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## COLUMN LEFT

There's a new Ford in town... looking for an owner! The American Legion is holding this new, maroon 2-door model, equipped with overdrive and a lot of extras, until the September Fair when some fortunate person will receive it; ask any legionnaire for details. The car may be seen in front of the City Drug or along main street in Friona most any day.

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Signs of Progress: The renovation at the Friona Grade school. New ceilings have been installed, new stairways built, and all work is reported moving on schedule.

Friona's first house built under the G. I. loan was completed June 25, and is now occupied by its owner, Roy Wilson. Application for loan was made January 5, and construction commenced April 3. We understand five more G. I. loan houses will be built here very soon, with approximately 25 more applications awaiting approval.

Outstanding among new signs is that of the Friona Lumber Company across the front of its office.

The old bank building is being remodeled for a new retail clothing firm; Gib's Cleaners is remodeling its quarters, installing shelving for new stock of men's wear; Foster's Dry Goods has been painting its front; holes in the post office floor have been replaced by new flooring.

CL

It's time to begin thinking quite seriously about the election only a few days away. Our American heritage of free choice at the polls should not be neglected; as good citizens we cannot do less than exercise this privilege, placing a vote for the candidates of our choice, all the way from precinct selections to our state and national representatives. More about this next week.

CL

This week's most interesting visitor: Pat Crouse.

Departing from the usual observation of those who see Texas for the first time to remark on its vastness Pat Crouse of South Africa was in the office this week and exclaimed on the number of small towns along every road!

Crouse, who has been in the United States since July 4 of last year studying the sheep industry, is guest this week of the Ohio Whitefield's, having known of their successful sheep enterprises an dattending fairs and shows where the Whitefields were showing.

This likable visitor, Scotch, English and Australian by ancestry, is 25 years old, and is attempting to learn everything about the sheep industry that South Africa, American and Australian can teach him! Debarling at Mobile, Ala., last year, Pat went immediately via Houston, El Paso and Roswell to some large sheep ranches of New Mexico to learn firsthand of the actual work involved. Contacts had been made with these New Mexican sheep ranchers through a wool buyer in Pat's home town, Port Elizabeth.

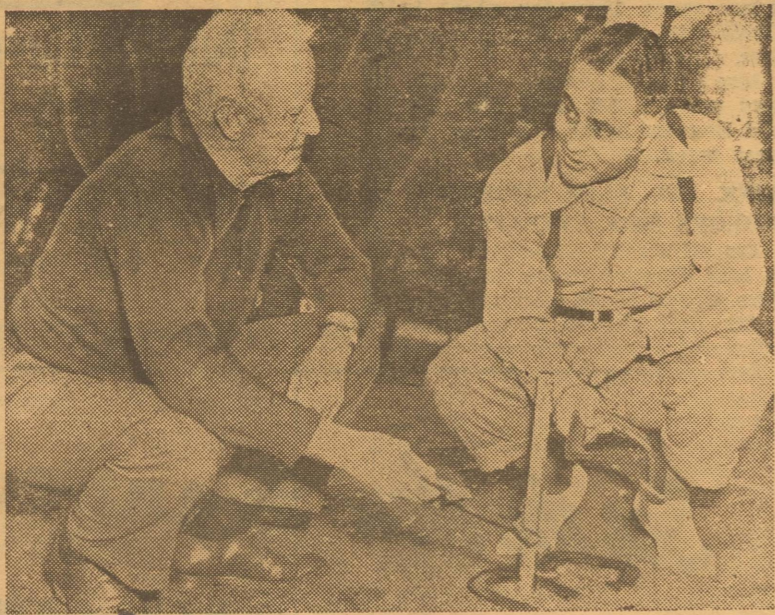
Here he is actually working his way, doing labor on the ranches to pay for his trip, and he plans to go on to Australia in a few months, working there also.

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Attend the public meeting called by the chamber of commerce and agriculture next Thursday night. It concerns you!

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Have you noticed our slogan above the masthead, "An Informed Community Progresses"? We sincerely believe this, having seen it proven time after time. And the staff here is doing its best to keep you informed. We still like the slogan that governs our every word throughout the paper, though, the slogan that we keep foremost in our minds, "Dedicated to Thorough, Dependable Reporting to those we serve Throughout Parmer County."



HORSESHOES AND WORLD EVENTS... Fleet Admiral Chester W. Nimitz (left) instructs Dr. Ralph J. Bunche on the fine points of a game of horseshoes. Dr. Bunche, United Nations official and Palestine mediator, was house guest of the admiral at Berkeley where he was scheduled to address the University of California.

## Moderate Buying Prevails Locally In Contrast to Sprees Elsewhere by War-Jittery Purchasers of Tires, Sugar, Etc.

### Calm View Taken Here, Retail Merchants Say

Panic buying by citizens of Friona does not seem to be on the upsurge to the extent reported from other communities. A spot check of local tire dealers, grocery stores, and dry goods stores reveals that business has not climbed abnormally though in some cases more than the usual amount of certain goods was sold.

People, remembering the days of rationing, seem to be buying more than the usual amount of tires and sugar. Nylons have experienced no boom. Dealers point out that the tires sold may not be due to the war crisis. Many motorists need new tires before their annual summer vacation. Local stores report that most of the tires sold were mounted.

Sugar sales, though increased, may be caused by the canning season. Though a bit early and though there is little local fruit, housewives may be preparing to buy and preserve fruit from down state orchards when it arrives. Following are some comments of local dealers:

C. A. Turner, White Auto Store: "I don't believe I know of any hoarding. All the tires we sell go on the cars now."

Wesley Foster, Foster's Dry Goods: "Shoe sales have really increased. I note no increase in the sale of hosiery though we have sold more sheets than usual."

H. R. Franklin, F. L. Spring Grocery: "We sold out of sugar and we are stocking more than our usual supply. There has been excessive buying of sheets and pillow cases, too. There doesn't seem to be any hoarding of coffee."

H. W. Jobe, Parmer County Implement Co.: "They're not bothering us. We haven't had an increase in tire or farm machinery sales as a result of the Korean war."

DeWayne Cleveland, Corner Grocery: "We didn't notice any change until after the draft law was passed and then customers started buying sugar."

Buddy Lloyd, Consumers: "We've been selling a lot of tires and anti-freeze."

Orville Houser, Cashway Grocery: "There's always a few who will hoard but we haven't had any notable increase in sugar or coffee sales."

Ed White, White's Cash Grocery: "No, I haven't noticed any particular rise in sales of coffee, sugar or any groceries."

## Fire Destroys Davies Barn Tuesday Night

Fire, probably originating from lightning, completely destroyed the barn at the Roy Davies home in southeast Bovina Tuesday night, bringing estimated damage of some \$3,000.00. The fire was discovered by Davies about 3 o'clock a. m. at which time the fire department was summoned, too late to curb the blaze.

## Norwood Rites Held Wednesday

Funeral services for Clyde Norwood, 45 years old, were conducted at the First Baptist church in Friona Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, with Rev. Tommy Allen, pastor, officiating, assisted by Rev. Jimmy Tidwell, pastor of the local Methodist church.

Mr. Norwood, a Friona carpenter, died at his home here Monday evening after three years' illness.

He moved to Friona in May, 1947 from Fort Worth. His youth was spent in and around Lubbock. He was a member of the Friona Baptist church.

Survivors include the widow and one son Clyde, Jr., Friona, three brothers, Thomas Norwood, Fort Worth; Willie Norwood, Friona; and Clarence Norwood, Lubbock; and two sisters, Mrs. Verda Osborn, Friona, and Mrs. Christine Bumgardner, Richland, Wash.

Interment was in the old cemetery at Lubbock under the direction of Gilliland Funeral Home of Hereford.

## Sewer Connections Made by City Upon Notification

"Sewer lines will be connected any time we are notified that owners wish the service to begin," City Manager Roy Wilson said today.

"Contrary to what seems to be popularly believed, the city is not behind in making the necessary connections. The proper inspections are made, tapping and plumbing done and then lines are connected if we are notified to do it," he continued.

To date, 115 have been connected; approximately three hundred residences should be connected before the system will be completed. Terms can be arranged for tapping and plumbing when the city office is notified. All lines must be declared safe before connections can be made.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hohlitzel of Glendale, Calif. spent Tuesday in the home of their aunt, Mrs. Pearl Kinsley. They left Wednesday for Glendale after a trip to New York and Flint, Mich.

Mrs. Vance Crum left Tuesday for a vacation in the mountains.

## Maximum Benefits of Parcel Post Use Are Dependent Upon Understanding of A Few Simple Rules, Postmaster Tells

### Hints Are Listed For Faster, Better Service

By Lunell McFarland "Parcel post is the cheapest and probably the most used of all methods of communication. It is so common that it is taken for granted by citizens and often mistakes are made in its use just because people don't know what is right," Postmaster Sloan Osborn explained this week.

