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Up
The
Canyon
By TOM
RUSSOM

If the sunshine continues a few more days the combines will get back into the fields to harvest. The report on the milo is real good; some dry land milo production in our area has made 2,200 pounds per acre, and some expected to even beat that.

As to the cotton, it was that the report is bad in our area. I rather agree with Mark Williamson of Trent, who said "the cotton is out."

This year started out rather bad with dry weather holding off planting of crops until real late. Farmers, some of them, went ahead and took a chance planting their crops and most of them got up in our area. But across the Divide in the Nolan area, the crops there were extremely late. But with our September rains feed crops look real good.

W. C. Perkins who owns a little ranch place down on the east end of the Divide said they had not had much rain in their area. Said the "cracks in the ground were still open," due to the lack of rain.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brnovak were in Austin over the weekend visiting relatives.

Mrs. B. H. Riney is still improving after being out of the hospital.

Mrs. F. R. Demerie, a longtime church member of the Canyon, and who now lives in Merkel, was at Pioneer Church Sunday.

The Tom Russoms sold a load of lambs on the San Angelo market. Bulk of the lambs weighed 70 pounds and sold for 22 cents per pound.

Our hello this week goes down to Fort Worth to Mr. and Mrs. Tom Blair, former residents here and longtime reader of the Mail.

Bake Sale

Merkel's Cub Scouts will have a Bake Sale this Saturday, Sept. 30.

The Sale, to begin at 9 a.m., will be held in front of the West Texas Utilities building.

MERKEL TEACHERS ARE GIVEN A HEARTY WELCOME

Without a "shadow of a doubt," Merkel's public school teachers are appreciated!

This was exemplified in the large number of parents who attended the first 1967-68 P-T-A meeting Thursday evening.

"All the teachers in the school system were present except for the coaching staff who were busy with the B team playing football," said Mrs. J. Lynn Knight, program coordinator for the Appreciation Program. "And we certainly appreciate them, also."

Teachers were introduced and each was presented an apple, with a purple gold leaf — the apple for

appreciation, and the purple and gold for the school's colors.

Entertainment for the evening was a musical program, presented by Mrs. Norman Winter's eighth grade choral group.

During the business session, members voted to raise PTA dues to \$1.00 per parent. "This increase in local PTA dues is due to the raise in State and National dues," explained PTA president, Vincent Barnett.

Barnett urged parents to join the PTA. "We need you, and you need us," he said.

The next scheduled Parent-Teacher Association meeting will be Nov. 16.

MERKEL TO HOLD OEO ELECTION TONIGHT

Citizens of Merkel will meet at the Community Center this evening to elect a representative to the board of directors of Taylor County Self-Improvement Association.

Merkel residents will meet at 7:30 p.m., according to Dick Osborn, director of anti-poverty program development from a 15-county area around Taylor County.

Johnny Cox will act as chairman until a new chairman is elected, said Osborn.

Trent will hold its election on Monday, Oct. 2, and Tye residents will vote Tuesday, Oct. 6.

Osborn explained that "we are presently reconstituting our Board of directors in order to meet the Office of Economic Opportunity (OEO) requirements."

"One of these requirements specifies an election of a representative to the Board from each of the target areas in Taylor County," he said. "Neighborhood chairmen will be responsible for holding community meetings to determine what type of program are needed in each area, and to relay findings of the meetings to the directors."

Osborn announced that the next meeting of the Taylor County Self-Improvement Association would be held Oct. 12 at 7:30 p.m. in the Coca Cola Bottling Co. Auditorium.

At this meeting the remaining 30 members at large of the board of directors will be chosen, explained Osborn.

Mission Band To Be at First Baptist Church

The Mission Band of Wayland Baptist College, Plainview, will present a series of programs at the First Baptist Church Saturday, Sept. 30 and Sunday, Oct. 1, according to church pastor, the Rev. Bill Tanner.

All of the youth of this area are "encouraged to attend the Saturday evening service which begins at 7:30 and remain for a fellowship hour."

Charles Harris of Plainview will serve as pastor for the Mission Band. Others of the team are Dale Grisham, Edmondson; Robert Travis, Orlando, Fla.; Tommy Dettner, White Deer; Mike Oden, Lubbock; Judy Faulkner, Bonham; Mary Eddleman, Tullia; Patsy Waddington, Borger, and Tommy Riney of Merkel.

CC Directors Set Meeting To Discuss Civic Center



BOARD OF DIRECTORS — Taylor Telephone Cooperatives' newly elected board of directors are, from left, Troy Sloan, W. C. Perkins, vice president; L. O. Huddleston, Doyle Hefley, L. A. Lister, Jack Farmer, C. A. Fomby and Charlie Myatt, president. Not pictured is Frank Antilley, secretary-treasurer. (Staff Photo)

Civic Leaders Invited to Attend

Merkel-area civic leaders, merchants and representatives of the various clubs are scheduled to meet Tuesday, Oct. 10 at 7:30 "to discuss possible location and ways and means to promote recreational facilities in the Merkel Trade Area."

