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THE MERKEL MAIL

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If you can't kill a rattler one way or another, Tony Swinney has a new way. Last Sunday Tony met a mad rattler on the Swinney ranch, and he couldn't find any rocks to throw. He picked up a stick, lashed it across the back and knocked off the snake's seven and knocked off the snake's seven rattlers. The angry snake flashed its head around, bit itself and died seconds later.

having a good time visiting back cards we at the Mail have received. We miss them at church, beeast, judging from the notes and cause you know there are not many of us at the one we attend. The Murrays are keeping up with their friends through the Mail which follows them wherever they go. They were in Alexander, Va. June 1, and were heading for Portsmouth, Va. for 10 days.

Lee Cox is not one of the three professional florists in Merkel, but the bouquet he grew and brought down to the drug store the other day was something that looked like no amateur grew. But Mr. and Mrs. Cox have prided themselves in their gladiolas and dahlias, until their flower garden is a show spot. When Mrs. Newt wife of the druggist, entered the Sadler Clinic-Hospital for an operation, the Cox's sent the nice bouquet on over to her. Where we came from the blooms of tumbleweeds even looked good sometimes.

Talk about freakish weather, they had it on the C. K. Russell ranch north of Merkel Monday afternoon, Sunshine, wind, rain, hail, a flood and sunshine-all in sabout 20 or 30 minutes. Mrs. Russell says she's never seen anything like it in the many years she's been out there. There was hail on the ground an hour after it fell.

You can't get along without neighbors - and friends. No sooner had the big moving van pulled up into our yard Saturday to unload when Jack Smith our south neighbor came over and offered us his helping hand-and then insisted (boy, and how!) on Bob and me going over for chow-Mrs. Smith's cooking was tops. It wasn't too long after that when Billie and Watie came rolling in from New Mexico that Mrs. Ken Purser, our north neighbor, held an angel food cake in front of our noses,, and man, how that did land in our system! Well, neighbors, I'll just tell you, all them boxes in our yard are just full of waste paper ,and all we offered in return is a

25c

good appetite. One of our good subscribers in Beaumont has sent us good tidings through the mail-not the Merkel Mail, but we appreciate the comments forwarded, even if they did miss the paper last week. Lor-Sine Boyce recalled that her great grandfather put up a hotel near the Presbyterian church when Merkel was first started.

You will note, too, that this week we have added another correspondent to our list, and Mrs. Norman Sloan has started sending in the Hodge News. We always are glad to have contributions to the news columns, but we appreciate getting them early in the week as we print the paper Wednesday night, and we have to have some time before that to set the stories in type.

Honor Roll

People who have subscribed to the Merkel Mail during the past week include:

Bryan Dunagin, 821 Ash. J. B. Young, Rt. 3. Bill Teaff, Rt. 3. Carl Carey, Rt. 4, Lubbock Mrs. Jim Boaz, Route 2. Mrs. W L. Johnson, 2416 Prosect, Fort Worth. John Stout, Route 1, Monler,

Earl Lassiter, 1211 S. 3. B. M. Tipton, Box 173. Harold Heussner, 2018 Sales,

A. R. Washburn, Decatur, Texas. R. D. Vessels, 621 Birdsall, Hous-

Mrs. Norman Sloan, Rt. 3. T. J. Neill, Rt. 4. W. C. Newton, Rt. 2.

E. R. Foster, Rt. 3. J. L. Hester, 818 Rose. Troy Sloan, Rt. 2.

The right kind of experience ays worth the cost.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Murray are Wind, Hail

A 35-minute deluge Monday afternoon sent gutters running brim full, rows in the fields flooding, and water flowing over a large section of the Merkel area, with one area north of town completely covered with snowy white

A terrific dust storm of the New Mexico variety blew into Merkel at 3:55 p.m. Wednesday. Visibility at times was only a block. Most of the dirt, however, was surface dust.

Storm warnings went up soon after the dust storm. It was to ex pire at midnight. Heavy rains started falling in Merkel and about 1.65 inches had fallen during the evening.

Harry Woodrum, local weatherman, reported that his gauge clocked 1.10 inches of moisture in a 35-minute period, and it was accompanied by winds and heavy

This brought to 10.15 inches of rainfall received in this area during the past 35 days, but the amounts will vary up to 12 inches in some parts near Trent. Other areas southeast of here have not had that

Rainfall in June totals 2.40

The good the rain might have 22 heavy damage to the cotton which to the crops, and several farmers | June 15 for Quebec, Canada. reported they would have to replant their cotton.

The freakish weather of the past month is continuing over the area. Only last Saturday the Mt. Pleasant area received 1:50 inch- Paris, Rome, the Holy Land, Bei- lene; Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Toombs, es of rainfall. Last Wednesday rut, Lebanon, Damascus, Syria, Abilene; Miss Louise Toombs, night the area north of Merkel received more than an inch of moisture. At that time Merkel received only a shower.

The heavy clouds which rolled in from the north Monday brought a cool front which dropped hailstonesstones about the size of moth balls over a wide area. It reached Tye to the east.

At the C. K. Russell ranch, one mile north of Merkel, a 25-minute deluge of rain and hail stripped trees, flooded the row crops, filled the terraces and left the ground covered with the white-like hail for more than an hour afterward, even though the sun came out brightly soon after the rain and hail fell.

Mrs. Russell, who has lived here since 1890, said she had never seen anything like the hail

Her neighbor to the north, Mrs. Roy Largent, called her on the phone and asked what was happening. Mrs. Largent said she could see the white stones falling, but couldn't tell exactly what they were from that point. The Largent ranch received only light hail compared to that which fell on the Russell land.

The rows on Dave Tarpley's farm to the east were completely filled with water in the deluge which left 1.30 inches of rain.

Farmers in the area were fearful that the hard-beating rain might have patted the ground down so tighty that it would be necessary so replant.

Several farmers in the shower area had been busy planting cotton, and others already had planted sudan. In the area, the past several days has been planting time, and farm observers are peased with the prospects at the present time.

However, much more rain will be necessary to make a good fall ring Parker and Buddy Ebsen.

DOLLAR DAY JUNE 21 Dollar Day in Merkel will be from his young manhood in the the Wild Frontier" was filmed in Tuesday, June 21, and the Dollar backwoods of Tennessee, where actual setting throughout Tennes-Days ads will be published in the he fought Indians under the com- see and the Great Smoky Moun-Merkel Mail next week. Copy mand of General Andrew Jackson, tains. It is released by Buena Visshould be ready not later than through his political career as a ta Film Distribution Company,



G. S. WESTBROOK **Evangelist**



BURL McCOY Song Leader

MEETING AT CHURCH OF CHRIST - G. S. Westbrook, noted evangelist, will deliver the sermons at the Church of Christ meetings June 12 to 22 in Merkel. Burl McCoy will lead the singing. Services will be at 7 a.m. and 8 p.m. daily.

Mrs. Collins **Leaves For Holy Land Tour**

Mrs. Twyman Collins left Thurs-Baptist World Alliance Golden out of the 11 children present.

Noodle there was heavy damage go to Dallas where they will leave Texas, Mrs. Doyle Pogue and pot, it was learned today.

European port they will hit.

Jerico, Jordon, and Jerusalem. Houston. They will spend five days there.

lins is a delegate to the Baptist and Mrs. W. B. Toombs, and sons, World Alliance Golden Jubilee Merkel; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Session.

August 8, and Mrs. Collins expects kel; Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Anderson, to be back in Merkel about August Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Lavan

Teen Agers Get **Break at Shows**

Theaters, Robert Hodge announced today

Beginning Friday, June 10, high school kids between 12 and 17 will be admitted for 35c, a reduction under the regular price.

"This is our summer vacation present to the kids, and will give them a chance to see more good movies," Hodge said.

But he's oh film and he will be

June 14, 15 and 16, according to

bert Hodge of the Queen and Pio-

Fess Parker, who plays the lead-

"Davy Crockett, King of the

Wild Frontier" reaches the thea-

ter screen as a full length, live-

action adventure epic in color by-

Technicolor and wide screen, pro-

duced by Walt Disney and star-

Directed by Norman Foster, the

canebrake legislator and U. S. con- Inc.

historical drama depicts the leg-

ing role, is from Abilene.

neer theaters.

Davy Crockett Film Comes

To Pioneer Drive-In Theater

at the Pioneer Drive-In theater other heroic volunteers.

Davey Crockett is coming to gressman, to his final days at the

an announcement today by Ro- Wild Frontier" introduces a new

Stanley.

endary life story of Davy Crockett Foster, "Davy Crockett, King of

Toombs Family Reunions At Abilene Park

The family of the late Mr. and day for Denton, Texas, the first Mrs. T. J. Toombs met in Kirby leg of a trip to Europe and the Park, Abilene, for their annual Holy Land, and to attend the picnic and reunion, with eight Major in DSA Jubilee Session in London July 16. Those attending were H. H. A former Merkel man. William Over 100 people were served

Patsy, Snyder; Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Major Fitzgerald formerly liv-Ruby Daniels, Abilene; Mr. and From there they will go to Mrs. Earl Lawless and family, Abi- of the ammunition division.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Toombs. In July, they will leave Tel Merkel; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Denni-Aviv for London where Mrs. Col- son and daughter, Houston; Mr. Toombs, and daughter, Abilene; They will return to Quebec Mrs. Samie Doan and family, Mer-Young and family, Abilene: Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Gee and family, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Toombs Sr., Merkel; Mrs. Leon Toombs Jr., Colorado City, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Toombs and son, Abilene.

The only ones who could not attend were Mrs. Eron Walton, Teen agers get a break at the Abilene; Joe B. Toombs, Merkel Queen and Pioneer Drive-In and Mrs. Jewell Hoskins, Dallas.

> FLYING SAUCERS! Several persons reported seeing flying saucers over Merkel and vicinity late Wednesday night.

Herman Carson, local grocerman, said several people had told him about them in the store.

Alamo, where he met a patriot's

"Davy Crockett, King of the

star in the person of Fess Parker.

who holds the portrayal of three

"Disneyland" prductions, from

which the motion picture is adapt-

Co-star Buddy Ebsen, as Crock

ett's lifelong friend George Russel.

heads a peerless cast that includes

Basil Ruysdael, Hans Conried.

