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FUNDS BEING RAISED FOR LEUKEMIA VICTIM

nine-year-old Abilene schoolboy who found out three weeks ago Mrs. R. M. Doggett of Clyde. he has leukemia, had climbed to

\$253 Monday, according to Marvin Sanders, Abilene policeman. Randy, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. Williams of 2034 N. 19th St.,

Abilene, is in St. Ann Hospital. In addition to the cash contributions, a number of persons have agreed to give blood. He has had to have four transfusions in two weeks.

Funds are being raised by

A fund for Randy Williams, friends of the family, including Sanders, A. 2.C Ted Bland and

> Contributions have been made by several policemen, and business firms throughout the city.

> Williams recently became truck driver for W. P. Wright & Son oil distributors. Before moving to Abilene, the family lived in Merkel. Randy was a third grade student at College Heights Elementary School in Abilene before being hospitalized.

Although the fund is not being sponsored by the Police Dept. as body, contributions can be made to the Randy Williams fund mailed in care of the Abilene Police Dept., N. 2nd and Cedar Sts., Sanders said.



SUGGESTION WINS AWARD-Metal shop supervisor, Harold L. Kennedy, presents Will B. Hendon, Route 2, Merkel, with a check for \$15 for an approved suggestion under the Dyess Air Force Base suggestions program.



yard improvement and clean-up Winners were Ruth Cooley, campaign sponsored by the Gar- | first: Raymond Richey and James den Club and Chamber of Com- Lewis, second; Richard Walker, merce were announced this week. third: Randy Carson and Nealon Receiving the Chamber of Com- Ray McWilliams, Rickey Herring merce cash awards were Mr. and and Tim Beasley.

Mrs. Brandion Wade, 206 Oak St., Two hundred dollars of the Mr. and Mrs. Henry Farr, 406 money made on the queen con-Runnels, and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. test will be used for improvement Coop, 408 Locust St. of the elementary school grounds. Merkel Elementary School won A committee from the Garden

the \$10 prize offered by Mrs. W. Club, composed of Mrs. B. F. T. Sadler, president of the Merkel Jones. Mrs. S. D. Gamble, Mrs. A potted plant, presented by lins will work with the P-TA on

Hazel Pargament's room for sell- the money. ing the most tickets in the "litter

the queen contest, gave prizes to

Approximately 70 per cent of I really don't know what time we

POLITICAL MRETING

Rep. Max Carriker of Roby will be the speaker for a meeting sponsored by local Democrats Thursday, Oct. 20, in Taylor Electric auditorium at 7:30 p.m.

The meeting, which will concern the coming election, will be open to the public, regardless of party affiliation.

Mrs. John Hardesty, chairman of local Democratic women, and Mrs, Earle Watts are in charge of arrangements for the event.

Womble Is Dist. Head Of Texas **Demos For Nixon** John Womble, Abilene business

and civic leader, has accepted appointment as chairman of he 24th State Senatorial District for the Texas Democrats for Nixon-Lodge campaign, it was an-

rounced Womble's appointment was nade by former Governor Allan Shivers, state chairman of the Nixon-Lodge campaign among he Demorcrats.

Womble said today that heavy emphasis would be laid during the campaign in his district on

the socialistic aspects of the Kennedy platform as compared with Texans' philosophy of govern ment.

"The Kennedy platform is for nearly everything Texans are against, and against nearly ev erything Texans are for," said.

"I agree wholeheartedly with Former Governor Shivers that wander off with Kennedy and his 'new frontiers' when the world is on fire and needs experience and maturity at the helm."

Womble said he, like thousands have their practice driver's liof other Texans were convinced cense and are ready for behindthat the platform on which Kennedy - Johnson ticket was basing said. its campaign would lead to a further concentration of federal ening of local and state govern- Mary Feller, Linda Henager, Canments.

our problems today can be found | inch. Ronnie Scott, Brenda Tittle in the State Democratic platform, and Bobby Williams. adopted a few weeks ago in Dal-

las. which is in direct conflict with and repudiates the Kennedy Pick Up Birds platform.

"And in accepting this ap-pointment I am happy to be able Is Advice From to say I support the principles and purposes of the State Democratic platform, as directed by our Texas delegates to the State ing to T.C.U. for "band-day". Most

Merkel Man's

Funeral for Leonard L. Tye,

convention." The 24th district embraces the Game and Fish Commission.

RAIN CAUSES SEVERE CROP DAMAGE IN AREA With the cotton harvest

complete, the past seven days of showered hail stones larger than wet weather has caused consid- a baseball on the area, was reerable crop damage throughout ported to be the worst in the histhis area. Forty minutes of hail in the

center of Mulberry Canyon stripped the cotton and caused an estimated damage of \$2,700 to Pio-

sonage. Tom Russom, who farms in falling Wednesday afternoon. hat area, reports his crop a toal loss with some of his neighbors reporting anywhere from 50 sured of a good winter grass crop.

per cent to total loss.

Trent Driver Ed Students Finish Classroom Work

Wray Williams, superintendent of Trent schools and driver education teacher, expressed grati- days ago, after the beginning of this country cannot afford to tude to Badger Chevrolet for the use of a new 1960 Chevrolet Impala for his class.

Having completed their 30 hours of classroom work, students now forty minutes. Some of the stones

the wheel instruction, Williams Members of the class are De-

lores Barnes, Douglas Barnhart, government power and a weak- Mike Carriker, Keith Claborn,

dy Higgins, Sue King, Stephen "The most sensible approach to Kiser, Lee Lanning, Betty McAn-

Warden Chief

'Pick up those birds," warns the director of law enforcement,

following counties: Borden, Scur- "Some hunters are careless about ry, Fisher, Jones, Shackelford, recovering their kills when they

tory of the Canyon.

About two inches of rain was gauged at Merkel Fire Station by Chester McWilliams. A one mile north of Merkel, regisneer Memorial Church and par- tered three inches for the seven day total, with light rain still

Ranges were benefitted from the moisture. Stockmen were as-

P THE CANVO By Tom Russom

A lot of things have happened since we wrote our last column

The worst hail storm in the history of the Canyon swept across parts of the Canyon a few a real slow rain.

There was a puff of wind and the hail started, which lasted for were up to the size of a baseball.

Roofs on dwelling houses were badly damaged. The Pioneer church and parsonage roofs were total loss

The homes of Tom Russom, T. J. Neill and A. D. Scott were heavily damaged.

The storm started around Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Meeks' place, just north of Pioneer church, and traveled east to the R. G. Toombs nad Joe Shymore places.

Crops were almos tcompletely wiped out. Some fields had not had a sack in them and now probably won't.

