#### Mr. Linton Merritt, Castro County Pioneer Be Taught In Local **Died Here Tuesday**

Mr. Linton Merritt, pioneer Castro County farmer-stockman, died at the Plains Memorial Hospital Tuesday night at 11:30 o'clock, of a heart ailment with which he had been afflicted for the past several months. Mr. Merritt was seventy one years of

Funeral services were conducted this afternoon, Thursday, at 5:00 o'clock in the Dimmitt high school auditorium, with Rev. Ural S. Sherrill of Sudan and former pastor of the Dimmitt Methodist Church, officiating, assisted by Rev. Horace Brooks. Interment was made in the Dimmitt cemetery with Black's Funeral Home of Hereford in charge of arrange-

Active pallbearers were Messrs C. G. Maples, Ray Sheffy, Edwin Ramey, Louis Coke, C. J. Mapes, Ernest World, Lester McLean and Bob McLain.

Honorary pallbearers w e r e Messrs. Fred Oberthier, Att Webb, Floyd Thomas, Henry Stalcup, George O'Brien, Edgar Ramey, George Abbott, Percy Estes, H. T. Bartlett, Tom Maples, Bill Graham, E. B. Wright, Bernard Brown and Roy Hackle-

Flower girls were Mesdames Jim Elder, Melton Richardson, Billy Graham, Mattie Lee Seale, Barber Eubanks, L. G. Manning, Hattie Webb, Louis Coke, Anna Mae Cox, Tina Mae Fulcher, Ernest Worrel, C. G. Miller, Lawrence Buckmaster, Glenn Ratcliff and Edwin Holland, and Misses Leila Petty, Joy Cluck, Jo Wesson, and Juanita Singer.

Linton Merritt, son of E. A. born at Moran, Shackleford County, Texas, April 15, 1877. He came to Lubbock, Texas, in 1901 and to Castro County in 1902 where he managed the ranch of F. H. Obertheir until his marriage to Dell Sweazea on April 15, 1908. To this union were born nine children two of whom preceded their mother and father in death, they were Delbert Linton and James Olen. Mrs. Merritt passed away nine years ago. Children surviving, all of whom were present for the funeral services are Misses Hazel and Sarah, Percy, Glenn and John Lescar Merritt, of Dimmitt, Mrs. J. M. Kendricks of Tulia and Claude of Kit Carson, Colo. Mr. Merrit is survived by five grand children, Delbert, Gary Sue, Jac-Dixie Kendrick.

Five living brothers: The two T. E. Merritt, Mountain Aire, N. Okla.; and Mrs. A. C. Casey, Fort By Rebehah Lodge

death. Deceased is survived by a number of nieces and nephews. Floyd Hamilton, of Moran, Texas Mrs. D. L. Hawkins, Hobart, Ok-Mexico, nephews were present.

30 Tuesday night, July 20, at the Mr. and Mrs. Clark Winkler, age of seventy-one years, 3 Janell, Mordell, Allen Wayne and months and 5 days.

#### SOUTH HALF OF RANCE DISTRICT **JOINS DIMMITT**

this week by school officials, the ward Finchey, Texola, Okla.; Mr. south half of the Rance Common and Mrs. Clarence Thomas, Yel-School District has merged with da, J. W. Varnell, Cordis and Anthe Dimmitt Inrependent School District. The merger was made Maurice Hall, Dick, Joe, Jack by patrons of the affected por- and Jane; Mr. and Mrs. Loyd tion of the Rance District petit- Hawkins; Mr. and Mrs. Lyndel ioning the County School Board Hawkins, all of Loving; Mr. and for admittance into the Dimmitt Mrs. Willie Gipson, Eldon, Yvon-

District is expected to consolidate with the Hereford School District by election in both dis- Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. F. Q. tricts.

tions of the district.

Mrs. B. A. Fuller is spending Hawkins and Hugh Tatum, all of this week in Lubbock.

#### Choral Classes To Public Schools Soon

Beginning with the Fall semester, chorus will be taught in both the senior high school and the junior high. At least two selections of chorus will be available so that those who can't get into one section can get into the other. Many students have already expressed a hope that choral (singing) classes would be taught this fall so undoubtably a large number will want to take part in them.

Singing is one of the simplest yet most enjoyable types of music that a person can take part in. The voice in an inborn, Godgiven instrument. One does not have to go out and buy his voice. It is placed in the body to be ised and developed as best a person can. Some people have a natural ability to sing; others have to acquire that ability and for that reason, are often hesitant about taking part in a singing class, many individuals get a start toward some wonderful R. G. Wilson, Jr. work in the singing line-often a talent is discovered that may not have been suspected. Radio, stage, and screen, schools and churches, civic organizations, etc. are always looking for someone who can sing. Many good jobs are available in this line, just the same as in other types of work, and good salaries are paid for them. Perhaps someone who studies singing in school now will

he will want to devote his life to. Students who take part in the choral classes in school will undoubtably be a great help to the church. Choires in the church will be perpetuated by the young state inspector. Merritt and Martha Tate, was people who join the choir from time to time and the type of singing produced will be of high-

find that it is the type of work

er quality. Any student who already sings or who is interested in learning to sing is urged to make plans to enroll in one of the choral

#### Singing Convention To Meet at Bethel Sunday

According to announcement made this week the Castro County Singing Convention will meet this month at the Bethel Church. Time for the singing is 2:30 Sunday evening.

#### kie and Carla Jo Merritt and Hawkins Family Holds **Annual Family Reunion**

present were J. F. Merritt from Ninety-three relatives and Roswell and R. L. Merritt, from | friends of J. W. Hawkins, of Lake Author, New Mexico, and Dimmitt, J. G. Hawkins of Plain-Will Merritt, Van Horan, Texas; view; D. L. Hawkins of Hobart, M.; E. M. Merritt, Moran, Texas. Worth met at the park in Plain-Two sisters preceeded him in view Sunday, July 18 for a family reunion.

Those present were: Rev. and

and Don Merritt of Pinon, New la., Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Hawkins Sue and Charles Dow, Fort Col-Two boyhood friends, Will lins, Colo., Mrs. A. C. Casey, Fort Townsend and Jack Midkiff Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Beacame from Moran today to pay vers, Fort Worth; Hugh Casey, final tribute to their life-long Graham; Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hawkins, Plainview; Mr. and Mr. Merrit passed away at 11: Mrs. C. H. Thomas, Plainview; Gary, Spearman; Henry Hawkins Cheyenne, Okla.; Mrs. Claude Miller, Crane; Mr. and Mrs. Tom Grant, Bill, Mecca and Pat, Littlefield; Mr. and Mrs. Hobson Grant, Amherst; Mr. and Mrs. Brooks Francis and children, According to an announcement Texola, Okla.; Mr. and Mrs. Hoita, Plainview; Mr. and Mrs. na and Eudora, Hart; Mr. and The north half of the Rance Mrs. Irby Blakney, Anton; Mr. and Mrs. George Long, Lockney; Mrs. L. B. Hefner and children, Hodge and children, Lubbock; The Rance district had reject- Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hefner, Quited consolidation with both Here- aque; Mr. and Mrs. Heflin and ford and Dimmitt in elections Miss Virginia Roberts, Plainview; held during the past year. The Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Hawkins and new arrangement, however, is Wilda; Mr. and Mrs. Bud Birdsaid to be acceptable to all sec- well; Mrs. Cordye Birdwell; Mr. and Mrs. Harlin Dodd and Jerry

Kay; Mr. and Mrs. Houston

Dimmitt, Texas.

#### **CERTIFIED WHEAT GROWERS MEET**

Seed growers met recently to discuss the certified seed program. Fred T. Dines, Agriculture Agent of the Burrus Feed Mills met with the group.

Some 10 or 15 thousand bushels of certified seed will be for sale by members of the associa-

This wheat is of the improved good milling varities and will sell for \$3.50 per bushel for No. 1 clean and sacked and \$3.25 for Number 2. The number 1 wheat is eligible for recertification.

Castro county farmers are urged to secure their planting seed early as seed is scarce and orders are being received out of the

Reccommended varities that ave been certified are Westar, Tenmarg, Wichita and Commanche. Members of the association who have certified wheat are Wichita:

George Bagwell, Fred Bruegel, E. L. Ivey, L. J. Councilman, and Tenmarg:

W. A. Hawkins Commanche:

Mrs. Frank Dorris and Wm.

George Bagwell, Jay Boston, A. H. Brown, H. D. Robbins, L. J. Counselman and Joe Hastings.