Herman Carson, president of the Merkel Chamber of Commerce told board members meeting at the C-C office Tuesday that invitation had been mailed to several leading civic leaders in the area.

"There has been much discussion concerning a civic center park, and other recreational facilities for this area," said Carson, "and the outlook is favorable. We need to get together now to discuss the possibilities."

The 7:30 p.m. meeting will be held at the Aster Restaurant and John Wolf, representative of the Federal Housing Administration will meet with the group to explain procedures by which a non-profit club could go through the FHA to obtain a loan to promote the facilities.

Three main issues will be outlined and discussed at the Oct. 10 meeting. They are:

1. Decide on a location for the recreational center.
2. Decide what "we want on the location," i.e. buildings and recreational facilities.
3. Discuss ways and means to go about financing such projects.

Ray Wilson, C-C vice president, said, "we need to find out what to do to comply with securing enough money for such a project." A discussion of a non-profit organization is also on the agenda.

In a question from board member Bill Botton, as to what would be located on the recreational grounds, Carson answered, "possibly a golf course, swimming pool, a building for civic functions, and rodeo grounds where the Brushstomper could hold their annual rodeos."

"Plans would also call for a picnic area and playground with civic center," said Carson. "We could also stage the Taylor County Fair there."

Board members urged that all interested people make plans to attend this meeting since questions discussed could be of "vital importance to everyone."

THE MERKEL BADGERS TO PLAY WYLIE BULLDOGS HERE FRIDAY

A membership drive and a forecast of the up-coming game with the Wylie Bulldogs topped the Badger Booster Club's Monday evening meeting.

Allen, Booster Club president, said we total 74 now and we're aiming for 200. He urged all Merkel area people interested in young people's athletic activities "to join up now."

Of the game this Friday evening with Wylie, Merkel's head coach, Bob Byerly, said "it could be a pretty tough game."

"Wylie outweighs Merkel about eight pounds per man," said Byerly, "and they have some good boys in backfield. That boy, Rutledge, is supposed to be the fastest in the district."

In fact, Byerly said "all the games from now on won't be easy. We're going to have to work."

The Merkel Badgers sailed to an easy win over Knox City Greyhounds last Friday in a score of 46-0.

The jammed-packed stadium at Knox City saw Badger halfback Felix Castillo score four times, in the first and last quarter.

Castillo wound up a 70-yard drive with a one-yard scoring plunge to lead off the play with Danny Wade converting on the kick.

Quarterback Ray Davis went 55

yards with a punt for No. 2, and again Wade converted.

On an 18-yard toss from Davis Castillo got his second TD, with the kick attempt failing. Scoreboard read for first quarter 20-0.

Sweeping right end for 12 yards, Jimmy Williams scored on a three-yard dive. Davis caught a pass from Bob Tate for a 35-yard pass and run score, and Wade booted again.

In the final quarter Castillo

took a 30-yard pass from Davis with Wade again for the extra

Game at a Glance

KNOX CITY	MERKEL
9 First Downs	18
24 Rushing Yardage	240
24 Passing Yardage	115
2 of 11 Passes Completed	6 of 13
1 Passes Intercepted	2
7 for 31 Punts, Average 3 for 29	5 for 35 Penalties, Yards 3 for 25
3 Fumbles Lost	0

CAMPAIGN NEWS

The Merkel Mail "Good Will" Campaign has entered its final lap . . . only 9 days remain. Each hour that passes cuts off 60 minutes of opportunity for the candidates.

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Most of the Merkel Mail subscribers are responding splendidly to the efforts of the workers. However, readers can make the going much easier for their candidate, if they convert these "come back tomorrow" promises into NOW, while there is still time.

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Hurricane Action Now Being Taken

The Taylor County Unit of the American Red Cross is helping to send money and clothing to victims of the recent disaster from Hurricane Beulah.

"Money and clothing are now being collected," said Miss Ollie Lena Olsen, Abilene director.

Persons wishing to contribute money may make contributions to the American Red Cross and mail to John Cox, P. O. Box 188, Merkel, Texas 79536. Cox is the Merkel area representative for the Taylor County Unit.



HEADS YOUNG HOMEMAKERS — Mrs. Baker, right, of Merkel, was installed as Area IV Young Homemakers' president and Mrs. James Jordan of Hamilton, state vice president, at the organizations' annual convention Saturday at the Starlite Inn in Abilene. Nine members and advisors from the Merkel area attended. (Photo Courtesy The Abilene Reporter-News)

Local Couples' Grandson Is Football Author

Charlie Bright, coach at Big Spring High School, and son of Mr. and Mrs. Zed Bright of Cross Plains, authored an article entitled "Defensive Football," for the August edition of the Texas Coach, a magazine which goes to all members of the Texas High School Coaches Association.

