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WELCOME TO FESTIVAL

Merkel is getting ready for its biggest day in years. It's the day residents of Merkel have been waiting for many years; the day when it could celebrate an ample water supply.

The chamber of commerce is sponsoring the Merkel Water Festival, and it looks like it will be one of the finest celebrations around these parts. You can see the beauties of the area vie for the honor of being queen, you can enjoy the best in amateur talent at a show, and you can fill up on barbecue that night.

Make your plans now to get a ticket for the barbecue for \$1.25 and come in and spend the entire day. It'll be a fine event for Merkel, and we hope that 5,000 people come to town. There's plenty of reason for them to be present for merchants of the city have arranged \$1,000 in prizes and there will be many given away as door prizes at the amateur show following the barbecue.

The merchants and business people have responded wonderfully in every effort to make this a big success. This issue of the Merkel Mail is dedicated to the Water Festival. In addition there will be 75,000 "flying saucers" distributed the morning of the festival in an area between Abilene and Sweetwater, with the person who brings the first flying saucer to the Chamber of Commerce getting a \$50 reward. The Abilene Reporter-News is boosting Merkel and its water supply. The paper sent a staff writer, Buck Burkett, to Merkel Tuesday to gather information for a feature story about Merkel in next Sunday's Reporter-News.

What will an ample water supply mean to Merkel? No one can answer that exactly, but it is a known fact that no city has ever grown that didn't have a big water supply. Now, Merkel can seek new residents who want to build homes and people who want to live in a small city. The Merkel Development Corporation is planning a big housing project — the details of which will be covered in the Merkel Mail as soon as the final deal is approved — and this should provide new housing for many people. There is every possibility that upwards of 100 homes will be built within a short time — five at a whack.

With a live Chamber of Commerce and its able leadership, Merkel naturally will be looking forward to securing some small industry, other than the present payrolls of the area. This seems to be a natural, for the Abilene area recently was termed the 19th fastest growing area in America. So why shouldn't industry want to establish in Merkel and vicinity?

Housewives will use less soap detergents in their washings, electrical appliances which use water will last longer, and everyone will be more than happy when Mayor Fred Starbuck turns the tap that lets the flow of water come to Merkel.

During the water festival David Gambel, president of the chamber of commerce, has asked that the merchants who usually park their cars on the main streets will please park them behind their place of business. Then the visitors will have a place to park. There will be many people so remember to drive safely. We do not want our festival marred with accidents.

Frank Breaux, the natural gas man, is a little perturbed that he hasn't heard from Merkel's traveling ambassador to Europe, C. A. Farley. Good friends, Breaux says he has been mowing Farley's lawn, taking care of the birds, saw him off at the airport and "spent 30c on letters," but he hasn't received a line from his pal.

"What gets me," moaned Breaux, "he left me his forwarding address at each place so I could send him mail, which I did. Now, I find out everyone else around here has had a card from him. Boy, just wait, the joke'll be on him when he returns."

Bill Hyde, representing the Stanford Engineering Co., was a guest at Lions club Tuesday. Bill just came to this country from Iowa and is managing an office for the steel engineering firm.

Merkel Man Is Named Coach Of Baylor Trackmen

Jack Patterson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Patterson of Merkel, who has been track coach at the University of Houston for the past 10 seasons, has been named track coach at Baylor University, Waco. He succeeds Jack Wilson, who resigned May 21.

Baylor Athletic Director George Sauer said Patterson was given a five-year contract effective immediately. Sauer said the hiring of Patterson was the first step in building track into a major sport at Baylor.

"We felt that Patterson was the one man who could do the kind of job we want to do here at Baylor," Sauer commented. Patterson will be Baylor's first full time track coach. Earlier coaches have helped with other sports.

He is known as a specialist in developing relay teams. His 440-yard relay team broke the world record once and tied it another time during the 1955 season, only to see its own record erased by the University of Texas team.

Patterson was a star track man at Rice Institute, winning the national AAU 440-yard high hurdles championship for two years while in college. He was member of two Southwest Conference championship teams and captain of the 1939 Rice champs.

Billy Graham In Oiltown To Show Wednesday

A movie, Billy Graham in "Oiltown, USA," will be shown at the First Baptist Church in Merkel next Wednesday, Rev. Sam Tullock, pastor, announced.

The film stars Colleen Townsend Evans, Paul Power, Robert Clarke, Georgia Lee and Ralph Ward. This is the gripping story of one man's experience with his God, and will be shown at 7:45. The public is invited. There will be a free-will offering.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Douglas and daughter Janet of Graham, Texas and Mrs. R. A. Elder and daughter Robbie of Big Spring, Texas visited in the home of O. R. Douglas.

WHO'LL BE THE WATER QUEEN?



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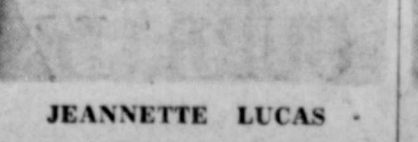
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PEGGY CHASE



Grocers Take First Game From Hamlin

Merkel's Carson Grocers took the first game of the Double Mountain League last week when they routed Hamlin, 9-1.

In another game in the league Rotan had previously defeated Hamlin, 5-1.

The Merkel club looked good defensively, considering it was their first chance to play in the league. Other games had been delayed by rain.

Jerry McWilliams started on the mound for Merkel, and was relieved in the seventh by Philip Pursley.

Jerry Miller gathered in two hits to lead the batting for the day. Kenneth Rutledge, first baseman, had the unusual experience of scoring a run, and yet showing no time at bat. He walked or sacrificed everytime at bat.

Hamlin was limited to five hits. Merkel made only two errors in the infield and one in the outfield.

Here is the way the Merkel club batted:

	A	B	R	H
Philip Pursley, cf	3	1	1	
Terry O'Brien, ss	4	2	1	
Gail O'Brien, c	3	1	1	
Kermit Rutledge, 1b	0	1	1	
Jerry Miller, ss	4	1	2	
Jerry McWilliams, p	4	2	1	
Tommy Tolliver, rf	3	0	1	
Dale Neff, lf	4	0	1	
Jerry Estep, 3b	2	1	0	

The game which Merkel had scheduled with Albany last week will be played Saturday, July 2 in Merkel.

Hamlin will come to Merkel for a practice game this Thursday night.

