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WHITTLIN'

BY DOLPH MOTEN

Ralph Roming, who lives a mile or so west of town, has come up with a gripe about highway signs and their location.

He says, and we agree with him, that sometimes signs are placed so they obstruct the view of a motorist entering an intersection.

This is true, we've noticed, at the Hub crossroads. That one is a dangerous intersection at best. And people who are aware of its dangers probably take even extra precautions before going through it.

Then, often, when you stop at the blinker light as you're supposed to and then look up to see about approaching cars, you can't see anything but highway signs telling you what road goes where, etc.

Ralph says there's another corner much like that one at the Y southwest of town. He's of the opinion that it's difficult to see if you're entering Highway 60 at the Y from the west.

We don't pretend to know more about where to put highway signs than do the people who are professionals at it. And possibly we're mistaken about where the signs should be. But to us, it seems that a clear view of the road you're approaching is of much more benefit than some information in regard to the roads placed on a view-blocking sign.

While we're on the subject of traffic, it might be a good time to point out here, once again, that the railroad crossings in Bovina -- both of 'em -- are as rough, with a capital R, as any we know about.

Just a careful trip across them will jar your eyeteeth, not to mention the wear and tear on the tires and wheels of your vehicle and their alignment.

Maybe you've noticed that Texaco - Farwell now has a crossing almost as smooth as a freeway. So, it isn't that Santa Fe doesn't know how to construct smooth crossings.

Evidently it's just not yet Bovina's turn to have safe and smooth crossings across the double track of the great Santa Fe?

Once before we threatened to abandon the crossings here and use the underpass southwest of town for all our trips from one part of Bovina to another for safety's sake.

We have a good notion to threaten again to give the underpass all our business because of the roughness of the crossings here.

Why couldn't something be done to make them safer for motorists?

This community enjoyed another highly successful chamber of commerce and agriculture banquet last week.

Comments of "the best ever" and "as good as we've ever had" were easy to overhear in conversations following the event.

Vernon Estes says just one thing marred it for him.

He had, he said, purchased his tickets on the credit from C. E. Trimble, a director who was still a rookie in the ticket sales department or he might not have gone for the credit sale in the first place.

But Vernon says he went into the banquet and was seated with some important-looking people on which he was eager to make a good impression.

Things were going along very well, thank you, Estes says, when Trimble points at him across a couple of tables and says, loud enough for all to hear, "You haven't even paid for your tickets yet!"

Estes seems to be of the opinion that it isn't the most desirable thing to have your memory jolted so publicly right at the beginning of a nice banquet.

"I was going to pay for the tickets that night. After that, I think I'll just wait a couple of weeks," Estes told us the next day.

The chamber banquet is just the ideal size, from a crowd

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Capacity Crowd Present For Banquet

Stone, Ellison Top Citizens

Don Stone and Mrs. Buck Ellison were named outstanding man and woman of the year---1964---at fifth annual banquet of Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture Thursday night.



MAN OF THE YEAR -- Don Stone, right, is shown receiving his Man of the Year plaque from Bedford Caldwell during Thursday night's chamber banquet.



WOMAN OF THE YEAR -- Mrs. Buck Ellison is shown at the microphone shortly after receiving her Woman of the Year plaque from Mrs. Earl Stevenson, who introduced her.

"THE GIRL I MARRY" --

Senior Play Friday Night

Senior Class of Bovina High School will present its annual three-act play, "The Girl I Marry," Friday night in the school auditorium at 7:30.

The plot of the story takes place in the Milburn home. Mr. and Mrs. Milburn, played by Billy Minter and Patsy Lloyd, have five daughters, played by

Linda Estes, Lynn Looney, Judy Strawn, June Gay Douglas and Tonja Ivey. Gene Pruitt portrays the very rich, eligible bachelor who comes to live with the Milburns and thus the climax of the story develops.

Admission for the play will be \$1 for adults and 50 cents for students.

SNOW --

Weather Here Ignores Spring

Ignoring the fact that Saturday -- March 20 -- was the first day of Spring, winter weather bombarded the area the latter part of last week and the first of this.

High, cold winds brought snow to the region Wednesday, Thursday and Friday of last week. Some three inches fell here all told causing slightly hazardous driving conditions.

First of the snow fell Wednesday night. It continued into the day Thursday and lesser amounts fell Thursday and Friday nights.

The moisture resulting from the snowfall wasn't a great amount but farmers are presently in a position to be appreciative of all amounts of moisture.

Colder than normal temperatures have been predicted to continue through the rest of the month.

by Bedford Caldwell, who received the award last year. Mrs. Ellison's presentation was made by Mrs. Earl Stevenson.

Stone, minister of Bovina Church of Christ and incoming president of the chamber, has lived here since '61.

He has been a director of the chamber the past two years and has served as master of ceremonies at the banquet.

The popular minister has a bachelor's degree from West Texas State University and is presently studying for his masters in religion at Eastern New Mexico University.

He teaches interdenominational Bible classes in the community which are attended by people from all congregations.

He is in charge of the church page in The Blade which has been called "one of the most outstanding in the area."

He was instrumental in organizing a ministerial association in Bovina and aided recently with a church census. He is a substitute teacher in the schools and a former member of the Lions Club.

In addition, Stone also does commercial painting of signs as a sideline.

Mrs. Ellison was introduced as being a "wife, mother, neighbor, and friend of this community."

She has been a resident of the area since 1916. A Church of Christ Sunday School teacher, "she has been an inspiring personality in her church," Mrs. Stevenson told in the introduction. "She is always available for extra activity in her church and community."

Mrs. Ellison is a past president and a member of Bovina Women's Study Club.

"I think Bovina is the most wonderful place to live anywhere," Mrs. Ellison said in her acceptance talk.

The outstanding citizens each received engraved plaques.

Ask Farmers To Indicate Help Needs

Farmers in the area have been encouraged to make their future needs for farm workers known to the Texas Employment office here.

Joe Bradley, manager of the Hereford office, who spends two days a week in Bovina, points out that it will be of benefit to farmers as well as his office, if they will indicate their future needs to him.

Bradley, or a member of his office, is in Bovina each Monday and Friday from 10 a.m. until 3 p.m. He is headquartered in The Blade Building on Main Street on those days.

"It's hard to get farm hands immediately," Bradley explains, "but if a farmer will tell us that he will need a hand in 30 days, for example, we're

MONDAY NIGHT --

Past Masters Banquet Set

Past Masters of Farwell Lodge No. 977 of Bovina will be honored at an open meeting Monday night at 7:30 at the school cafeteria.

Wives and families of Masons will be guests at the banquet, announces Art Mast, Worshipful Master.

Hal Burnett of Alpine, Right Eminent Grand Commander of the Grand Commandery Knight Templar of Texas, will be the guest speaker.

Mast says a crowd of approximately 200 is being prepared for.

Burnett is also a Past Grand Patron of the Grand Chapter of Texas Order of Eastern Star.



OUTSTANDING CITIZENS -- Jack McCracken, manager of Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture, is shown congratulating Bovina's outstanding citizens of 1965, Mrs. Buck Ellison and Don Stone, following the chamber banquet Thursday night.

AT SPECIAL MEETING --

Teachers' Contracts Renewed By Board

Teachers' contracts were renewed at a special meeting of school board of trustees Tuesday night of last week.

Two teachers had asked that their contracts not be considered for renewal and another re-

quested a different position for next year.

Requesting that they not be considered were Miss Diane Covington, who teaches Junior high English, and Mrs. Lillian Owens, who teaches a third

grade section. Roger McFarren, junior high coach, was rehired for another year as a classroom teacher.

In other business, the board asked Superintendent Otis Spears to write letters to state officials informing them that the board favored the teachers' pay raise program endorsed the Texas State Teachers Association. Instead of the plan of Governor John Connally.

Contracts of administrators and coaches were renewed at a board meeting earlier this year.

Prior to the official meeting, members of the board and their wives were treated to a dinner by members of the homemaking classes.

AT CANYON --

Band Students Earn Ratings

Several band students from Bovina schools earned second and third place awards in university interscholastic league contests in Canyon last week.

The students were accompanied to Canyon by Joe Wayne Harper, band director.

Those in the junior high division winning second ratings were David Dixon and Calvin McCutchan, solos; Tommy

Spears, Johnie Hugh Horn Candy Wilson and Suzanne Wilson, sax quartet; Nancy Mitchell, Kerita Morris and Suzanne Wilson, clarinet trio.

Those in the high school division winning second ratings were Linda Estes, Linda Henke, Margaret Jo Venable and Cecilia, clarinet quartet. Solos placing in this group were Mike Grissom, Pam Grissom, Deniece Clements and Meloney Marshall.

Third division ratings, which are considered average, according to Harper, were awarded to Karen Bell, LaJuana Hastings, Kathy Mast, Chrisy Mast, Connie Vaughn, Barbara Allen, Mary Dane, Carol Jamerson,

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Weather by Willie

A little more moisture by Sunday morning.

This has been especially cold March and I expect lower than normal temperatures to continue through the remainder of the month.

Bovina Has Station For Inspection

Bovina has a state automobile safety inspection station. Grady Hall of Grady's Garage announced this week that his business had been named by the state as an official safety sticker inspection station.

Bovina was without the services of an inspection station last year.

Deadline for having 1965 stickers on vehicle windshields is April 15, Hall says.

An advertisement in this issue of The Blade announces that the local firm has been named a state inspection station.



BANQUET SPEAKER -- Tom Lavin of Atlanta presented a well-received talk and musical program to the crowd of 280 attending the fifth annual banquet of Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture here Thursday night.

Attendance Set New High Mark

A near capacity crowd of 280 was present for fifth annual banquet of Bovina Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture Thursday night in school cafeteria.

Those present heard Tom Lavin of Atlanta point out, "It's a lot more fun to laugh as you go through life."

Outstanding man and woman of the year, 1964, awards were presented to Don Stone and Mrs. Buck Ellison (see story elsewhere).

"Bovina could become a different community overnight if everyone here would get up some day and greet each person he met with a smiling 'Good Morning'," Lavin, the executive secretary of Natural Food Associates, Inc., told his listeners.

Grady Sorley, who farms south of Bovina, was recognized for being the top sugar beet producer in the West Texas New Mexico area last year. Tom Caldwell, outgoing chamber president, told of Sorley's feat and introduced him.

A total of 25 farmers who produced for the Hereford plant had yields of over 10,000 pounds of sugar per acre and five of these were from Bovina area, Caldwell explained. Bovina farmers had the highest average yield per acre of any of the Hereford plant's receiving stations. Sorley's yield was 12,165 pounds of sugar per acre.

Out of town guests, who were introduced by Jack McCracken, manager of the chamber, were from Brownfield, Amarillo, Hereford, Lubbock, Littlefield, Dimmitt, Muleshoe, Farwell, Friona and Clovis.

Stone who is minister of Bovina Church of Christ and incoming president of the chamber, served as master of ceremonies. He gave the welcome to the guests and introduced Lavin.

Invocation was offered by Rev. Harold Morris, pastor of Bovina Methodist Church, Benedictus was by Rev. Archie Cooper, pastor of Bovina Pentecostal Holiness Church.

The meal, which featured turkey and dressing, was prepared by the school cafeteria staff and was served by members of the Future Homemakers of America chapter.

Chamber directors, who were also introduced, are Stone, president; J.E. Sherrill, Jr., vice president; Mrs. Bob Estes, recording secretary; Jim Ware, treasurer; Caldwell, Dolph Moten, Gen Ezell, A.M. Wilson, Edward Isaac, Don Sides, C.E. Trimble, Mutt Graham, Leon Grissom, Wayne Spears, and Otis Spears.

Lavin closed his speech with several piano medleys. Title of his 45-minute program was "Laughing All The Way."

Attendance totals in previous years were 216 in '61, 227 in '62, 235 in '63 and 275 in '64.

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LEGAL NOTICE

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 THE STATE OF TEXAS
 TO: All persons interested in, claiming, or asserting an interest in the property described in Plaintiff's Original Petition in this cause, Defendants, Greeting: You and each of you are hereby commanded to be and appear before the 154th District Court of Parmer County, Texas at the courthouse of said county in the City of Farwell by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the 11th day of April, 1965, on or before 10 o'clock a. m. on Monday, the 26th day of April, 1965, to Plaintiff's Original Petition filed in said Court on the 11th day of March, 1965, in this cause numbered 2558 on the docket of said Court and styled the State of Texas v. Friona Wheat Growers, Inc., Et Al, wherein the State of Texas is Plaintiff and all persons interested in, claiming, or asserting an interest in the property described in Plaintiff's Original Petition in this cause, and Friona Wheat Growers, Inc. are Defendants. A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows: A suit to escheat the personal property described in said petition to the State of Texas under Articles 3272 and 3272a, Title 53, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, said property being described as follows: \$1,555.16 in cash held by Friona Wheat Growers, Inc.