Up to three inches of rain has fallen up the Canyon during the past few days.

> Allen King reports a very light lace on the



Carroll Benson and Christine Col-

the Garden Club, went to Mrs. plans as to the best way to spend

bug" queen contest. Christine Collins, chairman of

a cerebral hemorrhage early Saturday at a Frederick, Okla., **Rites Held Here** Funeral was held at 2:30 p.m. Monday at Merkel First Methodist Church, with the Rev. Alvis Cool-

Garden Club.

Community Fund the six best "litter bug" posters Drive Pledges **Total \$3142**

ey, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Rose Hill Cemetery.

RANDY WILLIAMS

Dolph D. Coats, 80, former

longtime Merkel resident, died of

Dolph D. Coats,

Former Merkel

Resident, Dies

hospital.

Mr. Coats was born Oct. 17, 1879, at Mesquite and moved to 12:10 p.m. Sunday at the home Merkel when he was 10 years old. In 1898 he married Allie Pannell at Merkel. She died in 1947.

Mr. Coats moved to Frederick about 10 years ago.

Surviving are two daughters, University of Texas and began a Mrs. J. W. Barbee of Abilene and Mrs. Marjorie Tate of Santa An- at Breckenridge. na Calif.; three sons, Ralph B. and A. D., both of Abilene, and Clayton of Big Spring: 28 grandof the music department children and 36 great-grandchil-Orange Cove, Calif. dren; two sisters, Mrs. L. W. Cox of Merkel and Mrs. M. D. Daniels she moved with her parents to of Del Rio; one brother, Tom Coats of Merkel: two half sisters, in Taylor County public schools. Mrs. Reese Hail of Merkel and Mrs. Bem Clark of Wichita, Kan.: two half-brothers, Roy Coats of el. Burial was in Rose Hill Ceme-Nevada and John D. Coats of terv at Merkel. Austin.

Cemetery Fund

The following persons made contributions to the Merkel Cemetery Association fund for the week ending Saturday Oct. 15: Guy Brown

Mrs. R. H. Hobbs Mrs. Gertrude Brookreson **Frances Marie Bryant**

NOTICE

Baked Ham The Merkel - Haskell Junior Green Beans High football game scheduled for Macaroni & Tomatoes Tuesday night was postponed and Homemade Rolls will be played here Thursday Fruit might at 7 p.m.

Corn Dogs Lambda Beta Chapter of Beta **Red Beans** Sigma Phi will sponsor a Hallow-Apple & Cabbage Salad een Carnival at Merkel Commu-Cornbread nity Center Monday, Oct. 31. Pudding

Joe Knights Move Here From Odessa Mr. and Mrs. Joe Knight and

daughters, Pam, 5, and Teresa, 3, Tuna Sandwiches moved to Merkel recently from Soup Fruit Pie Odessa. They are living with his mother, Mrs. T. J. Knight, 1409 S. 2nd Hamburgers Beans Knight, a brick mason, is em- Lettuce. Tomatoes & Onions Fresh Grapes ployed in Abilene.



Mission.

Chicken Pie

Bread

Fruit Pie

Blackeyed Peas

Lettuce Salad

School Menu

Monday

Tuesday

Wednesday

Thursday

Friday

(Subject to change)

EXHILARATION EXHILLARATION EXHILERATION (Meaning the act of enlivement) See answer on Classified Page

nity Fund for 1960 has been Miss Emma Nalley, 64, former pledged to date, according to longtime Texas teacher, died at David Gamble, chairman. A total of \$3142 of the \$4450 of a sister, Mrs. Frank Bradley needed has been collected or

pledged, Gamble said. All pledge at 2115 Parramore Ave. cards have not been worked, he She had been ill several months. added, and anyone who has not She received her education at been contacted may leave their Abilene Christian College and the contribution at Merkel Drug or 40 - year teaching career in 1920 the Chamber of Commerce office.

The Community Fund drive is being conducted in Merkel for For the last 15 years, before moving to Abilene, she was head the first time this year and will relieve citizens of the responsiat bility of having to participate in a number of drives throughout Born Oct. 5, 1896 at Saron, Tex.,

the year. Disbursements in accordance Trent in 1903 and was educated with the pledges have been made to the participating agencies, and Funeral was held at 3 p.m. it is hoped that additional pledg-Monday in Kiker - Warren Chapes will be received to make it possible to reach Merkel's goal. Organizations included in the

Surviving are three sisters. budget are the Red Cross, Girl Mrs. M. G. Bryan of Rt. 1, Trent, Scouts, National Heart Fund, Mrs. W. E. Clements and Mrs. Boy Scouts, West Texas Rehabil-Bradley of Abilene; three brothitation Center, Livestock Show ers, Joe Nalley of Trent, W. C. and local contingencies. of West Columbia, Tex., and Roy

of Corpus Christi: one half-sister, Sister Of Merkel Mrs. C. T. Nanney of Mason; one half -brother, Jesse Nalley of Woman Dies At 73 Mrs. Ida Mae Elder, 73, sister

of Mrs. O. R. Douglas of Merkel, died at 1:30 p.m. Friday in a Big Spring hospital. She had been ill since September. Born Jan. 11, 1887, at Green-

ville, Tex., she moved to Big Spring from Baird in 1929. Her husband, R. A. Elder, died 1950. Mrs. Elder was a member of

the First Christian Church. Surviving are a son, D. F. Elder of Dallas and a daughter, Miss Robbie Elder of Big Spring; five sisters, Mrs. Frank Williams of Bladwin Park, Colo., Mrs. Mabel Jerden of Morton, Mrs. Hazel

Green of Abilene and Mrs. Douglas of Merkel; two brothers, C. D. Taylor of Clyde and O. E. Taylor of Fort Worth; and two grand children.

Eighth Grade Students

Name Robertson Head Rodney Robertson was named president of Mrs. Norman Winter's eighth grade room at a meeting held recently. Other officers elected were

Mack Dorton, vice president; Ale-Charles Dannheim, fire captain. lication.

Aleta Scott and Dianne Perry Sarah has won five medals and were appointed student librarians, two first place trophies since she Merkel and was graduated from Mary Williams was named to the started twirling lessons in the Merkel High School, She was a annual staff.

will leave but I imagine that it will be before the chickens get up. Regardless of such minor delor. tails, everyone will probably have

a wonderful time - don't they always.

of the students are looking for-

ward to it-wih a few exceptions.

Beth Mewborn has a few plans **Brother Dies** of her own for this little trip. Should we say that she is planning between the lines?