Jay Boston, member of the Association made an outstanding record on his certified Westar

The 35 acres made an average yield of 62 bushels per acre. The land was summer fallowed and worked on the contour. The field was classed excellent by the

#### Cathryn Sims In Fall From Swing

Little Cathryn Sims, three year old daughter of Mr. and groups when school opens this Mrs. Ray Sims, was the victim of an accident at the home of her parents Sunday when she sustained a broken right leg, between the hip and knee, when the swing and swing standards she was playing on collapsed. Cathryn, with her sister, Angela, and two cousins, Sue and Cathleen, children of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Sims, were swinging on a recently completed swing when One of the uprights fell across Cathryn's leg causing the injury. The other children escaped un-

### **Bake Sale To Be Held Saturday**

home cooked bakery products this week from Floydada. will be in the sale.

Funds derived will be used to for the lodge.

#### **Dimmitt Lad Loses Arm Saturday Night**

The Castro County Certified In Highway Mishap Sr., suffered the misfortune of organized Dimmitt School Bands, following a lingering illness. losing his left arm in a highway a Band Boosters' Club will be ormishap Saturday night, when the ganized. pickup he was driving was in colthough managing to avoid a west side of the highway. It is terials it needs, dy of the pick-up, mangling it to of building is being arranged by to amputate the member. Imme- in which it is being arranged will DIMMITT GIRL. diately after learning of Jimmy's compare favorably with the latinjury Miss Carpenter tore a est type of arrangement of band section of cloth from her slip and houses at other schools. Several MEXICO SATURDAY bound the arm to stop the flow large instruments, a Sousaphone, tors at the Plains Memorial Hos- and a French horn have been adpital that the girl's quick think- ded to the few remaining from ing and prompt action saved the the former band. And, with the lad's life. The transport truck, hiring of a band instructor, all driven by J. R. Allen of Here- this outlay of finances in the ritt, Mr. Merritt then rushed needed, and in procuring them them to the hospital in his car. the Boosters' Club can help. Aside from shock and minor Therefore, the Band Boosters'

#### **Billy Brooks Sinclair Breaks Leg In Plane** Crash Sunday

ported as highly favorable.

A near traged occured late Sunday afternoon when a ngm Aronica plane, piloted by Billy Brooks Sinclair crashed on the W. C. Copeland farm in the Bethel community. Sinclair received a broken leg and back injuries in the crash. Cause of the crash has not been ascertained, but it is believed that the plane fell only about 20 or 30 feet. A passing motorist witnessed the crash and and Jess Wofford.

#### **BODY SHOP HAS NEW WORKMEN**

Announcement was made this Mr. L. F. Goodson, incharge of tian College, Abilene, on August week of the Bake sale to be giv- all body repair and paint work. 27. He is to receive a Bachelor of Hospital News en by the Rebekah Lodge, No. Mr. and Mrs. Edwards and Science degree in the field of 54, Saturday, July 24, at Wilson family and Mr. and Mrs. Goodson business administration. His min-Grocery. Cakes, pies and other and family moved to Dimmitt or field is Bible.

iness trip to Hot Springs, N. M. School.

## Organize August 3rd

With a view towards develop-

Jimmie with Miss Moyce Carpen- provided because they are too Pallbearers. ter were returning home from costly for an individual student Mrs. Barker had been a resi-Plainview where they had at- to own, uniforms, and many dent of Dimmitt for the past ening. According to report the numerous to mention here make husband from Bowie, Texas. He man, and Vincent Guggemos. lad was blinded by lights from for a greater financial burden preceded her in death in Febru-

head-on collision, was sideswip- a band boosters' club-be it cal- daughters, O. R. Barker, Long 1907, and has been a resident of ed by the oil transport, which led by that name or some other. Beach, Calif.; Mrs. R. V. McMa- this parish since then. caused the pick-up to overturn Its purpose is the same-to as- hon, Dimmitt; Mrs. O. L. Bor-

caught between the door and bo- house that is already in process the extent that it was necessary the school and the practical way of blood. It was declared by doc- a bass clarinet, an alto clarinet ford stopped to render aid and same year requires a considertook the boy and girl to the able part of the school budget. home of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Mer- But, additional items are still

bruises Miss Carpenter escaped Club in Dimmitt is a "must" that injury. Jimmy's condition is re- many people all over the country will deem a high priviledge to become members of. Many have already' volunteered their services, even financial support. Such an organization can sponsor many activities etc., whereby materials and equipment may be secured with the funds raised.

Membership will not be limited only to people who have children taking part in the band. Any Adult who is interested in seeing young people engaged in a wholesome and inspirational activity, in seeing the band progress, nyone who is a lover of music, parades, color, action, and of making a name for Dimmitt is eligible for membership.

Organization meeting for the rushed Sinclair to the Plains Me-Dimmitt Band Boosters' Club LOCAL GROUP ENJOYS the entire structure collapsed. morial Hospital where he is re- will be Tuesday night, August 3, PICNIC AT HEREFORD ceiving treatment. The plane be- at 8:30 p. m. at the High School. and plan to attend.

#### Glen Exter Receives The Castro Motor Company BS Degree From ACC

week with two new experienced Mrs. A. C. Grant of Dimmitt, is Calhoun of Hereford. workmen, Mr. A. D. Edwards and to graduate from Abilene Chris-

While in Abilene Christian College he has been a member of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Forson the Gamma Epilson. He is a purchase much needed equipment have returned home from a bus- graduate of Dimmitt High

#### Band Boosters' Club to Mrs. W. M. Barker Is **Buried At New Port**

ing one of the outstanding mus- of age, died at the home of her Jimmie George, 16 year old son ical organizations in this part of daughter, Mrs. R. V. McMahon, of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. George the Plains country in the newly in Dimmitt Friday at 12:15 a. m.

Funeral services were conducted Saturday at the Cumberland Few people realize how great Presbyterian Church at New ision with an oil transport truck. is an undertaking such as de- Port, Texas, With the Pastor, The accident occured on the veloping and maintaing a band. Rev. Bates, officiating. Inter- Reverend Cyril Lange officiating. Dimmitt-Hart highway about 10 Music, equipment, large and ex- ment was made in the New Port Burial was made in the Nazareth miles southeast of Dimmitt, when pensive instruments that must be cemetery. He grandsons were cemetery under direction of Wal-

## DROWNS IN NEW

Clara Jo Law, daughter of Mrs. Pearl Law of Dimmitt, and Dimmitt Ball Club Burl Dean Parks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. Parks of Espin- To Play Melrose ola, New Mexico were drowned in the Rio Grande river at the outskirts of Espinola last Saturday, July 17 at about noon. The girls were wading in seemoff into an under ground whirlpool and they went under quickly. Two other companions were almost drowned attempting to save them.

held at 2:00 p. m. July 20, in south of the Dimmitt high school. Espinola, at the First Baptist Everyone has acordial invitation church. Clara Jo Law was buried to attend the game. her father, Jack Law, who was in the Espinola Cemetery near feated last Sunday by a Friona buried there three years ago.

Clara Jo was 15 years, 11 months, 10 days old. She would have been a freshman in nigh school Farm Safery Week next year. She was active in her school work and respecially in is From July 25 to 31 sports. She was survived by her ton and other kindred.

Those enjoying a picnic in the longed to Messrs. Jack Gregory Mark this date on your calendar Hereford Park on Sunday evening from Dimmitt were: Mr. and Mrs. John Waggoner, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wood, Mrs. Mary Wood, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Witt, Mary Ann and Melvin Dean, Dwyane Body Shop was reopened this Glen W. Exter, son of Mr. and Brown and Mr. and Mrs. R. L.

Patients in Hospital now: Mrs. Houston Carson (surg.) Mrs. Wilhelm (medical) Mrs. Sullenger (medica)

Mr. Billy Brooks Sinclair (ac- mows and barns. Jimmie George (accident) Kathy Sims (accident)

Mrs. Ray Sims baby girl (Bilie Gale Sims) July 20 Ann) July 19.

yet) July 21 Judith Dyer (medical) Mrs. Lindley, boy (Wesley Lin- ings.

dley) July 18. Richard Hunter (medical) Patients discharged during week: 18. Loose matches. Mrs. Johnnie Goodman

Howard Schulte Wayne Schulte Mrs. Roy Stafford Carol Hale Mrs. Hale

Mr. Gollehon Mr. Stone Mr. Diaz Mrs. Counselman

Mrs. Martin Fulcher Dan Bruton

#### CONGRATULATIONS

Mr. and Mrs. Bub Ramey are dren. gar Robert, born Saturday, April guarded. 17, at Northwest Texas Hospital 31. Improperly stored tools, toys, in Amarillo. The new arrival supplies. ounces, and made his appearance mops and brooms on stairs. on his parents' third wedding an- 33. Loose fitting clothing. niversary. Edgar Robert is a 34. Improper hitches to power grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Goose machinery. as another Gosling.

#### Last Rites Are Held Tuesday at Nazareth Mrs. W. M. Barker, 84 years For Mr. Ed Kleman

Ed Kleman, 66 year old Nazareth resident, died in his home Sunday morning at 3 o'clock after a long illness.

