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kel Nov. 17. Anyone interested

please contact Postmaster Wren

"The Egyptian" is to be

shown at the Queen Theatre

Sunday and Monday. This is one

of the great pictures of the

year. It is richly glittering in

spectacle, excitingly dramatic

and thrillingly entertaining.

GREAT PICTURE HERE!

Durham.

Phillips of the Reporter-News, Joe Wilson of the KRBC-TV, and Bob Dies Last Week Pointer, publicity manager of the Mamber of Commerce. Many still pictures were taken In California Gerald Doyle Garner, 46, form-

Garner, two brothers, Howard

Garner of Farwell and Clifford

Garner of Encinitas, Calif., and his

at the grocery, showing Herman Carson, who with his brother Howard own the store, receiving er resident of Merkel, died Thursthe \$1,000 check from D. M. Cheek, day, Nov. 4, at Sacramento, Calif. area representative for Colgate-He was born in Comanche County March 9, 1908. He moved from Palmolive Co. Moving pictures Comanche to Merkel in 1922 leavwere also taken. Then the group, accompanied ing Merkel in 1928 for California. He is survived by his father. V.

by Editor Hy White, went out to Golondrina, the beautiful ranch home of the Louis Butmans.

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There Mr. Cheek presented the aunt, Mrs. Dave Hendricks, of car and the \$1,000 check to Mrs. Butman, he kissed him on the Merkel. chart

Graveside rites were held in Comanche Cemetery Monday, distill and moving pic- rected by Starbuck Funeral Home.

E. Tullock, pastor, officiated, assisted by Rev. John Ferguson, Pioneer Methodist pastor, and Rev. Lester Vinson, pastor of the Baptist Church in Tuscaloosa,

> Burial was in Rose Hill Cemetery under the direction of Starbuck Funeral Home. Mr. Mayfield was born Aug. 8, 1868 in Trook County, Ga. He mar-

ried the former Minnie Tulia Tittle in December, 1892, and they moved to Bell County in 1893. After living in Jones and Bell Counties they moved to Taylor County in 1899, and to the Blair community in 1901. His wife died in 1924 and in September 1929 he married BEAUTIFUL DOLL! **Odie Farrow**.

He had been a member of the Baptist Church since 1900 and elped establish the church at

vife. five play until Dec. 18. Everyone is Blending shades of green. invited to look at and Abilene. admire ty, Kenthis beautiful showing. n: one Crary of .2 INCH RAIN A. E. of The rain measured .20 inch ter. Jen-Wednesday. Ga.; a mith of **BOY TO R. STEPHANS** -brother, A boy was born to Mr. and Mrs. Ala. Robert Stephan at the Sadler Hos-T. Gard-C. Far- pital November 6. Ichildren

Texas & Pacific Railway Depot as often as required will be re-

Show. Theme: How Dry We Are.

Nov. 13, 1954 — 3:00 to 8:00; Nov. 34-19. 14, 1954 - 3:00 to 5:00.

ette and bassinet belonging to accent. the Beta Sigma Phi is now being displayed in the downtown harmonizing material. Class 1. son returned an intercepted pass where after that Merkel kicked. stores. They will remain on dis. Blending shades of red. Class 2. 55 yards and Davidson added the

tainer.

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specimen.

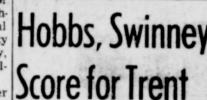
any type.

arrangement.

each pot.

on the 8 and Merkel took over. Freddie Boone and Kermit Rutledge tried and then Merkel kick-

Haskell had the ball on the Mer-



The Robert Lee Steers last Friday night won from Trent Gorillas

Lynn Davidson scored on the second play of the game on his 55-Division 1. Arrangement using yarder and Sherman Williams The beautiful baby doll, lay- succulent or cacti with western made the extra point. The Steers boosted the margin to 14-0 in the Division 2. Castor beans with same period when Sammy David-

point after.

ed: 0-0.

Haskell intercepted a pass and started a determined march. Larry, Robert, Terry, Philip, Gene and Kermit challenged the penetration. Kermit and Terry nailed a pass receiver on the 10. Wesley punched the runner on the 9, Kermit and Philip on the 6 ,the line held on the 2. Haskell fumbled and Gail O'Brien recovered the ball.

Merkel kicked and Haskell delivered the ball to the Badger 22. Kermit stopped a receiver on the 9. Carl McKeever and Kermit nailed them on the 6. Haskell advanced to the 1 and went over for the first TD. The kick was good. Kermit put the ball on the 30, and then Philip, Freddie, Larry carrying the ball and a pass from Freddie to Billy Mack took the ball to the Haskell 49. Getting no-

Haskell had the ball on its own 34. Gene and George English, who

WELL FOLKS - it's time for another fall flower show. So gather up your flower show material and bring it to the Community HODDS, Swinney Center not later than Saturday, Nov. 13, at 1 p. m. Go by the following schedule:

Merkel Garden Club Flower Place: Community Center. General

Chairman: Mrs. Jack Miller. Date:

Arrangement Divisions

	Blair.	
erkel 20	Survivors include his wife, five sons J. W. and M. E. of Abilene, Britt J. of Oklahoma City, Ken-	
FROM THE 1934 FILE	S OF THE MERKEL MAIL	neth and Clyde of Austin; one
		daughter, Mrs. R. E. McCrary of Brownwood; a brother, A. E. of
DRAW	after the act is signed by the gov-	Holdenville, Okla.; a sister, Jen-
Fers and the Pied Pip-	vernor.	nie Stephens of Franklin, Ga.; a
in fought to a 7-7 draw		half-sister, Mrs. Carrie Smith of Haganville, Ga.; a half-brother,
el scored in the first	LIGHTNING STRIKES The T. H. Spears' home at the	Larry Cobb of Wedowee, Ala.;
ar a 45-yard drive down	mouth of the Canyon was struck	two step-children, Mrs. J. T. Gard-
Boaz finally carried the	by lightning Tuesday night. Part	ner of Belen, N. M., and G. C. Far- row of Stamford; 14 grandchildren
on a line play. He kick-	of the roof was torn off. A dog was killed in the yard.	and six great-grandchildren.
i point.		Pallbearers were Arthur Moore, W. R. Cox, A. D. Scott, Dewell
ARD SUCCUMBS	WANT OLD TOYS	McLean, D. C. Doan and Earl
n A. Woodward, 63, in Merkel where the	Members of the Merkel Volun- teer Fire Department want those	Hughes.
It for many years died	having used or broken toys, that	
he near Trent Tuesday.	they wish to donate for overhaul-	New Ford Cars
vards formerly lived in re Mr. Woodward ran	ing and rebuilding to be given to the needy at Christmas time, to	new roru cars
ble and later was night	bring them to the fire station. The	Will Be Shown
	boys are willing to work on them in spare time.	will be shown
ICAGO SHOW	in spare time.	Today, Nov. 12
rgent are preparing to	ED HAND DIES	10uay, 110v. 12
w herd of 13 Herefords 4 International Live	Ed Hand, 52 died suddenly of heart failure Sunday at his home	Ford will introduce an entirely
sition in Chicago, which	in the White Flat community.	new line- the high-styled Fair-
d the first week in De-	Burial was in Rose Hill Cemetery.	lane series — as the leader of its
	2-INCH RAIN FALLS	four lines of 100 pasenger cars to be shown in 6400 dealer's show-
LIMIT	Gauge of Volunteer Weather	rooms across the nation on Friday,
of the operation of the	Observer showed one inch rain	Nov. 12, announced Paul Honey- cutt, local Ford dealer.
School attendance law Dec. 3 by the school	Tuesday night and three-quarters of an inch Wednesday night,	Modern styling inspired by
that date all children	bringing the year's total to 11¼	Ford's new Thunderbird personal
hin the bounds of the	inches.	car distinguishes the new Fords. Retaining definite characteristics
Rependent School Dis- are eight years old and	RECORD BIRTHS	which have won Ford style leader-
15 must be in school.	Born to: Mr. and Mrs. R. C.	ship, the 1955 Fords also have a
PENALTIES	Whetsel a boy Nov. 11, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Alexander a boy Nov.	wrap-around windshield and a new lower silhouette. The Crown Vic-
b owe taxes which were	13, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Stanford a	toria — a new model —is the first
gu on August 1, 1934, will	girl Nov. 13, Mr. and Mrs. Wilma	Ford sedan under five feet in ov- er-all height.
V but the usual penalties.	Criswell a girl Nov .13, Mr. and Mrs. Norris Barnett a boy Nov. 13,	Ford, which offered the first V.
aw, passed at the called	Mr. and Mrs. Ted Washburn a girl	8 engine in the low price field in
Il be effective 90 days	Nov. 13.	1932 and has built 14 million V-8s since, introduces for the first time
pappened in Merkel Forty Years Ago		three now engines.
		New features of the 1955 Ford
KEN FROM THE 1914	FILES OF THE MERKEL MAIL	includes: Improved Fordomatic transmission, overdrive and regu-
EWS ITEMS	is reported much better.	lar transmisions optional on the
L'ecceipts for the Trent		new Fords. Larger brakes on all
ount to 2,388 bales with greats of the largest re-	John Brunson, of the Longworth community was in Trent with his	models, four driving assistspow- er brakes, power steering, four
town has received any	65th bale of cotton off his farm in	power windows and four-way pow-
rear. The top price paid	this community. He expects to	er seats and other features.
1	make 200 bales.	
ater) Jones, who has	The departure of Mr. and Mrs.	CEMETERY FUND
nd ast Texas for the last returned to Trent Mon-	T. J. Coggin and family to El Paso after residing here 27 years is	Below are those who recently
si	deeply regretted by their many	donated to the Cemetery Mainten-
and the second se	neighbors.	ance Fund. Anyone wishing to
Bright was painfully piday of last week by be-	W. Faulkner, George Calahan	contribute to this fund may leave contributions at the Farmers and
n from a horse. The	and M. E. Bockman tried the vir-	Merchants National Bank. The
ame scared at a train	tues of the Jones County mud by	donors are:
ne way collided with a and its rider.	a jaunt over to the Sailoh store last Friday afternoon.	Mrs. Amy Sears, Abilene . \$25.00 Claude Smith \$5.00
and the second se	and the second state of the second state	F. H. Horton \$3.00
ller, who has been very	Dewitt Haynes, who has typhoid	T. M. Smith, Abilene \$2.50
me with the small pox,	fever, is improving.	Mrs. May Day, Abilene \$1.00

GRL TO G. W. KITCHENSES A girl was born to Mr. and Mrs. r Moore. George W. Kitchens at the Sadler Dewell Hospital November 7. d Earl

> SON TO J. A. REEDS Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Reed are the parents of a son born Nov. 9 at the Sweetwater Hospital, named Kenneth Lynn. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Marton and Mrs. J. A. Reed of Sweetwater. ings. Class 4. Christmas tables.