68 was held Sept. 28 at Oak Lester Dorton has a new title Grove Baptist Church in Tarir his speech class-"Gorgy Porrant County with the pastor, Dr. gy"-He has been kissing those Virtus Gideon, officiating, assi girls and making them cry. ed by Dr. Cal Guy.

Burial was in Tye Cemetery. Phil Seymore has discovered an Mr. Tye died at 12:25 a.m. Sept. excuse as old as a horse buggy-27 in a Fort Worth hospital where It seems that he and Sandy Hale he had been undergoing treatgot stuck one night last weekment for lung cancer for several but don't think to deeply on the wooks subject-he got stuck on her lawn. Whatever he was doing up Church community, Mr. Tye there we will never know.

Maxine Patterson was elected F. F. A. Sweetheart last week. An honor that we were all glad that she received.

This week we play Wylie, our first conference game of the year. The game will be at Wylie-and all of you Badger-backers remember and be there. This is one game we intend to win-but regardless of the fact that the boys will do their best, it takes backing to really boost the school spirit-so all of you people come.

Thursday and Friday afternoons we won't have school because of Parent and Teacher Conference days. All of the kids are just torn up because of it - but we know that all of you mama's and dad-

dy's have just been waiting breathlessly to find out why your little darlings haven't been mak ing A's.

Sarah Harris In Twirling 'Who's Who'

Sarah Harris, 14, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Harris, is list- after a 45-year teaching career in ed in "Who's Who" in the 1960 West Central Texas. National Baton Twirling magazine.

Sarah's instructor is Mrs. J. F. teaching years in Hamlin. She Dozier of Anson who is in charge taught in Taylor, Jones, Fisher, let explaining the 1960 Amendof the Anson Twirling Corps The Eastland and Robertson counties, ments to: ta Scott, secretary - treasurer; Corps, which has won 16 trophies serving several terms as a grade Cherry Davis, reporter; Lois Giv- and placed second in the state school principal. ens and Lonnie Thompson, stud- twirling meet held in Abilene in

ent council representatives and August, is also listed in the pub-

fourth grade.

go into the field to hunt doves side of the Canyon. Dickens, Garza, Kent, Stonewall, Howard, Mitchell, Nolan and Tayand whitewings. These people are

W. T. Perry and Sam Butman, detrimental to the honest and responsible hunters and fail to see stockmen on the Divide, report the damage this causes to the very light rains, and no hail. bird crop.' Jackie Riney, one of our fine

The director encourages every young boys, has 34 acres in cothunter to make an honest attempt ton, which is almost a total loss. to search out any and all the birds He had planned to use the monkilled or wounded. He reminds ey for college.

shotgunners that picking a stand Mrs. Willie Perry of Abilene is important to the recovery of visited her son and family, Mr. birds. First, don't shoot a bird and Mrs. W. T. Perry, the past if it will fall into heavy brush. weekend and attended Pionee "It's best to let the bird escape than to waste it." he said.

Second, if you shoot a bird, be certain to mark it even if it falls into an open field. "Get line on something in the background and walk straight toward it keeping

sharp eye on the ground. A dove Born and reared in the White blends well with the soil in most areas.'

moved to the Oak Grove commu-One reminder suggested by the ity in 1917. He was a World War warden chief is that "even if a hunter fails to recover his birds, he had better keep a close count of them. Wardens will be in most areas. and they will apprehend hunter for shooting more than his limit, whether he picks them

up or not.' Those hunters who abide by the law and have faith in rules and regulations can help themselves by reminding irresponsible huntors who leave their birds lie, that it's wrong, and can't be tolerated.

If it continues, report them to a game warden.

Book Available On SS Changes

The 1960 Amendments to the Social Security Act made a number of changes that are of interest to and fafect many in this area.

For detailed informations on drick Memorial Hospital, was the removal of age 50 as a reheld at 2:30 p.m. Saturday at the quirement for disability benefits, eral from this community attend-Fairmont Methodist Church, Abishortening of time required to be

insured for retirement or surviv-Burial was in Cedar Hill or benefits, changes in the way Cemetery directed by Elliott's excess earnings (over \$1200 in a year) by a beneficiary are charg-Miss Moore retired last year

ed against his benefits, etc., clip and fill out the coupon below. and mail it to the Social Security A native of Taylor County, Miss Administration, Box 5168, Abi-Foore spent 32 of her school lene, Texas.

Please mail a copy of the book-

At the time of her death, she (Name) was living with an aunt Mrs. Martha Musick, at 1126 Palm St. (Mailing Address) She was born Dec. 8, 1890, near graduate of McMurry College. (City)

Memorial church here Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Gary Rust of Cisco were weekend visitors in the home of her parents, and Mrs. W. T. Perry. Mr. and Mrs. Tom Blair of Fort Worth spent the week-end in the homes of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Riney, and brother, Mr and Mrs. Grover Blair. Mr. Blair is reported to be improving

satisfactorily Mr. and Mrs. Earle Watts and daughter, Nancy, and Betty Jane Tittle, all of Merkel, attended services at Pioneer Memorial church here Sunday, Earle was lay speaker at the morning ser-

Mrs. Osward Everett, who underwent surgery a few days ago at Hendrick hospital. Abilene, is reported to be doing fine. She is now at her home in Merkel.

Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Toombs and Mrs. Joe Seymore were in Fort Worth recently where they went to take their mother, Mrs. R. G. Toombs of Merkel, who is visiting her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Perry.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brnovak have returned from Temple where they attended funeral service for Frank's foster mother. Dewell McLean was lay speak er at the Sylvester Methodist church Sunday night. Charlie Byers, a former member of Pioneer Memorial church, is pastor. Sev-

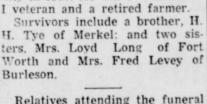
Club Addison of Blair reported three inches of rain fell at Blair



Mr. and Mrs. Bob Gurganus of Wilson, North Carolina, announce the birth of a daughter, Jacqueline, on Thursday, Sept. 22. Mrs. Gurganus is the former Leta Hester, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Hester of Merkel.

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H. Tye of Merkel: and two sis-Burleson. Relatives attending the funeral

of Leonard L. Tye were his brother H. H. Tye of Merkel: Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jack Tye of Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Brown and Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Brown of Merkel: Mr. and Mrs. Andy E. Brown of Sweetwater; Frank Tye of Amarillo; Orby Tye f Floydada and Mr. and Mrs.

Alvah Hutchins of Dennis.

Retired Teacher

lone

Dies In Abilene Funeral for Miss Georgia Moore 69, a retired teacher who died at 8:15 p.m. Thursday at Hen-

Funeral Home.

