The pictures from the Lambda Beta Beauty Pageant are in and can be picked up from the United Savings building in Merkel.

# The Merkel Mail

Thursday, June 7,1979...Merkel, Texas

15 cents

The order of the Eastern Star will hold their open installation of officers on June 12th at the Masonic Lodge in Merkel at 8 p.m. The public is invited.

# Merkel needs \$ for activity center roof

It looks as though the Community Action Program is ready to pay for one half of the roof repairs to Merkel's Youth Activity Center, if Merkel is willing to come up with approximately \$700 for the same

That fund has already been started locally and Merkel people need to start sending those donations in care of the Youth Activity Fund at the Farmers and Merchants National Bank.

The money is needed to do approximately \$1400 worth of roof repairs to the youth activity center. The center provides summer time activities for local youngsters and the activities are supervised. In other words, it is the only summer activity facility exclusively for local youth.

The Community Action Program purchased the Youth Activity building in 1973 for \$2400.

Youth Activity building in 1973 for \$2400.

Jerry Perez, director of planning and evaluation for the Community Action Program, told the Mail that he did not see any problem getting the CAP board of directors to approve funding for one half of the roof repairs. Mr. Perez also said that it would be a lot easier to push for the \$700 from the federal government if the city had already come up with it's share or had a good start on it. He also said that the board will make a decision on their half of the funding at it's next meeting on June 28th.

The Community Aciton program is funded by the Community Services Administration in the Housing and Urban Development program. The \$700 would be available from the feds within 30 days after June 28th according to Mr. Perez, which means the roof repairs could be made in early August.

Local citizens are being asked to send checks to the Youth Activity Fund at the F & M Bank. If you are making a cash donation, please be sure to include a note saying who made the donation.

# 79 wheat crop could be largest

About 24-27 bushels to the acre and somewhere over \$3.05 per bushel and under \$3.24 was the best estimates for the 1979 wheat crop the Mail could find this week and if the weather held Wednesday, the combines should be rolling.

Walter Whisenhunt, manager of the Merkel Henderson Grain Elevator told the Mail Monday that Henderson had contracted for 5,000 acres of wheat and that he agreed with a 24 bushel per acre

Whisenhunt also said that the rain we have had in the past couple of months hasn't done any harm to the wheat, it has only helped to make it ripen. He said the only thing he was worried about was high wind or hail.

Jack South of the South elevators here said this year's yield will be the best on a wheat crop ever for the Merkel area, although the acreage is down some. South elevators had contracted for 20,000 acres of wheat this season and has already harvested a field five miles north of Merkel and a field south of Trent. Jackie Reynolds, farming a plot north of Merkel was one of the fields already harvested and his crop hit 42

bushels per acre.
South has already collected 5,800 bushels that weighed 63 pounds per bushel. South said that any more rain in the area will do nothing but hurt the yield. South said that most of the wheat had stopped growing and the weeds have started. He also said more rain could lighten the crop and also bleach the wheat. He also said that rain on the taller, heavier headed wheat would beat the tops down.

South said his best estimate of wheat per acre would be somewhere over 30 bushels per acre.

County Extension agent Joe Wilson told the Mail



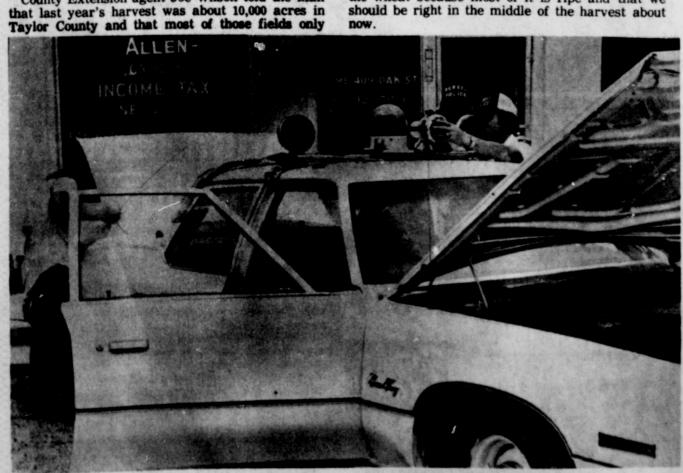
Reverend James T. South



(Staff photo by glonn Richards)

managed 10-12 bushels per acre. This year he estimates that there are 60,000 Taylor County wheat acres and that the overall average for the county should be close to 25 bushels per acre. He said that Taylor County usually averages about 18 bushels to the acre.

Wilson also told the Mail that more rain would hurt the wheat because most of it is ripe and that we should be right in the middle of the harvest about



Freddy Ste aford works on the installation of the

a street in one of the two new Merkel Police Cars (Stuff photo by glenn Richards)

# 53 seniors receive diplomas

Graduation ceremonies were held Friday night at the Merkel School Auditorium for 59 graduating seniors at Merkel High School. The graduation was originally planned for the football field but rainy weather forced a change in plans. The auditorium was filled with relatives and

The auditorium was filled with relatives and friends of the seniors and the audience heard a former Merkel High student and now pastor in Anson, Reverend James. T. South give the commencement address.

Seniors that were graduated with honors included Pamela Crenshaw, Charleen Fariello, Lesa Hart, Janice Hicks, Kathryn James, Debbie Phillips, Grant Sandusky, who took the highest ranking boy honors, Cindy Smith and Sheila Sloan. Those graduates maintained a 90 or above grade average.

Other graduates are; Patricia Biera, Cindy Boone, James Boyd, Micheal Brady, Carla Bragg, Janey Carey, Janice Carey, Clint Carpenter, James Castille, Buddy Caulder, Mike Crouse, Darrel Dawson, Lori Dubose, Roger Dye, Mary Russell, Richard Schultz, Sharon Shultz, Keith Shields, Mike Sims, Sheila Sloan, Jimmy Tackett, Gwen Taff, Tammy Thomas, Mike Tucker, Janet Wade, Russell Watts, Calvin Wolf, Dennis Lang, Sean Leonard, matthew Lummas, Amy McCoy, Patti McLeod, Dede Metts, Terry Miller, Maury Moore, Billy Nichols, Vernon Presswood, Danial Reddin, Norma Reeve, Rena Reeves, Carla Rister, Gina Farmer, Sherry Frazier, Carla Gardner, Debbie Glasscock, Lugenia Guenther, Johnny Hernandez, Randy Holmes, Rick Howes, Craig Hutchings, Jeffery Jones.



The last day of school at Markel Blomontary brings out different emotions. (left) Some students are just happy to get out (right) while others

realize that they wen't be seeing their friends for awhite. (Staff photo by glenn Richards)

# Twirlers compete, start fund raiser

The Merkel Twirlers traveled to Austin Monday to compete in the University Interscholastic League State Twirlers competition. The girls arrived in Austin short one twirler when Cindy Smith, a recent graduate from Merkel, was taken to the hospital last Saturday for an emergency appendectomy. The remaining twirlers worked through the weekend on their new routine with five members instead of six and performed for the judge in Austin, the same

judge that had given them a 2 rating in last years competition. This year, to the members disappointment, they received a 4 rating. Shannon Bagby received a 3 rating on her solo routine which she said she was quite pleased with. Cindy Smith was also scheduled to compete solo.

The Twirlers for the 79-80 school year will be holding a fund raising drive in the form of a snack bar for the farmers next to Jack South Grain elevators for the duration of the wheat harvest.

