

VILLAGE



GOSSIP (More or Less)

Kenneth Gibson, student at Tech, Lubbock, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gibson of McLean, has been accepted as a member of Delta Sigma Pi at college.

Again this year, rodeo fans who wish a barbecue dinner will have the opportunity of eating with the senior class serves to the public in the elementary school cafeteria Saturday noon, May 1, during the American Legion rodeo. The affair was held last year, and proved to be a big success.

The McLean Lions Club will sponsor a pancake supper in the cafeteria Friday, April 30, beginning at 5:30 o'clock to allow fans to have plenty of time to get before going to the rodeo.

Considerable excitement, but fortunately little damage, was caused when a cook stove in the Texas Cafe caught fire at about 11 o'clock Tuesday morning. Grease pans in the stove suddenly flamed, and the members of the fire department hurried to the scene to extinguish the fire. No one was burned in the fire, and the damage was mostly caused by smoke.

A full house was present in the McLean High School auditorium to enjoy the annual free family party sponsored by the International-Harvester dealer, Andrews Equipment company. Following a short film, the audience was kept laughing by the stage show brought here by the local dealer, Clyde Andrews. Featured on the show were Bob King as master of ceremonies and ventriloquist, Trixi McCormick with rope twirling tricks; Louie's Puppets; the Flying Buddies, a skating act; and Art Brown, pianist. The free show is brought to McLean each year, and the crowds continue to increase in size.

Thursday night (tonight) services at the First Baptist Church revival meeting will begin at 7:30 instead of 8 o'clock. Dr. Buell T. Wells, pastor, said this week. The change in time is for the one night only, it was explained.

In cooperation with the church, the junior class has set the time for beginning of its play tonight at 8:30 o'clock, to prevent a conflict with the church revival.

Travis Lively of Pampa will fill the pulpit of the McLean Methodist Church Sunday morning at 11 o'clock as a lay speaker. Rev. C. W. Parmenter, Methodist pastor, and Mrs. Parmenter left Sunday night for a two-weeks vacation. Rev. Parmenter will return to McLean in time to preach Sunday, May 2.

Lessons in square dancing for boys and girls will be given Friday night at the American Legion Hall. The lessons were originally scheduled for tonight, but the date was changed to prevent conflict with the junior play.

Boys and girls of grade school age will be given instruction from 6 to 8 o'clock, and of high school age from 8 to 10 o'clock. Mrs. Bill Stubbs, one of the local square dancers who has volunteered to help, stated.

After Friday night, the regular meeting time will be on Thursday nights, unless there is some further conflict with school activities.

All children who want to learn are invited. The only charge is 50 cents to take care of the records. This 50 cents is to be paid only one time, since the Legion is donating the hall, and the square dancers of McLean are donating their services. Any money not needed for records will be used for a party for the children after the series of lessons has been completed.

BIRTHDAYS

- April 25—Frank Reeves, Mrs. R. T. Moore.
April 26—Linda Nicholas, L. P. Preston, Jason Baker.
April 27—Pamela Mann, Mrs. Emory Crockett.
April 28—Joyce Ann Morgan, Mrs. E. L. Price.
April 29—Mrs. Willie Lamb, Jackie Leo Hill.
April 30—Harlene Moore, Harl Moore, James Patrick Graham.
May 1—Sandra Baker, Earl Stubbins, Annette Smith, Billy Vic Shelton.

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ANNUAL WEEK FOR CLEANING SET BY MAYOR

May 1 through May 6 has been designated by Mayor E. J. Lander as Clean-Up, Fix-Up Week in McLean.

The annual observance of the week is held each year here, and generally speaking, nearly every family cooperates in making the city cleaner for the outdoor, summer months.

Mayor Lander explained that the city will again haul away trash and tree trimmings of such size that can be handled by one man. However, after Clean-Up Week, only small trimmings no longer than three feet by two inches thick, which can be handled by the packer truck, will be picked up by the city.

The council also pointed out that residents should use care in building beyond their property lines; in so doing, the title of the property may be clouded and the obstruction may have to be removed.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Frank Bidwell of Carlsbad, N. M., and Mrs. R. A. Wood of Amarillo visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Sparks Tuesday and Wednesday. Mrs. Bidwell and Mrs. Wood are daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Sparks.

Janice Stafford of Pampa spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Stafford.

Survivors include his parents; a sister, Judy Joyce, of McLean; and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wyatt of Roswell, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Rogers of Webb City, Okla.

Clyde Magee Named Regional Winner In Soil Conservation

Clyde Magee, who only recently was named as the outstanding conservation farmer of Gray County, has been chosen as the outstanding conservation farmer in Region One.

The announcement was made by Bill Wagoner of Pampa, secretary for the Gray County Soil Conservation District.

Magee will receive a cash award of \$100, and a plaque, at the annual awards dinner, to be held May 29 in Amarillo, Wagoner said.

Region One is made up of about 50 Panhandle and South Plains counties. The award is a part of a state-wide program, sponsored by the Fort Worth Press and about 50 other large businesses in the state.

LOCAL YOUTH DIES IN PAMPA; FUNERAL HERE

Funeral services for Arnold Lynn Wyatt, 13-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Wyatt of McLean, were held Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock at the First Baptist Church.

Conducting the rites was Dr. Buell T. Wells, Baptist pastor. Interment was in Hillcrest Cemetery.

The youth died at 1:30 o'clock Saturday afternoon in Worley Hospital in Pampa. He had suffered since birth from hemophilia, a rare disease in which the blood does not clot.

He was born March 13, 1941, in Pampa. He was able to attend school for only two years, 1947 and 1948, while living in Lefors. The Wyatts moved to McLean from Lefors in 1950.

Survivors include his parents; a sister, Judy Joyce, of McLean; and the grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Wyatt of Roswell, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Rogers of Webb City, Okla.

JUNIOR CLASS ANNUAL PLAY TO BE TONIGHT

The junior class of McLean High School will present "Hilarity House," a three-act comedy farce, tonight at 8:30 o'clock in the high school auditorium.

The cast is as follows: Joyce Nicholas as the mother, Mrs. Isobell Jordan; Beverly Henry as the older daughter, Kathi; Genie Havens as the younger daughter, Betts; James Smith as Betts' boy friend, Buzz Bassett; Rodney Gunn as Kathi's boy friend number one, Wally O'Shane; Ricky Mammoth as Kathi's boy friend number two, Stan Lawler; James Jolly as the wild-western uncle, Jefferson Jordan; Frankie Tucker as the maid, Lucinda Peck from Cabbage Neck; Peggy Duncan as Jeff's old girl friend, Mrs. Dora Devine; and Don Broome as Dora's son, Dixie Devine.

Mavis Medley is student director, and Jim Evans and Mario Coleman are in charge of the properties.

Admission to the play will be 75 cents for reserved seats, 50 cents for adults, 35 cents for high school students, and 25 cents for grade school students.

TEXAS LEADS IN REA LOANS

Senator Lyndon B. Johnson has been informed by the Rural Electrification Administration that Texas has received more loans and more money from the REA for the rural telephone program than any other state.

Twenty-five loans, totaling \$18,029,218, have been made by REA for the Texas part of the rural telephone program since it was started in 1950. Subscribers to be served in Texas under loans made to date total 34,462.

Senator Johnson said that, throughout the nation, 252 borrowers have received \$162,477,218 to serve 366,325 subscribers under the program.

"The bringing of new and improved telephone service to farms and other rural places is a very important part of the over all REA program," Senator Johnson said.

"I am glad that Texas is in the forefront in extending telephone service to rural areas. Many of our farmers are now receiving telephone service for the first time, and many others are getting better service than they have ever had before," he continued.

The Texas senator said REA Administrator Archer Nelson has announced that during the present fiscal year, ending June 30, telephone loans will total about \$74,000,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Houze and children returned to their home in College Station Tuesday after spending the Easter holidays in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Payne.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Wilson and Jim Sullivan of Amarillo visited with relatives here Tuesday.

Mrs. John Reynolds spent the week-end visiting with relatives in Okmulgee, Okla.

Additional Cars Are Needed For Two Rodeo Booster Trips

LOCAL LIONS REPRESENTED IN CONVENTION

The McLean Lions Club will be well represented when the annual Lions District 27-1 convention is held in Amarillo today, Friday, and Saturday.

Heading the list of representatives from McLean will be Miss Christine Hunt, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. D. L. Hunt of Kellerville. Miss Hunt will be a contestant in the annual queen's contest, to be held Friday night at 7 o'clock. She will be accompanied to Amarillo by her mother. The contestants—46 of them—will appear in a television program, scheduled for Friday afternoon at 5 o'clock.

Delegates from the local club at the convention will be J. W. Meacham, president-elect, and Larry Fuller, secretary-elect. Alternate delegates are E. J. Lander and Boyd Meador.

Also representing the club will be a men's quartet composed of Bill Day, Bill Reeves, Joe Coleman, and George Saunders. The quartet will compete with about 50 other quartets in a song-fest tonight.

Highlight of the Lions program during the convention will, of course, be the parade, to be held Friday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Each of the 46 queen contestants will appear in the parade, and numerous other features will make it one of Amarillo's biggest parades to date.

Another highlight will be the election of the district governor. Two men have announced for the honor. They are Jim Ed Waller of Plainview, and Harold Close of Hereford. The governor's race always involves considerable "politicizing" during the convention, and adds much to the hilarity of the meeting.

Kill Those Rats During Clean-Up

This is the time of year that most towns in Texas conduct their annual clean-up campaigns. Dr. Geo. W. Cox, state health officer, suggests that whenever such activities are planned to keep in mind the various measures necessary to get rid of rats.

