxann returned to Lubbock with them to spend the week with their grandparents.

Mrs. Walter Schueler and children visited in Sudan with Mr. and Mrs. Woollever.

Mrs. Franklin Bauer and children visited in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Larry Crouch and children.

The Florian Jarecki family visited in Monroe, Texas with relatives.

MEETING FRIDAY NIGHT

The regular business meeting of the Farm Bureau will be held Friday night at the Parish Hall at 8:00 p. m. Mrs. Roy Miller and the "Trebelaire's" will furnish the evening entertainment.

PIE SUPPER SET

Remember to make plans to attend the pie supper to be held in connection with the community meeting on Friday night, April 12. Complete details will be in next weeks news.

District 3-B Track Meet at Lazbuddie

Below is a summary of the results of the District 3-B literary and track meets held Friday and Saturday at the Lazbuddie School. The event is listed first with the winners listed in their respective places.

GRADE SCHOOL TRACK

50-YD. DASH — Youngblood, Vega; Bradshaw, Lazbuddie; Leavitt, Happy; and Baxter, Bovina.

100-YD. DASH — Youngblood, Vega; Northcutt, Walcott; Savage, Lazbuddie; Meeks, Vega.

75-YARD DASH — Youngblood, Vega; Bradshaw, Lazbuddie; Savage, Lazbuddie.

CHINNING BAR — Watson, Lazbuddie; Northcutt, Walcott; Savage, Lazbuddie; Billows, Vega; Williams, Walcott.

RUNNING HIGH JUMP — Glover, Lazbuddie; Leavitt, Happy; Youngblood, Vega; Tucker, Vega.

RUNNING BROAD JUMP — Northcutt, Walcott; Johnson, Bovina; Miller, Happy; Bradshaw, Happy.

8-Lb. SHOT — Northcutt, Walcott; Leavitt, Happy; Brantley, Lazbuddie; Estep, Vega.

440 YD. RELAY — Lazbuddie, Bovina, Happy, Walcott.

JUNIOR HIGH TRACK

50-YD. DASH — Pearson, Happy; Driskill, Happy; Lawrence, Lazbuddie; Verhaus, Happy.

100-YD. DASH — Pearson, Happy; Wesley, Happy; Jennings, Lazbuddie; Lawrence, Lazbuddie.

75-YD. DASH — Wesley, Happy; Jennings, Lazbuddie; Driskill, Happy; Verhaus, Happy.

CHINNING BAR — Pearson, Happy; Verhaus, Happy; Jennings, Lazbuddie; Smith, Lazbuddie.

RUNNING HIGH JUMP — Jennings, Lazbuddie; Wesley, Happy; Lawrence, Lazbuddie; Middleton, Happy.

RUNNING BROAD JUMP — Jennings, Lazbuddie; Driskill, Happy; Pearson, Happy; Smith, Lazbuddie.

News From LAZBUDDIE

By MRS. CLYDE MONK

6 LB. SHOT — Smith, Lazbuddie; Driskill, Happy; Waters, Happy; Verhaus, Happy.

SENIOR HIGH TRACK

100-YD. DASH — Poage, Happy; Smith, Bovina; Bevers, Lazbuddie; Teague, Lazbuddie.

220-YD. DASH — Poage, Happy; Bevers, Lazbuddie; Shipman, Happy; King, Lazbuddie.

440-YD. DASH — Oler, Happy; Teague, Lazbuddie; Hobbs, Vega; Richardson, Vega.

880-YD. DASH — Bove, Happy; Williams, Bovina; Harle, Vega; Boydstrum, Vega.

MILE RUN — Hammonds, Vega; Hobbs, Vega; Teague, Lazbuddie; Redwine, Lazbuddie.

120-YD. HIGH HURDLES — Lemon, Happy; Hobbs, Vega; Haney, Bovina; Briggs and Watkins, Lazbuddie.

180-YD. LOW HURDLES — Poage, Happy; Lemon, Happy; Hobbs, Vega; Cauble, Vega.

440-YD. RELAY — Happy, Bovina, Lazbuddie, Vega.

POLE VAULT — Smith, Bovina; Watkins, Lazbuddie; Horn, Bovina; and Cole, Happy, tied for third; Burnett, Bovina.