PLEASE EXCUSE

Due to last minute rush of ads a great deal of news had to be entirely held over till next week.

ler of its The Stewardship iger cars r's show-**Revival Starts** n Friday. 1 Honey-At Methodist Sun. ired by personal

The stewardship revival begins e leader-| Sunday morning at the First Methhave a odist Church. Services will be held

nd a new each night at the church. The entire adult and youth memgo to the building of a rock fence the first bership will be divided into three for our cemetery. stewardship classes and will meet

in these three groups each night first V. at 7 o'clock for the study of stewhelp to make it one of Merkel's easily. e field in ardship of possessions. Tithing best. lion V-8s will be the main emphasis in this week of services.

At the conclusion of the class

ordomatic ble in the sanctuary for the wor and regu- ship service which will be conduct-I on the ed by the pastor, Rev. Aubrey F. es on all White.

ts -pow-ng, four night time will be devoted to per- Urgently Needed sonal testimonies on tithing by visiting laymen from First Meth- For Expenses odist Church in Abilene. A different layman will speak each night. The Cemetery Association is in

"This tithing program is churchurgent need of funds. Though the wide" said Rev. White. "It is contributions are coming in they recently a laymen's movement. It is not a are not sufficient to take care of Mainten- financial campaign. It is an atroutine expenses. There are reguhing to tempt to spiritualize our posses- lar expenses of the full-time carenay leave sions and to remind us that we are taker, water pumping and mainmers and only God's stewards and do not tenance which must be met on a ik. The own the world and its possesmonthly basis. sions.

The local stewardship committee obligation and more contributions is promoting this revival. They are are needed. These may be made at Miss Mary Collins, chairman, Pin- the Farmers and Merchants Nakie Cypert, Betty Tittle, Ben tional Bank. \$1.00 Hicks and Roy Baccus.

Division 3. Chrysanthemums. In the second Ben Bessent pass-Class 1. Centerpiece for dinner ed to Davidson and Williams scor- held them for little gain. table. Class 2. Arrangement for ed the extra point. Trent scored on entrance hall. Class 3. Mantel ar- a 10-yard run by Jimmy Hobbs rangement. and the point failed. Division 4. Roses. Class 1. In

In the third Williams ran 85 silver container. Class 2. In crystal yards and the try failed and Hobbs container. Class 3. In china conscored for Trent on a 20-yard pass. Jerry McWilliams added the extra Division 5. Arrangements of point.

fruits and flowers using an eper-Davidson closed out Robert Lee Divison 6. Dried material. Class Class 2. Dried arrangement using scoring for Trent with an eight | half ended: 7-0. driftwood. Class 3. Drift wood

yard run and the point failed. Division 7. Special occasions

arrangements. Class 1. Christmas New Ford Trucks -any type. Class 2. Thanksgiving Will Be Shown Division 8. Christmas decorations. Class 1. Door. Class 2. Win-Today, Nov. 12 dow. Class 3. Christmas wrapp-Divison 9. Miniature arrange-

Twenty-four series including 190 ments. Class 1. Arrangements not models of 155 Ford trucks rangover 3 inches. Class 2. Arrangeing from 30-ton tandem-axle "Big Jobs" down to F-100 pickups, all Division 10. Niche - any type designed to make money for operators on every hauling job, will Division 11. Pot plants - any be introduced by Ford dealers variety, not over one variety in throughout the country Friday, Nov. 12, announced Paul Honey-Division 12. Planter boxes -any cutt local Ford dealer.

Ford's five truck engines, built Division 13. Guest table --- Line exclusively for the truck lines, inarrangements using any type ma- clude Six and V-8 engines. Three engines have increased horsepow-

er and compression ratios. The 1955 models have new larger parking lights and, larger, Garden Club members that the shield-shaped tail lights adaptable proceeds above the expenses will to class "A" turn signals

The new seat accommodates three men comfortably. Cab doors evading Merkel men, when Philip which are almost a yard wide, let caught up with him and stopped It will be appreciated if you will take an interest in this show and the biggest driver slip in and out

> For 1955 Ford has improved truck brake features for quicker, smoother stopping.

Korean Needs Will Be Stressed By Methodists Sun.

A worship service emphasizing emergency needs in Korea will be held in the First Methodist church Sunday at 11 a.m.

White, pastor, Methodist congrega-| nailed Haskell on its own 41. Terry tions all over America will be con- and Gail, George, McKeever an ducting similar services on the Gene held them tightly and Hassame day

A novel feature of the service will be the presentation of the of- were incomplete. Haskell This is definitely a community fering in miniature "rice bags," tried passes on the same 35 and symbolic of the sacrificial offer- got nowhere and as the whistle ings of rice which the Koreans blew Robert McLeod rushed an atthemselves have given to rebuild tempted passer and nailed him on their war-ravaged sanctuaries.

was playing with an injured hand

Haskell tried to pass, Merkel got it, Haskell grabbed it from the man and Philip Pursley in turn stole it from the Indian. All this was one play without the ball hitting the ground!