For the purpose of more fully describing said property and the respective interests therein of the last known owners, reference is made in said petition to the sworn report of said property made by the Defendant, herein listed above, as holder thereof, to the Treasurer of Texas, which report is annexed to and made a part of said petition. Said property is alleged to have been reported to the State Treasurer by the holder thereof as abandoned personal property subject to escheat, to have been advertised, to have remained unclaimed for 120 days, and more, from the date said report was received by said Treasurer, and to have been so certified by said Treasurer to the Attorney General of Texas, all in compliance with Articles 3272 and 3272a, R.C.S. The prayer in said petition is "that citation be issued to all Defendants in accordance with Article 3272a, R.C.S., and that upon trial hereof, the property described herein be declared to be abandoned, escheated to, and the title thereto vested in, the State of Texas; that said Defendant who is the holder of said property be directed by the Court to deliver said property immediately to the Treasurer of the State of Texas; and Plaintiff further prays for such other and further relief, special and general, in law or in equity, to which it may be justly entitled." The persons last known to have claimed said property (and who are, therefore, made Defendants in said suit), and their respective interests therein, in dollars and cents, are as follows:

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|--|-------|-----------------------------|-------|-------------------------|-------|-------------------------|-------|
| W. A. Bass | .10 | E. J. Ledbetter | .30 | W. R. Scott | 1.36 | Mrs. Ward Thompson | 1.05 |
| J. A. Bell | .10 | M. L. Lewellen | .10 | J. D. Trigg | .20 | J. D. Trigg | .20 |
| James E. Black | .05 | John Leinen | .30 | Britt Terry | .20 | Britt Terry | .20 |
| W. B. Boston | 1.14 | E. C. Long | .05 | C. B. Thomas Estate | .05 | C. B. Thomas Estate | .05 |
| Ray Buzard | 2.15 | Harry Lookingbill | .83 | O. W. Turner | .35 | O. W. Turner | .35 |
| B. J. Brown | .40 | Perry Looney | .10 | M. L. Thomas | .17 | M. L. Thomas | .17 |
| Chas. Balmun | .20 | William Langford | .50 | E. L. Uptegrove | .19 | E. L. Uptegrove | .19 |
| C. A. Bagwell | .60 | J. H. Lee | .35 | John H. Vaughn | 1.00 | John H. Vaughn | 1.00 |
| Sue Bagwell | .50 | A. E. Lewis | 1.90 | W. E. Useton | 1.30 | W. E. Useton | 1.30 |
| Danny Balmun | .05 | Henry Lewis | .10 | S. H. Withers | 18.94 | S. H. Withers | 18.94 |
| W. T. Barnhart | .45 | Travis Light | .20 | Dan Warren | 1.51 | Dan Warren | 1.51 |
| J. H. Barnhart Estate | .35 | Harvey Lindsey | .15 | Thomas L. Wallace | 18.31 | Thomas L. Wallace | 18.31 |
| T. Bamham | .20 | H. H. Lloyd | .45 | Clyde L. Waltman | .35 | Clyde L. Waltman | .35 |
| Elmer Burnett | .20 | R. F. Lloyd | .70 | Jack Waltman | 1.34 | Jack Waltman | 1.34 |
| James E. Black | .55 | Thomas Lloyd | .30 | Ed Waltz | 9.85 | Ed Waltz | 9.85 |
| Johnnie Brank | .10 | W. M. Floyd | 1.24 | Fred Watson | 4.70 | Fred Watson | 4.70 |
| S. J. Bracken | .08 | J. A. Lofton | 1.80 | C. A. Watson | 13.75 | C. A. Watson | 13.75 |
| Lee Bouldin | .15 | Duncan Lofton | .90 | J. W. Whitlock | 81.34 | J. W. Whitlock | 81.34 |
| E. J. Brannon | .20 | E. C. Long | .05 | G. E. Wright | 4.26 | G. E. Wright | 4.26 |
| Wyly Bullock | .29 | George Looper | .40 | D. H. Williams | 1.85 | D. H. Williams | 1.85 |
| Mrs. Laura Bush Estate | 14.52 | Paul Langford | .59 | Milton Williams | .52 | Milton Williams | .52 |
| Franklin Bauer | .21 | Ed Massey | 9.44 | Wayne Webb | .28 | Wayne Webb | .28 |
| Mrs. Emil Berg | 2.15 | John A. Morris | 11.15 | C. E. Whitterspoon | 1.40 | C. E. Whitterspoon | 1.40 |
| Leonard Barkley | 2.69 | John A. Morris | 11.15 | Richard S. West | 1.58 | Richard S. West | 1.58 |
| J. L. Brown | 15.89 | R. E. Main | 2.60 | Debois Walker | 12.41 | Debois Walker | 12.41 |
| Joe Blyth | .64 | Bob Mars | 2.98 | N. E. Wines | 2.57 | N. E. Wines | 2.57 |
| H. H. Billingley | .27 | Levi Miller | 2.50 | Fritz C. Watcher | .80 | Fritz C. Watcher | .80 |
| J. H. Black | 6.30 | W. T. Myers | 10.80 | Lowy Walker | .10 | Lowy Walker | .10 |
| L. W. Barhart | .10 | Claude Moore | 7.05 | Clyde R. Waltman | .35 | Clyde R. Waltman | .35 |
| Wayne Beavers | .32 | James E. Miller | 14.60 | W. J. Ward | .35 | W. J. Ward | .35 |
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| | | Welden Menchew | .40 | Mrs. Olga Weeks | .10 | Mrs. Olga Weeks | .10 |
| | | Billie Miller | 13.38 | R. S. West | .15 | R. S. West | .15 |
| | | Geo. W. Manderschild | .10 | Whiteside and McKinsley | .60 | Whiteside and McKinsley | .60 |
| | | A. J. Mann | .20 | V. B. Whitley | .05 | V. B. Whitley | .05 |
| | | J. D. Martin | .40 | James Whitson | .40 | James Whitson | .40 |
| | | T. W. Mason | .20 | Margarette White | .70 | Margarette White | .70 |
| | | R. E. Maxey | .60 | Joe Wilkins | .15 | Joe Wilkins | .15 |
| | | O. R. Melton | .20 | Grady W. Wilson | .10 | Grady W. Wilson | .10 |
| | | H. H. Mennenga | 1.50 | J. R. Wilson | .30 | J. R. Wilson | .30 |
| | | Shirley Mesler and Williams | .30 | N. W. Wines | .30 | N. W. Wines | .30 |
| | | H. H. Millard | .40 | Kenneth Wise | .60 | Kenneth Wise | .60 |
| | | J. B. Miller | .20 | L. B. Wolfington | .10 | L. B. Wolfington | .10 |
| | | Jordan A. Miller | .10 | Mrs. Hugh Womac | .10 | Mrs. Hugh Womac | .10 |
| | | Robert Minter | .30 | Clint T. Ward | .50 | Clint T. Ward | .50 |
| | | O. W. Morris | 1.80 | C. T. Wedle | .20 | C. T. Wedle | .20 |
| | | Alton Morris | .70 | R. O. Wenner | .10 | R. O. Wenner | .10 |
| | | H. W. Milton | .90 | W. E. Warren | 1.50 | W. E. Warren | 1.50 |
| | | Homar Mangram | 1.60 | C. C. Wels Estate | 1.40 | C. C. Wels Estate | 1.40 |
| | | H. L. Morgan | .20 | Wells Bros. | .70 | Wells Bros. | .70 |
| | | A. I. Metcalf | .40 | T. L. Wenner | .95 | T. L. Wenner | .95 |
| | | H. A. Melton | .60 | Mrs. B. F. Williams | .15 | Mrs. B. F. Williams | .15 |
| | | Joe Muble | .40 | Buck Wheeler | .50 | Buck Wheeler | .50 |
| | | Lucie B. Meyer | .74 | Gilbert Wenner | .10 | Gilbert Wenner | .10 |
| | | Johnny More | .57 | E. O. Welch | .05 | E. O. Welch | .05 |
| | | M. G. Mars | 1.11 | R. G. Wiley | .50 | R. G. Wiley | .50 |
| | | R. B. Miller | .95 | J. B. Williams | .25 | J. B. Williams | .25 |
| | | Jim Maynard | .10 | Sam Williams | .25 | Sam Williams | .25 |
| | | Bonnie McClusky | 17.62 | M. Wilterding | 1.00 | M. Wilterding | 1.00 |
| | | W. C. McQuirter | 15.99 | C. H. Wise | .30 | C. H. Wise | .30 |
| | | E. S. McNeel | 1.54 | Wright and Chitwood | .40 | Wright and Chitwood | .40 |
| | | Claude McDouglas | 3.53 | B. H. Wright | .69 | B. H. Wright | .69 |
| | | Don McClan | 3.01 | Clauide White | .10 | Clauide White | .10 |
| | | C. L. McGee | 1.15 | Wayne Watkins | .19 | Wayne Watkins | .19 |
| | | N. M. McCurdy | 3.15 | James Watkins | 2.00 | James Watkins | 2.00 |
| | | Will McCoy | .55 | J. C. Wilkinson | .40 | J. C. Wilkinson | .40 |
| | | L. J. McKenzie | .45 | Louis Welch | .55 | Louis Welch | .55 |
| | | H. N. McAda | .02 | Mrs. J. W. Warren | .10 | Mrs. J. W. Warren | .10 |
| | | L. E. McKee | .90 | N. E. Woods | .05 | N. E. Woods | .05 |
| | | A. L. McCutchan | .45 | Nathan York | 5.91 | Nathan York | 5.91 |
| | | E. L. McCutchan | 1.10 | Glenn York | .51 | Glenn York | .51 |
| | | N. E. McIntire | .20 | R. H. Young | 6.67 | R. H. Young | 6.67 |
| | | E. S. McNeil | .30 | A. C. Teter Jr. | .20 | A. C. Teter Jr. | .20 |
| | | R. J. Reynolds | .10 | | | | |
| | | R. B. McKee | .30 | | | | |
| | | Tom Hall | .30 | | | | |
| | | George McClain | .30 | | | | |
| | | Viola Osborn | 2.50 | | | | |
| | | T. P. Newton | 16.90 | | | | |
| | | M. W. Nobles | .52 | | | | |
| | | J. H. Nobles | 3.18 | | | | |
| | | E. L. Donley | 36.63 | | | | |
| | | W. W. Palmer | 31.96 | | | | |
| | | Mrs. Carl Hall | 8.95 | | | | |
| | | T. G. Haney | .90 | | | | |
| | | W. G. Harris | .21 | | | | |
| | | Earl Harrison | .80 | | | | |
| | | Dale Hart | .10 | | | | |
| | | Mrs. R. L. Hays | .80 | | | | |
| | | John R. Hays | .05 | | | | |
| | | Volley Hodges | 4.66 | | | | |
| | | Lee Hoppendinger | .40 | | | | |
| | | E. V. Hartman | .12 | | | | |
| | | C. F. Hornfield | .25 | | | | |
| | | Oscar Hackley | .20 | | | | |
| | | Virgil Harrison | .05 | | | | |
| | | Fred Helmke | .15 | | | | |
| | | Mamie C. Hillis | .10 | | | | |
| | | A. S. Howard | .05 | | | | |
| | | A. V. Hurst | .10 | | | | |
| | | R. B. Ivey | 2.90 | | | | |
| | | Inman Bros. | 1.95 | | | | |
| | | E. V. Isham | .70 | | | | |
| | | Olan Ivey | 3.17 | | | | |
| | | Porter Johnson | .15 | | | | |
| | | Luther J. Johnson | 1.30 | | | | |
| | | Taylor and Johnson | .87 | | | | |
| | | Mrs. J. W. Jordan | 4.40 | | | | |
| | | E. B. Jordan | 9.45 | | | | |
| | | Carl Johnson | 2.80 | | | | |
| | | C. C. Johnson | .30 | | | | |
| | | H. K. Johnson | 3.10 | | | | |
| | | L. Johnson | 11.60 | | | | |
| | | Sam Jones | .07 | | | | |
| | | Jack Hasper | .15 | | | | |
| | | Fred Jackson | .71 | | | | |
| | | Jimmy Jesko | .22 | | | | |
| | | J. J. Johnson | .40 | | | | |
| | | L. C. Johnson | 1.90 | | | | |
| | | J. T. Jones | .20 | | | | |
| | | W. E. Johnson | .10 | | | | |
| | | Joe Johnson | .55 | | | | |
| | | Charlene Jones | .95 | | | | |
| | | E. B. Kelley | 1.60 | | | | |
| | | Alvin Krigel | .96 | | | | |
| | | F. J. Knobe | 17.20 | | | | |
| | | J. H. King | 14.88 | | | | |
| | | Mrs. Pearl Kinsley | .05 | | | | |
| | | Ernest King | .20 | | | | |
| | | C. Kelley | 1.35 | | | | |
| | | J. H. Key | .50 | | | | |
| | | A. W. Key | .30 | | | | |
| | | E. B. Kelley | .60 | | | | |
| | | A. A. Kindall | .50 | | | | |
| | | J. L. Kirby | .10 | | | | |
| | | Bill Kyle | .70 | | | | |
| | | D. J. Kennedy | .82 | | | | |
| | | M. B. Lutrell | .40 | | | | |
| | | Q. N. Lewis | 10.00 | | | | |
| | | Frank Latimer | 11.40 | | | | |
| | | R. E. Lee | 4.03 | | | | |
| | | Fred F. Lamm | .88 | | | | |
| | | L. F. Lawrence | 1.00 | | | | |
| | | Duncan Lofton | .30 | | | | |
| | | L. J. Loving | 10.74 | | | | |
| | | Elmer Lowrie | .38 | | | | |
| | | Floyd Lofton | .28 | | | | |
| | | Leonard Latham | .24 | | | | |
| | | S. E. Laird | .40 | | | | |
| | | J. A. Laird | .85 | | | | |
| | | H. H. Langford | .70 | | | | |
| | | J. E. Larrick | .30 | | | | |
| | | Mrs. T. E. Lawson | .20 | | | | |