Rats are noted carriers of disease. Some of the diseases transmitted by rats or their hosts are bubonic plague, typhus fever, dysentery, food infection, trichinosis, infectious jaundice, and Rocky mountain fever. Rats are scavengers that live on filth as well as edible food. They thrive in insanitary places such as garbage dumps, trash piles, and sewers.

If you don't see rats it doesn't necessarily mean that they are not near you. Rats are not often seen but their destruction is evident wherever they have been. Sometimes they can be traced by their dirty runways. In storehouses, sacks and boxes of grain and food with holes gnawed in them and the contents spilled are evidence of rat destruction. Occasionally rats start fires by gnawing and short-circuiting electric wires or by chewing on matches.

The rat lives in filth. Almost any pile of trash, small piles of lumber, cluttered barns, garages, yards or homes afford harborage for him. Rat-proofing is effective and permanent. However, even rat-proofed buildings may become infested if rats are allowed in through open doors or windows. It has been calculated that a pair of rats having plenty of food and shelter could be responsible for the production of 1,400 rats in a single year.

Because of the danger rats bring to human beings and because of their enormous destruction of food, crops and merchandise, the importance of getting rid of rats is apparent.

May 30 Date Set To Unveil Plaque At Local Cemetery

Sunday, May 30, has been set as the date for a memorial service and the unveiling of the memorial plaque at Hillcrest Cemetery.

The Memorial Day program of the Hillcrest Cemetery Association will be held in cooperation with the American Legion post, the organization which usually sponsors some sort of observance.

A representative of the cemetery association was to meet with the Legion last night to work out details concerning the time for the observance, etc.

The plaque for the cemetery entrance has not yet arrived, but the firm making it has assured the association that it will be here in time for the Memorial Day program, E. L. Sitter, member of the plaque committee, said.

MISS HAMNER TO GIVE TALKS HERE MAY 6-7

Laura V. Hamner, well-known Panhandle author, will give a public lecture Thursday night, May 6, at 8 o'clock in the McLean High School auditorium. The lecture will be sponsored by the McLean Lions Club.

Miss Hamner will likely use as the subject of her lecture, her trip to Japan. Admission will be 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for students, Dr. J. H. Kritzler, chairman of the committee in charge of the program, stated.

Miss Hamner will also give two other addresses while in McLean. Thursday afternoon, May 6, she will talk before members of the Pioneer Study Club, relating Panhandle history, a subject on which she has become an authority. The club, during the past eight months, has been featuring historical talks as its programs, with each member giving something of a historical nature concerning the immediate area.

The other address by Miss Hamner will be made at a high school assembly program Friday morning. She is scheduled to speak there on Panhandle history also.

Following the public lecture Thursday night, a tea may be held, Dr. Kritzler said. Details of this are now being worked out.

Miss Hamner is known to most Panhandle citizens through her Sunday morning programs over Radio Station KGNC, and thru her columns which appear in the Amarillo Daily News. Author of several books, she has done much research work on the historical aspects of the Panhandle.

Capacity Crowd Attends

SCHOOL EASTER PROGRAM

Approximately 1,000 people crowded into the Municipal Building last Thursday night to see nearly 300 elementary school students present a colorful Easter program.

The students, decked out in all types of costumes, performed admirably for the huge crowd. A sandstorm which came up during the program drove a few of the audience home, but many of them stayed for the entire affair.

SATURDAY AND MONDAY TRIPS ARE PLANNED

Several people have already indicated their intentions of making one or both trips, but more cars are needed for the two tours of boosters to publicize the coming American Legion rodeo. Ted Simmons, chairman of the booster trip committee, said this week.

The first trip will be made Saturday, and the second Monday, Simmons said. Boosters will leave from downtown at 8 o'clock on each of the two days.

Accompanying the boosters on the Saturday-trip will be members of the Sunset Ramblers band, the group which will play for the two dances at the Legion Hall Friday and Saturday nights during the rodeo. Monday's trip will feature music by the F. F. A. string band, Simmons explained, and a team of square dancers plans to accompany the boosters Monday.

The rodeo will be held Friday night, April 30, and Saturday and Sunday afternoons, May 1 and 2.

People who can make either of the booster trips are asked to contact Simmons not later than Friday. Signs will be painted on autos at the Simmons Texaco Station any time today or Friday.

The Saturday trip will include stops at Groom, Claude, Clarendon, Hedley, Memphis, Childress, Wellington, and Shamrock. Monday's trip will send the boosters to Lefors, Pampa, White Deer, Skellytown, Miami, Canadian, Wheeler, and Kellerville.

A feature of the three-day rodeo will be a parade Saturday morning at 11 o'clock. Bill Day is the parade marshal, and those who wish to enter floats are asked to contact him.

Following the Saturday afternoon rodeo, and in connection with the Appreciation Day activity, an old fiddlers contest will be held at 5 o'clock. Luke Henley and Lester Campbell are in charge of the contest.

Dances will be held at the Legion Hall Friday night, April 30, after the first rodeo performance, and Saturday night, May 1, with music by the Sunset Ramblers.

Morris Stephens of Silverton is furnishing the stock for the rodeo. Events include ribbon roping, calf roping, bull riding, bareback bronc riding, saddle riding, and wild mare riding.

Bill Kingston is chairman of the rodeo committee, and Mrs. Leslie Barsey will be in charge of the bookkeeping portion of the rodeo. Cowboy headquarters will again be at the Cooke Chevrolet company.

In connection with the rodeo, the McLean Lions Club will sponsor a pancake supper at the elementary school cafeteria Friday evening, beginning at 5:30 o'clock, with admission 50 cents per person. The senior class of McLean High School will feature a barbecue dinner Saturday noon.

Six Cagers Make All-District

Two Tigers and four Tigerettes were named as members of the District 1-A all-district basketball teams in a recent meeting of the district executive committee.

Boys from McLean making the all-district team were Jimmy Farren and Wayne Moore. Girls Farren and Wayne Moore, Girls honored as all-district players were Helen Turner, Harlene Moore, Christine Hunt, and Annette Smith.

Other members of the boys' team were Duke Frisbie of Memphis, Donald Denham and Ronald Mills of White Deer, Dale Roselius and Gregory Sherwood of Panhandle, Philip Earhart of Panhandle, Philip Ramirez of Lefors, Raymond Ramirez of Canadian, and Don Landers of Clarendon.

In addition to the four from McLean, the girls' team is composed of Kay Williams, Peggy Tate, Rose Detton, and Irene Detton of Panhandle; Harlene Smith of Clarendon; Nita Lillman of Lefors; and Kathleen Riley and Sandy Wilkinson of Canadian.

With the entrance of the District Greyhounds into District 1-A, the basketball district will be divided into two halves for the 1954-55 season. Coach Hap Rogers has announced. The south Rogers has announced. The south Rogers will consist of McLean, half will consist of Clarendon, Clarendon, Lefors, and Panhandle, and the north half of Panhandle, and White Deer, Canadian, and Gruber. The first and second place winners in each half will meet in a district tournament at White Deer.

The district tournament will be for both boys and girls, with a total of eight teams entered (first and second place winners in each half, both boys and girls). The tournament will be a single elimination affair.

The regular season schedule will be a double round-robin set-up in each of the two district halves. McLean's schedule, for both boys and girls, is as follows: January 12, Lefors at McLean; January 19, Clarendon at Clarendon; January 26, Memphis at McLean; January 29, Lefors at Lefors; February 2, Clarendon at McLean; and February 5, Memphis at Memphis.

Clarendon.

# Society

## IN THE PINK



Recommended for the fashion-wise teen-ager by Seventeen magazine is this pretty pair of separates in ice pink Everglaze cotton. White lace frosts the neckband and front tucks on the blouse. The skirt is made full through an attached erinoline with a ruffled hem-flounce. The cotton separates are designed by Lortogs.

### Fidelis S. S. Class Meets in Home Of Mrs. Fowler

Members of the Fidelis Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church were guests last Thursday of Mrs. W. B. Fowler at her home.

Working on a quilt furnished the entertainment.

Refreshments of sandwiches, cake, and coffee were served by the hostess, and Mrs. Lammie Pruitt, assistant hostess, to Mesdames O. L. Tibbets, H. W. Finley, T. D. Key, Luther Quarles, Essie Glenn, Etta Carmichael, and Luther Petty, members; and two guests, Mrs. Carl Wood and Miss Marjorie Fowler.

### Baptist S. S. Class Meets in Home Of Mrs. Joe Gibson

The Willing Workers Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Joe Gibson Wednesday, April 14, for its regular monthly luncheon.

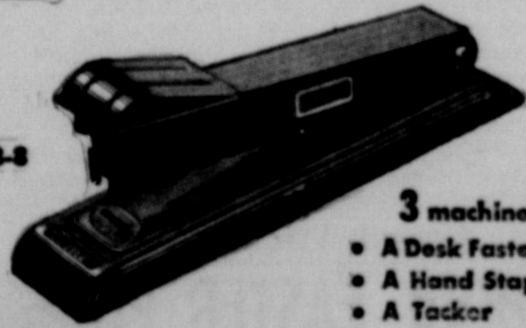
Those present were Katie Price, Edna Graham, Mary Joyce Boyd, Marjorie Fowler, Una Newsom, Gladys Stewart, Jean Quarles, Lahoma Horron, Ollie Mae Edwards, Odie Claborn, Mary Ellen Plum, and the hostess, Dorothy Gibson.

After a short business session, the meeting adjourned. The next luncheon will be at the home of Marjorie Fowler May 12.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Davis visited in Panhandle Sunday with their son, Marvin Davis and family.

Mrs. R. B. Martin and son and Keith Myatt of Amarillo spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Myatt. They all visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williamson and family in Mobeetie.