With the ball on the Haskell 35 a pass to Robert was good, Philip advanced the ball but the next scoring with a 20-yard jaunt in pass was intercepted by Haskell the fourth and Williams ran over with Gilbert nailing the Indian. 1. Dried material arrangement, the point. J. B. Swinney ended! The ball was on the 29 when the

McKeever and Rutledge nailed Haskell on its own 32. Gene, George and Larry did the tackling on the advance to the 48. Gilbert intercepted a pass. Philip carried the ball. A fumble was recovered by Haskell.

Gilbert and Terry held them on the 49. Haskell advanced to the Badger 45, Marton and George held them there and Merkel had the kick on its own 10.

Philip made a yard, Merkel fumbled and Haskell recovered on the 10. Terry and Gail held them on the 5, Kermit on the 1. George and Kermit stopped them cold for no gain. Then Haskell went over and kicked the extra point.

Boone and Joyce tried from the Merkel 41. So did Kermit. Merkel. kicked and Haskell was on its own 25 where Gene and Kermit nailed them.

Gail held them for little gain but Haskell was on the march again and advanced steadily with Kermit,, Gilbert, Pursley throwing up blocks. A runner got lose on the 48, went wildly down the field him on the Merkel 34 as the quarter ended: 14-0.

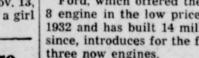
The powerful Haskell team began to move with Kermit, Robert, McKeever, Gail, Gene, Terry, Gilbert doing the tackling. On the 3 Haskell fumbled and Merkel recovered.

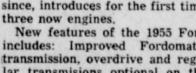
Freddie made a first down on the 20. Larry advanced the ball but Merkel had to kick. Haskell was on the 34

Kermit, McKeever, Gene and Bill Horton stopped them on the 22. Haskell fumbled and Gene and Terry were on the ball.

Philip advanced the ball, Mc Leod received a pass to the 25. According to the Rev. Aubrey F. Finally Merkel kicked. George kell kicked.

On its own 35 Merkel passes the 41.





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MRS. JACK MILLER 955 Ford period, all the groups will assem-**Cemetery Funds**

terial. Division 14. Miscellaneous. Admission - free-will offering. It has been voted by the Merkel

Chariman

combination of plants.

ments not over 8 inches.

Friday, Nov. 12, 1954.

MARY CLEO WHEELER'S ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs J. A. Wheeler of Noodle announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Mary Cleo to Corporal Richard Allan Hamilton.

Corporal Hamilton, x-ray techni- had a party at the community cencian for the Abilene Recruiting ter October 28. Guests came mask Service, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. ed and a little old lady with a R. J. Hamilton of Port Crane, N. cane came in last. She was Mrs. Y. He is a graduate of Franklin Shouse. Connell Higgins and Mel-Institute of Philadelphia, Penn.

Mary Clea is a 1954 graduate of tumes. Games were played and Noodle High School and is pre- cup cakes and pop were served to sently employed in Abilene.

SUPPLIES

in the Noodle Church of Christ on 'om Hogan and the class.

After a short wedding trip they will make their home in Abilene

MRS. ANDY SHOUSE'S 7TH **GRADE HAS PARTY**

Mrs. Andy Shouse's 7th grade ba Horton won prizes for best costhe CHDA.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Shouse, Mr. The wedding will be at 7:15 p. m. and Leo Harris and Mr. and Mrs.

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NOODLE JR. AND SR. GIRLS H CLUBS MEET NOV. 2 The Noodle Junior and Senior

Girls 4-H Clubs met for a regular meeting with the mother leaders on Nov. 2. The mother leaders present were Mrs. A. J. Hill and Mrs. Hubert Sullivan. Judy Spurgin, Senior Club presi dent, presided. Mrs. Sullivan brought the program. She made

two delicious salads using fruits, nuts, vegetables and dressing with the assistance of Karan Irvin and Nancy Hunter, two of the Junior foods demonstrators. The next meeting will be with

HERE 52 YEARS

W. T. McAninch came in Thursday of last week and renewed his subscription. He remarked: "I arrived in Merkel 52 years ago and I have been taking The Merkel Mail 52 years. I think Merkel is the best little town in the world."

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NIEWVS HANBIOULT TO NON VAN Mrs. J. W. Mayfield left Wednes- Russell. day with her daughter, Mrs. J. T. Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Clemmer Gardner, to Belen, New Mexico, visited in Snyder last weekend

fora few week's visit in her daugh- with Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Conley. Their granddaughter Jennette ac-Mr. and Mrs. Ray Elliott of Dal- companied them home.

las spent the weekend with his Mrs. Malcom Douglas of Mcparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. El- Cauley is viisting her sister, Mrs. liott. Mrs. Elliott who was in the E. L. Wilson.

hospital a few weeks ago is now Albert English of Haskell visitat home and is much improved. ed his daughter, Mrs. Woody Wil-Seaman 3/c Billy Moser of Valson, and family over the weekend. encia, Spain, visited his parents, Frank Klassen of Marfa is here Mr. and Mrs. R. N. Moser, for 10 visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. days. He reported for duty at D. J. Klassen.