Bright is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Seago of Merkel, and a graduate of Trent High School.

A 1961 graduate of North Texas University, Denton, Bright has been in the coaching profession since that date. He formerly coached at Orange and Channelview, and is presently line coach of the Big Spring AAAA Steers.

His wife is the former Kay Bagby, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Bagby of Merkel. They have one son, Jeff, four years old.

CEMETERY FUND

The following have recently made contributions to the Cemetery Fund:

W. C. Newton	Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ray in me-
Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Carson.	Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Patterson
Sarah E. Herron	John Westenhover
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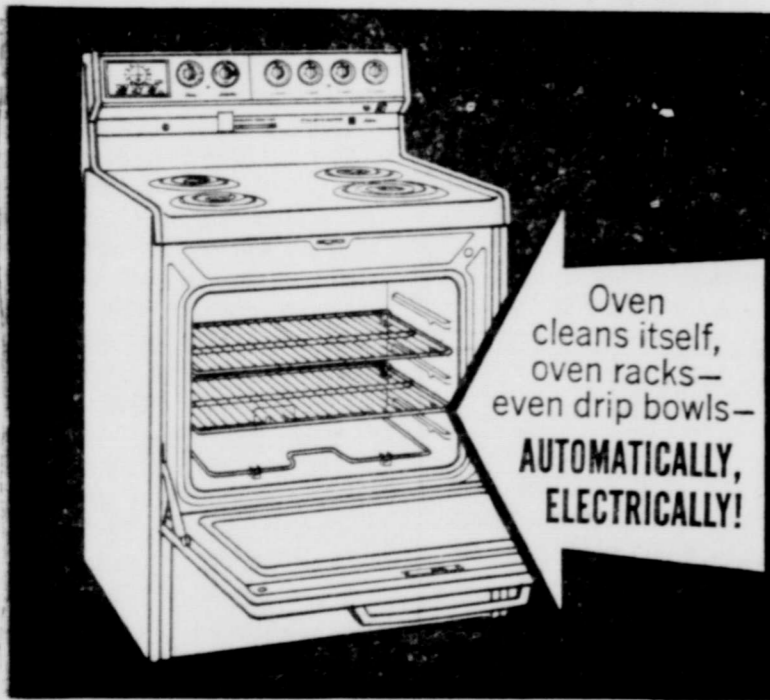
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Mr. and Mrs. Tom Largent in memory of M. B. Bell.
Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Cypert in memory of M. B. Bell.

Stith HD Club Elects Officers

The Stith Home Demonstration Club met recently at the Community Center, with Mrs. Vernon Hudson as hostess.

Club president, Mrs. Hudson, presided at the business meeting, with officers being elected for the 1967-68 year.

Officers elected were Mrs. Curtis Clyburn, president; Mrs. Hudson, vice president, and Mrs. Paul Bradley, secretary - treasurer.

Mrs. Roy Mashburn was elected council delegate.

The group discussed plans for their annual Halloween Carnival. Seven members attended.

WSCS In Study

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met in the church chapel Tuesday morning, Sept. 26 with twelve members attending.

Mrs. J. Lynn Knight, president, began the study, "That The World May Believe."

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Stith News

By MRS. FRITZ HALE

Stith had more rain last week and the farmers would now like dry weather, so they can harvest the good crop of milo and sow grain.

Mr. and Mrs. John Browning are visiting at Gainesville with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis F. Browning and also Mr. and Mrs. Fred Browning.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Berry returned home Wednesday after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Audrian Berry and Mr. and Mrs. Monte Berry and children of Littlefield. They also visited Mr. and Mrs. A. Nutall and children, Bovina, and Mrs. Dally Ephelner of Clovis, N. M.

M. Mrs. Audrian Berry came after the E. L. Berrys and also brought them home.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fikes and children were dinner guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. Orval Ely.

A business meeting was held at the Stith Community Center Monday night and plans were made to remodel the building. Several men of the community started work Friday. A front porch is being added, and the inside finished.

The Rev. and Mrs. James Williams and children visited their son Don Ray, at Fort Sill, Okla., Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James Strong and Melinda, O'essa, visited Mrs. J. E. Swindell and the Rev. and Mrs. Jese Swindell and MacSherry over the weekend.

Mrs. Will Hindon of Hawley visited Mrs. J. E. Swindell Friday.

Mrs. Walter Vantresse had surgery on her eye Thursday at Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene. She is doing better and hopes to be home soon. Mr. Vantresse is staying at the hospital with her. A daughter, Mrs. Fay Mundy of San Antonio, is with her parents.

Mrs. Winnie Hale and Goodwin, Crosbyton, and Mrs. Alma Goodwin, Anson, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Hale.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Hobbs visited Mr. and Mrs. Walter Vantresse at Hendrick Hospital Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Shaw and

Mrs. John Shaw, Hawley, visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mashburn and Rodney Suncay.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Ely visited the Tommy Cutler family of Merkel Sunday night.