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| W. R. Scott | 1.36 | Mrs. Ward Thompson | 1.05 |
| Charles A. Sharp | 1.53 | J. D. Trigg | .20 |
| F. P. Swan | 1.43 | Britt Terry | .20 |
| Mrs. Joh Siber | 9.70 | C. B. Thomas Estate | .05 |
| J. W. Spencer | 5.40 | O. W. Turner | .35 |
| Albert Smith | 2.50 | M. L. Thomas | .17 |
| Walter Siber | .20 | E. L. Uptegrove | .19 |
| Jack Smith | 1.56 | John H. Vaughn | 1.00 |
| Harry Sherreih | .05 | W. E. Useton | 1.30 |
| Clyde Sherrieb | .47 | S. H. Withers | 18.94 |
| R. R. Shanks | .30 | Dan Warren | 1.51 |
| R. N. Shields | .20 | Thomas L. Wallace | 18.31 |
| John Sibley | 1.00 | Clyde L. Waltman | .35 |
| C. P. Sissel | .10 | Jack Waltman | 1.34 |
| R. L. Smalts | .50 | Ed Waltz | 9.85 |
| Wilbur Smith | .35 | Fred Watson | 4.70 |
| R. B. Sparks | .10 | C. A. Watson | 13.75 |
| A. E. Steelman | .15 | J. W. Whitlock | 81.34 |
| E. J. Strate Estate | .40 | G. E. Wright | 4.26 |
| F. R. Swan | .90 | D. H. Williams | 1.85 |
| G. A. Stout | .80 | Milton Williams | .52 |
| D. L. Smith | .20 | Wayne Webb | .28 |
| Leon Sudderth | 1.03 | C. E. Whitterspoon | 1.40 |
| John Smith | 1.05 | Richard S. West | 1.58 |
| Herschel Stowers | .20 | Debois Walker | 12.41 |
| Raymond Schlabs | .45 | N. E. Wines | 2.57 |
| J. B. Shirley Jr. | .80 | Fritz C. Watcher | .80 |
| Reaford Shirley | .85 | Lowy Walker | .10 |
| Rolen Silvertooth | .50 | Clyde R. Waltman | .35 |
| Denver Smith | .83 | W. J. Ward | .35 |
| Jack Smith | 1.30 | Ed Watts | .60 |
| Ray Smith | 1.50 | Mrs. Olga Weeks | .10 |
| O. D. Spittler | .20 | R. S. West | .15 |
| T. L. Spring | .39 | Whiteside and McKinsley | .60 |
| Willie Steinbock | .55 | V. B. Whitley | .05 |
| Glenn Stevick | .10 | James Whitson | .40 |
| Austin Seigman | .10 | Margarette White | .70 |
| O'Dell Smith | .78 | Joe Wilkins | .15 |
| Travis Sursa | 1.29 | Grady W. Wilson | .10 |
| E. J. Steen | .05 | J. R. Wilson | .30 |
| J. H. Stafford | .05 | N. W. Wines | .30 |
| Robert L. Straw | .30 | Kenneth Wise | .60 |
| M. L. Sampson | .40 | L. B. Wolfington | .10 |
| J. T. Scarbrough | 6.67 | Mrs. Hugh Womac | .10 |
| Albert Smith | 1.25 | Clint T. Ward | .50 |
| I. B. St. Clair Estate | 1.05 | C. T. Wedle | .20 |
| Van Smith | .25 | R. O. Wenner | .10 |
| O. B. Stevens | .98 | W. E. Warren | 1.50 |
| J. L. Taylor | .53 | C. C. Wels Estate | 1.40 |
| Spivia Templeton | 8.09 | Wells Bros. | .70 |
| Charles Tyler | 33.82 | T. L. Wenner | .95 |
| Jim Tuggle | 1.45 | Mrs. B. F. Williams | .15 |
| M. A. Trigg | 1.17 | Buck Wheeler | .50 |
| J. E. Temple Est. | 4.16 | Gilbert Wenner | .10 |
| G. C. Taylor | 1.87 | E. O. Welch | .05 |
| C. G. Truner | 5.57 | R. G. Wiley | .50 |
| T. M. Theford | .05 | J. B. Williams | .25 |
| Elmer Truelock | .05 | Sam Williams | .25 |
| Hubert Houlette | .05 | M. Wilterding | 1.00 |
| Frank Truitt | .10 | C. H. Wise | .30 |
| Floyd Thompson | 2.88 | Wright and Chitwood | .40 |
| Will Thomas | .15 | B. H. Wright | .69 |
| Ralph Thomas | 2.70 | Clauide White | .10 |
| V. A. Taylor | .30 | Wayne Watkins | .19 |
| F. T. Thornton | .50 | James Watkins | 2.00 |

LEGAL NOTICE
THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: IRA M. COBE and his wife ANNIE E. W. COBE, R. B. GREEN, RICHARD B. GREEN, GRAYSON M-P MURPHY and his wife MAUD D. MURPHY, and EDWARD G. MARTIN and his wife ANNA B. MARTIN, ANNA BENNETT MARTIN, EPHIAM T. ENGLANT and E. T. ENGLANT, E. P. ENGLANT, WILLIAM S. HOOD and wife, KATHLEEN M. HOOD, JACK CARR and wife ERIE CARR, and all of the unknown wife or wives, and the unknown husband or husbands of the above named parties, and if any of the same are deceased then their unknown legal representatives, heirs and assigns, and all unknown claimants, Defendants,

GREETING: You, and each of you are hereby commanded to appear by filing a written Answer to the Plaintiff's Petition at or before 10:00 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday after the expiration of Forty-two (42) days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being Monday, the 26th day of April, A. D. 1965, at or before 10:00 o'clock A. M. before the Honorable District Court of Parmer County, Texas, at the courthouse of said County in Farwell, Texas.

Said Plaintiff's Petition was filed in said Court upon the 10th day of March, A. D. 1965, in this cause numbered 2557 on the Docket of said Court, and styled J. W. WRIGHT, Plaintiff, vs. IRA M. COBE, ET AL., Defendants.

The names of the parties to the cause of action are as follows: J. W. Wright is Plaintiff, and A R J Corporation, a Texas Corporation, with its principal office and place of business in Lubbock, Lubbock County, Texas, and Ira M. CoBE and his wife, Annie E. W. CoBE, R. B. Green, Richard B. Green, Grayson M-P, Murphy and his wife, Maud D. Murphy, and Edward G. Martin and his wife Anna B. Martin, Anna Bennett Martin, and Ephiam T. England and E. T. England, E. P. England, William S. Hood and wife, Kathleen M. Hood, Jack Carr and wife Erie Carr, and all of the unknown wife or wives and the unknown husband or husbands of the above named parties, and if any of the same are deceased,

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(Continued from page 1) standpoint. The number now adequately fills the school cafeteria. Twenty per cent more and the cafeteria would be too small. Finding a place large enough to seat the people would then create a problem, not to mention the extra work which would be involved in transferring the meal from where it was prepared to the larger place.

The U. S. Coast Guard was established Jan. 28, 1915.

then their unknown legal representatives, heirs and assigns, and all unknown claimants, and Dale McCuan and wife, Tom Paul McCuan, who reside in Parmer County, Texas, and Mabel Gordon Williams, formerly Mabel McCuan Caffey, who resides in Los Angeles County, California, ARE DEFENDANTS.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff brings this suit in trespass to try title alleging that he is the owner in fee simple of:

All of Lots 5, 6, 7 and 8, and All of the West ten feet of Lot 4, of Block 2, of the Original Town of Bovina, Parmer County, Texas, said West ten feet of Lot 4 being described by metes and bounds as follows:

min. East along the common boundary line of said Lot and North Street 10 feet to a point; THENCE South 39 deg. 17 min. East, 140 feet to a point on the alleyway in said Block; THENCE South 50 deg. 43 min. West, 10 feet to the most southerly corner of said Lot; THENCE North 39 deg. 17 min. West along the common boundary line of Lot 4 and Lot 5, 140 feet to the place of beginning.

And that on or about the 1st day of March, A. D. 1965, Defendants entered unlawfully upon said land and ejected Plaintiff therefrom and wrongfully withhold possession from said Plaintiff, all as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety (90) days after the date of its issuance it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

ISSUED AND GIVEN under my hand and the seal of said court at my office in Farwell, Texas, this 10th day of March, A. D. 1965.

ATTEST: Dorothy Quickel Clerk District Court, Parmer County, Texas. 37-4tc

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Chili Supper Friday Night

People of the community are invited to a chili supper in the school cafeteria Friday night prior to the senior play.

Members of the Eastern Star will serve the chili supper as a fund-raising project. Charges will be \$1 for adults and 75 cents for children. A dessert will be served with the meal, a spokesman for the organization says. Serving will begin at 5:30 and will continue until 7.

Brummitts Have Boy

A son, James Arden Jr., was born to the James Brummitts Sunday morning, March 21, in Parmer County Community Hospital. The young man weighed in at seven pounds and four ounces.

Shower For Miss Howard In Lubbock

Miss Paula Howard was feted recently in Lubbock with a lingerie shower. Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies, chips and dips were served to Mrs. Joe Jones, Mrs. Jim Howard, Mrs. Ronnie Howard, Pam Sparkman, Judy Wayne, Mrs. Clyde Bartley, Mrs. Jimmy and Judy Roach. Hostesses for the occasion Mrs. Rocky Hance and Miss Dixie Hartzog.

Party Honors Charles Family

The Jimmy Charles family were honored with a farewell reception in the fellowship hall of the Bovina Methodist Church Sunday night after evening services. Bedford Caldwell presented the Charles family with a red wood patio table and barbeque set from individuals in the church as a going-away present.

The Hammonds Class hosted the reception and served some 70 guests punch, coffee and cookies.

The Charles family moved to Parsons, Kan. this week.

Shower Monday For Mrs. Riddle

There will be a lullaby coffee for Mrs. Jon Lin Riddle Monday from 9:30 to 11 a. m. in the home of Mrs. Billy Marshall. Hostess will be Mrs. Dickie Clayton, Mrs. Joe Pinner, Mrs. Nicky Foster, Mrs. Richard Roberts, Mrs. Tom Beauchamp, Mrs. Billy Johnson, Mrs. Don Stone, Mrs. G. D. Anderson, Jr., and Mrs. Marshall.

Special Guests For Study Club

Bovina Woman's Study Club will hold its next meeting at 3 p.m. Thursday. A spokesman for the club reports it will be an outstanding program with special guests, being a trio from Eastern New Mexico University school of music. One of the group is a member of the Santa Fe Opera Company. Thursday is guest day and members urge that anyone interested attend. Mrs. Jesse Walling will be program leader.

Square Dance In Farwell Set Friday

Bovina Star Righters square dance club will have a square dance in the Farwell skating rink Friday night beginning at 8. Everyone interested in square dancing is invited to attend. There will be several clubs in the area represented. Chances on a pair of boots will be sold at the door. Admission will be \$2 per couple. Joe Greer from Littlefield will be the featured caller.

4-H Clubs Meet Monday

Bovina 4-H Club will meet Monday in the Masonic Hall at 7:30 p. m. Everyone is encouraged to attend this meeting, a leader for the club says.

The program will be on demonstrations given by Mrs. Cricket Taylor and Joe VanZandt, county agents.

Of Interest To THE WOMEN



WOMAN'S CLUB LEADERS -- Officers of Bovina Woman's Study Club are, from left to right, Mrs. Henry Ivy, president; Mrs. Earl Stevenson, vice president; Mrs. Ovid Lawlis, secretary; Mrs. Jack Clayton, treasurer; Mrs. Clarence Jones, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. Bud Crump, publicity chairman.