Funeral services were held in the Nazareth Catholic Church at 8 o'clock Tuesday morning with lace Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were Urban Kleman, La Vern Kleman, Elmer tended a show earlier in the ev- other lesser items that are too five years, coming here with her Kleman, Bob Kleman, Paul Kle-

Mr. Kleman was born August the approaching vehicle, and al- than the schools alone can bear. ary, 1944. She is survived by four 31, 1882, at Glandorf, Ohio. He Hence, most communities have children: one son and three came to Texas in November of

Survivors include his wife, a rolling into the bar ditch on the sist the band in getting the ma- den, Lubbock, and Mrs. Rollie daughter, Mrs. Florence Ball of Wells, Bellevue, Texas. She is Nazareth, two brothers, Art Klebelieved that Jimmies' arm was The new band and chorus also survived by 15 grand chil- man and Harry Kleman, four dren and 13 great grand children. sisters, Mrs. Loretta Guggemos of Nazareth, Mrs. Frank Wurht of Ohio, Mrs. William Maag of Ohio, Mrs. Gus Schultie of Hollyhock, Minnesota and five grand children.

## **Team Here Sunday**

The Dimmitt Baseball Club will play the Melrose, N. M., team here in a Junion West-Texingly shallow water and walked as - New Mexico League game Sunday, beginning at 2:30 p. m., according to an announcement made this week by Chock Lay, manager of the Dimmitt Baseball Club. The game will be play-A double funeral ceremony was ed on the baseball field just The Dimmitt Ball Club was de-

team by a score of 5 to 11.

The week of July 25 to 31 has mother, Pearl Law, and a brother been designated as National Norman, and a sister, Norma. Farm Safety Week according to She is also survived by her grand R. L. King, local county agent. parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Pay- The proclamation was declared by President Truman to remind Farm people to be ever mindful of accident hazards.

The major objective of Farm Safety week is the elimination of at least one hazard by each member of the family. Some of the hazards that

should be eliminated are: 1. Stairs with out hand rails or in need of repair. 2. Faulty mechanical or electri-

cal equipment. Unsafe bull pens. 4. Frayed electric cords.

Unsafe ladders. 6. Defective hand tools. 7. Rotton boards or planks in

porches or haylofts. 8. Worn ropes. 9. Unprotected hay chutes. 10. Inadequately lighted hay-

11. Loose boards with nails in them. 12. Uncovered water tanks, cisterns, wells.

13. Unprotected pools. Mrs. Lowrance, girl (Patricia 14. Rubbish in the yard, field or

Mrs. Leinen, girl (unnamed as 15. Oil saturated or paint rags. 16. Weeds, brush, old lumber or

other fire hazards around build-

17. Unmarked or unpainted gasoline containers.

19. Horns on cattle.

20. Tuscks on boars, 21. Makeshift harness. 22. Incorrect electrical fuses. 23. Homemade electric

controllers. 24. Small rugs at stairs.

25. Improperly stored explosives or flammable liquids.

26. That loaded gun. 27. Unsafe workers.

28. Poisonous insecticides stored within reach of children. 29. Matches within reach of chil-

the proud parents of a son, Ed- 30. Any equipment not properly

weighed in at 6 pounds and 11 32. Any tripping hazard, such as

Ramey and has been referred to 35. Any one of scores of unsafe practices.

#### SECOND HALF OF SOFTBALL SEASON STARTS TONITE

Following is the schedule for the last half of the Dimmitt Lions Club Softball League. Playing of the scedule, which begins tonight, Thursday, will determine the teams to play in the finals for the Lions Club annual softball award. The two high percentage teams will compete in the playoff for the championship. The Magnolia team and Tates Barbers were first and second place winners, respectively, in the first half of league play.

Tate's Shavers vs. P. O. Goodwin's Gulf Gassers —	
Castro Motor Sparkplugs vs. Magnolia Oilers -	
Don Nelson's Dutchmen vs. Roy Murphy's Swedes -	- Monday
Bobby Jone's Finns vs. Elmo Blackwell's Eskimos -	Tuesday
Tate's Shavers vs. Castro Motor Sparkplugs -	Thursday
Magnolia Oilers vs. Gulf Gassers — — — —	
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Tate's Shavers vs. Magnolia Oilers — — —	Thursday
Gulf Gassers vs. Castro Motor Sparkplugs — —	- Friday
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ug. 10	Murphy's Swedes vs. Jones' Finns — — — — Tuesday	
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ug. 13	Magnolia Oilers vs. Castro Motor Sparkplugs — — Friday	1
ug. 16	Murphy's Swedes vs. Nelson's Dutchmen — — — Monday	1
ug. 17	Blackwell's Eskimos vs. Jones' Finns — — — Tuesday	1
ug. 19	Castro Motor Sparkplugs vs. Tate's Shavers — — Thursday	1
ug. 20	Gulf Gassers vs. Magnolia Oilers — — — — Friday	1
ug. 23	Jones' Finns vs. Nelson's Dutchmen — — — Monday	1
ug. 24	Blackwell's Eskimos vs. Murphy's Swedes — — Tuesday	1
ug. 26	Magnolia Oilers vs. Tate's Shavers — — — Thursday	1
ug. 27	Castro Motor Sparkplugs vs. Gulf Gassers — — Friday	1
ug. 30	Blackwell's Eskimos vs. Nelson's Dutchmen — — Monday	1
ug. 31	Jones' Finns vs. Murphy's Swedes — — — Tuesday	1

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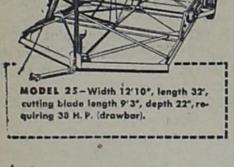
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#### Solution of Mexican Labor Problem Is Finally Seen in Texas

ABILENE, July 20 - Solution of | ing. the Mexican seasonal labor problem is seen in a request made this week by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce Latin-American Commission to the Texas good neighbor commission in seeking executive action by the governor. This action would in-

town in Texas to use their efforts to prevent discrimination. The WTCC group also would have the governor issue executive orders to the Texas Employment Commission to exercise greater control over movement of the Mexican workers, to prevent exploiting by "jeffes" and otherwise causing overloads on communities unprepared for the influx of hordes of seasonal workers.

This plan was presented to Thomas L. Sutherland of San Angelo by Claude Meadows, Sr. chairman of the WTCC group, after its preparation by General Manager D. A. Bandeen of Abilene. For more than a month the WTCC has been getting letters from city and Chamber of Commerce officials in West Texas, out lining steps taken to provide accomodations. It was pointed out that these letters are from the highest official and civic authorities and speak with authority in their promises.

Sutherland has been asked to transmit the letters to the Mexican government in an attempt to have lifted the ban against the mportation of Mexican workers. The following points were made in the presentation:

1. That there are organized activities in every community to eliminate racial discrimination.

2. That there are organized ac tivities to provide necssary temporary and permanent housing, eating and entertainment facilities and many such facilities nave already been extended.

3. That educational and religious advantages are offered without discrimination.

4. That there is a parity in compensation, and Mexican workers are paid on the same basis as any others for the same type of work, and the wage scale in West Texas is considerably higher than in Mexico.

"On the basis of these pledges, we respectfully request that the good neighbor policy commission of the State of Texas:

1. Urge the Gevernor of Texas to issue an official proclimation calling upon all city, county and Chamber of Commerce officials of Texas to take necessary steps to see that no discrimmination exists in the treatment of migratory workers coming from Mex-

2. Urge the Governor by executive order to request the fullest cooperation of all state agencies, such as the Texas employment commission, to exercise their every legal power to prevent discrimination and to establish a definate good neighbor policy.

"It is further reccommended that copies of these proclamations and executive orders be transmitted through the good Neighbor Commission to the proper authorities in Mexico, with the request that the ban against Mexican Nationals entering the United States may be lifted."

#### State Renews 4-H **Wear-Care Clothing** Demonstrations

Rural girls in Texas between 14 and 21 again have the opportunity to take part in a special 4-H "wear-care" clothing demonstrations awards program, which is being renewed this year.

The demonstrations may apply to what the participants have learned regarding good methods of selecting, wearing and caring for a clothing wardrobe. The care may include washing, drying, ironing, removal of spots or stains, and handling of garments when not in use.

State champions - either two individual demonstrators or two members of a demonstration team-named by the state club office, will each receive a \$25.00 cash award provided by American Viscose Corp. The winners must have completed at least three years of 4-H Club work, including the current year.

County extension agents will furnish complete information regarding the demonstrations.

All men, including staticticians are interested in figures.

The best way to be satisfied with your lot is to build a house

A girl may wear a golf outfit If its true that only two per Catholic Daughters when she can't play golf, and a Every day when we arise we're bathing suit when she can't swim cent of the people in the United Hold Meeting but when she puts on a wedding States are morons, they sure do The Catholic Daughters of dress, she knows what she's do- more surprised than ever-when Archbishop Gerken Court 1368



### He Floats Through the Air

Congressmen Lyndon Johnson alights from his helicopter for another of the hundreds of speeches he is making in villages, hamlets and towns in his whirlwind compaign for election as Junior United States Senator.