"We have more trouble with things," he continued. It seems people misunderstand about sealing envelopes. Sealing or leaving unsealed does not change the class of mail or postage rate. This applies also to invitations, notices or anything sent in envelopes. Printed invitations, with only the signature written in, are second class mail. But any postscript or message added to the printed note makes it first class mail.

"Drop letters" or letters which are handled by only one person of the postal department, require only 1c postage. Therefore, letters sent in the city to some one else in the city require only 1c postage. Therefore, letters in city for route delivery are first class mail and require a 3c stamp.

The notices on packages which say "Postmaster: This parcel may be opened for postal inspection if necessary" gives any postmaster the right to open packages sent parcel post rate. This protects the Post Office Department against the entry of illegal material in the mail.

## Public Poll

With the Korean war situation becoming more and more serious, Friona citizens, like others all over the United States, are talking and thinking of global war possibilities. When several people were asked the question "What do you think of the United States taking part in Korean fighting?" the answers were unanimously in favor of the step taken by the U. S. Following are some of the answers:

Mrs. Henry Lewis, "If we don't take part in it now we'll soon be in something bigger. I'm not in favor of any kind of war but this is a case of have to."

Wesley Hardesty—"You can't compromise with the Communists. It's now or later."

P. L. London—"It seems to be the only thing we could do, but it looks to me like the United States isn't carrying on a very well planned war."

Charles Allen—"I think it's time the United States did something. I'm glad they're taking part in something I think is right."

Bill Stewart—"Sure, we've got to stop Communism somewhere, so why not Korea instead of America? Only thing I think we should have had more power there when they struck."

Rev. E. T. Allen—"It seems necessary sooner or later. I'm afraid it is a more serious situation than we realize."

Weldon Dixon—"I think it should have come sooner. We just waited too long. I don't think it will last too much longer and I hope it ends, like so many other wars, without a formal declaration of war."

Leo McLellan—"We're at least 90 days too late. The United States should have gotten in sooner with more. We can whip them easier now than five years later."

Guy Latta—"I think they took a stand they should have taken before."

Ernest Osborn—"We waited five years too late to start because I was in 'em before."

W. H. Jobe—"It's the only thing to do. It's serious and liable to be a long drawn out affair."

## PIANO RECITAL HELD IN L. F. LILLARD HOME

Pupils of Mrs. L. F. Lillard presented a music recital in the Lillard home Wednesday afternoon at 3:00. Mothers of the group were guests.

Participating in the program of piano music were Eugenia Landrum, Mrs. Walter Loveless, Bonnie Wagner, Joyce Agee, Joan Agee, Patsy Anthony, Sterling Prichard, Lanette Prichard, H. V. Rocky and Ira Bruce Parr.

Refreshments were served to guests Mrs. E. M. Wagner and mother, Mesdames A. W. Anthony Reete Agee, S. S. Prichard, H. V. Rocky, Bruce Parr and Ray Landrum.

## Community-Wide Meet Slated

### Increased Deposits Of Friona Bank Are Unusual In Area

June bank books in Friona show that bank deposits in Friona have increased \$48,515.29 since the April call, with the June call showing \$2,083,631.92 on deposit in the Friona State Bank in contrast to the April call of \$2,035,116.63. The increase, unusual because of the poor wheat harvest this year, is largely due to construction funds and the all leasing in Parmer County, according to Charles Allen, assistant cashier at Friona State Bank.

The all-time high for local bank deposits was \$2,488,253.19 on February 2, 1950. Until that time the high had been in August, 1947, with deposits reaching \$2,434,998.16.

Loans show a decided increase rising from \$670,494.67 in April to \$816,125.40 on the June 30 call. A year ago loans were \$583,499.16.

### Public Meeting Called for Consideration Of Re-Activated Commerce-Agriculture Program and Organization for Friona

### DHIA Production Leaders For June Are Announced

June herd averages and individual tests have been announced by Leo Bednorz, tester for the Dairy Herd Improvement Association.

Taking high herd honors in the four-county area was the herd of D. C. Burnett, south of Friona, whose 21 cows on test produced an average of 850 lbs. of milk for the month. Burnett was runner up to Levi Johnson of Oklahoma Lane last month.

Herd butterfat production was topped by the H. C. Wells herd of 29 cows on test, with an average of 34 lbs. butterfat.

High individual animal honors were divided between H. C. Wells and Humphrey's Dairy of Clovis. Claudette, a registered Holstein from the Humphrey's herd, chalked up an enviable record of 1810 lbs. production for the month, with a registered Wells Jersey producing 70 lbs. butterfat.

Now in its third month of operation under the supervision of an official DHIA tester, the local association embraces Parmer, Deaf Smith, Castro, and Curry County, N. M. Fifteen herds are on test, with the addition of the Martin Fulcher herd of Black being added during June.

### Swimming Party Held By Rainbow Group at Hereford Pool Tuesday

Bovina Rainbow Assembly No. 158 had a swimming party at the Hereford pool Tuesday night from 7:00 to 9:00. Attending were girls from Friona, Bovina, Farwell and Oklahoma Lane. A picnic in the park had been planned but rain forced the group to change their plans and a picnic lunch was enjoyed by all in the Camp Fire Girls hut there.

A most enjoyable evening was reported by all who attended.

Among those attending were Mary Bell Aldridge, worthy advisor; Murna Welch, Nancy Aldridge, Gay Ann McFarland, Sandra Bateman, Joyce Miller, Betty Foster, Mary Lou Miller, Marcia Foster, Dorothy Gunn, Margie Haws, and the sponsors, Mesdames John Aldridge and Katy Ellison.

## Friona Methodist Men Take Program To Hereford Group

Some twenty-five men of the local Methodist church presented a program at Hereford Wednesday evening and were guests for a covered dish luncheon at the Methodist church there.

A mens' quartet composed of P. L. London, Forrest Osborn, Rev. James Tidwell and Tim Magness sang a number of songs, accompanied by Miss Vera Jones.

Forrest Osborn gave a layman's talk on the topic "A Man—His Place in the Christian World."

## New Citizens

Born to Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Jobe a daughter, Deborah Leah, on July 5.

New arrival in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Mills is Miss Brenda Lou Mills who arrived July 6.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Mahurin of Bovina are the parents of a new son, Eugene Martin, Jr., who arrived July 5.

Miss Myra Jan Welch is the new daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Louis Welch. She was born July 9 at a Hereford hospital.

### Full-Time Secretary Will be Discussed In Thursday Night Forum

Re-activation of the Friona Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture will be discussed at an open meeting in Friona next Thursday evening.

W. L. (Preach) Edelmont, chairman of the board of directors, has called the meeting for 8:30 in the local school gymnasium, and he urges all interested in an activated program to attend. Farmers and business men are especially invited.

Among topics to be aired are projects demanding urgent attention and the possibility of employing a full-time secretary or secretary-manager for the organization.

Emphasis is placed on the fact that this is a public meeting, not limited to the board of directors or any other group. It has been several months since the board has met; problems facing the community as a whole now demand action of some kind, and it is hoped that an aggressive program can be inaugurated at the Thursday night discussion period.

### Slagle Home Damaged In Monday Morning Fire

Damage estimated between \$300 and \$500 resulted from a fire in the home of Roy Slagle Monday. Cause of the fire is supposed to be a short in a wire caused by the lightning that morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Slagle were both away from home at the time of the fire, which has been set at between 11:30 and 12:00 noon. Mrs. Ted Rutherford went into the house immediately after the thunder storm began and closed all the windows. When Mrs. Slagle returned about 5:00 p. m. she discovered that there had been a fire. Firemen were called to determine the cause and make sure it was completely extinguished.

The fire apparently started in the rug near the window. Reports are that the drapes and window shade were completely destroyed. Paint on the window was ruined and wallpaper on the ceiling had burned. The back of a chair near the flame was seined and the rug under the window was badly burned.

Firemen say no greater damage was caused because there was absolutely no wind to fan the fire. The walls and ceiling did not catch fire because the house is made of blocks. No more furniture and curtains were burned because the drapes were pulled apart to allow the air conditioner in the left window to operate efficiently.

## Baptist Camp Was Attended by Girls From Friona

The annual Baptist Assembly south of Floydada opened Monday for junior girls. The camp lasted three days with the girls returning Wednesday.

Those girls and sponsors attending from Friona were Joy Crow, Phila May, Lila Gay, and Deanne Buske, Sandra Brook, Marie White, Luann Hardesty, Sally Osborn, Ray Jean Jones, Mrs. W. S. Crow, Mrs. Tommie Allen, Bronell Allen and Earl Crow.

Intermediate girls were taken to the camp Wednesday when the junior girls returned.

CHURCH OF CHRIST NOTICE A Church of Christ meeting is being held at 10:30 each Sunday morning in the American Legion hall.

ABSENTEE VOTING LIGHT Sixteen absentee votes have been cast thus far for the July 22 primary election. The final day for absentee voting is July 18.