Noodle Graduate New at Sul Ross

Willie (Bill) Spurgin, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Spurgin of Abilene and formerly of the Noodle Community recently received his Master of Education degree from Sul Ross College in Alpine.

A 1948 graduate of Noodle High School, he received his bachelor of arts degree from McMurry in 1952.

He and his wife and four children are living in Alpine where Spurgin is teaching in the Education Department at Sul Ross.

He will also be working toward his doctorate's degree.

Visit in Merkel

Mr. and Mrs. David Anderson of 306 Thornton recently entertained their children and grandchildren and their families.

Their children visiting were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Campbell of Kingsland, Tex., and Mr. and Mrs. Odell Anderson of Burkeville, Tex. Grandchildren and their families were Mr. and Mrs. Homer

Campbell Jr., of Andrews; Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Campbell, Victoria; Mr. and Mrs. Jim Young, Goliad, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Don Anderson of Wathena, Kan. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Pursley and Mrs. Margaret Anderson and son, Tommy, all of Merkel, also visited the Andersons.

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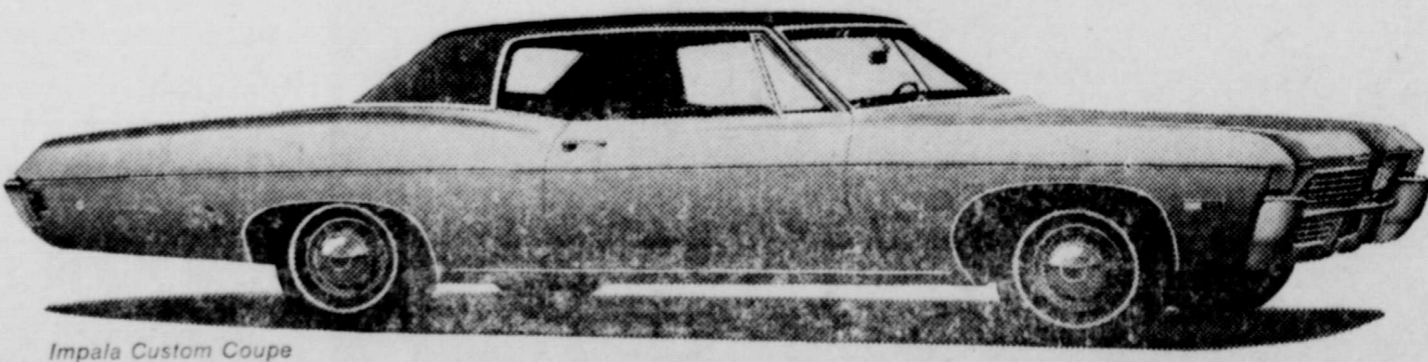
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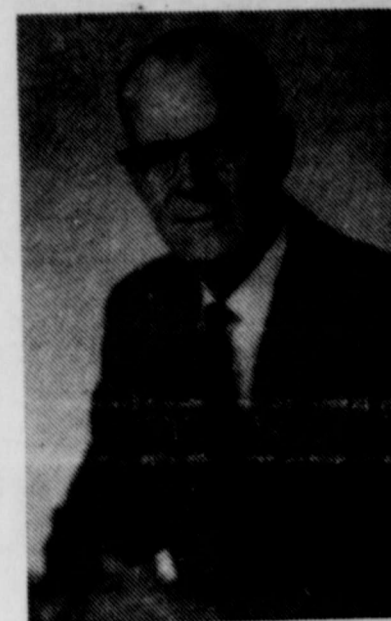
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Is Announcer

Connie Alexander, veteran New Mexico sportscaster, has been named lead announcer for Humble Oil & Refining Company's 1967 broadcasts of Southwest Conference football games.

Mr. Alexander, who is treasurer of the Albuquerque Savings and Loan Association, joined Humble's broadcast team in 1955 and for eight seasons covered the University of New Mexico games. In 1963 he became a regular member of Humble's Southwest Conference broadcast crew.



MRS. J. D. ALEXANDER
... formerly Aleta Dale Scott

ALETA SCOTT WED TO J. D. ALEXANDER

Aleta Dale Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Scott, and J. Alexander, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Alexander of Ringgold were married Saturday, Sept. 23 in Pioneer Methodist Church in Mulberry Canyon.

The Rev. Wayland Dowden, pastor of First Methodist Church of Clyde officiated. Pianist was Mrs. Kenneth Ray and soloist Almer Barnes.

Wendy Sherrill of Houston was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Mrs. Jack Mansfield of Lubbock and Ann Paik of Bakersfield, Calif. Judy Brnovak was junior bridesmaid.

They wore A - line dresses of old rose crepe. Headdresses were ivory Spanish combs with lace mantillas. They carried colonial bouquets with white candles.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Lace motifs remembrances, with seed pearls trimmed her gown of ivory crepe with A - line skirt and bell sleeves. Watteau train was accented with lace motifs and seed pearls.