# Pat Penick resigns as girls BB coach

by glenn Richards

The Merkel Girls Varsity Basketball team turned in their best record ever this past season while winning their district race. The Coach of last season's team, Miss Pat Penick resigned her head coaching job last Monday to take the Head Basketball coaching job for the girls Varsity and Jr. Varsity teams at Cooper High School in Abilene.

Varsity teams at Cooper High School in Abilene.

Miss Penick said she felt like her new team would

be a challenge coming off a 50-50 year, and moving to a 4-A school would be "a step up". A replacement for Miss Penick has not been ared

A replacement for Miss Penick has not been hared as of yet, according to Principal Lee Presswood, but there is a job opening. Miss Penick said that she thought that the girls

Miss Penick said that she thought that the girls team here would do very well next year. She said that she feels that they have some experience now and plenty of talent, and added that it didn't have to be her coaching them.

## Boone signs with Western Texas

Cindy Boone, a recent graduate, from Merkel High School and a tri-captain of last years girls varsity basketball team has signed a letter of intent with Western Texas College, in Snyder.

Cindy received a partial scholarship which includes books and tuition and \$300 towards her room

and board. Cindy, who was named to the All-District team as a Junior, received an honorable mention her Senior year.

While in High School Cindy competed in track, golf and basketball during her four years but has decided to stick to basketball at college deciding that ought to be enough to keep her busy.

# Congressional comment...

Charles W. Stenholm, M.C. 17th District, Texas

Every political movement since the beginning of time has had the seeds of its own destruction located within - often from the onset. During the sixties and early seventies we became acquainted with such movements as the New Frontier, Great Society, and the social-welfare state. In this period our Country seemed to have unlimited resources. We could conduct a war on poverty at home and a fighting war in Vietnam half way around the world. The government began a policy of intense regulation of the economy and spent billions trying to cure such problems as structural unemployment and poverty. The phenomenon of government expansion was world wide as we began to see the nationalization of many important industries in Western Europe and around the globe.

The idealism of the sixties finally collapsed when it was discovered that government programs did not cure poverty or promote efficiency in the marketplace. Massive amounts of foreign aid did very little to enhance world prosperity and military intervention overseas often did not stabilize pro-Western regimes or make friends for the United States.

Now we are in the process of examining our past errors. The issues people seem most concerned about are too much government spending and regulation, inflation, and our eroding national defense. These concerns are not confined to America but are worldwide. A Conservative government recently won in Great Britain with a pledge to reduce inflation and givernment spending but at the same time to maintain a strong national defense. A similar situation happened in Canada with the election of the Progressive-Conservative party. The Prime Minister - elect, Joe Clark, ran on a platform of reducing inflation from 9.8 percent to 5 percent, using incentives to increase the economic growth rate, and to use financial incentives, not government regulations, to encourage production and conservation of energy.

Certainly I am pleased that the world is beginning to move ever so slowly toward a more laissez-faire economic system based upon limited government intervention. There are many problems that the government cannot solve and must be lived with. Hopefully we are finally entering a time of reevaluating our own limitations and a realization that most problems are the responsibility of each individual to solve and not for a paternalistic bureaucracy located in a national capital.

#### Bike A Thon goes well

Submitted) On April 28 he Cystic Fibrosis Bike A Thon was held. A total of 12 riders took part. The weather was cold and very windy but in spite of that almost all rode the entire 15 miles.

Tracy Stevens, 7 yrs. old, was the youngest to complete the course and won a transister radio. He also collected \$30.00. He is in the 2nd grade in Mrs. Pursley's room.

Gina Stuckey rode 15 iniles and collected a grand total of \$160.00. She should be very proud of herself. She is a 5th grader and is in Mrs. McGowen's room.

Other top fund colectors were Lynn Hayes - \$60.00, Janice Brickley - \$57.80, Hewie Pannell - \$35.90, Eddie Biera - \$29.40 & Kerri Dee.n - \$25.00. These riders will receive an "I did it" T-shirt.

Other riders were; Britt Pursley, Randy Pallarez, Michel Ybarra, George Gilghrist, Lisa Cannon, Tina Kellogg, Chris Mashburn, Justin Amerine, Tim

Brady. This was held in conjunction with the St. Jude's Bike-a-thon and there were many more riders who rode for the St. Jude's Hospital.

I want to thank everyone who contributed in any way - Ninth Street Grocery, Carson's Su-Handy's permarket, Food Store, Ben Franklin, the Principals and teachers at Merkel school and to every sponsor, thanks to you, the kids have raised \$437.16 to help less fortunate children who have Cystic Fibrosis.

Thanks again Iris Amerine Bike-A-Thon Chairman



Gina Stuckey

#### Vandals

Seven light covers valued at \$35 each were broken at a Wednesday evening vandalism incident at the United Girls

Softball Field. The light poles were on the ground at the time of the incident and two Merkel juveniles made restitution to the

softball league. Hatfield on dean's list

Submitted) Penny Loyce Hatfield of Rt. 1 Merkel, has been named to the Dean's List for the 1979 spring semester at Western College.

The Dean's List is composed of students who are enrolled for at least 12 hours of college credit work exclusive of physical education and who made a grade point average of 3.5 or more on a 4.0 grade scale.

SKIRTS, TOPS, SUNDRESSES, PANTS,

Values to \$18.95 Broken Sizes

\$998

OFF

NOW

\$1115 - \$1357



It was a dog day afternoon when the veterinarian from Sweetwater gave out combination shots to local dogs last Thursday. (Staff photo by glenn Richards)

#### Dean's list

(Submitted) West Texas State University has announced the students on the President's and the Dean's Honor Rolls for the spring semester,

Students named to the President's Honor Roll have earned a semester grade point average of 3.85 (4.0 - A) or higher for a completed minimum semester load in residence of 12 semester

The Dean's List represents students who have a semester grade point average of 3.25 to 3.84 for a completed semester load of 12 semester hours or more.

The student from Merkel included on the Dean's Honor Roll is Wesley Jones, junior industrial education major.

#### Truck wreck

Roy Martin of Clovis N.M. was injured Thursday morning when his 18 wheeler collided with another 18 wheeler as the two were taking the

## **Newsbriefs**

east exit into town off I-20

The wreck occured at 6:45 a.m. and Martin was transported to Hendrick Medical Center by the Merkel ambulance services where he was treated and released.

Department of Public

Safety trooper Kirby

Merkel PTO (Submitted) Merkel Elementary School received a lot of benefit from the funds raised by the Merkel PTO and

those who helped sup-

McCravey performed

the investigation at the

port its projects. The staff wishes to thank Sherry Ferguson, PTO President, other officers and everyone that gave time to help. We also with to thank those who attended PTO functions and gave financial support.

RADAR DETECTORS **4 CHANNEL SCANNERS** 10 CHANNEL SCANNERS **BEARCAT 210 SCANNER** WEATHER ALERT RADIOS



Stanford's

123 Kent

928-5762

CAN HAUL DIRT, ROCK & GRAVEL LEVEL & REPAIR DRIVEWAYS CALL EVENINGS

Harold Walker PHONE 928-5872 202 CHERRY

A New Water Well Drilled? Also Install Meyers Subs & Jacuzzi Jets ROBERT HIGGINS

THAT MOST WONDERFUL **FATHER DESERVES A FINE** QUALITY GIFT FROM **CRAWFORD'S** 

JARMAN REG '34" \$2599 SHOES

GREAT COMFORT JOGGING HANDSOME STYLING SHOES REG 12" **WORK OR PLAY** 

**WESTERN STRAW** 

**HATS** 

\$899

VALUES TO \$ 1 **JEANS** 

GIFT WRAP FREE

JUST IN FOR SUMMER **EASY STREET** 

SHOES 1240 VALUE \$ 1499

LADIES BEAUTIFUL SUITS FOR FALL

IT'S TWICE AS NICE TO SHOP

Thursday June 7th through Sat. June 16

MASTERCHARGE

135 EDWARDS



West. SHIRTS, etc.