**BANK'S OFFICIAL**

**STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION**

of the FRIONA STATE BANK at Friona, Texas, at the close of business on the 30th day of June, 1950, pursuant to call made by the Banking Commissioner of Texas in accordance with the Banking Laws of this State.

**RESOURCES**

Loans and discounts, including overdrafts	\$816,125.40
United States Government Obligations, direct and guaranteed	824,425.65
Obligations of states and political subdivisions	20,430.32
Cash, balances due from other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection (including exchanges for clearing house)	487,884.62
Banking house, or leasehold improvements	50,000.00
Furniture, fixtures, and equipment	10,988.06
<b>Total Resources</b>	<b>\$2,209,854.05</b>

**LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS**

Common Capital Stock	50,000.00
Surplus: Certified \$50,000.00	50,000.00
Undivided profits	26,222.13
Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,656,427.91
Public funds (Incl. U. S. Govt., states and political subdivisions)	427,204.01
<b>Total all deposits</b>	<b>\$2,083,631.92</b>
<b>Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts</b>	<b>\$2,209,854.05</b>

STATE OF TEXAS  
COUNTY OF PARMER

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

CHARLES E. ALLEN,

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 7th day of July, 1950.

Lola Goodwine,

Notary Public, Parmer County, Texas

(Seal)

CORRECT—ATTEST

J. G. McFarland, S. H. Osborn, Frank Spring, Directors.

Charter No. 1233

**BOVINA**

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Lee and Shellia went to Palo Duro Canyon and enjoyed a picnic Monday.

Doris Wilson, Pat Kunselman and Rickey, Carolyn and Delores Wilson and Mrs. White were shopping in Clovis Monday afternoon.

Arthur Moorman and children Dale Lee and Sherry Jo, visited in the D. E. Lee home Tuesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank H. Wilson and daughters Carolyn and Delores, and Pat Kunselman spent the fourth of July at Palo Duro Canyon.

Mrs. O. B. Edgar and son of Tucson, Ariz., visited in her aunt's home, Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Macon, the past week.

Grace Wells, Odessa, is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Byron Turner, and friends in Clovis.

Mrs. Oscar Bruce is in Temple this week with her mother, Mrs. Ripley, who underwent surgery at Scott's and White hospital.

Mrs. Howard Ellison went to Oklahoma City to a hospital by ambulance early Thursday morning, where they will do some skin grafting. She was accompanied by her husband, Howard, her mother, Mrs. Jester, and a special nurse, Mr. and Mrs. Buck Ellison and the little grandson went later in the day, to be near her with her little son while in the hospital. Mrs. Buck Ellison and the baby will stay up there for a while. Recent word from the hospital report that Mrs. Ellison stood the trip fine. June's address is Wesley hospital, 300 N. West, 12th st., Oklahoma City. Write her.

Mr. and Mrs. Shelby Bishop and children of Sentinel, Okla., are visiting in the homes of J. H. Steelman and Mrs. Alice Moore. Mr. Bishop is pastor of the Baptist church at Sentinel.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore spent Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jess Rountree in Littlefield. Mrs. Rountree is a sister of Mr. Moore.

Clara Rountree of Littlefield spent Wednesday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Vincen Mann and weekend in her brother's home, Mr. and Mrs. Nat Reid.

Mrs. A. M. Wilson has been in a hospital in Clovis. She was able to return to her home here on Thursday.

Mrs. Lula Quickel of Woodward is visiting her son and daughter in law, Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Quickel.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hromas had as their guests for Sunday Mr. and Mrs. Louis Pesch, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Pesch and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Hromas and children.

J. F. Pesch is in a hospital in Friona this week.

Willoford and Dorothy Quickel and children spent the Fourth of July holidays at Cisco, visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Kent and

children, Betty Rose, Bobby and Carl from Liberal, Kan., visited her mother, Mrs. Mable Newberry last week.

Lee Hopingardner is improving at this time. He spent several days in a Clovis hospital, after surgery. He is able to be up and around the house.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hopingardner entertained in their home on the Fourth of July with a picnic dinner. Those enjoying this delicious dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Bob BZalock and children, Sonnie and Judy of Oil City, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. Howard Cox and daughter Janet of Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Buster and children, Marie and Bludie, Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Webb and children, Clovis, and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Floyd and children, Bily, Virginia and Linda, Bovina, and the family.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Means and children, who have been visiting here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Giles Williams, returned to their home in Quinlan, Okla., a few days.

Miss Eurith Marie Crook is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Crook at Quinlan, Okla., this week.

Can see quite a bit of activity in Bovina this week. You know it is time for the Clean up campaign and everyone is trying to observe it. Let's not only observe the one clean up week, let's make our little city the cleanest in the state.

The Baptist church grounds, also the grounds around the parsonage are certainly looking pretty these days, they have got the grass and shrubs all started so nicely. If we want to start a lawn, just ask Bro. Speegle, for he seems to know how its done. Seems that one can go by there and he is planting a plot of grass and in just a few days

the ground is covered and so green and pretty.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene McCuan are the proud parents of a baby boy born in the Parmer County Community hospital on Thursday, July 6. Mr. McCuan farms on the Billy Sudderth place. They named the little gentleman Eugene Marvin. He weighed seven pounds and 12 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Thrillkill went to Sunray on Thursday of this week to visit in the Freeman home.

Lorn Thompson and Wesley Ayres spent Thursday night in Clovis with Lorn's grandmother, Mrs. Thompson.

Mrs. Clifford Leake and daughters visited in Mr. and Mrs. Mildard Engram home on Sunday the past week.

**PINK AND BLUE SHOWER HONORS MRS. STERLING**

On Thursday afternoon, July 6, Mrs. Howard Crook, Mrs. Otis Mrs. Travis Lloyd were hostesses. Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hendricks

when a lovely pink and blue shower was given in the home of Mrs. Howard Crook, honoring Mrs. Charles Sterling.

A few games were played, then the gifts were presented to the

honors. Little stories were given for favors. Punch, cookies and sandwiches were served to the following:

The hostesses, Mrs. Howard (Continued on page seven)

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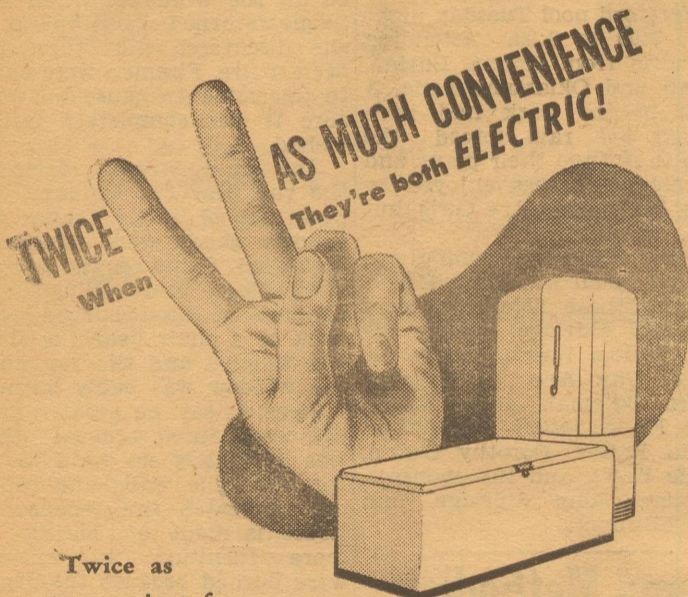
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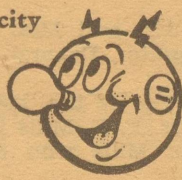
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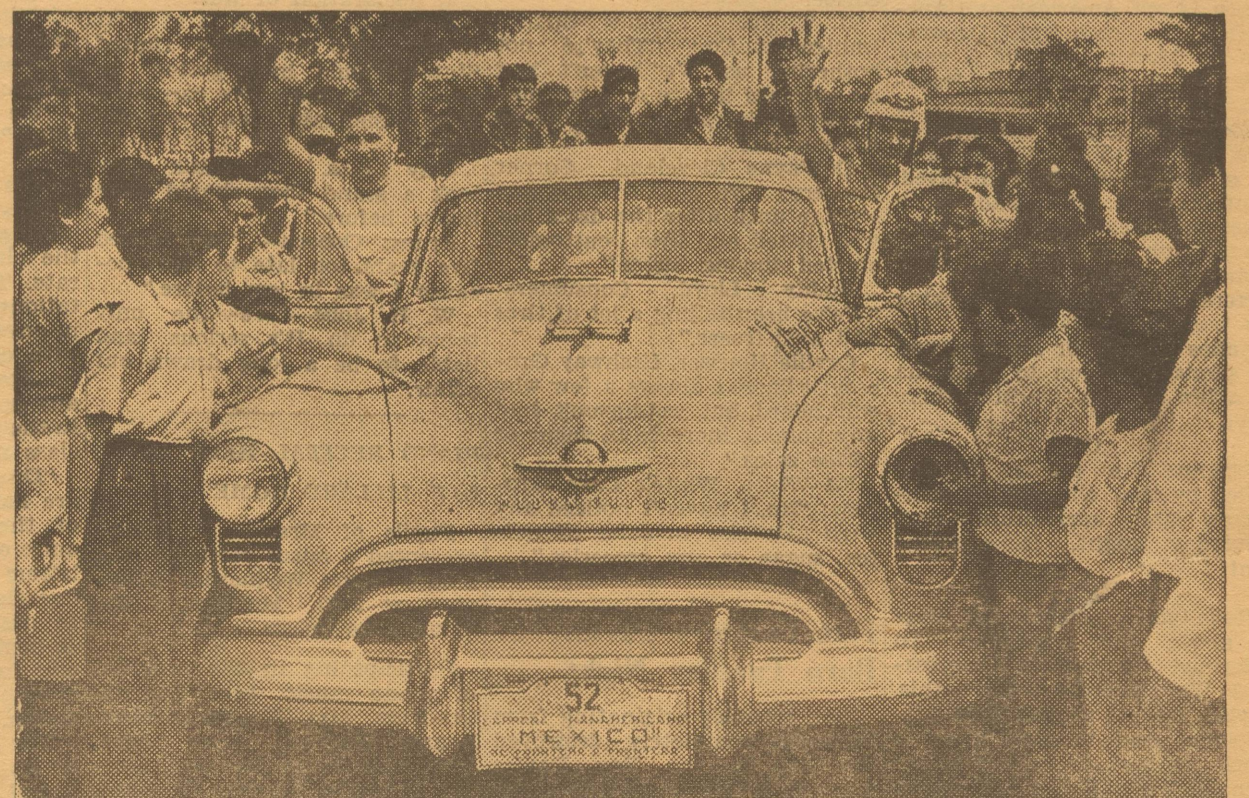
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### Thirtieth Wedding Date Is Celebrated By Mr., Mrs. Charlie Phipps Thursday

