

## PARENTS INVITED TO LITTLE LEAGUE MEETING TONIGHT

It's that time of the year again when eyes and thoughts are turned to baseball.

And Merkel Little Leaguers are "looking forward to this year's activities."

All they need will be sponsors and plenty of interested parents and adults.

Benny Melton, currently president of the Merkel Little League Association announced that an Organizational Meeting will be held this evening (Thursday) at the Merkel Restaurant at 7:30.

"We have plenty of boys interested in playing," said Melton. "Now we need parents and others interested adults to come out to this meeting."

Melton explained that "tentative date for the beginning games will be May 2."

"We are in hopes that enough interested people will be at this organizational meeting tonight so that all matters can be attended to," he said.

"If this meeting takes care of business matters, we will be able to more quickly get our boys organized."

Topping the agenda will be the election of officers for this summer's activities. Current officers besides Melton are Danny Doan, vice president; Mrs. Joe Gregory, secretary-treasurer; Joe Gregory, player agent; Vaughan Doan, umpire in chief; and Finley Barnett and Grady Knight, safety officers.



**"NEED HELP" SIGN** - Merkel Girl Scout, Lesa Hart, presents her neighbor, Mrs. Jim Richards the new sign to be displayed if she needs help. Currently a new project for Merkel Girl Scouts and Brownies, each member will choose a neighbor to help. Mr. and Mrs. Jim Richards, relatively newcomers to Merkel, will be Lesa's neighbors. The young Girl Scout is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Don Hart. (Staff Photo)

## SCOUTS, BROWNIES 'READY TO WORK'

Only six months along with its re-organization, the Girl Scouts (Brownies, too) in Merkel are finding that it's fun to be useful.

With their motto "Values to Hold: Worlds to Explore," Merkel Girl Scouts are doing just that.

Merkel Girl Scouts and Brownies are becoming more aware of their need in the community.

Currently underway is a project to help the elderly people in Merkel. Members have painted signs that they will give to elderly people to display somewhere at their home when they "need help."

"If an elderly person has a job she needs done, she will put her sign in her front window," said Mrs. Don Glascock, Scout leader. "Then one of the Scouts or Brownies designated for this

particular person goes by and sees their sign they will go in and do the job. Then the sign will be taken down and used again when the need arises."

Just another way of being of service to their community.

The Brownie signs are brown with orange letters (B.S.) on them, and the junior girls' are green with yellow (G.S.) letters displayed.

Scouts are inviting anyone in the Senior Citizen group to let them know if they would like to have a sign to place in their window for a "job that needs to be done."

They may call Mrs. Glascock at 929-4883 or they may call the Merkel Mail, and the message will be given to a "ready to go to work" Scout or Brownie.

## NATIONAL FHA WEEK TO BE OBSERVED BY MERKEL CHAPTER

March 19 through 25 has been designated National FHA Week. Members of Future Homemakers of America will carry out special activities and observances designed to share their experiences and achievements with family, friends and neighbors.

The theme chosen for this year's National FHA Week is "Profiles of Youth" to focus attention on what over half-a-million young men and women are doing to improve personal, family and community living.

Miss Patricia McDuff, local FHA president, points out that several million young people have been challenged by the unlimited opportunities offered through membership in Future Homemakers of America over the 26 years since its establishment as a national organization for home economics students in the secondary schools.

"They have an opportunity to grow as an individual," she stated, "to contribute to home and family living, develop leadership and cooperation and open doors of service to others."

The 43 members of the Merkel FHA Chapter have scheduled a

## C-C Directors Elect 1972-73 Officers

Bill Button, manager of the Merkel West Texas Utilities facilities, was elected Tuesday night as the 1972-73 Merkel Chamber of Commerce president.

Don Hart, manager of the Taylor Rural Electric Coop Inc., was elected vice president.

And Betty Jane Tittle, cashier at the Farmers and Merchants National Bank, was elected secretary-treasurer.

Benny Melton will continue as Chamber of Commerce manager.

All three officers were newly-elected directors, although Button had served as a director and president once before.

Holdover directors for the coming year are Fred Starbuck, immediate past president; Dave Brumbeau, Kent Satterwhite, Mrs. Ray Wilson, E. A. Conley and Duane Shugart.

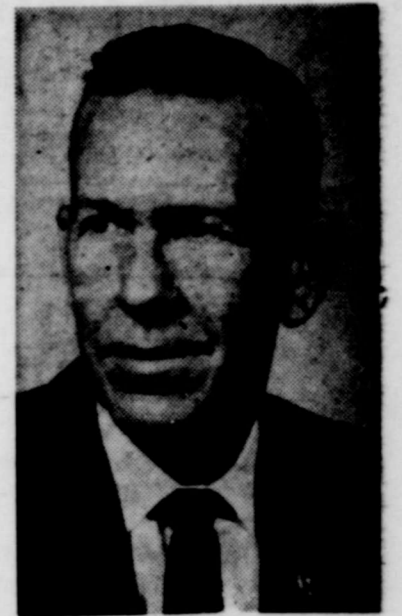
Johnny Hammond reported on the formation of a Senior Citizens club in Merkel and said there was a need for supplies for crafts and handiwork. Directors voted the project \$100.

Plans were ironed out for the annual banquet to be March 27.

Dr. Thomas Kim, president of McMurry College will be principal speaker.

Tickets to the Annual Banquet are currently on sale at \$2.50 each. Responsible for selling tickets are members of the board of directors. Joe McDuff and Dave Brumbeau will handle out of town sales.

Highlight of the Banquet will be the recognition of two outstanding citizens by the Chamber and Beta Sigma Phi's awarding honors to the Lady of the Year for her contributions to the community.



BILL BUTTON  
... chamber head

## MHS JUNIOR NAMED 'SISTER OF MONTH'

Miss Linda Black, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Forest Black, Route 2, Merkel, was selected as Little Sister of the Month for March last Thursday evening at the Taylor County Young Homemakers regular monthly meeting.

Miss Black is an active member of the Future Homemakers of America and serves her local chapter as pianist this year. She was elected Sergeant-at-Arms at the Area IV Association meeting last Saturday in Stephenville for the coming year. She has also received her junior degree of achievement, and has served on the hospitality, program and talent show committees for her local chapter.

Linda is a member of the junior class in Merkel High and serves her class as secretary-treasurer. She is secretary of the Spanish Club; on the publications committee of the Drama Club and was a member of the cast of the recent production, "Our Town." Linda is also on the Annual Staff, a Librarian, and a member of the dress



LINDA BLACK  
... active FHA'er

code committee. She has participated in basketball, volleyball and track for the past three years.

She is a member of the Hebron Baptist Church and is pianist for the church. She helps plan programs for the Starr Nursing Home. She has served her community by helping with the Muscular Dystrophy Drive.

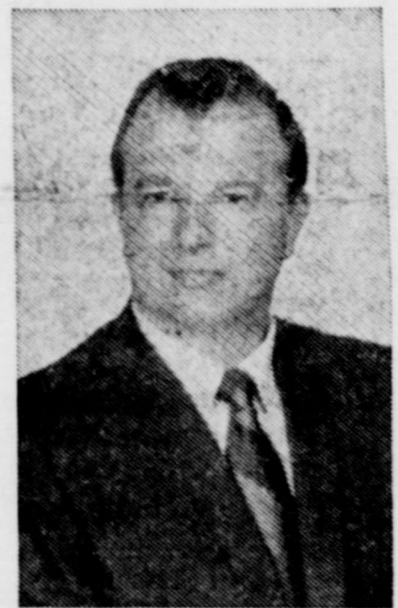
After completing high school in 1973, Linda plans to attend college and major in Home Economics or some related field.