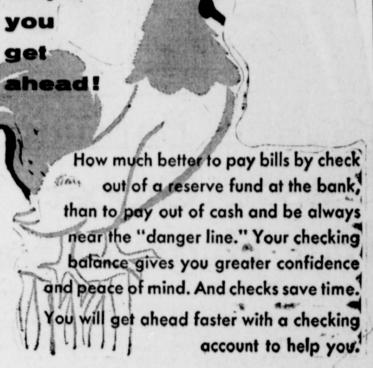
Mr. and Mrs. Kemp Hinch and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Clampitt and children of Oklahoma City and daughter Paula of Ft. Worth visit-Mrs. Bill Fugat of Abilene were ed over the weekend with her parweekend visitors of Mr. and Mrs. ents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. McAn-Homer Patterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cross and Jimmy Russell of Texas Tech Kaylene of Abilene spent the was home over the weekend with weekend with his parents, Mr. and his parents Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Mrs. Ira Cross. Mr. and Mrs. Melton Cross of Abilene were also visitors.

> L. J. Renfro accompanied his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Olney and daughter Elizabeth of Stamford to San Antonio for the weekend to visit his sister Mrs. J. N. Hunt, who is ill.

Mrs. Finish Hogan with Mrs. Morris B. Smith were in Slaton last week to visit her brother, J. J. Riney, who had a stroke and is in the hospital. They also visited in Lubbock with her daughter, Mrs. Lee Darden. Sara Wheeler, a student at Sul

Ross College, was a weekend visitor in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wheeler, and attended the bridal shower given for her sister Cleo.



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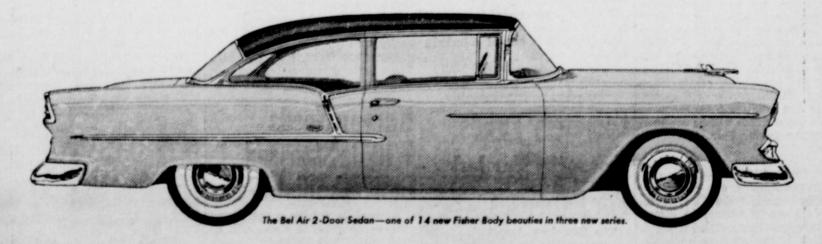
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U ARE HEREBY COMMAND-D to appear before the Honor-42nd District Court of Taylor anty at the courthouse thereof. Abilene, Texas, by filing a writn answer at or before 10 o'clock M. of the first Monday next afr the expiration of forty-two days the date of the issuance of citation, same being the 13th of December A. D. 1954, to Pla'ntiff's Petition filed in said court on the 29th day of October A. D., 1954, in this cause, number ed 20,152-A on the docket of said court and styled Billie Morrison, Plaintiff vs. Barney Morrison, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, towit:* Plainaiff and defendant were legally married on or about 15th day of September 1946, and lived to- twenty-eight days before the regether until on or about November turn day thereof, in a newspaper 1st, 1952, Plantiff shows there were no children born of said marriage.

Plaintiff sues for divorce on grounds of cruel treatment and CITATION BY PUBLICATION asks that property purchased by THE STATE OF TEXAS Plaintiff, being Lot No. 4, of the Helen Reese Subdivision of the Lot No. 5, Block No. 16 ,in Edg- resentatives of said named defenmont a subdivision out of the N. dant, and the unknown heirs of Abilene, be set aside as her separfully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served heirs of the unknown heirs of said within ninety days after the date named defendant, if the unknown of its issuance, it shall be return- heirs of the unknown heirs of said ed unserved.

shall promptly serve the same ac- the principal defendant, George cording to requirements of law, W. Walling, Jr., and all successive and the mandates hereof, and Grantees of such grantees if any make due return as the law di- DEFENDANTS, Greeting: rects.

Issued and this the 29th day of

), 1954. . H. Ross Clerk, trict Court County, Texas

Texans, have already started a potential waiting line at the State's automobile inspection stations. Col. Homer Garrison, Jr., director of the Texas Department of Public Safety, said that the waiting line was shaping up now to precede the inspection deadline next April 15th.

"SIGN OF LIFE"

A new "sign of life" will apheirs of the unknown heirs of said pear on many of the highways defendant are dead, and any and of Texas this month. It is designall subsequent grantees if any, of ed to prevent costly motor vethe principal defendant, George hicle accidents and save human W. Walling, Jr., and all successive lives. These new signs will read Grantees of such grantees if any, "SPEED LIMITS RADAR EN-FORCED" and by mid-Novem-DEFENDANTS. A brief statement of the nature ber the Texas Department of Public Safety is expected to beof this suit is as follows, to-wit: gin the operation of Radar Trespass to try title wherein O. B. Adams is plaintiff, and George W. equipped patrol cars on the

"ENJOY MAIL IMMENSLEY"

ough the State.

tion to the City of Abilene, Taylor Mrs. J. E. Jaynes, former resi-dent here, wrote: "We enjoy our as is more fully shown h as is more fully shown by Plain. Merkel Mail immensely. tiff's Petition on file in this suit.

principal traffic arteries thro-

LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS To any Sheriff or any Constable the State of Texas within GREETING.

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each directs. week for four consecutive weeks. the first publication to be at least lene. Texas, this the 1st day of November A. D., 1954. printed in Taylor County, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the herein below following

is a true copy

Adv. Nov. 5, 12, 19, 26. To: George W. Walling, Jr., if living, and if dead, the legal rep-LEGAL NOTICE 4 of Survey No. 64, to the City of said named defendant; the legal THE STATE OF TEXAS representatives of the unknown To any Sheriff or any Constable ate property and estate as is more heirs of said named defendant, if within the State of Texas -Greet-

the unknown heirs of said named ing: defendant are dead; the unknown defendant are dead, and any and The officer executing this writ all subsequent grantees if any, of

> YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDgiven under my hand ED to appear before the Honorof said court at Abi- able 104th District Court 104th Judicial District of Taylor County at the Courthouse thereof, in Abilene, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after

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vs. George W. Walling, Jr., if liv- the first publication to be at least ing, and if dead, the legal repre- twenty-eight days before the re-

sentatives of said named defen- turn day thereof, in a newspaper dant, and the unknown heirs of printed in Taylor County, Texas, said named defendant; the legal the accompanying citation, of representatives of the unknown which the herein below following heirs of said named defendant, if is a true copy, the unknown heirs of said named CITATION BY PUBLICATION defendant are dead; the unknown

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unserved.