The schedule for the next few days:

Friday, June 4
Albany at Hamlin
Rotan at Merkel

Thursday, June 28
Hamlin at Merkel
Albany at Rotan

ROTAN 6, MERKEL 5
Things started out well for the Carsons, but they didn't wind up that way Tuesday night at Rotan. The Rotan club in winning its second game of the season, nosed out Merkel Grocers 6-5.

Terry O'Brien was pitching for Merkel, and was nicked for runs in the second, third and fourth innings. Merkel started out with two runs in the first, but that wasn't enough.

Third baseman Minton of Rotan hit a home run with one on to give the Rotans an edge.

J. R. Mashburn Master of Merkel Masons

J. R. Mashburn was elected worshipful master of the A. F. and A. M. No. 710 at the regular meeting Thursday night, and public installation of officers will be held at the lodge hall Friday night.

Other officers are P. R. Pratt, Senior Warden; H. J. Martin, Tyler; C. B. Rust, Secretary; Andy Shouse, Treasurer; Truitt Thompson, Senior Deacon; T. J. Baird, Sr., Junior Deacon; G. E. Leach, Chaplain.

The public is invited to attend the installation of officers Friday night.

\$1,000 IN PRIZES FOR WATER DAY

The Chamber of Commerce is preparing to accommodate 5,000 people in Merkel next Thursday during what is termed by many as the biggest celebration the town has seen in years.

It is the date Merkel will celebrate the coming of an ample water supply to the community, and it'll be a day that will mark the beginning of a period of growth never before witnessed by this town.

Merchants in town are putting

on specials for that day, and many bargains will be available for shoppers.

One of the features of the day will be the "flying saucer" parade which will see some 75,000 flying saucers dropped in an area between Abilene and Sweetwater, within a 50-mile radius.

Each of the flying saucers will have a special bargain on it, and the first person who brings one to the Chamber of Commerce office will be presented with \$50.

Onis Crawford, manager of the Chamber of Commerce, says "this event will be big — we expect between 4,000 and 5,000 people to be in Merkel that day."

Preparations are being made to serve barbecue for \$1.25 a plate, and a ticket to the barbecue will also be good for the amateur show at which time the \$1,000 in prizes will be given away by the chamber of commerce.

The Queen's contest has 23 entries, and it'll be a colorful event at 2 p.m. at the Texas theater. However, the actual voting for the queen will take place at the barbecue, where a stub on the barbecue ticket will be worth one vote for the queen.

"In order to vote for the queen," Crawford said, "it is necessary to have a barbecue ticket."

Rev. Sam Tullock will be master of ceremonies and will introduce the speakers at the event after the barbecue. The mayor of Abilene will give the response.

Mayor Fred Starbuck said it is hoped that the water taps can be turned on a few days in advance of the celebration, but that will depend upon how fast Abilene gets the connection made. This has been delayed recently due to wet weather, something unusual for these parts until last month.

"Water will be a big factor in the future growth of Merkel," says Mayor Starbuck.

ery and Market.

Joy Walker, 18, daughter of Mrs. Myrtle Walker, hobby is sports, and attends University of Texas. Sponsored by Boney Insurance Agency.

Jane Williams, 17, daughter of Wray Williams, Trent, interested in music, attending Hardin-Simmons U. Sponsored by Ann's Beauty Shop.

Barbara Ann Wilson, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Wilson, interested in playing piano and scrap books. Completed year at McMurry college. Valedictorian of 1954 Merkel H. S. Class. Sponsored by Cyrus Pee Agency.

Jackie Hogan, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. June Hogan, interested in business administration, homemaking and geology. Hobby of twirling, swimming and music. Plans to attend McMurry. Queen of 1955 yearbook. Sponsored by Palmer Motor Co.

Kay Beasley, 17, daughter of Leslie Beasley, route 1, Trent, interested in homemaking. Likes square dancing, skating and plans to attend McMurry college. Was drum major last year. Sponsored by Joyce's Fabric Shop.

Betty Raye Chancey, 16, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Chancey, route 2, interested in home economy and singing. Plans to attend Abilene Christian College. Sponsored by Max Mellienger Department Store.

Barbara Carlyene Edwards, 18, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Edwards, Trent, interested in medicine and plans to attend college at Baylor and take up medicine. Hobby of tennis and reading, playing piano. Sponsored by Ben Franklin Store.

Paka Deloris Newby, 17, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Newby, interested in speech and fine arts, hobby scrap books and drawing, plans to attend Sul Ross. Valedictorian Merkel high in 1955. Sponsored by Divide Home Demonstration Club.

Clyde Eager, local feed man, has been doing double duty this week. He has been doing jury duty at Abilene in the county court, in addition to running his store.

Veterans Notes

Q — I am working for my Master's degree under the World War II GI Bill. My school does not offer a language course, and yet I need it in order to fulfill my Master's requirements. May I take a language course in a different school?
 A — Yes, so long as your school specifically designates the courses

to be taken at the second school, and so long as the credits you receive will be accepted at full value.
 Q — I am the widow of a World War I veteran, receiving a monthly VA pension. I am receiving survivors' insurance benefits, based on my late husband's employment. Are those benefits considered income, for pension purposes?
 A — Survivors' Insurance

benefits, which you receive on the basis of your late husband's employment, are considered as income.
 Q — I borrowed some money on my permanent National Service Life Insurance policy. If, by chance, I can't repay the principal or interest, will my policy be cancelled?
 A — Your policy will not be cancelled until your total indebtedness equals or exceeds the policy's cash value. Should that happen, your policy would cease and you no longer would be insured.
 Q — I am a disabled World War II veteran taking training under Public Law 16. If I am injured while training, would I be entitled to additional VA compensation?
 Yes, provided your injury resulted directly from your training.

"Some Economic Effects of Drouth on Ranch Resources" is the title of a bulletin just released by the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station. It is available from the Agricultural Information Office, College Station. Ask for Bulletin 801.