Study Club Helps With Convention

Members of Bovina Woman's Study Club will be co-hostess of fifth annual convention of Caprock District Federated Women's Study Clubs which is scheduled for March 29-30 at Friona. Other hosting clubs will be Friona, Farwell and Plainview. The Bovina and Farwell clubs

will be in charge of the district board dinner which is scheduled for Monday night. Attending the dinner will be district

officers and presidents of each club in the district. There are a total of 95 clubs in the district.

Reflections From The Blade

Three Years Ago March 21, 1962

Wendol Christian and Mrs. Lady Armstrong were chosen outstanding man and woman of the year at the second annual Chamber of Commerce and Agriculture banquet. Mr. and Mrs. Jay Triplett of Clovis became parents of a baby boy. They named him Jay Jr.

Bovina Mustangs trackmen took on their first outside competition recently when they competed against Vega and Adrian. Mrs. Mary Wolton, a Parmer County resident since 1916 observed her 95th birthday, at her home Friday.

Members of Bovina Gun Club will be out to dethrone R. L. Hopingardner, present champion, in the trophy shoot Saturday and Sunday.

Jim Russell, manager of Bovina Wheat Growers, Inc., and M. H. Carson, who is a director, are in College Station this week.

A bridal shower in the Don Stone home Saturday honored Mrs. Sid Killough.

Action begins tomorrow afternoon in second annual volleyball tournament sponsored by senior class of Bovina High.

Six Years Ago March 25, 1959

Bovina placed two girls on the all-state girls basketball teams. Two others earned honorable mention ratings. They were Janice Richards, Nita Beth Estes, Joanie Ezell and Kay Hartzog.

Scooter Queen is new president of Bovina Junior Chamber of Commerce.

Men of Parmer County division of State Highway Maintenance Department worked overtime last weekend keeping highways clear of snow. Ice and snow blocked highway 60, east of Friona for several hours Friday night.

A fund-raising program to build a swimming pool in Bovina has been canceled.

Janice Richards, Bovina Fille's all-state forward, is a member of Dowell's Dolls, Amarillo AAU basketball team.

A son, Randall Bruce, was born Thursday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Mark Charles.

Two students of Bovina Schools placed in last week's spelling bee in Friona. They were Margie Carter, fifth grade daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Carter and Judy Strawn, sixth grade daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Norvell Strawn.

Lingerie Shower In Hutto Home

A lingerie shower was given Miss Paul Howard Wednesday evening in the home of Sherry Hutto.

The group was served punch and cookies by the hostesses, Miss Hutto, Mrs. Ronnie Sudderth, Tish Morris, Linda Estes and Mrs. Phillip Lloyd.

Miss Hutto entertained the group with a solo.

Those present were Martha Snodgrass, Carolyn Damron, Pat Howard, Bonnie Morris, Mrs. Joe Jones, Carolyn Wilkerson, Mrs. Jerry Rogers and Jige, Mrs. J. T. Jones and Mrs. E. G. Howard.

LOCALS

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Harris were in Amarillo Sunday to attend a birthday dinner in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Dub Mahew and sons of Gruver, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Burnett of Amarillo visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Hall over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Bell of Tucumcari, New Mexico, spent the weekend in the home of her sister, Mrs. Henry Minter, also present for Sunday dinner were Mr. and Mrs. Mike Farmer, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Conovers, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Hamby, and Mrs. O. L. Hamby all of Clovis; Mr. and Mrs. Odell Bell and Mrs. W. R. Minter.

The development of explosives for blasting and the use of steam to drive pumps mark the beginning of modern mining.

Wedding Shower For Miss Howard Held Thursday

A wedding shower honoring Miss Paula Howard was given Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Billy Marshall.

The serving table was covered with a white lace table cloth and centered with an arrangement of blue white roses in a low white pottery dish. Mrs. Mac Glasscock served.

Silver appointments were used to serve individual cakes trimmed in blue and white, coffee and tea.

Miss Howard, Mrs. E. G. Howard and Mrs. Dahlia Barnes were presented with white orchid corsages by the hostesses.

Mrs. Phillip Lloyd registered the guest. Those signing the guest book were Mrs. James Duncan, Mrs. Dahlia Barnes of Lubbock, Mrs. Joe Jones, Mrs. Jim Howard and Trenda, Mrs. Delbert Morris, Mrs. Ronnie Howard, Mrs. Watkins, Mrs. Dee Brown, Mrs. Paul Jones, Mrs. Ovid Lawlis, Mrs. Jack Clayton, Mrs. Sonny Brito, Mrs. Dickie Clayton, Mrs. J. Strawn, Charlie and Mike, Mrs. Billy Sudderth, Mrs. O. H. Jones, Miss Judy Strawn.

Co-hostesses were Mrs. Troy Fuller, Mrs. H. H. Kelson, Mrs. F. M. Crook, Mrs. J. B. Sudderth, Mrs. J. D. Stevens, Mrs. Frank Edwards, Mrs. A. L. Hartzog, Mrs. Mac Glasscock, Mrs. J. D. Kirkpatrick, Mrs. Norvell Strawn, Mrs. Jack Roach, and Mrs. Ray Woods.

Quilting Club To Meet

Bovina Quilting Club will meet April 1st in the home of Mrs. Levi Johnson with a covered dish luncheon, announces a member of the organization.

Music Recital Thursday

Mrs. Doris Wilson will present a vocal and piano recital Thursday at 8 p.m. in Bovina Methodist Church Fellowship Hall.

A reception will follow the recital. Mrs. Al Kerby and Mrs. Art Mast will be hostesses.

Everyone is invited to attend the recital and the reception following. Mrs. Wilson announces.

Thornton Services In Farwell

Mrs. Minnie Maude Thornton, 77, pioneer Curry County resident, died Wednesday of last week, at Parmer County Community Hospital.

She is survived by her husband, Justice of the Peace J. R. Thornton, Farwell; two daughters, Mrs. Rondal Price of Amarillo and Mrs. Wilfred Quicke of Farwell; two sons William of Dimmitt and J. R. Jr., of Madison, Wisconsin.

Funeral services were held Friday at the Hamlin Memorial Methodist Church in Farwell with Rev. W. C. Strickland officiating. Burial was in Sunset Cemetery in Farwell.

Meeting Held By Altar Societies

Nine members were present when the St. Ann's and St. Teresa Altar Societies held their monthly meeting at the Parish Hall in Bovina last week.

The secretary, Mrs. Leroy Kitten, gave the financial report for St. Ann's.

An invitation letter from the deanery president for the Diocesan Council of Catholic Women meeting was read by society president Mrs. Leon Schilling. Delegates for this meeting that will take place March 31 in Canyon at the student union building on the West Texas State University campus are Mrs. H. R. Denny, Mrs. Edmond Kitten and Mrs. Ben C. Rejno. St. Teresa Society will announce their delegates later.

Plans were made to do the church cleaning for Easter on April 14 at 2 p.m.

A donation and letter of appreciation will be sent to the speaker of the women's retreat held on February 28th. He was Rev. Alexander Beaton, assistant pastor of St. Anthony's Church in Hereford.

The Societies voted to donate funeral candles to both churches.

The pastor, Father Claver, was present for discussions. The meeting was closed with a prayer. Refreshments were served by Mrs. John Baca and Mrs. Gene Brito. Next meeting will be April 19.

Shower For Miss Minyen Wednesday

Miss Ronnie Minyen will be honored with a come and go shower in the home of Mrs. J. D. Stevens Wednesday, March 31, from 3-5:30 p.m. She is the bride-elect of Richard Usery of Amarillo.

Hostesses for the occasion are Mrs. Jack Patterson, Mrs. Arnold Hromas, Mrs. J. D. Stevens, Mrs. Ovid Lawlis, Mrs. A. L. Glasscock, Mrs. Paul Lloyd, and Mrs. Tom Hartwell.

WMU Has Prayer Work

WMU met recently for a Home Missions Week of Prayer. The name of the Study was "Our Land Shall Own Thee Lord."

A lesson was taught each day of the week. Several women attended the week. They were, Mrs. Johnnie Horn, Mrs. Ovid Lawlis, Mrs. James Russell, Mrs. Ralph Aday, Mrs. J. B. Barrett, Mrs. Grady Sorley, Mrs. J. O. Combs, Mrs. P. A. Adams, Mrs. A. L. Nuttall, Mrs. Allen Cumpston, Mrs. W. W. Wilcox, Mrs. Don Murphy, Mrs. Weldon Moody, Mrs. Buster Cochran, Mrs. Arnold Hromas, Mrs. A. L. Glasscock, Mrs. E. G. Steelman, Mrs. Keith Garner, Mrs. Wendol Garner, Mrs. Bobby Englant and Mrs. Ronald Minyen.

CPA Harden Opens Office In Bovina

Gerald Harden of Dimmitt, certified public accountant, has opened an office in Bovina on a one-day a week basis.

The office is located in the Jones Building on Third Street, with Jerry Rogers Barber Shop. It is open each Wednesday. Harden is married to the former Lexie Stevenson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Stevenson of Bovina.

Okla. Lane Variety Club Meets Here

Oklahoma Lane Variety Club met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. G. A. Bandy in Bovina. The group spent the afternoon visiting and embroidering cup-towels.

Mrs. J. R. Caldwell, Mrs. C. C. Christian, Mrs. George Lindop, Mrs. Thad Watkins, Mrs. Janie Sides, Mrs. Floyd Batty, Mrs. L. M. Grissom and Miss Lola Gean Grissom, were served St. Patrick's green punch, coffee and pound cake.

Good Neighbors Meet With Mrs. Wilcox

The Good Neighbor Club met Thursday in the home of Mrs. W. W. Wilcox. The ladies spent the afternoon quilting for the hostess.

Plans were made for the new year book. Refreshments of cookies, coffee and tea was served to Mrs. Grady Hall, Mrs. Mabel Newberry, Mrs. T. J. Hopingardner, Mrs. Arthur Kent, Mrs. Howard Looney, Mrs. Henry Spicer, Mrs. Lester Williams, and the hostess.

Next meeting will be April 1.

Youth Choir Has Fellowship

Music Director Jack Boggs was host to the youth choir fellowship in his home recently. In appreciation for the choir's attendance and cooperation.

The group had a scavenger hunt and then returned to the Boggs home for a skit called, "Sneads Sweet Snuff Hour of Charm".

Refreshments of pop corn, cheese dip, punch, hot chocolate and brownies were served to the group.

Those present other than the young people were Mr. and Mrs. Ed Dendy, Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Aday and children, and Mrs. Harold Hawkins.

Local Woman's Sister Dies

Mrs. Cecil Williamson, the former Mildred Osborn, of Jacksonville, Florida died unexpectedly Friday in Jacksonville. Mrs. Williamson was the sister of Mrs. Frank Pesch of Bovina and Mrs. Leona Moss of Farwell. Services and interment were in Jacksonville.

Party Honors Lisa Charles

A going-away party for Lisa Charles was given by Deborah Hawkins in her home Thursday afternoon.

The group played table games and had refreshment of sandwiches, chips, punch, cookies, and ice cream.

Those present were Deborah Kirk, Loy Beth Christian, Melonie Marshall, Carrissa Englant, Sharon Hemeke, Gary Beauchamp, Greg Bell, and Bobby Kruger.

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Gerald Harden, Partner
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Troy Fuller's Sister Dies

Mrs. R. L. Fulcer, 66, of Wellington died Friday afternoon in St. Joseph's Hospital. Mrs. Fulcer was the sister of Troy Fuller of Bovina.

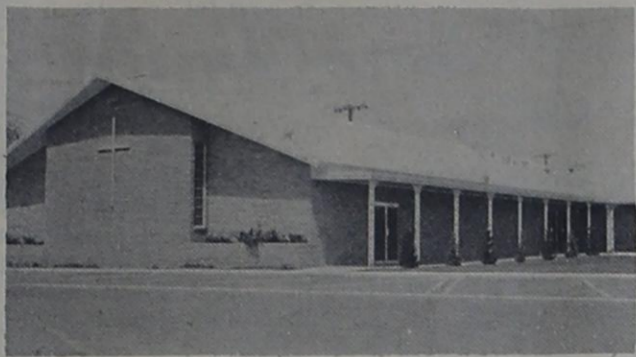
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Don Stone

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Morning - 10:45
Evening - 6:30
WEDNESDAY
Devotional and Classes - 8 p.m.

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"Speaking of our pledge, that's just the kind of new suit I want George to buy—if we can ever afford it."

This Week's DEVOTIONAL

FIRST PLACE

When it becomes necessary for an unusual meeting with other people, the first thing to consider is when can we meet. This indicates that most people have a schedule that is nearly full. The calendar is checked, then the clock, and again both calendar and clock are rechecked, and it is sometimes difficult to find a time suitable for all.