Kenneth Tobely, William Bake-

well, Mike Mazurki and Helene

Under the direction of Norman

fate with Colonel Jim Bowie and

McMurry College, has been elected basketball and baseball coach for the Merkel High School. Supt. Mack Fisher announced today. Loyd, who for the past six years has been head basketball coach at Clarendon College, replaces Tommy Ellis, who recently was named head cage mentor at McMurry.

Don Loyd Is

New Badger

Cage Coach

While attending McMurry, Loyd earned All-Texas Conference basketball honors for four years. In addition, he lettered in baseball and played on the Indian team for three years. He also was a member of the Indian golf team.

Don Loyd, a 1949 graduate of

Loyd, who is 26 years of age, will take over his duties during the latter part of August and serve as an assistant to Carroll Denson, head coach, and assist in football training. He and his family, Mrs. Loyd and small son, will move to Merkel during the sum-

Fitzgerald Is Promoted to

Toombs, Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. E. Fitzgerald, has been promot-dinner at the Wheeler reunion at done was offset in many areas by At Denton, Mrs. Collins will be Bud Toombs and family, Merkel: ed to the rank of major at the the Community center. Sunday, joined by her sister, Mrs. Floy Mrs. Pauline Epps, Abilene: Mr. Delaware Storage Activity, formhad already been planted. East of Massey, and together they will and Mrs. Cullen Toombs, Flovanna, erly the Delaware Ordnance De-

Toombs and family, Amarillo; ed in Merkel and is a veteran of At Quebec, they will go aboard Mrs. Myrtle Boden, Abilene; Mrs. World War II and the Korean the S. S. Arosa Star for LaHarve, Sally Angus, Abilene; Mr. and war Major Fitzgerald has been France, which will be the first Mrs. Ester Curtes, Lubbock; Mrs. stationed at the Perkintown installation for two years, as chief

Having seen service in the Infantry and Air Corps in addition to the Ordnance brand, Major Fitzgerald makes his home with his wife and one child on the post.

Mrs. Fitzgerald is the former Louise Addison of Blaid. She is Louise Addison of Blair. She is

Merkel Firemen **Attend Meeting**

tend the 79th annual convention Mrs. Bruce Wheeler, Tulia; Mr. of the State Firemen's and Fire Marshals' Association of Texas in Dallas at the Baker hotel June 14, Tulia; Mr. and Mrs. Travis Wheel-15, and 16.

Governor Shivers has designathigh civic duty performed by the thousands of firemen in Texas.

Those planning on attending the convention are Fire Chief and Mrs. Waymon Adcock, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Webber, and F. C. McCue all of the Merkel department, and Jim McAninch, who wall be a visitor.

Hospital Notes Those admitted to the Sadler

Hospital-Clinic during the past week are:

Sam McLure, Medical L. L. Frazier, Medical Mrs. B. F. Hughes, Medical Mr. T. R. Winn, Medical Foz Steadman, Medical Mrs. Wade Ensminger, Medical George Cooper, Medical Mrs. Marvin J. Mayfield, Medical Gertie L. Davis, Medisal Mrs. J. B. Harris, Medical Catherine Irwin, Medical L. W. Lewis, Medical Mrs. August Waters, Medical John Mansfield, Medical Mrs. W. H. Dunlap, Surgery Mrs. Newt Logan, Surgery Mary Alice McCallick, Surgery Jerry Gardner, Surgery

Mrs. Don Mashburn, Baby Girl

Mrs. Harlan Jones, Baby Boy

Singing Sunday

The second Sunday Pioneer Memorial church singing will be ld at 2 p.m. Sunday, June 12.



DEMO CHAIRMAN COM-ING - Paul M. Butler, Democratic National Chairman, will be the honored guest at a luncheon at the Settles Hotel in Big Spring at noon June 15, and those interested may obtain tickets for the affair for \$5 each. Frank Hardesty and W. D. Boyd, Big Spring, are chairmen. Butler also will visit several other Texas points, and party workers from Merkel, Abilene and others points will attend.

Wheelers From Everywhere At Family Reunion

The reunion started Saturday afternoon and lasted through Sunday. Old time music was furnished by the Jess Anderson family, and Aron Horton and Jack Col-

Attending were relatives from Tulia, Lubbock, Meadows, Amarillo, Austin, San Antonio, Stamford, Anson, Ballinger, Bovina, and Merkel. Friends from the surrounding territory visited in the afternoon.

Out of state relatives attending were Mr. and Mrs. Sewell D. Mullinaux and daughter, Mrs. Raymond Fisher, of Miami, Fla., Mrs. LeRoy F. Bennett, Birmingham, Ala., Mrs. E. H. Grayson, Monument, New Mexico, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Grayson, Hobbs, New Mex-

From Texas were Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Turner, Ballinger; Mrs. Several Merkel firemen will at- Jim Collins, Ballinger: Mr. and and Mrs. M. C. Wheeler, Tulia; Mr. and Mrs. Jack E. Wheeler and son, er, Bovina; Mr. and Mrs L. C. Riley, Tulia; R. O. Wheeler, Tulia; ed the week of June 12-18 as Fire- Mr. and Mrs. Nell Vandergriff, men's Week, in recognition of the Lubbock; Mrs. Lauyse Prensky, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Al Durbin, Meadows; Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Seago, Midland; Mrs. Eddie Disney, San Antonio; Mr. and Mrs.

Casey Howard, Stanton; Children of Ben Wheeler who and from S.M.U. in 1945. were present were Mrs. Ruby Ward, Stamford; Mrs. Arthur Rog. Ovalo, Vera, Big Spring, Chilliers, Merkel; Andrew Wheeler, Merkel and Paul Wheeler, Abi-

The reunion has grown so much during the past few years that it was necessary to establish a set of officers. When it was first started only a few attended, but each year it gets larger and larger. Officers are Paul Wheeler, president, and E. B. Wallace, secretary. The directors are Bruce Wheeler, Travis Wheeler, M. C.

CEMETERY FUND Below are those who recently

Wheeler, Andrew Wheeler and Ed-

ward Wheeler.

donated to the Cemetery Mainten ance Fund. Anyone wishing to contribute to this fund may leave contributions at the Farmers and wa, just south of Abilene for a Merchants National Bank. The

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Reid, Merkel

Alice Howell. Trent J. D. Sheppard Dallas Mrs. W. Y. Steen, Trent ...

Luna Johnston, Santo, Pauline Johnson, Merkel,

Barbecue And Entertainment Are On Program

Thursday, June 30, is the date set for the Merkel Water Festi-

Plans are moving forward tosell tickets for the big barbecue dinner that night for \$1.25 each and more than 4,000 people are expected to be in Merkel for the big celebration, according to Onis Crawford, manager of the cham-

ber of commerce. "The citizens of Merkel are planning what we think will bea grand show and a day of fellowship for all the people of this

territory," he said.

The ticket committee will have tickets available this week end, and everyone is urged to get behind this event by buying some of the tickets. Everyone can attend the barbecue.

Entries are needed in the an teur contest, and further information can be obtained from any of the committee members. They are Lester Dorton, Horace Boney, J. H. Hammond, Bob McDonald, and James Chaney, the amateur rules committee.

Contestants must be sponsored by an organization or busin There is no age limit, but contestants must be 100% amateur.

Application blanks are available at the chamber of commerce office. Prizes will be \$25 for first,

\$15 for second, \$10 for third and 10 prizes of \$5 each. There will be a queen contest and coronation. Each banquet ticket also is good for

a vote for the queen.

The beauty contest will be at the Queen theater at 2 p.m., and the coronation of the queen will be at the football field, starting at 5 p.m., time of the barbecue The queen will receive a \$100 scholarship to the school of her choice. The contestant must be

between 16 and 20, and single. The beauty contest committee is composed of Margaret Hunter. Betty June Tittle, Mrs. W. T. Sad ler, and Mrs. Ernest Joyce.

Arrives to Take Over Pastorate

Rev. Cloy Lyles has arrived to take over the pastorate of the First. Methodist church in Merkel.

Reverend and Mrs. Lyles and two daughters, Carol Ann, 9, and Teresa Jean, 4, already have established their home here. He comes to Merkel from the Bunavista Methodisa church in Borger. Reverend Lyles is in his 12th

year as a minister. He graduated from McMurry college in 1940 He has served churches in

cothe and Borger. He is a native of Floydada. Mrs. Lyles is from Caps com

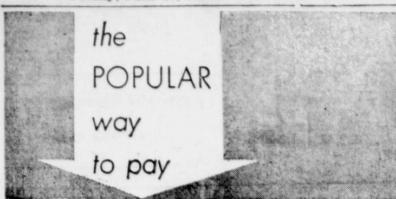
munity near Abilene, and she attended McMurry college Reverend Lyles will conduct services twice each Sunday at 10:55 a.m. and 8 p.m.

"We urge all Methodists in the community to come to our church, and offer an invitation to those who do not have a church home to worship with us," he said.

Boy Scouts Attend Camp At Tonkawa

The Boy Scouts of Troop 20, Merkel have gone to Camp Tonkaweek. The boys were accompanied to the camp by the scout leaders Bob Hodges, Norman Winters, and Dr. Cox.

James Simpson, Eddie Higgans and John Thomas are the Scouts \$10 attending. They will spend a lot Mrs. W. A. Steele, Sweetwater, of time learning swimming, life saving and archery. The Merkel Scouts joined the troop from Abi-\$5 lene while they are at the camp.



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MERKEL, TEXAS

Mr. and Mrs. Wright Dishman Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Wood of are taking a vacation this week Chino, California, visited Tuesday and next, and are at Brownwood and Wednesday with their daughlake doing a little fishing. They ter and family Mr. and Mrs. T. had plans to visit New Mexico also. G. Hull.



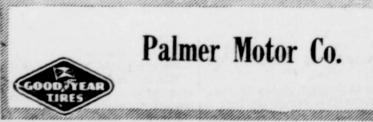
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Speaker Says **Cotton Acreage Quotas Unfair**

Compulsory reduction of cotton production through acreage cur tailment is unsatisfactory to the American cotton farmer and to his fellow citizens as well. Not only does the curtailment force cotton farms to operate far below an efficient rate of production, it also keeps cotton prices high for 165 million consumers. Mill people object because they find themselves squeezed between high cotton prices and consumer resistance; and ultimately, taxpayers must foot the bill for a costly government support program for cotton and other crops.