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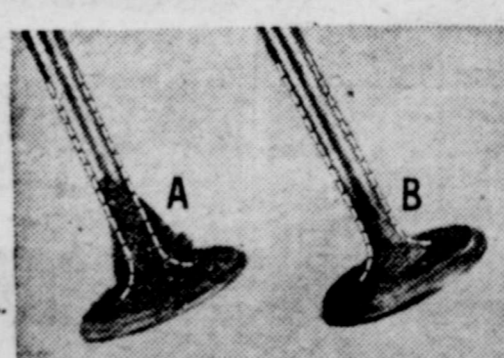
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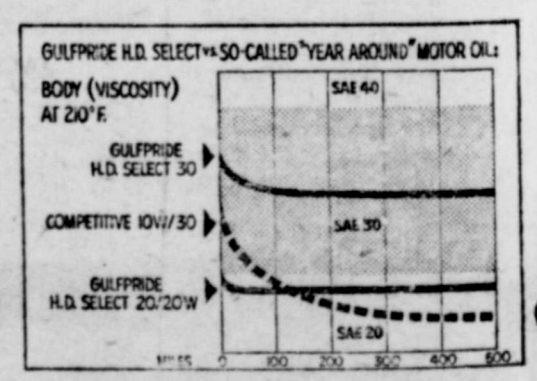


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CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: J. S. Stephenson and wife, L. B. Stephenson; E. L. Doty and wife, F. B. Doty, J. A. Traylor and wife, Sarah J. Traylor, and H. L. Houghton and wife, if married, whose name is unknown; E. Helli-son and wife, if married, whose name is unknown; and Annie Houghton, a feme sole; if living whose places of residence are unknown to Plaintiffs, and if dead, the legal representatives of each of said named Defendants, and the unknown heirs of each of said named Defendants; the legal representatives of the unknown heirs of said named Defendants are dead; the un-

known heirs of the unknown heirs of said named Defendants, if the unknown heirs of the unknown heirs of said named defendants are dead; whose places of residence are unknown to Plaintiffs; defendants, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable 42nd District Court, 42nd 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 the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 18th day of July A. D. 1955 to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 1st day of June A.D.1955, in this cause, numbered 20,450-A on the docket of said court and styled O. H. Davis and wife Berniece Davis, Plaintiffs, J. S. Stephenson and wife, L. B. Stephenson; E. L. Doty and wife, F. B. Doty; J. A. Traylor and wife, Sarah J. Traylor; and H. L. Houghton and wife, if married, whose name is unknown; E. Helli-son and wife, if married, whose name is unknown; and Annie Houghton, a feme sole; if living, whose places of residence are unknown to Plaintiffs, and if dead, the legal representatives of each of said named Defendants, and the unknown heirs of each of said named Defendants; the legal representatives of the unknown heirs of said named Defendants, if the unknown heirs of said named Defendants are dead; the unknown heirs of the unknown heirs of said named defendants, if the unknown heirs of said named defendants are dead; whose places of residences are unknown to Plaintiffs; defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows to-wit: Suit in trespass to try title to establish the ownership for the following described property situated in Taylor County, Texas;

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Texas 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 seal of said court at Abilene, Texas, this 1st day of June A.D. 1955.

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

Bel Canto Chorus Sings In Merkel

The nationally famous Bel Canto Chorus of Boles Orphan Home will be presented at the Church of Christ at Merkel at 8:00 o'clock P. M. June 24th.

The Bel Canto Chorus is currently engaged in its sixth national tour. The singing group was officially organized in 1949, and has gained recognition and acclaim among the churches of Christ throughout the nation. Its travels embrace some 15,000 miles each year. The Bel Canto Chorus has appeared many times on television and nation-wide radio broadcasts. Their recorded songs have been featured on many religious programs.

The program to be presented in this community will be in three sections, embracing hymns and special songs, a section of familiar and commonly used songs and a group of spirituals. Included in the program will be special selections by the boys' Chorus, the girls' Sextet, and the accomplished Bel Canto Chorus Male Quartet.

The Chorus is under the capable direction of 17 year old Paul Robert Oler. It is trained by A. Hugh Graham, musical director of the home. Tex Williams, manager of the Chorus and director of the current tour, will give highlights of the program of Boles Home.

The Boles Home, from which the Chorus comes, is located at Quinlan, Texas, near Dallas, and cares for 275 fatherless boys and girls. It comprises in addition to

the home itself, a public school located on its own campus, church and Bible school plant and industries for the occupation of the young people. The home receives children as young as three years of age and cares for them through high school and college or vocational schools.

The local Church of Christ extends a very cordial invitation to everyone to attend this free concert.

MRS. J. W. TINER HOSTESS TO GOODMAN H. D. CLUB

The Goodman Home Demonstration Club met on Friday, June 10th, in the home of Mrs. J. W. Tiner.

The meeting opened with a prayer led by Mrs. Tiner, with Mrs. Hosea Windham, president, presiding.

Mrs. Grover Blair conducted two games, roll call was answered with "A Sewing Tip," many new and original ideas were given. Minutes of the last meeting were read and approved. Family night was planned for June 11th.

The making of pajamas for the State Tubercular Hospitals was discussed, it was decided that each member would make a pair to bring to the first meeting in July, and the most suitable material, pattern and size was decided upon.

Refreshments were served to eleven members and five children. The next meeting will be on June 24, at the Goodman Community Center, at which time, the County Agent, Miss Jimmie Lou Wainscott will bring the program, and Mrs. Windham will serve as hostess.

VIRGIE WILLIAMS AND NORMAN WALKER TO WED

Mr. and Mrs. Otis A. Williams Sr., of Trent, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Virgie, to Norman Walker, of Pecos. The wedding in the home of her parents will be July 23.

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MRS. NORMAN SLOAN Mrs. Voy Moore has had the mumps, but is doing nicely now.

Mr. Virgil Fraser had surgery at an Abilene Hospital last week.

Mrs. Fred Moore, who had surgery in a Houston hospital is up and reported to be on the mend.

We had quite a bit of hail and high wind on last Tuesday evening. Several fields of cotton were hailed out and the wind did quite a bit of damage to trees and tore up the Sloan's garage. No more of that we hope.

Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Huddleston have a new granddaughter. She is Caroline Nell Woods, daughter of the Walter Woods. Mrs. Woods is the former Nellie Huddleston of this community.

Mrs. J. M. Sloan and grandson, Steve Satterwhite, spent Thursday night in the Maurice Cox home.

Mrs. Norman Sloan, Larry and Derrell visited with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Gregors of Neida, last Wednesday.

Mrs. C. L. Dowell of Lubbock is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. Durwood McCoy for a few days.

The Jack Ramseys of Lubbock have been visiting the C. R. Rogers.

Mr. A. C. Cline and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Robbins and children visited with the M. E. Bowers last week.