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### Birthday Party Given in Honor Of Laura Switzer

Laura Mae Switzer was given a party Tuesday night at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Switzer of Keller-ville, honoring her 13th birthday.

Ice cream and cake were served to Margaret Rountree, Verlene and Carolyn Tinkler, Geraldine McPherson, Gene Mack Shirley, Kenneth Gossett, Bobby McPherson, Ray Eupp, Eddie Brown, Laura Mae, Glenda, and John Switzer, Johnny Fenton, S. H. Rhodes, and Mr. and Mrs. Switzer.

### Jeanene Shelton Named Honoree At Birthday Party

Jeanene Shelton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Shelton, celebrated her 11th birthday recently with a party in her home. The girls in her school class were invited.

Various games were played. While opening the gifts, the group listened to the TV program, "For Kids Only." Jeanene's name was drawn for the "Birthday Buddy."

Refreshments of white cake with pink rosettes and ice cream were served with pop. Favors were chocolate Easter eggs, and fortune telling prizes were given.

Attending were Carol Boston, Nancy Meacham, Julia Day, Rita Brown, Charlene Mitchell, Peggy Sharp, Michal Masray, Louvera Taylor, Shirley Guegel, Winnie Martindale, Penny Rogers, Mary McClellan, Linda Nicholas, Bonnie Edwards, Laquita Wells, Ruth Pagan, Sandra McColum, Judy Wyatt, and Jeanene Shelton; Grandmother Ellington of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Shelton, Pat and Jimmy Jr. Those sending gifts were Grandmother, Shelton, and Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Ellington, aunt and uncle, of Pampa.

### Liberty H. D. Club Meets in Home Of Mrs. O. O. Tate

The Liberty Home Demonstration Club met Tuesday, April 20, in the home of Mrs. O. O. Tate.

The club enjoyed a demonstration on "A Meal in One."

Those present were Mesdames Roy McCracken, Henry Roth, J. J. Railsback, Earl Eustace, and the hostess.

The next meeting will be May 4 in the home of Mrs. Bill Reeves.

Week-end visitors in the homes of Mrs. Lammie Pruitt and her son were Mrs. Vera Mackey of Abilene, Wynona Lowe of Fort Worth, and Worth Lowe and family of Willow, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Jones of Wilmington, Calif., visited last week in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Jones. They were accompanied by Mrs. Doyle Jones' mother, Mrs. Grace Wright.

Mrs. J. E. Kirby, Mrs. Harry Harlan, Mrs. Clyde Dwight Jr., and Mrs. Frank Rodgers attended a school of instruction for the Order of the Eastern Star in Amarillo Saturday.

Pat Reeves of Texas University, Austin, spent the week-end in the home of his father, Frank Reeves.

## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Carol Moore and son of Amarillo visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Martindale and family, Sunday.

Elton Johnston spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Johnston, in Denton.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Langham visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wes Langham in Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Magee and son visited with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Breeding in Miami Sunday.

Mrs. Bonnie Hutchinson of

Pampa spent the week-end with Dr. and Mrs. J. H. Kritzer and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ishmael Sweford of Amarillo spent a few days of this week with Mr. and Mrs. Bill McAllister.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Page of Pampa spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Madge Page, and other relatives.

Mrs. Lawrence Nicholson and sons spent the week-end in Pampa with Mr. and Mrs. Richard Nicholson.

Mrs. D. C. Trent, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Butler and sons, and Mr. and Mrs. Don Trent and daughters of Childress visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne McDroy and family Sunday.

## Christian Science Broadcast Changes

Beginning April 15 the radio series, "How Christian Science Heals," usually heard over Station KFDA, Amarillo, on Sundays at 5:30 p. m. will be heard at 9:45 Sunday mornings over Station KGNC (710 kc.).

These 15-minute programs illustrate the power of prayer in everyday life. Each program presents a first-hand, documentary narrative in which a guest tells of his own religious experience—how his problem was solved or how he experienced physical healing through prayer in Christian Science. Participants in the programs come from

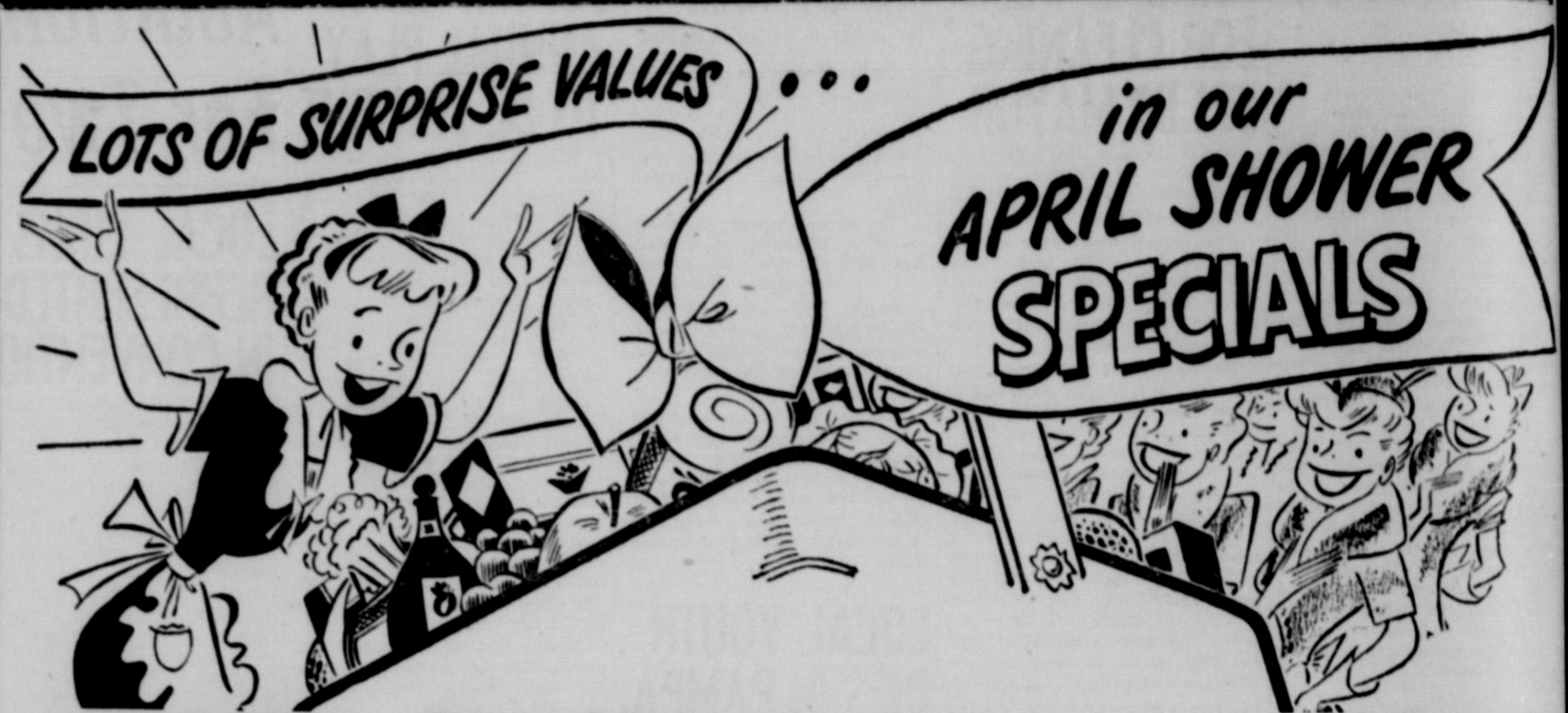
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many walks of life from all over the United States, Canada, Europe, Africa, Australia, and other parts of the world.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie and daughters spent the week-end with Mrs. Mervel's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Burdette in Pauls Valley, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gray and son of Denton visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Johnston Friday.

Mrs. Robert Barnett and L. Haynes of Weatherford, Okla. visited their sister and daughter, Mrs. Frank Rodgers and family Sunday.



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**THINGS TO TALK ABOUT**

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"The importance of properly using one's social security card can hardly be overstressed," J. R. Sanderson, manager of the Amarillo Social Security Administration office, declared.

"The omission of even a single wage report could conceivably lead to the loss of thousands of dollars in old-age benefits or survivors insurance benefits to the family of a worker who died," he explained.

"Social security records, which are kept by name and number, not only are used to determine how much will be paid, but whether benefits can be paid at all. Consequently, part time workers or those whose work is irregular may barely meet the minimum requirements even when all wages are properly recorded. Omission of one or two wage items could easily result in ineligibility," Sanderson said.

Every worker can guard against this happening by making sure that his social security number has been copied correctly into his employer's records. Lost cards can be replaced easily by the Amarillo office on request.

Application forms to get either new or duplicate social security cards can be obtained from any social security office, any post office, or state employment office. The social security office will also provide a free post card to be used in getting a statement of wages credited to the worker's social security account.

**CARD OF THANKS**

May we take this means of thanking our neighbors and friends for their kind expressions of sympathy in our bereavement. These expressions have been deeply appreciated.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Sargent  
Dale Glass of WTSC, Canyon, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Glass.

Earl Eustace and daughters, Othella and Mrs. Floyd Walton Jr., and J. J. Railsback were in Granite, Okla., Monday on business.

