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Merkel Chamber of Commerce Membership Month

## JUNE 1955

Rules for membership contest:
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memberships only at the accepted rate of $\$ 1.00$ per month per member in accordance with the III. Charter of the Merkel Chamber of Commerce. One point (1) shall be given for each new
membership signed prior to June 1, 1955 shall membership signed prior to June 1,1955 shall
be eligible for points in the membership contest. Only local women's clubs, with in the city of
Merkel, are considered as eligible for this conMerkel, are considered as eligible for this con-
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v. The Merkel Chamber of Commerce Personal Membership Contest shall end midnight June
30, 1955. After a reasonable period of time 30, 1955. After a reasonable period of time for
tally of memberships, a cash award of fifty ( $\$ 50.00$ will be presented to the president of
the club having obtained the most member
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dividual. For instance, does the sermon theme that will be delivered June 5
"A Man Who Went to Pieces" go with (a) Moses or with some other name. What-
ever name you think is correct place it in the empty space before the sermon
theme. If the name is Moses is correct then the sermon theme will read "Moses,
The Man Who Went to Pieces."
Return these to the pastor by Saturday, June 4.
June 5- "A Man Who Went To Pieces"
June 12-"A Man Who Didn't Know Where He Was Going"

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## Horton-Toliver Wedding Rites Held Sunday

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