These statements were presented to the 16th annual meeting of the American Cotton Congress in Harlingen, Texas by Lamar Fleming, Jr., chairman of the board of Anderson, Clayton & Co., world's largest cotton merchants. The Congress, headed by Burris Jackson of Hillsboro, Texas, held a threeday meeting to discuss cotton's problems and to hear the latest information on cotton research.

"I suggest that we could save more dollars by producing cotton cheaper than by selling it higher,' Mr. Fleming said. "Cheaper production means greater income for the cotton grower and is adventageous for the national consumer and the taxpayer. Also, it is the best way to check and, if possible, reverse the losses of offtake to rayon, jute, paper, and foreign-grown

The allotment scheme, he continued, was a device to hold prices up by cutting production. "It prevents a man from converting his productive efforts from a fifthof-a-bale-to-the-acre farm to a two bale-to-the-acre farm, thus condemning him to high-cost production By putting the emphasis on price, we have sacrificed the possibility of higher-yield and lower cost of production."

It may not be possible politically to wipe out the acreage allotment and marketing quota scheme overnight, he said. As a practical matter, removal of restriction may have to be gradual, synchronized with a reduction in our present cotton surplus. "But the intelligent people of the cotton states cannot afford to see their cotton production indefinitely to producion costs that are higher than they need be and to inefficient rates of operation. Nor can they ee business lost to other materials and to foreign cottons, when they themselves could be enjoying the

Foundation Grant To Help Research

A \$34,500 National Science Foundation grant will allow University of Texas scientists to gather genetics research specimens in the Caribbean area and other parts of Latin America.

The three-year award will fi nance collection of tiny banana flies called Drosophilae which of fer simplified clues to inheritance and evolutionary characteristics in all living organisms. The insects reproduce prolifically and have a short life span, lending themselves to studies that, if performed with human beings, would take many generations and millions of dollars.

University geneticists receiving the grant are: Drs. Wilson S. Stone and Marshall R. Wheeler.

Estate Provides Research Funds

Eleven researchers will receive a total of \$34,200 in 1955-56 Rosalie Hite fellowships for cancer investigations at University of Texas units.

The award winners include scientists from Germany, Japan, Mexico and India as well as this country. The estate of the late Miss Rosalie Hite of Houston provides funds for the fellowships.





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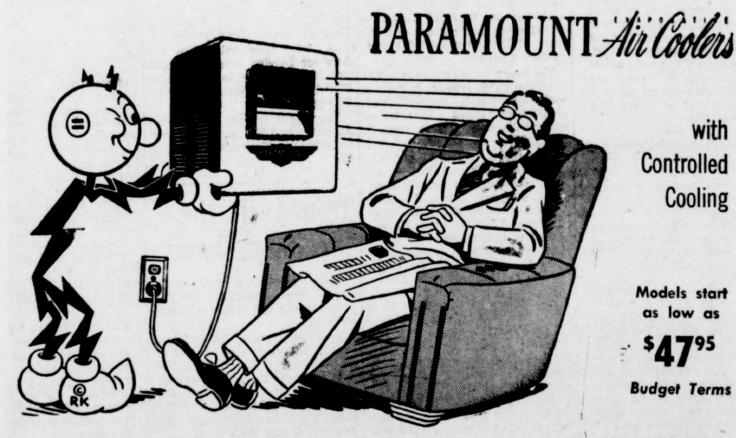
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MRS. ROBERSON HOLDS

MARTHA CLASS MEETING Baptist Church met in the home B. Roberson, Mrs. J. H. Winsley, of Mrs. Houston Roberson, Mrs. and one visitor, Mrs. Alta Ingram. Teaff opened it with a prayer. Mrs. Clyde Bartlett gave the devotional, which everyone enjoyed very much. Each member was to give a cup towel to the church.

The next meeting will be the 6th of July in the home of Mrs. Myrtle Walker. Refreshment of ice cream and coke was served to singing "Happy Birthday." Myrtle D. Walker, Mrs. E. R. Clack, Mrs. Houston Roberson, cake was presented, and the group Mrs. A. D. Fulton, Mrs. T. J.

H. W. Hester, Mrs. Alma Collins, several gifts. Mrs. M. T. Head, Mrs. T. C. Sater-The Martha Class of the First, white, Mrs. Ernest Teaff. Mrs. H.

> MRS. JOE SWINNEY GETS BIRTHDAY SURPRISE

Mrs. Joe Swinney was greatly surprised Monday evening when the Tom Russom family came in and joined the Swinney family in

13 members. Those present were where they cooked hamburgers They went to the Tracy tank and potatoes. A pretty birthday Byrd, Mrs. Auston Roberson, Mrs. Mrs. Swinney was presented with

Those who enjoyed the outing curls were Mary, Tom and Donnie Rus-Gladys, Herbert, Tony, Joseph and Nancy Swinney.

"I hope we all stay well and Roy Mashburn and Mrs. John happy," Mrs. Swinney gasped as Brown. she blew out the candles.

IRL WALKER VISITS ENROUTE TO TEXAS U.

Mr. and Mrs. Irl Walker and son, Mike, of Mason, visited relatives here on a return trip from Mexico City, El Paso and Pecos. In El Paso they visited Gaston Walker, formerly of Merkel.

Walker will enter the University of Texas at Austin this week where he will study his Ph D.

HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB MEETS THURSDAY

Mrs. Elliott's brother, B. I. Shel-The Stith Home Demonstration club met Thursday afternoon in ton and Mrs. Shelton, of Cisco, the home of Mrs. Marvin L. Wal- Texas, the Shelton's daughter, ters to hear a talk on beauty Mrs. John Dunn, Mrs. Dunn's makeup by a Mrs. Phillips of Abi- daughter, Mrs. Dewey Sage, and

She went into complete details Lubbock. on how to apply makeup and uses of cosmetics.

The ladies of the club gave each other manicures, trimmed hair,

her small son, Steve, 8, all of MR. AND MRS. SIMPSON

ed for a brief visit.

TWO SETS OF FOUR

GENERATIONS VISIT

day entertaining two sets of rela-

tives, each with four generations.

Her aunt, Mrs. Mary Nelson,

and Mrs. Nelson's daughter, Mrs.

Ona McCleary, Mrs. McCleary's

her little daughter, Judy Wilson,

4, all of Fayetteville, Ark., arriv-

The other relatives include

VISIT SOUTH TEXAS Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Simpson and son James returned last week from a short vacation spent in College Station, Houston and Galveston. In College Station they attended commencement exercises at A. and M. where their son Robert received a degree in chemical Engineering. In Houston they visited their oldest son Frank Jr. and family.

Allen D. King Jr., Texas Tech Junior student is home with his family Mr. and Mrs. Allen D. King, Ida May, Buddy and Sue for at least a six weeks vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Sarver and son, James, of Houston, visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. John Oliver.

Mr. and Mrs. Cadmus Brown of

dyed eyebrows and pinned up Jayton were at University of Texas last week for a short course. The club had many laughs and Their children visited their grandfun. There were 13 members and parents, Mr. and Mrs. Irl Walker 8 children, and two visitors, Mrs. of Merkel.

Mr. and Mrs. Tye Sublett have returned from Centralia, Ill., where they visited their son Mr. and Mrs. Jim Sublett and family. Mrs. W. M. Elliott spent Satur-

Misses Joy and Ann Reed of Texico, New Mexico are visiting It was unusual that each of the their grandmother, Mrs. O. W. families had four generations with Reed and other relatives for two

Colonel Wallace was home from Austin for the weekend to visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. daughter, Mrs. Bonnie Wilson, and Wallace and to attend the Wheeler family reunion. Ben Wheeler, eldest of all Wheelers, is his great grandfather.

> Allen D King Jr. and Buddy King joined a group of Texas Tech boys at Stamford Lake last week end for an outing.

Carol Ann Corder accompanied Mr. Joe Winters of Grand Prairie, to Washington D. C. They are going on their way to see Mr. Winters son Willie Joe who is in the

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Bell of Dallas visited his brother, M. B. Bell and Mrs. Bell over the week

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Fox visited friends in Lubbock over the week

C. S. Higgins visited his family in San Antonio this past weekend. Jimmy accompanied him home for a month's visit. Mrs. Higgins and grandson, Sidney Gershon, are visiting Dr. and Mrs. Robert O. Bennett in Colombus, Ohio, for three weeks.

J. M. Harris and son, Jimmy Lynn, of Amarillo, spent the weekend with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lige Harris.

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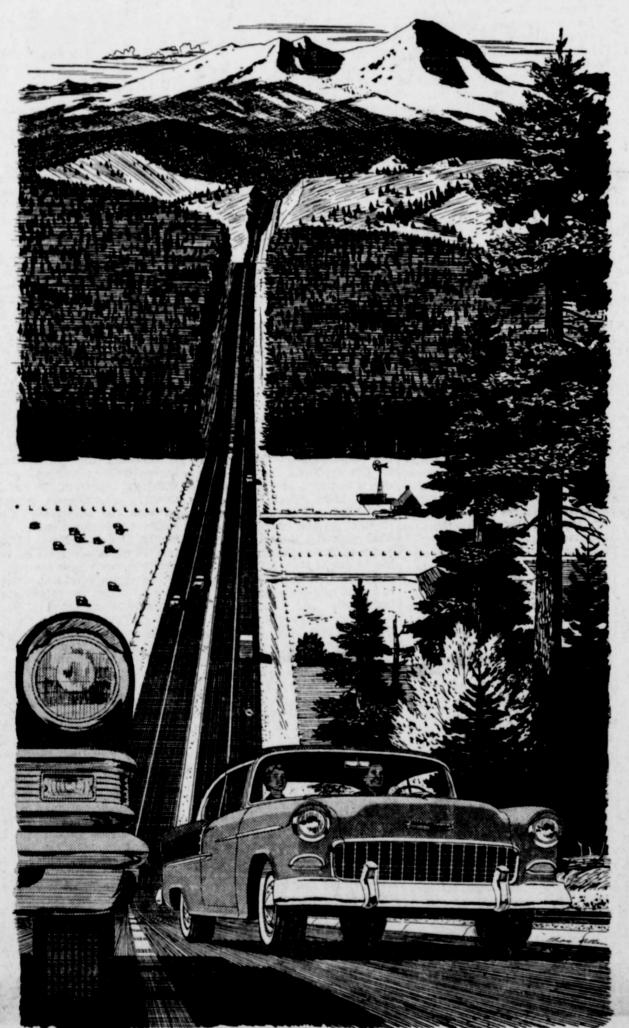
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IN THE COUNTY COURT OF TAYLOR COUNTY, TEXAS, TERM, A.D. 1955.