SPECIAL

**RACK LADIES** 

Assortment Junior

Ladies Long Sleeve

**BLOUSES** 

reg. \$13.95 - \$16.95

Polvester

Justin

SHELLS - "T"TOPS

SUN - SANDALS

# SUMMER CLEARANCE SALE **ENTIRE STOCK 10% - 50% REDUCTION**

Special Group Mens

SUITS, JACKETS, PANTS,

**DRESS COATS** Limited Sizes

1/2 PRICE

Rack of Lee

**DRESS SUITS** 

1/4 OFF

Men's WESTERN SHIRTS values to \$18.98

\$Q98



#### MEN'S SPORT SHIRTS

cent polyester, 35 per cent cotton, S-M-L-XL,

2 FOR



Mixed sizes 5 - 14 (Mostly reg.) includes denim "Billy The Kid" checked Wranglers.

Rack of Wrangler

'T" SHIRTS,

TANK TOPS,

RACING SHORTS

SPECIAL

permanent press

NOCONA

BOOTS

MEN'S WRANGLERS (mostly checked)

Wrangler denim No. 345 2 FOR \$ 1500 100 percent cotton flare

NICE SELECTION OF BOOTS

Tony Lama, Justin, Sanders, Nocona, Adams, Texas, Wrangler, Larry



"FATHER'S DAY "GIFT SPECIALS"

COLOGNE & BILLFOLD

**OTHER** 

SUGGESTIONS

Assorted sizes \$7.98

Men's Set by Tex - Tan Reg. \$22.50 value,

SPECIAL \$1350

Choice of Billfolds, Wallets, Name Belts, Buckles, Socks, Ties,

**ALL SALES FINAL** 

discount off reg. price

**4** OFF

**ALL HORSE TACK** Bridles, Halters, etc.











### Merkel elementary school honor roll

First Grade - A HONOR ROLL - Victoria Aldrete, Chad Bartee, Sabrina Boswell, Angela Carson, Toby Dupont, Susan Hammond, Heather Henson, Stephen Jacobs, Dusty McLeod, Staci Pack, Gay Lynn Robertson, Penny Smith. A - B HONOR ROLL - Bridget Acuna, Laura Baker, Lisa Cannon, Misti Doan, Robynn Dudley, Chance Ferguson, Melissa Hallford, Hope Howell, Sandra Melendez, Cassandra Moreno, Denise Moreno, Tricia Newsom, Kevin Pilgrim, David Thomas, Johnny Ray Thomas.

Second Grade - A HONOR ROLL - Michelle Barnett, Michele Dudley, Richa Hill, Anissa Jones,

Second Grade - A HONOR ROLL - Michelle Barnett, Michele Dudley, Richa Hill, Anissa Jones, Christie Necessary, pam Neff, Lorena Pack, Glyn Ann Rutledge, Wade Toombs, Diem-Trang Tran, Chris Wright. A - B HONOR ROLL - David Biera, Camilla Bright, Norma Cuellar, Mary Dillon, Ricky Hernandez, Howard Kelley, Richard Lacey, Teresa Lucas, Kim Richards, Chris Shugart, Max Trevino.
Third Grade - A HONOR ROLL - Angela Cannon,
April Duncan, Angie Moreno, Ramon Moreno, Crissy
Nalley, Ted Seymore, Todd Smith, Amy Stuckey,
Krista Toombs. A - B HONOR ROLL - Kyle Coker,
Shayna Cunningham, Shelle Doan, Kristy Elliott,
Randy Graham, Lee Leverich, Brian Massey, Mindy
Steward.

Fourth Grade - A HONOR ROLL - Suzan Alberts, Tracy Bicknell, Abby Irvin, Debbie Pack, Sheri Riney, Danny Santee, DeAnn Stevens, Angela Thomas, Fondale Watson, Shane White, Michelle Woodard. A - B HONOR ROLL - Kristen Kennedy, Emma Pepin, David Ray.

Fifth Grade - A HONOR ROLL - Alyse Ferguson, Amy Irvin, Debbi McLeod. A - B HONOR ROLL -Cammie Bright, Matt Cain, Ronna Casey, Kevin Coker, Gayle Landeros, Kelly Riney, Gina Stuckey.

#### Valedictorian unable to deliver address

The following valedictorian address was to be presented by Cindy Smith at the recent high school graduation, but due to an emergency appendectomy she was unable to take part in the program. Families, Teachers, and Friends:

We, the graduating seniors of Merkel High School of 1979 feel this is a very special moment in our lives. Many of us have been together since the first grade, and others have joined us and left us along the way. Each one has left his influence on the others throughout the years, and hopefully, it has been a good growing experience that we have enjoyed and will cherish forever.

There have been many people that have had much influence on our lives along the way that we would like to thank tonight – our teachers who were so patient and sincere to make us realize the importance of learning and to prepare us for the adult world we are about to join; our friends who had the confidence in us; and our parents who were always there with the love and understanding in each and everything we tried to do along the way.

We appreciate all the ideas that each one of you has instilled into our lives, and we hope that as we leave this part of our lives and go our separate ways to different vocations we will carry these things in our hearts and minds and live up to the hopes and expectations you have for us — and we have for ourselves.

This is a time of decision making for each of us. We are concerned with the matter of our future livelihood, future employment, or occupation, career or higher education. We ask ourselves, "What will I do with my life?" Of course, no one can answer this question for us — this question we must answer for ourselves. We know that we are not alone in answering it because we have a mulititude of friends, parents, teachers, and ministers whom we can call on for advice and counsel. They cannot give us the answers, but perhaps the guidelines to finding our answers.

We all have a sense of a feeling of "having arrived" – we're not quite sure where we've arrived, but we're fairly certain we have arrived somewhere! One of the important things we will discover is that this is the age of entrance into a rapidly changing world. In a not so distant past the world was

69°

somewhat a religiously oriented and agriculture world; today it is a status-conscious, security-seeking, power-nungry, asprin-swallowing world. It's a fast changing world, and therefore an exciting and intriguing world. Adulthood brings the opening up of a different world of exciting new possibilities. It means new opportunities, new vistas, new challenges. It means new situations, new faces, new relationships. Basically, it means a new life, a new existance altogether with new demands made upon us, as adults.

Probably the most obviously changing relationship we will experience when we leave home is that we are no longer home. We will be leaving our families the warmth, comforts, and security of eighteen years of traditional family life. But with this graduation, we will be looking forward to building a new home of our own. It may be in the form of a shared room of a dormitory, an apartment in the city, a small modest home of those who choose married life, or a crowded barracks on a military base.

After all, a home is not a house. A home is personal relationships where we can experience peace, and happiness, and we can achieve this goal wherever our lives lead us following this graduation exercise. Here in Merkel, we have friends that we have known for most of our lives, but in the new world of fellow workers and students, we will have to structure new friendships. But we must not and cannot forget "the home back home". Many good memories of experience we shared together will always remain.