Mrs. Ruby McCaleb visited in Haskell Saturday with her mother, Mrs. Mollie Shelton.

The young men at the Hope Church of Christ have been taking the lead in singing and making talks on Sunday evening. They are doing a good job and we want to say thanks to them for taking such an interest in church work.

Bible school has ended at the Baptist Church and commencement exercises were held last Friday evening. They had a regular attendance of fifty seven. After the exercises they had an ice cream party.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Ray and Carrol Don of Knox City, visited Sunday in the Mason Barker home, also visiting them were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Robbins of Abilene.

Three for the Show Comes to Merkel

Columbia Pictures' "Three for the Show," the year's big musical in Cinemascope, stars Betty Grable, dancing Marge and Grover Champion and comedian Jack Lemmon starting Sunday at the Queen Theater. Myron McCormick is featured. Filmed in color by Technicolor, "Three for the Show" has a lively score that includes song hits by George and Ira Gershwin, Hoagy Carmichael and Harold Adamson, among others. Written for the screen by Edward Hope and Leonard Stern, "Three for the Show" is based on a play by W. Somerset Maugham. H. C. Potter directed for producer Jonie Taps.

Mr. and Mrs. Truitt Thompson and son left Friday for California on a vacation trip.

Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Hull and daughters, Keleta, Sherrie and Jane visited their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Bruster, of Moran, Texas this weekend.

5,000 Mexicans Help Make Movie

More than 5,000 native Mexican Indians, soldiers and workmen were employed in the production of "Sitting Bull," new United Artists release filmed in Cinemascope and Eastman Color. Dale Robertson, J. Carrol Naish and Mary Murphy are costarred in "Sitting Bull," which was shot in its entirety on location in the Salazar area of Mexico. The picture, which tells the story behind the massacre of General Custer's command, opens on Friday at the Queen Theater.

Mr. and Mrs. Norman English and daughter, Patsy Ann, of Big Spring, visited her mother and sisters, Mrs. Norman Bond and Sue and Carolyn over the weekend.

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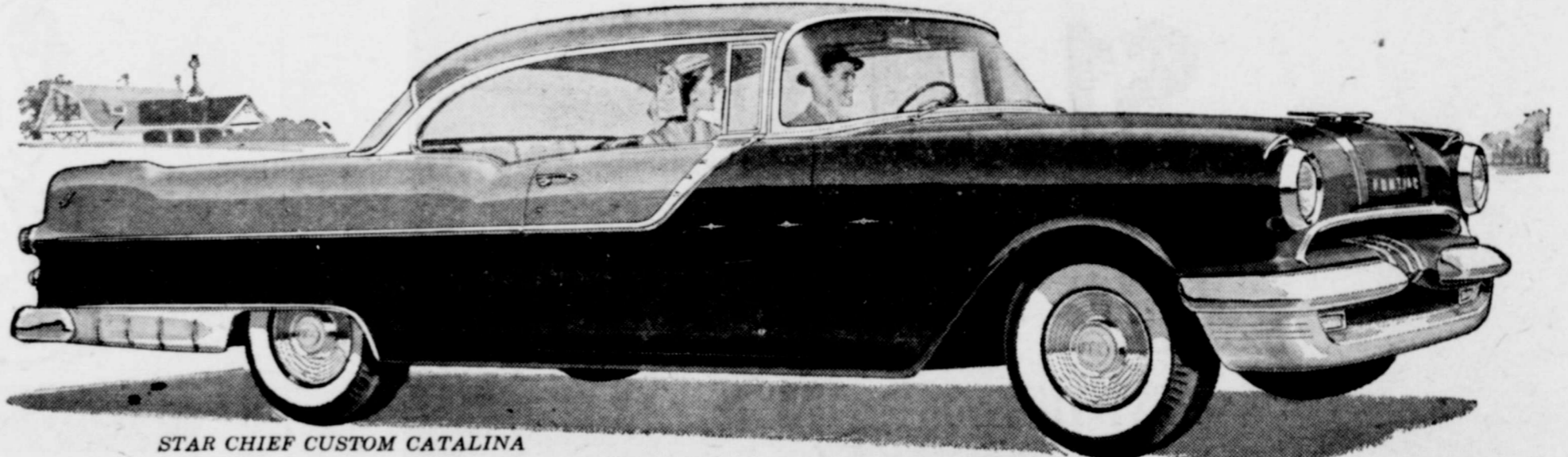
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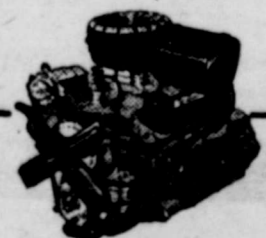
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If this meets your definition of a fine car and you want it, there's nothing in your way. For this description is right off the Pontiac score sheet—a short but perfect picture of this big, powerful, future-fashioned car. And Pontiac's prices fit comfortably into anybody's new-car buying plans!

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OMAR BURLESON
Congressman
17th District

WASHINGTON, D. C. — The Interstate and Foreign Commerce Committee, by a vote of 16 to 15, has approved HR 6645, a bill to amend the Natural Gas Act.

The measure has the effect of overriding the Supreme Court decision which says that the Federal Power Commission has the authority to control the price of natural gas at the wellhead.

Those of us favoring the bill think it has some weaknesses, but it was the best which could be passed by the Committee. There is strong opposition and there is no question it will have "rough sledding" when it reaches the stage for debate in the Congress.

Those from the consuming areas are fearful their gas rates will be increased without Federal con-

trols. Those of us favoring it believe the contrary is true.

Speaking of high utility bills, most of us would have trouble in paying the electric bill at the White House for one month. It runs about \$2500. This amounts to \$30,000 a year.

There are other expenses around the White House which few families could afford to pay if they were given their rent free. There are 34 men and women on the domestic staff to do the general housekeeping chores. These chores are of course considerable, considering the fact that 825,543 people visited the White House last year. This does not include the President's daily callers.

Mr. Lewis L. Strauss, Chairman of the Atomic Energy Commission, says it would be an act of gravest folly to accept without safeguard Russia's proposal for a ban on atomic weapons. Russia repeatedly calls for such a ban, but will not agree to an ironclad inspection system to make sure it is respected.

General Alfred Gruenther, Commander of NATO forces in Europe, testified before my Commit-

tee a few days ago that in war it would be foolish for the free nations to attempt to match man for man against the Communist powers. By doing so, we would be using the conventional weapons. It would be suicide for us and the allies we may have with us.