We have a time for most everything, such as getting up, breakfast, work, lunch, off to work, dinner, newspaper time, special programs, a game, or a trip. Many people never set aside any time for communion with Jesus. When Mary and Joseph arrived in Bethlehem, so many people had already crowded in until there was no room for them in the Inn, Matt. 2:7. The inn keeper did not plan for it to be so, but the people kept crowding in until there was not a comfortable room for the birth of Jesus.

Every believer knows the proper place for Jesus in our schedule. But has our rush crowded Him to the foot of our schedule? Do we give Him any part of our busy days? Jesus bids us give Him FIRST PLACE.

Archie Cooper, Pastor
Bovina Pentecostal Holiness Church

BIBLE QUIZ

...by Don Stone

High scorer in March will be awarded: MORE THAN CONQUERORS, by Wm. Hendriksen (Value: \$3.50), Runners-up will also receive a prize.

Mail your answers to Box 422, Bovina, Texas.

1. The Palestine of Jesus' day has been called a "world in miniature". The major languages of the world were spoken there; these were: _____ and _____.
2. The little country although about the size and shape of _____, one of our States in the U.S., had a wide range of altitudes ranging from _____ at the highest point to _____ at the lowest.
3. In referring to the topography, a journey to Jerusalem is always said to be "_____ to Jerusalem." Find a reference in your Bible where this statement is made when one is going to Jerusalem from the North.
4. A study of the coastlines of Palestine will show why the Israelites never became a sea-faring people. This is because there were no _____.
5. One site where a seaport was utilized in the days of Solomon was to the south and east of Palestine at _____ on the Gulf of _____.
6. The major occupations in Palestine were: _____.

A good Bible atlas or Bible dictionary will be helpful in this quiz. In case of ties, the winner will be selected by a drawing.

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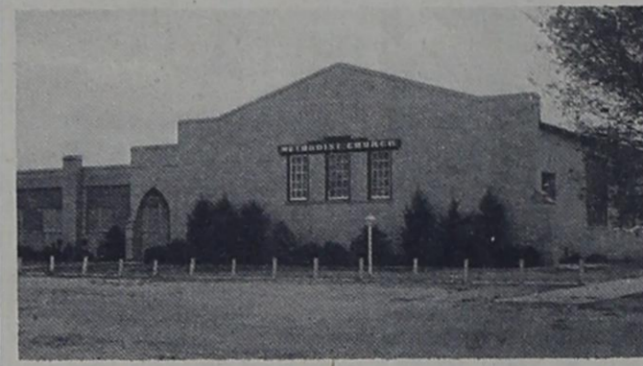
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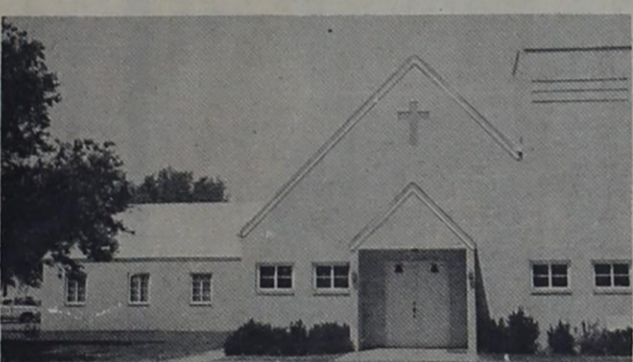
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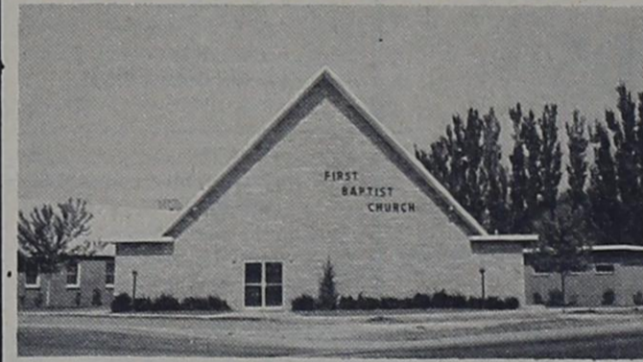
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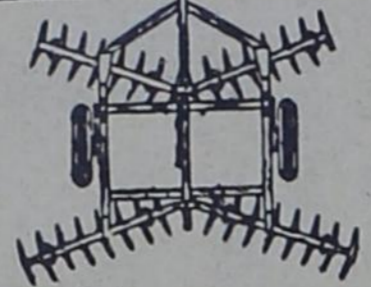
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Farmers--
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 In a better position to send him the kind of hand he's interested in." Bradley says present plans are to continue operating the Bovina office on a two-day-a-week basis.

Band--
 (Continued from page 1)
 Steven Lane and Doris Corn. It was required in the contest that soloist use prescribed music and be accompanied by a piano accompanist. Mrs. Harper accompanied all the students on the piano.
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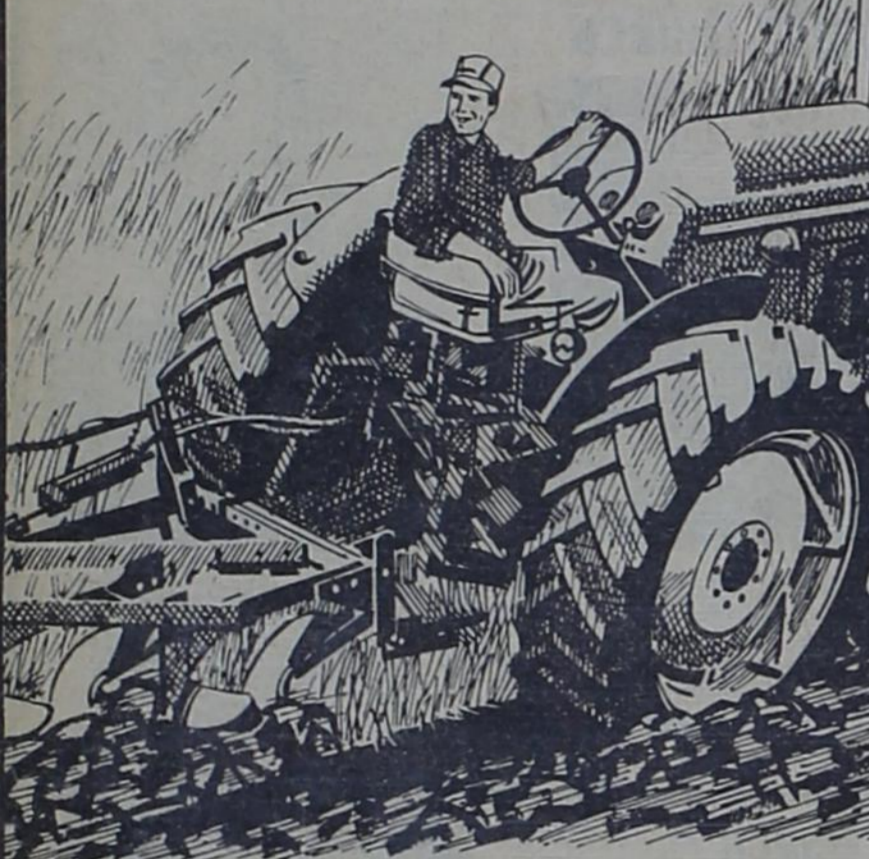
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The J. W. Crim family gathers around the traditional March 22 bonfire at the Crim home in Lazbuddie. Mr. Crim, second from right, is forecasting a "poor" year in 1965 for Plains farmers. The wind was out of the west-southwest.

"Poor" Year In Store For Farmers

Probably no one hates worse than the oracle himself, but J. W. Crim of Lazbuddie, long-time Indian sign follower, expects 1965 to be another "poor" year for Plains farmers -- insofar as weather is concerned.

The wind was out of the west-southwest at sunrise Monday morning, March 22 -- which is the traditional moment of taking a reading from the smoke rising from a bonfire on the farm.

About the only encouragement "Indian John" Crim can give his neighbors this spring is that 1965 won't be as bad as last year. Everybody agrees it had better not be.

Last year Mr. Crim sadly read the signs and said things looked so bad "You had just

as well load up the wagon and leave out." His forecast came true literally and 1964 proved to be one of the driest and most expensive production seasons on the Plains.

Last year proved that even in this day of fully developed irrigation, the farmer is still heavily dependent upon Mother Nature for his best efforts. In spite of constantly churning irrigation wells, crops wilted under the merciless heat and dryness. There just wasn't enough water coming out of the ground to make up the difference.

Indian Crim says there'll be some exceptions to his unhappy forecast for farmers this year.

"You'll see times when some clouds will come through and some fellows will get a nice shower -- but others will get hailed out." He says weather effects will be spotted but on the whole pretty dry.

Attending the daybreak forecast this year were Mr. and Mrs. Max Crim and Cindy, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Crim and Gregg, Kirk and Rodney, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Curtis and Robert and Lesley of Farwell, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Monroe of Clovis, Bert Gordon and Clarence Mason and son, neighbors.

Not able to attend were Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Johnson of Garland and Buck Crim of Hinton, Oklahoma. Also missing was Mrs. J. W. Crim who passed away recently. She had for years enjoyed having the children and grandchildren in for the family event and always had breakfast or at least coffee hot and ready on the stove.

"What are you drawing?" the teacher asked the boy. "It's a picture of God," he replied. "But you can't do that," she said. "Nobody knows what God looks like." "They will," the boy said, "when I get this picture done."

There was a wife who complained to her husband: "Look at the old clothes I have to wear; if anyone came to visit they would think I was the cook." "Well, if you want them to change their minds," said the husband, "ask them to stay for dinner."

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March 15 thru 20, 1965

DT, Jasper Morris, Tri-County Savings & Loan, N. 60 ft Lot 22 Blk 4 Ridgelea Sub. Bovina

DT, W. M. Pool II, John Hancock Mutual Ins. Co., S/2 Sect 35 T10S R2E: NW/4 Sect 9 T15S R2E

Deed, J. M. Teague, Jr. et al, O. L. Black, E 80 a of Sect 10 T1N R3E

DT, Curtis Williams, First Federal Savings & Loan, N. 20 ft Lot 20 Blk 60 Farwell Adjoining Tract.

WD, H. Y. Overstreet, Curtis Williams, N. 20 ft Lot 20 Blk 60 Farwell Adjoining Tract.

ML, D. W. Cargile, Gene Love, S 206 a N of RR in E/2 Sect 17 T15S R2E

ML, Aff. Odie White, Billy G. Hutto, W 50 ft Lot 1 & E 35 ft Lot 2 Blk 7 Bovina

Supple Ind., Southwestern Public Service, Chemical Bank of N. Y. - S. R.

Deed, O. W. Killam Est., Charles W. Flynn, Lots 8 thru 19, Blk 4, Gardner Add., Bovina

Tax Lien, State of Texas, Clifford Buckner, S. R.

M. L. Aff., Clovis Concrete Co., Billy G. Hutto, W. 50 ft. Lot 1 & E. 35 ft. Lot 2, Blk. 87, Bovina

ML, Grady Herington, Gifford-Hill-Western, W 1/2, Sec. 28 & Lot 10 of E1/2 Sec. 28, T9S, R1E

DT, Harold H. Balls, et ux, First Federal Sav. & Ln., part of NE 1/4 of Sec. 1 T3S R3E

Part, Deed, J. M. Teague, Jr., Sam Teague, West 304 a. Sec. 10, T1N R3E Sec. 11

DT, Jack Bruns, FHA, part of NE 1/4 Sec. 44, Blk. Y, Bailey, SW1/4 Sec. 2, T11S R3E

DT, Steve Messinger, HI Plains Savings & Loan, Lot 8, Blk 2 Staley Add., Friona

ML, H. Hollis Horton and Horizon Homes, Part of Sec. 31, T1N R4S, Cap Syn

WD, L. J. McKenzie, et ux, W. M. White, Lot 4, Blk. 87, Friona

DT, W. M. White, Friona State Bank, Lot 4, Blk. 87, Friona

DT, Ernest Nowell, Muleshoe State Bank, N. 120 a. of W/2 of N/2 Sect. 88, Kelly H.

Deed, City of Friona, Mrs. Anges Fulks, Lots 1 & 2, Blk. 115-A, Friona Ceme.

ML, Grady Herington, Joe Crume, Lots 3, 4, 5, 6, 10, 11, 12, 13 & 14, Sect. 28, T9S R1E

ML, Joe S. Menefee, GHW, W/2 Sect. 36, Kelly H.