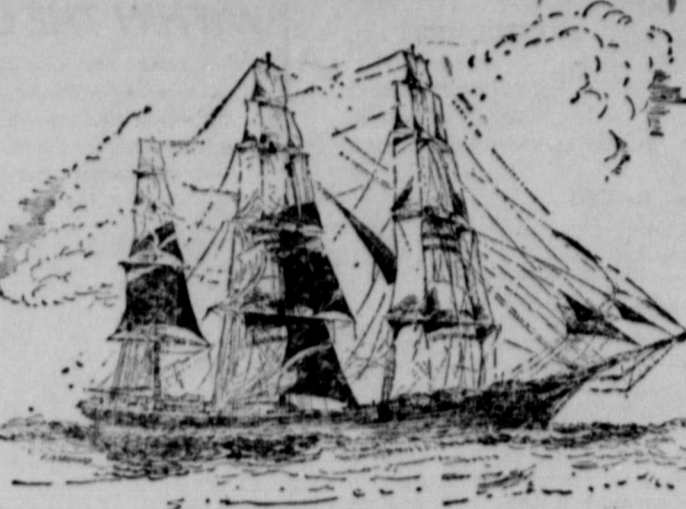
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dwyer and sons were in Lefors Sunday visiting with her brother, Walter Todd and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Lester Dysart and son, Gale Plummer, spent the week-end in Pauls Valley, Okla., with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Williams. Mrs. Dysart remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. C. B. Peabody has returned home from Sapulpa, Okla., where she had been visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Ted Longino and family. Clay Longino accompanied his grandmother home for a visit.

Mrs. Velma Betchan visited in Altus, Okla., Sunday with relatives.

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The JAMES BAINES, built in 1854, was in many ways the finest of all Donald McKay's designs. A record breaker in every line, she had 13,000 square yards of sail area, according to the American Merchant Marine Institute. On her first voyage from Boston to Liverpool, which she made in 12 1/2 days, she was timed as making 29 knots as she raced along the Irish coast with the wind strong and very squally. This is twice as fast as the Liberty ships built for World War II. Instead of a graceful lady as a figurehead, the JAMES BAINES boasted a statue of her red-haired owner on her bow, complete from drooping whiskers and chimney-pot hat to peg-top trousers. Modern-day American merchant ships may not have figureheads, but are equally essential to your high standard of living in peace and security in war.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis West and son and Mr. and Mrs. Fanny West of Hereford, and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lloyd of Friona visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Claborn during the week-end.

Frankie Smith of Amarillo spent the week-end with Gayle Mullanax.

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Mr. and Mrs. Cass Archer of Seminole, and Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Dennis and children, Louis and Deana, of Oklahoma City

spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Fulbright.

Truitt Johnson and son Mike visited with T. W. Johnson in Lakeview Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hindman and daughter Linda visited with his mother, Mrs. Joe Hindman, in Shamrock Sunday.

Natalie Herndon spent the week-end in Amarillo visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Avery.

Mrs. W. L. Orrick of Shamrock and Mrs. Bill Hood of Pampa visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Orrick and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Lee and children of Pampa visited with Mrs. Frank Golightly and Mrs. O. K. Lee and other relatives Sunday.

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Editorial

DR. OPPENHEIMER

IT'S GETTING TO THE POINT where it's hard to trust one's own close friends and relatives concerning their loyalty to the government.

This case of Dr. J. Robert Oppenheimer is the one we refer to. Here we have the very man who directed the research and construction of the A-bomb and the H-bomb suspected of being disloyal (some go so far as to say traitorous) to the government for which he has been working for these many years.

All of a sudden, we Americans are informed that he has not had access to atomic secrets for nearly a year. And all of the time we were thinking he was at the head of the list as far as loyalty to the government goes.

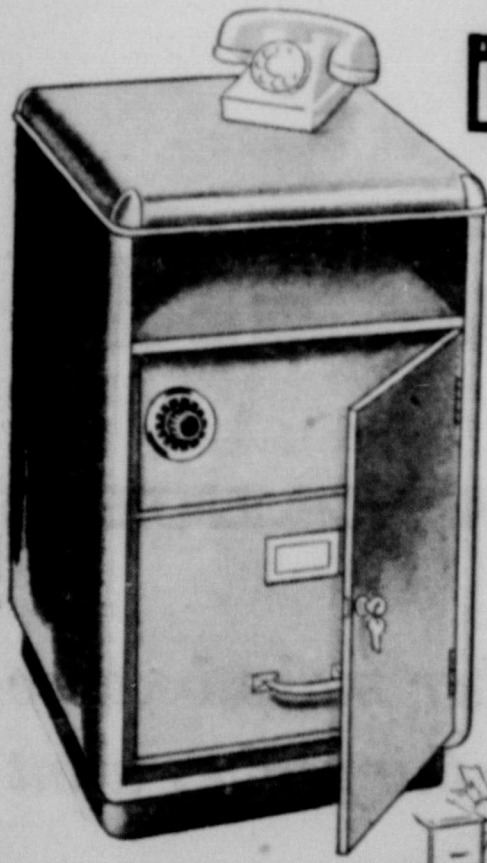
We do not know whether he has been disloyal, whether he has given out any secret material to our possible enemies. We hope that he hasn't.

But the revelation of Dr. Oppenheimer's past activities in associating with known Communists, with Communist-sympathizers, is hard for those who have looked up to him as a scientist dedicated to doing what he could for his country, to take. And the reports are (and he admits this) that his wife is a former member of the Communist party. That alone is a pretty close connection.

Every since the time of Adam and Eve, secrets have been hard to keep, and temptations have been hard to turn down. Men living right in McLean know how hard it was for them to keep to themselves secret or confidential material during their days in the armed forces.

It appears to us that once again we may have locked the gate after the cow got out. In speaking of "we" in this case, the entire loyal citizenry of the U. S. is meant. We have allowed those who are supposed to determine government workers' loyalty to be lax in their efforts.

It has been our experience just recently to find out that even some of the lowest-paid government workers are being thoroughly investigated before they are given permanent positions. Yet here we find Dr. Oppenheimer, though perfectly loyal he may be found to be, heading up the most secret and confidential project this nation has ever had. He may be perfectly innocent; but when a man is sitting on a fence, you can never tell which way he may tumble.



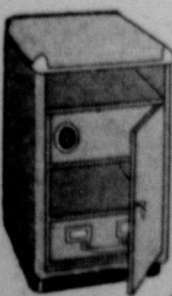
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OUR DEMOCRACY by Mat

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THIS PURCHASE HELPED TO ROUND OUT THE BOUNDARIES OF THE CONTINENTAL UNITED STATES AS THEY EXIST TODAY. WITHIN THESE BOUNDARIES, WE HAVE STEADILY DEVELOPED A VAST AGRICULTURE AND INDUSTRY AND A NETWORK OF COMMUNICATION AND TRANSPORTATION, WHICH HAVE TURNED AN UNDEVELOPED COUNTRY INTO A UNIFIED NATION WITH A COMMON CULTURE AND A COMMON DEDICATION TO THE IDEALS OF OUR DEMOCRACY.

LES TALK By LESTER

Did you know that in the Amarillo highway patrol district (covering 26 Panhandle counties), during the month of March: Two people were killed in highway accidents; 63 were injured; and the property damage amounted to \$61,529?

Seventy-five of the accidents occurred on state and federal highways; 7 on farm to market roads; 12 on county roads; and two in towns of under 2,500 population?

Speeding was the principal cause of the accidents, with driving while intoxicated in second place?

Patrolmen investigated 96 accidents; made 547 arrests (including 208 for speeding and 38 for driving while intoxicated)?

Patrolmen issued 1,262 warnings for hazardous violations? Patrolmen (the 28 of them)

worked 4,186 hours in the daytime, and 2,500 at night; and traveled a total of 84,000 miles?

The above figures are from the monthly report issued for March by J. W. Blackwell, captain of the highway patrol, Amarillo district. It might interest you to know that in March, 1953, a total of 18 people were killed in Panhandle vehicle accidents, and 83 were injured.

Forgot to mention last week that The News won third place in the editorial contest of the Panhandle Press Association. Never was much good at writing editorials, so I was genuinely surprised. Pleased, too, of course, for there were about 90 entries in the contest. It just so happened that three editorials of ours that were judged included one pretty fair one, written last November. It concerned juvenile delinquency, and pointed out the value of Scouting in combating juvenile delinquency. At any rate, we're proud to have placed third.

SATIN STRIPED COTTON



An adaptable fashion like this one is an asset in any vacationer's wardrobe, for it is at home for town or terrace. Designed by Star-Maid in Hope Skillman's slender slim satin striped cotton, the versatile fashion has a deep cutaway neckline that comes complete with snap-in dickie of white cotton pique. Delicately striped cotton will be fashion favorites this spring and summer, the National Cotton Council notes.

The "Texas Parade," a monthly magazine published by the Texas Good Roads Association, carried a number of quotes from bankers throughout the state in its latest issue. The quotes concerned business conditions in the various areas, with big-town bankers being quoted. With one exception, the bankers all agreed that business during the past year has shown considerable decline. The one exception was the banker at Longview. He stated that the drought which had affected most other parts of the state failed to materialize to much extent in that immediate area, and that the oil and gas business had held up. So we aren't the only area where business has slowed down.

Speaking of bankers: I rarely go to the drug store to get my morning coffee that Joe Hembree doesn't come in. Except last Friday morning. On that occasion, he failed to show up, and I particularly wanted him to. You see, I was cleaning out the air conditioner atop the building that morning, and had my work-

ing clothes on. Failed to make the necessary impression.

Figure this one out: To be successful, find out where the money is and get there as quickly as you can and when you get there get all you can get and then get out of there with all you could get out of those that are there before those that are there get out of you all that you got after you got there.

She borrowed her mother's corset, but didn't have the guts to wear it.

The best dancing studios not only guarantee to keep you from being a wallflower, they also remove the pot.

Two ardent disciples of Isaac Walton went fishing. After a while one said to the other, "Had any luck yet?" "No," was the reply, "I can't

get the cork out."