MILE RELAY — Happy, Bovina, Bovina, Lazbuddie.

HIGH JUMP — Smith, Bovina; Young, Bovina, and Cauble, Vega, tied for second; Watkins, Lazbuddie.

SHOT — Tolbert, Vega; Barraza, Bovina; Shipman, Happy; Burnam, Bovina.

BROAD JUMP — Poage, Happy, first and second; Smith, Bovina;

Cauble, Vega.

DISCUS — Poage, Happy; Burnam, Bovina; Barraza, Bovina; Lemon, Happy.

LITERARY EVENTS

5th and 6th SPELLING — Starker and Hardaway, Happy; Stevenson and Wilson, Bovina; Brown and Mason, Lazbuddie.

SENIOR SPELLING — Schasher and Warren, Nazareth; Meyers and Robinson, Lazbuddie; Cumpton and Woelfel, Bovina.

7th and 8th SPELLING — Patterson and Rigdon, Happy; Gery Beauchamp and Jim Douglas; Linda Estes and Marcella Looney.

READY WRITING — Smith, Lazbuddie; Perrin, Walcott; Ball, Nazareth.

NUMBER SENSE — Irlbeck, Happy; Burt, Nazareth; Watkins, Lazbuddie.

PICTURE MEMORY — Tonya Ivy and Myrtice Shockley; Gary Beauchamp and Jim Douglas; Linda Estes and Marcella Looney.

GRADE GIRLS DECLAMATION — Creitz, Adrian; Hartzog, Bovina; Witponski, Nazareth.

GRADE BOYS DECLAMATION — Caldwell, Bovina; Irlbeck, Happy; Brockman, Nazareth.

TYPING — Lemon, Happy; Warren, Nazareth; Horn, Bovina.

SLIDE RULE — Bryan, Happy; Byrd, Nazareth; Jackson, Happy.

READY WRITING HIGH SCHOOL — Shelton, Adrian; Spring, Bovina; Ball, Nazareth.

BOYS SUB-JR. DECLAMATION — Perry, Adrian; Winters, Bovina; Perrin, Walcott.

GIRLS SUB-JR. DECLAMATION — Fuller, Bovina; Bias, Walcott; Huseman, Nazareth.

JR. GIRLS DECLAMATION — Estes, Bovina; Thompson, Vega; Conrad, Nazareth.

SR. GIRLS DECLAMATION — Ezell, Bovina; Leslie, Adrian; Crouch, Vega.

In Fort Worth

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Mimms, Kelly, Jill, Clay and Tracy left on Saturday and spent most of last (Continued on Page 6)

