## Four Killed In Grinding Three-Car Crash

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and ashes.

Fourth of July was more like the of January with the thermomete
repistering 64 degrees for the hig registering 64 degrees for the high
tuefield Tuesday It was a cool,
drizzly day on which to ate the 196th birthday of our which to be travelling on the - highway death toll exceeded all hard to see why the total was so ur city limits in apparently perfec Iliditions, and eight peopl speeds. Single car "nurnover" anerous throughout the state:
then
though somewhere along the people have gotten the idea that
automobiles will drive themselv alt that is necessary for the
er" is just to get in and go. And as fast as he can go with no regard his own safety, much less the safety
hers who may be sharing the highooking for a "cure" for your own
king? Just go out to a fatal accident 4 time Don't look at the victims
may be too much. Look at the sed steel that was one an
mobile, look at the clothes that are
ered up and down the highway look child's stuffed toy the highwas once soft cuday. but is now stained with oil,
dirt and blood, look at the big
ty etched on a survivor's sif there is face as the ambulance leever, not
the siren screaming indicating an rgency, but in a slow, deliberate
for there is now no hurry

IONDAY WAS an exceptionally good rchants. With the tholidtay on
day, it seems as though most people it be long till back to school shopping in full swing and the clearance sales
yow proving outtanding values
local and area shoppers. With the oi weathder. outerwear may receeve
unusual spurt for this time of the

Amented bininess executive recenay Inmented that success, in his ex-
rience, could be summed up in three prds-and then some. "I discovered at
early age." he said. "that the difrence between the average person and ople did what was expected of them-
d then some. They met their en some. They wespensibilities -and driends to
eir friends-and then some They could eir friends-and then some. They could
depended upon in an emergency- and
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## line Arrested

 Dver WeekendSeveral fights and two stabbing in
dents kept Lamb County officers busy
ere the long July Fourth holiday.

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Two persons are charged with assault
om knifings Sunday morning and Fortunato Sulazar, 33, of sudan is
varged with the stabbing of his 23 darged with the stabbing of his 23 -year15 Sunday morning. Solazar was fined
00 plus court costs. ${ }^{\omega} 0$ plus court costs.
Five Earth residents were arrested
llowing a knife light at the Earth ive in restaurant sunday night. Four
ere charged with disturbance, and a -year old juvenile is charged with
hifing Augustine nifing Augustine Munoz. The vic
as taken to a Muleshoe hospital.
Two Amherst residents were jailed
vesday for fighting They were fined 7.50 each.

One other person was arrested over weeckend. Guillermo Limas, 21 , of uleshoe remains in the county jail on a
gamy charge with bond set at $\$ 2.500$.

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FOUR PERSONS died in this pulverizing crash 1.7 miles backgraound were dead on arrival. The car in the north of Littlefield about 4 p.m. Saturday afternoon. Two Irving teenagers going to Otion for a family reunion were
killed in the compact car in the foreground. Two of the killed in the compact car in the foreground. Two of the
three occupants of the white car in the ditch in the
backgraound were dead on arrival. The car in whe
foreground was hit headon by the white car which was
passing the van at the far right. The impact sent the passing the van at the far right. The impact sent the
small car into the northbound lane where it hit the van. small car into the northbound ane where
None of the five in the van were injured.

## Flying Fills Car Racer's Urge To 'Let Her Go!'

By NiL.Ah rodgers
Coy Percey Coy Rercey raced cars all over
Europe with big name Grand
Prix drivers like Phil Hill, Dan Guerney and
Serling Moss. But he doesn't go to the Sering Myoss. .
races any more.
"Its hard to watch without getting the
fever again," Piercey said
Piercey has always been interested in racing. "Ive raced anything that will go
all my life," he said. "Every once in a while Id still like to give her a go." Most of the time flying takes care of
Phercey's urge to "let 'er go." He is a
spray pilot and does his own flying He
has logged plenty o hours flying tigh in
planes and flying low over roads.
Percey learned to fly a plane at 16 and Joined the Navy at 17. He retired in 1967
as an aircraft mainters nce specialist 7 , as an aircrair mainter nce specialist,
better known as a clivil p pety officer,
atter 22 years of flyig for Uncle Sam.