Said one deyr to the other, "Wish I had nis doe."

Then there was the mountaineer who put a silencer on his shotgun. His daughter wanted a quiet wedding.

Better conquest never thou make, than warn thy neighbor and thy nobler part against giddy, loose suggestions.—Shakespeare.

The port side of a boat is on the left side, as one faces from the bow.

A cluster of bananas is called a hand.

Avalon

(NO SHOW ON TUESDAY)

Thursday:

Joel McCrea, Yvonne DeCaro, Pedro Armendariz  
"Border River" in Technicolor

Friday, Saturday:

Preston Foster, Mary Stuart  
"Thunderhoop" PLUS—

Paul Henreid, Patricia Medina

"Siren of Bagdad"

Sunday, Monday:

Virginia Mayo, Dale Robertson, Stephen McNally, Arthur Hunnicutt  
"Devil's Canyon" in Technicolor

Wednesday, Thursday:

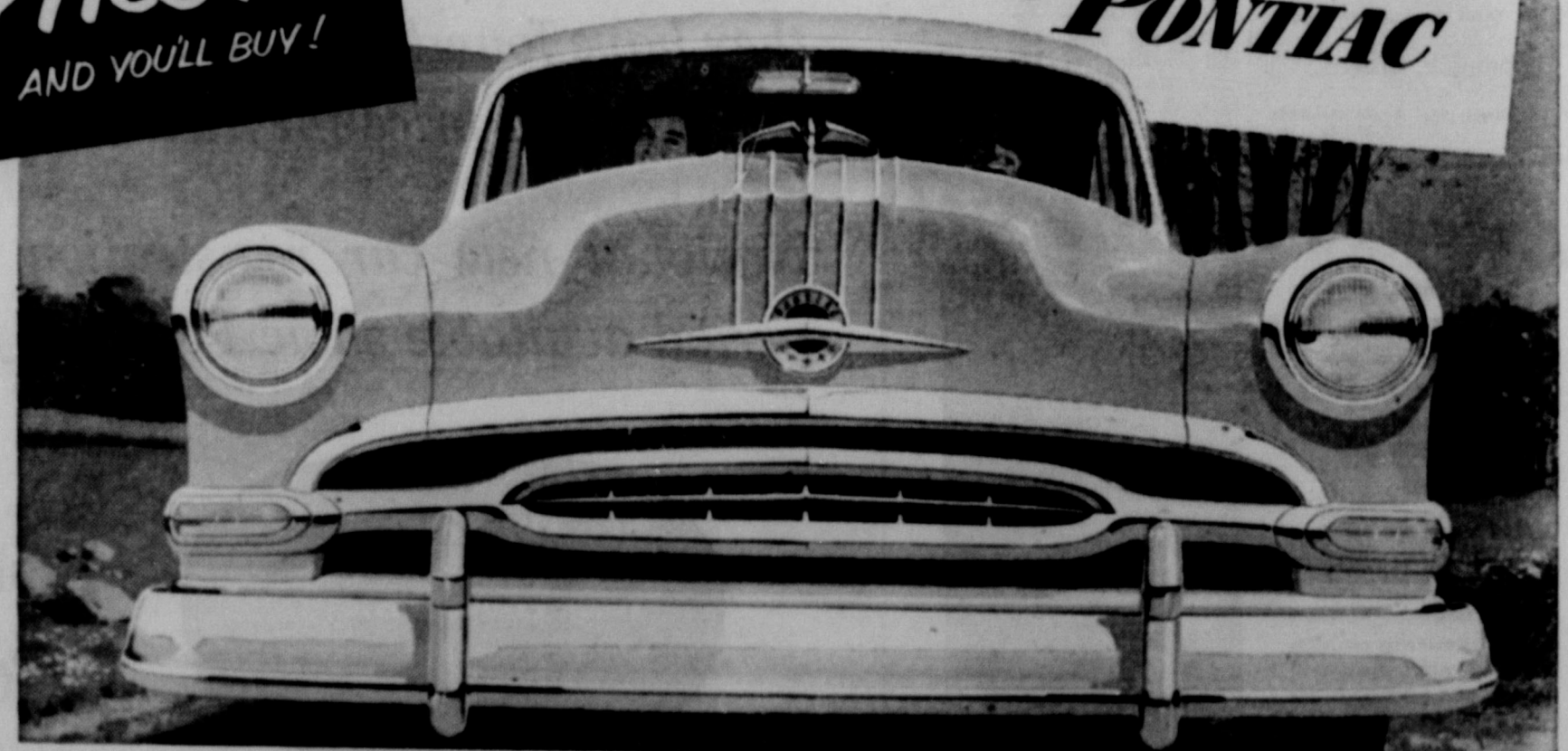
Marge and Gower Champion, Debbie Reynolds  
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TRIM AND SLIM



Even shorts are trim and slim this season, National Cotton Council fashion authorities report. These abbreviated shorts are designed in bright-colored cotton satin to be teamed with a softly-tailored shirt in blending stripes. Made of Hope Skillman cottons, this active sports costume is from Leon Levin's fashionable collection.

Thanksgiving Day has been proclaimed every year since Abraham Lincoln began the custom.

William Henry Harrison died at the end of his first month as president, serving the shortest term on record.

If you want the wife to pay attention to what you say, just address your remarks to another woman.

flowers. Behind him came little Miss Mary Frances Miller as flower girl. Attending the bridal couple were Mr. Paul P. Steed of Clarendon and Miss Eddie Eaders. The bride wore an elaborate gown of silk crepe de chine over white satin, and carried a beautiful bouquet of bride's roses, the gift of the groom. The bridesmaid wore shadow lace over pink satin and carried a bouquet of pink roses and fern. The groom and his attendants wore the conventional black.

At the archway the party was met by Rev. Long, pastor of the Methodist church at Clarendon, who read the impressive ceremony making the happy couple man and wife.

After the conclusion of the ceremony, the entire party adjourned to the dining room where, after offering their congratulations to the bride and groom, they were served with neopolitan ice cream and cake and punch. Following this was an informal reception which lasted until time for the out-of-town guests to take their departure.

Miss McClendon is the oldest daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. S. McClendon and was one of Claude's most popular and accomplished young women. Mr. Faulkner is a son of F. M. Faulkner of this city and has spent his life since early childhood in this vicinity. He is a young man with many sterling qualities and enjoys the friendship and esteem of a host of admiring friends, with whom the News is pleased to join in extending to both young people congratulations and best wishes for a long life of happiness and prosperity.

They will make their home at the Faulkner ranch 12 miles north of McLean.

The old car runs a lot better since we asked the price of a new one.

40 Years Ago — IT HAPPENED HERE

Methodist Conference

The annual conference of the Methodist church of the Clarendon district has been in session at McLean this week, commencing Tuesday morning and closing last night. Rev. Story of Clarendon, the presiding elder, was in charge of the conference and the reports that were brought in from the different churches showed that the co-operation of the church in this section of the Panhandle is splendid.

In attendance upon the meeting were in the neighborhood of a hundred preachers and delegates and they were entertained in the different homes in the city.

The regular routine of business consisted of hearing reports from the different churches in the district and the licensing of new preachers, together with other matters of less importance. On Tuesday evening the regular hour Rev. Bowman of Wellington preached a fine sermon to a full house. On Wednesday morning Rev. Lowry of Miami, formerly pastor of this church, preached, and Wednesday night Dr. Slover, president of Clarendon College, delivered an interesting sermon on Christian education. Thursday morning the regular preaching hour was filled by Rev. Young, who is engaged in the church extension work.

and last night Rev. Shaw of Sweetwater preached a masterful sermon.

The conference adjourned last night to meet again in 12 months at Wheeler.

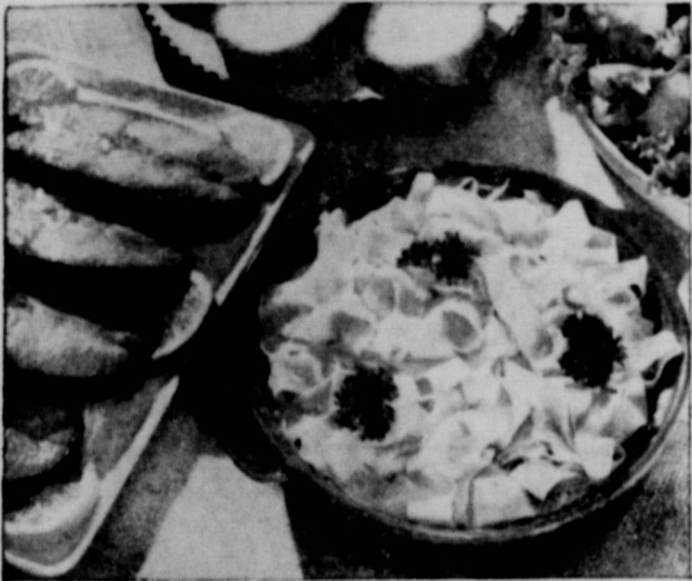
Rev. Carpenter of Mobeetie, formerly pastor of the McLean charge, acted as secretary of the meeting.

Faulkner-McClendon

In company with Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Faulkner, parents of the groom, the News man and wife enjoyed a trip to Clarendon Sunday afternoon where we witnessed the marriage of Robert Rhea Faulkner of this city to Miss Kate McClendon of Claude.

The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. S. McClendon, in the presence of a host of relatives and friends. The parlor, reception room, and dining room were tastefully decorated with pot plants and trailing vines. Suspended from the archway between the parlor and reception room, amid a profusion of fern and carnations, was a handsome wedding bell. After a beautiful solo by Mrs. Moore of Claude, Mrs. Ernest Miller of Amarillo played the wedding march, to the soft strains of which the bridal party approached the improvised altar. First came Mr. Lester Brummett bearing the ring in a basket of cut

Broiled Salmon and Lemon Noodles



Broiled Salmon and Lemon Noodles star in this tempting dinner menu. With a tossed green salad and French bread, it's a near-end-of-Lent meal that is just right.