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Phipps celebrated their 30th wedding anniversary Thursday, July 6, with a supper given in their home eight miles northwest of Friona. Attending were Mrs. Phipps' father, J. W. Mayo of Vernon, a brother, J. L. Mayo and family of Altus, Okla., and Mr. and

Mrs. Phipps' children, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Phipps and sons of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Phipps and son of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Phipps and daughter of Friona, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bandy, Friona, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Jameson and son of Friona, and Virgie, June, Jane and Geraldine Phipps of the home address. A daughter, Mrs. Conrad Williams of Goodland, was unable to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Mayo and family and J. W. Mayo left Friday on their way to San Jon, N. M.

It was the first time the Phipps family had all been together since 1943.

Lila Robason was guest of Billie Burum at W.T.S.C. this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Pamtag and family of West Port, Calif., spent the weekend visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Baizum.

Don Lewis sang at the Baptist church in Levelland Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis and Don went on to Sundown to visit Mrs. Lewis' sister, Mrs. Claude Howard.

### Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Wright Williams visited Mrs. Williams' sister, Mrs. Howard Brown, in Levelland Sunday.

Dan Lewis of Dallas is visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Lewis.

Misses Beth and Eileen Lacky of Brownwood are visiting in the home of their aunt, Mrs. W. A. Tinney.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Spring and family left Saturday for a two week vacation in Yellowstone National park.

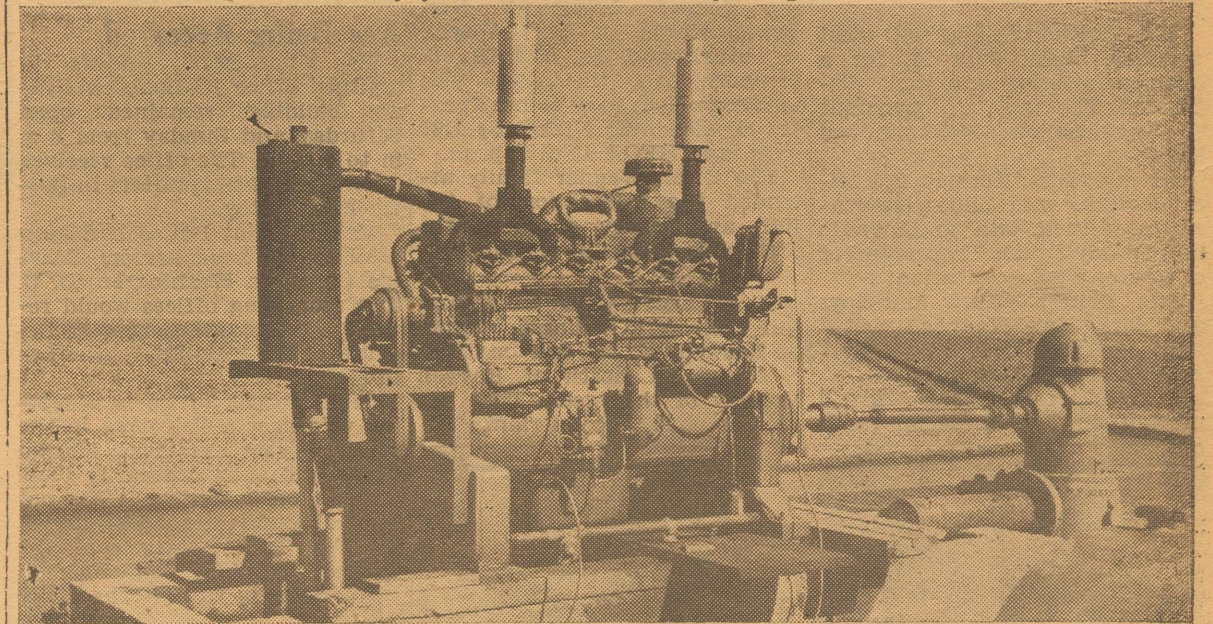
Mr. and Mrs. Ray Taylor, R. J. and Christine returned to their home in Fort Worth after a vacation trip to Quary, Colo. The Taylors visited Mrs. Taylor's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Wiley and other friends and relatives in Friona.

Mr. and Mrs. Tilden Slagle attended the funeral of Mrs. Slagle's brother, Preston Hale, in Dumas Sunday. Preston, who may be remembered by many Frionans, was killed in an accident.

Mrs. Ted Rutherford and twin sons are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Slagle.

Mrs. Herschel Johnson underwent a major operation in the Hereford hospital Monday. She is reported doing very well.

(This is No. 5 of a series of photographs and stories about home people and home scenes. A weekly feature devoted to Parmer County farmers, presented by your Parmer County Implement Company).



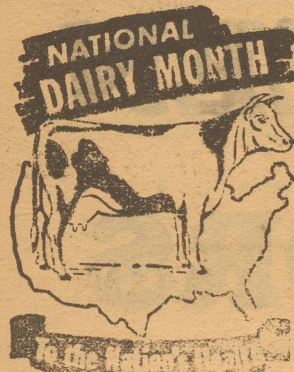
This UD-24 International Power Unit pulls an 8 inch pump at 300 ft. setting on the Cordy Potts place 17 miles northwest of Friona. The unit was purchased in March of this year and has operated over 300 hours since that time using about 6 1-2 gallons of diesel fuel per hour. Oil is changed every 100 hours with about 10 quarts added between changes.

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### Church Notes

#### Baptist Church

Tommy Allen, Minister  
Sunday school .....10:00 a. m.  
Preaching .....11:00 a. m.  
Training Union .....7:45 p. m.  
Evening service .....8:45 p. m.  
W. M. U. ....Tues. 3:00 p. m.  
Sunbeams.....Tues. 3:00 p. m.  
Prayer meeting...Wed. 8:30 p. m.

#### Tenth Street Church of Christ

Herb Sweeney, Minister  
Sunday school .....10:00 a. m.  
Preaching .....11:00 a. m.  
Evening services .....8:00 p. m.  
Prayer meeting...Wed. 8:30 p. m.

#### Congregational Church

George Meyer, Minister  
Sunday school .....10:00 a. m.  
Communion Sunday...11:00 a. m.

#### Methodist Church

James E. Tidwell, Minister  
Sunday school .....10:00 a. m.  
Morning service .....11:00 a. m.  
Youth Fellowship...7:30 p. m.  
Evening service .....8:30 p. m.

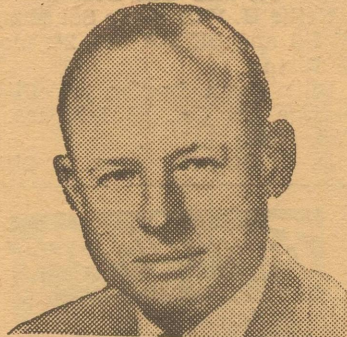
#### Pentecostal Church

Lee Davis, Minister  
Sunday school .....10:00 a. m.  
Morning service .....11:00 a. m.  
Evening service .....8:30 p. m.  
Bible study...Wed. 8:30 p. m.  
Young People...Fri. 8:30 p. m.