WD, J. Merrill Turner, Harry Ray Jesko, Lots 4 & 5, Blk. 12, Farwell

DT, Harry Ray Jesko, N. M. Sav. & Loan, Lots 4 & 5, Blk. 12, Farwell

WD, W. M. Denney, Herman Estes, SE 60 ft. Lot 1, Blk 36, Bovina

WD, Travis Dyer, Billy Eugene Mayfield, Part Lots 1 thru 5, Blk. 76, Part Lots 19 & 20, Blk. 76, Bovina

WD, Guy Austin, et al, W. J. Clay, et al, Tract of Garden Lot 18, Sec. 31, T9S R1E

WD, Thomas Parson, Deaf Smith REA, 3 a. out of NE corner SE/4, Se. 1, T3S R3E

WD, R. L. Fleming, Bob Burnett, Lot 13, Blk. 6 replat Garden Sub., Sec. 8, Synd. E

DT, Sam Aldridge, et ux, Prudential Ins. Co., S. 313.57 a. Sec. 12, J. T. Jowell Sub.

DT, Sam Aldridge, et ux, Prudential Ins. Co., E/2 Sec. 7, Synd "A"

Unlike other rabbits, the swamp rabbit is unafraid to cross streams. Its dense fur seems to serve as a waterproof coat.

THE HIGH PLAINS FARM AND HOME



LEVELS OFF - Walter Kaltwasser, who farms 800 acres north of Oklahoma Lane, checks with his brother, Gilbert, (left) as the latter is engaged in leveling a half section. Walter has been in poor health for the past four months and unable to do much work. Gilbert, who is also a neighbor is helping his brother with the leveling chore. Walter said that he thought his illness was also "gradually leveling off." The 320 acres will be planted in milo this year.

Sesame Meeting Monday Night

There is a "new look" for Sesame this year, as Sesame Meeting time approaches for Friona area farmers. BACO, a new direct combine harvest variety was successfully field tested in 1964, and limited seed supplies for commercial production are available for 1965.

To hear the latest word on both combine Baco Sesame and the binder varieties Margo and Oro, area farmers are invited to attend a special Sesame meeting and barbecue in Friona, Monday, March 29, at 7:30 p. m. The meeting will be held at Production Credit Building in Friona. Underwoods' barbecue of Lubbock will cater the barbecue meal planned for the meeting, and all area farmers who are interested in growing Sesame are invited to attend.

No. 1 quality Sesame seed from the 1964 harvest sold for an average price of \$11.09 per hundred pounds. Sesame has averaged area farmers more than \$11. per hundred pounds for three consecutive years. "Sesame seed consumption and imports of Sesame seed into the United States have increased each year," commented Robert L. Parker, Executive Vice - President of Texas Sesame Growers, Inc. "and we believe this trend will continue."

Farmers can again take advantage of the program to plant Sesame on diverted acres, while collecting half their feed grain or wheat diversion payment. Last year this same program resulted in payments to farmers of \$20. to \$30. per acre or more, in addition to the sale of their Sesame crop. Sesame can also be planted on non-allotment land, without restriction.

Bracero "labor short" farmers watched with great interest as the Sesame Self-Feeding Combine Attachment, developed by Texas Sesame Growers, Inc., harvested most of the crop of shocked Sesame. This is the combine attachment which makes the combine Sesame harvest a one man operation. Manufacture of additional Self-Feeding Combine Attachments to speed the Sesame harvest is planned for this year.

All Friona and surrounding area farmers, who are interested in growing Sesame, are invited to attend the Sesame meeting and free barbecue Monday night, March 29 at the Production Credit Building in Friona. County Agent, Joe VanZandt will be in charge of the meeting. Farmers who plant to attend should make their reservations with Cummings Farm Store in Friona, phone 247-2781.

Farm Building Should Be Functional

Farming methods are changing rapidly and for this reason, buildings should be designed so changes may be made with a minimum of cost. One story, clear-span buildings offer this possibility, says W. S. Allen, Extension agricultural engineer at Texas A&M University.

Farm buildings are important production tools on the modern farm. They must be justified for whatever purpose they are used, and benefits derived must assist in maintaining or increasing net farm returns, explains the engineer.

The first requirement is that each building be functional. It must be planned and constructed for a particular purpose such as for the drying, storing, and processing of grains for feed.

Another requirement is the arrangement to permit efficient use of labor and equipment in performing the specific function. This is most important, says Allen, in view of labor costs, the scarcity of good labor, and a trend toward increased mechanization.

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At Home In Farmer County

By CRICKET B. TAYLOR
County HD Agent

4-H ACTIVITIES

Clothing Leaders are being recruited for 4-H project work that is scheduled to start in the near future. Some Clubs already have enough leaders while others are in need of leaders. Plans have been made to train clothing leaders beginning the 3rd week of April, and if a homemaker can spare a few hours each month this may be a way to make a worthwhile contribution to the training of young girls.

Last week the name of one of our 4-H members was omitted, through error, from the list of Favorite Food participants. Lynns Widmer of Friona Club was a red ribbon winner, with her exhibit in the Milk group. In fact, Lynns just lacked 1/2 point being a blue ribbon winner. That just real fine for a first year 4-H member. Her leader was Mrs. C. M. Phipps. Next year we are going to expect some good competition from these first year girls. Farwell 4-H Club had a Safety Demonstration for their program on Tuesday March 16th. Debra Meeks and Joyce White presented a program on Safety. The subject was on the Medicine Shelf in the Home. They did a real good job and we hope

they can go to District with their demonstration.

PROGRAM -- "Line & Design"

A County wide program for homemakers will be given April 14th, at 2:00 p.m. in the Friona State Bank at Friona. This program will include discussion and demonstrations on lines & design for various figure types. With spring just around the corner, Styles and Clothes are very popular subjects for these days. All homemakers are invited to attend this meeting. This meeting will be followed by a program in May on "Wardrobe Planning," that will be open to all groups of homemakers as well as Home Demonstration Clubs.

LEADER MEETING - Home Demonstration Clubs

Tuesday March 30th at 2:00 p.m. in the Hub Community Center, Home Demonstration Club Leaders will receive training on "Furniture Care."

Points to be stressed will be types of finishes and how to care for them. How to treat scratches, stains, dents and burns and other information on plastic and fabric upholstery.



EARLY GARDENING - Mrs. Joel White, who lives some five miles east of Farwell, is ready again this year to begin the growing of vegetables. Her husband, who has lived in Farmer County all his life, said that they would have something over an acre in garden where the irrigation has caused short point rows to be left. They raise Watermelons, cantaloupes, okra, peas, beans and almost anything that can be grown in a garden. Most of the vegetables are canned for home use, Mrs. White said, but they sold some of the vegetables last year.

4-H Contests Results

The Farmer County 4-H Elimination Contests were held Saturday, March 20 in the Hub Community Center.

County winners in the Contests will compete in District Contests in Canyon on April 3. Judges for the contests were Joe Harbin and Joann Bray, both from the Bailey County Electric Co-Operative.

In the foods-nutrition educational activity, Dale Blackstone, Lazbuddie 4-H'er placed first in the senior division.

The winning junior electric demonstration team was from Oklahoma Lane and Randy Gregory and Kevin Kaitwasser were team members.

Joyce White and Debra Meeks, Farwell 4-H members, gave the best Safety demonstration in the Junior division.

The beef cattle business winning demonstration team was composed of Neil Christian, Oklahoma Lane 4-H member and Brad Jordan, Farwell 4-H'er.

Members competing in the method demonstration contests gain a lot of good experience in developing their speaking abilities and also learn a lot about the subject area they compete in.

Spring Turns Thoughts Of Many To Gardening

With the coming of spring, the thoughts of many thrifty homeowners turn to vegetable gardening.

However, suburban dwellers are often at a disadvantage because of limited land area. They should follow certain gardening techniques to make best use of available land, says County Agent Joe VanZandt.

A garden plan on paper enables one to make the most efficient use of the garden area. Group the crops so they will mature at about the same time. As one crop is removed, another may be planted in its place. Follow each crop with an unrelated one to avoid buildup of disease and harmful insects, suggests the county agent.

Make the earliest plantings at one side of the garden and work across with later-maturing crops until it is complete.

Vegetables that may be considered for successive plantings are: early-season--lettuce, radishes, onions, and turnips; mid-season--green beans, southern peas, tomatoes, cucumbers and peppers; late-season--fall tomatoes, broccoli, cauliflower, and late varieties of lettuce and turnips.

Parts of the garden shaded by trees or buildings during the day should be planted in leafy vegetables, such as lettuce, collards and spinach, which best tolerate shade. Fruit-bearing and root crops should be planted in the part of the garden with the greatest amount of sunlight. Plant perennials, such as asparagus and artichokes, along one side of the garden so they



WITH SPADE AND HOSE - Mrs. Edmund Kitten was ready for spring and gardening at her home two miles north of the Oklahoma Lane Community Building. Her husband has already broke the land. She said that her favorite tool was the spade. The Kittens have quite a record during the past six years on the present farm in growing vegetables of all kinds. They came to Farmer County from Slaton,

and will not interfere with seasonal crops.

Many vegetables can be decorative as well as useful by interplanting with flowers and shrubs. Bell peppers, eggplant, okra, tomatoes, and others can be attractively placed in flower beds. Beets, carrots, spinach

and cherry tomatoes make attractive borders for the beds. Cucumbers and pole beans can be planted along fences.

Limited area gardeners should consider planting vegetables which cannot be purchased fresh and at reasonable prices, advises the agent.

March Gardening Activities Gets Underway In This Area

The spring growth of many garden plants will begin during March and once growth begins in the spring it advances rapidly and garden chores must be speeded up to keep pace with the seasonal changes.

All plantings should be completed as soon as possible and as the weather begins to warm up watch for the development of the common garden insects such as aphids and keep the yearly population of these pests down with early sprayings.

Prune all early blooming shrubs properly as soon as they have finished flowering so that the production of flowering wood for next season will be increased accordingly. Finish any pruning required also on plants that are still dormant and that flower late during the growing season since the blooming wood will be produced during the current season on these plants. A good example of such plants is crepe myrtle.

In our area where late frosts usually occur, delay pruning of tender plants such as tender

broadleaf evergreens, since pruning will always encourage new growth which may be injured by late frosts. For the same reason do not prune back frost damaged plants until all danger of late frosts is past.

There is still time to start annuals from seed and to set them out from pots and flats 4 to 6 weeks from now.

Fertilization of trees, shrubs and established plantings should be deferred until all danger of frost is over so that new growth will not be damaged by late frosts.

There will be ample time to plant trees, shrubs and other garden plants dug with a ball or from containers. Planning can still be done with care for the coming growing season. Container grown plants can be transplanted successfully any time during the year and most plants are now grown in this manner. Plan now and prepare

the locations properly for all intended landscape plantings to be made this year. Careful planning and proper preparation for planting are more important than hurried plantings made at this time of the year because the active growing season is rapidly approaching.

Camellias can be satisfactorily transplanted best at this time of the year. Select new varieties now while there are proper conditions for planting and move plants that require moving at this time.

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Use Only Best Seed In Vegetable Garden

Be sure to use only high-quality, viable vegetable seed in your garden this spring, says County Agent Joe VanZandt. The seed should be stored before planting, in a cool, dry place. Fruit jars or cans with tightly fitting lids make suitable seed containers.

Seed saved from the previous year should be tested for fertility to be sure of germination when planted. A simple way of testing at home is to place a piece of moist paper towel or facial tissue on a plate or saucer. Put a representative sample of seed on the moist paper and cover with another piece of moist tissue. Next, wrap the whole saucer in a piece of polyethylene plastic and stick about six or eight pin holes in the surface of the plastic to allow air to enter.

After sufficient time, count the germinated seed. The length of time varies from about five days for radish and similar seeds, eight to ten days for corn and beans, 14 to 16 days for carrots and celery. If many seeds fail to germinate, or are weak, then discard the whole lot. The cost of new seed is small compared to wasted time and energy or even the loss of production from planting low quality seed.

Order or buy seed by the variety name from a reputable seedsman. Choice of variety is important because some are suitable only for certain seasons and certain sections of the state.

Check at the county agent's office for varieties adapted to your locality or obtain a copy of L-451, "Local Market and Home Garden Vegetable Varieties."

Get More Mileage From Food Dollars

Food shoppers will want to study their supermarkets and food advertisements closely this week to get more mileage from their food dollars, says Mrs. Gwen Clay, A&M Extension consumer marketing specialist.

Homemakers may benefit from some of these "market basket" tips.

At the retail meat counters, look for best beef values on chuck roasts and steaks, ground beef, short ribs, round steak and beef liver. Pork values include shoulder roasts and steak, picnics, hams and pork liver.

Fryers are in ample supply at economical prices. Eggs are receiving extra emphasis during March, which has been designated as "egg month," and which features a good supply at economical prices. Grade AA or A large size eggs are the quality-economy buy.

Fresh fruit and vegetable items in plentiful supply at reasonable prices include oranges, grapefruit, bananas, apples, head lettuce, cabbage, carrots, dry yellow onions, radishes and green onions.

Cheddar cheese is an excellent choice in the dairy foods department. It is a high quality protein at relatively low cost, points out the specialist. Other dairy products also are high in nutritive value and low in cost per serving.