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m. with eleven members present. school on Jully 7 at 9 o'clock p. met in the classroom of the

The new password was given by the Grand Regent, Mrs. Carnelia Annen. The possibilities of having an

initiation of a new class for the fall was discussed by the few members present. Mrs. Leo Dobmeier and Mrs. Gus Dietz were reported on the

The meeting adjourned until our next meeting date August 4.

we raise the shades, look out the window, and find the world is still present.

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The Man -:- The Program

#### PREPAREDNESS:

A strong industrial system . . . free competitive enterprise. He bucked the president, stopped the sale at junk yard prices of 114 vital plants, worth a billion and an quarter dollars.

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Constant advancement in science.

Unpreparedness led us into two wars. Let's not let it happen again.

#### PEACE.

A stronger United Nations . . .

International trade channels must be kept free to restore internal prosperity of war-torn nations and provide markets for Texas crops.

As a member of the atomic energy commission he is entensively interested in the ultimate utilization of atomic energy for peaceful, constructive uses. We must draw line and say to the warmakers, "This far and no farther." He supports the Marshall Plan to "help those who are willing to help them-

We must tell America's story by every means until it permeates the nations inside the iron curtain.

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A fair deal for farmers . . . fair price supports, blacktop roads, electricity. Soil conservation and flood control.

Federal aid to raise teachers' salaries.

An unbaised, fair stand on labor, opposing selfishness in labor or business. Raise old age assistance benefits and take pension out of politics. Opposing socialized medicine, he favors a better health program. We must curb the spiral of prices forced on us by a republican congress. Government must be a strong ally, not a foe, of free interprise.

Has voted every time against anti-poll tax, anti-lynching, and FEPC. The civil rights program is a sham and a farce.

Building a Better Nation and a Better World . . . On a platform of

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Political advertisement paid for by Castro County friends of Lyndon Johnson.



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Mr. Rancher

Congressman Lyndon Johnson "The Man Who Gets Things Done" Candidate for

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Northern spent the week end with friends spent the week end with her mo- in Dimmitt. ther, Mrs. Etta Brashears.

Fall in love with yourself and Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McCollum you won't have any rivals.

#### Meet The Jeepster



The latest member of the Jeep family is Willys-Overland's newly unveiled sports phaeton, the Jeepster. Styled in the continental fashion, the rest is a glamorous, smooth-riding descendant of its rugged forbed at is one of the first full-sized light cars to appear on the market his powered by the Jeep engine, and has independent front wheel suspension. The Jeepster weighs only 2500 pounds, gives as much as 29 miles to a gallon and has a low center of gravity for roadability. Willys-Overland calls it "a sun car, built for fun."

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Mrs. Vern Lust, Grace Louise and Mrs. Houston Lust and son Traffic Deaths in State were in Plainview Tuesday shop-

W. M. U. Circle met in the home of Mrs. Ivor Bagwell Mon-

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dixon were callers in the Harry Rothwell home Wednesday afternoon. Carolyn and Sue Bagwell spent

Sunday with Patricia Howell. Mr. and Mrs. Moke are moving to the Martin place, and Mrs. Earl Simmons is moving to the

place they are vacating. Mr. Vern Lust, Glenn and Wesley Smith spent a very enjoyable day Friday at Buffal Dam fish-

Mrs. Harry Rothwell, Marene, Mrs. Charles Howell, and Mrs. E. R. Rothwell were in Plainview Tuesday visiting Mrs. A. W. Bates and Mike and Mrs. Glenn Riley. They also did some shop-

Bobby Warren spent Sunday with Hubert Howell.

Mr. Moss Howell and Hubert were in Plainview Friday on bus-

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Givan and

Mary Elizabeth attended the annual picnic at Tulia Saturday. Mr. and Mrs. Harry Rothwell, Mr. Moss Howell, Mr. and Mrs. Vern Lust and children and Mr. Ivor Bagwell attended a very interesting meeting of the Farm

Billy Brooks Sinclair had the misfortune of crashing the plane he was piloting Sunday evening. The extent of his injuries is not known at this, time.

Bureau at Dimmitt Wednesday

Harry Rothwell and William Bill). Dixon left Sunday afternoon for Roscoe, Texas to meet other committeemen. From there Mr. and Mrs; R. M. Warren they will see shorthorn herds ovhad relatives from Tennessee visfor the national show at Dallas.

Weldon Warren spent Sunday

er the state to select the cattle iting Sunday evening. They

touring Oklahoma and New Mex-

with Glenn Lust. Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Keene and daughter, Mary, from Pettit were visiting in the R. M. Warren home Sunday. Mrs. Keene and Mrs. Warren are sisters. Mrs. Harry Rothwell and Mrs. Charles Howell were in Amarillo

Working to forget is much better than forgetting to work.

Monday on Business.

A scientist says he has proof that life on this planet began in hot water. Did he say BEGAN?

It is rumored that cheerfulness is largely a matter of one's income being above one's outgo.

It is much better to be misjudged for a deed of action than a deed of neglect.

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phase of traffic safety each mon- fast to stop."

Not how fast you go, but how way patrol. "We are reminded of 80 feet. At 40 miles it will take brakes are applied. quickly you can stop is what Col- this much too often by screamonel Homer Garrison, Jr., Direc- ing newspaper headlines - 'Five tor of the Texas Highway De- killed in crash at bridge - witing in emphasizing speed as a ness tells of high speed' - or partment of Public Safety is ask- some such thumbnail drama. Too late the driver identified an ob-This activity is part of a con-struction, swerved to avoid it, tinuing traffic safety education jammed on brakes, plunged to program directed by the Texas destruction. Too much speed. Highway patrol. The year-round Sighting and avoiding danger program, emphasizing a timely was impossible. He was going too

James P. Hart of Travia



Associate Justice Supreme Court of Texas

Using standard public opinion sampling methods, a representative cross-section of Texas voters was asked to choose between these two statements: "The best candidate for Supreme Cours is one who has been (1) a county judge and a district judge, or (2) a district attorney, district judge, assistant attorney general of Texas and a judge on the Texas Supreme Court."

of persons interviewed said the man was best qualified who has been a district attorney district judge, assistant attorney general and a judge on the Texas Supreme Court.

The Only Candidate for Place 2 With This Experience Is James P. Hart!

th, is being carried on simutan- How fast can you stop? With 128 feet, and at 50 it will take eously with a nationwide cam- good brakes on dry pavement, 186 feet. These measurements inpaign of the National Safety you can stop in about 43 feet at clude thinking distance, or reac-20 miles an hour, according to tion time, and braking distance, "Speed kills" said W. J. El- the National Safety Council. But the actual time it takes to bring liott, Chief of the Texas High at 30 miles an hour it will take your car to a stop after the

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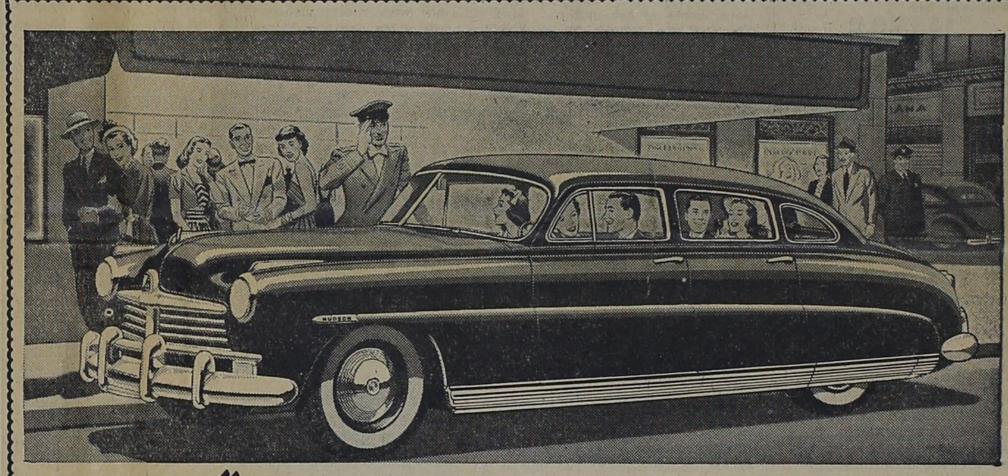
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## WHAT "Stepping Down" MEANS TO YOU

How the New Hudson, America's most streamlined car with the low silhouette, brings you roominess and comfort never before obtainable in an automobile.

You've seen them flashing by in all their sparkling color - those trim, gorgeous New Hudsons with the low, streamlined silhouette.

But have you really examined one of these amazing cars? They are the big news in the automobile world today!

Hudson, always known for great forward steps in the development of the auto-mobile, and for efficient use of motive power, is again 'way out ahead with a motor car that hits a new high in efficient use of space-that makes a greater percentage of its total space actually available for your use and comfort.