STATE OF TEXAS VS. Estate of J. R. Hester & Zilphia Hester,

reference to which is here made, be served upon Estate of J. R. said Plaintiff's original petition Hester & Zilphia Hester, Dec'd filed with the County Judge of (and each of them respectively,) Taylor County, Texas. and service thereof shall be notice to said Defendants and each of them, to appear at said time and place at Ten o'Clock, A.M., at the Court House for the purpose of offering any evidence they may desire as to the amount of damages to be assessed against the State of Texas, and to be paid to the said Estate of J. R. Hester & Zilphia Hester, Dec'd (and each of them respectively) for the right-of-way and strip of land described in said Plaintiff's original petition filed with the County Judge of Taylor County, Texas. WITNESS OUR HANDS this the

3 day of June, A.D. 1955. ELMO S. JONES JOE SEYMORE H. H. TEAFF Special Commissioners

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

You are hereby commanded to ing: cause to be published once each YOU ARE HEREBY COM- devisees and all unknown heirs of return day thereof, in a newspa- Courthouse thereof, in Abilene, of this suit is as follows to-wit: Suit for condemnation of land beper printed in Taylor County, Texas, by personal appearance at Suit for condemnation of land ing is a true copy

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Hester, deceased, their heirs and 1955, in this cause, and styled The and as is more fully shown by legal reprsentatives and all un- State of Texas vs. W. H. Hale Plaintiff's Petition on file in this known heirs of J. R. Hester and Estate. Zilphia Hester, deceased, Defendants, Greeting:

Texas, by personal appearance at forty-two days from the date of Plaintiff's Petition on file in this the issuance of this citation, to suit. Plaintiff's Petition filed in said If this citation is not served ed The State of Texas, Plaintiff, vs. J. R. Hester and Zilphia Hester, deceased, their heirs and legal representatives and all unknown cording to requirements of law heirs of J. R. Hester and Zilphia Hester, deceased, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Suit for condemnation of land belonging to the estate of J. R. at Abilene, Texas, this the 7th Hester and Zilphia Hester, in Precinct No. 2, Taylor County, Texas, to be used for road and highway purposes of U. S. Highway No. 80, as more fully shown by pe-Tition on file herein, and as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's 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.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law. and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Abilene, Texas, this the 7th day of June A.D. 1955.

Attest: Mrs. Chester Hutcheson Clerk, Special Commissioners Court, Taylor County, Texas. (SEAL)

(Published in the Merkel Mail June 10, 17, 24 and July 1, 1955) NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE F HEARING AND SHERIFF'S

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF TAYLOR COUNTY, TEXAS TERM, A.D. 1955.

STATE OF TEXAS VS. W.

to assess damages of W. H. Hale Estate by reason of the construction, reconstruction and opening of Highway No. U. S. 80, upon, across, and through certain real estate described in Plaintiff's petition, reference to which is here made, to which On this the 3 day of June A.D. real estate the fee simple title 1955, Elmo Jones, Joe Seymore, is in the said W. H. Hale Estate and H. H. Teaff, Special Commis- as is more fully set out in said sioners, appointed by the Court petition of the State of Texas, to assess damages of Estate of J. acting by and through the Com-R. Hester and Zilphia Hester Dec'd missioners' Court of Taylor Counby reason of the construction, re- ty, Texas, vs. W. H. Hale Estate construction, and opening of filed with the Honorable County Highway No U. S. 80, upon, across, Judge of Taylor County, Texas, on and through certain real estate the 31st day of May, A.D. 1955, described in Plaintiff's petition, said Commissioners having been sworn to assess said damages fairto which real estate the fee sim- ly and impartially, and in accordpie title is in the said Estate of ance with law, to hereby appoint R. Hester & Zilphia Hester, as the time and place for hearing Dec'd as is more fully set out in said parties on the matter, the said petition of the State of Tex- Office of the County Judge of as, acting by and through the Taylor County, Texas, at Abilene, Commissioners' Court of Taylor Texas, in said County on the 5 County, Texas, vs. Estate of J. R. day of August, A.D. 1955; a copy Hester & Zilphia Hester, Dec'd of this order shall be served W. filed with the Honorable County H. Hale Estate (and each of them Judge of Taylor County, Texas, respectively,) and service thereon the 31 day of May, A.D. 1955, of shall be notice to said Defendsaid Commissioners having been ants and each of them, to appear sworn to assess said damages fair- at said time and place at Ten ly and impartially, and in ac- o'Clock, A.M., at the Court House cordance with law, do hereby ap- for the purpose of offering any point as the time and place for evidence they may desire as to THE STATE OF TEXAS hearing said parties on the mat- the amount of damages to be aster, the Office of the County sessed against the State of Tex-Judge of Taylor County, Texas, as, and to be paid to the said W. at Abilene, Texas, in said County H. Hale Estate (and each of them on the 5 day of August, A.D. respectively) for the right-of-way 1955; a copy of this order shall and strip of land described in

> WITNESS OUR HANDS this the 3 day of June, A.D. 1955. ELMO S. JONES JOE SEYMORE H. H. TEAFF

Special Commissioners THE STATE OF TEXAS To any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, MANDED to appear befor the the first publication to be at least twenty-eight days before the Court of Taylor County at the return day thereof, in a newspaper printed in Taylor County, Texas, the accompanying citation. of which the herein below following is a true copy CITATION BY PUBLICATION

heirs and legal representatives 1955, in this cause, and styled The vs. H. H. Griffith, and if deand all unknown heirs of W. H. State of Texas, Plaintiff, vs. Rose Hale, deceased, Defendants ,Greet- Edwards, deceased, her heirs and heirs, assignees, devisees, and

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week for four consecutive weeks, MANDED to appear before the Rose Edwards, Defendants deceas Defendants the first publication to be at Honorable Special Commissioners' least twenty-eight days before the Court of Taylor County at the Texas, the accompanying citation, or before 10 o'clock A.M. August belonging to the estate of Rose of which the herein below follow- 5th, 1955 after the expiration of Edwards, in Precinct No. 2, Tay-TO: J. R. Hester and Zilphia court, on the 31st day of May A.D. shown by petition on file herein,

A brief statement of the nature YOU ARE HEREBY COM- Suit for condemnation of land be of its issuance, it shall be return-MANDED to appear before the longing to the estate of W. H. Honorable Special Commissioners' Hale in Precinct No. 2, Taylor Court of Taylor County at the County, Texas, to be used for Courthouse thereof, in Abilene, road and highway purposes of U. S. Highway No. 80, as more fully and the mandates hereof, and or before 10 o'clock A.M. August shown by petition on file herein, make due return as the law 5. 1955, after the expiration of and as is more fully shown by directs.

court, on the 31st day of May within ninety days after the date A.D. 1955, in this cause and styl- of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

> The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same acand the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

> Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court day of June A.D. 1955. Attest: Mrs. Chester Hutcheson.

Clerk, Special Commissioners' Court, Taylor County, Texas. (SEAL) (Published in the Merkel Mail

June 10, 17, 24 and July 1, 1955) NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE OF HEARING AND SHERIFF'S NOTICE

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF TAYLOR COUNTY, TEXAS TERM, A.D. 1955.

STATE OF TEXAS VS. John Graves etal (Heirs of Rose Ed-

wards, deceased) On this the 3 day of June A.D. 1955, Elmo Jones, Joe Seymore, and H. H. Teaff, Special Commissioners, appointed by the Court to assess damages of John Graves, et al, by reason of the construction, reconstruction, and opening of Highway No. U. S. 80, upon, across, and through certain real estate described in Plaintiff's petition, reference to which is here made, to which real estate the fee simple title is in the said John County, Texas, vs. H. H. Griffith. Graves et al (Heirs of Rose Edwards, deceased) as is more fully heirs, assignees, devisees, and legset out in said petition of the al representatives of H. H. Grifthrough the Commissioners' Court | with Honorable County Judge of

of May, A.D. 1955, said Commis- law, do hereby appoint as the law, do hereby appoint as the County, Texas, at Abilene, Texas, of the County Judge of Taylor of August, A.D. 1955; a copy of them respectively,) and service purpose of offering any evidence Defendants and each of them, to damages to be assessed against appear at said time and place at the State of Texas, and to be paid Ten o'Clock, A.M., at the Court to said H. H. Griffith, if deceased House for the purpose of offering the heirs and unknown heirs, asany evidence they may desire as to signees, devisees, and legal reprethe amount of damages to be as- sentatives of H. H. Griffith, and sessed against the State of Tex- unknown owners (and each of as, and to be paid to the said them respectively) for the right-John Graves et al. (Heirs of Rose of-way and strip of land described them respectively) for the right-of- filed with the County Judge of way and strip of land described in Taylor County, Texas. said Plaintiff's original petition filed with the County Judge of 3 day of June, A.D. 1955. Taylor County, Texas.

WITNESS OUR HANDS this the 3 day of June, A.D. 1955. ELMO S. JONES JOE SEYMORE

Special Commissioners To any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas GREETING:

H. H. TEAFF

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

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TO. Rose Edwards, deceased, heirs and legal representatives, assignes, devisees and all unknown heirs of Rose Edwards, deceased. Defendants, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COM-Honorable Special Commissioners' Courthouse thereof, in Abilene, Texas, by personal appearance at or before 10 o'clock A.M. August 5, 1955 after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said TO: W. H. Hale, deceased, his court, on the 31st day of May A.D.

A brief statement of the nature forty-two days from the date of lor County, Texas, to be used for the issuance of this citation, to road and highway purposes of U. Plaintiff's Petition filed in said S. Highway No. 80, as more fully

If this citation is not served of this suit is as follows, to-wit: within ninety days after the date ed unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law,

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Abilene, Texas, this the 7th day of June A.D. 1955.

Attest: Mrs. Chester Hutcheson. Clerk, Special Commissioners' Court, Taylor County, Texas. (SEAL)

(Published in the Merkel Mail June 10, 17, 24 and July 1, 1955) NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE OF HEARING AND SHERIFF'S NOTICE

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF TAYLOR COUNTY, TEXAS TERM, A.D. 1955.