The argument is made by some that the atomic and hydrogen bombs kill women and children. So does any other type of bomb. So might a bow and arrow if there were enough of them and the fighting was going on in a congested area. The only real answer is no war at all.

Testimony before the Committee on which I serve by our highest military officials disclosed that the defense spending during the past five years averaged about 35.5 billion dollars a year. In the same period, an average of 2.4 billion dollars has been spent for military assistance to American allies.

In all the assistance to foreign countries, 3 out of every 4 dollars have been spent in this country.

Although there is always an element of gamble involved, it still seems wiser to buy a gun, place it in the hands of someone in a foreign country to defend themselves, and thereby defend us, than to wait until a war begins and send our own young manhood to do it for them.

My wife Ruth appeared on television in New York on Ted Mack's Matinee last week, and it was quite an experience for her. It was on a coast-to-coast hookup, and I hope many of you may have seen her.

It says here: "Anytime you expose yourself to a situation where you have everything to lose and nothing to gain, you usually do."

It takes a smart politician to be on both sides of a hot issue but there are some boys who can turn the trick.

Pastures Do Better With Needed Rest

Rest after a rain is the best prescription for drouthy, over-grazed pastures.

Since many ranches are carrying reduced numbers of livestock, producers should be able to defer one-fourth of their grazing lands without damaging the remainder, A. H. Walker, extension range specialist, says. This way many pastures can gain full advantage of recent soaking rains.

Pastures with most native grasses and vegetative cover will make the most recovery in a shorter period of time and should be deferred first, says Walker. Poorer pastures can be rested later since they may require several years to recover.

It's better to remove all livestock from a pasture than to leave it lightly stocked, he adds.

Defer for three to six months, or until frost. But if the grazing is needed sooner, wait at least until the growing grasses mature and drop a seed crop. Deferring promotes seed and plant reproduction in addition to increasing the vigor of existing plants.

The specialist recommends moderately grazing the pasture during the winter. This method provides some forage for livestock and helps distribute plant seed.

Many ranchmen looking over their bare ranges are considering reseeded. In some instances reseeded may be warranted but deferment more often does the job cheaper. If as much as 15 percent of the "key" grasses are left, rest rather than reseed, the specialist suggests.

STUDIES TEXAS METHODS

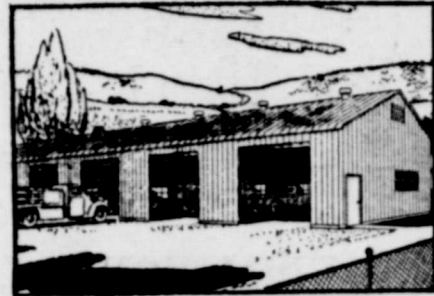
Adolf G. Korn, inspector of high schools in Westphalia, West Germany, visited the University of Texas Education Agency during a two-month U. S. visit to study the American school system.

Liberal use of fertilizers more than quadrupled forage yields of irrigated oat pastures in tests in Zavala county. A combination of 180 pounds of nitrogen and 60 pounds of phosphoric acid per acre produced 5,650 pounds of air-dry forage an acre compared with 1,160 pounds without fertiliz-

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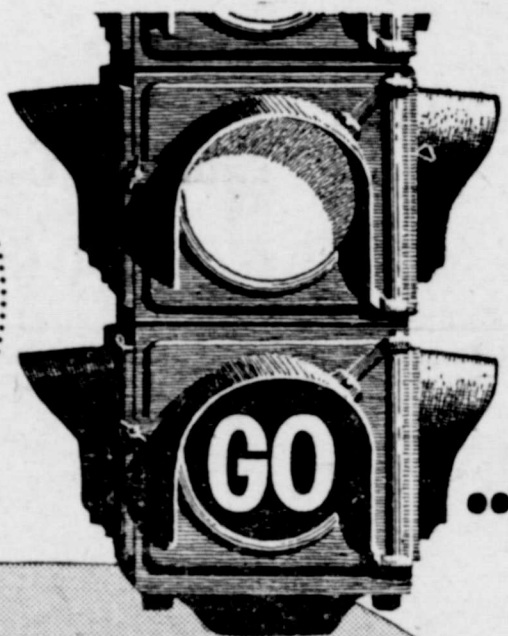
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NOTICE MASONS
 Called meeting of Merkel lodge No. 710, A.F. & A.M. Friday, June 24, at 8:00 p. m. All members are urged to attend. Visiting brethren cordially invited.
 W. R. Mashburn, W. M.
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 FOR SALE: National cash register with detail, like new, Reg. \$140 for \$65. Mac's City Drug. 9-tfc.
 BARGAINS — In used TVs \$75 and up. Badger Chevrolet Co. tf8c.
 WE HAVE SEVERAL repossessed TVs to choose from. Some are real bargains. See them soon at Badger Chevrolet Co. tf1c.

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 FOR SALE — John Deere tractor, good rubber, real cheap, see Edwin Read or Chester Collins' worth. 12-4tp
 FOR SALE — Cushman motor scooter, 5 h.p. Highlander with Buddy Seat. See Ray Wilson 12-tfc.
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 FOR SALE — We are now delivering milk on route 7 days a week, 22c per quart. Would like a few more customers. Phone 9011J1, Higgins and Son. tf1fc.
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 FOR SALE — Registered collies. See Barbara or Mrs. F. T. Bartlett at 112 Yucca Street. 13-3tp.
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NOTICE FOR BIDS
 A contract will be let Monday night, June 27, for the construction of a 5-room teacherage at Trent. Bid sheets may be received at Trent school building, or at either of the Merkel lumber yards. Bids should be mailed or handed to Wray B. Williams, Trent, Texas, by 8 o'clock Monday, June 27. The board reserves the right to reject any or all bids.

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Heatley, J. Doan (6), C. Higgins (3) and Duran.
 Starpats 2 4 0
 Hodge-Palmer 4 2 1
 A. Tittle, L. Lucas and Hernandez, Barnes, Swinney and Dorton.
June 18
 Game to be replayed from bottom of fifth inning.
 Hodge-Palmer leading Bankers, 3-0. J. Swinney on 3rd, D. Doan on second, G. Payne at bat with the count 2 strikes and 1 ball.
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 May 24 Makeup, June 18
 Willies 0 1 0
 Starpats 1 4 0
 B. Higgins and Duran; Lucas and Scott. Home run by Alan Tittle in first for winning run.
June 16
 Starpats 8 6 1
 Bankers 9 9 2
 Hernandez and Scott; Seymore and Heatley.
 Hodge-Palmer 6 5 1
 Willies 0 1 4
 Barnes and Dorton; C. Higgins and Duran.
 The Stith Baptist Church begin its Vacation Bible school Monday June 27th, from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m.
 Registration date will be Friday June 24th, at 2:00 o'clock. Everyone from the age of 2 to 17 is urged to attend.