A lace headdress centered with

MULBERRY CANYON 4-H CLUB NEWS

By **KATIE NEILL**
National 4-H Club Week is at hand, Sept. 30 - Oct. 7, but 4-H work goes on all year round.

The Mulberry Canyon 4-H Club is the largest and one of the best clubs in the county. The club is headed by Robert Clemmer. Second in command is Pam Sandusky, and secretary is Suzy Rinsy. Mark Dudley is committee delegate, and reporter is Katie Neill. Our organizational leaders are Mr. and Mrs. Don Dudley.

To better advertise our work, we will have a display in the Farmers and Merchants National Pan-Ex display won fifth at the West Texas Fair, so be sure and notice it when you are in the bank.

The Canyon Club is always busy with various projects. We had three senior and 6 junior record books to win first at the District Contest.

Those who won were:
Senior — Achievement, Myrtle Davis; Horticulture, Mike Dudley; and Poultry, Gaylon Brnovak.

Junior — Achievement, Robert Clemmer; Agriculture, Mark Clemmer; Clothing, Teresa Clemmer; Foods, Judy Brnovak; Horses, Jeff Whisenhunt and Public Speaking, Mark Dudley.

Jeff Whisenhunt went to the State Horse Show in August; Robert, Mark and Teresa Clemmer, Mark and Mike Dudley and Katie Neill will take lambs to the State Fair in Dallas on Oct. 16.

Our club has built a horse arena, re-roofed, refinished and painted our club house, and we have planned several county-wide

meetings with well-known speakers. In December numerous members will start the stock show circuit, beginning with Odessa, and then Merkel, Abilene, El Paso, San Antonio, Houston and San Angelo.

As you can see, the Mulberry Canyon 4-H Club is one of the busiest clubs in Taylor County and also in District 7.

The 4-H Motto is to "Make the Best Better," and that is what we are striving to do.

FFA Chapter Elects Officers

The Merkel Chapter of Future Farmers of America met Sept. 20 at the Vocational Agriculture building for the election of officers.

Outgoing president, Finley Barnett called the meeting to order. Officers elected for the 1967-68 year are Bonnie Bigbe, president; Rodney Mashburn, vice president; Ronnie Gilmore, secretary, and Dale Shields, treasurer.

Robert Boyd was elected reporter and Terry Wade, sentinel. Chester Collingsworth is the chapter's advisor.

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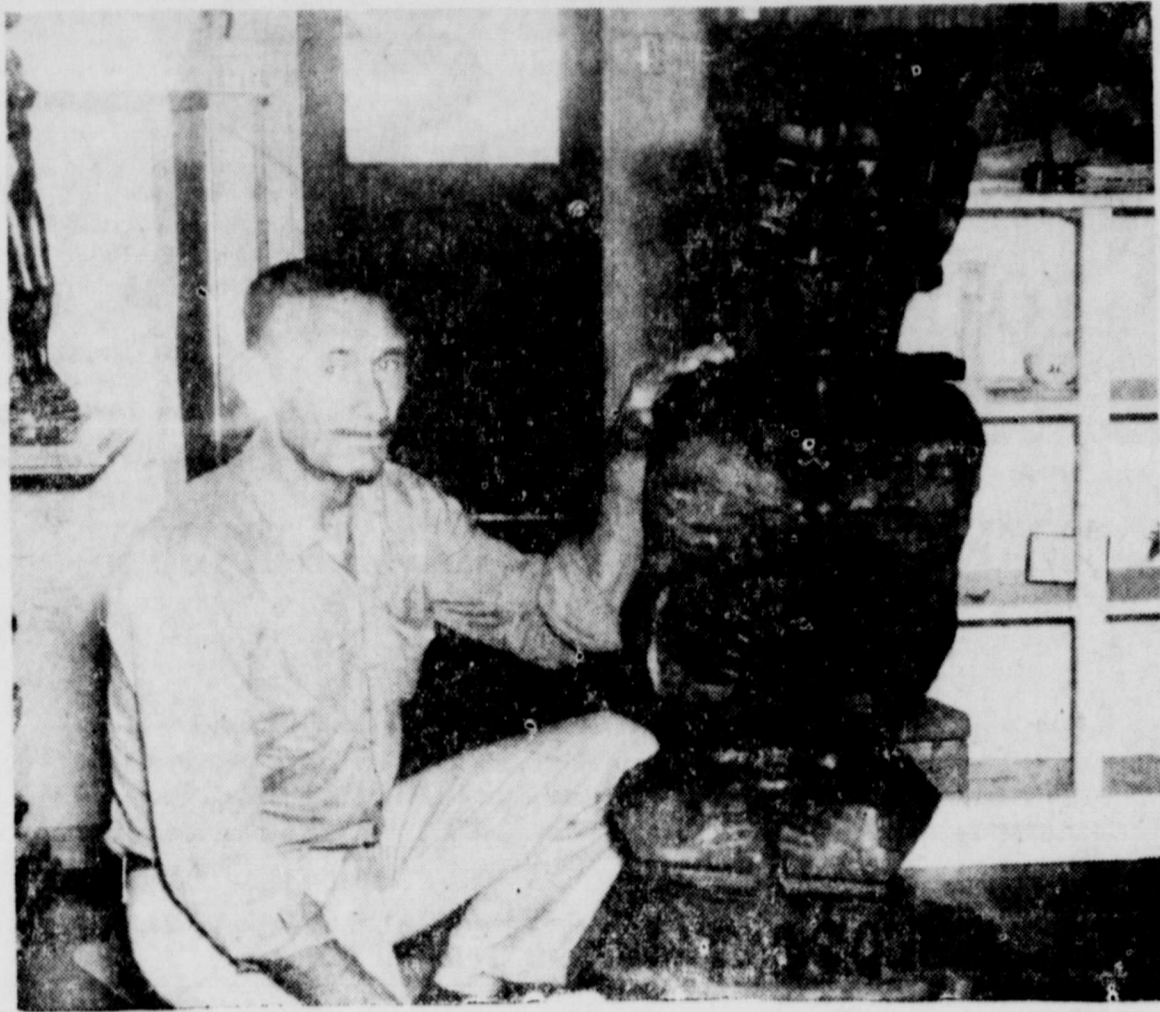
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STATUE ON DISPLAY — Jess Salter's new wooden statue, "Baccus," is now on display at Bullock Hardware in Merkel. The Merkel sculptor says it took him 547 hours to carve the artwork from a mesquite trunk. It stands approximately four feet tall, and is 16 inches in diameter. The statue is the Polynesian version of the Greek's "god of wine." (Staff Photo)