#### Church of Christ

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Evening service .....8:30 p. m.

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### COMINGS, GOINGS AND DOINGS

## News About People

By LONNIE HUDKINS  
Journal Staff Writer

ON THE LEGAL FRONT: Lubbock attorneys have been most complimentary of 64th District Judge E. A. Bills, Littlefield jurist who exchanged benches last week with 99th District Judge G. V. Fardue and tried several cases here. Pooled statements: He has admirable judicial temperament, quietly maintains courtroom decorum, reflects in prompt and unbiased rulings his knowledge of the law and procedure and, in general, is a worthy successor to the 64th district's veteran presiding judge, C. D. Russell, resigned. Judge Bills became widely known for his general practice of law over more than two decades before his appointment to succeed Judge Russell.

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Those qualifications which are essential to a competent residing judge of a trial court — judicial temperament, knowledge of the law, integrity, dignity, actual trial experience in trial courts and in courts of appeal — are so plainly evident in Judge E. A. Bills of Littlefield, candidate for the office of District Judge of the 64th Judicial District, that our neighbors to the south of us have seen fit to recognize those qualities in unsolicited public print.

Judge Bills, who has lived and practiced law in Littlefield and this district for 26 years, has all the necessary qualities to make and is making an outstanding trial judge. His qualifications as recognized by the bar and citizens of this district and our neighbors to the south merit his election to a first full term in office. Judge Bills was appointed by the Governor upon C. D. Russell's resignation as of January first this year, the Governor making such appointment upon recommendations of citizens of this district.

On the basis of recognized and acknowledged ability to handle this office, Judge Bill's candidacy is presented to you for your consideration.

This presentation of Judge Bills' candidacy is submitted on his behalf by friends and supporters

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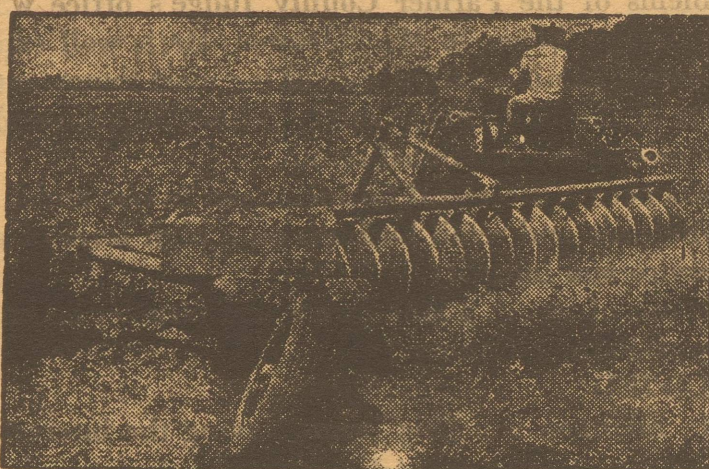
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### Rhea News

By Lucille Hoffman  
 Mr. and Mrs. Ben Drager and family returned home Saturday, July 8 after spending several weeks visiting with relatives here.  
 The Walther League will meet Tuesday night, July 11, for a business meeting and topic discussion. The topic will conclude the services on Mohammedan Missions.  
 Mr. and Mrs. Herman Schueler, Dorothy and Lillian returned from their trip to Colorado last Friday night. They reported a very enjoyable vacation.  
 Mrs. Paul Koeltzow and boys and Mrs. Max Wagner visited with Mr. and Mrs. Billy Alderson Sunday afternoon.  
 The Lutheran Ladies' Aid will meet Thursday afternoon for a

business meeting and topic discussion. The topic will be taken from the June Christian Parent magazine.  
 Irene Drager, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Drager, is recovering nicely after undergoing an appendectomy last week.  
 Guest speakers on the Lutheran Home for July are the Rev. Erwin Kurth of Fort Wayne on utual and Lt. Col. A. C. Piepkorn over the ABC. The Lutheran Hour may be heard every Sunday over KAMQ at 1:30 p. m. and KFQA at 4:00 p. m.  
 The E. M. Wagner family attended the celebration of the 10th anniversary of the Lutheran church at Clovis Sunday.  
 Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dixon and son Jim were business visitors in Roswell N. M. and on their cattle ranch north of Roswell Monday of this week. They report an abundance of rain.

### Lubbock Marine Office Is Open Overtime Now


**Voluntary Enlistments Are Being Accepted**  
 The U. S. Marine Corps recruiting office in Lubbock Federal building remained open Saturday and Sunday from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. The office received orders from headquarters in Dallas late Friday.  
 The office at Dallas had been notified by headquarters, Marine Corps, in Washington, D. C. that recruiting offices would remain open over the weekend because of the international situation.  
 The Lubbock office is accepting volunteer enlistments in the regular and reserve Marine Corps and they ordinarily close at noon on Saturday. It has not been officially announced as yet but they expect to be open the weekend of 15th and 16th of July probably during the same hours.

### Courthouse Records

Release—Federal Land Bank to E. H. Young.  
 Release—Federal Land Bank to Elva C. Berry et ux.  
 Release—G. H. Lindop to D. K. Lindop, S 1-2, sec. 14, T9S, R1E.  
 Deed of Trust—Rosa A. Hamlin to E. Paul Dague, NW 1-4 and E 1-2 of sec. 8, block A, Rhea.  
 Release—G. W. Williams to Rosa A. Hamlin, E 1-2 of sec. 8, Block A, Rhea.  
 Affidavit—Rosa A. Hamlin to Public, NW 1-4 of sec. 8, block A, Rhea.  
 Deed of Trust—W. B. Stark et ux to Frank A. Spring, lots 1, and 2, Block 71, Friona.  
 Transfer—Dan Lacewell to Friona State Bank, lots 1 and 2, block 71, Friona.  
 Transfer—First Federal Savings & Loan Association to Friona State Bank, lots 1 and 2, block 71 Friona.  
 Subordination Agreement — Plainview Production Credit Association to Ewing E. Johnson, E 1-2, sec. 17, block C.  
 Deed of Trust—Ben Foster et ux to Warren M. Humes, Trustee, W 1-2, sec. 81, Thomas Kelly Sub., and 4.402a of E 1-2, sec. 81, Block H.  
 Transfer Subordination agreement — (Chas. Lunsford to Connecticut Mutual Life Insurance Company, W 1-2, sec. 81, Thomas Kelly Sub., and 4.402a of E 1-2 sec. 81, block H.  
 Release — Federal Land Bank to George W. Crim.  
 Release — Federal Land Bank to Charlie Phipps.  
 Transfer — G. B. Buske to Jack Dunn, sec. 1, 2, 3, 6, 7 and 8, part sec. 4, Oliver.  
 Deed of Trust — Leonard L. Grissom et ux to U. S. A., SW 1-4 sec. 18, T11S, R33E.  
 Transfer — L. P. Davis & son Inc., to Traveler's Insurance Co., SW 1-44, sec. 80, block H, NW 1-2 sec. 79, block H, Kelly.

Deed of Trust — William F. Scheinbock et ux to Donald C. Fritch trustee, SW 1-4, sec. 80, block H, NW 1-4 sec. 779, block H, Kelly.  
 Quit Claim Deed — D. C. Melugin to Margaret H. Melugin, S 1-2 of NW 1-4, sec. 3, block E, Margaret H. Melugin to D. C. Melugin, N 1-2 of NW 1-4, sec. 3, block E, sec. 27, block C, N 1-2 of sec. 23, SE 1-4 sec. 23, S 1-2 sec. 22, and NW 1-4 sec. 22, block A.  
 Easement — Farwell Winston to City of Farwell, lot 3 lying N of G.O.S.F. ROW, lot 4, sec. 32, T99S, R1E.  
 Release — Security State Bank to J. W. Crim, NW 1-4 sec. 26, T11S, R3E.  
 Mechanic's Lien — Carl Davis et ux to W. L. Stark, lots 28, 29, 30, 31 and 32, Farwell.  
 Transfer — Dale Moody to Equitable Life, NW 1-4 sec. 33, D&K.  
 Deed of Trust — E. A. Parham et ux to Warren M. Humes, E 1-2 sec. 81, Kelly.  
 Agreement — Farwell Winston to Capitol Mineral Rights Company.  
 Correction Deed Farwell Winston to Geo. A. Jones, 160a out of SE part of Sec. 99, T 5 1-2 S, R5E.  
 Oil and Gas Leases  
 Nellie H. Withers to Sol Simon, W 1-2 and SE 1-4, sec. 24, block C, Rhea.  
 Billy Dean Baxter to Cities Service Oil Co., E 1-2 sec. 2, T6S, R3E.  
 D. C. Burnett et ux to Cities

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 Problems of the Parmer County Judge's office would bring few new problems to Mr. Edelman. He is well experienced in school administration, one of the most important requirements of the Ex-Officio County School Superintendent under the new state educational set-up.  
 He has been a successful business man in our midst, operating wholesale and retail business on a high level of efficiency, service and integrity.  
 He is one of us . . . a land owner and farmer; he knows the needs of Parmer County.
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 W. L. Edelman is a "big" man, having the interests of Parmer County at heart—not the limited interests of any group, any one community, or any one pet project . . . . .