STATE OF TEXAS VS. H. H. Griffith, if deceased, the heirs and unknown heirs, assignees, devisees, and legal representatives of H. H. Griffith, and unknown owners

On this the 3 day of June A.D. 1955. Elmo Jones, Joe Seymore, and H. H. Teaff, Special Commissioners, appointed by the Court to assess damages of H. H. Griffith, et al, by reason of the construction, reconstruction, and opening of highway No. U. S. 80 upon, across, and through certain real estate described in Plaintiff's petition, reference to which is here made to which real estate the fee simple title is in the said H. H. Griffith, if deceased, the heirs and unknown heirs, assignees, devisees, and legal representatives of H. H. Griffith, and unknown owners as is more fully set out in said petition of the State of Texas, acting by and through the Commissioners' Court of Taylor if deceased, the heirs and unknown State of Texas, acting by and fith, and unknown owners filed

order shall be served upon H. H. shall be notice to said Defendant Edwards, deceased) (and each of A.M., at the Court House for the Texas, thereof shall be notice to said he may desire as to the amount of 3 day of June, A.D. 1955. Edwards, deceased) (and each of in said Plaintiff's original petition cause to be published once each

WITNESS OUR HANDS this the ELMO S. JONES

JOE SEYMORE H. H. TEAFF Special Commissione THE STATE OF TEXAS To any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas

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THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: H. H. Griffith, and if de seased, the heirs and unknown heirs, assignees, devisees, and court, on the 31st day of May, make due return as the law legal representatives of H. H Griffith, and unknown owners.

Defendants, Greeting YOU ARE HEREBY COM-MANDED to appear before the Honorable Special Commissioners' Court of Taylor County at the Courthouse thereof, in Abilene, Texas, by personal appearance at or before 10 o'clock A.M. August 1955 after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, to court, on the 31st day of May A.D. 1955, in this cause, and styled The State of Texas, Plaintiff, cesead, the heirs and unknown legal representatives, assignees, legal representatives of H. H.

> A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: longing to H. H. Griffith, and his cinct No. 2, Taylor County, Texas, to be used for road and highway purposes of U. S. Highway No. 80, as more fully shown by petition on file herein and as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served of its issuance, it shall be return. NOTICE ed unserved.

shall promptly serve the same ac. TERM, A.D. 1955. cording to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and Martin. make due return as the law directs.

at Abilene, Texas, this the 7th day of June A.D. 1955.

Attest: Mrs. Chester Hutcheson. Clerk, Special Commissioners Court, Taylor County, Texas. SEAL)

(Published in the Merkel Mail June 10, 17, 24 and July 1, 1955) NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE OF HEARING AND SHERIFF'S NOTICE IN THE COUNTY COURT OF

TAYLOR COUNTY, TEXAS TERM, A.D. 1955. STATE OF TEXAS VS. G. F

West, Dec'd. On this the 3 day of June A.D. 1955, Elmo Jones, Joe Seymore, and H. H. Teaff, Special Commissioners, appointed by the Court to assess damages of G. F. West by reason of the construction, reconstruction, and opening of Highway No. U. S. 80 upon, across, and through certain real estate described in Plaintiff's petition, reference to which is here made, to which real estate the fee simple title is in the said G. F. West, Dec'd as is more fully set out in petition of the State of Texas, acting by and through the Commissioners' Court of Taylor County, Texas, vs. G. F. West, County Judge of Taylor County, Texas, on the 31 day of May, A.D. 1955, said Commissioners having been sworn to assess said damages fairly and impartially. and in accordance with law, do hereby appoint as the time and place for hearing said parties on the matter, the Office of the County Judge of Taylor County, Texas, at Abilene, Texas, in said County on the 5th day of August, of Taylor County, Texas, vs. John Taylor County, Texas, on the 31 A.D. 1955; a copy of this order Graves et al (Heirs of Rose Ed-day of May, A.D. 1955, said Comshall be served upon G. F. West, wards, deceased) filed with the missioners having been sworn to Dec'd (and each of them respectively). A.D. 1955; a copy of this order shall be served upon G. F. West,

Honorable County Judge of Tay- assess said damages fairly and im- tively,) and service thereof shall lor County, Texas, on the 31 day, partially, and in accordance with the notice to said Defendants and each of them, to appear at said sioners having been sworn to as- time and place for hearing said time and place at Ten o'Clock, sess said damages fairly and im- parties on the matter, the Office A.M., at the Court House for the partially, and in accordance with of the County Judge of Taylor purpose of offering any evidence they may desire as to the amount time and place for hearing said in said County on the 5 day of of damages to be assessed against parties on the matter, the Office August, A.D. 1955; a copy of this the State of Texas, and to be paid to said G. F. West, Dec'd County, Texas, at Abilene, Tex- Griffith, et al, (and each of them | (and each of them respectively) as in said County on the 5th day respectively,) and service thereof for the right-of-way and strip of land described in said Plaintiff's this order shall be served upon and each of them, to appear at original petition filed with the John Graves et al (Heirs of Rose said time and place at Ten o'Clock, County Judge of Taylor County,

WITNESS OUR HANDS this the ELMO S. JONES JOE SEYMORE H. H. TEAFF

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THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: G. F. West, deceased, his heirs and legal representatives and all unknown heirs of G. F.

deceased. West, Greeting: MANDED to appear before the Honorable Special Commissioners' Petition on file in this suit. Court of Taylor County at the Courthouse thereof, in Abilene, or before 10 o'clock A.M. August ed unserved. 1955 after the expiration of the issuance of this citation, to A.D. 1955, in this cause, and styled The State of Texas, Plaintiff, vs. G. F. West Estate, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Suit for condemnation of land belonging to the estate of G. F. West in Precinct No. 2, Taylor County, Texas, to be used for road and highway purposes of U. S. Highway No. 80, as more fully shown by petition on file herein. and as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Plaintiff's Petition on file in this

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date TERM, A.D. 1955. of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Griffith, and unknown owners, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as directs.

hand and the seal of said court day of June A.D. 1955.

Court, Taylor County, Texas. (SEAL) (Published in the Merkel Mail

June 10, 17, 24 and July 1, 1955) NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE within ninety days after the date OF HEARING AND SHERIFF'S IN THE COUNTY COURT OF

The officer executing this writ TAYLOR COUNTY, TEXAS STATE OF TEXAS VS. J.

On this the 3 day of June A.D.

1955, Elmo Jones, Joe Seymore, Issued and given under my and H. H. Teaff, Special Commishand and the seal of said court sioners, appointed by the Court to assess damages of J. A. Martin and legal representatives of H. ed with the Honorable County by reason of the construction, re- H. Ramsey, and unknown owners Judge of Taylor County, Texas, construction, and opening of filed with the Honorable County on the 31 day of May, A.D. 1955, Highway No. U. S. 80, upon, across, Judge of Taylor County, Texas, on and through certain real estate; the 31 day of May, A.D. 1955, said sworn to assess said damages fairdescribed in Plaintiff's petition, reference to which is here made, to which real estate the fee sim- impartially, and in accordance as the time and place for hearing ple title is in the said J. A. Martin as is more fully set out in the time and place for hearing Office of the County Judge of said petition of the State of Tex- said parties on the matter, the Ofas, acting by and through the fice of the County Judge of Tay-Commissioners' Court of Taylor lor County, Texas, at Abilene, County, Texas, vs. J. A. Martin Texas, in said County on the 5th this order shall be served upon filed with the Honorable County day of August, A. D. 1955; a copy Lena Decker, et al, (and each of Judge of Taylor County, Texas, on the 31 day of May, A.D. 1955. said Commissioners having been sworn to assess said damages fairly and impartially, and in accordance with law, do hereby appoint as the time and place for hearing said parties on the matter, the Office of the County Judge of Taylor County, Texas, at Abilene, Texas, in said County on the 5 day of August, A.D. 1955; a copy of this order shall be served upon J. A. Martin (and each of them respectively,) and service thereof shall be notice to said Defendants and each of them, to appear at said time and place at of them respectively) for the inal petition filed with the Coun-Ten o'Clock, A.M., at the Court House for the purpose of offer-Dec'd filed with the Honorable ing any evidence they may de- inal petition filed with the Counsire as to the amount of dam- ty Judge of Taylor County, Texages to be assessed against the as. State of Texas, and to be paid to WITNESS OUR HANDS this the the said J. A. Martin (and each 3 day of June, A.D. 1955. of them respectively) for the right-of-way and strip of land described in said Plaintiff's original petition filed with the County Judge of Taylor County, Tex-

> WITNESS OUR HANDS this th 3 day of June, A.D. 1955. **ELMO S. JONES** JOE SEYMORE

H. H. TEAFF Special Commissioners THE STATE OF TEXAS

To any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas 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 printed in Taylor County, of which the herein below following is a true copy CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

Greeting: YOU ARE HEREBY COM-

week for four consecutive weeks, forty-two days from the date of 1955, in this cause and styled The the first publication to be at the issuance of this citation, to State of Texas, Plaintiff, vs. H. least twenty-eight days before the Plaintiff's Petition filed in said H. Ramsey, and if deceased, the per printed in Taylor County, 1955, in this cause, and styled nees, devisees, and legal represent-J. A. Martin, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Defendants, purposes of U. S. Highway No. to be used for road and highway YOU ARE HEREBY COM- tition on file herein and as is 80 as more fully shown by petition

If this citation is not served file in this suit. Texas, by personal appearance at of its issuance, it shall be return- within ninety days after the date

The officer executing this writ ed unserved. forty-two days from the date of shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, Plaintiff's Petition filed in said and the mandates hereof, and cording to requirements of law, directs. Issued and given under my directs.