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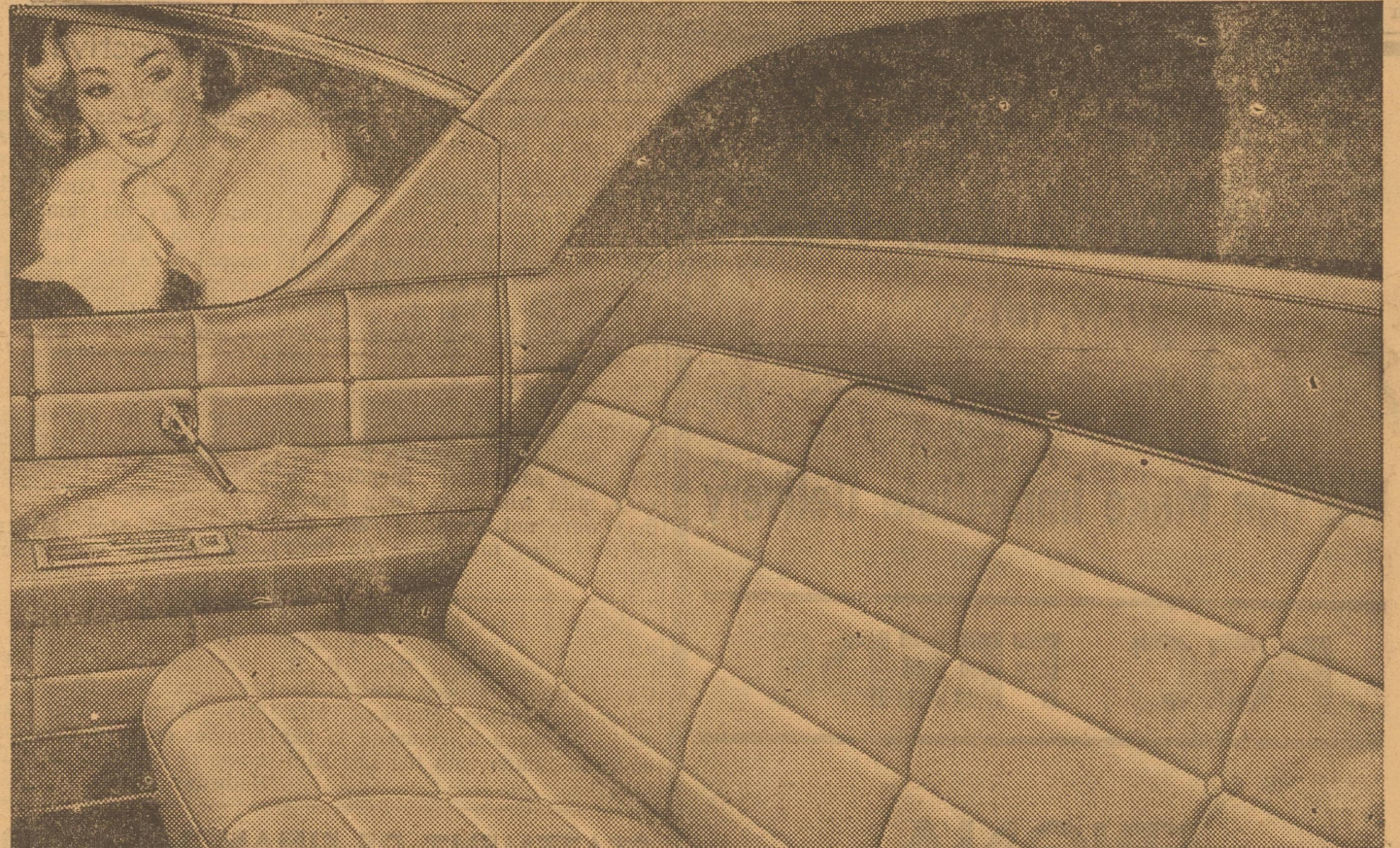
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LAZBUDDIE

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week visiting in Wichita Falls and Ft. Worth. They visited her parents and sister, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Bratton and Cherry, in Ft. Worth. The Brattons had never seen their youngest grandchild, Tracy, so it was quite a treat for all concerned. Mr. and Mrs. Mimms also attended a winners' convention in Dallas while they were gone.

Joy Smith Home From National Tourney

Miss Joy Smith has returned to her home here after attending and participating in the National AAU women's tournament held recently in St. Joseph, Mo.

Miss Smith was chosen by Bob Dowell of Amarillo as one of the 10 members of an "all-star" team she chose from teams over the Plains area. Others chosen to play with "Dowell's Dolls" were girls from Bula, Dimmitt, Hedley, Quail, Tulia, and Stinnett.

The Dolls' first game was with a Cleveland, Ohio team which the Dolls won by a margin of 19 points, but they lost in their next game to Iowa Wesleyan. Joy started both games and played both forward and guard positions. She says that the rules they used were entirely different than the ones she was accustomed to following in high school. Joy was an outstanding member of the high school team at Lazbuddie last year.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Elliot and family were in Amarillo on Saturday shopping and attending to business.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Gleason and family had as their guests over the weekend, his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Gleason, Paula Jean, Beverly and Dennis, from Odessa.

BAKE SALE PLANNED

The senior class will have another bake sale on Saturday, April 6. Their last bake sale was unsuccessful due to the blizzard that was taking the headlines for that day.

Lazbuddie's next baseball game will be Tuesday, April 9, when the Nazareth team will play host.

PTA SAYS "THANKS"

The P.T.A. would like for all to know how they appreciated the cooperation in getting the food prepared and served during the track meet. Their special thanks go to Mrs. Ethyl McCurdy and Mrs. Nola Treider, who work regularly in the lunch room. Mrs. McCurdy worked both days to help the P.T.A. ladies who were not accustomed to preparing and serving so many.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Jo Hall and Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Douglas Jr. were at Lake Walk for a few days this past week where they did some water skiing and fishing.