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Tarleton College **Homecoming** Set

came home with a sizable portion Homecoming festivities for of the well known "bacon," plac-Tarleton State College have been ing second against stiff competischeduled for Saturday, Oct. 22. tion in the Parade of Pioneers. The day-long program will fea-Winters won first place and Slature registration from 8-9:30 a.m.; ton ranked third. Miss Ashburn a parade at 10 a.m.; a football and Director Richard Young ac game between TSC and Wharton companied the two units. County Junior College at 1:30 The Salt Branch Home Demp.m. and a Homecoming dance at 7:30 p.m. onstration club won third place n the home demonstration ex-Approximately 10 former homehibit at the West Texsa Fair. coming queens will attend the Twenty - five elubs in four counevent this year to represent classties are included in the exhibit.

es dating to 1922 The classes of 1926, 1927 and stable won second prize in the 1928 will hold a reunion during four-year-old gelding class and the day. Tarleton State College was class at the second annual Palofounded in 1899 and has been a co-educational institution for 61 vears. In 1917 it became a statesupported college and a part of the Texas A&M System

Mrs. Orsborn's Room Elects New Officers

Evans, reporter

Mrs. Osborn's sixth grade room class. elected officers Oct. 12 for the Edgar Bradley, son of Mr. and second six weeks of school. Mrs. Edgar Bradley of Merkel. Officers elected were Wynona has qualified for members ip in Doan, president: Randy Carson, the celebrated Cowboy band vice president; Randy Dunagin, Hardin-Simmons university. He pecretary - treasurer; and Nancy is a third year member and

Mrs. S. M. Hunter of Merkel, was Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Doan of elected this week to Alpha Chi Amarillo were weekend visitors by members of the McMurry colin the homes of their parents, lege faculty. He is a junior stud-Mr. and Mrs. Carl Doan and Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Jacobs.

Mrs. Nell Campbell of Munday this week by the McMurry col-

ent majoring in history. Hazel Williamson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Williamson of Trent, was elected to Alpha Chi

20 YEARS AGO

The Badger band and Pep

Squad trooped to Abilene and

fifth in the two-year old stallion

mino show at the West Texas

In the list of prize winners an

counced Tuesday in the open

steer classification of the Here-

ford show at the State Fair of

Texas at Dallas W. J. Largent and Son of Merkel won first

lace in the senior steer calves

Marvin Hunter, son of Mr. and

Fair this week.

plays the flute.

spent the past week in the home lege faculty. She is president of of her son and family, the Rev. Alpha Theta Nu and holds an ofand Mrs. Mart Hardin and chil- fice in the Volunteer Mission band

40 Years Ago

W. D. Hutcheson and Seth Hamilton of the Crown Hardware Company, left Tuesday for a business trip to Dallas and incidentally to visit the State Fair.

Si Hamm, who formally was with the Everybody's Confectionary is now with Sanders Drug Company. Mr. Hamm has a number of years of experience in the Drug business and we predict success for him at his new posi-

Miss Christene Collins left last Saturday for Dallas where she will attend the Dallas Fair. Dr. Chas. F. Williams is

Dallas this week attending the State Fair, and looking after business matters.

len Booth's eleventh birthday. We are informed that Mr. W R. Cox and Miss Evylen Woolen both splendid young people of Merkel, quietly stole away from their host of friends and went down to Abilene on last Sunday morning where the Rev. J. W. Hunt, of St. Paul's Methodist church pronounced the word that made them man and wife.

and daughter, Linda, were visitors in the home of Mr. Amason's Dr. W. T. Sadler's Palomino father, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Ama- ter, Mrs. W. T. Bradberry, and son, Sunday.

Robinsons Mark 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. I. H. (Bum) Robinson celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday, Oct. 16, with open house from 2 p.m. to 5 p.m. at their home in Sweetwater.

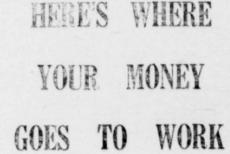
Mr. and Mrs. Robinson married in Gustine in 1910. She was the Mr. and Mrs. Baylor Amason former Ida Williams. They have lived in Comanche, Taylor and Nolan counties.

The Robinsons have one daughthree grandsons, Billy, Denvil and Wilton, all of Big Spring.

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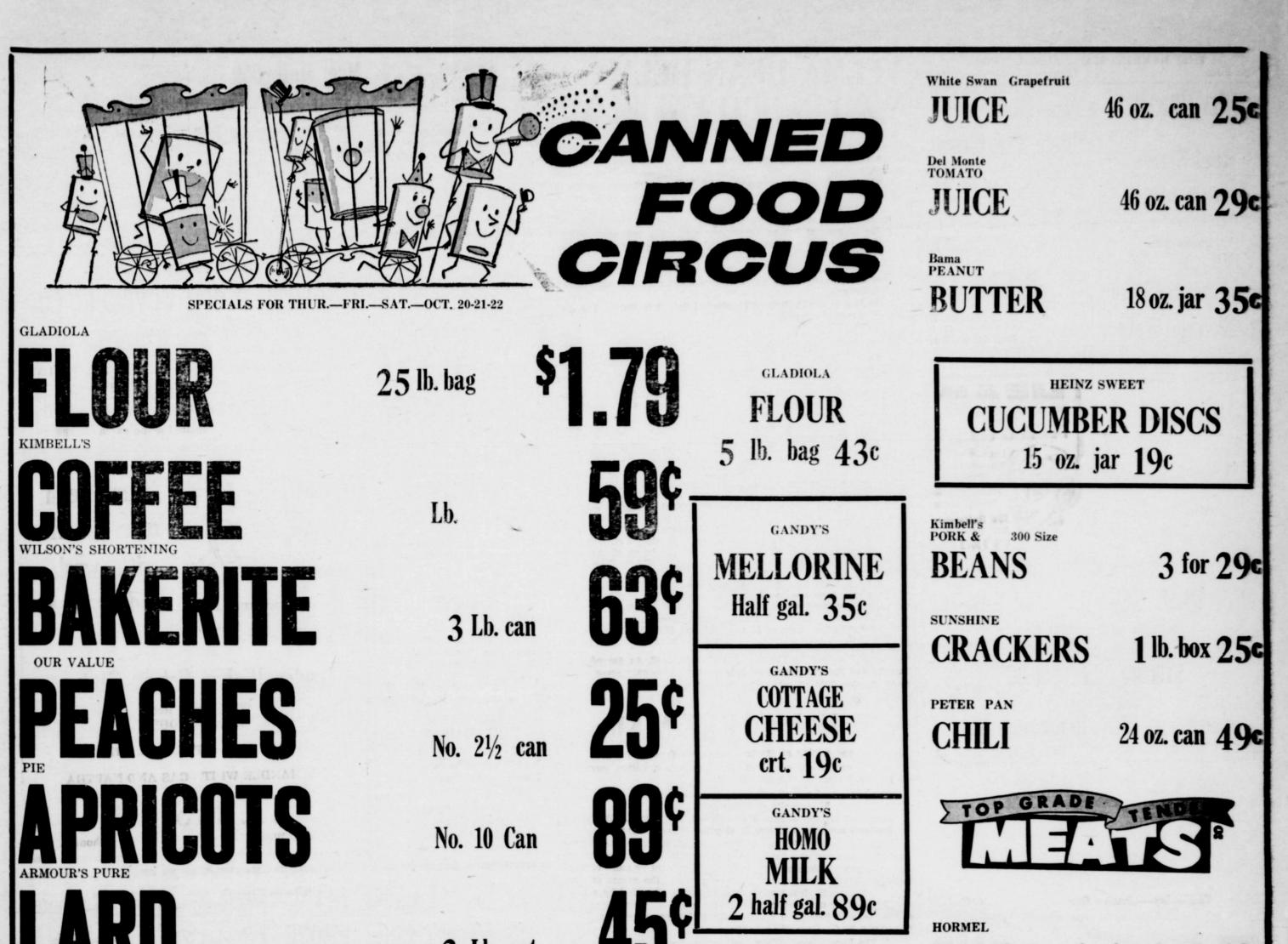
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Mrs. Mansfield **Hosts TEL Class**