> at Abilene, Texas, this the 7th day of June A.D. 1955. Attest: Mrs. Chester Hutcheson, Clerk, Special Commissioners'

> hand and the seal of said court

Court, Taylor County, Texas. (SEAL) (Published in the Merkel Mail

June 10, 17, 24 and July 1, 1955) NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE OF HEARING AND SHERIFF'S NOTICE IN THE COUNTY COURT OF TAYLOR COUNTY, TEXAS

The officer executing this writ unknown heirs, assignees, de- STATE OF shall promptly serve the same ac- visees, and legal representatives of Decker, et al.

estate or heirs at law, in Pre- at Abilene, Texas, this the 7th to assess damages of H. H. Ram- struction, reconstruction, and Attest: Mrs. Chester Hutcheson, struction, reconstruction, and upon, across, and through certain Clerk, Special Commissioners' opening of Highway No. U. S. 80, real estate described in Plaintiff's the Commissioners' Court of Tayknown heirs, assignees, devisees. Commissioners have been sworn of this order shall be served upon them respectively,) and service H. H. Ramsey, et al, (and each of thereof shall be notice to said Dethem respectively,) and service fendant(s) and each of them, to thereof shall be notice to said appear at said time and place at Defendants and each of them, to Ten o'Clock, A.M., at the Court appear at said time and place at House for the purpose of offering Ten o'Clock, A.M., at the Court any evidence they may desire as to House for the purpose of offer- the amount of damages to be asing any evidence they may de sessed against the State of Texas, sire as to the amount of damages to be assessed against the Decker, if deceased, the heirs, and State of Texas, and to be paid to unknown heirs, assignees, devisees, the said H. H. Ramsey, if deceased, the heir and unknown heirs. Decker; and unknown owners (and assignees, devisees, and legal each of them respectively) for the representatives of H. H. Ramsey, and unknown owners (and each right-of-way and strip of land ty Judge of Taylor County, Texas. described in said Plaintiff's orig-

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

You are hereby commanded to really sheriff or any Constable cause to be published once each within the State of Texas -GREETING:

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TO: H. H. Ramsey, and if deceased, the heirs and unknown heirs, assignees, devisees, and leg-Texas, the accompanying citation, al representatives of H. H. Ramsey, and unknown owners, Defendants, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COM-MANDED to appear before the TO. J. A. Martin, Defendant Honorable Special Commissioners' Court of Taylor County at the Courthouse thereof, in Abilene, MANDED to appear before the Texas, by personal appearance at Honorable Special Commissioners' or before 10 o'clock A.M. August Court of Taylor County at the 5, 1955 after the expiration of Courthouse thereof, in Abilene, forty-two days from the date of Texas, by personal appearance at the issuance of this citation, to or before 10 o'clock A.M. August Plaintiff's Petition filed in said 5, 1955 after the expiration of court, on the 31st day of May A.D. court, on the 31st day of May A.D. heirs and unknown heirs, assig-The State of Texas, Plaintiff, vs. atives of H. H. Ramsey, and unknown owners, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Suit for condemnation of land Suit for condemnation of land bebelonging to J. A. Martin, in Pre- longing to H H. Ramsey, and his cinct No. 2, Taylor County, Texas, estate or heirs at law, in Preto be used for road and highway cinct No. 2, Taylor County, Texas. 80, as more fully shown by pe- purposes of U S. Highway No. more fully shown by Plaintiff's on file herein, and as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on

within ninety days after the date If this citation is not served of its issuance, it shall be return-

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same acand the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law Issued and given under my

hand and the seal of said court at Abilene, Texas, this the 7th day of June A.D. 1955. Attest: Mrs. Chester Hutcheson, Clerk, Special Commissioners'

Court, Taylor County, Texas. (Published in the Merkel Mail June 10, 17, 24 and July 1, 1955) NOTICE OF TIME AND PLACE

OF HEARING AND SHERIFF'S

IN THE COUNTY COURT OF Ramsey, if deceased, the heirs and TERM, A.D. 1955.

STATE OF TEXAS VS. Lena cording to requirements of law, H. H. Ramsey, and unknown own- On this the 3 day of June A.D. On this the 3 day of June A.D. and H. H. Teaff, Special Commis-1955, Elmo Jones, Joe Seymore, sioners, appointed by the Court Issued and given under my and H. H. Teaff, Special Commisto assess damages of Lena Deckstopers, appointed by the Court er, et al, by reason of the consey, et al, by reason of the con- opening of Highway No. U. S. 80, upon, across, and through certain petition, reference to which is real estate described in Plaintiff's here made, to which real estate petition, reference to which is the fee simple title is in the said here made, to which real estate Lena Decker, if deceased, the the fee simple title is in the said heirs, and unknown heirs, as-H. H. Ramsey, if deceased, the signees, devisees, and legal repreheirs and unknown heirs, assig- sentatives of Lena Decker; and unnees, devisees, and legal represent- known owners as is more fully set atives of H. H. Ramsey, and un- out in said petition of the State of known owners as is more fully set Texas, acting by and through the out in said petition of the State Commissioners' Court of Taylor of Texas, acting by and through County, Texas, vs. Lena Decker, if deceased, the heirs, and unlor County, Texas, vs. H. H. Ram- known heirs, assignees, devises, sey, if deceased, the heirs and un and legal representatives of Lena Decker; and unknown owners filsaid Commissioners having been ly and impartially, and in accordto assess said damages fairly and ance with law, do hereby appoint with law, do hereby appoint as said parties on the matter, the Taylor County, Texas, at Abilene, fice of the County Judge of Tay- Texas, in said County on the 5 day of August, A.D. 1955; a copy of

> and to be paid to the said Lena and legal representatives of Lena right-of-way and strip of land described in said Plaintiff's orig-WITNESS OUR HANDS this the 3 day of June, A.D. 1955.

ELMO S. JONES JOE SEYMORE H. H. TEAFF Special Commissioners

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

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TO: Lena Decker, and if de ceased, the heirs, and unknown heirs, assignees, devisees and legal representatives of Lena Decker, and unknown owners, Defendants, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COM-MANDED to appear before the Honorable Special Commissioners' Court of Taylor County at the Courthouse thereof, in Abilene, exas, by personal appearance at or before 10 o'clock A.M. August 1955 after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 31st day of May A.D. 1955, in this cause, and styled The State of Texas, Plaintiff, vs. Lena Decker, and if deceased, the heirs, and unknown heirs, assignees, devisees and legal representatives of Lena Decker, and unknown owners, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: pit for condemnation of land belonging to Lena Decker, and her estate or heirs at law, in Precinct No. 2, Taylor County, Texas, to be used for road and highway purposes of U. S. Highway No. 80, as more fully shown by petition on file herein, and as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's 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.

make due return as the law

Issued and given under my day of June A.D. 1955.

Attest: Mrs. Chester Hutcheson, Clerk, Special Commissioners' Court, Taylor County, Texas.

Published in the Merkel Mail June 3, 10, 17, 24, 1955 NOTICE OF INFORMATION TO INCORPORATE A FIRM WITH-OUT CHANGING NAME:

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN: Notice is hereby given that Marilee Bradshaw, R. L. Bradshaw, and Marilee Bradshaw, Trustee, partners composing the firm of Bradshaw Office Equipment Company are incorporating such firm without a change of the firm name after the expiration of thirty (30) days from this date the 27th day

BRADSHAW OFFICE EQUIP-MENT COMPANY

R. L. BRADSHAW MRS. MARILEE BRADSHAW, individually and as trustee

COKE PARTY HELD FOR WEDDING PARTY

Members of the wedding party entertained with a gift coke party Saturday morning, June 4, in the home of Mrs. Newt Logan complimenting Miss Marka Barnes, bride-elect of George Rowland.

Mrs. Logan greeted the guests as they arrived and presented them to the honoree and her mother, Mrs. Edna McGee. Mrs. David Gamble and Mrs. Truitt Perry registered them in the bride's book.

Mrs. Bill Largent, Mrs. Tommy Odum, Mrs. Don Riney, and Mrs. Horace Boney presided at the refreshment table. Mrs. Gerald Derrick, Mrs. Leon Walker and Mrs. Nolan Palmer were also hosts. Appropriate music recordings were played throughout the party.

Miss Barnes and Mr. Rowland will be married Friday evening, The officer executing this writ June 10th at 7:00 p.m. in the Joyce sang "The Beautiful Gardshall promptly serve the same ac- First Baptist Church. All friends en of Prayer" under a lighted ording to requirements of law, and acquaintances of the couple star, and the mandates hereof, and are cordially invited to attend the

hand and the seal of said court family visited in the Buddy Mashat Abilene, Texas, this the 7th burn home in Robert Lee May

> White lies often have to be whitewashed to prevent them from 30 members and 19 visitors by turning black.

Neva Chancey Worthy Matron

Neva Chancey was installed as worthy matron of the Merkel chaphall Tuesday night.

The installaing officers were Bonnie Waughn, installing officer; Quida Reid, installing marshal; Estelle Humphreys, installing organist, and Beluie Butler, installing chaplain. Officers installed were Neva

Chaney, worthy matron; Ross Pratt., worthy patron; Sallie Grant, associate matron; A. B. Parham, associate patron; Fern Windham, secretary; Florence Berry, treasurer; Ollie Butman, conductress; Carol Slater, associate conductress; Edith Leach, chaplain; Louise Parham, marshal; Mildred Winter, organist; Bissilue Moore, Ada; Benina McCue, Ruth: Helen Rust, Esther; Dott Castle, Martha; Loretta Morgan, Electa; Murel Thompson, warden; and Ford Butman, Sentinel.

"The Beautiful Garden of Prayer" was written by Una May Hays and dedicated to Neva Chancey. The Junior past matron invited the worthy matron to enter the "Beautiful Garden of Prayer" where the five star points and

The chaplain then entered the Garden of Prayer where all kneel- consecutive years. ed while the chaplain repeated 'The Lord's Prayer.'

They remained kneeling while the lights wre lowered, and Vickie

The worthy matron was escort ed to the East by the conductress while her daughters Betty Raye Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mashburn and and Kay sang "Star of the East". Pratt entered carrying a lighted is a member of the scholarship candle and presented the worthy

matron with a golden key. Refreshments were served to the refreshment committee.

FORMER MERKEL TEACHER RETIRES _CLASSIDEDED AND SECTION AFTER 42 YEARS IN PROFESSION

After 42 years of teaching, a odist Church. ter of Eastern Star in the Masonic former Merkel school teacher has retired to California to make her home and improve her health.

> Mrs. T. A. Kellam, principal of the Central Elementary school at Lamesa, Texas, resigned, effective May 31, to go to California where she has established a home at 3236 Milton St. Pasadena.

She had been in ill health recently. Mrs. Killam will be remembered also as Mrs. Len Sublett. She taught school in Merkel for many years, resigning in 1939 to go to La-

The first year she served on the Lamesa faculty she was supervisor for the first eight grades. Two and a half years were spent as Assistant principal of Lamesa Junior tival coming up Thursday, June High and the remaining three and 30. in Merkel. a half years in the capacity as principal.