(SEAL)

104th District Court

By C. Bower, Deputy.

THE STATE OF TEXAS To: Carl Webster Tyler, Defenheirs of the unknown heirs of said named defendant, if the unknown dant, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMAND ED to appear before the Honorable 42nd District Court of Taylor County at the Courthouse thereof, in Abilene, 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, same being the 6th day of December A. D. 1954, Walling, Jr., et al, are defendants, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 18th day of Oct. A. D. sion of a certain unumbered lot 1954, in this cause, numbered 20, 132-A on the docket of said court and styled Dorothy Ruth Tyler, Plaintiff, vs. Carl Webster Tyler, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature If this citation is not served of this suit is as follows, to-wit: within ninety days after the date Plaintiff and Defendant were marof its issuance, it shall be returned ried on or about January 3, 1954 and lived together until on or The officer executing this writ about the 15th day of April, 1954. shall promptly serve the same ac-Plaintiff shows that there are no cording to requirements of law. children born of said marriage and and the mandates hereof, and there is no community property make due return as the law to be adjudicated. Plaintiff sues for divorce on grounds of cruel Issued and given under my hand treatment and asks that her maidand the seal of said court at Abi-

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D., 1954, in this cause, numbered You are hereby commanded to en name be restored, to-wit: Dor- shall promptly serve the same ac- October A. D. 1954. 7587-B on the docket of said court cause to be published once each othy Ruth Johnson as is more cording to requirements of law and on file in this suit.

(SEAL) and styled O. B. Adams, Plaintiff, week for four consecutive weeks, fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs. If this citation is not served Issued and given under my hand within ninety days after the date and the seal of said court at Abi-

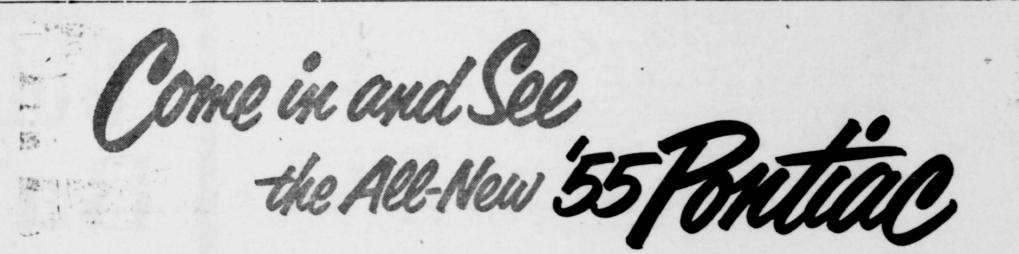
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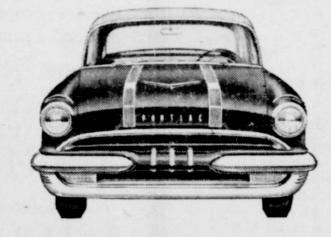




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Friday, Nov. 12, 1954.



Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bartlett were in Denton Sunday to visit with their son Ralph.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Lay of Fort Worth visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Campbell, and family Friday a week ago.

Mrs. Lester Dorton returned home this week after visiting her sister, Mrs. Bob Burns, of Hous-

Mr. and Mrs. Volney C. Castles and Sue of Fort Worth and Mr. Falls visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chas. C. Castles of Hous- and Mrs. Tom Largent and Mrs. J. ton spent last weekend in the S. Swann over the weekend. home of the J. O. Castles.

Mrs. T. Taylor and son Tobe and daughter, Mrs. N. T. Neitz, Judy and teachers banquet of the Bapand Cindy of Abilene were visitors of her sister and aunt, Mrs. Mabel

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week to join her husband.

is in the Sadler Hospital. They are also visiting the Robinson brothers Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Blackwell and a cousin, Mrs. Selema Teaff. nd children of Sweetwater and Mrs. J. G. Herron visited Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Denson at Ft. Phantom the past week with her brother

and wife of Dallas.

ed to Merkel with his mother, Mrs.

Lake Sunday Mrs. Mitchell Cooper and two sons of Ozona were weekend guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Horton.

of the Joe Largents. Mr. and Mrs. Billy Sherdon and Gary Van of Waxahachie spend the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Henry. was on a 15-day emergency leave Mrs. Carson Miles of San Anto Lenoir City, Tenn., and return-

mother, Mrs. J. S. Swann. Mrs. S. L. Hansard of Wichita F. M. Simpson, November 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert P. Simpson of College Station spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mr. and Mrs. Odell Freeman of

Mrs. F. M. Simpson. Robert is a Trent were guests at the officers senior student at Texas A. & M., majoring in chemical engineering. tist church Monday night. Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Anderson and Mrs. Claud Patton and Mrs. C. children spent the weekend in Ar-Dorton Sunday. Her niece, Mrs. M. Lyles of Floydada is visiting lington with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Neitz, will leave for Germany this her sister, Mrs. Jim Ingram who Hendrix and family.