We realize we will acquire a new freedom - to be our own boss, to make our own decisions and to be responsible for their outcome. This is the very thing we are going to have to feel equipped to do -- be responsib for the outcome of our own decisions. We hope you all will have faith in us as we confront these areas of adjustment. Again these are responsibilities that we must do for ourselves - not by ourselves. We appreciate everything you as friends, teachers and families have given us along the way, and as we say farewell to you tonight at graduation, we hope you will still be there in your old familiar place when we need you. Maybe someday in our own small way we can repay you for your confidence in us. Again we thank you all very much and we hope your prayers will go with us from this night on.



The fifth grade at Merkel Elementary School
presented their school with a paper mache Badger
as a class present. (Staff photo by glenn Richards).

### Middle school honor roll listed

The Merkel Middle School Honor Roll for the 6th six weeks is as follows:

6th Grade - A HONOR ROLL - Darren Pack, Jerry Davis, Tim Jacobs, Jennifer Roby, Shelly Sherrill, Trung Tran. A - B HONOR ROLL - Amy Allen, Elane Bodine, Parker Wilson, Ken Hogan, Shane Smith, Greg Spurr, Bill Adams, Donny Brady, Barbara Longenecker, Mum Prasarn, John Starbuck, Nanci Stevens.

7th Grade - A HONOR ROLL - Denise Pack,

Kimberly Pack, Melinda Riney. A - B HONOR ROLL - Joan Fariello, Cindy Sims, Angie Allen, Bonnie Anderson, Judy Jinkens, John Ybarra, Jay Gibson, Kathy Mitchell.

8th Grade - A HONOR ROLL - Lorne Sloan, Susan Conner, Mark Turner, Corina Longenecker. A - B HONOR ROLL - Jeff Scott, Tina Bicknell, Kim McCasland, Windi Whisenhunt, Patty Allen, Karla Terral, Tammy Townsend, Tricia West, Diana Landeros.

### Merkel elementary teachers hold luncheon

(Submitted) The Merkel Elementary teachers closed the school year on June 2 with a luncheon in the home of Mrs. Mack Seymore.

Among the 37 present were the retired teachers from that building. Special guests were Mrs. Comer Haynes, Mrs. Elsie Nash, Mrs. John West, Mrs. Ted Pargament, Mrs. H.C. Reid, Mrs. Andy Shouse, Mrs.

Bryan Dunigan, Mrs. Vincent Barnett, Mrs. Joe Holloway, Mrs. Danny Malone, Dr. & Mrs. Raymond Etheridge, Mrs. Allen D. King, and Mr. & Mrs. David Casey.

The teachers enjoyed a medley of songs presented by Dr. Etheridge, alias Burl Ives of the Bluegrass.

JONE FOOD SPECIALS

98° LB

NABISCO

CRACKERS I LB BOX

HORMEL QTRS SOLID 59° MARGARINE I G MILK \$ 7 98 VIT D GAL 2% \$ 7 98 GAL LOW FAT \$ 7 89 GAL 1% **FOLGERS** WITH \$1000 \$ 7 98 COFFEE **PURCHASE NATURES BEST** 39° **PORK & BEANS** NABISCO 995

OREO 15 OZ 79°

KRAFT BAR B QUE
SAUCE 79°

WELCH 6 PACK \$ 1 39
STRAWBERRY GRAPE
ORANGE ROOTBEER

HANGING BASKETS
GERANIUMS MOSS
MARIGOLD PETUNIA

OXYDOL GIANT BOX \$ 1 49

GERMAN
SAUSAGE
12 OZ PKG \$ 1 39

GOOCH SLICED
BACON

FRANKS 98
GOOCH 12 OZ PKG

END & PIECES
BACON 3 LB BOX \$ 149
HORMEL

LARGE ASSORTMENT OF
LUNHCHMEAT

DOG FOOD

50 LB
50 LB
398

HI DRI 59° PAPER TOWELS ROLL PURITAN 79 16 OZ OIL \$549 CIGARETTES ALL SIZES \$ 7 49 COCA-COLA CARTON 32 OZ **PLUS DEPOSIT** ALL YOUR CANNING NEEDS KERR JARS **KERR LIDS & RINGS** SURE-JELL FREEZER BAGS

NINTH STREET GROCERY



# CALL IN YOUR WANT ADS 928-5712

66 Ford Fairlane. \$500.

16-1tc

Boot and shoe Repair.

Drop you footwear re-

pair needs at Handy

Food Store. 928-4912.

Minor motor work and

tuneups. Call 928-5453 or

ROOF COATING SER-

VICE. Rapid Roof, uni-

layered, flexible, wea-

ther resistant, acrylic

latex roof coating for all

roof surfaces. Conklin

distributor and applica-

tor, Chip Meroney. Call

915-823-3044 after 5 p.m.

for free estimate or

14-10tp

CERAMIC TILE: No

job to big or small. Call

928-4871 between 6 p.m.

to 16 p.m. Work Guaran-

FOR YOUR LAWN

MOWING NEEDS call

16-3tp

Two beuroom home for

rent in Noodle. For

information call 928-

15-2tp

SHANNONSIDE apart-

ments-1, 2, and 3 bed-

room apartments, shag

carpet, all electric, dish

washer, garbage dispo-

sal, central cooling and heating. For more infor-

mation call 928-5038.

**REAL ESTATE** 

FOR SALE: EMMA'S

CLOTHES CLOSET -

For information call

Wilma at Hooker Real-

tors 677-9145. Home Ph.

14-4tc

673-3526.

928-5536 or 928-5622.

information.

teed. 47-tfc

One Week Service.

35-tfc

928-5427

Services

#### See at 809 South 1st Merkel. FOR JALE

STEVENS 12 DOUBLE BARREL SHOTGUN; office or dorm size refrigerator; full mattress and box springs.

FOR SALE: Hand sculptured clay doll & canopy bed. Perfect for girls rooms, showers, etc. Orders taken for specific color scheme. Sample at Circle A on 9-tfc

FOR SALE: 1967 16 ft Glastron Boat with 1965 Heavy Duty Drive on Trailer. 100 Horse Power Evenrude Motor. Call Ronnie Freeman 862-2081 15-2tp

PRESIDENT CB RA-DIO, ANTENNA, AND POWERPACK. Will sell or would trade for very nice bicycle. 928-5801. 1tp

If you like garage sales you'll like THINGS IN GENERAL - 122 Edwards. 2-6 Tues. - Sat. 928-4932. 16-13tp

FOR SALE: Hide-a-bed couch, cushioned chair, Hoover vacuum cleaner with attachments, wheel chair, Bedroom suit. see at 801 Trundy.

John De hand start tractor. Good rubber, excellent running condition. 2 row planter attached. \$500.00 928-5051.

16-tfc 1975 Cougar XR - 7. Loaded with new radial tires, 54,000 one owner miles. To settle estate. 928-5324 after 4. 16-tfc

410 M.F. Diesel combine 16 ft. header. Good condition, new tires. Call after 6. 846-4343. 16-3tp

STOVE FOR SALE: \$60 or best offer. 809 South 1st. Merkel.



For Sale: 508 Edwards St. Large old house, 11/2 lot, paved street near town & I-20, nice quiet neighborhood, good home for older couple. Ph. 928-5387.

Any erroneous reflection upon the character, standing or reputation of any person, firm or corporation, which may appear in the Mail will be corrected upon being brought to the attention of the publisher.

Member of the Texas Press Association and West Texas Press Association

The Merkel Mail **Publishers Statement** Established 1889

Published weekly at 916 N. Second St., Markel, Tx. Bitered at the Post Office at Markel, Texas 79536 as second class mail.

Cloy A. Richards Melanie Richards glenn Richards Suzy Rister

\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\*\* SUBSCRIPTION RATES: 6.50 Per Year Taylor County 87.25 Per Year outside of Taylor County.