## AT FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

## ENCOUNTER CRUSADE TO BEGIN SUNDAY

The Rev. R. B. Hall will be the evangelist for the Encounter Crusade services to be held in First Baptist Church March 19-26.

The revival services will be a follow-up to the Encounter Crusade being held this week in the Taylor County Coliseum, in which more than thirty Baptist churches have been participating.



REV. R. B. HALL  
... evangelist

A former minister of music and youth at Merkel's First Baptist Church, the Rev. Hall is currently serving on the administrative staff of Hardin-Simmons University. He served the Merkel church in 1967 and 1968, and later returned to help lead in revival services in 1960.

One of the features of the week of revival will be a "Junior Revival Club" which will be led by the evangelist. Meeting each evening before the service, the club will be made up of boys and girls between ages 8 and 12. Games, fellowship, and chorus singing will be highlighted. On Saturday evening, the evangelist will be leading the children in a "Hobo Party," designed to appeal to all youngsters.

## Trail Ride Set By Riding Club

The Merkel Riding Club will leave the Riding Arena Saturday, March 18 at 4 p.m. and begin their Trail Ride to the David Gamble Ranch west of Blair, according to president, Jerry Russell.

"We will have a weiner roast, with everyone bringing their own food," said Russell. "Everyone is welcome to come to the Trail Ride. Come early, saddle your horses and help us open the 1972 season."

March 25 will be the opening night at the Riding Club Arena.

## SENIOR CITIZENS ELECT OFFICERS

Senior Citizen Day is "catching on."

Fifty-three Senior Citizens met Tuesday in their second meeting - twenty more than at their first meeting.

So - word gets around that - "it's a fun time," and good food and fellowship.

Highlight of the Tuesday meeting was the election of officers at which time Johnny Hammond was named president.

Other officers elected were Mrs. Howard Beaird, vice president; Christine Collins, reporter; Mrs. Irl Walker, devotional chairman; Mrs. Joe Hartley, crafts coordinator, and Mrs. Ora Griggs, secretary-treasurer.

When members began to gather

at 10 a.m., dominoes, forty-two and eighty-four games were organized. Those who did not play games, visited, "caught up" on the latest happenings in the community, and some of the ladies brought their sewing and knitting along.

Comments from those gathered for the Activity Day included: Dent Gibson: "It's a wonderful time to visit with friends." Mrs. Denzil Cox: "The fellowship and the food mean so much to all of us."

Herman Adams: "Isn't this great! We look forward to this once a month meeting and I'm so glad Senior Citizens has been organized here in Merkel."

Several agreed that the food

"was at it's best - but it's tops when we visit and share with others."

Organized last month by the ministers of Merkel, Senior Citizens looks as if it is here to stay. Table accessories were furnished by Taylor Electric Cooperative, Inc.

Visiting with the Senior Citizens was Mrs. Willie Curtis, Carver Neighborhood Organizer with the Community Action Program, Abilene, who explained some of the CAP opportunities for Senior Citizens.

Mrs. Curtis also invited members to attend the Cooking School to be held today at the Community Center.

## Trash Pickup Is Scheduled

Merkel residents were advised this week that a scheduled pickup on limbs, brush and trash will be set for once each month, by the City Refuse Department.

Robert Leo Harris, city water superintendent said Wednesday that this pickup is "included in the trash hauling and that there is no extra charge."

"We have had several calls made to City Hall," said Harris, "and we just want to let people know that there is a schedule for trash pickup."

Harris asked that persons having trash to be picked up to cut limbs into four foot lengths and bundle if possible.

Other trash such as leaves and grass need to be in plastic bags or containers," he said. "All trash to be picked up should be in alleys so that when the truck checks each residence they will be ready for pickup."

## Nominees Picked For TEC Board

The Nominating Committee of Taylor Electric Cooperative met March 7 to select nominees for directors whose terms expire in 1972.

Committee members are R. E. Clemmer, H. H. McLeod, Dick Atkins, Lawrence Kelly, Lonnie Lewis and Arthur Miller.

Nominated for Zone 1, Taylor County, are incumbent, J. Riley Miller and Leo Chrane.

Nominee in Zone 2 which is Jones, Shackelford, Callahan and Eastland counties are Alton Whitaker, incumbent, and Ralph McAdams.

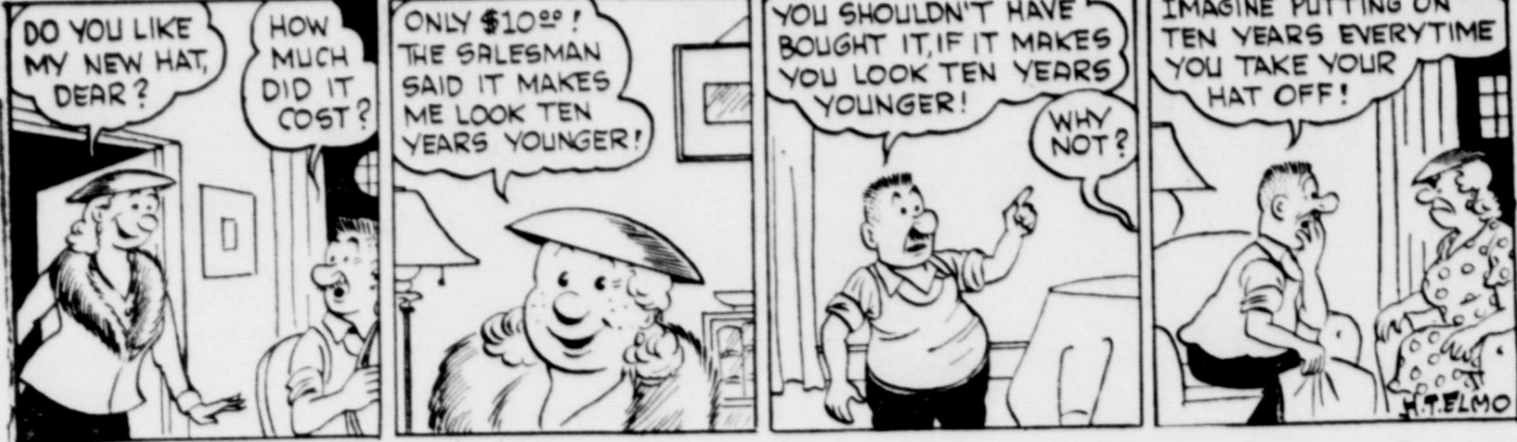
In Zone 3, which is Fisher, Nolan and Coke counties are incumbent Clovis McElmurray and Jack Morris.

Additional nominations may be made from the floor at the Annual Membership Meeting April 20.



**RED CROSS CONTRIBUTION** - Kathy Hendricks, left, president of the Merkel Elementary Student Council presents a check to Miss Ollie Lena Olsen, executive director, American Red Cross, Taylor County Chapter, for the school's contribution this year to the Red Cross. Students earned money by holding bake sales, auctions and country stores. (Staff Photo)

**THE FIZZLE FAMILY**



**PUGGY**



THE MERKEL MAIL, MERKEL, TEXAS  
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CITATION BY PUBLICATION  
THE STATE OF TEXAS  
TO: Edward Bates, Respondent, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable Domestic Relations 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 17th day of April A.D. 1972, to Petitioner's Petition filed in said court, on the 29th day of October A.D. 1971, in this cause, numbered 6704 on the docket of said court and styled Peggy Lou Bates, Petitioner, vs. Edward Bates, Respondent.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: It is a suit for divorce and child custody, as is more fully shown by Petitioner'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 29th day of February A.D. 1972.