Mrs. Kellam went to Lamesa from Merkel in 1939. She taught eighteen years in Merkel serving 15 years as principal of the grade school, two years in the grade school and one year as history teacher in the High School. During the time she was with the marshal presented her with a vase Merkel school system she also of flowers appropriate to their taught arithmetic and students from her classes won the County Interscholastic League for twelve

> She is a graduate of Merkel High School, holds a B. A. Degree, Magna cum Laude, from Hardin-Simmons University in Abilene. She attended McMurry College Abilene, did graduate work at the University of Southern California in Los Angeles and attended Texas Tech in Lubbock.

In connection with her profes-An angel of light, Sister Inez sion as teacher and principal she committeee for the five county Gamma Lambda Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma, national honor society for women teachers. She is a member of Texas State Teachers poration in Lake Charles, La. Association, West Texas State Teachers Association and was a delegate to the State Association convention in November, 1952.

> Mrs. Kellam has always been an enthusiastic worker in the PTA and PTA Council. In recognition of her service in that field she was awarded, last week, a life membership.

In addition to her professional activities she engages in church and Club work in Lamesa. She served as president of Lamesa Federation of Church Women in ship and pin last June by the Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church. She was three years. A willing Sunday School Class worker she taught the Berean Class for three and one half years, also the Willing

Mrs. Kellam is a native of Nacogresidents of Lamesa. Her parents Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Christopher dially invited.

came to Lamesa in 1916. Mrs. KeKllman who has been ill for the past few months went by TO ALL ELKS - If you are a plane to California where she will be under the care of a specialist.

Lions Club Hears Talk

The Lions club heard a discussion Tuesday about the Water Fes- FOR RENT - 5 room house, un-

The talk was made by Onis Crawford, manager of the chamber of commerce.

Mayor Fred Starbuck told the group that engineers had been informed that Abilene should be through with its part of the line by the end of the week, and if this is done, Merkel should be pumping water somewhere be tween June 20 and July 1.

There is a period in which the lines must be cleaned and the water pumped before it can be pumped for consumer use. This generally takes about six days.

Merkel Student Honored at A&M

Robert Preston Simpson of Merkel has been designated a distinguished student at A. and M. FOR RENT — Duplex apartment, College for the Spring semester

Robert received a degree in chemical engineering at commencement exercises May 27, and has accepted a position with Colombia-Southern Chemical Cor-

Mr. and Mrs John Shannon went to Fort Worth Monday to see their new grandson, that was born Sunday night to Mr. and Mrs. James Shaver. Mr. Shannon returned Monday but Mrs. Shannon remained for a longer stay.

DON'T FORGET, BILL STUTS CAFE SERVES 50c SHOPPERS

1942-3 and was president of the mother Mrs. Pick Allen and oth-Delphian Club for three years, er relatives last week. Mrs. Allen 10 acres of land but house cost She was awarded a life member- went with them to Lawton, Okla. over \$10,000, built about 6 years GET your typewriter ribbons all where they visited Mr. and Mrs. ago. You cannot find a nicer lit-Charles Sanford a granddaughter, the home than this one, only \$8,000. stopping enroute at Wichita Falls! also president of the Guild for and Seymour, and visited with A. this is a very pretty place, \$7,500. C. Bland Jr. of Abilene completing the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Sheppard Workers Class 6½ years and the have returned from a two week Gleaners Class of the First Meth- vacation in Big Spring, Texas.

C. A. Farley Enroute to Holy Land; Will Return July 14

C. A. Farley, Merkel school on to Damascus, Syria. By spec-principal and treasurer of the ial cars they drive on to Jerusalem Church of Christ, left Sunday on by Amman a tour of the Bible Lands and Eu-

The director of the tour is J. T. Marlin, minister of the Church of Christ at Sweetwater.

They departed at 12:28 noon Sunday from Sweetwater on the daughter Sue, son Jerry, Mrs. Glendon Dyer and Farley, principal of the elementary school here. Austria to join her husband who

is in service there. At Amon Carter field in Fort Worth they were joined by Foy Smith, minister of the North Side Church o fChrist in Cleburne, Texas; Paul McClung, minister of the church at 1th and Broad in Wichita Falls, and Mrs. R. L. Bowers of Brownfield, Texas will join the tour as the group travels to New York on the American Air-

At the Belmont Plaza Hotel which is to be tour headquarters. other members of the tour J. C. Choate, minister of the church at East Tupelo, Mississippi; Mr. M. F. McKnight, minister at Abernathy, Texas; Mrs. George Benson, Searcy, Arkansas, (wife of the president of Harding College); Mrs. C. D. Brown, Stanwood, Iowa; Mrs. J. N. Givens teacher at the Athens Bible School, Athens, Alabama; Mrs. Robert Porter,

While in Jordon the yhave extensive tours of the entire land including trips to Samaria, Bethlehem, Hebran, Jericho, Dead see Mrs. Sam McLeod, or call Sea, and "the red rose city of Pe- 9037-F-11. tra, half as old as time." Crossing into Israel, the state is toured there were Mr. Marlin's wife, ing nights on Mt. Carmal and the IS II sea of Galilee, From Telavin, Israel the group fly to Istanbul, Turkey where a part of the group Mrs. Dyer will stop in Salzburg, will tour the wonders and surroundings of this great city, while others visit the sites of the Seven

Churches of Asia. From Istanbul the tour will re turn to Rome for a tour of Italy, north of Rome, including the Leaning Tower of Pisa, the art gal lerys of Florence, the romance of Venice and the painting of the Last Supper by Leonard da Vinci in Milan. They move next to Lucerne and Interlaken, Switzerland for an excursion to Jungfrau, before traveling to Germany where they will travel the Rhine River by classic steamer viewing the romantic castles, ripening vineyards. and the fabeled Lorelei.

From Coblinz, Germany they go to Amsterdam, Holland and on to Brussells, Belgium where among other things they will visit the "battlefield of Waterloo" before continuing on to Paris to visit the Eiffel Tower, Arch of Triumph, Versialles Castle and other great

Corinth, Cairo, Egypt and Beruit, Lebanon. From this point they tour the coast of Lebanon and cross the Mountain Baalbek, then to New York, July 14.

NOTICE MASONS

Regular meeting of Mer-A kel louge No. 710, A.F.& A.M. Thurs. June 16, at doches, the daughter of early-day 8:00 p. m. All members are urged to attend. Visiting brethern cor-

D. R. Butler, W. M. Truett Thompson, Sec'y.

member of B.P.O. Elks, you will want to unite with the Abilene lodge in its new headquarters. Contact Bill Callaway, S. and Q. Clothiers, Abilene. New members will be welcome. 10-tf.

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FOR RENT - 2-room furnished apt., share bath. 601 S. Oak St. Phone 332-W, Mrs. Sallie Moore. 13-3tp

FOR RENT - 5-room house with bath, unfurnished, Phone 149. 306 Rose. Joe Douglas. 12-tfc.

FOR RENT - 4-room house, with bath, 511 Oak St. See Andy 11-3tc Shouse. APARTMENT FOR RENT, 2

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modern, 4 rooms and bath, unfurnished. See Ray Wilson. tf34c FOR SALE - Modern 4-room house, bath, porch, good well, electric pump, house and softener, rock, 2 car garage, nice fenced lawn, 10 acres land, chicken house. See 3 miles north Stith. Emmett Howard, 1042 North Grand Ave-

nue, Gainesville, Texas. 10-3p FOR SALE

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The Merkel Mail PHONE 61

Merkel Student Wins Scholarship

Colonel Wallace sophomore at the University of Texas, was awarded the Will Rogers Memorial Scholarship at the end of his freshman year last month.

He returned Monday morning to Austin where he is employed part

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9014-J-1. 12-3tc. OR SALE - John Deere tractor good rubber, real cheap, see Edwin Read or Chester Colllinsworth. 12-4tp

FOR SALE - Cushman motor scooter, 5 h.p. Highlander with Buddy Seat. See Ray Wilson 12-tfc.

FOR SALE -We have several new electric ranges to sell below cost. Make us an offer. Badger Chevrolet Co. WE TAKE subscription for the Ft.

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Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Lon Love and daughter Berneice, left on their vacation Saturday June 4, 1955. They will go to Danger Field Lake n on to Longview, Texas and

will return home the first of July.

Neleta Hale has been visiting her brothers Bill Hale and fami- days. ly and Andrew Hale and family in Ft. Worth, Texas. Her niece and nephew, Mrenda and Bill Hale returned with her.

Kay Beasley and Thelda Hamner are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bobto Jenk's, Oklahoma. They by Joe Graham in El Paso, Texas.

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Rev. and Mrs. Jene Gorgenson have been visiting relatives in Ft. Worth, Texas for the past few

S. Coller Gentry visited his mother Mrs. Zellah Bright over the weekend. She has returned to Denton, Texas with him.

Miss Mathie Scott of Lamesa, Texas has been visiting her brothers here Mr. T. D. Scott and Mrs. Spurgin Scott.

Mrs. J. B. Winn St. has returned home from Houston, Texas, where she has been visiting her children, J. B. Winn, Jr., Mrs. Lib Duncan and Mrs. Harris Taylor.

Mrs. Tommie Hamner and new baby are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Clark Hamner.

Mr. Mike Branum of Lubbock are visiting her mother Mrs. W. H. Hale and sister and brother-inlaw Mr. and Mrs. Lee Rudd.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Edwards had as their week-end guests Mr. and

Venita Quattlebaum was home with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Quattlebuam

Mr. and Mrs. Percy Scott had as their guest over the week-end Mr. Lee Stockton from Brownfield.

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Correspondent

Farmers are really on the up and go at this time planting cotton or maize. There is ample moisture for which we are thank-

Mrs. Della Cook and daughter Margaret have just returned from New York where they visited their son and brother, Ralph Cook. They included sight seeing and saw many places of interest. Included was the Roosevelt home Erline Kelso, Stith. and library at Hyde Park.

Hodges "Communty Club" meets second and fourth Tuesday afternoon at 2 o'clock in community center. Visitors welcome. Since we don't have school at Bessie Lou Windham, Blair. Hodges, the school house has Grace (Fuzzy) Huff, Dora. been converted into a community! Rainfall for year touches 20 the guest of Miss Johnnie Sears. center. We have kitchen facilities and anyone needing a place for reunion see Norman Sloan, Fred Danieles or Leonard McCoy.