For Classified Rates:
\$1.50 minimum for the first four lines (18 words). Bacess of 4 lines will be charges at the rate of 8 cents per word. TERMS: 25 cents discount if bill is paid prior to first insertion.

Card of Thanks: \$3.00 minimum for the first 50 words. 6 cents per word for each additional word. TERMS: Cash in advance unless account is established.

# Open up a world of Opportunity... MERKEL MAIL

everything

LAND FOR SALE? Call Collect - Bill Largent, Farm and Ranch Mgr. at Frances McClure Inc. Realtors, 3157 South 27th Abilene, 698-3211, Night,

46-tfc HOUSE FOR SALE: Mona Faye Bartlett home. 507 Yucca, Merkel. Ph. Abilene 677-8268 or 677-0308 after 6 p.m. 10-TFC

698-2375

ATTENTION LAND-OWNERS, RECEIVE TOP DOLLAR FOR GOOD HUNTING RIGHTS. We have several responsible, qualified clients looking for 1979 season deer leases, if you are considering leasing this year, please answer the following questions and return. TOTAL ACREAGE? A-MOUNT OF CULT.? TYPE OF CROPS? WA-TER? CAMPING FA-CILITIES? PROXIMI-TY? TOPOGRAPHY? HOW MANY HUNTERS

PERMITTED? ANY DOE PERMITS? IS THE GAME POPULA-TION LIGHT, AVERAGE, HEAVY? PRICE ASKING FOR 1979 SEA-SON? WOULD YOU GRANT US AN EXCLU-SIVE 45 DAY LEASE LISTING, AGREE-MENT THAT WOULD NET THE SAME A-MOUNT YOU ARE ASKING?

BAGGETT, REALTORS **508 MULBERRY** ABILENE, TEX. 79604 16-1tc

MERKEL VFW POST 5683 Monthly Reg. Meeting 8:30 p.m.

Second Thursday

Y'ALL COME NOW! 673-5169

WANTED: Field grazing for light calves. Contact R.L. Bland 915-862-2951. 16-2tc

WANT TO BUY: One or two wheel utility trailer. Any condition. Call 928-16-1tc

NEED A MANAGER FOR VFW. Call 9285474 or Jimmy 928-5044. 15-tfc

WANTED: Someone to help with housework and ironing. 2 days a week. Call 928-5508. 16-1tc

#### GARAGE SALE

PORCH SALE: Baby items, baby clothes, women's clothes, misc. 210 Rose. Thurs. & Fri. 16-1tc Garage Sale: Saturday

8:30 till ? 801 Trundy. Misc. items. 16-1tp

MASON SHOEP AUTHORIZED DEALER

> Alfred Flores 1412 N. 2nd Merkel, Tx. 928-5137

Over 300 Styles for Men and Women

WHETHER YOU ARE Looking or listing, buying or selling, farm or home, pick up the phone Post & Ladies Auxiliary 05324 Landmark Realtors

> AUTHORIZED DEALER Lawn & Garden Equipment Allis-Chalmers- Owatonna Hay Machinery Form Equipment and Forney

Welding Equipment Shafer Plows - Continel Belton Products 677-4349

DOTY FARM EQUIPMENT CO. 366 Chestnut

Nights-Sundays-Holidays 698-7828 676-2837 KEN'S RADIO & T V

KEN KRAATZ - OWNER REPAIR ALL MAKES & MODELS OF TV'S & RADIOS F.C.C. LICENSED REASONABLE RATES PICK - UP & DELIVER CALL 862-3501, TRENT

Toombs Real Estate FREDDY TOOMBS (Broker)

3 bedroc SOLD room, den, 134 bath, on lot and SOLD e FHA or VA "Country Living" 2 bedruon, 1 bain, water well, on proposed water line, FM Rd 1235, 34 mile from city limits.

Brick: 3 bedroom, 2 bath, den, 2230 square feet or more than an acre. Has all the extras.
2 bedroom, large old house on good street. Water well.

Two lots on FM 126 North, close to Country Club. Excellent building site. VACANT LOTS FOR SALE: For trailer and buildings in all sections of town. Reduced for outsite Country.

for quick sale. HOUSE FOR SALE: 2 bedroom, near school, carpet, fireplace, fence, central air,

3-1-1 Brick Home. Garage, refrigerated air, built-ins, dishwasher. On Sunset Street. Reasonable.

WE HAVE BUYERS AND NEED LISTINGS FOR HOUSES, FARMS, & RANCHES

PEGGY DENNISON RES.

Geneva Watts 928-5534

water well.

Fri. & Sat. 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. Baby things, auto parts, furniture, cabover camper, dishes,

cheap. 16-1tc Garage Sale: clothing, boys and girls jeans, household items, tires, misc. Weldon Beasley. S. 8th and Mesquite in

clothes.

16-1tc YARD SALE: Saturday. office desk, lawn chairs, night stands, and table. lots of misc. 1112 S. 9th. 16-1tp

Trent Friday and Sat.

Garage Sale: Fri. & Sat. Lloyd Williams house in Trent. 6th street past Main. Turn right, 1st brick house on left.

#### CARD OF THANKS would like to thank

Mrs. Murphrey, Margie Bowen, Mr. J.T. Sadler, Benny Melton, and the Ambulance Service for helping me when I had an accident. I would also like to thank Kelly Knight for feeding my

Mark Bland 16-1tc

Many thanks to the Merkel Firemen for the job you did on the apartment fire. It was a remarkable job & we are very grateful. Mr. & Mrs. Joe Bigbee

Mr. & Mrs. Lee Vinson 16-1tp

#### **UCELLANEOU**

\$500. REWARD FOR INFORMATION LEAD-ING TO ARREST & CONVICTION OF + PERSONS+ RESPONSIBLE for ma-

licious mischief and cattle killing on Eldon Hicks farming and grazing operations. Phone 862-2364 or the Sherriff's office at 677-8518. 16-tfc

KITTENS TO GIVE AWAY. Raised outdoors would make good barn cats. Free can of cat food with each kitten. 2

#### MERKEL ELECTRIC

Commercial & Residential Wiring 512 Cherry Street Merkel, Texas 79536

FRANK CAMPBELL Phone 928-5291

GREGG FISHER PLUMBING ALL TYPES OF

**PLUMBING** WORK QUALITY WORK AND **PRICES** 

CALL 928-5379 OR 928-5627

Baking done again on special orders placed in advance

Birthday Cakes, Pies, Cakes, Cookies and Candy - 2 Days Wedding Cakes - 1-3 Weeks

Cream Wedding Mints - 3 Days No Last Minute **Orders** Contact Melba Glasscock at Crafthouse 676-4262

### Bishop Ready Mix & Contractors

Call Day or Night 928-5769

CONCRETE TRUCKS

SEPTIC TANKS BACKHOE DUMP TRUCKS **PATIOS** LOADER ROADS

SIDEWALKS MAINTAINER DRIVES

**HAULING & PLOWING** Hay For Sale Satisfaction Guaranteed CALL ELAM, ABILENE 1-915-673-1307

CUSTOM HAY BALING,

Call 928-5401. 14-tfnc

Cat to give away, good mouser. Australian blue heeler, good herd dog, and free kittens. Call 672-8152.