Attest: IRENE CRAWFORD  
Clerk, Domestic Relations Court, Taylor County, Texas  
By Marie Gill, Deputy.

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TO: Unborn Children of Tom and Geneva Graham, Defendant, Greeting:

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Graham, Trustees Appointed by the wills of Annie Edenborough Graham & William Alfred Graham Jr. Plaintiff, vs. Deborah Graham Bradshaw, Betty Graham, Thomas Graham, William Alfred Graham, Leeann Graham, Robert Graham, Andrew Graham, and any unborn children of Tom and Geneva Graham, Defendant.

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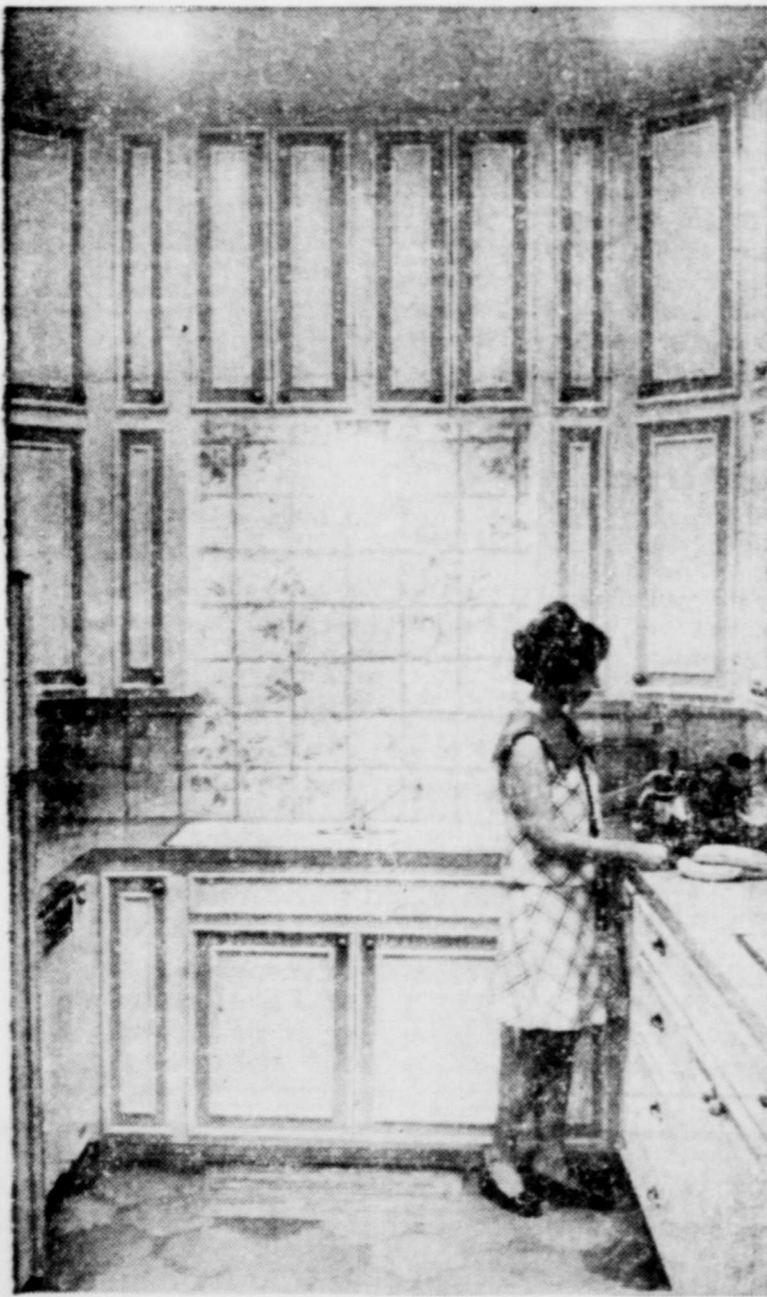
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A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: A suit for divorce, Petitioner and Respondent were married Nov. 17, 1956 and became separated Oct. 27, 1971. There were no children born and no community property accumulated, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's First Amended Petition on file in this suit.

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**LEGAL NOTICE**

**NOTICE OF SHERIFF'S SALE**

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
County of Taylor

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN

That by virtue of a certain Execution issued out of the Honorable 96th Court of Tarrant County, of the 7th day of February 1972, by George Johnson, District Clerk of said Court for the sum of One Thousand Two Hundred Twenty Two and 50/100 Dollars and costs of suit, under a Execution, in favor of Building Products Wholesale Co., Inc. in a certain cause on said Court, No. 96-7252-71 and styled Building Products Wholesale Co., Inc. vs. Harold Bodley, placed in my hands for service, I, Ray Trammell as Sheriff of Taylor County, Texas, did on the 22nd day of February 1972, levy on certain Real Estate, situated in Taylor County, Texas, described as follows, to-wit:

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**FOR SALE** — House to be moved. Call 928-5557 after 5:30 p.m. 2 t/c

**FOR SALE** — Six thoroughbred Bassett puppies, 2 females at \$15 each and four males at \$25. each. Also for sale are mother and daddy, 1414 Heath, 928-5868. 2 t/c

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**FOR SALE** — Two lots for sale, 50'x140' each, 600 block Orange Street, Merkel — \$500 each. Call Abilene 692-4130 ext. 221 or Write Box 306, McMurry Station, Abilene. 3 t/c

**FOR SALE OR TRADE** — Commercial lot 300x350 ft., highway frontage in Kermit, Texas. Consider rental property or house. Mrs. Harold Walker, Box 222, Merkel, Tex., 928-5872. 3 t/c

**FOR SALE** — Simmons Hide-A-Bed, good condition. Call 928-5588. 3 t/c

**FOR SALE** — Air conditioner, 110 volt, 4,000 BTU capacity, good condition, \$50. 862-9876. 3 t/c

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Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Stowe

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number of activities for this week, according to Miss McDuff. These include various community and school projects.

Officers besides Miss McDuff are Tonja McAninch, vice president; Liz Corley, secretary; Lou Ann Willson, treasurer; Marsha Thompson, reporter; Rose Ann Noster, historian; Patsy Button, parliamentarian; Linda Black, pianist, and Stephanie Walker, song leader.

Representing Merkel at the Great IV FHA Convention in Stephenville on March 10 were Miss McAninch, Miss Black, Miss Walker, Pam Snowden, Miss McDuff, Beth Hicks and advisor, Mrs. Mary Caton.

## Country Club Social Friday

The regular monthly social for members and guests of the Merkel Country Club will be held Friday, March 17 at 7 p.m. at the Country Club.

Hosts are John Stout, Hollis Mitchell, S. C. Dixon, Jarrett Williams and C. W. Tipton.

## Goodman HD Club

The Goodman Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Dennis Butler on Thursday with president, Mrs. Garland Price, presiding.

Roll call was answered by six members and two visitors with "What color I like best." Members discussed the March 10 meeting which will involve three clubs — Goodman, Stith and Compere, when a film on Self Protection will be presented by Mrs. Dorothy Harper of West Texas Utilities.