Hospital Notes
 Those admitted to the Sadler Hospital-Clinic during the past week are:
 Mrs. Ada Duncan, Medical
 Lester Dorton, Medical
 W. S. Eoff, Medical
 Mrs. C. W. Edwards, Medical
 Mrs. Charlie West, Medical
 Mrs. J. M. Beasley, Medical
 Joe Douglas, Surgery
 Len Dokey, Surgery
 Mrs. Genera O'Con, Surgery.

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Hodge-Palmer Leads League After 5 Games

The Hodge-Palmer club leads the Little League after five games, and a delayed start due to rainy weather.
 They have won four and lost one.
 Due to the postponements recently, games will be played on Saturday night until all are made up.
 The schedule for the next three playoffs:
Thursday, June 23
 Starpats vs. Willies
 Bankers vs. Hodge-Palmer
Saturday, June 25
 Bankers vs. Starpats
 Hodge-Palmer vs. Willies
Tuesday, June 28
 Hodge-Palmer vs. Willies
 Bankers vs. Starpats
 Tuesday night the Bankers and Willies battled to an 8-8 draw, called at the end of the ninth because of league rules. They will play a sudden death game, and the team ahead at any given inning will be the winner.
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 Bankers 8 12 2
 Willies 8 9 2
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BUTANE**

(Published in the Merkel Mail June 24, July 1, 8 and 15, 1955)
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, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the herein below following is a true copy.

**CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS**

TO: Abel Cavoza, Defendant,
Greeting:

**YOU ARE HEREBY COM-
MANDED** 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 8th day of August A.D. 1955, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 2nd day of June A.D. 1955, in this cause, numbered 20,585-A on the docket of said court and styled Katie Cavoza, Plaintiff, vs. Abel Cavoza, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff and Defendant were married April 7, 1952, and separated September 12, 1952. One child was born to this union, no property rights have accumulated as result of said marriage.

Plaintiff sues for permanent care and custody of the child, and for divorce on grounds of harsh and cruel treatment, 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 18th day of June A.D. 1955.
(SEAL)

Attest: H. R. Ross, Clery,
42nd District Court
Taylor County, Texas.
By Irene Crawford, Deputy.

**'Conquest of Space'
Coming to Pioneer**

George Pal, the world's foremost producer of science-fiction films, has brought his Academy Award-winning production techniques to new heights in his adventure-thriller "Conquest of Space," coming Friday to the Pioneer Drive-In. Under his hand, Paramount's special effects department has created some of the most awesome and terrifying scenes ever presented on film.

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Murry of Stephenville, Texas and Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Hicks and daughter Mary Kay of Albuquerque, N. M. were weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Largent and visited their father Rev. J. W. Saffle on Father's Day.

Mrs. Mable Dorton spent the weekend with her son and his wife Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McFarland, of Ft. Worth, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Earl Lassiter and daughters of Austin and Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Durning of Plainview were guests in the Earl Lassiter home for Father's Day.

Thursday night visitors in the Babe Tarpley home were Mrs. Gaston Gregory and son Inlo and Donald Peck of Colorado City.

Mrs. Babe Tarpley and children Ghrona and David visited in Anson Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Head. Mr. Head is in the Anson Hospital with a broken neck, he received while at work Sunday. Mrs. Head and Mrs. Tarpley are cousins.

Greta Williamson of Trent will leave this week for Ruidoso, New Mexico, where she will spend the summer in their new cabin.

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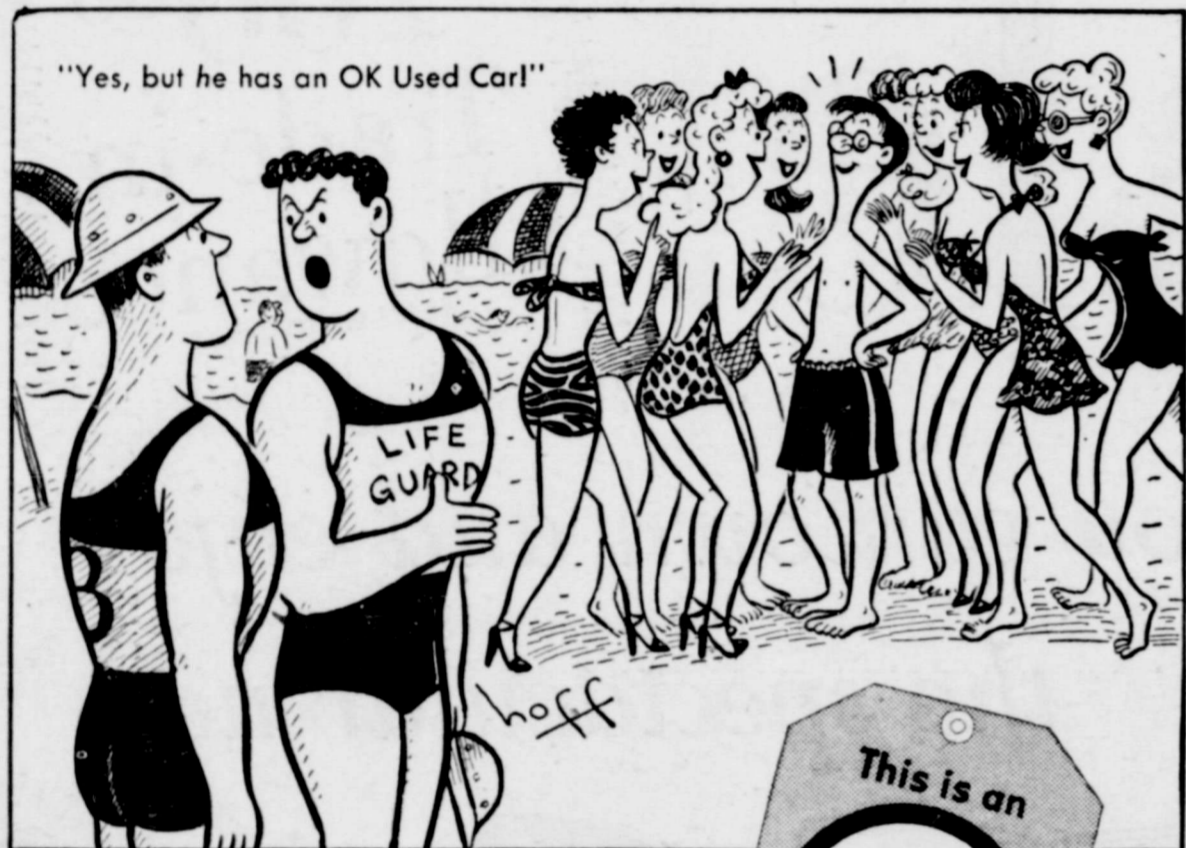
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If you need a good farm pickup, don't overlook this one.
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CAL PETERSON