When you take a close look, you'll find that Hudson, through the use of a new, exclusive "step-down" zone, reclaims so much usually wasted space that this sensationally efficient car gives you more useful interior room than you've ever before experienced in an automobile.

This new kind of motor car has a sturdy foundation structure surrounding the passenger compartment, which permits the floor to be recessed down within the base frame so that you step down when

entering. This makes space between frame members, which is usually wasted, available for use inside the car.

Seats can thus be lowered to harmonize with the new, lower top, and by stepping down into Hudson, which is only five feet from ground to top, you get more head room than in any other mass-produced car built today!

And how about seating room? Hudson's new design reclaims space formerly taken up by wheel housings and protruding fenders. This is accomplished by placing rear seats ahead of the rear wheels, in a zone unrestricted by wheel housings. As a result, rear seats are 15 inches wider in this car that is only little more than four inches wider over-all. Both rear and front seats extend the full width of the body, giving Hudson the roomiest seats in any American-made car! Hudson's use of the "step-down" zone and unique seating arrangements are illustrated in the sketches that follow:



OTHER CARS—Passengers ride on top of a frame, as shown above, and (in the rear seat) between rear wheel housings, which occupy space that should be a part of seating room. Riding on top of a frame means that essential head room must be reduced if the roof is lowered for streamlining.





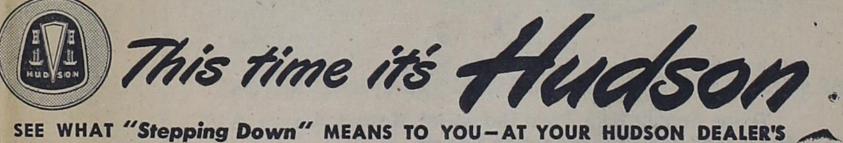
NEW HUDSON—You ride cradled down within Hudson's base frame, as shown above, and also ahead of the rear wheels. Seats can therefore extend full width of the car. Due to the use of the "step-down"

The New Hudson even reclaims the unused space in doors by providing gorgeously tailored, recessed compartments where interior door handles, window cranks, ash receivers, and generous arm rests are placed out of the way to allow increased elbow room for passengers.

This development of Hudson's exclusive, all steel Monobilt body-and-frame\* with its "step-down" zone required years of engineering work, the perfection of new production techniques and millions of dollars in highly specialized new plant investment. This may be why Hudson, and Hudson alone, offers this important advance today!

"Stepping down" is so important to motor-car beauty, riding qualities and safety—as well as roominess and comfort —that the nearest Hudson dealer has a booklet-yours without obligation-fully explaining this design principle. Hudson Motor Car Company, Detroit 14.

\*Trade-mark and patents pending



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#### To The Voters Of Castro County:

DEAR FRIEND AND VOTER: word to you:

Texas.

and do the work of this office ing you a good clerk. I want to room was decorated with flowers. honestly and as near perfectly be re-elected by my friends on Angel food cake and punch was as it could be done.

takes, but feel like I am more servant in the capacity of the Bill Mears, Mrs. C. J. Woods, capable and experienced in the duties of this nice office.





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Was 8 58,000,000.00 Now \$130,000,000.00 TREBLING the University and A&M

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Now \$ 82,000,000,00 \* FIVE TIMES more money collected this fiscal year than by any former Com-

Was \$ 27,000,000.00

\* REDUCING number of delinquent School Land Interest Accounts 95 per

\* RE-COMPILING State Abstract

#### HEAR **BASCOM GILES** Thurs., July 22-7:15 P.M.

Radio Station KPRC, Houston WOAI, San Antonio WFAA, Dallas WBAP, Fort Worth KRIS, Corpus Christi KVAL, Brownsville KFDM, Beaumont

re-r'oction of BASCOM GILES m will be appreciated.

duties of this office now and Bridal Shower is Held can and will do your work as nearly perfectly as it can be In Witt Home For

Of course I have made mis- termination to make you a good Leinen, Mrs. Mary Wood, Mrs.

fords to support and educate my Kirk, Miss Mary Ann Witt, Mrs..

selfishly displeased. I have tried sent and absent. to do the right thing by everyone.

If you see fit to re-elect me again as your County and Dis- Have Annual Signing trict Clerk, I shall be very grate-

Thanks again, for everything. Sincerely, Mrs. Ola Murphy

Robert spent Sunday in Amarillo visiting in the home of her brother and her sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Duke and family. Mrs. Duke's brother, Mr. George C. Hall, and family of Greenville, N. M., were also visiting in the W. T. Duke home.

Mrs. W. A. Meachum and Eddie of Wichita, Kansas have been visiting relatives here the past 10 days.

Mrs. P. A. Bishop and Gerry of Wichita, Kansas visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and a 2 weeks visit in the home of Mrs. R. V. McMahon Sr. for the past three weeks.

Mrs. Earl Harison was called to Stamford Tuesday due to the serious illness of her mother. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hershey in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Billy visited last Sunday in Muleshoe Joe Rothwell.

## I am determined to profit by Mrs. Chuck Wallace

On the eve of the first primary each of my past mistakes and A bridal shower honoring Mrs. election of 1948, just this one last with your help shall make you a Chuck Wallace, the former Miss good clerk for the next two Hillene McMillin was given by May I ask you to please give years. My friends have been very Mrs. Marvin Witt in her home me your vote for re-election to encouraging to me in making this on Juy 14, with Mrs. C. A. Wood, the office of County and Dis- race, for which I am very grate- Mrs. John Waggoner and Mrs. trict Clerk of Castro County, ful. I just want to show my ap- W. H. Smith as co-hostesses. The preciation for every word and act brides colers of blue and white I have tried to please everyone of such encouragement by mak- were carried out and the living

your faith in my ability and de- served to the following: Mrs. Bud Mrs. Tommy McGowan, Mrs. I need the pay this office af- Maudia McMillin, Mrs. Fern Chuck Wallace and the hostess I know that some are displeas- and hostesses. Many lovely gifts ed with me, but maybe they are were received from friends pre-

### D. H. S. Press Club To Party Tuesday Night

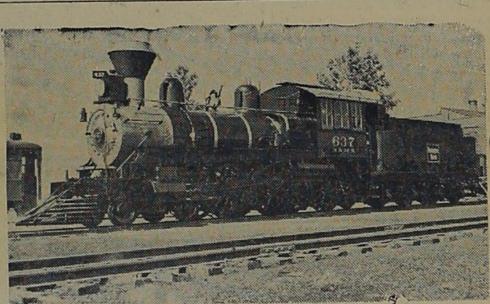
The Press club of the local high school has announced an annual signing and watermelon feast to be held Tuesday, July Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Duke and 27 at 8 p. m. at the high school.

Everyone who has received an annual this year is urged to at- ial Hospital in Dimmitt after untend and bring a fountain pen dergoing an appendectomy operand their annual. All donations ation. of watermelons by those planning to attend will be appreciated by the cub members.

Students who have not received their annuals can get them at this time.

Rube Hampton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Wade Hampton of Borger, returned home Wednesday from his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Lane.

Mrs. Virgil Nowell nd children of Muleshoe were recent visitors



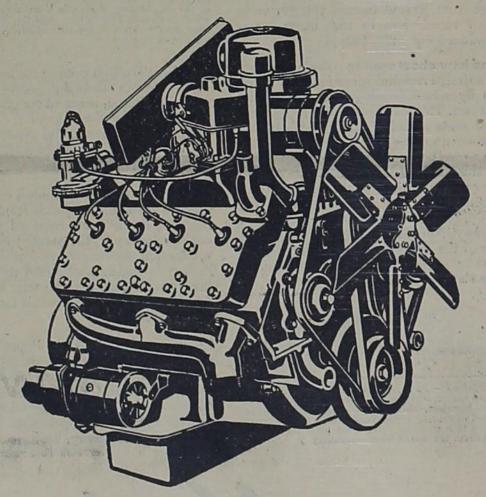
ton & Missouri River Engine 637 is ready to play a leading role in the mammoth pageant 'Wheels a Rollin' at the Chicago Railroad a dramatic episode recalling the

Shined and polished, Burling- gine 637, together with an emigrant train provided by the Burlington Lines, will be featured in

### Fair which opened July 20. En- colonization of the West. IRRIGATE

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Ray Bearden

The Tulia annual picnic drew time. He and Mrs. Duff postpon- Sudan Sunday. ed a trip to New Mexico to take | Lavita Davis is visiting her sis- ance, ordering the construction

Mr. E. E. Bennett of Temple in Roswell, New Mexico.

cent visitors in the Jno. Rice ffy's Sunday.