Jones County Agent Mrs. Mary Newberry presented a program on interior decorating.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Newberry, Price, H. H. Windham, Carl Carey, Frank Carter, Cal McAninch, Butler and Callie Price.

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### Stith News

By MRS. FRITZ HALE



Supper guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Bradley Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Byrd, Hale Center; the Rev. and Mrs. M. F. Conley, Kilgore; and Mr. and Mrs. Alanzo Peterson, Merkel.

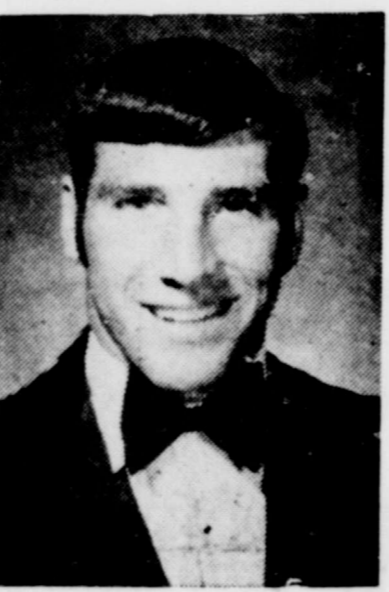
Recent visitors in the home of Mrs. John Hobbs and the Benny Hobbs family were Mr. and Mrs. T. B. Hobbs, Grand Prairie; Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Chancy and Sandra, Richardson; and Mr. and Mrs. Gasotn Hobbs of Fort Worth and Victor Hobbs, who is now with the U.S. Army, stationed in Germany.

The F. J. McDonalds and Paul Bradleys visited in Anson Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Walter Kelso and with Mrs. Tom Busby at the Anson Care Home.

John Browning visited Sunday at the Starr Rest Home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mashburn and Mrs. John Shaw were supper guests Saturday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Mashburn in Merkel. Mrs. Mary Davies of San Angelo and Mrs. Sue Brown of Hawley visited Mrs. Shaw Saturday.

Sam Mashburn is at home, since spending several months in Hendrick Hospital in Abilene and also a patient at Starr Rest Home in Merkel.



PAUL THAMES  
... Biology major

## Merkel Graduate On Dean's List

Paul Thames, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Thames, was one of the more than 2,200 students in the College of Arts and Science at Texas Tech University who qualified for the dean's honor list for the fall semester, according to Dean Lawrence L. Graves.

To qualify for the honor list, a student "must be enrolled in 12 semester hours of courses, and have at least a 3.0 grade point average." Texas Tech uses a 4.0 grading system.

Paul, a biology major, is a 1971 graduate of Merkel High School.

## CAP Cooking School Today

The Community Action Program sponsored Cooking School begins at 2 p.m. today at the Community Center, according to Mrs. Willie Curtis, director.

"This school is for the purpose of working with families who are receiving commodities," she said. "However, any person who wishes to participate is welcome."

Mrs. Curtis explained that persons receiving commodities should attend the 2 p.m. school, at which time "new recipes will be presented and lessons given in using them."

## LEGAL NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the Annual Report of The FitzGerald Foundation for the fiscal year ended November 30, 1971, will be available for inspection by any citizen upon request at its principal office at 1141 Butternut Street, Abilene, Texas, during the regular hours of business from 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday, for 180 days from this date.  
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## McFadden-Brady Vows Are Read

George Kenneth Brady and Alta Gail McFadden exchanged wedding vows Tuesday evening, February 29 in Abilene with the Rev. Dan Burrow officiating.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. McFadden of Haskell, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Brady of Merkel are parents of the bridegroom.

Attendants at the wedding were the bride's sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Mayfield of Abilene.

The bride is a graduate of Haskell High School and is presently a student of Draughon's Business College.

The bridegroom received his high school diploma from the State of Hawaii while serving in Viet Nam. He is a graduate of Texas Barber College and is employed with Edgewood Barber Shop and a part-time employee of The Abilene Reporter-News. The couple are making their home in Abilene.

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# Girl Scout NEWS

## Members Observe Girl Scout Week

By LESAART

Junior Girl Scout Troop No. 313 met Thursday at the Scout House with Mrs. Don Glasscock in charge of the meeting.

A flag ceremony was conducted by some of the girls. Plans were made for the observance of Girl Scout Week. Girls were urged to bring their parents to visit Open House at the Scout House on March 12.

The meeting adjourned with refreshments being served.

## BROWNIE NEWS

By CHRISTI BRADY

Brownie Troop No. 103 met at the Scout Hut for their regular meeting. Leader, Mrs. Don Glasscock, showed the girls how to build a campfire, using small, homemade candles and charcoal. The Brownies divided into four groups for a race to see who could start a fire and boil water first.

After the race the girls played games, Judy Castillo, Christi Brady, Loyce Baker and Shelia Adair served refreshments to the twenty-nine girls present.



JACQUELIN SUE MELTON  
... plans May wedding

## Melton-Eastham Engagement Told

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Melton of Marlin announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Jacquelin Sue to Sgt. Jimmy Dale Eastham, son of the Rev. and Mrs. Jim Eastham of Tye.

A graduate of Temple High School, Temple, the bride-elect is a graduate of Temple Junior College and McLennon Community College at Temple. She was a member of the Choir Club.

The prospective bridegroom is a graduate of Big Lake High School and is with the U.S. Navy Air Station, Yuma, Ariz. He has served a tour of duty in Vietnam and also Okinawa.

Wedding is planned for May 6, at Tye Baptist Church.

## West-Cowan Vows Are Read

Miss Patsy Sue West and James Vernon Cowan exchanged wedding vows in a ceremony in the home of the bride's aunt and uncle, the Rev. and Mrs. Ira L. Perry in Temple.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. John C. West of Temple and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Cowan of Lawton, Okla. The bride is the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. George West and also Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Hale of McCaleb.

The Rev. Perry performed the double ring ceremony.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a semi-formal gown of white lace over satin featuring an empire waistline and long, fitted sleeves puffed at the shoulder. She wore a pearl headband and carried a bouquet of red roses on top of a white Bible.

Mrs. Susan Baker, cousin of the bride, was matron of honor. George Edward Baker served as best man.

The couple is living at Rt. 1, Killeen, where the groom is employed by Weldon Electric Company.

## Geo. Washington Birthday Noted

Mrs. R. C. Vanderwerker and Mrs. Larry Justice were co-hostesses for the February meeting for the Fortnightly Study Club held in Mrs. Vanderwerker's home.

A George Washington Birthday theme was carried out with cake served to fourteen members and one guest, Mrs. M. C. Murry.

Roll call was answered with each member giving the name of her favorite book of high school days.

The program was presented by Miss Christine Collins who reviewed the book, "Just Wait Til You Have Children of Your Own" by Emma Bomback and Bill Keene.

## Services Held For Mrs. Baker

Funeral services for Mrs. J. L. Baker, 69, of Munday, and mother of Merkel's Police Chief, Boyd Baker, were held Sunday at the First United Methodist Church in Munday. The Rev. Marvin James, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Johnson Memorial Cemetery.

Survivors are her husband; one daughter, Mrs. Allen Beaty of Munday; two sons, Doyle Baker of Abilene and Boyd Baker of Merkel; two sisters, Mrs. Pearl Gilmore of Gorman and Mrs. Carroll Hare of De Leon; three brothers, Aldon Kirk of Oxford, Calif., and Handley Kirk of Gorman; five grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

# MERKELITES 'LIVED' WITH ACTORS IN OUR TOWN PRESENTATION

The Pretenders, Merkel High Drama Club, did a most creditable job with their "pretending" to the townspeople of Grovers Corners, New Hampshire in their production of Thornton Wilder's "Our Town."