Here is a dinner that is a masterpiece of simplicity. It's good-tasting and a joy to the eye, as well.

Broiled Salmon Steaks are the main attraction. Be careful not to overcook them. It takes only 5 to 10 minutes per side under the broiler to bring them to perfection.

While the salmon broils, cook the noodles and make the lemon sauce. Mix the dressing with the makings for your tossed salad which have been waiting in the refrigerator. Pass a basket of French bread, and you have a multiple-good dinner. It's quick to prepare, nutritious, good to look at, and best of all, gives a big taste reward.

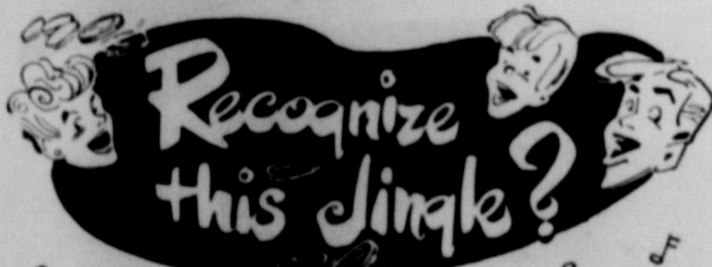
When you savor the exciting flavor of the Lemon Noodles, you will agree that they are the perfect partner for broiled salmon.

BROILED SALMON AND LEMON NOODLES

- 2 large or 4 small salmon steaks
- 3 tablespoons enriched flour
- 2 tablespoons melted butter
- 1 tablespoon sugar
- or margarine
- 1 teaspoon salt
- 6 ounces broad noodles
- 1 cup water
- 3 tablespoons butter or margarine
- 3/5 cup lemon juice

Arrange salmon steaks on greased baking pan. Brush steaks with 2 tablespoons melted butter or margarine. Broil about 3 inches from heat until fish is easily flaked and moist (5 to 10 minutes on each side). While salmon steaks are broiling, cook noodles in boiling salted water until tender (about 6 minutes). Drain and rinse. While noodles are cooking, melt 3 tablespoons butter or margarine in saucepan. Stir in flour, sugar and salt. Add water and lemon juice and cook until thickened, stirring constantly. Fold in noodles and arrange in warm serving dish. Serve salmon steaks with lemon slices.

Makes 4 servings.



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These facts about the New Chevrolet can help you make an important decision

Don't you agree that buying a new car calls for careful consideration? Regardless of make, it involves a substantial amount of money and a lot of future satisfaction. This information can give you a better idea of comparative value and help you decide which make to buy.

A good customer of ours was telling us the other day how he sizes up a new car. Because he's bought a number of them over the years, we were interested in what he had to say. We think you will be, too.

Actually, what he does is to ask about seven basic questions. The answers give a pretty complete picture of the car and its comparative value. Here's what he wants to know.

**How well do I like its looks?** That's one question, of course, that only you can answer. You're the one who buys the car and you, above anybody else, should be proud of its appearance.

All we can tell you is that we hear a lot of nice things about Chevrolet's new styling. People seem to like the new front-end and rear-end designs, and the way the bumpers curve even farther around the fenders. They like the new styling touches all around the car and the wide choice of bright new colors and two-tone combinations. A good many tell us that Chevrolet has a decided edge over the other cars in its field for smooth and graceful lines.

**Who makes the body?** This question takes in much more territory than the appearance of the car. It involves the quality of the

interior as well as the strength and safety of the body construction. That's why we think it worth your consideration that Chevrolet has the only Body by Fisher in the low-price field.

You can see the difference outside and inside. We'd especially like you to look over the new interiors. Just sit in the car, if you will. Feel the quality of the fabrics and notice the more generous use of vinyl trim.

In all these ways, you'll find evidence of superior quality and workmanship. And after all, isn't that what you would expect in Body by Fisher? As you know, Fisher is the largest and most famous manufacturer of automobile bodies in the world. Doesn't it stand to reason that Fisher can build extra quality into the Chevrolet body? It's there and you can see it.

What's under the hood?

You hear a great deal of talk these days about engine power. The truth is that the number of horsepower isn't nearly as important as what the horsepower does for you.

In this year's Chevrolet, you get increased power in two finer engines. There's the "Blue-Flame 125" engine teamed with Powerglide automatic

transmission and optional on all models at extra cost. In gearshift models, you get the more powerful "Blue-Flame 115" engine.

But, actually, the increase in horsepower is only a sort of by-product of design changes made for other reasons. Chevrolet engineers were after greater engine efficiency, not just greater power. So, you get improved acceleration, with greater and safer passing ability. You get quieter, smoother operation. You climb the steep hills with new ease.

How hungry is it for gasoline?

A car's reputation for, and record of, economy of operation is certainly an important consideration to most people. We'd be glad to have you compare Chevrolet in this respect with any car at any price.

And, in the case of this new Chevrolet, you do not have to sacrifice economy for finer performance and more horsepower. That's because the Chevrolet engines are high-compression engines. Their compression ratio of 7.5 to 1 is the highest in any of the leading low-priced cars.

This means simply that the engine compresses, or squeezes, the fuel mixture to a greater degree in order to wring more work out of it. That's how Chevrolet is able to give you an important gain in performance along with money-saving gasoline mileage — and on regular gas, of course.

Is it up to date in features?

We can't think of a new feature or development you might want that you can't have on the new Chevrolet.

Now you can have Chevrolet's zippy and thrifty Powerglide automatic transmission on any model. You can have Power Steering on all models and at a new, lower price. You can have Automatic Window and Seat Controls on any Bel Air or "Two-Ten" model, and you can have Power Brakes on any model equipped with Powerglide. All are, of course, optional features at extra cost.

How popular a car is it?

When you come right down to it, there's no better way to judge the satisfaction a car gives its owners than by its popularity. How many people buy it and keep on buying it?

Well, as you may know, Chevrolet is by far the most popular car in this country. That's true today and it's been true for a good many years now. But it couldn't be true — or wouldn't be true — unless Chevrolet gave its owners an extra measure of satisfaction and value.

How much does it cost?

There's a short, sweet answer to that one: Chevrolet is priced below all other lines of cars. This lower cost is made possible by the greater production facilities and purchasing power of the world's largest manufacturer of automobiles. That is why Chevrolet can offer you all the advantages we've told you about here — and many more, too.

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# Rogers--On Investigators

By WALTER ROGERS  
Congressman, 13th District

## Back in Washington

This newsletter is being written just a few hours after I returned to the capital city from a most pleasant visit to the district. When I first got to the Panhandle, the dust was blowing and it was about as dry as it could get. However, when I left, a drizzling, soaking rain had quenched the thirst of the wheat and grass and had changed the gray color of the earth to a rich brown that blended perfectly with the different hues of green. Some folks claim that it even made the people smile. However, one fellow accounted for this as follows. He said that Panhandle folks always smile. The rain just washed the dust off so other folks could see it. A pretty good philosophy and easy to prove out west. Anyway, we are glad we got the rain, because if anyone needed it, we did. I don't claim that I brought it, but I'll tell you one thing; I'm certainly proud that we came along together. I don't want to stretch my luck, but if it gets that dry again, I'm sure willing to take on the role of rainmaker.

One of the first things I ran into when I got back to Washington was the fanfare and trumpet blowing of the investigations, past, present, and future. I thought this would probably die down some during my absence, but it seems to have gained momentum. They are now having trouble finding investigators to investigate the investigators who are now being investigated by those who were investigated by the investigating investigators. They are thinking of having a limited number of badges made up so that there will be no confusion as to who is the investigator and who is the investigatee from day to day. As the investigation shifts from one side to the other, the badges will do likewise. This is an economy move to keep down the cost of badges.

I have been a member of the American Bar Association, as well as the Texas Bar Association, for a number of years, and I deeply respect the members of both associations. However, I do not think that the Senate Investigating Committee should confine their search to the American Bar Association. There are many able members of that association who could do an outstanding job, but that does not mean that there are not plenty of other good lawyers in the United States who are not leading figures in the American Bar Association, who could do a wonderful job of investigating this situation here in Washington. In fact, I have often said that a good West Texas county or district attorney, with a good West Texas jury, could probably get more facts in shorter time than has been the case in the past. I know a number of good justices of the peace lawyers that could really make this thing sizzle, if it's the truth they want and facts. A good justice of the peace and a couple of good county seat lawyers can get more facts and more truth in less time than many an investigating committee.

Speaking of investigations, I made a little private one of my own to find out how many of the organizations listed as subversive by the Attorney General and the Un-American Activities Committee, were enjoying second class

## PACKING FOR TRANS-ATLANTIC HOP!



Pretty Beverly Pack of El Paso, Texas, the 1954 Maid of Cotton, packs her cotton coated luggage for an exciting European tour as the fashion and goodwill ambassador of the U. S. cotton industry. On March 30, the cotton industry's blue-eyed fashion and goodwill ambassador will board a British Overseas Airways Strato-cruiser (inset) at New York for a flight to London. She will visit major cities in England, France, and Germany. Maid Beverly has been briefed by BOAC's wardrobe advisory service as to which of her 52 cotton outfits she will need on this phase of her six-month tour.

mail permits. (The second class of mail is that class of mail that has never paid its own way. The taxpayers must make up the deficits out of tax money.) I found that two organizations having second class mail permits are on the Attorney General's Federal Employee Security Program list. One of these is the "Daily Worker." On the "Guide to Subversive Organizations and Publications" (House Document 137, 82nd Congress, 1st Session), I find 32, including the two that were on the Attorney General's list. It seems rather odd to me that while we are supposed to be fighting Communism, we are helping to pay the cost of spreading some of its propaganda. I introduced a bill to put a stop to this two years ago and hope to get it passed this session.