16-1tp

FREE KITTENS TO GOOD HOME. One Half siamese, raised indoors, would make loving pets! call 928-4163 or 928-4827

after 5. 16-tfnc

RABBITS, Equipment and Feed. Selling USDA frozen Rabbit Fryers \$1.50 lb., Roasters - 95 cents lb. Breeding Stock when available - \$5.00 and up. Rabbit Manure -50 cents and \$1.00 a bag. Buying Fryers at top market price. 915-928-5157. Buffalo Rabbitt

16-tfc

SNACK BAR IS

# FOR SALE

FOR MORE INFORMATION **CALL 928-5484** 

692-5184

WINDOW & SCREEN REPAIR

New-Repair-Rescreen

Box 332

122 South St. Tye, Texas 79563

HOME-AUTO CB RT

### STANFORD'S

123 KENT-MERKEL-928-5762

ZISION SALES-SERVICE SCAT

FOR ALL YOUR INSURANCE NEEDS . . . SEYMORE INSURANCES

102 EDWARDS 928-5379 .Auto. Property, General Liability, Crop, Health, Life, Disability, Tax-shaltered

FARMERS UNION SERVICE POINT

PRE-PAID **FUNERAL PLANS** CEMETERY

HEADSTONES

**PURIAL INSURANCE** LIFE INSURANCE

STARBUCK FUNERAL HOME

#### THE MERKEL MAIL 116 EDWARDS PH. 928-5921 RES. 928-5698

## CAN FILL YOUR PRINTING NEEDS

**BUSINESS CARDS** BLACK or BLUE

500 \$720 1.000 \$900

LETTERHEADS

500 \$25°°

Printed on BOND Paper

1,000 \$3500

LET US BID ON YOUR COMMERCIAL PRINTING NEEDS.

'We want you to read our Mail'

# Merkel Cemetery donations

Mrs. Andy Shouse in memory of Homer Laney Frank & Mina Riffel

Comer & Lucy Haynes, and Nell Teaff in memory

Mr. & Mrs. Ray Wilson in memory of Mark Malone Clarence Melton & wife in memory of Dave

Ben & Elizabeth Hicks in memory of Mack Fisher Mrs. Orin Higgins & family in memory of Mack Fisher

Mr. & Mrs. W.J. Hutcheson Mr. & Mrs. Don Hart in memory of Mack Fisher Mr. & Mrs. A.H. Murphree in memory of Mark

Mr. & Mrs. Clarence Melton in memory of Dave

Legal

CEASED:

notices

NOTICE TO ALL PER-

SONS HAVING CLAIMS

AGAINST THE ES-

TATE OF LENA BELLE BAKER, DE-

Notice is hereby given

that original Letters

Testamentary upon the

estate of Lena Belle

Baker, deceased, were

issued to me, the under-

signed, on the 22nd day

of March, A.D. 1979 in

the proceeding indicated below my signature hereto, which is still

pending, and that I now

hold such letters. All

persons having claims

against said estate,

which is being adminis-

tered, in the county

below named, are here-

by required to present

the same to me re-

spectively, at the ad-

dress below given, be-

fore suit upon same are

barred by the general

statutes of limitation,

before such estate is

closed, and within the

time prescribed by law.

My residence and post

office address are 3590 S.W. Patton Road, Port-

land, Multnomah Coun-

ty, Oregon, but such

claims may be pre-

sented to me in care of

Drury P. Hathaway,

P.O. Drawer 389, Bal-

linger, Runnels County,

Dated this 23rd day of

David Mercer Baker)

Independent Executor

of the will of the Estate

of Lena Belle Baker.

deceased, No. 13977,

County, Texas

Probate Court, Taylor

BRIDES!

RECEPTION ITEMS

NAPKIN IMPRINTING

Sketland

Westgate Mall, Abilene

Open 10 a.m. - 9 p.m.

Mon. thru Sat.

16-1tc

Texas 76821.

March, A.D. 1979.

CITATION BY PUBLI-CATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: Oscar Segora, Respondent: GREETINGS:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear and answer before the Honorable 326th District Court, Taylor County, Texas, at the Courthouse of said County in Abilene, Texas, at or before 10 o'clodk a.m. of the Monday next after the expiration of 20 days from the date of service of this citation, then and there to answer the petition of CHRISTIAN HOMES OF ABILENE, TEXAS, INC., Petitioner, filed in said Court on the 16th day of May, 1979, against Oscar Segora, Respondent, and said suit being numbered 2446-C on the docket of said Court, and entitled "In The Interest of Baby Boy Hernandez, a Child" the nature of which suit is a request to Terminate Parent-Child Relationship. Said child was born the 13th day of May, 1979, in Abilene, Taylor County, Texas.

The Court has authority in this suit to enter any judgment or decree in the child's interest which will be binding upon you, including the termination of the parent - child relationship and the appointment of a conservator with authority to consent to the child's

adoption. 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 25th day of May, 1979. Irene Crawford Clerk,

326th District Court, Taylor County, Texas. By Johnnie Woodard, Deputy.

> CENTRAL AIR CONDITIONING?

Buy the name you know and trust **General Bectric** 

AMERINE **HEATING AND** COOLING Commercial and Residential Sales And Service 1108 N. 2nd St. Merkel, Texas 79536 Phone 928-4876

WE PAY

150 Per Cent Over Face Value For All

Silver Coins. (\$2.50 for \$1.00 Silver) (We

Pay 25c for silver PRATTS COIN & STAMP SHOP

2155 S. 1st

Abilene, Texas

Mr. & Mrs. A.H. Murphree in memory of Mark Malone

Mr. & Mrs. B.R. Dean in memory of H.R. Dean Mr. & Mrs. Ben F. Stanfield in memory of H.R. Dean

David & Bessie Gamble in memory of Mark Malone Mr. & Mrs. Price Melton in memory of Mack

Fisher and Mark Malone Mrs. Dewel McLean in memory of Mark Malone Mr. & Mrs. Grif Barnett in memory of Mark Malone

Mr. & Mrs. C.E. Derrington, Mary & Horace in memory of Bud

Lou Ella & Isla Mae Hughes in memory of Mark

Mr. & Mrs. G.W. Hughes in memory of Mark Malone Mr. & Mrs. W.S.J. Brown in memory of Mark Malone

Emory C. Hughes Estate, P C M

#### Apartment fire doused

The Merkel Volunteer Fire Department doused an apartment fire late last Tuesday night as a fire that started in a kitchen damaged two apartments on Merkel's north side.

The fire totaled one NOTICE TO ALL PER-SONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST THE ES-TATE OF LYLE H.

TARPLEY, Deceased Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary upon the Estate of LYLE H. TARPLEY, Deceased were issued to THE FIRST STATE BANK, Abilene, Texas, Independent Executor of said Estate, on the 26 day of March, 1979, in the proceeding indicated below, which is still pending, and that said executor now holds such

apartment and damaged another. The apartments are located two blocks west of A&A Shell. Both apartments wree occupied at the time of the fire and none was injured in the inci-

etters. All persons naving claims against aid estate, which is seing administered, in he County of Taylor, are hereby required to present the same to it respectively, at the address given below, before suit upon same is barred by the general statutes of limitation, before such estate is closed, and within the ime prescribed by law. The mailing address is: P.O. Box 3218

Abilene, Texas 79604

16-1tc Commercial Residential

**New Construction** Remodeling

Owner MELDON CONSTRUCTION CO.

Don Neugent,

**ESTIMATES** 

Call After 6

CALVARY **BAPTIST CHURCH** 

Congratulations Bro. Joe & Kay your Davis on 25th Wedding **Anniversary** 

Need a Ride? Call 928-5120

A MAROU

TELEPHONE AREA 915 692-9500 4001 SOUTH FIRST ST. ABILENE

8 - 8 Mon.-Sat.