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HOSPITAL NOTES

Admissions to the Sadler Hos-Mrs. Houston Robertson visited pital the past week were:

As medical patients - Tom Largent, Mrs. J. H. Wrenn, Mrs. E. L. Palmer, H. J. Keggans, Mrs. Mrs. G. B. Murphy and Mrs. A. G. Gamel, Mrs. Lola Farris, Mozelle Watson and son Gary of Mrs. A. F. Bussey, Mrs. Oran Stephenville were weekend guests Hodge, Bill Winter, Lewis Perkins. Cpl. Charles D. Simpson left

For surgery - Mrs. Monroe Monday for Ft. Ord, Calif., where | Harris, Monty Wayne Bailey, tonhe will be stationed. Cpl. Simpson sillectomy.

GLENDA ANN MELTON'S MARRIAGE DATE GIVEN

Mrs. Erma Dell Melton announced the approaching marriage of her daughter, Glenda Ann, to Pfc. Larry Don Briley of Ft. Riley, Kans., son of Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Briley of Abilene. The wedding will take place at the home of the groom's parents Dec. 24. They will spend the Christmas holidays here and will then leave for Ft. Riley where the groom is stationed.

MRS. BILL DUNAGIN

E. R. WALLACE AND

JOHN YOUNG, JR., AT

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Howard Carson home.

HAS MOVED TO HOME

CARD OF THANKS

Our heartfelt thanks to all those extending sympathy and for the many acts of kindness during the Mrs. Bill Dunagin has moved to illness and the passing of our hustown. She has bought the former band and father, J. W. Mayfield The beautiful service and floral offerings were greatly appreciated. Especially do we want to thank the hospital staff. May the Lorld's richest blessings rest upon each of



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Ford's longer, lower body style and wrap-around windshield, available on all models,

is shown above in the Fairlane four-door sedan. The '55 Fords are available with Y-Block

V-8 or I-Block Six power, and Fairlane models have dual exhaust as standard equipment.

They will be introduced by Ford dealers November 12.







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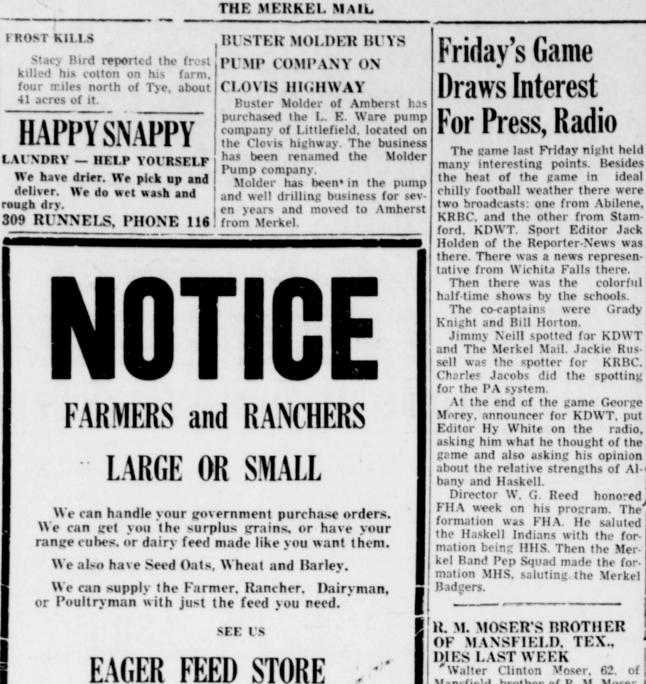
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Friday's Game **Draws Interest** For Press, Radio

many interesting points. Besides Baker Hotel and highlighted by the heat of the game in ideal two design clinics. chilly football weather there were floral designers led the school. two broadcasts: one from Abilene, The school featured Christmas KRBC, and the other from Stamford, KDWT. Sport Editor Jack floral designs and Thanksgiving Holden of the Reporter-News was home pieces which can be made there. There was a news representative from Wichita Falls there.

Then there was the colorful alf-time shows by the schools. The co-captains were Grady

ers last Friday.

To Relieve

Misery o

Jimmy Neill spotted for KDWT and The Merkel Mail. Jackie Rus sell was the spotter for KRBC. Charles Jacobs did the spotting

At the end of the game George Morey, announcer for KDWT, put Editor Hy White on the radio, asking him what he thought of the game and also asking his opinion about the relative strengths of Al-

Director W. G. Reed honored FHA week on his program. The formation was FHA. He saluted the Haskell Indians with the formation being HHS. Then the Merkel Band Pep Squad made the formation MHS, saluting the Merkel

R. M. MOSER'S BROTHER OF MANSFIELD, TEX., DIES LAST WEEK Walter Clinton Moser, 62, of Mansfield, brother of R. M. Moser, died Tuesday of last week. He formerly operated the Atlas Towel

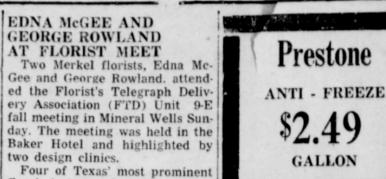
and Linen Supply Company. Recently he was associated with the American Laundry & Cleaners.