Mr. and Mrs. Alton Morris and family were in Portales on Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Morris.

Proud Grandparents

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Zahn are very proud grandparents of a new grandson born March 31, to their son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. John Zahn of Farwell. The young man has one brother, Craig. The other grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Bob Inkleburger.

Mrs. Pauline Dunn and daughter, Elizabeth Jo, from Amarillo are visiting her parents this week, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Zahn.

Mrs. Y. B. Mayfield was a medical patient in the Friona hospital several days last week. She is now at the home of her daughter, Mrs. E. A. Parham, resting comfortably.

WMU Circles Meet Together Monday

All three circles of the W.M.U. of the Baptist Church met Monday afternoon at the church building for a business meeting and social. Community missions committee reported that the project of distributing the bedding worked on at the last meeting had been completed.

Plans were also completed for the senior banquet which is to be Friday night, April 5. Refreshments of devil's food cake, coffee and tea were served by Mrs. Juel Treider and Mrs. W. R. Broadhurst to the following: Mesdames John Agee, Wesley Barnes, F. W. Greene, George Washington, Dan Cargile, Buster Jones, Claud Heath, Bert Gordon, Jack Black, Alton Morris, Earl Peterson, Raymond Houston, and A. E. Redwine.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Pendergrass and Susan spent the weekend in Meadow, visiting friends and relatives.

Kirby Wayne Carrell, who had an appendectomy performed this past week at the Littlefield hospital, is reported to be doing fine and is expected home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thomas have as their guests this week her parents and brothers, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Echols, J. C., Earl Wayne and Joe Lloyd, from Albany.

Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cox are busy folks right now as Mrs. Cox has been helping her mother, Mrs. J. P. Wilson of Friona, who recently suffered a stroke. Sunday, a brother of Mr. Cox, James Cox of Logan, New Mexico, suffered a stroke. He was brought to Clovis to be near other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Shanks Ivy, Eva Dean and Johnnie, spent the weekend at Tipton, Oklahoma, visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Tipton. Mrs. Ivy reports her parents were feeling better at this time.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Redwine, Donna and Bobby spent Sunday in Ft. Sumner visiting with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond McGehee and Jeanne were weekend visitors in Slaton.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Thomas and family had as their guests on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Echols of Portales, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Echols of Clovis, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Thompson and children of Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Bewley have returned from California where they have been spending the winter. They said after spending a very mild winter at Long Beach they were not prepared for the blizzard that met them on their return.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Kimbrough and Nancy are visiting in Limon, Colorado, this week. F. B. Gaede, who has been visiting her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Kimbrough, returned to her home in Limon with the Lee Kimbroughs.

AT FARWELL

A county-wide recreational school was held in Farwell three nights this week for 4-H clubs. Those attending from Lazbuddie were Jerry Don Glover, Billy Hardage, Otis Bradshaw, Cooper Young, Dick Chitwood, Sharron Thorn, Pat Chitwood, Beverly and Kathrine Smith, and their leader, Mrs. E. D. Chitwood.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Gustin visited Sunday in Hereford with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Matt Jesko. Mr. and Mrs. Jesko are former residents of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Pierce of Ft. Worth visited her grandmother, Mrs. E. A. Seaton, on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Wilson and Tommy attended the 44th annual convention of the Texas Cotton Ginners' Association in Dallas this week.

Miss Jeanne Louise Gammon was home from Texas Tech over the weekend to visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gammon.

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cox Sr. and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Cox Jr. of Farwell, were Sunday guests in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Juel Treider and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cox and Fontella.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Vaughan, Eugene and Kent had as their guest over the weekend, Lloyd's grandmother, Mrs. M. P. Darrow, from Willow, Oklahoma. Mrs. Darrow will visit in Earth with relatives before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Call, Valinda and Sharla from Portales visited Saturday in the Joe Bates Jennings home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Seaton, Gayla and Marquita made a trip to Alamogordo dam on Sunday.

Mrs. Jack Smith is home now and says she is feeling real 'per' again.