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Demere Sunday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. John Weston of Snyder, also Mrs. H. Weston of Merkel.

Mr. and Mrs. Gaston Gregory of Colorado City, were guests of their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Babe Tarpley, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Odell Anderson and son Billy Don visited in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Anderson and Mrs. T. H. Russom, also brothers and sisters of Mrs. Anderson on Rt. 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Anderson returned home Monday, Billy Don will visit here for the summer.

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daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Campbell of Wilson, Texas, was married to Jerry Garritt June 11, in Goliad, Texas. Mrs. Garritt has been employed by the Bell-Telephone Co. in Victoria, Texas, for the past eighteen months. They will make their home in Goliad, Texas.

Mrs. Garritt is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Anderson and Mr. and Mrs. John Campbell, on Rt. 3.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Anderson spent the weekend in the home of their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Campbell in Wilson, Texas. Shirley Ann Campbell, returned to her home with her grand-parents, after spending a week here with her cousin, Billy Don Anderson.

Mrs. W. M. White and twin baby daughters, of Pittsburgh, Pa., Mrs. V. L. White, of Cameron, Texas, and Miss Mary White, of Dallas, are visiting in the W. J. Bicknell home of Trent.

Miss Mary Collins returned last Wednesday from Willcox, Ariz. where she spent her vacation with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Collins, and several interesting mountain trips was included in her visit.

James Lewis Wilks, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Wilks of Trent, who recently underwent surgery at Baylor Hospital, was dismissed from the hospital Saturday. He is expected to return to his home this weekend.

RELATIVES GUESTS OF HOLT VAUGHN

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Farris and children, Sandra Kay, and Jacky, of McGee, Miss. and Mrs. Lola Farris of Abilene were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Holt Vaughn last week. Mr. Farris is Mrs. Vaughn's brother and Mrs. Lola Farris is their mother.

A "pot luck" supper was enjoyed by 19 other guests Monday night who came to visit with the out of town relatives. They were Mrs. Henry Farris of Sweetwater, Mrs. S. H. Mays, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mays, Mrs. Art Henke and daughter, Karla Kay, and Donna Crommons all of Anson; Mr. and Mrs. Grover Lollar and children, Jane, Paul, Gene, Sallie and David, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Riney and son Ken, and Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Vaughn of Merkel.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tate and children of Santa Ana, Calif. are visiting her sister Mrs. J. W. Barbee and family, and other relatives in Abilene. Mrs. Tate is a former resident of Merkel, and is the daughter of D. D. Coats of Frederick, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Royce Springate and sons of Sunndmeade, Calif. are visiting her mother, Mrs. J. W. Barbee, and sister, in Abilene.

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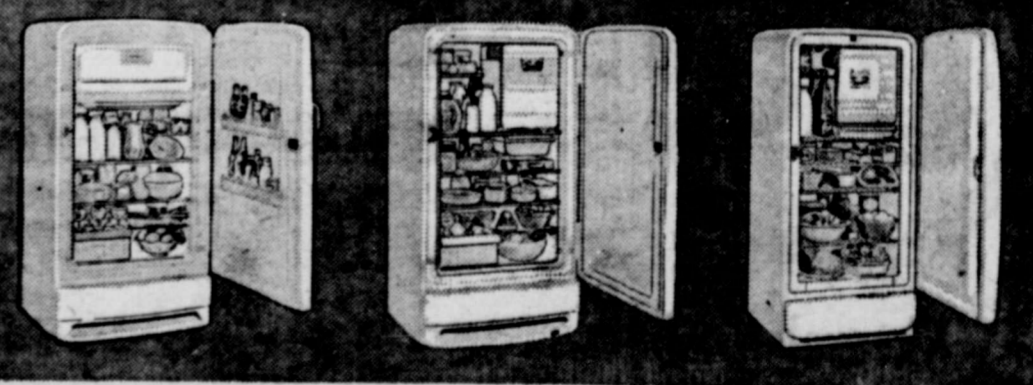
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Water Still Gets The Same Old Treatment

The water you get from your kitchen faucet is probably being treated and purified by techniques that haven't changed in the past 20 years.

In fact, little is known about water purification in Texas and

the techniques are so far behind the times that extensive research should begin immediately to improve the situation in the interest of better public health.

But funds must be made available if such research is to be done.

That's the essence of a report from the committee on research needs of the Texas Water and Sanitation Research Foundation.

Chairman of the committee is Dr. J. K. Silvey, chairman of the division of science at North Texas State College in Denton. Other members are G. R. Herzik, chief engineer, bureau of sanitary engineers, State Health Department, and W. T. Ballard of Tyler, district engineer for the department.

In a report for the group, Dr. Silvey urged investigation to overcome the "many unknowns" in proper water purification so that "this precious natural commodity may be furnished to the consumer in a fashion equivalent to other items used in the household."

Under research problems that should receive immediate attention, Dr. Silvey listed:

1. Plastic pipes are now widely used in water processing and distribution, but studies haven't been made in this part of the nation concerning toxicity, durability, and the effect of chlorination and temperature changes. "Before too much water that is exposed to the plastics is produced for human consumption, research should . . . determine its true value from the standpoint of economics and public health," says the report.

2. The bacterial flora of southwestern water distribution studies have not been completely studied. Yet most of the organisms that are being isolated from water pipes and outlets appear to be of "considerable public health importance."