For two hours, forty-two Merkel thespians convinced a large crowd of Merkel citizens that they were seeing the every day life in a small New Hampshire town at the beginning of the twentieth century.

The teenagers and adults in the audience lived and relived with George and Emily the warm new feelings that come with falling in love. The married couples in the audience reminisced with Dr. and Mrs. Gibbs as they remembered their own wedding day.

During the third act, the audience sat spellbound as Emily returned from the dead to relive her twelfth birthday. Many of the viewers realized, along with Emily, that life is so wonderful and full that people don't really understand what living is all about until it is too late.

The philosophy, the down to earth advice, the morals, the truth of every-day life were presented with grace and ease by the Stage Manager, Richard Nance. The audience was charmed by Nance's casual, straightforward talks to them. He was truly the manager of the people, both on the stage and in the audience. His performance was certainly outstanding.

Each member of the Gibbs and the Webb families was very true to life with his "pretending." Everyone believed that George Gibbs (Mark Dudley) and Emily Webb (Stephanie Walker) were really in love and just meant for each other. Their feelings were genuine as they spoke aloud their private misgivings and doubts



DONNA ANN DICKERSON  
... plans June wedding

## Dickerson-Gann Engagement Told

Mr. and Mrs. Troy Dickerson announce the engagement of their daughter, Donna Ann, to Mr. Donnie Gerald Gann, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. T. Gann of Anson.

The bride-elect is a 1971 graduate of Merkel High School. Her fiancé is a 1970 graduate of Anson High School and is with the National Guard stationed at Ft. Leonard Wood, Mo.

A June wedding is planned.

## Missionette Group Is Organized

A Missionette group is currently in the process of being organized according to Mrs. E. V. Walters, Assisting her is Mrs. A. B. Gregory.

The group is sponsored by the Assembly of God Church and include girls, ages 5 through 14.

Meeting is 2 p.m. every Saturday at the church.

Activities will include handicrafts, field trips, cook outs, and programs for entertainment.

"We are in the process now of making bouquets for the Starr Rest Home," said Mrs. Walters. "Other projects will be undertaken as our group progresses."

Girls, ages 5 through 14 are invited to join our group," said Mrs. Walters.

A garage sale, sponsored by the group will be held this weekend at Mrs. Walters' home at North Third and Baker with proceeds to be used for the Missionettes.

just before their wedding. The bride and groom provided the audience with a stunning picture and gave each a tug at his heart as they entered from the back of the auditorium, came down the aisles, and mounted the stage for the simple, but charming marriage ceremony. Mark Dudley's portrayal of George Gibbs was well done in all acts.

Stephanie Walker gave a superb performance as the dead Emily in the last act. She brought tears to the eyes of many spectators as she said goodbye to the world and to all the things of the world that she loved most.

Dr. Gibbs (Larry Hewitt) and Mrs. Gibbs (Tonja McAninch) made a lovely couple as they shared the heartaches and joys of rearing two children and of spending a life-time together.

Mr. Webb, the local newspaper editor, and Mrs. Webb, played by Neilon Ely and Jeanie Fincher, were very realistic while they solved the problems of daily life.

The two other children, Wally Webb (Grant Murrell) and Rebecca Gibbs (Donna Nagel) added some delightful touches of brother-sister relationships as they mixed with Emily and George.

All of the audience were entertained by the town gossip, Mrs. Soames, played by Linda Black. She was a charming "old biddy." The latest gossip concerned the drinking of the choir director, Mr. Stinson, portrayed by Steve Walker, who turned out to be a "good" drunk.

The minor characters in "Our Town" added their own polish to the luster of the entire show. The funeral director (Ray Young), the milkman (Terry Reed), the policeman (Darel Bunch), the newspaper boy (Andy Hart), the baseball players (Garth Dean and Glenn Tipton), the assistant stage managers (Randy Rigney, Danny West, Jimmy Hester, and Ray Young), and the people of the choir and congregation provided viewers with glimpses of themselves, since the audience made up a special segment of our town, Merkel.

The realism of the play and the involvement of the audience were especially apparent early in the first act when the Stage Manager and Mr. Webb were questioning some "just-pretend" New Hampshire spectators. At that point one real live Texas spectator directed his relevant question to Mr. Webb: "Are there any drugs in your town?"

One of the most important and most difficult jobs was performed by an unscen person, the sound technician, Jamie Clark was responsible for all sound effects.

## School Menu

Friday, March 17  
Hamburgers, oven fried french fries, catsup, mustard, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, onions, buttered buns, flying saucers cookies, milk.

Monday, March 20  
Hot dogs, chili sauce, potato salad, ranch style beans, corny buns, apple cobbler, milk.

Tuesday, March 21  
Steakettes, gravy, buttered rice, would have heard nothing but praise.

Such words as fine, great, touching, well done, larupin, nostalgic and beautiful were echoed by the large crowd of Merkel people.

Surely, the most frequent comment made by the viewers was that the play was "just perfect" and very appropriate for the town of Merkel.

"The play just fit us and 'our town' of Merkel," so stated many people. This is a tribute not only to Thornton Wilder's masterpiece but also to the acting, staging, and directing done by the Merkel Pretenders.

Wednesday, March 22  
Beef cheese pizza, tomato sauce, pinto beans, cabbage pepper relish, whole wheat bread, apple sauce cup, peanut butter, milk.

Thursday, March 23  
Chicken, dressing, giblet gravy, spiced apple rings, mixed vegetables, hot rolls, butter, fruit cup, milk.

Friday, March 24  
Hamburgers, oven fried potatoes, lettuce, tomatoes, pickles, onions, chocolate creme cluster, rice krispers, milk.

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## Religious Prejudice Against Other Churches

PREJUDICE: A judgment or opinion, favorable or unfavorable, formed BEFOREHAND or WITHOUT DUE EXAMINATION; a mental decision based on OTHER GROUNDS than REASON or JUSTICE.

Why is there prejudice against people of a different religious belief? Just because they are different? Because we disagree over what is believed? Because we don't understand why they believe what they do? Because of something we have heard they supposedly believe? If it is "prejudice," then it is an opinion or judgment formed before and without proper examination. Thus that prejudice may be completely based upon something that does not really exist at all.

Against WHAT are you prejudiced if you are? Against people? Against a church (that's people)? Against a truth we don't want to accept? Or against a particular religion? WHY?

An amazing thing about Jesus was - "he regarded not the person of men" (Matthew 22:16) and he made the distinction between loving people (even sinners) without loving sin and the sin they were guilty of. If we are to really be a Christian, we must take upon us the "mind of Christ" (Philippians 2:4, 5), we must be like Jesus. That for one thing means free from prejudice.

If you are aware of prejudice in your own heart it would be advisable, if you plan to be a Christian, to make proper examination of all the facts related to what the person you are prejudiced against really believes and base what you believe upon one thing only: TRUTH! Jesus said, "If you continue in my word, then are you my disciples indeed; and you shall know the truth, and the truth shall make you free." (John 8:31, 32) and "Sanctify them through thy truth: thy word is truth." (John 17:17) and 1 Peter 1:22 the Bible reads: "Seeing you have purified your souls in obeying the truth through the spirit unto unfeigned love of the brethren, see that ye love one another with a pure heart fervently."