Goes Inactive

The Lazbuddie Home Demonstration club has been inactive for some time and has decided to stay that way, according to the president, Mrs. C. C. Graef. Mrs. Demp Foster says the remainder of the money in the treasury, which amounted to \$25, has been turned over to the P.T.A. to help pay for the "inter-com" system that is being purchased.

Mrs. Dewey Clark, Jimmy and Micky from Brownfield visited over the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Tarter.

Mr. and Mrs. Millard Moore from Amarillo visited Sunday with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Stevens.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Young, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Chitwood, Mr. and Mrs. Grady King and their families enjoyed a '42' party in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dee Brown Saturday night.

Shower Honors Mrs. Gene White

The home of Mrs. J. D. Carpenter was the scene of a pink and blue shower given in honor of Mrs. Gene White last week. The gifts were presented in a novel way. Each of the guests tried their luck at fishing, but all were unable to make a catch until Mrs. White tried her luck and came up with the big catch, which was all the prettily wrapped packages.

Refreshments were served to the following: Mesdames Kenneth Keeth, Glenda Morris, C. C. Matthews, Roy White, Demp Foster, Riley Goodnough, C. D. Gustin, Junior Treider, Clyde Monk, S. V. Chitwood, J. B. Jennings, J. B. Young Jr., N. C. White Jr., Ed Steinbock, Juel Treider, and Willie Steinbock. Stevie Foster, Delayne Steinbock, and Raygene and Rhonda Treider. Many sent gifts who were unable to attend. Assisting Mrs. Carpenter with hostess duties were Mesdames D. Chitwood, Billie Logan, Ben Foster Sr. and Ernest Nowell.

Visits Parents

Mrs. Everett Peel and daughter, Pamela, from Lubbock, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Strickland, on Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Strickland are newcomers to the community, having moved here from Ropesville. They have a son, Jimmie, who is attending Hardin-Simmons at Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Carter had as their guests on Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Morton from Dimmitt.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Chitwood, Dick and Pat, spent Sunday at Conchas Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Brown from Slaton spent the weekend with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Brown and Sonya.

Visiting Father

Clarence Pirtz from Cheyenne, Wyoming, Laverne Pirtz from Enid, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Pirtz from Odessa, and Mrs. Jim Haran and daughter, Barbara, from El Paso are all here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Pirtz. Mr. Pirtz has been in the hospital critically ill for a couple of weeks.

James D. Vaughan and Lorence Mehl and daughter, Mary Francis, from Frederick, Oklahoma were weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Steinbock.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Needham and son, Danny, were weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Davis Gulley. Mrs. Needham is a former school teacher here.

Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Max Steinbock were Mr. and Mrs. Ted Treider and Brad, Mr. and Mrs. Beardean Broyles and Beckie, and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith and Timmy.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Spitzer, Darla, Denise, and Steve visited in Shawnee, Oklahoma, during the weekend with Spitzer's grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. S. O. Spitzer.

Sunday guests in the Willie Steinbock home were Herbert Dyck, Calla Mae James and Mr. and Mrs. DeWayne Schwining and girls of Muleshoe, and Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Broyles, Mrs. Annie Vaughan, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Treider, Betty Monett and T. D. Vaughan.

Sewing Club Meets

The recently organized sewing club met in the home of Mrs. Max Steinbock last Thursday. Those present were Mesdames Andrew Brown, Ted Treider, Joe Cox, Gene Smith, Beardean Broyles, Wayne Clark, Gene Phillips and the hostess. The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Andrew Brown on April 14.

At Lubbock

Howard Watson and Glen Watkins were in Lubbock on Sunday. Howard was called to appear before the examining board of Lubbock where he was commissioned as a 2nd Lieutenant. Howard and Glenn are with the Battery A 136 Field Artillery, Infantry Division of Plainview.

ELECTION SATURDAY

Patrons, please remember the school trustee election to be held in the school auditorium Saturday, April 6. The names of those on the ticket will be C. C. Graef, Lloyd Vaughan, Ben (Demp) Foster Jr., Leland (Shanks) Ivy, J. T. Mayfield and E. T. Ford.

Lazbuddie Seniors To Present Play

Lazbuddie senior class will present a three-act comedy, "Bolts and Nuts" Friday evening, April 12, at 8 p. m. in the school auditorium. The play is under the direction of George Washington.