The T. E. L. Sunday School church pastor. Class of the First Baptist Church mot in the home of Mrs. John Manslie'd Wednesday Oct. 5. Mrs. F. W. King opened the meeting with a prayer. Devolionbrought by Mrs. T. J. Bird.

Refreshments of pumpkin pie with whipped cream and coffee Dr. James H. Chaney was served to the following memers: Mmes, Lucy Ford, Ira Moore Bird, King, Eunice Mas-Dr. Eleanor Weldon sev. David Anderson, T. C. Satterwhite and Miss Selena Teaff.



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VELMA DEAN HELM WED IN BROWNF

Velma Dean Helm, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. Luther J. Helm, became the bride of the Rev. Loyd K. Quesenberry Oct. 1 in a ceremony read in Parkview Methodist Church by the bride's father,

The Rev. Quesenberry, pastor of St. Luke's Methodist Church in Mrs. Jessie Lenior visited Sunday Quanah, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Quesenberry of Muleshoe.

The bride's grandfather, J. M. Robertson of Comanche, gave her in marriage. Honor attendants were Lola Nell Cavitt of Sweetwater and Joe Kilgore of Roscoe.

The bride was graduated from Lakeview High School and for the past three years has attended McMurry College.

The Rev. Quesenberry was graduated from Muleshoe High School and received his bachelor of arts degree from Texas Technological College.

He is a senior at Perkins Theological School in Dallas. The couple will reside in Quanah.

By Mrs. Fritz Hale

and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Man-

ing Oklahoma State college.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Berry cel-

It is raining at Stith this morn-

Miss McRee Heads Inion Ridge Club

Miss Mable McRee was named sident of the Union Ridge ing. We have had 11% inches of me Demonstration Club at a rain and are very thankful that eeting in the home of Mrs. O. we have had no damaging wind Harwell Thursday, Sept. 30. | and hail The meeting opened with the HDA prayer. Mrs. Harwell pre- the past weekend at Stillwater. Roll call was answered with Current Events". Other officers elected were rs. Harwell, vice president; M-/

R. Douglas, council delegate; ebrated their 55th wedding anni-Irs. J. H. Clark, treasurer; Mrs. dinner in the home of their son. Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Berry of larwell, reporter. Members of the club went to Abilene. Those present for the

ently where they sponsored a cher Jones. Mr. and Mrs. Olin Potts. Mrs. Bud Lilly and Vickie, birthday party for Ward 13. Next meeting will be at 2:30 and the honorees. p.m. Friday in the home of Mrs. Mr and Mrs. J. B. Harris. Mr. . C. Walton. and Mrs. Curtis Clyburn and Mr.

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and Mrs. Fred Perry sponsored a picnic and hot-dog supper at the McCoy tank Friday night for the young people of the Baptist church.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bedford and baby of Henrietta spent the weeknd with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harris and Lonnie and

Johnia Mr. and Mrs. Ted Hudson and hostess. in Haskell with Mrs. Kenneth

ell and children. Gerald Jennings of Noodle visted the Rev. Jesse Swindell Sun-

lay aftern The Stith Baptist plan to call postor Sunday morning, Memrs are urged to be present. Mr. and Mrs. Sam Burns of bleno visited Mr. and Mrs. Jim

Burns Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Sims of Vichita Falls were weekend viss in the home of his sister. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Berry. All guests in the home of Mr. ad Mrs. Walter Vantreese Sat-

Stith Home met Monday a Halloween party to be half in the commuinter-Saturday night. Oct. Mr. and Mrs. M. E. West spent More of the details will be



Clyde Newton, secretary; versary, Sunday, Oct. 8 with a FOR SALE -- 1950 model Ford tractor and equipment. Call 192-J. 32-3t.p

the Abilene State Hospital re- occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Flet- HAVE MOVED Domino Hall back of Bus station. Please bring in your books for free exchange Guy Brown. 32-3tp.

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and Mrs. Halbrook was 565. Mrs. Merkel, Texas 211 Cherry 5. A. Driggers, 87, was the oldest.

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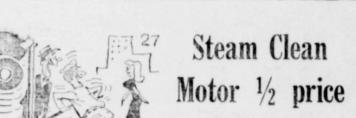
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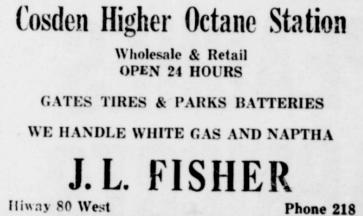


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of Trent, Texas at the close of business October 3, 19 ing institution organized and operating under the	banking laws

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	ASSETS
1.	Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve
	balance, and cash items in process of collection \$220,388.82
2	United States Government obligations, direct and
	guaranteed225,000.00
3.	Obligations of States and political subdivisions
4.	Other bonds, and debentures
5.	Corporate stocks (including \$3,000.00 stock of Federal
	Reserve Bank)
	Loans and discounts (including \$1,777.31 overdrafts) 277,592.08
7.	Bank premises owned \$4,000.00, furniture and fixtures
	\$6,880.00 10,880.00
	(Bank premises owned are subject to \$ none liens not
	assumed by bank)
	TOTAL ASSETS
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13.	Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and
	corporations\$598,583.76
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	postal savings)
16.	Deposits of States and political subdivisions 14,770.02
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	*This bank's capital consists of: Common stock with
	total par value of \$25,000.00.
	I, James V. Ross, Cashier of the above-named bank, hereby cer-
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tify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

State of Texas County of Taylor ss: Sworn to and subscribed be fore me this 12th day of October, 1960. Betty Hamner, Notary Public, Taylor County, Texas.