15th ANNIVERSARY SALE

JUNE 1-9 only

In appreciation of 15 years of patronage from the people of the Big Country.

Any Ford car or truck in our new car inventory for \*100 over factory invoice.

"WE'LL SHOOT STRAIGHT WITH YOU"

Where You'd Send A Friend



SEPARATES PANTS & TOPS **GET JACKET** 

REGULAR PRICE

1/2 PRICE

20%

OFF

SUMMER DUSTERS LOUNGE ROBES

OR SKIRT

JUST IN

NEW LINE OF ACCESSORIES Hets, Ankle Bracelets, Necklaces, 14 caret "Add One" For Nocklace Chain or Charm

TERRY CLOTH

COVER-UPS SUNVISOR CAPS **TUBE TOPS** 

1/3 OFF ALL LINGERIE CLOTHES

131 Kent

CLOSET MIP HIP HOORAY!



when taking the famous GO-SLIM INTERNATIONAL CALL NOW 677-5248

2817 N. 2nd, Suite 2

6295 75 GMC Heavy Half Pickup 13195 air & power, 28,000 miles, nice, only 77 CHEVY MONTE CARLO Air & power, am-tim lape, 2000. Rea, white 15095 77 PONTIAC GRAND PRIX Air, power, Rally It wheels, blue color . **1**4295 74 CHEVY MONTE CARLO Air, power, tape, tilt, cruise, sport wheels 11995 76 PONTIAC CATALINA 12695 73 CHEVY MONTE CARLO oir and power, cream with white vinyl top 76 PONTIAC CATALINA dr. air & power, white color, blue 75 PONTIAC GRAND PRIX 79 PONTIAC GRAND PRIX 301-10 Auto, air & power, tilt, cruise, a.m./.m. stereo, rally II wheels. Baby blue color. 7000 miles. Only 75 LEMANS SPORT COUPE air, power, am radio, tape, electric electric window, cruise cantrol, PALMER PONTIAC & GMC

77 PONTIAC TRANS AM

HIT.

Merkel 928-5113 Abilene 673-1182



BOB'S SHARPENING SERVICE

We have moved back to original

location at 701 So. 2nd St.

(East end of 2nd St. turn right)

# Triangle Lanes, Inc.



"We care about you."

3122 S. Clack

698-8824

# GRAND OPENING June 9th & 10th

All Bowling Sat. & Sun. June 9 & 10 1/2 PRICE





All Mixed Drinks Sat. & Sun., June 9 & 10 1/2 PRICE

Register for FREE GIFTS to be given away.

(No purchase necessary. Need not be present to win.)

# Trent News

Thursday June 7, 1979



About 350 persons attended the graduation ceremonies at Trent High School last Saturday night. (Staff photo by Cloy A. Richards)

SPECIALS GOOD HILE SUPPLY LAST'S! LIMITED SUPPLY!!

**WE RESERV**E THE

RIGHT TO LIMIT!



PRICES EFFECTIVE JUNE 7 - 9.1979

SHOP ALLSUP'S AND SAVE!!





PEANUTS ... BAGS 89C

SHURFINE MACARONI AND

BISCUITS ... 6 02.

CRACKERS 16 0Z.

FROSTY POPS 24 PK.

12 DZ. \$ 1 09

MARGARINE CTIS. 89C

SHURFRESH SLICED

BACON

SHURFINE CS OR WK

CATSUP



NICKEL (5¢) COKE!! (12 oz CUP) With purchase of Any cooked food item on menu



SHURFINE 1 PLY ASSTD. SO CT. 1 9C

# Trent High graduates 13 in Friday ceremony

Trent High School held their graduation ceremonies before a packed house of the Trent gym Friday night. Thirteen seniors received diplomas.

Lanny Voss, a youth

lene church was the guest speaker. Weldon Beasley, pres-ident of the school board

minister from an Abi-

and Roy Neff, superintendent of Trent Schools presented diploHonor graduates in-

cluded Valedictorian Velma Perkins and Salutatorian Jacki Reed. Other honor graudates were Leanna West, Judy Driggers, and Sue Bra-

The rest of the class of 1979 included Kenneth Dunn, Robert Freeman, Carol Jackson, John McLeod, Lester Moses. Kerry Patterson, Rose Prigmore and John Ste-

### 5 from Trent listed as Distinguished students

(Submitted) Trent High School of Trent, Texas announced today that five of their students have been inducted into THE SOCIETY OF DIS-TINGUISHED AMERI-CAN HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS.

Students who were inducted are: Velma Perkins, Jacki Reed. Leanna West, Sue Bryan Brazelton, and Judy Driggers.

The Society, which is one of the nation's foremost high school honoraries, inducted the students because of their demonstrated excellence in scholastic leadership and civic achievement according to Zenita Gardner.

The National Awards Program is sponsored by sixty colleges from across the country. Thousands of dollars in

scholarship funds from these institutions are made available to Society members each year. Sponsor Zenita Gardner received a National Appreciation Award from the Society on behalf of the students and stated, "I am extremely proud of these exceptional students and the honor that

they have received. It is

a reward and should

also be accepted as a

excellence."

challenge to them to

continue their course of

TO:
leirs
orter
heir
spres
fter (
reeti
YOU
OMB
ear |
ble 4
I Tay
ourt
bilen
writ
efore
he fil
fter
rty-t
ate o
his cit
he 2nd
79, t
on fil
h the
D. It
hambe
e doc
hd sty
otton
hknov
ham

One of the Society's guiding principles is to promote both academic and civic achievement on the high school level by recognizing students in its Membership Registry.



students; couldn't be that unlucky. (Staff photo by Cloy A. Richards)

CITATION BY PUBLI-CATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Nelson E. Davenport, Daisy Ann Davenport, Raymond W. Davenport, if living, and if any or all of said persons be deceased, the unknown heirs of each or all of said deceased persons, De-

fendants, Greeting: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable 42nd District Court of Taylor County at the Courthouse thereof, in Abilene, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after expiration of fortytwo days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 9th day of July A.D. 1979, to Plaintiff's Peti-tion filed in said court, on the 21st day of May A.D. 1979, in this cause, numbered 36,217A on the docket of said court and styled William Carl Whitaker and Alva Lee Whitaker, Plaintiffs, vs. Nelson E. Davenport, Daisy Ann Davenport, Raymond W. Daven-port, if living, and if any or all of said persons be deceased, the unknown heirs of each or all of said deceased, Defen-

A brief statement of nature of this suit is a follows, to-wit:

Trespass to Try Title and Title by Limitations on that real property described as follows, to-wit: S 100' of E. 140' of W.300' of Lot 3, Block 3, Over Place Addition to the City of Abilene, Taylor County, Texas as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days afte 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

Issued and given un-der my hand and the seal of said court at Abilene, Texas, this the 22nd day of May A.D.

Attest: Irene Crawford.

**42nd District Court** Taylor County, Texas. By Johnnie Woodard, Deputy

15-4tc

Star Hardware Striving to Serve our Community Better

CAL TEX BUYERS DF CATTLE MILO AND

HAY

ROUTE 2 BOX 128 TRENT, TEXAS 915-862-2951

CUSTOM CATTLE FEEDING

HOME STATE BANK

TRENT

862-2151

SEAT COVER

CENTER

SEAT COVERS

TRUCK CUSHIONS DOOR PANELS

ARM RESTS

HEADLINERS

1066 BUTTERNUT

677-1349

ABILENE

<u>INSURED</u>

BONDED

For Fast

# Tye happenings

by Harold Boyd

Graduation, school's out, now what? I've never realized that Tye had so many young people, but I do now. It is my hope that these young people have something to do during summer vacation. Yes, there is ... many of our churches here in Tye have Vacation Bible School and I'm sure that they will welcome you. The learning, crafts and fellowship will be worth their weight.