M. M. Smitherman and Jno. Sheffy, Cecil Ginn and Irvin Ott which such improvements are to Rice left Thursday for Kansas were in Plainview Saturday. where they will prospect for land. 13-11 against Umbarger on Sun- son's Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isom Sharp attend- Lindy Scarbrough. Tulia on Thursday. Mr. Harris of Amarillo are visiting his par- will be held at the City Hall in was an uncle of Edd and Mrs. ents at Flagg ranch.

iel attended the funeral of his Okla. brother, J. D. O'Daniel in Tulia on Monday.

Gus Hawkins and Robert Reid rika, Okla. spent the week end in Vernon with Robert's parents.

ering nicely in the Plains Memor- day.

Mr. and Mrs. James Pistole and family of Houston who were the sudden death of an uncle. As George Allenthey were returning Mrs. Pistol's father who had gone with them FLAGG H. D. CLUB was stricken a few miles from hart on Saturday. R. L. Reed Seale. was Mrs. Pistole's father.

Mrs. Percy Hart.

We are still in need of rain. Are having less dust than in Mrs. Frank Latimer and chil-

bock, Dimmitt, Plainview and day to bring them home. Tulia on Tuesday night with a supper before the business meeting. Wives of the local members This group constitutes the South Plains council.

Miss Patsi Wester of Carlsbad New Mexico arrived on Wednesday to visit in the home of her uncle, Robert Brooks and family. I am sure there have been doings in and around Hart. Why not drop me a card or telephone No. 4 in Hart so we can have a good column of news.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Scott, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Conard and Mr. and Mrs. Sanders went to Buffalo Lake on Saturday morning. The men remained to fish a while the ladies went on to Amarillo shopping.

Curtis Babcock and D. Henry of WTSC in Canyon visited Billie Phillips and Cecil Hamm on Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Bradley are the proud parents of a baby girl, who arrived on July 9th at Clovis Memorial Hospital. The young lady was named Molly Priscilla and she weighed six pounds and 2 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Bradley and their two other children are former residents of the Cleo and Sunnyside communities before they moved to Melrose, New Mexico.

Mrs. C. G. Shull and children of Memphis, Tenn. are here for a visit in the home of her uncle, Mr. J. F. Bright, and Mrs.

a large crowd of old timers from Mona Simmons and Joe Ballard Hart. We think Bob Duff has and Ruth Sheffy visited the hereby gives notice to the herebeen going there the longest Dameron's cousin, Peggy Reid in inafter described and listed pro-

ter, Mrs. Scott Miller and family of curb and gutter sidewalks

and Lyn of Perryton, Mr. and clare and essess the full costs Mrs. C. C. Rice of Littlefield Mrs. Dempsey Maloney and chil- thereof against the owner of such and Mrs. Wert Hoelting and chil- dren and Mrs. Augusta Maloney property as a personal obligation dren of California have been re- of Spearman visited the Bob She- and to affix a lein against the Mesdames C. G. Ballard, Sid such costs. The property upon

Rev. and Mrs. Hyden were din- together with the record owner Hart won the base ball game ner guests of the Claude John- thereof;

ed the funeral of J. H. Harris in Mr. and Mrs. Corky Rentfro A hearing on said ordinance

Mr. and Mrs. Howard O'Dan- visiting relatives in Fredrick, at 9: O'clock A. M., at which cheaper to contract your construc-

returned from a trip to Wau-

Mr. and Mrs. Will Johnson and Pam visited his mother, Mrs. Mrs. Houston Carson is recov- May Johnson in Amarillo Sun-

Tom Lewis and son Gene were business visitors in Plainview on

Wednesday. Mr. and Mrs. Will Richerson of Bowie, Mr. and Mrs. Sam here visiting the H. E. Loman's Richerson and mother Richerson were called to Kansas because of of La Mesa visited Mr. and Mrs.

Mrs. Buster Kriling was hoshis home in Amarillo and died tess to the Flagg H. D. Club last before reaching the hospital. Mrs. Wednesday, "Landscaping the Loman attended the funeral in Farm" was the topic and demon-Hartley and interment in Dal- stration by Mrs. Mattie Lee

A lovely shower was presented Young Marshall Lynn Horton Mrs. J. M. Coke by the club. Seof Plainview spent the week end veral games were led by Mrs. with his grandparents, Mr. and Claude Johnson. Refreshments were served to 25 guests.

dren are at Higgins for a visit Members of the local Boy in the home of her sister, Mrs. Scout board entertained repre- Roland Wheat, and family. Mr. sentatives of boards from Lub- Latimer will go to Higgins Sun-

C. H. Lane of Borger has been here this week for a visit with prepared and served the meal. his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Her-



PRESENT COMMISSIONER

### J. E. McDONALD

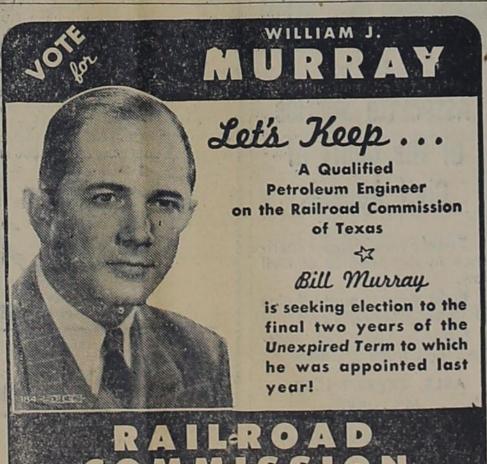
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#### NOTICE OF PROPOSED ASSESSMENT ORDINANCE

The City of Dimmitt, Texas, perty owners of Proposed Ordin- News Want Ads get results. along and upon the hereinafter pent the week end with his sons Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Maloney described property, and to deproperty for the total amount of

All of lots 5 and 6 Block 99, Joy Ruth Mundell of Amarillo Original town of Dimmitt, Cas-Mr. and Mrs. Edd Harris and has been visiting her aunt Mrs. tro County, Texas, 50 feet front footage, Solen Clements, owner.

be constructed are as follows;

the city of Dimmitt, Texas on Allene and Blanche Ballard are the 30th day of July A. D. 1948, Mr. and Mrs. Jes Wooten have owner and all other persons in- day labor.

terested in said property may appear and contest such proposed assessment if they so desire.

L. G. Manning Mayor, City of Dimmitt, Texas

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Lake Sundy.

Plainview.

Cecil Barrett has come home

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Ott attend-

Mr. and Mrs. Phillip Acker and

family went to Groom Sunday,

July 18, for a visit with Mr. and

Mrs. Tom Britten. Mr. and Mrs.

Herman Acker and family ac-

Miss Bonnie Kern spent the

past week-end in Plainview with

Miss Mary Conley. Bonnie re-

companied them.

turned home Sunday.

bock, Sunday, July 18.

large crowd attended.

For Contest

**Being Sought** 

Good Dog Photos

find how good it really is.

the approaching observance of

photography may have a fair chance for the prize money, en-

tries will be accepted in three

distinct classifications 1) Ama-

tuers; 2) Members of camera

clubs; and 3) Professional photoghaphers. In each of the first

two groups there is a first prize

of \$250, a second of \$75, and a

third of \$25, while in the professional photographer class

there is a single prize of \$350. In the camera club classiffication

and additional \$25 prize will go to each of the three clubs which

the winners of the first, second and third prizes will have named

as their membership affiliation. All winning entries will become

the property of the contest spon-

sor, who also holds the priviledge of purchasing any other photographs entered in the contest at

Contest entries must be in the office of the Gaines Dog Re-

search Center, 250 Park Avenue, New York 17, N. Y., before 4

p. m. on Friday September 10, 1948. A post card request to this

address will bring a copy of the official contest rules. The winners will be announced during National Dog Week, September 19-25. A committee of America's

foremost photographic authorities, now in process of selection,

will decide on the winners.

prevailing market prices.

National Dog Week this fall. In order that all interested in

on July 18 and were defeated.

ed the cattle sale at Plainview

improved from the Amherst hos-

BIG SQUARE NEWS

Douglas Louder of the Sunny-

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wise, Mr.

and Mrs. M. G. Killar and Mr.

eral days with Rayburn Ott.

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#### **NEWS FROM THE VETERANS' COUNTY**

that date any veteran who is less and sufficient finances to carry than 100% disabled can reinstate on farming operations are some from \$1,000 up in multiples of cants. \$500 by paying the premiums on this insurance for two months. that is, without a medical exam- sed and the current month. Thus Department of Interior, at Sa- be reproduced on Chicago's lake

> The federal government has prepared Gold Star Lapel Buttons to be isueed to the widow and the parents of veterans who side community is spending sevdied in the service between December 7, 1941 and July 25, 1947. These buttons are available for issue at this time to those qualified to receive them. Application their families spent an enjoyable forms and assistance in execut- day picnicing in Palo Duro Caning them may be had at the Vet- yons Sunday. erans County Service Office in the Courthouse in Dimmitt.