MRS. THOMAS EDWARD SLOCUM
... formerly Theresa Green

THERESA GREEN WED TO THOMAS SLOCUM

Wedding vows were read Friday in First Church of God in Abilene, for Gladys Theresa Green and Thomas Edward Slocum of Dyess Air Force Base.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Green of Abilene and Slocum is the son of Mrs. Marion Slocum of Port Charlotte, Fla.

Grandparents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Green of Mt. Merkel.

The Rev. Robert E. Bowden of First Church of God was organist and Stephen Fouts soloist.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a champagne lace gown with scalloped neckline, A-line skirt and detachable wattleu train.

Headpieces of petals outlined in pearls held her veil. She carried white carnations.

Mrs. Glenn Boyer of Dallas was maid of honor and the bride's sister, Celia Green, was bridesmaid.

They wore orange and gold. A-line matching bow headpieces with veils. Flowers were moss green spider mums.

Ann Green, sister of the bride, and Hope Moore lighted candles.

Best man was Tom Richardson of San Antonio and groomsmen was Jim Silva of San Francisco, Calif., Bobby Green, brother of the bride and Bob Ladd of Boston, Mass., seated guests.

The bride, a graduate of William B. Travis High School, Austin, attended Paris Junior College. She was employed by Gibson's Discount Store in Abilene.

The bridegroom was graduated from Rev. C. Ketchum High School Wappingers Falls, N.Y. He is in the U.S. Air Force stationed at Dyess AFB.

Rehearsal dinner was at the home of the bride's parent.

Reception was at the church.

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BADGER TALES

By DEBI CORDER



accidentally pulled her wiglet off and everyone in the P.E. class got their laughs for the day.

Senior pictures were taken last Tuesday for the annual. The boys, all dressed up in their tuxedos and the girls in their gowns were really a great sight.

The Interscholastic Play is shortly going to be "well under way." Mrs. Pat Dudley, the sponsor, is determined to get a first this year.

Texas Farmers Union Sets State Meeting Oct. 26

The 64th annual state convention of Texas Farmers Union is scheduled to begin its three day meeting Thursday, Oct. 26 at the Ko Ko Palace in Lubbock.

Delegates of the Taylor County Farmers Union who will be attending are Pete Morgan, president; F. T. Flemming, vice president; H. G. Franklin, secretary - treasurer, and Willie B. Toombs and Joe McDuff.

Alternate delegates are Joe Seymore, F. T. Hogan and Cramer Reynolds.

Joe McDuff said that resolutions voted on at the recent county convention will be presented to the state convention.

On Tour of Duty

Airman 2C, Michael N. Fick, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Fick of Odessa, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. N. C. Palmer of Rt. 1, Merkel, has arrived in Seville, Spain, for a three year tour of duty.

He is a graduate of Odessa High School and attended Odessa College before entering the service.

MERKEL ARTIST COMPLETES STATUE

A few close friends were on hand Friday evening, Sept. 22 for the unveiling of Jess Salter's statue at his home on Kent Street.

A statue that took approximately 547 hours to carve and complete, is a copy of an original statue seen by Salter while with the 12th

Cavalry in the South Pacific during World War II.