Tommy Hatchett, graduate of Merkel High in 1965 was chosen by the City of Brownwood as it's Policeman of the Year. Tommy's parents are Helena and Otto Brazell of Coke Street in Tye. Tom has been In law enforcement for 7 years. 3 years with Department of Public Safety in Athens, or East Texas, and 4 years on the Brownwood Police Dept. Our congratulations to Tommy.

The Vol. Fire Dept. had a Bar-b-que Saturday, une 2 at the Community Center. They raised some 171.00 and at this time would like to express our incere thanks to George and Vickie Spurr for their conation of the meat. We can't express our thanks, ut do want them to know we appreciate the

The Fire Dept. answered 2 alarms this past week. he major fire was when they were summoned to 20 east bound lane to extinguish an overturned ivery van. The van was owned by McKesson obbins Drug Wholesale House in Abilene. Mr. ena, driver, narrowly escaped serious injury and eath. The fire dept. stayed on the scene for proximately 2½ hours till the wreckage was

Don't forget Saturday June 16th is Fun Day in Tye. ell your friends, neighbors, and anyone else that

Bill Adams is still seeking young boys, parents and terested citizens to help him in Tye's new Boy cout Troop. Should you have the time, a special de or talent you could have assist him in helping. so if you are a young man and want to get ahead e part of the greates group of young people. Call ill and he'll help you in and interested. This past Monday was a holiday in memory of

se who served in conflicts on foreign soil. Weren't many that flew the flag here or in Abilene as I veled around. It's a shame ... still free today and we are so busy that most people didn't think of se who gave their lives so that we could remail . Monday, May 28th at the school, Tye History is presented by the student body. I will take this to say to the teachers and students a terrific job by you all and you should be commended for labor of love. Awards of appreciation were ented to Ray Milligan's Texaco, A.J. Pence, Tye acrete Product an Kennon Law of El-Tye-O Trailer Sales and J.H. Strain and Son were presented ith plaques from the P.T.O. to say thank you for our support in the past and present time. These ople and firms have devoted time, assistance enever called upon. Congratulations to each

It is that time again that we must close and wish u each a pleasant and healthy week ahead. Tell hers of the "Mail" and we'll see you next week.

# legal notice

TATION BY PUBLI-

HE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: The Unknown leirs of William C. ter, Deceased, and heir heirs and legal epresentatives, herein fter called Defendants,

reeting: YOU ARE HEREBY OMMANDED to apr before the Honorble 42nd District Court I Taylor County at the courthouse thereof, in bilene, Texas, by filing written answer at or efore 10 o'clock A.M. of he first Monday next fter the expiration of rty-two days from the ate of the issuance of is citation, same being e 2nd day of July A.D. 79, to Plaintiff's Petion filed in said court, the 16th day of May D. 1979, in this cause, ambered 36,212-A on e docket of said court d styled Cedar Creek ottom, Plaintiff, vs. nown Heirs of Wilm C. Porter, De-

brief statement of nature of this suit is ollows, to-wit: ealty located in Tay-County, Texas as

acres, being 660 x

east 1/4 of Survey No. 22; Thence West along the South line of said Survey 22, a distance of 660

direction parallel with the East line of said Southeast ¼ of Survey 22, a distance of 660

feet; Thence in an Easterly direction parallel with the South line of this ten acre tract a distance of approximately 660 feet to the West right-of-way of the above mentioned public roadway;

Thence in a Southerly direction along the West right-of-way of said public roadway a distance of approximately 660 feet to the place of beginning, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in

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

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Abilene, Texas, this the 16th day of May A.D.

Attest: Irene Crawford, **42nd District Court** Taylor Count, Texas By Johnnie Woodard,



### Teaff, Maxey exchange vows in Tye

Gayle Elaine Teaff of Rt. 1 Tye and Keith Alan Maxey of Rt. 1 Tye were married at the Tye Baptist Church on May

Gayle is the daughter of Mr. & Mrs. Johnny Teaff of Tye and Keith is the son of Mr. & Mrs. Bill Alcorn of Graham. Pam Morgan of Tye

served as maid of honor and Retha Parker of Abilene was the maid of Bridesmaids included

Michelle Miller, Donna

Maxey, Jill Maxey and Carrie Teaff. Shayla Miller was flower girl and Eric Teaff was ring bearer. Jay Miller, Melissa Danneheim, Jerry and Kerry Miller were candlelighters.

The best man was

GRANBURY LAKE - 2 adjoining lots, each 60° x 90°. Beautiful building site. Near store, boat ramp, tennis courts and

LISTINGS NEEDED & APPRECIATED

Dan Alcorn and Russel Deck, Frankie Kramer. Bruce Lacefield, Steve Teaff and Mike Teaff

were groomsmen. Ushers were Barry Beverle, Brad Miller and David Davee.

A reception was hosted by th bride's parents at the Tye Baptist Church. The couple plans to live in Tye following a wedding trip to Austin. Gayle is a graduate of Merkel High and attended McMurry College. She is employed by T.V. Cable. The groom was graduated from Graham High and is employed by K&S Construction.

A rehearsal dinner was hosted by the groom's parents at the Saddle and Sirloin in

Service - Call HOTLINE ELECTRIC CO. Commercial

Industrial Residential 24 HOURS HARLEY 698-4509

> BILLY 672-3827

TYE, TX.

# Attend Fun Day!

# FUN DAY

JUNE 16 SATURDAY 10 A.M. Till

**FOOD** CLOTHES **FLEA MARKET COLD DRINKS BAKE SALES CRAFTS** RUMMAGE

> Good ole "Horse" Trading Stage Coach Rides Hay Ride

Sponsored by Tye Volunteer Fire Dept.

Location of Happening Tye Community Center

Dance at the Fire Dept. 8:30 till

Live music and recorded music \$500 a space if you sell or trade or

10% commission of gross take.

ALL INVITED TO ATTEND

All proceeds of space to help buy equipment and get new truck in operation. Your support will be appreciated.



STILL GIVING S & H GREEN STAMPS CARRY

SOUTHLAND BATTERIES



**GOODYEAR TIRES** FIX FLATS - NEW USED TIRES FOR SALE- ANTI FREEZE \$395 GAL Raymon Milligan Texaco

FM 707 & 1-20

Tye, Texas

TYE TRANSMISSION

ALL WORK GUARANTEED

271 AIR BASE RD. 698-7205

Open 24 Hrs. Westico Travel & Gift Specializing in:

Turquoise Jewerly & Texas Instrument Watches Nocona & Texas Boots All Types Western Wear Oglala Sioux Moccasins We Never Close

Westico Travel Shop

THE SALE YOU HAVE BEEN WAITING FOR.

LOWER COST LIVING!!!

30 NEW 1979 Single and Doublewides. Priced to Sell.

LIBERAL IERMS. LOCAL FINANCING. Also FHA and VA.

You can buy a 30,000 Mobilehome at El Tye O, for less down than you would expect.

SOME CLOSE OUT MODELS GREATLY REDUCED. FREE CENTRAL AIR WITH SEVERAL.

El Tye O Mobilehome Sales Corp.

On Air Base Rd in Tye, TX Houses are open for viewing til dark and all day Sunday. Office Closed Sundays.