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By The  
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# EDITORIAL

## Would a Re-activated Chamber of Commerce-Agriculture Merit a Try? Isn't a Permanent, Active Organization of Farmers and Businessmen Imperative for Future Growth?

We are more than glad to see the movement for a re-activated Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture in Friona. Rather than congratulating the wide-awake leaders of this activity, or handing them bouquets, this editor believes the interest no more than should be expected. After all, any community worth living in is a community worth working for.

In considering a chamber of commerce program, three factors should be analyzed: (1) WHAT is a chamber of commerce? (2) HOW will the organization benefit, and (3) WHO determines the success or failure of the project?

Let us record here that the present day commerce organization has graduated cum laude from the old days of blah-blah ballyhoo and overzealous civic workers who boasted, so often without fact, of the Biggest, the Best, the Loudest community in the state! Today, thank goodness, chambers of commerce that receive the plaudits are the ones who have down-to-earth programs of action and achievement, benefitting every group in its community. Here we should remember that Friona and Parmer County are dependent almost wholly upon agriculture for its meat and bread; then our chamber of commerce should be operated with this in mind, utilizing the talents of the farmer members especially, designing a program of concrete benefits to farmer, business man, professional man, and clerk alike. It can be done.

HOW will an active organization benefit? Think of the pressing work now on the agenda . . . more rural paving for mutual benefit of farmer and businessman; better streets within our city; periodic celebrations; every-day merchandising of our town and its goods; a concentrated good-neighbor program; and a voice that can champion every worthwhile cause the year around. Is there anyone discrediting such needs? I think not.

WHO is the chamber of commerce?

You and I are the only people who will determine the course of its success or failure. Oh, certainly we can hire a paid secretary or manager (and I am in favor), and he could expect full cooperation for some months, I am confident. But in the long pull, in the long-range program, it is no one but you and I who will determine the enthusiasm of a progressive program. A hired secretary will deserve much credit or much blame as the case may be, but it is our responsibility to frame a program for his execution, lending every assistance, cooperating when called upon for specific tasks . . . tomorrow and next year!

Should we give it a try? Is the time ripe? Does the goal and results justify the effort and expense? Let this newspaper have your opinion by written letter, word of mouth, or attendance at next week's meeting announced elsewhere in this issue.

## DO YOU REMEMBER . . .

From the Files of The Star

### 10 YEARS AGO

Miss Carmel Lee Guinn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Guinn became the bride of Fryan Morgan of Shamrock on June 21.

Officers of the Congregational Comrade group were: president, Bobby Blackwell, vice president, Nancy Shackelford; report-Jean Crawford; secretary-treasurer, Jacquelyn Wilkison and songstress, Shirley Maurer.

Mrs. Oscar Pope was in the hospital at Temple recovering from a long illness.

Herbert Butts and wife of McAdoo were visitors in the J. T. Gee home.

Born to Mr. and Mrs. James Bragg at Clovis on June 26, a son.

### 20 YEARS AGO

A five inch rain was reported south of town. Lazbuddie was hit by hail and wheat crops were destroyed. Previous to the rains thermometers rose to 104 degrees one day and the temperature was 100 degrees several days.

Misses Ester and Mary Reeve were hostesses to a group of young people at a birthday dinner in honor of their cousin, Miss Alice Guyer.

Friona school board was accepting bids for transportation to and from school for 1930-31. All truck bodies had to be new and all chassis in good condition.

Fred White's ad read "I most heartily congratulate Mr. Eberling on the splendid talking picture show he is giving Friona." Ford roadsters were advertised for \$435.

### 25 YEARS AGO

Official population was 730, an increase of 530 since 1920.

Contract for the new high school building was let to J. L. Landrum for \$45,000.00.

M. A. Crum moved his real estate and insurance office from the room adjoining the postoffice on the east side of main street to the south room of Henry Jones' brick building on the west side of the street. The office was described as "classy."

The Star reported that hog raising in the Friona territory was lagging. Handsome profits, \$10 for 30 and 40 lb. pigs, and at least five dollars for any kind of pig, were realized by those few who had retained their swine.

Miss Lucy Goodwine was visiting in Friona. She was then attending Columbia University in New York.

Real estate agents listed land 5 miles from Friona for \$15.00 an acre.

The Lazbuddie Study club was entertained in the home of Mr. Otto Treider. President of the club was Mrs. Robert Bledsoe.

Hix Grocery advertised ice cream for sale every Saturday and Sunday, but they had cold drinks every day.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hinds and family have been visiting friends in Friona this week.

Randy Dixon who has been visiting his grandparents in Lovington since school vacation began, returned to Friona Saturday.

Main Street by Ralph Stein



## Contracts Needed Even More Between Honest Men, Attorney Kirk Explains

By Robt. (Bob) Kirk  
Do you know why you need a contract more when dealing with an honest man than with a dishonest man?

Two men who are honest need a contract to help them remember exactly what they agreed to do. In making an agreement both intend to do exactly as they agreed. Some months after the agreement, without a contract to refer to, one might remember an item one way, and the other might remember it

differently. Each believing he is right will stand steadfastly by his position, and will not change his views without a lawsuit. Whereas, if they had a contract, they could refer to it, and one seeing that he remembered the item incorrectly would admit it and would do as he agreed to do.

A dishonest man, will do only what he is forced to do. Thus he will take his contract and study it, and see if he can

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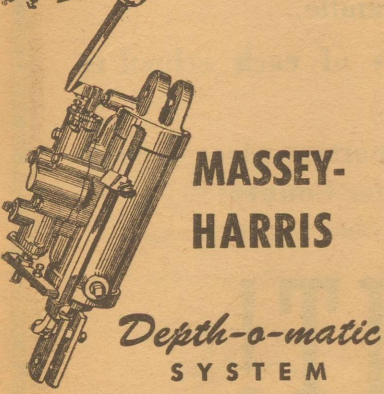
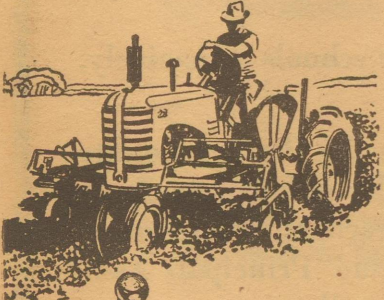
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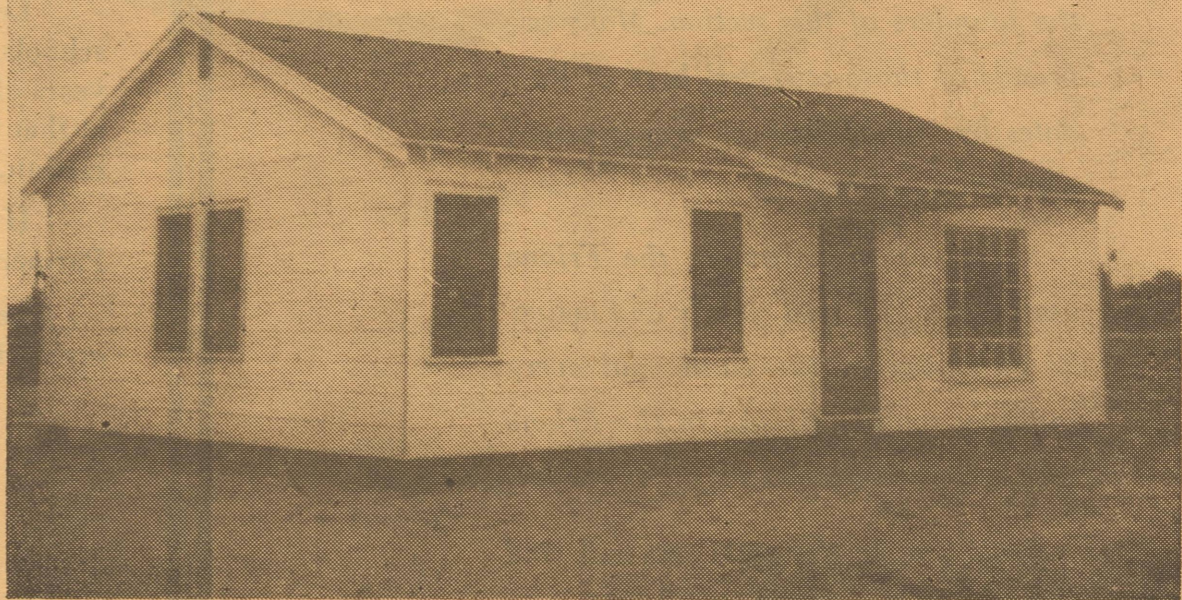
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# Friona State Bank

## Tedford-Jones Vows Read in Texico Ceremony

In a simple ceremony performed in Texico, Sunday, July 2 at 9 o'clock a. m., Miss Bobby Joyce Tedford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Tedford, became the bride of Roy Lee Jones, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Jones. Rev. L. P. Davis, pastor of the Pentecostal church read the impressive ceremony. Vows were exchanged in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Chester Hatcher, pastor of the United Pentecostal Church of Texico. The bride was attractively attired in an aqua and black dress. She carried a white Bible topped with pink gardenias and showered with white streamers. For her going away dress the bride chose a white faille suit with which she wore black and white accessories. Her corsage was of pink gardenias. Mrs. Tedford, mother of the bride wore a light yellow suit. Her corsage was of red carnations. Mrs. Jones, mother of the groom, wore a blue dress with a corsage of white gardenias. Only close friends and the immediate families were present at the wedding. After a short honeymoon, the couple returned to Friona. Both Mr. and Mrs. Jones attended Friona High school. Mr. Jones was graduated this year and is presently employed at the Friona Poultry and Egg.