(Seal) JAMES V. ROSS

CORRECT-ATTEST: JAMES V. ROSS J. H. WILLIAMSON DOW WILLIAMSON J. C. CRAIN

Directors

Mrs. Robt. E. Gardner, Merkel, Texas

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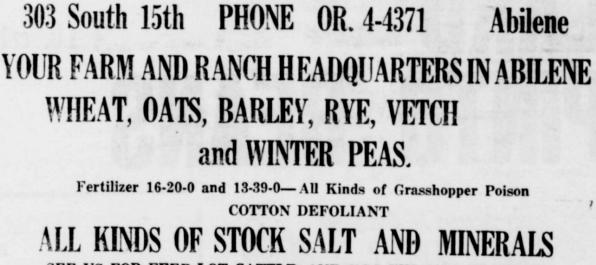
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TFB To Establish Development And Bargaining Plan

Farm Bureau board of directors markets for Texas agricultural Texas Farm Bureau. He empha--extending friendship through has voted to establish a trade de- products. It would also act as a phase of the state Farm Bureau each other two of their favorite velopment and bargaining organ. bargaining agent on behalf of subsidiary will proceed slowly and family recipes. ization as a means of expanding farmers and ranchers in order to cautiously in order to avoid makmarkets and increasing incomes obtain better prices and more ing mistakes. of Texas farmers and ranchers. stable markets in the U.S.

The organization would work Details of the new venture have closely with the American Farm not been worked out, according Bureau Federation's foreign trade to J. H. West, president of the

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ng with trade development and SPECIAL lomestic market. The state organization to be established by the TFB would be affiliated with the AFBF trade and bargaining organizations and would comple-Three-8x10 Total ment and supplement the work of Twelve-Picture Cost the AFBF subsidiaries within the Christmas Cards tate of Texas, West said. For All Fortnightly Club Make your choice from 8 proofs PLEASE CALL OR WRITE FOR APPOINTMENT Hears Program On 'Dining Places' 717 Butternut OR 2-8552 ABILENE, TEXAS Earl Hughes discussed Star Spargled Diring" for the meeting of the Fortnightly Study Club held Tuesday in the home of Mrs. Wren Durham. KNOW YOUR RIGHTS! In directing the further study of the theme selected for the vear, "American Panorama," Mrs. Hugher named some of the most famous eating places throughout We feel that all legal voters of Texas should knowthe United States. As members recognized some of the names as belonging to restaurants where they had eaten. Mrs. Hughes im-No matter how you have ever voted . . . Charter No. 7481 Or in which primary you voted . . . Or if you voted . . . Or how your poll tax receipt is stamped . . . You CAN vote for any candidate of any party on the November 8 ballot. For Democrats who value the ideals and true aims of the Democratic Party, the only choice is Nixon and Lodge. TEXAS DEMOCRATS FOR NIXON - LODGE

> ALLAN SHIVERS, Chairman 308 W. 15th, Austin

> > (Pd. Pol. Adv.)

pressed upon her audience that they had been engaging in one of the best American traditions

sized that the organizational travel. Club members shared with

During the business session, Mrs. Ray Wilson, president, call-The American Farm Bureau ed for a report from the project Federation, parent national orand finance committee. Mrs. Anganization of the Texas Farm Buseparate organizations, one deal. Pancake Supper, to be followed by a Golden Age Party. The pubthe other with bargaining in the lic will be invited to both functions.

> Mrs. Durham and her daughter, Penny, served refreshments to 22 members.

Sparky says:

Before you buy any fire extinguisher, ask your Fire Department for advice

TrA Don't give fire a place to start!

go to Hereford, Tex.

The Business and Professional

Woman's Club in Hereford began

Reserve District No. 11 REPORT OF CONDITION OF

Farmers & Merchants National Bank of Merkel, in the State of Texas, at the close of business on Oct. 3rd 1960 published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under section 5211, U. S. revised statutes. ASSETS

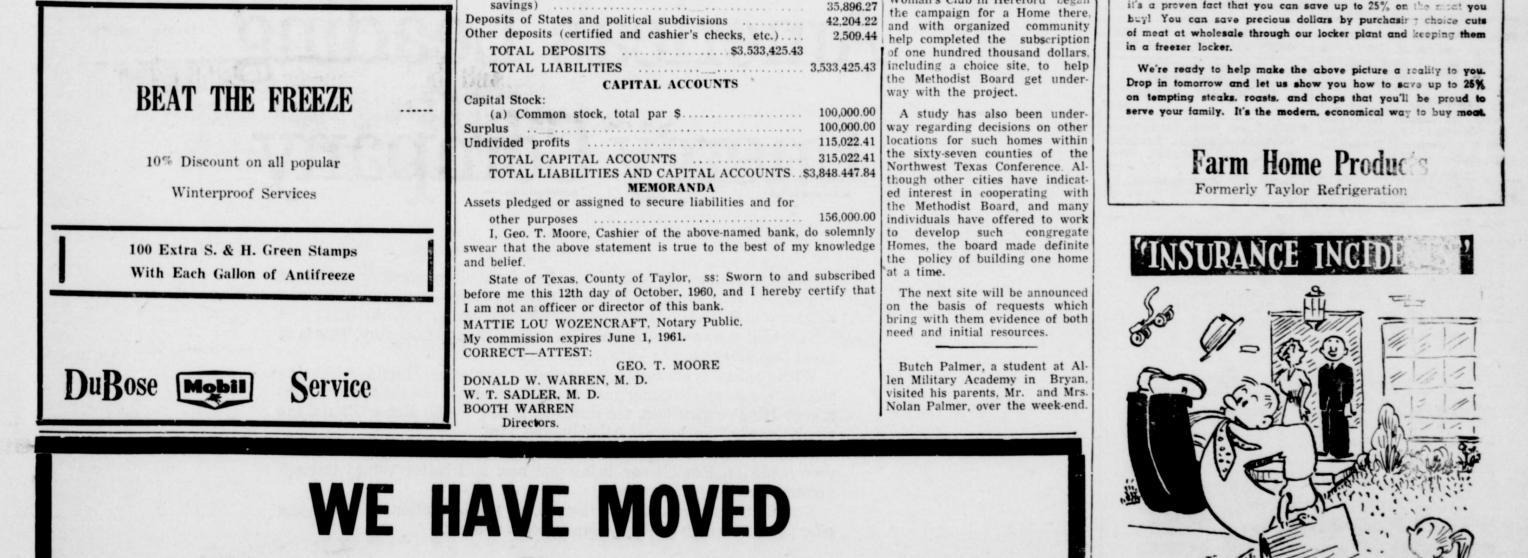
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection....\$ 948,817.85 United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed Obligations of States and political subdivisions...... Corporate stocks (including \$6,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank) Loans and discounts (including \$1,765.37 overdrafts)... Bank premises owned \$75,000.00, furniture and fixtures \$50,000.00 TOTAL ASSETS LIABILITIES Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and