BILLY PATTON  
CHURCH OF CHRIST  
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## St. Patrick's Day SPECIALS



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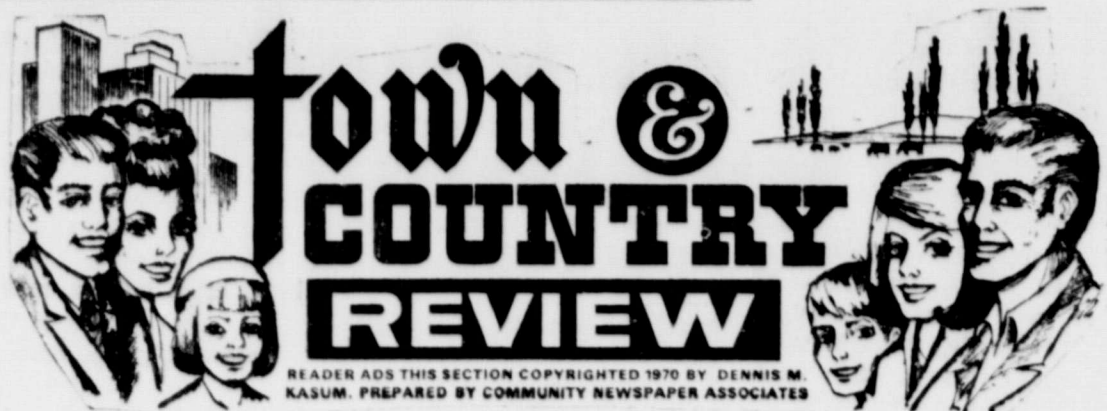
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Since acquiring this auction, improvement and modernization

have been the continuing efforts during their first year of operation. The goal of increased customer convenience has been realized by the improvements to the operations, with the net result of more buyers and sellers, and a higher weekly cattle volume. Some of the improvements include expansion of pen facilities and layout to handle 2,000 cattle; bleacher and sales arena, with special buyers facilities provided; relocation of trailer and truck loading docks, and completion of new communication system, added to provide quick contact between various departments.

The auction sold 58,000 head of cattle, an average of 1160 each week. Benefits to this area include bringing in some 200 sellers and 100 buyers each week, with a good balance of order, packer, and feed lot buyers, provision of a good local market for cattle, and the giving of a nice area growth.

The composers of this Review are pleased to give this reliable firm commendable mention in this 1972 Town and Country Review. We assure our readers that they will get a fair deal in every transaction.

### McCOY FUNERAL HOME, INC.

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hand or just a 'Drug Store Cowboy,' the editors of this 1972 Review suggest that it is to your advantage to drop in here soon and look over their large selection.

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### SIMMONS MEMORIAL HOSPITAL

KENNETH P. DICKSON — Administrator

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Every year Simmons Memorial

Hospital reaches out to service an ever widening area. This hospital stands like a sentinel, in this community, to guard the health and welfare of all the citizens, young and old alike.

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JOHN WOOD — Manager

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The writers of this 1972 Town and Country Review suggest to the people of this area that they make it a point to enjoy shopping at Sears as so many millions of other people do throughout the country. We commend the management of this Sears store for serving their customers in such a fine manner.

### West Welding Supply Co.

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Your full line dealer in this area for all welding equipment and supplies is the West Welding Supply Co. located at 709 W. Broadway in Sweetwater, phone 235-5745.

They have everything for the welder, including Lincoln electric arc welders, Victor gas equipment, safety equipment and gases: such as oxygen, acetylene, nitrogen, helium, argon and medical oxygen.

This company has a reputation second to none for their supply of the finest welding equipment and supplies anywhere. They handle only name brand merchandise that you will recognize as being some of the finest on the market today.

No matter what you need, from torches, rod and all types of gas, for gas welding, to welders electrodes, protective helmets, and cable for electric welding, you are sure to find just exactly the equipment you need in varying price ranges.

They employ friendly salesmen to help you select the equipment or supplies that will suit your needs the best.

The writers of this 1972 Town and Country Review suggest to the machinists and welders in this area if they haven't done business with the West Welding Supply Co. yet, that they do so soon. We know you'll be pleased with their service, and products.

### Farris Typewriter Company

R. B. FARRIS — Owner

The modern businessman of today regards the new electric typewriters, highspeed adding and calculating machines as one of his biggest benefits for completing the many complicated details of everyday business.

The firm to see in this area for their reputable service is the Farris Typewriter Company at 107 West 3rd in Sweetwater, phone 235-5012. Their account executives are fully qualified to analyze your business machine needs, and will gladly counsel you on the benefits of the machine they handle, as well as offer you profes-

sional service and the necessary supplies to operate the equipment after you made your purchase. They carry a complete line of high quality electric typewriters, adding and calculating machines known for their highspeed, trouble-free operation.

The compilers of this 1972 Town and Country Review take this opportunity to commend the Farris Typewriter Company on the fine service they offer the people of this area and suggest that our readers contact this reputable concern for your business machine needs.

### Pittman Floor Covering

EDDIE & JEAN FREEZE — Owners

Known as the carpeting center in the area, Pittman Floor Covering, located at 401 Oak in Sweetwater, phone 235-3308, offers this section one of the largest selections of name brand carpeting in the area.

They serve the commercial and residential requirements of this section with the best in products, service, and price. You can depend on them to supply you with carpeting designed to take the wear and tear of its particular application.

These people are professionals in the field and know which lines carry. Their fine service is evidenced by their ever increasing clientele.

Regardless of your carpeting needs, the editors of this 1972 Town and Country Review suggest to our readers, that they contact Pittman Floor Covering for assurance of the best products and service and at realistic prices. We salute them for their fair and honest interests in serving this area.

### Gandy's Automotive Center

JOHN GANDY — Owner

In the past few years the automobile industry has turned their once nut and bolt jalopy into a complex piece of precision engineered equipment built for high speed and strenuous uses. No longer can just any mechanic properly repair your car problems today.

That is why the people of this area have turned to Gandy's Automotive Center located at 113 Pecan in Sweetwater, phone 235-8555 for expert, professional repair work.

They have taken the time to learn the proper procedure for repairing today's automobile and use only the latest factory approved equipment. Once the job is finished, you can be sure that it is done right and you won't have to take it back to get the work completed.

They also offer complete engine analysis service and 24 hour wrecker service.

The compilers of this 1972 Town and Country Review recommend to our readers that when they need expert repair work, they take their car to the friendly professionals at Gandy's Automotive Center. We know you'll be glad you did.

### SWEETWATER PRODUCTION CREDIT ASSN.

The editors of this Review wish to bring to your attention this leading firm, the Sweetwater Production Credit Assn., located in Sweetwater at 501 Locust, phone 235-8411. They loan money to farmers and stockmen for many agricultural purposes.

The management has a reputation known far and wide as

business people of ability and straight forwardness in their business dealings, and anxious to please every customer alike. During their years of operation they have done everything in their power for the up-building of their community. This is good evidence that you too, will find

them a most desirable firm with which to do business.

Their position among the people of this district is evidence of well placed confidence, and in this 1972 Review, we, the authors, take pleasure in recommending the Sweetwater Production Credit Assn. to the people of this and surrounding territories.

### MOTT'S 5-10-25 CENT STORE

JOHN MEADOWS — Manager

In reviewing the various leaders of this trade area, we come to the variety store. This gives pause for thought. How little do we realize in our hurry through life, what the variety store has brought about in our American way of living.