## Jenell Dukes, Fred Pope Are Wed Sunday

The marriage of Miss Jenell Dukes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jennings Duke, to Fred Pope, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Pope took place Sunday, July 2 in the Church of Christ at Clovis. Rev. Boyd Glover, cousin of the groom, performed the double ring ceremony. The bride was lovely in a blue street length dress. Her accessories were white and her corsage was of white daisies. Attending her sister as matron of honor, Mrs. Smith Pope wore a yellow dress with white accessories. Smith Pope, brother of the groom, was best man. A reception was held following the ceremony with the couple's immediate families present. The bride graduated from Friona High school in 1949. Mr. and Mrs. Pope will be at home in Borger where the groom is employed.

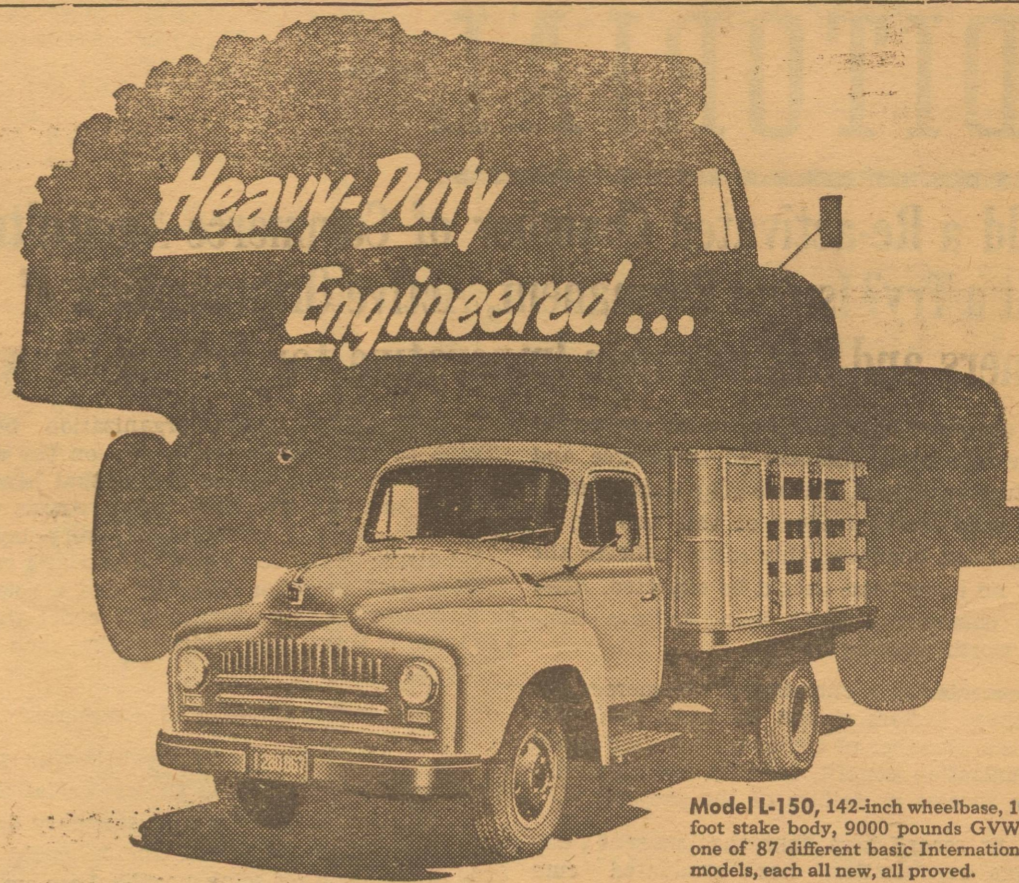
## Lazbuddie News

Mrs. W. C. Williams, Jr. Two of S. C. Machen's sisters of McKinney were visiting him and other relatives in Lazbuddie last week. S. C. is operator of Lazbuddie store. The Machen's are planning on their annual reunion in McKinney the 23rd of July. Lazbuddie community has received a nice amount of rain the past week. Mr. and Mrs. DeBoe Carpenter and family have been visiting relatives and friends in Olney the past week. The W. S. C. S. of Lazbuddie Methodist church met in the home of Mrs. Otto Trieder, July 6. The devotional, given by Mrs. Silas Dixon, was very interesting. Trieder's daughter, Lillian and her children are visiting in her home. Mrs. W. C. Williams, Jr. entertained the primary class and their parents of Lazbuddie Methodist church, Friday evening with an ice cream supper. Both Lazbuddie No. 1 and 2 baseball teams played on their home field Sunday evening, July 9. They both won their games. Singing was held at the Lazbuddie Methodist church Sunday July 9. Everyone seemed to be inspired by the good gospel singing. Friday evening, July 7, a large crowd came out to enjoy skating in the Lazbuddie High school gym. Mr. and Mrs. Tucker and daughter of Muleshoe, were visiting in Mrs. Tucker's parents home, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Knight of Lazbuddie. Mr. and Mrs. D. O. Robason and family went to Odessa to visit Mr. and Mrs. Roy Johnson and family this weekend.

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The entire financial program of each school separately, as well as all the schools collectively, is centered in the office of the county school superintendent.

Let your vote be for a modern and progressive program of education for Parmer County schools. Vote for W. L. Edelman whose experience includes 13 years in the public schools, 4 years of which he was superintendent of the Friona Public Schools with 23 teachers in the system at that time. He is a past president of the Panhandle Plains Superintendents and Principals Association, a position of leadership among the school administrators of the Panhandle.

If elected, he will begin a program of supervision to raise the standards of each school in Parmer County.

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**Ramsey Tours State In Political Race**

Ben Ramsey, candidate for lieutenant governor and former secretary of state, last week completed another chapter in his person-to-person handshaking tour of the state.

Ramsey found considerable interest in his program for economy in government, blacktop roads to every farm home and water conservation and rural telephones at reasonable rates.

Ramsey, a 46 year old country lawyer from San Augustine in East Texas, has been conducting soil and water conservation experiments on his own farm near San Augustine. Several classes of students studying conservation have visited the farm to observe the results of the experiments.

Ramsey is campaigning for the office of lieutenant governor, the presiding officer of the state Senate, on the basis of his experience. Ramsey served in both the House and Senate before he became secretary of state, a position he resigned in February in anticipation of making the race for lieutenant governor.

He was elected to the House in 1931, the same year he received his license to practice law. He served two terms and was then elected to the Senate in 1941. In 1947 he was elected president pro tem (assistant presiding officer) by his fellow senators, in recognition of his leadership. Ramsey retired from the Senate in 1947 and in 1949 he was appointed Secretary of State by the late Gov. Beauford Jester. Ramsey continued to serve as Secretary of State under Gov. Allan Shivers, resigning in February.

**Bovina —**

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Crook Mrs. Otis White, Mrs. Troy Fuller, Mrs. Travis Lloyd, and the honoree, Mrs. Charles Sterling; Mrs. Otis Floyd, Mrs. Irgil Lindsey, Mrs. Joe Wilson, Mrs. Barney McKinney, Mrs. Finley Hartsfield, Mrs. Buck Lloyd, Mrs. Thrillkill. Several sent their regrets, that were unable to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hendricks and son of Brownfield and O. C. Kesler of Friona, visited Sunday afternoon in the Jack W. Kesler home. Mr. Hendricks is Jack's uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Englant and son and Mrs. Englant's nephew of Tullia, visited in the Ezra Englant home Sunday. They also visited Ernest Englant and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Rhodes of Balls visited here on Thursday evening. They were driving a new Hudson car.