"It is possible that many mild epidemics may be attributed to water borne organisms that have not been studied . . . We believe this problem to be of unusual importance in promoting better pub-

lic health," Silvey wrote.

3. Virus diseases have been attributed to air borne, food, or contact sources, yet we have little information on the relationship of viruses in water supply. We need to know how viruses will survive in water and how they may be removed from water.

From the civil defense standpoint this information becomes important, says the foundation, since viruses could be easily introduced into any water supply and be "completely undetected by normal plant procedures, resulting in serious consequences."

4. The Southwest is plagued with taste and odor problems in its water supply. Water researchers have learned that high quantities of taste and odor compounds may be "frequently accompanied by epidemics of illness in the towns and by a general systemic distribution in the population consuming the water."

5. Water shortages could be alleviated in some cases if we had already developed techniques for re-using contaminated water. Dr. Silvey believes that "research in the field of re-use of water with particular emphasis on filtration and lagooning systems might be worth many millions of dollars to Texas in a few years."

In addition to these five immediate needs, the Texas Water and Sanitation Research Foundation is also concerned with other water purification problems. Dr. Silvey's report for the research needs committee listed these:

1. Outdoor swimming pools have difficulty in maintaining self-sterilizing conditions with chlorine. Investigation might show bromine to be a more effective agent.

2. Tastes and odors from underground water have been increasing in recent years, and research is needed to determine their cause and correction.

3. Treatment of clear water that is free of suspended materials is difficult, and we do not know whether disease-producing organisms are being effectively controlled in such cases.

4. In this region where variations in temperature are great and where animal and plant parasites are usually prevalent, more information is needed about more effective materials for filtering water. "Special attention should be given to the adaptability of filter media for removing organisms causing amoebic dysentery," the report urges.

5. Accurate information is needed on future per capita water consumption as a result of drought conditions in various sections of the state.

6. Housewives in most Texas cities sometimes find "red water" flowing into their dishwater and washing machines. We need to know the cause of corrosion in various parts of the state in order to eliminate the red water.

7. Millions of gallons of water that are now too highly mineralized for irrigation or water supplies could become available if constant research could develop a demineralization technique.

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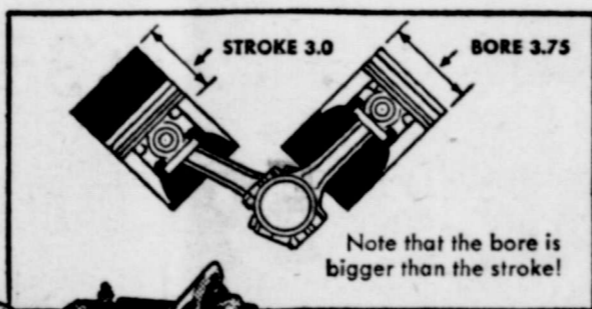
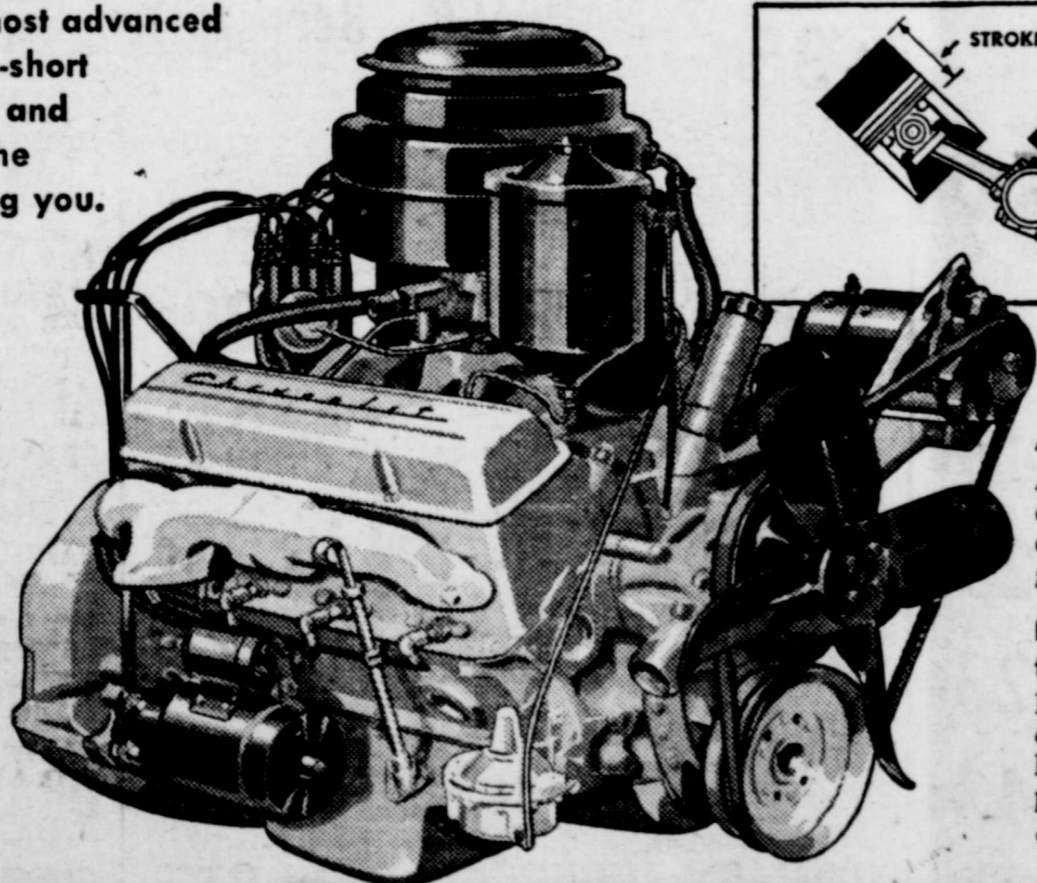
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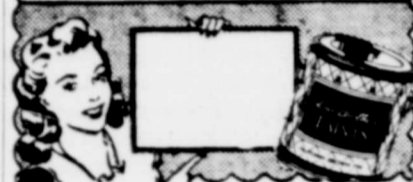


Mr. and Mrs. Alf Walla and family returned Sunday night, after a visit in Caddo, Okla. with Mrs. Agnes Walla and other relatives. Mrs. Idell Maglione accompanied them home for a few days visit before returning to her home in Los Angeles, Calif., by plane.

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KING FAMILY RETURN
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