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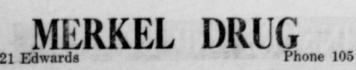
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THE MERKEL MAIL, Merkel, Texas Thursday, October 20, 1960

Garden Club Meet Mrs. Robertson **Slated In Ozona**

The annual fall meeting of the

District VIII Garden Clubs will be held in Fellowship Hall of the ers Sunday School class of the neck at the table. This report Oct. 20.

"Conservation-A Heritage We officers. Guard." The program will include the showing of colored slides, legends of native flowers, and a tour son, vice president: Mrs. Durof native gardens and dams.

be the principal speaker. A board meeting will be held group captains.

at 8:30 a.m. Coffee and registra- Mrs. Horace Boney is teacher tion will be from 9 to 9:30.

president of District VIII, will inch. department superintendent, spots off his tie without the napconduct the business meeting Mrs. Lloyd Robertson, retiring kin tied around his neck-where which will start promptly at 9:30 teacher, and Mrs. D. R. Woodard, it belongs.

From 250 to 300 women are ex-After refreshments pected to attend the convention. Frevealed secret pals.

920 No. 2nd

PER LOAD

Installed Head **Of Homemakers** New officers of the Homemak-

Theme of the convention is in the home of Mrs. Mart Hardin. Mrs. Buddy Nail was installing

Officers are Mrs. Glenn Robertson, president: Mrs. Jean Thompwood Doan, secretary - treasurer; Thompson and Mrs. Perry Davis,

of the class.

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prospective member.

Page Seven gabby doodle from noodle says: DEAR MISTER EDITOR: I was reading a piece in the Grubb brung up the subject of

me a heap of good. The National Institute of Drycleaners reports claims you can't read one of that 55 percent of all the spots and stains they take off ties and shirts is caused by gravy and food. When I was a boy everbody tied his napkin around his

Methodist Church in Ozona on First Baptist Church were install- from the cleaning folks proves ed Thursday night at a meeting that we was putting it at the right place. In these days, if you see some

feller tie his napkin around his neck you'll hear snickers all over the place. The napkin was invented to help a feller keep his tie and shirt clean. He can still Mrs. Ira Carson of Ozona will Mrs. Evelyn Beaird, Mrs. Truct wine his mouth and hands with it tied around his neck, but I claim that a feller can wipe his hands or mouth on the table doth or his shirttail a heap bet-Mrs. R. Max Leach of Abilene, Guests were Mrs. Ted McAn- ter'n he can keep those gravy

We had a right good session at members the country store Saturday night. The fellers covered the situation

world-wide as usual, and Zeke papers the other day that done used cars. He allows as how them second-hand car dealers gits out the best ads in the paper. He them ads without thinking you're gitting a real bargain. Clem Webster figgers that sooner or later everbody will come to that type of advertising, especially farmers and ranchers. Fer instant, says Clem. a feller will run a ad saying, "Slightly Used Mules Fer Sale, New Tractor Makes It Possible To Offer

> As New.' Josh Clodhopper said he might even put in there, "25 Miles To The Bale Of Hay, Good Shoes All The Way Round." And Ed Doolittle allowed as how, since he'd gone that fur, he might add, "Hydramatic Plow Lines." But all was agreed that no matter low fancy you fix up a ad fer a mule, you'll still have to use 'Gee' and "Haw" to git any service out of him.

These Mules Practically As Good

Somepun come up about running the household and one feler announced that he wore the pants at his house. He probably does-after his old lady tells him tern pieces. which pair to put on. Made me recollect the story about the feller that set out with 100 chickens and two horses, to give a chicken ing short stitches to hold edges to the wife if she was boss, a horse to the man if he was the hase After he'd done give away 90 chickens he come to a house where the man said he was boss. He ask the feller which horse he wanted, the gray one or the black one, and the feller said he'd take the black one. His old lady called him aside and said a few words, and the man turned and said he'd changed his mind, he'd take the gray one. "No you won't," said the feller, "you'll

gabby

Mrs. Warren Shaw and children, Shelia Sue and Warren, of Abilene were dinner guests Satur- All you do is to wash and dry the day of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. potato; greasing before baking Carl Doan and children.



stretched out of shape? . . Proper toes. cutting and construction tech-

in mind.

Correct grain line on every pattern piece is most important in assuring the righ drape and hang of the garment.

Jersey is a knit fabric with yarns looped together rather than the flavor of sweet potatoes. interlaced as in a woven fabric. To find grain line, locate and mark a continuous lengthwise rib on the right side of fabric. Use chalk or a basting line to mark Lay fabric smoothly and easily on straight with rib of fabric

If the jersey fabric slips on stretches very easily, pin to hea vy paper before cutting out pat

Stay-stitch all curved and bias edges with matching thread, ustrue and prevent stretching.

When machine stitching, use a no sharp needle and keep tenon loose. Best thread to use is ilk, nylon or dacron as all have asticity to match the stretch of jersey. Cotton thread can be used. Stretch the fabric a little as you sew to keep the seam elastic.

Sweet potatoes offer food value and fuel for energy. Louise Mason, extension foods and nutrition specialist of Texas A & M College, reminds us that the TEX-AS FOOD STANDARD calls for a serving of potatoes-sweet or Irish - every day.