**MRS. THORNTON SHOWER HONOREE**

On Friday, July 7, a lovely pink and blue shower was given at the Leigon hall with Mrs.

Louis Perch, Mrs. Billy Erdert, Mrs. Jess Reading, Mrs. Aubrey Ellison, Mrs. N. E. Bonds, Mrs. Earl Ware, Mrs. Harry J. Charles and Mrs. I. W. Quickel were hostesses. This was given for Mrs. William Thornton.

The hall was beautifully decorated with flowers and the table laden with lovely gifts, was spread with a hand made cloth.

Mrs. Oral Kunselman sang, "Mighty Like a Rose," accompanied by Doris Wilson on the piano. Mrs. Vinyard played a lullaby followed by a reading by Mrs. A. D. Smith, "Children." Punch and cake was served to about 50 guests, quite a number being from Farwell. Also quite a number sent regrets. Some very lovely gifts were given the honoree.

Mr. and Mrs. Walterneil Westmoreland and children of Kermit visited in the parents home, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Venable, over the weekend.

Lonetta Thompson is spending the week in Plainview visiting her sister and brother in law

- ANNOUNCEMENTS**
- FOR District Judge ROBERT (Bob) KIRK, Littlefield**  
E. A. BILLS, Littlefield (Re-Election)
- FOR District Attorney JOE SHARP, Plainview**  
(Re-Election)
- FOR State Representative HAROLD M. LaFONT**
- FOR County Judge, Farmer Co. W. L. EDELMON, Friona**  
A. D. SMITH, Farwell (Re-election)
- FOR Sheriff CHARLES LOVELACE, Farwell**  
(Re-election)
- FOR County and District Clerk LOYDE A. BREWER, Farwell**  
(Re-election)
- FOR County Treasurer MRS. H. T. (Mabel) REYNOLDS**
- FOR County Commissioner Precinct 1 E. R. (Emmett) DAY, Friona**  
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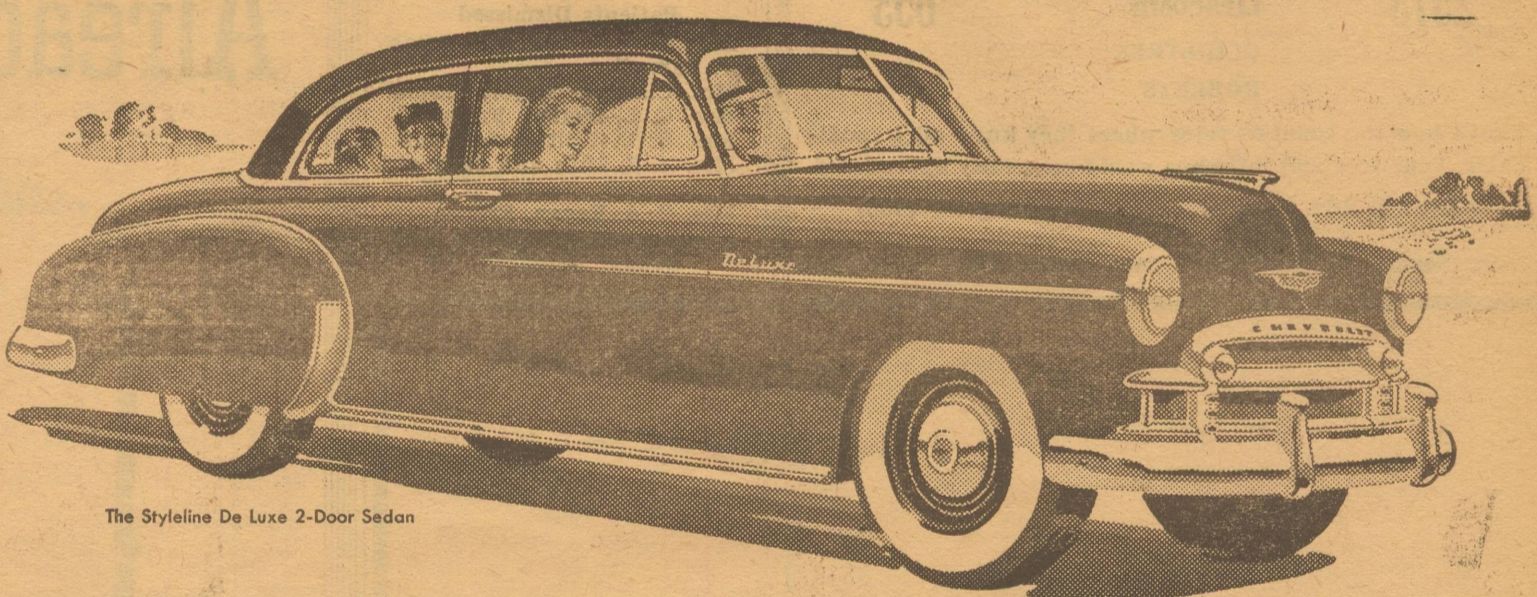
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# Farwell

Mrs. Alvenia Cox has returned to work in the sheriff's office after an absence of a week.  
Miss Maxine Ford and Miss Jo Ann Williams both of Far-

well spent the weekend visiting friends in Canyon.  
Alex Batema of Farwell left Sunday on a business trip to Oklahoma and Kansas. He will attend a grain school at Oklahoma A. & M. located at Stillwater, Okla. From there he will go to a grain convention in Wichita, Kas. He will return July 16.

Mr. and Mrs. Murry Dial of Farwell left Monday for Springfield, Colo. to attend to farming interests near there.  
A. C. Henneman visited his mother, Mrs. Bess Henneman, over the weekend. Mrs. Henneman lives in Hereford.  
Bill Delashaw, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Delashaw, who live northeast of Farwell, returned home Saturday from a two week's visit in New Orleans, La. His cousin Ann Cox from Port Neches returned with him to spend the remainder of the summer in the Delashaw home.  
Walter Hardage L. D. Rundell Joe White, and Pete Booth all of Farwell were in Dallas Thursday on business.

Staff Sergeant Ernest Justice, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Justice of Farwell, is home on an extended furlough from Andrews Field near Washington, D. C.

Mrs. Noble Goldsmith of Farwell is spending a few days visiting relatives in Vernon.

The ladies' lounge in the court house has recently been redecorated. The walls are a light blue and the floor inaroon. New draperies are being made for the windows and chairs are being recovered. This is quite an improvement and everyone is asked to do their part in keeping this room looking nice and clean.

The sprinkler system for the lawn in front of the courthouse was completed a few days ago. Noble Goldsmith states that he plans to wait until about September before he plants grass due to the fact that the hot sun would burn the grass before it started to grow at the present time. There are 180 sprinklers placed over the yard.

Miss Joan Booth was home for the weekend. She is attending Tech this summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Bradshaw of Farwell are leaving for Benton and Rogers, Ark., sometime this week. They are planning to move to Arkansas if they find a suitable place.

The Commissioners Court met July 10 for the regular meeting. Paid current bills and approved \$6,000.00 to be paid to Permanent school fund on Road Machinery Warrants series of 1944-48 as follows: Precinct No. 4—\$2,000.00, Precinct No. 1—\$2,000.0000, Precinct No. 33—\$1,000.00, Precinct No. 2—\$1,000.00.

## Hospital Notes

### Patients Admitted

Mrs. S. V. Chitwood, med., Friona.  
Mrs. Clarence Meyer, med., Friona.  
Mrs. C. A. Ragan, med., Friona.  
Mrs. E. E. Mills, OB, Friona.  
Mrs. C. L. Mercer, med., Friona.  
Frank Reed, surg., Friona.  
Mrs. H. W. Jobe, OB, Friona.  
Mrs. Gear Mahurin, OB, Bovina.

### Patients Dismissed

Mrs. Loyde Brewer and baby boy, Farwell.  
Mrs. Clarence Meyer, Friona.  
Mrs. C. L. Mercer, Friona.  
Mrs. S. V. Chitwood, Friona.  
Mrs. E. E. Mills and baby girl, J. F. Pesch, Texico, N. M.  
Mrs. C. A. Ragan, Friona.  
Frank Reed, Friona.  
Mrs. Ronald Berggren, Bovina.

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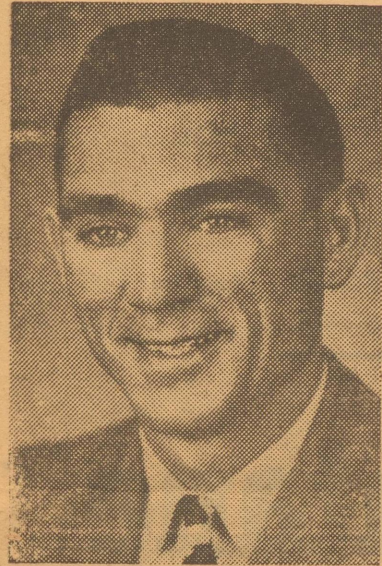
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