We regret to announce that the asset to any community. Our good wishes go with them.

There are church services at the day at 10 o'clock a.m. and 7 p.m. Also Bible study at 8 o'clock. Ev-James Fullbright is minister.

There are church services at the Hodges Baptist church every Dickson on Oak Street. Sunday at 10 a.m. and 7 p.m. also Wednesday night services. C. S. Parker is minister. They extend a welcome to all.

Mr. Lee of this community suffered a stroke several days ago and is hospitalized at Abilene. He Guitar went to Dallas Friday of is reported to be improved.

The Maurice Cox family had Sunday dinner with the Norman Sloans.

Bob McCoy who has been in McCoy the Army for sometime has been discharged and is at home now. Derrell Kelso is at home for

the summer after attending A.C.C. in Abilene. Derrell Sloan visited Glen Bick-

nell Sunday in the Clyde Jones Fred Moore is visiting his parents, the Bud Moore's en route!

to a Houston hospital for treat-

Mrs. W. O. Warnes and son Maurice from Mission are here Reynolds.

Merkel 20 Years Ago

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Young lady named to represent Merkel at Cowboy Reunion will also receive \$25 cash. Up to noon Thursday, names of eight young | zle falling most of the day. Wedladies had been registered for the nesday the precipitation was heavsponsor contest. These, with the ier and came in downpours Wedcommunities sponsoring their nesday night. presentation, are:

Mrs. Will Butman, Butman. Dorothy Martin, Trent. Mrs. Ernest Hail, Golan. Leta Faye Barbee, Noodle. Clara Frances Largent, Union

Ridge.

Following nearly a week of clear weather, rain set in again Tuesday morning with a slow driz-

Up to Thursday of noon a total fall of two inches had been measured by Volunteer Weather Observer Grover Hale, bringing the

total for the year to 20 inches. Mrs. Johnny Cox returned Wednesday to her home at Cisco after a visit with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. M. Armstrong.

Miss Carrie Coffey of Electra is

This Happened in Merkel Forty Years Ago

Burroughs-Huffaker

The marriage of H. C. Bur-Mrs. Leo Dudley of Monhan, Tex- R. W. Reynolds family will soon roughs, Jr., and Miss Zula Huffakbe leaving our Community. He er came as a complete surprise to has accepted a superintendent their many friends here. Their job at Putman. He formerly taught, plans were so completely arrangat Hodges until consolidation with ed that even the members of the Hawley, then he taught at Haw- bridal party were kept guessing ley. Their family, consisting of until the car stopped at the Methfour daughters and one son are an odist parsonage where Rev. and Mrs. Garvin and the groom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Burroughs, awaited them After beautiful ceremony, Mr. and Mrs. Hope Church of Christ every Sun- Burroughs went to the home of Mrs. B. Jenkins, where a party of special friends, armed with eryone is welcome to attend. pans, buckets and kindred articles, treated them to an old-fashioned charivari. They will be at home at the residence of Mrs. W. H.

> E. V. White, Jr., of Denton is here visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Vol Martin. From here he will go to Roscoe to visit

> Messrs. H. M. Warren and Fred last week and returned home Sunland in a new Buick 25 touring

visiting her mother Mrs. C. F.

Mrs. Walter Cook visited her daughter and family of Snyder on

Mrs. Pat Patterson of Winters is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Keene.

David Coaley, who graduated as valedictorian at Hawley will attend Simmons College this sum- and started to pull it. "He wants

Willa Reynolds, who has been attending school in Oklahoma is visiting her parents, the R. W.

through the local agent, Mr. War-Miss Mamie Rister visited Miss Alice Williams in Abilene Sun-

car purchased by the latter

Jno. W. Briggs and Miss Duncan Browning of Merkel were mar ried at the home of Rev. and Mrs

W. M. Gaddy, yesterday at 3 o' clock. The ceremony was attended by personal friends.

Simian Cut-Up in "Escape to Burma"

There was plenty of monkey business on the set of "Escape to Burma" during the filming of one sequence of this Benedict Bogeaus Technicolor production in Superscope, which comes to the Queen Theater on Sun.-Mon., June 12

Although Barbara Stanwyck Robert Ryan and David Farrar are the stars of this RKO Radio day, making the return trip over- offering, in this sequence the real star was Neil, 31/2-year-old chim

He's the ringleader of a monkey troupe in possession of an ancient pagoda, in which the three stars take refuge from the rain.

"He's like a child," explained Howard Bryant, his trainer, "but

he'll do anything I tell him.' When Director Allan Dwan turned away, Neil scrambled up a tree and to Dwan's consternation, made a flying leap onto his back.

A few moments later, he grabbed Barbara Stanwyck's hand her to chase him," Bryant ex-

Miss Stanwyck chased him a half dozen turns around the camera. Then Neil made off with Ryan's pistol.

"Are you sure he'll do anything you tell him?" inquired Dwan.

"Yep," replied Bryant proudly. "Well, then," said Dwan, "tell him to stop monkeying around."

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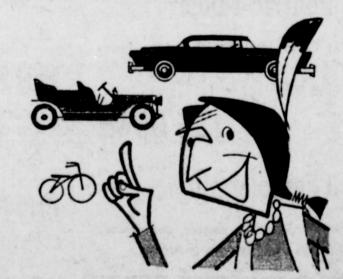
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Leith, Tommy Noonan and Lee wife, F. B. Doty; J. A. Traylor Marvin. Richard Fleischer direct- and wife, Sarah J. Traylor; and H. L. Houghton and wife, if married, whose name is unknown; E. Hellison and wife, if married, whose name is unknown; and Annie Houghton, a feme sole; if liv- lor; and H. L. Houghton and wife, ing whose places of residence are if married, whose name is ununknown to Plaintiffs, and if dead, the legal representatives of each of said named Defendants, and and Annie Houghton, a feme sole; the unknown heirs of each of if living, whose places of resisaid named Defendants; the legal dence are unknown to Plaintiffs, representatives of the unknown and if dead, the legal representaheirs of each of said named De- tives of each of said named Defendants, if the unknown heirs fendants, and the unknown heirs of said named Defendants are of each of said named Defenddead; the unknown heirs of the ants; the legal representatives of unknown heirs of said named De- the unknown heirs of each of said fendants, if the unknown heirs of

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cording to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and

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Attest: R. H. Ross, Clerk, 42nd District Court Taylor County, Texas By Christine Bower, Deputy.

Tech-Aggie Agriculture **Work Unified**

An agreement to coordinate the work of their institutions for the benefit of Texas agriculture has been announced in a joint statement from the boards of directors of Texas Technological College and the Texas A & M College Sys-

The agreement, expected to encourage agricultural research activity in West Texas, provides avenues whereby either school can initiate agricultural projects.

Groundwork for the agreement was laid by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in Abilene last January when that organization invited officials of the two institutions to work out a joint attack on wind erosion and related problems

In the field of research, the A brief statement of the nature statement points out that the Texas A & M College System is the Suit in trespass to try title to land grant institution of Texas, establish the ownership of the with its Agricultural Experiment Station responsible under State and federal laws for conducting Lots Nos. Five (5), Six (6), and tax-supported agricultural research in the State. Adequate op-Stephenson Addition to the Town portunities for research should be of Merkel, Taylor County, Texas, provided by the Agricultural Experiment Station for staff memtiff's Petition on file in this suit. bers of other state institutions and If this citation is not served facilities and environment factors of various locations should be used, it was agreed.

Pointing to cooperative projects on the Texas Technological College campus and at PanTech Farms, which have been underway for several years, the statement said that additional projects may be put in force through me-

moranda of agreement or under terms of the Interagency Coopera-tion Act, passed by the 53rd Legis-Home Economics were declared fishing trip held near Gates The officer executing this writ lature. This act provides for "fur- to satisfactorily qualify graduates shall promptly serve the same ac- nishing necessary and authorized for employment with the Extenspecial or technical services including the services of employees, make due return as the law di- the services of materials, or the lege of Texas. services of equipment" by one with another in the field of agri-

cultural research. Declaring that cooperation in the field of extension work in agri- fields of specialization are added culture and home economics has at any state-supported institution. been very satisfactory, the boards recognized the responsibility of the Texas Agricultural Extension equipment provided within the Service for overall administration Texas A & M and Texas Tech Sysnological College is furnishing creased numbers of students with headquarters and offices for dis- very little added cost. tricvt administrative and specialist personnel in this field and extensive use will continue to be made of staff members and facilment of the extension program.

The curricula at Texas Technosion Service, as was the agricultural program at the A and M Col-

Referring to the high cost of training agricultural students when enrollments are small, the two boards recommended a careful survey be made before new

The statement further asserted that the staffs, facilities and of this work in Texas. Texas Tech- tems could accommodate greatly in-

Mr. and Mrs. David Miller and family of Lubbock spent Friday ities of that college in develop night with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lige Harris.

May 28 and 29

Miss Sally Orr has as a her sister Mrs. J. A. from San Antonio

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Bartlett visiting relatives in Florida their vacation. They plan to other southern points while

Mr. and Mrs. Ennis Grimes Quanah visited relatives in 1 kel Sunday.

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der the law, except in certain Q - If a veteran fails to apply for Korean GI term insurance until the last day of his 120-day free coverage, and that final day is a Saturday, does he lose out on his chance to get insurance?

after I am discharged? A - Not necessarily. If the men who enter the armed forces final day falls on Saturday ,Sunday or a legal holiday, the 120- for the first time after January day period will be extended to 31, 1955, may not be entitled to cover the next VA workday. With the GI loan benefit after they the final day on Saturday, the leave service. veteran could obtain his GI term insurance the following Monday.

Q - May a veteran taking Korean GI Bill training also receive Mrs. Stages brother Mr. and Mrs. GI unemployment allowances at the same time, since he isn't J. W. Stages Jr. of Shamrock, working?

A - No. The law prohibits veterans from receiving GI training allowances and GI unemployment allowances at the same time.

Q - I am a World War II veteran in school under the original GI Bill. At the wind-up of the program on July 25, 1956, I figure that I still will have some unused GI training entitlement. Will I be able to use my entitlement after that date?

A - No. Even though you may

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