The statue is now on display at Bullock Hardware in Merkel and will be through today, said Salter. It will then be taken to Abilene for display.

"I saw many statues while overseas," said Salter, "but this one, 'Baccus,' interested me most."

Baccus is the Greek's "god of wine," and the statue is the Polynesian style or version of this god.

Finding the right kind of wood to carve took time," said Salter, "and also a tree that was large enough. Finally found a large mesquite tree at the Merkel Cemetery grounds that was exactly right."

The statue, approximately four feet tall and 16 inches in diameter, is fitted on a turn table, where viewers can see it from all angles.

Using hand tools for carving, Salter used the burning technique, pumice stone and poppy oil for finishing.

Salter, a native of Merkel, was a squadron leader with the 12th Cavalry during World War II and says "my carving of Baccus was done strictly from memory."

He is presently employed by the Merkel Cemetery Association.

Subscription Drive Standings

Leading the parade in today's pro-rating of votes is Mrs. H. J. Martin. All other candidates follow close on her heels, with Mrs. Carolyn Sue Ford, Sandra Doan and Mrs. Billy (Sarah) Lucas in the position for fifth place. There can be a big change in our last standings next week.

Mrs. H. J. Martin	77,500
Mrs. Ruth Cox	77,400
Mrs. Glenna Steen	77,200
Mrs. Clyde Bunch	77,100
Mrs. Carolyn Sue Ford	76,500
Sandra Doan	76,500
Mrs. Billy (Sarah) Lucas	76,500
Mrs. G. P. Peachey	76,300
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Services Held For Bernie Bell

Funeral services for Bernie Bell, 79, were held Monday, Sept. 25, at the Merkel Methodist Church. The Rev. Newton Daniel, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Rose Hill Cemetery under the direction of Starbuck Funeral Home.

A longtime barber in the Trent, Merkel area, Mr. Bell died Sunday after an illness of several months.

He was born Jan. 3, 1888, in Taylor County, and married Bessie Ethel Campbell Jan. 10, 1909. He was a Presbyterian and a charter member of the Merkel Fire Department.

Survivors include his wife; a son, Cleo of Merkel; three daughters, Mrs. Steve Bird and Mrs. June Hogan of Merkel, and Mrs. Finis Cade of Trent; two brothers, J. A. of Dallas and Cecil of Fabens, Tex.; three sisters, Mrs. Joe Shelton of Abilene, Mrs. Melton McDonald of McAddo, Tex., and Mrs. Hazel Lay of Merkel; seven grandchildren and six great grandchildren.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS
vs. Howard Edward Lynch, De-

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Court of Taylor County at the
Courtroom thereof, in Abilene,
Texas, by filing a written an-
swer 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 30th
day of October A.D. 1967, to Plain-
tiff's Petition filed in said court
on the 12th day of September A.D.
1967, in this cause, numbered 3629
on the docket of said court and
styled Harriet Lynch, Plaintiff vs.
Howard Edward Lynch, Defen-
dant.

A brief statement of the nature
of this suit is as follows, to-wit:
Plaintiff and defendant were leg-
ally married on November 3, 1953
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Plaintiff sues for divorce on
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ment as is more fully shown by
Plaintiff's Petition on file in this
suit.

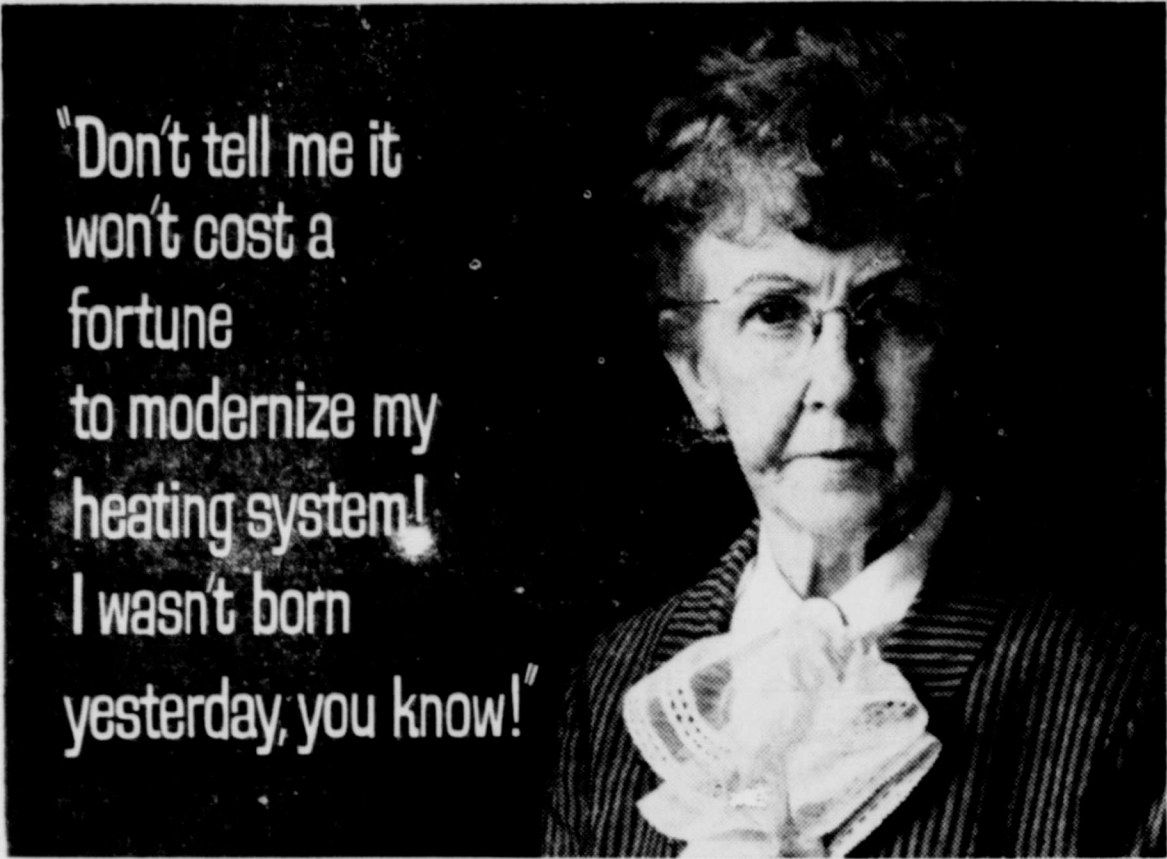
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29 4tc