J. B. Hembree was admitted to Highland General Hospital in Pampa Friday for medical treatment. He was to remain there for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Abbott and Mrs. Lucy McCarty visited in Borger Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. John Bayless and son.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kennedy and children of Quail, and Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Carnes and Jimmy Stewart visited with Mrs. W. E. Kennedy Sunday.

Bake a Cake.  
Broil a Steak!

SAME TIME -  
SAME OVEN!



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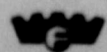
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## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Glen Allison and children, Faye and Glen, of Midland, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Allison Sunday.

Mrs. Bill Bailey returned Saturday from Kansas City, Mo., where she had spent a week and a half visiting in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bill Warren and family.

Dorthea Chase of WTSC, Canyon, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Chase.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Putrum and boys visited with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cumberledge in Pampa Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Stephens of Oklahoma City spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Eustace and other relatives.

Benny Cooper of Austin and Dan Cooper of Waco visited with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. George Colebank, Monday.

Floella Cubine of WTSC, Canyon, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Erey Cubine.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Carter and family of Skellytown visited with Mrs. O. K. Lee and other relatives Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. McClellan and daughters visited with Mr. and Mrs. James McClellan and children in Wellington Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Walton Jr. of Hereford spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Eustace.

## COTTON QUIZ

HOW MUCH FASTER IS A MODERN COTTON GIN THAN ELI WHITNEY'S FIRST CRUDE MACHINE?



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Mr. and Mrs. John E. Dwyer and family of Groom spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Meier of Amarillo visited in the Stratton home Sunday.

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GREETING:  
You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty-eight days before the return day thereof, in a newspaper published in Gray

County, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the herein below following is a true copy.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS  
TO: THE UNKNOWN STOCKHOLDERS IN NELSON HOLDING COMPANY, A CORPORATION, ET AL, Defendant, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable District Court of Gray County, at the Courthouse thereof, in Pampa, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, the same being the 31st day of May, A. D., 1954, to Plaintiff's First Amended Original Petition filed in said court, on the 12th day of April, A. D., 1954, in this cause, numbered 10,958 on the docket of said court and styled HELEN E. NELSON, Plaintiff, vs. THE UNKNOWN STOCKHOLDERS IN NELSON HOLDING COMPANY, A CORPORATION, ET AL, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Application for receiver, is more fully shown by Plaintiff's First Amended Original Petition on file in this suit.

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

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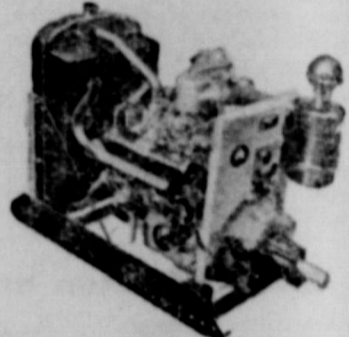
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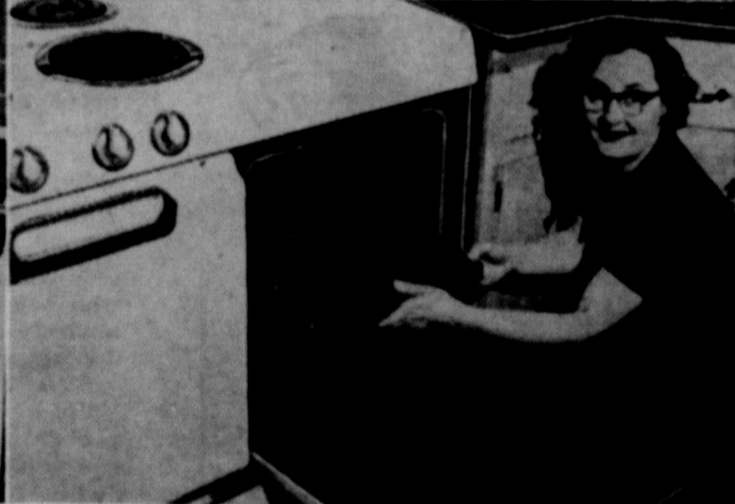
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## BORGE 18TH DISTRICT LEGION

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## BORGER SITE 18TH DISTRICT LEGION MEET

The national chaplain of the American Legion, Dr. Tom B. Clark, pastor of the Christian church of Buffalo, Okla., will be the principal speaker Saturday and Sunday, April 24 and 25, at the annual spring convention of members of the American Legion and Auxiliary of the 18th district, commanded by Mike McCully of Clarendon. The meeting will be held in Borger. The McLean post is a member of the 18th district.

Dr. Clark was with the second Marines when they landed at Tarawa in World War II and has an outstanding war record. He is also a past police commissioner of Santa Barbara, Calif., and is a former director of the Crime Prevention Bureau of Los Angeles County. He moved to Oklahoma for his health several years ago and is now in fine physical condition. He has served as state chaplain and state membership chairman for the American Legion, department of Oklahoma.

District Commander McCully announces the 40 and 8 will be in charge of activities Saturday. A wreck and Roy Bean Court will be held, and a meeting is scheduled for 7 o'clock Saturday evening. Henry Clay of Shamrock, head of the 18th district 40 and 8 voiture, is in charge of activities. Saturday evening a dance will be held by the Borger post in honor of visiting Legionnaires and Auxiliary members.

The annual district Aerial Round Up will be held Saturday morning with six airplanes scheduled to arrive at the local airport at 8 o'clock bringing memberships from all parts of the 18th district. An aerial round up breakfast will be held at 8:30 o'clock the same morning. This will be followed by a rehabilitation conference at 9 o'clock with Rhea Smith of Amarillo chairman, and Ernest Davis of Lubbock, department service officer, assisting.

The joint session of the American Legion and Auxiliary will be held at 10:30 o'clock Sunday morning. There Dr. Clark will make the principal address and will also conduct the semi-annual memorial service.

Following luncheon, separate business meetings of the Legion and Auxiliary will be held. New district officers for the next two years will be elected and delegates chosen for the national American Legion convention to be held in Washington, D. C., the latter part of August.

All convention sessions and activities will be at the Borger American Legion Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold C. Rippey of Fort Worth visited with her mother, Mrs. A. Stanfield, Saturday night and Sunday.

Lindy Smith of Amarillo spent Sunday and Monday with his grandmother Mrs. Pearl Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Carpenter and son of Perryton visited with relatives here Sunday.



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# Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Scotty McDonald and daughter of Clarendon spent the week-end with relatives here.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Cooke, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Cooke and family of Hart and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Cooke and family of Borger, visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cooke and family at Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Cagie Hunt and family of Roby visited over the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Hunt.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reeves and sons of Dumas spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Reeves.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Callahan of Guymon, Okla., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Callahan.

Mr. and Mrs. L. K. Nachlinger and children of Pampa visited with her mother, Mrs. Martha Aldridge, Sunday.

Wheeler Carter and son Kenneth attended funeral services for Kenneth's grandfather, H. W. Sweetie, at Kiowa, Okla., last Thursday.

Mrs. C. B. Lee Jr. and daughter Carla of Dallas spent a part of last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Colebank.

Bonita Bailey of WTSC, Canyon, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bailey.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Maguire and daughter of Amarillo visited with Mrs. Maguire's grandmother, Mrs. H. J. Pettit, Saturday.

Neil Price and Tommy Derbin of College Station, and Mrs. Molly Pittman of Fort Worth spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Price.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Williams and sons visited with Mr. and Mrs. Grover Lamb in Shamrock Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Nailon Jr. of Tulsa, Okla., spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Clift.

Kathy and Kelly Joe Cooke of Borger are visiting with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Chas. E. Cooke.

Mrs. Pearl Turner and Nadine Lee visited with relatives in Amarillo Saturday.

Mrs. Mike Murrif of Amarillo spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Allison.

Mrs. A. Stanfield visited with her granddaughter, Mrs. Al Skoog, in Borger Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Stewart and son of Dumas, and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ferrell and daughter of Lawton, Okla., visited with Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Duncan during the week-end.

Mary Ann Back of Abilene spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Back.

Bethie Mantooth of WTSC, Canyon, spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Odell Mantooth, and other relatives.

Mrs. Johnny Morrison and son Ken of Dumas, and Mrs. Clarence Matthews and daughters, Barbara and Bethel Dean, of Pampa visited with their brother, M. G. Mullanav, Sunday.

Mrs. Cleo Heasley and daughter were in Pampa Saturday on business.

Mrs. J. W. Kibler visited with relatives in Clarendon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Barrett, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stepp of Pampa, were in Amarillo Sunday.

Frankie Tucker spent the week-end in Tulsa, Okla., with her mother, Mrs. Lucille Gaines.

Kenneth Gibson of Texas Tech, Lubbock, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gibson.

Miss Clara Anderson and niece,

Chris Pearson, of Fort Worth spent the week-end with relatives here.

E. C. Bragg is spending a few days fishing at Texoma, Okla.

Mrs. Sherman White of Pampa visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Boyd Sunday.

Bob Black Jr. of Borger visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Black, over the week-end.

Mrs. Jim Stevens and children were in Pampa Thursday afternoon on business.

Mrs. Neal Skinner and children of Shamrock visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. I. Martindale and family, Monday. Sunday visitors in the Martindale home were Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Hinchey of Lefors.