> There are 49,176 acres of pubic land in the west, comprising about 529 high value individual major operation Wednesday morfarm units which will be open to ning in the Amherst Hospital. home steaders during the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1948. Vet- sick list Sunday. erans will get all of these farm units on a basis of 90-day preference for filing applications.

> Land to be distributed includes Division project in California and Mr. and Mrs. John Davis at Oregon, 16 farms in Roza Divis- Flags. ion of Washington's Yakama project, 75 farms in Yuma Mesa Division of Arizona's Gila project, Parker Sunday. 40 farms in Payette Division of Idaho's Boise project, 16 farms Mrs. George Allen Mondy. in Gooding Division of Idaho's' Minidoka project, 77 farms in Heart Mountain division of Wyoming's Shoshone project and 210 farms in Riverton, Wyoming pro-

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The Rocky Mountain and Pa-Information can be obtained by This payment is for the month addresing inquiries to, Regional cific coast vacation wonderland of grace when the insurance lap- director, Bureau of Reclamation, served by Burlington Lines will by paying two months premiums cramento, Calif., Billings, Mon- front in the 1.5 acre exhibit at this insurance can again be plac- tana, Boise, Idaho, or Boulder the Chicago Railroad Fair, opening July 20 and continueing through Labor Day.

Outstanding attractions of the exhibit will be a rodeo featuring Western riding and roping champions and cowboy clowns, a functioning replica of Old Faithful Geyser, live bears, authentic Indian teepees, totem poles, pioneer stage coaches, and waterfalls.

and Mrs. Donald Laymond and The grounds will be encircled by gigantic caricatures of cowboys, Indians, Eskimos, cattle, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Behrends buffalo, mountain goats, Paul Bunyan, Elk, and bear. Some will and Mary, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe be so designed that Fair visitors Collins and boys spent Sunday in can pose for photographs, as papooses on a squaw's back, astride Mrs. J. A. Wise underwent a a bronco, or in the clutches of

A spacious log chalet at the Little Linda Kuntz was on the northeast corner of the exhibit Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Ott and overlooking Lake Michigan will family visited his sister, Mr. and house dioramas portraying the Mrs. Harry Mitchell near Spring scenic beauties of the Colorado Rockies, Yellowstone and Glacier Irvaleen Ott is visiting her National Parks, the Dude Ranch 95 farms in Klamath, Tule Lake grandmother and Grandfather country, the Pacific Northwest, and Alaska. One of the dioramas will include an operating model Mr. and Mrs. George Allen and of a streamline train.

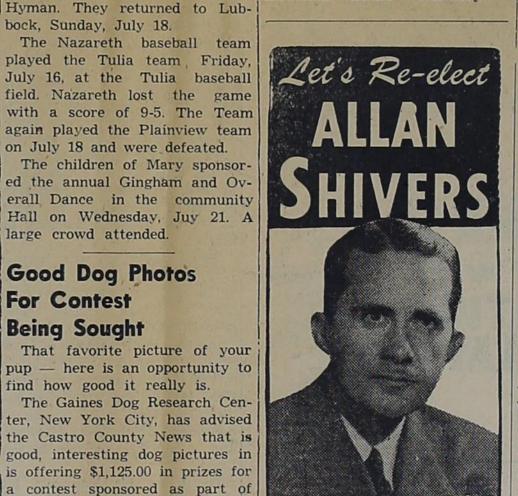
A broad balcony across the Leon visited Mr. and Mrs. Bob front of the chalet will form a stage from which western singers Mrs. Herschel Crook visited in instrumentalists, as well as Betty Joy Haberer has gone to visiting talent, will alternate with the rodeo in providing a encampment with a friends in continuous round of entertain-

The entire area will be attractively landscaped with trees, shrubs, sagebrush, grass and flowers, and will be furnished with rustic benches as an invitation to tarry and rest awhile.

Operators of resorts and ranches in Colorado, Wyoming, Montana, and the Pacific Northwest are being invited to join in entertaining visitors and providing authentic information about western regions served by the Burlington lines.

The exhibit is being presented jointly by Burlington Lines, Great Northern, and Northern Pacific Railways.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Tingle spent Mesdames B. A. Fuller, L. A. several days of the past week Womack and E. B. Wright were visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Littlefield visitors Wednesday.



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## WHAT WE ARE DOING TO INCREASE OUR PIPE LINE CAPACITY

#### We are tapping new sources of supply

We have signed an agreement with El Paso Natural Gas Company to purchase natural gas from it at two points where its new Panhandle-California line intersects our lines: near Hereford, and near Amherst. Barring unforeseen contingencies, this gas, which will benefit all towns served by us, will be available by Navember 1.

This will give us five sources of supply. We were already buying gas from these three points: (1) Panhandle Gas Field, (2) from Empire Southern Gas Company at point of intersection of its Andrews County-Big Spring line with our main north-south line 25 miles south of Lamesa, and (3) from Cities Service Oil Company's Cowden Compressor Station in the North Cowden Field, Ector County.

#### We are installing additional compressors

1	Name of Compressor Station											Present Rating Horsepower	Hp. to be Added	Revised Rating (Hp.)	Estimated Month of Completion
	McSpadde	n	(n	ear	C	any	on!			9		1,530	1,320	2,850	July
	Plainview						3		2			2,100	300	2,400	December
	Taboka .			-			2	3	a		5	480	300	780	September
	Littlefield							7		=	8	250	80	330	August
	Near our To (2,350 H	url p.	key ) we	Cre wi	ek II i	Co	mpr	ess 3	or 00	Sta Hp.	tio b	n in the Par	handle (	Gas Field increase	September

#### We are enlarging pipe lines

suction pressures of main plant

Due to rapid growth of the towns served, certain sections of pipe line have become too small. These three key sections are expected to be enlarged this year:

Between Littlefield Compressor Station and Whitharral; nine miles of 6%-inch pipe will replace 31/2-inch pipe. (4.4 miles expected to be completed in June; remainder when pipe now on order is received.)

From Littlefield to point of intersection with new El Paso Natural Gas Company line: ten and one-half miles of 85%-inch pipe will replace 4 1/2 -inch pipe. (Pipe expected in July: will be installed soon as received.)

Between Tahoka Compressor Station and Brownfield: ten miles of 6%-inch pipe will replace 41/2-inch pipe. (Pipe on order: will be installed as soon as received.)

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#### Farm, Ranch, Home Exhibits to be Shown at Panhandle Fair

LUBBOCK, July 20, (spl) - Milking Shorthorns and Jersey erage for better Fairs in the namatter in the post office in before in the Panhandle South Beef classes.

and have approved a new Beef ed in either of the two Fairs. Department for Registered Here-

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Progress in modern watch making shows two 20th century

marvels designed by Gruen en-gineers, at Time Hill, Cincin-nati. One is so very thin it was placed inside a \$20 gold piece;

the other watch, another Gruen engineering marvel, is the auto-wind which winds on the motion doubled and premimum lists have more than \$40. been revised greately. Extensive Top prizes in cattle classes revisions in individual farm ex- have been raised from \$12.50 to \$15, and for swine from \$7.50 to hibits also have been improved. In livestock, dual purpose \$10. These figures are above av-

Entered as second class will be featured more than ever compete, additional to Hereford the biggest Fairs. Dimmitt, Castro County, Tex- Plains Fair in Lubbock next In swine, Poland China, Duroc ty Farm Agent, heads the Agri-September 27 through October Jersey, Hamshire and Spotted culture Department, Jason Gor- Health.

2, directors announced this week. Poland china divisions will be don the Livestock Department They have increased cash pre- shown. Chester whites were dis- and Coleman Cowan, the Swine increase of 255 deaths from the Malfunction of the heart is a mimums more than 40 percent continued, since none were enter- Department. Mrs. O. R. Cope- April, 1946 figure of 1,099, as correctable condition, the health alone is usually poorley paid.

hibits, which were confined to plete list of officials will be an- crease of more than 18.5% for and eliminated, as in the case of The new premimum total is Lubbock County, were dropped \$9,163, compared with \$6,482 last and a new Veterans Vocational year, the bulk of the increases Agricultural department created. going to cattle, Swine and agri- Prizes in Vocational Agriculture cultural Departments. The larg- were reduced in number from 17 est proportion increase is in Wo- to 12, but with total amount unmen's departments, where the to- changed and the average of cash tal of awards has been almost prizes increased from \$32.50 to

nounced soon.

A truly great man in a great position is J. E. Hickman, chief justice of the Supreme Court of Texas. I have known other Chief Justices personally but it was after they had attained that lofty place. Of Judge Hickman, however, it is my priviledge to say, I knew him when. . . ..

And there has been no change in his geniality and consideration for others from the days when he practiced law in Breckenridge, a good many years ago. There he taught the morning tower Bible class-(in the oil fields, the two shifts were known as morning and evening towers.) The class was inter-denominational and was attended by men of all creeds and by men of no formal creed. The class met in a motion picture theater Sunday mornings and drew many oil field workers and cowboys that you would have to rope and hog-tie to get into a church-house. So human, downto-earth and yet inspiring were Judge Hickman's messages that the class membership reached way up into the hundreds.