Washable Fabrics Are Popular This Spring

Cottons and cotton blends are among the feminine fabric choices for spring, says Lynn Parks, Texas A&M Extension consumer education specialist.

These washable favorites are brightened by print on texture this spring. Cotton crepes are crinkled for texture and spotted with woven dots. Patterns range from interesting water colors or vivid splashes of warm colors and bold primitive prints.

Knits are bubbled and crimped -- or woven with both thick and thin yarn to add interesting texture.

Many of the new fabrics have built-in boons for home sewers. Ribbon effects on solids, or tiny patterns and cording on delicate sheers, help create an illusion of hand-sewn trim. Many knits are backed for added firmness

and easy handling.

It is important to remember that washable fabrics make washable fashions only if the bindings, facings and trimmings are also safe in soap or detergent suds. Some trims benefit from pre-launderings before sewing in order to avoid subsequent shrinkage, Miss Parks says.

The United States population hit the 193.4 million mark as of January 1, says the U. S. Census Bureau. This compares with 190.8 million the previous January 1, and 164.5 million for the corresponding month of 1955.

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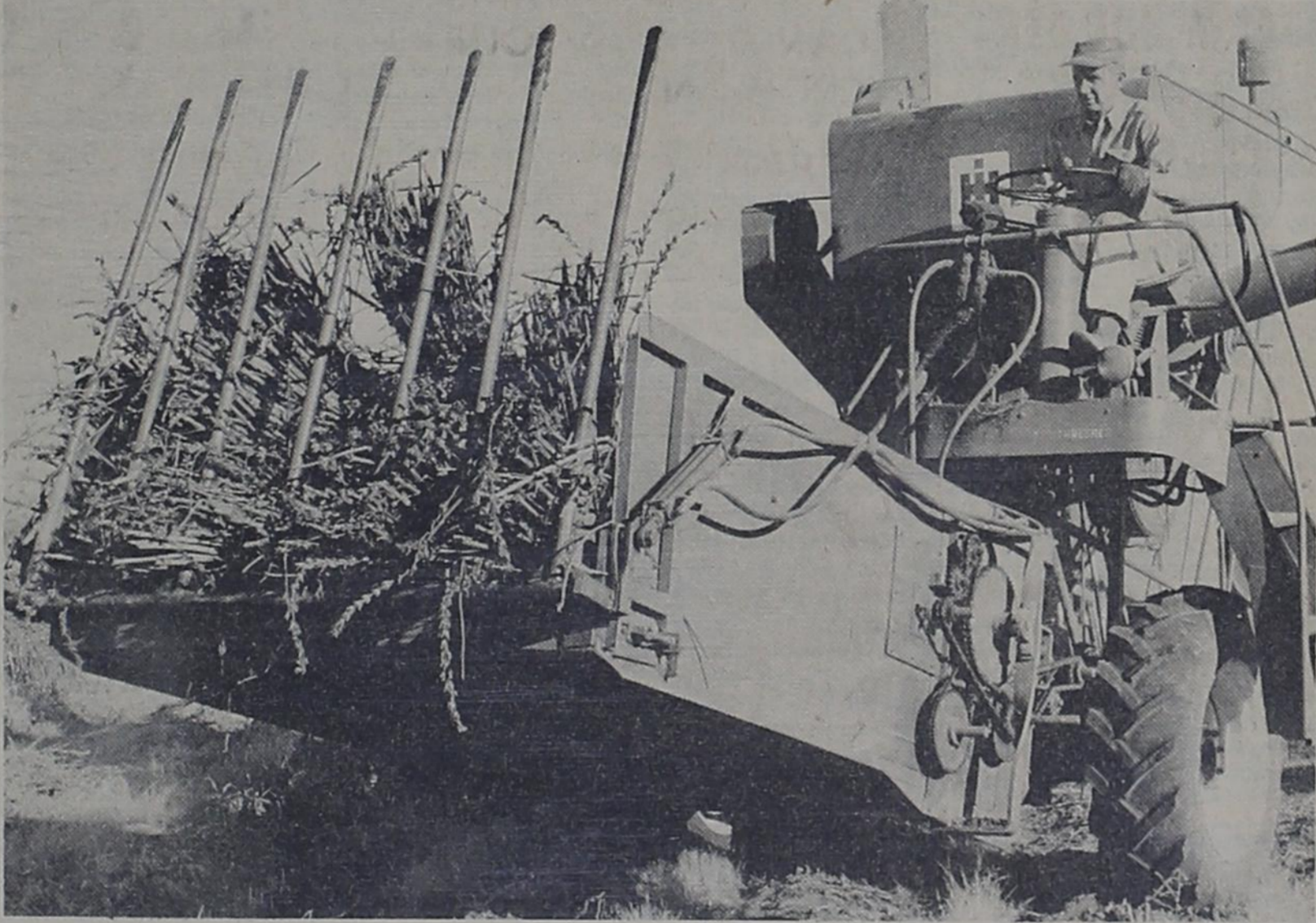
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CANINE INSPECTION - Two black dogs at the home of Edmund Kitten investigate the preparing of dahlia bulbs by Mrs. Kitten in their garage north of Oklahoma Lane Community Center Building. Mrs. Kitten, a noted successful gardener, will set out the bulbs in their yard within the next few days. The Cocker Spaniel tasted the "dahlia sauce" but the hound turned his nose away.

COTTON TALKS

FROM PLAINS COTTON GROWERS, INC.

Weevil Program Reported Huge Success

High praise for amazing results was the order of the day March 17 and 18 in Lubbock when officials of the High Plains Boll Weevil Control Program met to review the 1964 spray program and lay plans for spraying in 1965.

Both field evaluation during the program and winter trash surveys in January of this year revealed a reduction in the overwintering weevil populations of about 90 per cent, a record said by Dr. Perry L. Adkisson of the Texas A&M Department of Entomology to be "almost unbelievable." D.H. Russell, Lubbock Supervisor of the USDA's Plant Pest Control Division described the results as "phenomenal," especially considering that no program of this scope and nature had ever been attempted before and that sprayings were beset from the start with adverse weather.

Field evaluation was made during the actual spraying by comparing weevil counts in treated fields with counts in untreated fields, and winter trash examination was compared with a similar study made at the same time of year in 1963.

Agencies involved in carrying out the program are the Plant Pest Control Division of USDA, the Texas Department of Agriculture, Texas Tech, Texas A&M University, Mississippi State College and the Extension Service, with Plains Cotton Growers, Inc. serving as the coordinating agency.

Reporting on the physical attributes of the program, Russell said that almost 300,000 acres of cotton belonging to 3,800 farmers across 9 counties were sprayed from four to six times for an aggregate total of 1,136,664 acres; 123,618 gallons of malathion in technical form (a new material used extensively for boll weevil control for the first time in the High Plains program) was applied; 20 spray aircraft and five observation aircraft operating from 21 airstrips were used, and over 200 men were employed full time during the mid-September to mid-November spray period. Preliminary accounting figures set cost of 1964 sprayings at \$1,163,778.28.

Dr. J.C. Gaines, head of Texas A&M's Entomology Department, told the group that weevil research efforts will continue through the Spring, Summer and Fall, and should furnish answers to some of the questions about the High Plains weevil's biological processes. These answers, he said, could prove highly beneficial to the High Plains control program.

Ed Dean, Field Service Representative for Plains Cotton Growers, gave the program financial report and stated that over 97 per cent of the 50 cents per bale collections were retained, with less than 3 per cent of producers requesting refunds. He said: "This shows beyond all doubt that the High Plains farmer is solidly behind the program and is willing to do his part to make it a success."

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2. No farm could receive reapportioned acres unless at least 75 per cent of that farm's effective 1963 allotment was planted or unless failure to plant the allotment could be explained by weather con-



AMMO NOTES

By W. F. "Bill" Bennett
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SULPHUR

Increasing interest is being shown in the use of sulphur for High Plains soils. I would like to discuss in this column the effect of sulphur on plant growth

and the role of sulphur in plant nutrition. In later columns, I will discuss some results of research on the use of sulphur, soil reactions of sulphur and the various sources of sulphur.

Sulphur is present in the plant as a part of plant proteins with the two proteins being cystine and methionine. Sulphur also aids in the reproduction processes in the plant and will usually hasten the maturity of a plant.

Sulphur deficiency symptoms will usually be expressed as a yellowing of the plant very similar to a nitrogen deficiency symptom. Sulphur deficiencies may also show up in slow plant growth, late maturity and small spindly heads and stalks. These symptoms are somewhat similar to phosphorus.

Sulphur normally exists naturally in the soil as the sulphate form. It is in this form that the plant takes up sulphur. Some organic sulphur compounds also exist in the soil and are released upon normal decomposition of organic matter.

Sulphur is usually added to the soil for one of three reasons. It is a plant nutrient essential for plant growth. It is added to reduce the alkalinity of the soil and thereby increase the availability of phosphorus and certain micronutrients. It is also added as a soil amendment to decrease the detrimental effect

of sodium.

Since we have very few sodic soils in the High Plains and since most soils have adequate sulphur as a plant nutrient, the primary purpose of adding sulphur would be to decrease the alkalinity of the soil and reduce the effectiveness of calcium in the reversion of the applied phosphorus. I will discuss some of these reactions in later columns.

For oatmeal cookies that are different and very delicious, try this recipe.

ORANGE OATMEAL ROUNDS
1 cup shortening
1 cup brown sugar, packed
1 egg
2 tablespoons orange juice
1 tablespoon grated orange rind
1 cup rolled oats
1/2 cup raisins
1 cup sifted flour
1/2 teaspoon soda
1/2 teaspoon salt
1/4 cup coarsely chopped nuts
Cream shortening and sugar together. Add the egg and beat well.

Mix in the orange juice and grated rind, rolled oats, and raisins.
Sift together the flour, soda, and salt. Combine with the creamed mixture. Add the nuts.
Drop dough by teaspoonfuls onto greased baking sheets.
Bake at 350 degrees about 12 minutes. Makes about 30 cookies.

Lowered Freight Rates Move Milo Southeast

A freight rate reduction by Southern Railway System that drastically lowered the cost of hauling feed grains into the Southeast has awakened an area-wide interest in livestock growing, feeding and processing that is expected to grow to boom proportions within a few years.

D.W. Brosnan, president of Southern Railway System, says "the only thing that can kill off the start the South is making toward great growth in meat production would be a requirement that Southern raise its present low grain rates which are already handsomely profitable for us. Today southern feed grains users are buying more cheaply and midwestern farmers are getting higher prices for the grain they raise."

"The low rates are also opening up more sales opportunities for Midwest grain as the South produces more cattle and hogs to satisfy its own meat requirements. This will help the national meat picture, too, by cutting down on imports of foreign meats raised on feed grown in other countries. Southern's battle to keep its low grain rates in effect isn't simply a case of a railroad trying to win a freight-rate fight. It is critically important to the people in spurring on the American economy in both the South and the Midwest through keeping transportation costs low."

Southern has referred to the potential growth made possible by its rates as a "billion-dollar bonanza" although Prof. J.R. Johnson, head of the Extension Service Agronomy Department at the University of Georgia in December 1963 estimated that the southern states in which Southern's rates are effective had a possible increase in beef production alone of almost two billion dollars. Pork, lamb and veal would add substantially to such a total.

Speaking of his beef estimate, Professor Johnson said: "This \$2,000,000,000 is new money that could stimulate expansion of lime and fertilizer use, new packing plants, railroad ton-

nage, bank clearings, school improvements, new churches, service companies, construction, and other such activities in the South."

A leading livestock authority has said, "I am particularly enthusiastic about the Southeast." This is the way John Knox, head of the Animal Husbandry Department of New Mexico State University, was quoted in an interview with the editor of "Farm Quarterly" in discussing future national expansion of cattle production. He added, "If they will simply bring into use the land that is now lying idle in that area they can expand tremendously."

R.L. Fox, Chief, Livestock and Wool Branch, Farmer Cooperative Service, United States Department of Agriculture, has reported a growing population and increased consumption of higher grades of beef will mean that the South "will require beef from another 1.5 million animals to meet consumer's needs in 1975."

High freight rates on grain which the Southeast must import in vast quantities have held up the exploitation of the Southeast's natural advantages of climate ample pasture lands and good water supply.

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3. Farms with less than 15 acres base cotton allotment were limited to a 100 per cent increase or an increase to a total of 15 acres, whichever was greater.

4. Farms with from 15 to 24 acres base allotment were limited to an increase of 100 per cent or an increase to a total of 37-1/2 acres, whichever was greater.