Mrs. I. S. Ayers and daughter Peggy of Corpus Christi, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Johnston Jr. and son

Dickie, and Mrs. George Holmes of Brownfield, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack West and daughters of Groom spent the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Elton Johnston. Mrs. Dale Johnston and son returned home with her mother, Mrs. Ayers, for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Wib Fowler and daughter Margie spent the week-end at Springer, N. M., in the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. G. W. Billingslea and family.

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## Clean Up--Fix Up

The week of May 1st thru 6th has been designated as clean up week. The city will again haul away your trash and tree trimmings of such size that they can be handled by one man. After that time only small trimmings no larger than three feet long by two inches thick which can be handled by packer truck will be picked up by the city. We inaugurated this packer truck service instead of the open truck service because we felt we could keep the city cleaner.

Keep your chickens penned. To allow them to run loose is a violation of the law.

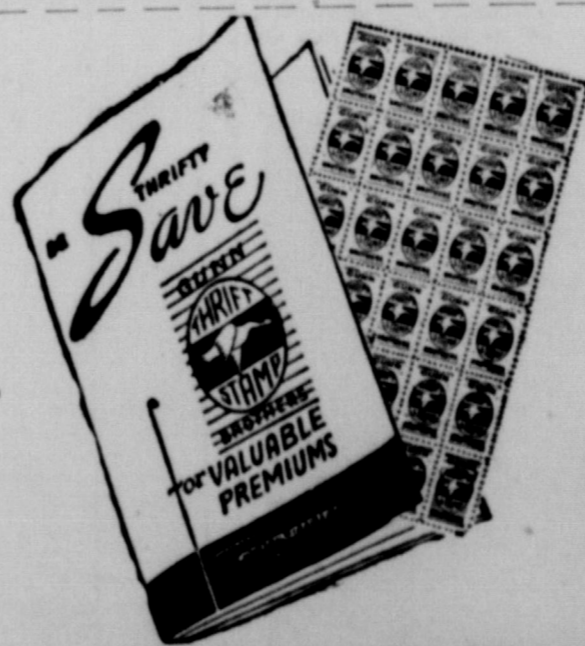
Stray dogs and dogs destroying other people's property will be disposed of.

Do not burn trash on asphalt paving.

Caution: Be careful and do not build beyond your own property line. To do this not only clouds your title to your property but it may cause you to have to remove the obstruction. Your property line is NOT the curb line. Obtain building permit from city secretary.

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**CARD OF THANKS**  
 For the many, many cards, flowers, and visits I received during my recent illness, I will always be grateful. Your acts of genuine friendliness and neighborliness make me realize the true value of friends. Thank each of you so very much for remembering me.  
 Mrs. Rish Phillips

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Conatser and daughter of Borger spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Willis. Mrs. Conatser and daughter remained for a longer visit.

Mrs. Johnnie Vineyard of Shamrock visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Windom, Sunday.

**SCIENCE and your Health**

**ARTHRITIS AND RHEUMATISM**

**By Science Features**  
 Rheumatism and arthritis are two members of the rheumatic disease family — the number one cripples in the country. About 7 1/2 million people are affected in varying degrees and they lose an average of \$50 million dollars in wages and spend 100 million for medical care annually, according to the Public Health Service.

Degenerative joint disease of osteo-arthritis is commonly called arthritis and rheumatoid arthritis is popularly named rheumatism. The causes and therefore the cures for both diseases are not known. Doctors recommend rest and freedom from mental and physical strain in the case of rheumatism, a new hormone drug.

Rheumatism is usually regarded as the more serious of the two diseases, sometimes resulting in deformity and crippling. It afflicts three times as many women as men, from 20 to 40 years of age, and is symmetrical, with fatigue and muscular stiffness, pain and tenderness in the joints of the fingers, wrists, knees and feet.

Causing inflammation in the tissues between the joints, rheumatism produces stiffening of the bone. Any motion then causes pain and the muscles, as a protective measure, tend to immobilize the joint. Rheumatism was found to respond dramatically to hydrocortisone drugs such as Cortril. This compound urges the adrenal gland to release hormones that relieve the inflamed tissues and permit movement of the joint.

Arthritis affects aging people, usually damaging the weight-bearing joints such as the hips. Chronic irritation of the joints and the degeneration of the cartilage and fibers cause pain, aches and stiffness but never lead to disability.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Tindall and daughter visited with Mr. and Mrs. Alton Tindall and Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Tindall in Borger Monday.

Donald Smith of Texas Tech. Lubbock, spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Smith.



**SEERSUCKER TWINS**—These youngsters look as cool as they feel in summer cotton seersucker outfits by Scout-Tex. Boy on left wears a shrink-set knit terry shirt trimmed in seersucker to match his shorts. Lad on right wears a cotton mesh shirt trimmed with seersucker, matching the pants. Mothers like cotton for its washability, says the National Cotton Council.



**LOOKALIKES**—Bold colors of a Samoan print cotton by Gantner of California make a striking "sweetheart" beach ensemble. Joe Anie models a swim suit with sarong-draped skirt, gathered bra, and dasticed back. Larry Care wears matching boxer trunks with a squared-off look. The National Cotton Council reports that cotton rates a No. 1 fashion fiber for beachwear.

**PARTY GIRL**



This little miss is ready for a party in a charming frock designed for such special occasions. Her party dress by Hedy-Joyce is made of Simpson's Everglaze lawn, a crisp, sheer cotton that stays un-mussed because of its crease-resistant finish. Rows of baby lace form a dainty yoke effect and velvet ribbon makes a pretty bow in front.

Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sherrod in Alamo were Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Walser and children of Mobeetie, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Sherrod, and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Brown of McLean, and Joe Ed Sherrod of Amarillo.

Mrs. Alice Smith and Mrs. R. F. Sanders were in Pampa Monday on business.

Mrs. Vernon Wood and daughter Sammie spent the week-end visiting with Mrs. F. R. Wood and Mrs. S. J. Cunningham at Henrietta.

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Snook are visiting with relatives at New London this week.

Mrs. Luther Petty visited in Amarillo Friday and Saturday with her daughter, Mrs. Zora Kennedy, and son Vernon.

**NEWS FROM KELLERVILLE**

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Klein and grandson Donald of St. John, Kans., visited with her sister, Mrs. Bud Morris of Kellerville, and with their son, Herb Klein and family of Lefors, during Easter.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Drum and Martha spent the week-end visiting relatives at Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Newbury announce the birth of a grandson named Kenneth, at Compton, Calif. The parents are Mr. and Mrs. Willard Newbury. Mrs. Leland Newbury left Sunday to visit with her new grandson.

Mrs. John O. Haanstad and children of Eau Claire, Wis., arrived Wednesday to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bruton. Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Bruton and boys of Amarillo visited his parents Sunday. Joe D. Bruton of Wichita Falls spent Tuesday night in the Joe Bruton home.

Mr. and Mrs. Curby Morris and boys spent the holidays with relatives at Waggoner, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Rhodes and children spent the week-end with their parents in Louisiana.

Mrs. Roy Lynch and Betty visited with relatives in Oklahoma over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest West and Randy of Midland spent Easter with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. West.

Mrs. Grover Stark of Pampa visited her daughter, Mrs. Don Haslam and family, Sunday.

**Too Late for Last Week**  
 Raymond Broome, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Broome of Kellerville, has been installed as treasurer of the Baptist Student Union Executive Council at West Texas State College in Canyon. Guest speaker for the occasion was Rev. Harland Harris, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Plainview. Raymond is a junior majoring in industrial arts. He is president of the Buffalo Bills and is a member of the Square Dance Club and Gray County Student Association.

Mrs. R. H. Rountree visited

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relatives in Wellington Monday of last week.

Mrs. Verl W. Tinkler entered Worley Hospital in Pampa Monday for an eye operation, and also a tonsillectomy.

Mrs. E. H. Kephart has returned home after a visit with relatives in Oklahoma.

Mrs. K. L. Bruton and boys of Amarillo visited in the Joe Bruton home Sunday. They are spending a few days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Roth of McLean.

H. T. Miller is improving in health but will not return to work for several weeks.

The Jack Boyd family was awakened Wednesday night with the house full of smoke. The McLean fire department was called, but the fire had been extinguished before their arrival. The greatest damage was to the cabinet in the kitchen. Cause of the fire is unknown.

Mr. and Mrs. Noah Cunningham of Whiteface visited during the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. O. Cunningham and Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Roth.

**REVEILLE**



with the boys  
 Lt. Claude Mounce of Hutchinson, Kans., spent the week-end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Mounce.

**Personals**

Miss Joy Browning visited with friends and relatives in Abilene over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Giddens of Dumas visited with Mr. and Mrs. George Yearwood Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Tracy Willis of Mobeetie visited with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Willis Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hall of Alamo visited with Mr. and Mrs. Morris Brown Sunday.

Mrs. Alice Smith spent the week-end in Lubbock on business.

Mrs. Luther Petty attended a Vacation Bible School clinic at the Lone Mound Baptist Church

Thursday, and also a shower at Shamrock honoring Mrs. Vernon Tarbet.

Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Simpson were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Simpson and children of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Simpson and son of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Kenney; Mr. and Mrs. Frank Simpson and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. C. Simpson and son, Mr. and Mrs. Babe Simpson, and Joe Simpson, of McLean.

Mr. and Mrs. Odes Shelton and children of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Darnell and daughter of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. H. Darnell and children of Hedley, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Williams of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Shelton of McLean were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Shelton.

Mrs. Jim Burke and children of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Tuffy Reynolds and children of Pampa spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Simpson and family.

Because the earth's atmosphere bends the moon's rays, the moon is not actually where it appears to be when looked at from the ground.

One thing is clear to me, that no indulgence of passion destroys the spiritual nature so much as respectable selfishness.—George Macdonald.

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