Have you ever wondered how all these thousands of articles which we deem the necessities of life are made available to us? It

is by wise buying, close margin of profit, volume sales and mass production that these so-called necessities of life, which in many countries are considered as luxuries, are offered us for a trivial cost.

In Sweetwater it is Mott's 5-10-25 Cent Store, located at 504 E. Broadway, phone 235-5007. The next time you are in town shop-

ping for the day, stop in here and look over their thousands of items. The management of this store has given this community a variety store in which to be proud. For value received you cannot compare their prices.

This 1972 Review and its editors unhesitatingly refer our readers to the Mott's 5-10-25 Cent Store.

**Cycle of Health**

**Bexel VITAMIN SALE**

SAVE 1/2 ON THE MOST NEEDED VITAMINS FOR YOUR FAMILY

- BEXEL VHP (VERY HIGH POTENCY) VITAMINS & MINERALS**  
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180 Capsules, Economy Size Reg. \$17.98 **NOW 1/2 PRICE \$6.49**
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225 Tablets, Economy Size Reg. \$8.49 **NOW \$4.25**
- BEXEL SPECIAL FORMULA**  
The very best vitamin and iron tonic in capsules for adults.  
180 Capsules, Economy Size Reg. \$9.99 **NOW \$4.99**
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**STORE PRIZE ENTRY FORM**

BRING IN THIS COUPON NO PURCHASE REQUIRED

Drop entry form into the slot on the Spring '72 Bexel Vitamin display in our store. Contest closes April 30, 1972. Winner determined by random drawing on or before May 15, 1972. Winner announced on this store. Subject to Federal, State and local regulations. Void where prohibited, taxed, or otherwise restricted.

NAME \_\_\_\_\_ ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_ CITY \_\_\_\_\_ STATE \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_

**MERKEL DRUG CO.**

Your Health Service Store

PH. 928 5012, MERKEL, TEXAS, W.O. GAMBLE

### LEGAL NOTICE

**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: Fred E. Carson, Defendant.  
Greeting: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable Domestic Relations 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 19

day of April A.D. 1972, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 18 day of Feb. A.D. 1972 in this cause, numbered 6964 on the docket of said court and styled Sue Carson, Plaintiff, vs. Fred E. Carson, Defendant.  
A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Petitioner and Respondent were married on or about July 1, 1966 and separated on or about Oct., 1966. There were no children born and no community property accumulated. This is a suit for divorce, 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 25 day of Feb. A.D. 1972.  
(Seal)  
Attest: IRENE CRAWFORD Clerk, Domestic Relations Court, Taylor County, Texas By Marie Gill, Deputy. 1 4tc

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS  
TO: Darla Gene Gorsline Zaviska, Leo Zaviska and William Douglas Robey, Defendants.  
Greeting: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable Domestic Relations 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 10

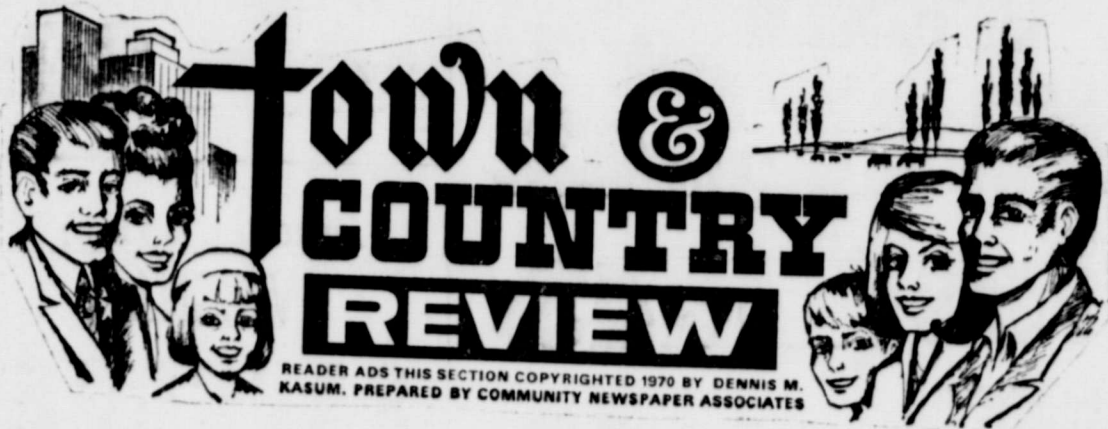
day of April A.D. 1972, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 23 day of Feb. A.D. 1972, in this cause, numbered 6609 on the docket of said court and styled In Re: Minor A-108.  
A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: In Re: Adoption as is more fully shown by 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 23 day of Feb. A.D. 1972.  
(Seal)  
Attest: IRENE CRAWFORD Clerk, Domestic Relations Court, Taylor County, Texas My Marie Gill, Deputy. 2 4tc

### CEMETERY FUND

The following made recent donations to the Merkel Cemetery Fund:

- Mr. and Mrs. Robert Campbell and Vickie in memory of Mrs. Roy Spurgin
- Mr. and Mrs. Bruno Uecker in memory of Mrs. Roy Spurgin
- Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ferguson in memory of James Dunn
- Mrs. E. W. King
- Mrs. Ada Mae Johnson
- T. R. Blair (Verna H.)
- Bertha Anderson
- Mr. and Mrs. Stanley King
- Zelma Herring in memory of Odessa Spurgin
- Nora and Mrs. J. B. Foster in memory of Mrs. Mollie Sears Hatfield
- Mr. and Mrs. Earl Baze in memory of Mrs. Dovie Stephens
- The family of Mrs. Gertrude Pee in memory of James M. Dunn
- Mrs. Robert F. Buford

- Elsie McDonald
- Mrs. Paul West in memory of Mrs. R. A. Walker
- Ford Smith Jr.
- Dr. and Mrs. W. T. Sadler in memory of Mrs. Florence Jones
- Davis and Jones Lots
- Lum Gilbreath
- Mrs. Victor Parsons in memory of Maud C. Byrom
- Mr. and Mrs. Joe Holloway in memory of Mrs. Cordelia Scherer
- and Mrs. J. B. Wade
- Lola Sockbridge
- Mrs. Trula Cox
- Mr. and Mrs. John B. Hughes



### RADIO & TV CENTER

F. E. HEALER - Owner

The Radio & TV Center at 401 Bowie in Sweetwater, phone 235-9255, can repair all makes of TV sets, black & white or color. They have the technical knowledge to locate your television troubles rapidly, thus saving you money on your repair bill. Be sure to call this firm if you would like skillfully trained men to repair

your TV set properly and promptly. They offer the people of this community reliable service at reasonable rates along with expert workmanship to please you. They guarantee their work and you may rest assured that they will replace only those parts which are actually needed.

Remember a television set is a very delicate instrument and only experienced repairmen know how to handle them without damaging them. In this 1972 Town and Country Review Issue we, the editors, highly recommend this television repair shop for professional black & white and color TV repair at low cost.