While in the Navy, Percey competed
at Rome and Naples, Ital Targaflorio



COY PIERCEY visited all 50 states in the U.S., all of the free world, and Communist Buigaria during his naval career from 1946-67. He is shown here
with a picture of one of the cars he raced and some of the trophies he won with a picture of one of
while racing in Europe.

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 president of the Air Force Sports Car
Club in 1950 .and in 19661 he instructed
men interested in competion driving During all his racing, he only had one accident. "It was an incident, really," Percey said. 11 missed a shift at 130
mph and went through a hay baler and a mph and went throu.
barbed wire fence.
Percey flew all 22 years of his Navy
service. When he retired in 1967 he inlended to give flying up. He tried various ${ }_{\text {trades . He was a a poice officer, a deputy }}$ theriff and a tractor mechanic. Then he
got a chance to get back into flying as a crop duster.
He came to Littefield from Cordell.
Okla. to dust crops and while he was Okla, to dust crops and while he was hore the company he was working for
got into financial problems, so he
stayed. He and Avin Bagwell formed a part nership flying se
the sole owner.

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| family at Olton disintegrated into bitter tragedy Saturday afternoon when four out of five persons involved in a grinding head-on crash were killed 1.7 miles north of Littlefield on U.S. 385 |  |
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| Robert Kent Walker, the 18 -year-old grandson of Mr . and Mrs. Wallace Hackler of OHton, and Melissa Ellen Bailey, Walker's pretty 16 -year-old fiancee he was bringing to Olton to meet his mother's relatives, were dead at the scene of the accident. |  |
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| south on U.S. 385 in Walker's new burnt orange Honda car. The compact car was hit head on by a northbound 1964 Chevrolet owned by 24 -year-old Yuman Black of Fort Worth. Following impact of the crash, the Honda was knocked into by the 1964 Volkswagen van the Chevrolet was passing. | their way home from a vacation in |
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| Chevrolet died a few minutes after the crash. Curtis Black, 36, of \& Paul, Minn. was dead on arrival at the Methodist Hospital in Lubbock, and his five-year-old son. Curtis Black Jr., was pronounced dead on arrival at the Littlefield Hospital. Yuman Black was treated at the Methodist Hospital and |  |
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## Area Crop Dismal After Hail Storm

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hundreds of thousands of dollars in crop damages in the wake of the storm which contunued to the caprock
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4. 4 a am Monday morring after two
funnel clouds were spoted in the Sudan funnel clouds were spotted in the sudan twisters, but hundreds of acres of cotton
were beaten by heavy hail.
THE HALL STRIP crossed north of damage continued farly heavy north of
Littlefield.

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L.tulfield and apparantly traveed in a
southeasterly direction. Many farmers southeasterly direction. Many farmers
in the Lums Chapel. Whitharral and
Anton areas had crops totally destroved Anton areas had crops totally destroyed
by the early morning hail which took two swipes at the area.
Ralph Wade at Whitharral lost five
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Whatharral community Toward Anton.
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 area The total precipitation for June
was 9.80 , one of the wettest Junes on recordi, on top of 6.47 inches during May
Julys siotal through Wednesdar morning

MLI FOURTH temperatures dove to
a low of 59 degrees, the coldest July 4 th
Farmers receiving the hail damage are lrying to decide what to do Where ut. mast say they, pian to teave cotton and see what develops. Oher producers
are taliking of late feed crops or going to soy beans or black eyed peas.


MOTHER NATURE'S fireworks were brightly displayed in the skies during Saturday and Sunday nights of this week, iust prior to the Jily 4 celebration. This display was seen abot




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