The cast includes Danny Cargile as Martha Grubbs; Durwood Teague as Jack Gordon; Juanita Scott as Lutie Spinks; Mack Hall as Wilber Glossop; Jim Roy Daniels as Mr. P. Plunkett; Janelle Floyd as Gerie Blossop;

Also, Mona Hall as Miss Figg; Johnny Gammon as Clippy; James Gilmore as Henry Goober; Amy Fuqua as Dr. H. Jay; Glen Watkins as Twink Star; Janice Oliver as Beneta Bolt; and Joy Smith as Rebecca Bolt.

J. Tobias is author of the play and the setting is a mental hospital in a small Missouri health resort.

PTA Has Meet Monday Night

Lazbuddie PTA met Monday night with the president, Mrs. J. B. Young, in charge. The election of new officers was the main topic of the evening. Mrs. John Agee was elected to be the new president and Mrs. Davis Gulley will serve as vice-president. Mrs. R. B. Seaton was elected secretary and Mrs. Hoyt Eubanks was elected treasurer.

Mr. Cooper's room won the money for having the most presents. After the election of officers, Mrs. Leon Smith had charge of the program on "Mental Health."

The P. T. A. cleared \$106 on the lunches served during the track meet.

To Leave Soon

C. K. Roberts, pastor of the Lazbuddie Baptist Church, preached his farewell sermon there last Sunday. He and Mrs. Roberts will soon be moving to Lubbock where they have bought a home in Lyndale Acres.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Seaton and family visited his mother, Mrs. A. M. Seaton, in Canyon on Sunday. Mrs. Seaton had suffered a heart attack but was feeling better on Sunday.

Mrs. Ben Foster Sr. spent a few days in the hospital last week.

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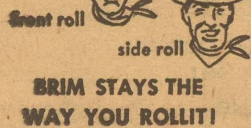
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STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION

Of the Friona State Bank at Friona, Texas, at the close of business on the 14th day of March, 1957, pursuant to call made by Banking Commissioner of Texas in accordance with Banking Laws of this State.

| RESOURCES | |
|---|--------------|
| 1. Loans and discounts, including overdrafts | 2,427,644.27 |
| 1a. (After deduction of \$ none valuation allowance or bad debt reserve) | |
| 2. U. S. Government Obligations, direct and guaranteed | 268,697.73 |
| 3. Obligations of states and political subdivisions | 7,336.90 |
| 4. Other bonds, notes, and debentures | NONE |
| 5. Corporate stocks, including \$ None stock in Federal Reserve Bank | NONE |
| 6. Cash, balance due from other banks, including reserve balances, cash items in process of collection (including exchanges for clearing house) | 624,111.28 |
| 7. Banking house, or leasehold improvements | 37,067.41 |
| 8. Furniture, fixtures and equipment | 7,533.97 |
| 9. Other Real Estate owned | NONE |
| 10. Other assets | NONE |
| 11. TOTAL RESOURCES | 3,372,391.56 |
| LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS | |
| 1. Common Capital Stock | 75,000.00 |
| 2. Income debentures | NONE |
| 3. Surplus: Certified \$75,000.00, Not certified | 75,000.00 |
| 4. Undivided Profits | 90,620.88 |
| 5. Capital reserves (and debenture retirement account) (Not to include specifically allocated reserve for expenses, or valuation allowances) | NONE |
| 6. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations | 2,883,235.95 |
| 7. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations | 25,000.00 |
| 8. Public funds (Incl. U. S. Govt., states and political subdivisions) | 223,534.73 |
| 9. Deposits of banks (excluding reciprocal balances) | NONE |
| 10. Other deposits (certified & cashier's checks etc.) | NONE |
| 11. Total all deposits \$3,131,770.68 | |
| 12. Bills payable, rediscounts, or other liabilities for borrowed money | NONE |
| 13. Other liabilities | NONE |
| 14. Total liabilities and capital accounts | 3,372,391.56 |

I, Lola Goodwine being Assistant Cashier of the above named bank, solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

LOLA GOODWINE
CORRECT-ATTEST
FRANK A. SPRING
J. G. McFARLAND Directors
CHARLES E. ALLEN

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 1st day of April 1957.

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