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TO: Clarence Arnold Ireland, Defendant.  
Greeting: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable Domestic Relations 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 3rd day of April A.D. 1972 to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 6th day of October A.D. 1971 in this cause, numbered 6644 on the docket of said court and styled Irene Margaret Ireland, Plaintiff, vs. Clarence Arnold Ireland, Defendant.  
A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Petition for divorce Married on October 27, 1969 and separated September 17, 1971, 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 16th day of February A.D. 1972.  
(Seal)  
Attest: IRENE CRAWFORD Clerk, Domestic Relations Court, Taylor County, Texas My Marie Adkins, Deputy. 52 4tc

### FRANK MORGAN REAL ESTATE

Whether you are interested in real estate for an investment, business or a home, every transaction should be fully investigated by someone with experience enough to insure you that both parties receive dollar for dollar value.  
For the best interest of our readers contemplating selling or

buying we honestly believe that the wisest preliminary step would be to consult with Frank Morgan Real Estate, located in the Cowen Building, in Sweetwater, phone 235-2283.  
This firm can be relied upon for astute judgment as to values of all types of property for miles

around. At the same time they have established a reputation for fast action on buying or selling and completing transactions.  
It's with pleasure that the staff of this Review are able to unhesitatingly bring them to the attention of our friends in this 1972 Town and Country Review.

### Bud's Mobil Service Station

R. W. "Bud" JONES - Owner

This efficient station is ready and willing to serve you. Their endeavor to care for your car in a manner you will appreciate. For honest to goodness service, stop at Bud's Mobil Service Station in Sweetwater at 14th & Hailey, phone 235-5954, featuring the famous Mobil products, road service, major and minor tune-ups, wheel balancing & muffler & tail pipe work.  
The patrons of this station never have to worry whether or not their car is properly cared for.

They know that this station employs only competent men.  
You may be assured that they carry only the best in gasoline, oils and other products. Remember their business is serving you and they are glad to do it. Visit this friendly station the next time you are in town.  
In this 1972 Town and Country Review, we the compilers, assure our readers the best in loyal service if they stop at Bud's Mobil Service Station while they are in Sweetwater.

### Thompson Shamrock Service Station

BOBBY THOMPSON - Owner

The Thompson Shamrock Service Station is located at 1416 Hailey in Sweetwater, phone 235-5875.  
They do truck & general auto repairing along with auto air conditioning.  
This is a modern up - to - date service station where you will find the employees courteous and accommodating. They feature the well - known Shamrock products.  
When you stop here they are always willing to check your car completely. Besides just filling up your gas tank, they wash your windows, check your oil, water and tires. They are a complete one stop service station for your convenience. They have front end alignment & wheel balancing, with all wheels spin balanced & kinetic 6 dynamic balancing.  
They handle only the better grades of oil and gasoline which assures every motorist of the most mileage per gallon. If your car needs an oil change or lube job, take it to them and you will be pleased with the results.  
The writers of this 1972 Town and Country Review are proud to recommend the Thompson Shamrock Service Station to our readers. We urge you to visit them when you are in town shopping.

### Marvin's Carpets

MARVIN KENDRICK - Owner

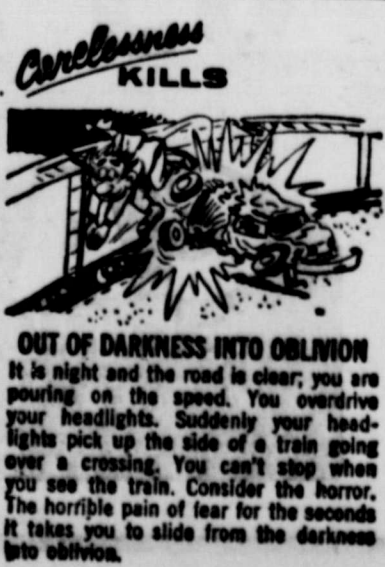
Does your home or office have tired floor covering? Marvin's Carpets, located at 1404 Hailey in Sweetwater, has a wonderful selection of carpeting with designs and colors that are calculated to lure you to an exciting new level in living.  
Trained personnel at Marvin's Carpets can help you roll out a room full of beauty. This is one of those places where quality reigns and style is paramount. They feature distinctive quality products for the fashionable at reasonable prices with budget terms available.

Since they have opened it has become known as the ONE-STOP carpeting center. Let them make estimates for you without obligation. When you have made your selection, you may be assured of expert installation. The workmen will complete your job in a way that will make you want to recommend them to your friends. For all your floor covering needs, go to Marvin's Carpets or phone 235-9234 for complete information.  
In this 1972 Review edition we, the compilers, suggest you call this commendable firm first.

### Sweetwater Cotton Oil Co.

The Sweetwater Cotton Oil Co. is located at the North edge of town on Route 419 in Sweetwater, phone 236-6661.  
This is one of the most worthwhile feed and supply houses rendering a most vital service in supplying the people of this section with feeds and supplies of the highest quality. Here, the latest improved methods are used and workmen of long experience deliver the supplies that are meeting with such great fa-

vor with the people of this section. Some money could be saved by inferior grades but this establishment adheres to the best standard of service and quality that it is possible to reach.  
The spirit of fair treatment is so evident that it has well become a hard and fast rule. "Once a customer, always a customer."  
The planners of this 1972 Town and Country Review do highly endorse this reliable firm to all our readers.



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March 20-24



R. B. HALL, Evangelist

Evening Services  
7:30 p.m.  
Monday Thru Saturday  
March 20-25

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SUNDAY SCHOOL 9:45 A.M. MORNING WORSHIP 11:00 A.M.  
BIBLE STUDY 6:00 P.M. EVENING WORSHIP 7:00 P.M.

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PARKAY Lb. **29c**

COLLEGE INN 16 OZ. JAR  
EGG AND NOODLES CHICKEN **33c**

KUNERS 303 CUT  
Green BEANS 2 for **43c**

KUNERS 303  
Garden PEAS 2 for **43c**

KUNERS 303 WHOLE  
TOMATOES 2 for **43c**

KUNERS 303  
Sour KRAUT 2 for **39c**

KUNERS 303  
APPLE Sauce 2 for **39c**

HUNTS 300  
FRUIT Cocktail 2 for **43c**

FOREMOST  
COTTAGE  
CHEESE **39c**  
12 OZ. CTN.

ARMOURS (5 Limit)  
VIENNA  
SAUSAGE **1.00**  
5 5 OZ. CANS

3-MINUTE  
OATS **29c**  
18 OZ. BOX

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SNACK PACK  
PUDDING **53c**  
ASSORTED 4 Pack

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BREAKFAST **63c** EACH  
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CHILI  
WOLF **49c**  
PLAIN  
15 OZ. CAN  
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FLOUR Gold Medal 5 Lb. Bag **53c**

SNOWDRIFT 42 Oz. Can **69c**

TREET Armours 12 Oz. Can **53c**

PEACHES Hunts (4 Limit) 2 1/2 Can 4 for **\$1.00**

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GOOD and THRIFTY



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JUMBO BOX **1.99**

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TISSUE  
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SUDDEN BEAUTY  
Hair Spray 13 oz. can **43c**

FRESH 1 1/2 OZ. CAN  
FROZEN OYSTERS **1.39**

CHOICE BEEF  
Pound **83c**

BEEF Fresh Lean Ground Lb. **98c**

FRYERS Fresh Graded Whole Lb. **29c**

BACON Decker Pound **69c**

NKS Decker 12 Oz. Pkg. **51**

Decker BONELESS COOKED Lean Lb. **1.29**

CHOICE BEEF SHORT RIBS lb. **65c** lb. **43c**

KING - PRIZE  
BONUS Box **1.09**

KING 32 OZ.  
THRILL Liquid Bottle **59c**

GIANT  
GAIN (1 Limit) Box **63c**



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ONIONS Lb. **15c**

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SPUDS 10 Lb. Bag **49c**

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