5. Farms with 25 or more acres of base allotment were limited to an increase of 50 per cent of that base allotment.

Base 1965 allotment, acreage received from reapportionment in 1965, total effective allotment for 1965 and effective allotment for 1964 are listed by county below:

County	1965		Total 1965 Acreage	Total 1964 Acreage
	1965 Base Allotment	Reapportioned Acres Received		
Bailey	96,112	7,674.1	103,786.1	105,352
Borden	17,940	623.8	18,563.8	18,703
Brisco	25,466	1,766.6	27,232.6	27,228
Castro	52,732	3,558.3	56,290.3	57,606
Cochran	73,310	6,312.1	79,622.1	80,260
Crosby	116,114	6,680.2	122,794.2	123,874
Dawson	193,915	5,599.0	199,514.0	200,052
Deaf				
Smith	10,473	410.6	10,883.6	11,249
Dickens	51,908	1,186.2	53,094.2	53,109
Floyd	93,441	8,200.9	101,641.9	102,297
Gaines	75,862	5,441.7	81,303.7	83,020
Garza	38,650	1,923.6	40,573.6	40,812
Hale	157,626	10,922.2	168,548.2	170,071
Hockley	178,683	9,046.8	187,729.8	188,403
Howard	71,699	3,179.5	74,878.5	75,167
Lamb	186,102	9,123.6	195,225.6	195,707
Lubbock	216,198	5,343.7	221,541.7	223,099
Lynn	177,315	8,186.1	185,501.1	185,984
Motley	33,338	766.4	34,104.4	33,959
Parmer	43,347	3,563.6	46,910.6	48,307
Swisher	51,073	4,953.8	56,026.8	55,962
Terry	141,268	12,250.5	153,518.5	155,819
Yoakum	33,052	2,906.3	35,958.3	36,609
Totals	2,135,624	119,619.6	2,255,243.6	2,272,649

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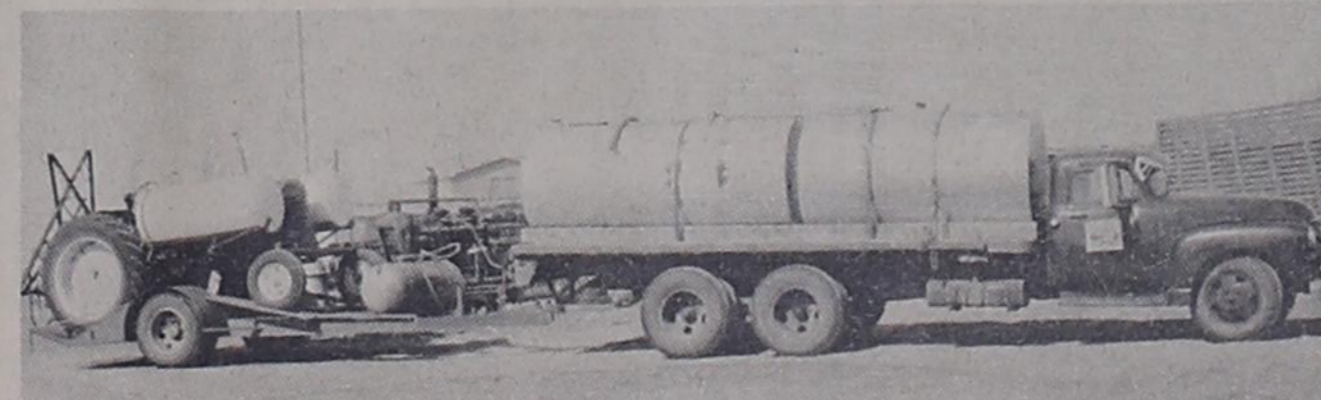
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Boll Weevil Control Report

Persons involved with the High Plains boll weevil control program received a glowing account of the progress of the program at meetings of the Boll Weevil Technical Advisory and Steering Committee in Lubbock last week. The meetings were held Thursday and Friday to review the 1964 boll weevil control program and to begin making preliminary plans for 1965.

"Unbelievable" and "phenomenal," were adjectives heard repeatedly during the two days of meetings which featured reports by various agencies involved in the gigantic program to push the boll weevil back from

the productive High Plains area. The optimistic tone of the meetings was set by Dr. Perry L. Adkisson, entomologist at Texas A&M, who reported that the westward march of the boll weevil across the High Plains not only was stopped but was pushed back 15 to 20 miles from the area reached by migrations in 1963.

Dr. Adkisson said that a comparison of treated and untreated fields showed a reduction of better than 90 per cent in the number of overwintering weevils, W. L. Owen, entomologist at the South Plains Research and Extension Center, Lubbock, said that the ground trash surveys made at 300 locations also indicated a 90 per cent reduction in overwintering boll weevils. Committee members agreed that these results were especially outstanding because of the extremely high weevil population that built up last year and the bad weather that interrupted spray operations early in the program.

Other speakers reviewing last year's program and discussing plans for this year's included: D. H. Russell and Roy Moritz, Plant Pest Control Division, Lubbock; Dr. J. C. Gaines, Head of the Entomology Department, and Don Rummel, Area Entomologist, Texas A&M University; and Dr. Jim Brazzel, Head of the Entomology Department at Mississippi State University. Donald A. Johnson, Executive Vice President of Plains Cotton Growers, welcomed the group, and Don Anderson of Crosbyton, Committee Chairman, presided.

Despite the optimistic theme that ran throughout the meetings, the group stressed the importance of continuing to bear down on the boll weevil. Plans formulated to do this job include:

Increasing research work to learn more about the boll weevil. A scientist has been assigned to do full-time research on the biology of the boll weevil.

Keeping a close watch on boll weevil "hot spots" that might develop during next season and hitting these spots before they have a chance to spread widely.

Encouraging farmers to do a better job of regular season control to prevent population build-ups such as occurred last year. To help implement this plan, survey teams on the look-out for isolated infestations will report such infestations to county extension agents daily. Agents in turn will contact the farmer about treating the infestation.

Although the exact acreage to be treated this fall won't be known until after weevils emerge from hibernation, officials indicated there should be a substantial reduction in acreage. Some of the experts predicted that if farmers conduct a good regular season control program, the diapause control acreage might be cut by as much as 50 per cent.

On The Farm In Parmer County



By JOE VAN ZANDT
County Agent

The snow we got last week was a hopeful reminder that we can still get a little moisture here in Parmer County. Here's hoping we have got a wet spring in store for us. Several people remarked to me that any snow falling is a lot better than the sand blowing and I sure have to agree.

This Friday, March 26, is the end of the sign-up period on the 1965 Feed Grain Program.

Prentice Mills, ASCS office manager told me that the rate of diversion payment when castor beans are grown on diverted acres has been increased to 50 per cent for 1965. We also want to remind you that no substitute crops can be planted on the minimum wheat diverted acres.

SESAME MEETING
While we are discussing substitute crops, there will be a Sesame meeting in Friona on Monday, March 29 at 7:30 p.m. in the Production Credit Building. There will be a barbecue supper and you need to let Cummings Farm Store in Friona know ahead of time so they can reserve your barbecue supper.

If you are interested in learning more about Sesame, be in Friona, Monday night.

BEEF CATTLE MEETING
An interesting program on selecting breeding cattle has been planned for Friday, March 26, in the Bull Barn at Hereford starting at 9:45 a.m.

Discussion and demonstrations on selecting cattle for functional efficiency will highlight the meeting. If you wonder what functional efficiency is - come to Hereford Friday because I don't know of a short concise definition. Some of it is things cattlemen have maybe unconsciously looked for, but Dr. Bonsma, from Pretoria, South Africa will point out a lot of things we haven't ever thought about in appraising the value of a breeding animal.

I'll admit that a lot of it makes pretty good sense, but you need to see it to best understand it.

GALVANIZED ROOFING
Planning to buy some galvanized roofing for your farm or commercial buildings? If so, you should know what service the material will give.

Quality roofing will give longer years of service at the lowest annual cost. Roofing sheets are usually 26, 28, or 29 gauge. The lower figure indicates the thicker sheet. Gauge influences the weight and strength and the time required to rust through.

Galvanized roofing is made of zinc coated steel or iron. Uncoated iron or steel will start rusting soon after sheets are put in place. Zinc does not rust. Therefore this material is applied in thin coats on both sides of roofing sheets to give protection to the base metal.

The amount of zinc coating determines the lasting quality of the roofing before rusting begins. Zinc coating are designated in ounces. The highest quality roofing was two ounces of zinc, the next grade one and one-half ounces, and lower grades one, or three-fourths of an ounce.

This ounce designation is the amount of zinc coating per square foot, on both sides of the sheet. The amount of zinc should be stamped on each sheet you buy. If there is no stamp on the roofing, there is no way to know how much zinc it has.

Tests indicate that galvanized roofing with two ounces of zinc lasts twice as long as roofing with one ounce. The zinc coating is eventually worn off by the weather. The atmosphere in different localities has some effect on the lasting qualities. Roofing with a two ounce coating of zinc should last 10 to 15 years and sheets with one and one-half ounces should last 5 to 10 years before rusting appears. Roofing with no designated zinc coating may start rusting in one to three years.

Galvanized roofing should be painted before any rust appears and if this is done, any quality roof paint will be satisfactory. If you wait until rust appears, you should use a metallic zinc paint to prevent further rusting.

Walks 500 Miles To Winners Circle

Junior Cattle Showman Bobby Rush figures he walked more than 500 miles to get into the winner's circle at major Texas livestock shows this season. It took the 18-year-old 4-H Club member about 120 days to make "the trip" and every step of the way he had three or four of his steers and heifers in tow.

Bobby walked the marathon distance on a short stretch of road that runs past his family's farm here in Lubbock County.

He was exercising his Herefords to give them the kind of finish that helped him establish a string of wins at Texas livestock shows.

Some of Bobby's wins this season in the junior division of major shows include: Grand Champion Steer, Texas State Fair; Grand Champion Steer, San Angelo; Grand Champion Heifer, San Antonio; Reserve Champion Hereford Steer, Fort Worth and First Place Heavy-weight Hereford Steer, Houston.

Exercise is just one of the secrets of developing winning cattle, according to Bobby. "I go to show-winning herds to get my cattle," he said.

"Then I put them on a regular schedule. Feeding, and grooming them at the same time each day makes them gain better and handle easier."

During the show season, Bobby spent about two hours each day grooming his nine head. This attention helps Bobby enter the ring with perfectly groomed cattle even though he seldom uses artificial oils.

Besides being a showman, Bobby is a top judge. He was a member of the Lubbock County 4-H livestock judging team that took first place honors at the 1963 4-H Roundup at Texas A&M University.

Early surveys indicate the effectiveness of the all-out campaign started last fall to stop the westward movement of the cotton boll weevil. Ground trash, collected during January in a 9-county area, showed an average of only 281 live weevils per acre, compared with 2,650 found during the same period last year.

The only difference between a necktie and a noose is that one is worn with a collar.

Efficiency Key To Irrigation Profits

Efficiency of operation in modern farming is a must if today's irrigation farmer is going to realize the net returns necessary from his investment. Efficiency in the use of the available irrigation water is at the top of the list for net returns.

Research personnel at the High Plains Research Foundation in Halfway have come up with this formula toward getting the maximum effectiveness from irrigation wells. A farmer with a small well pumping 200 gallons per minute can put five acres-inches of water on two acres every twenty four hours. This amount of water will saturate most of the soil types found in the Plains of Texas three or four feet deep. A 400 gallon per minute well would apply this amount of water on 4 acres every 24 hours; a 600 gallon per minute well will cover 6 acres each 24 hours, and so on for the different pumping capacities.

This formula should be utilized especially by farmers who are in the weak water

areas and also by the farmers who are trying to cover too much land with too few wells. This information will be valuable to farmers so that they can more effectively plan the proper length of run, head of irrigation water, and time when irrigation must be started for maximum efficiency.

The proper timing of irrigation along with the proper balance of fertilizer can make the difference of a profit or loss in today's highly specialized farming. One example of the value of the proper planning of irrigation as well as the proper length of run was shown in the 1964 report from the Foundation on sugar beet production.

Field averages, using standard irrigation methods, yielded 28.13 tons of sugar beets per acre. This yield represented a net income of \$148.00 per acre. Yield and net income were increased by the proper length of run of the irrigation water. Yield increased to 33.05 tons per acre and net return jumped to \$208.00. This increase of \$60.00 higher net

return per acre was due to the length of run. The same amount of water was applied on all plots. Higher yields and higher net returns can be obtained by using the same amounts of irrigation water if it is applied properly. This, along with the proper planning of an irrigation program to fit the farm, can cut the cost of farming.

Research at the Foundation has shown that the most important single irrigation is pre-plant. For agricultural areas falling in the category mentioned earlier, either weak water or too few wells for the number

of acres, adequate amounts of preplant irrigation water can be applied by starting early in the season, possibly in January. Early planning of an irrigation program can help to insure that adequate moisture is available for the crop. For more information on irrigation farming and production of sugar beets, write the High Plains Research Foundation, P. O. Drawer 2200, Plainview, Texas.

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