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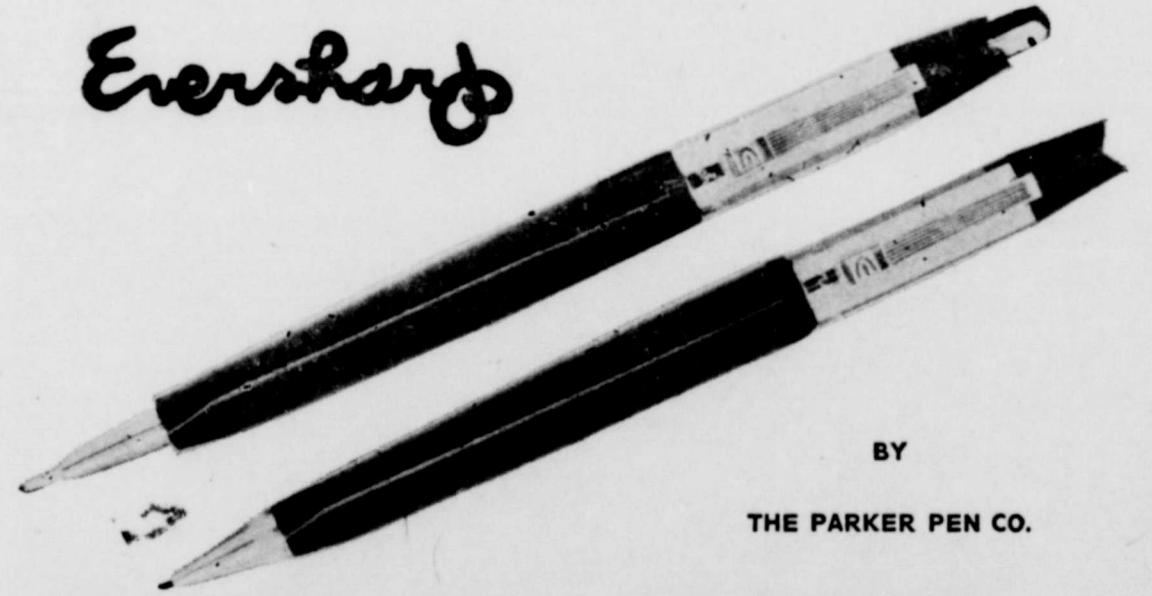
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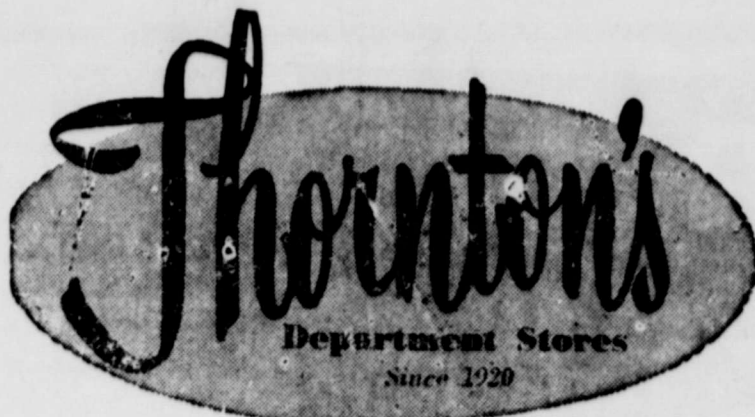
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