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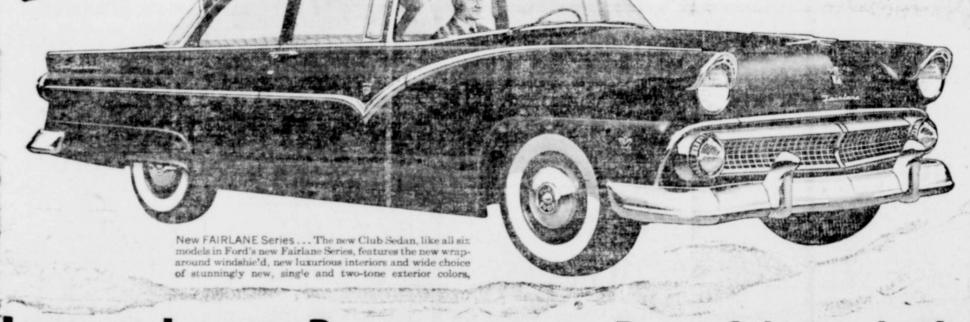
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New CUSTOMLINE Series . . . The Tudor Sedan (above) and Fordor offer a wide selection of new color and uphoistery combinations. Like all '55 Fords, they have a new wider grille, new visored headlights and sturdier, extra-narrow pillar-posts for better visibility.



New STATION WAGON Series ... The new 6-passenger, 4-door Country Sedan (above) is one of five new do-itall beauties. There's also an 8-passenger Country Sedan, an 8-passenger Country Squire and a 2-door, 6-passenger Ranch Wagon and Custom Ranch Wagon.

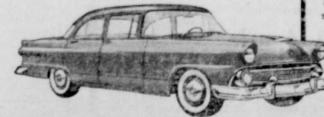
We invite you to see for yourself. And we tell you in advance you'll be amazed. For this new Ford is totally new-outside, inside, and in thrillingly different performance.

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Your ride will be up to 15% smoother. Best of all, you'll find your kind of car, for there are 16 body styles in four fresh new lines.

When you come in, don't be surprised if you tell yourself: why look farther-why delayyou just can't buy better than Ford.



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(1) The new 162-h.p. Y-block V-8 has a higher (7.6 to 1) compression ratio, greater displacement. And, like all '55 Ford engines, it has Ford's famous deepblock build . . . short-stroke design.

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A group of F. T. A. members

met with the school room mothers

Wednesday of last week at the ele-

for teaching. Reports were made.

mentary school to consider plans

The club is now making plans

TO RELIEVE

TUCUMCARI TEAM

that the grade school put on last GUARD ON WINNING week at the school and at the Lions Club.

Gary Jaynes, a former resident. The musical play was entitled "School Days." It was a theme put is a member of the Tucumcari, N. Mexico, Junior High football to music and acted out in pantosquad. The "Little Rattlers," have mime. The scene was one of the made a record for themselves by school rooms of long ago and the school room of today. remaining unbeaten, untied and unscored on. It put in contrast the methods of Gary plays guard. The Rattlers

yesterday and those of today. have only one more game this sea-The children who put on the son. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. program, "School Days,' were from the school choral club of the J. E. Jaynes of Tucumcari. 6th, 7th and 8th grade girls and other girls and boys from the F. T. A. MEMBERS MEET same grades. The choral club did WITH ROOM MOTHERS the singing while the others panto-TO CONSIDER PLANS mimed the action.

The songs, the school songs, of long ago were beautifully sung by the choral club. It brought back sweet memories to those who were old enough to remember the tunes of by-gone days and the old red school house room.

to attend the district VII meeting These girls sang heavenly musat Vernon on Nov. 13. Delegates ic. They sang easily, sweetly, and for the state convention and a Mr. their harmony was perfect. One and Miss F. T. A. will be chosen. could travel far around the world Merkel will be represented there. to hear anything more beautiful. And while the girls sang from

the depths of their hearts the boys and girls on the stage showed that **JORE THROA** they were good actors. They played out in pantomime the words of Due to a cold, try DURHAM'S the songs. And it was no casual ANATHESIA-MOP and see how pleas-ent and effective a mop can be. Gen-erous bottle with applicators only 60c performance. The boys and girls put all they had into it, and made it look very natural. at your Druggist. While contrasting the school of

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boy as he looked at the girl and the boy who would draw attention by doing tricks while the teacher was not looking. Boys will be boys and girls will

change:

be girls in any age. The whole performance was not only ear appealing it was also eye

appealing. The teachers who trained the children as well as the performers are to be heartily congratulated on a job well done. The teachers are Mrs. Norman Winter, Mrs. Vincent Barnett, Mrs. Paul Orsburn and Coach Don Estes. . . .

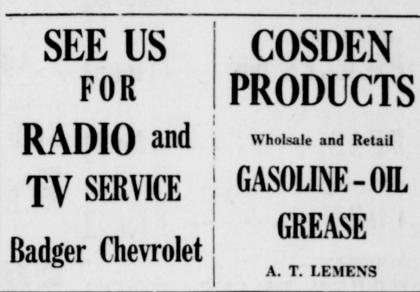
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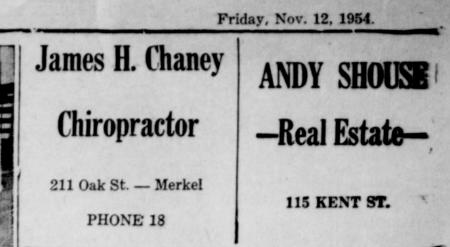
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