Baking sweet potatoes retains much of the flavor and food value, and saves time for the cook. serves no real purpose. Bake one

Home Demonstration Notes

BY LORETA ALLEN

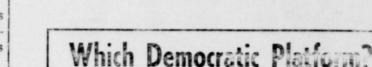
Taviar County Home Demonstration agen

Ever see a jersey dress that hour in a moderate oven (350 desagged at the seams or seemed grees F.) for medium sized pota-

Potatoes may "leak" if baked nique can help prevent this con- too long or with too high heat. Test for doneness by pressing ley, Swinney and Jones marked Here are some factors to keep rather than puncturing with a fork

> Left over sweet potatoes will keep several days in the refrig. another for a 22-0 lead. erator. Serve them mashed, fried or candied. Citrus juices, tart apples and nuts combine well with

Mrs. Lois Dunn of Lovington, Morino from the 20. N. M., and mother, Mrs. Nettie In the third period Swinray went Sheltno of Big Spring, visited in 85 for Trent and Redwine 35 for the home of their aunt and sister. I oraire. Jernigan scoring double in-law, Mrs. W. M. Elliott, during points after the Loraine tally. flat surface and place grain line the weekend. The ladies visited In the final period Jones scored markings of all pattern pieces in Cisco Saturday, former home from the three for Trent and Mo-



Which do you prefer: the socialistic, anti-Texas platform of Kennedy -- or the Nixon Platform that more nearly conforms with Texas principles and ideals as expressed in the State Democratic platform?

The Kennedy platform is against nearly everything Texans are for-it is for nearly everything Texans are against.

What will be your choice? It is between a party label and the best interest of Texas and the Nation.

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"I will vote for Richard M. Nixon and Henry Cabot Lodge."

TEXAS DEMOCRATS FOR NIXON - LODGE

Austin, Texas

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ALLAN SHIVERS, Chairman

take a chicken." Yours truly,







Trent Blasts Loraine, 50-26

The Trent Gorillas racked the Loraine Bulldogs. 50-26 here Friday night in the District 6-B opener for both elevens. Johnny Swinney scored three

touchdowns for the Gorillas and threw for another to Don Jones who tallied twice on runs. Morino and Redwine scored two touchdowns each for Loraine.

In the first period Johnry Heatup touchdowns for Treat with Jones running over one double conversion and Eugene Kegans

The Trent club made it 38-0 in the second as Jones went 00 yards and Swinney two for tou hdowns and each added double conversions. Loraine broke the ice with Redwine scoring from the 35 and

of Mrs. Dunn and Mrs. Shelton. reno from the 20 for Lora ne

Bel Air Sport Coupe. There's up to 2 inches more head room in this trim neu hardtop, more leg room, too-front and

MOST USEABLE, LIVEABLE, LIKEABLE CAR EVER BUILT! SIXTY-ONEDERFUL CHEVY

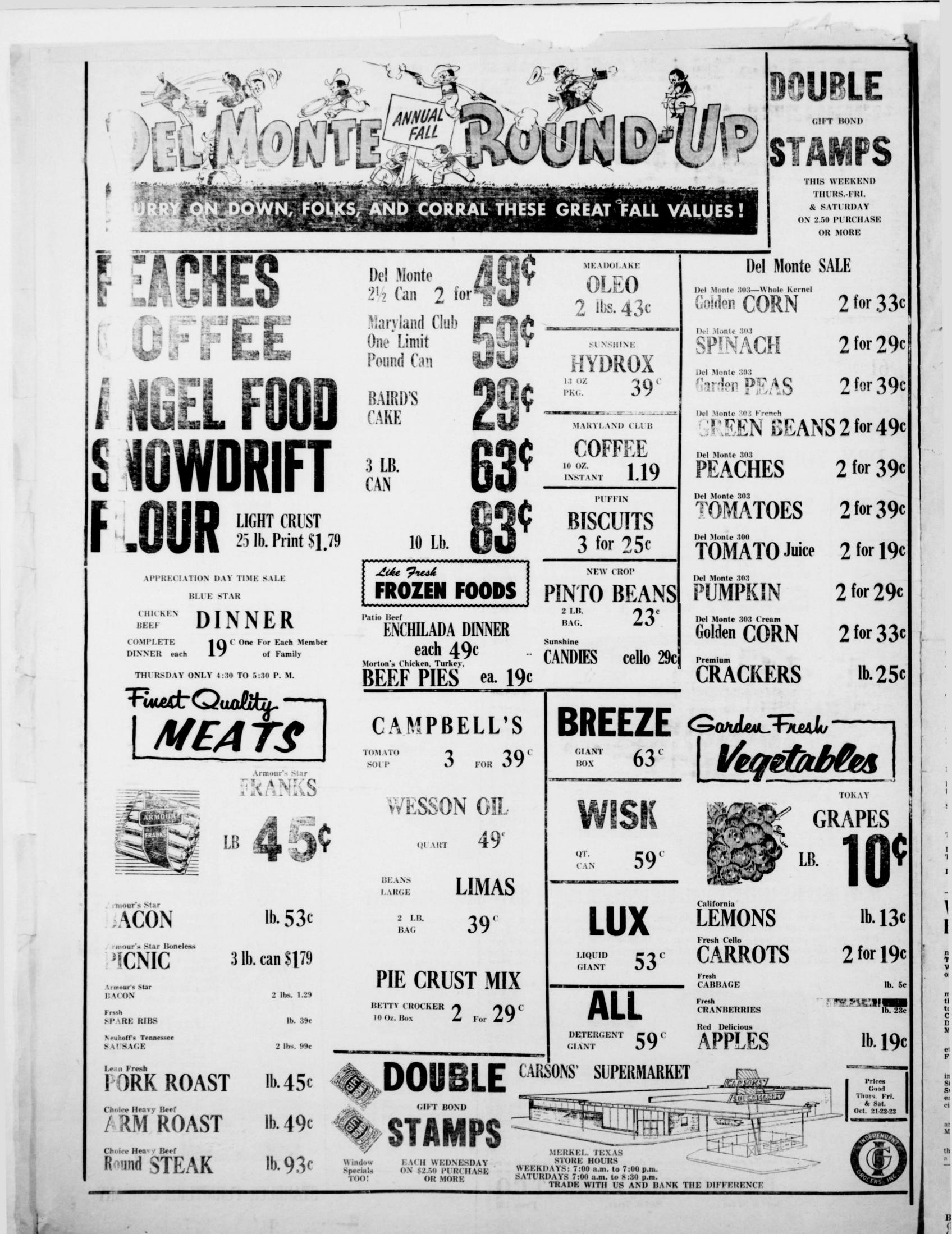
Chevrolet has fewer inches on the outside this year. (Which you'll appreciate every time you park!) But a whole new measure of inside comfort and convenience from bigger door openings (up to 6 inches wider) to more foot room in the rear (where the floor hump's been slenderized). Seats are as much as 14% higher to give you greater comfort and a good command of the road. While out back, that low-loading luggage compartment is a regular storeroom on wheels. This is one '61 that's worth a long, long look. It's the kind of car that's so liveable, so downright sensible, you just can't help but like it.



See the new Chevrolet cars, Chevy Corvairs, and the new Corvette at your local authorized Chevrolet dealer's



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