When he was elected to the Eleventh Court of Civil Appeals, he moved to Eastland, where the court sits. In Eastland, he taught the 9:45 bible class and the religious presentations were a great influence on the lives of many

In 1935, Judge Hickman became a member of the Commission of Appeals of the State Supreme Court and moved to Austin, and he teaches the largest Sunday School class in that city. He became a member of the Supreme Court in 1945, was elected in 1946, became chief justice last January and is up for re-election to the full term in the July pri-

Judge Hickman was born at Liberty Hill in Williamson County in 1883, attended the University of Texas, taught public schools and was principal of Lampasas High, returned to the State University, where he received his law degree, then practiced law in Erath and Stephens counties. He is a trustee of Southern Methodist University and a member of the Masonic

Great in physique-six feet, three or four inches tall; great in powers of mind and judge; and great in character-democratic and friendly and eminately fair to all-such is Chief Justice J. E. Hickman of The Supreme Court of Texas.

Singing increses the blood pressure, says a southern doctor, but he neglected to say whose.

A report is being circulated that a 60-year old man has a new tooth, but it may be false.

One reason why every woman tells her troubles to her husband is because they are him.

men's pants bag at the pockets instead of at the knees.

It's a sign of prosperity when

Many a man thinks he has an open mind when its merely va-

An old-timer is one who remembers that when two girls discovered a man following them they called a cop. (Now they match for him.

Nature is wonderful. A million years ago nobody knew that we'd have to wear glasses; yet look how conveniently she located our

#### **HEALTH OFFICER** WARNS AGAINST HEART DISEASE

according to figures released by D. W. Sherrill, Lubbock Counthe Texas State Department of

Mortality rate figures show an cause." land of Lubbock, is director of compared to the April, 1948 total officer said, insofar as the sour-In agriculture, Community ex- Women's Departments, The com- of 1,354. This represents an in- ces of infection may be located the comparative period.

sease is usually traceable to ner- too frequent. fee, tea, or any other heavy stim- materially. ulant is often a contributing

bad teeth or tonsils. Incurable small men never feel small.

"So-called functional heart di-, organic heart ailments exist only

vousnes, infections from other Strict adherence to sompetent parts of the body such as teeth medical advice will eliminate and tonsils, a disturbed function much worry about either func-AUSTIN, TEXAS, Heart disea- of the thyroid gland, and to in- tional or organic heart conditions Farm, Ranch and home exhibits and Holstein Dairy cattle will tion and compare favorably with se continued in the top spot as fluenza," Dr. George W. Cox, Dr. Cox said. He added that such the number one killer of Texans, State Health Officer, said. "And adherence would unquestionably the excessive use of tobacco, cof- reduce deaths from heart disease

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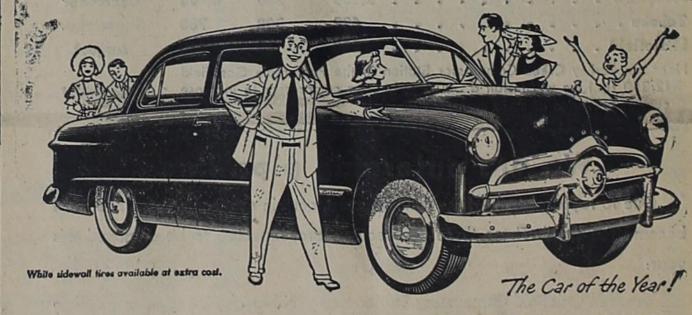
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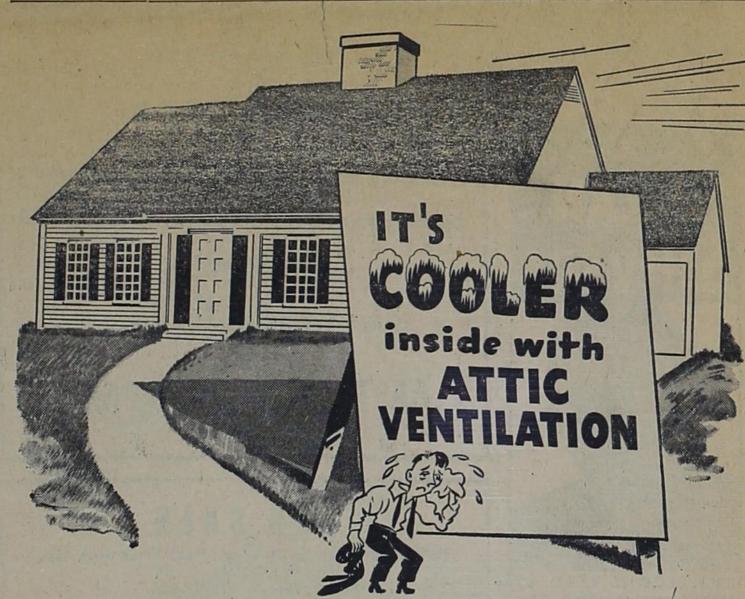
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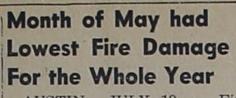
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caused by defective electric refrigerators marked the only big increase in Texas insured fire losses for the month of May as dollar damage fell beow one million for thesecond time this year. In the actual number of fires,

contained the lowest amount for 1948. Fires numbered 440 and caused oven an \$800,000 rubble originating 20 fires. Fifth

the worst offenders. They started for the year. 77 fires and caused 80 thousand ches and burned up \$700.

refrigerators, that are already 000. under dog-day strain in Texas, thousand damage was done in 54 lowed by 12 outbuilding fires. refrigerator fires.

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cause until this month the highest number of refrigerator fires was 11 and the greatest dollar damage was 16 thousand," stated AUSTIN, JULY 19, - Fires Marvin Hall, State Fire Insurance Commissioner. "Refrigerator blazes multiplied five times and were the second most frequent cause of fire in May.'

The third greatest cause of fire was electricity which started 51 flames, followed by trash and was 17 fires from lightening, Matches and cigarettes were which also showed an increase

Homes again suffered the dollars damage. Smokers in bed greatest number of occupancy traded 11 cigarettes for \$650. fires-199 houses caught fire Nine chidren played with mat- causing \$200 thousand damage. Also, 39 of those hard-to-get ap-Overheated motors in electric artments burned at acost of \$44,-

Private garages and mercantile were the main causes of fires or- stores both had 28 fires in May, iginating in the boxes. Over \$77 and fourth, 20 cafes burned, fol-

### Overcome Feed Costs With Quality Birds

Higher feed costs is another challenge to successful poultry raising, but 4-H club members taking part in the project are meeting this problem by good care of flock and the keeping of quality producing birds.

One major objective of the 4-H'trs taking part in the 1948 National 4-H Poultry achievement program is to find the place of poultry in the economy there is one passenger car for of the general farm. To do this, every 4.48 persons in Texas, the they study scientific develop- state ranking twenty-sixth in the ited relatives in Central Texas ments in poultry production and nation in this respect. demonstrate the application of new findings to their own poul- Plane To Be try flocks.

Corp. furnishes awards for outstanding records in the program New Mexico, Sunday which include medals of honor! of 10 national winners.

xas was Lola Pearl Williams of christening of "El Coronado"

There were 242 county medal! winners in Texas last year. information on this program.

#### Auto Count In Texas Up 30. % Since 1944

Cincinnali July 22. Texas, with covering form the wartime low in car regestrations, Powel Crosley, Jr., pioneer lightweight car manufacturer, pointed out here

state is partly traceable to important shifts of population in recent years from the industrial east, midwest, and grain states to the south, southwest, and Pacific coast," Crosley said. "Texas head Lodge near Santa Fe. appears not only to have benifited by this trend but also to have improved the economy of its peo-

Motor vehicle ownership in this state rose from 1,553,574 in 1944 to 2,023,501 last year. Continued progress in this direction, Crosley said, is reflected in the growing demand for small cars which provide econimical transportation for many families who have hitherto been priced out of the automotive market.

Based on recent census figures,

Lucky Jinglers

As first prize winner of a 1948 De Soto in the American Sweepstakes, a national jingle contest sponsored by the American Burlington Buslines, Mrs. Adelyn Curphey of Columbus, Ohio, has reason for her smiles as accepts the title to the car (top picture) from Professor N. N. Lu. Assistant to the President of Ohio University. Others witnessing the award are Mr. James Wilson on the left and Mr. Elmer W. Hinkleman of the buslines, far right. In the lower picture, second prize winner Mrs. Harvey B. Richards of Lake Bluff, Ill., is presented with two tickets to Switzerland by Mr. John Burton Tigrett, executive vice president of American Burlington Buslines. Albert Greutert, Consul of Switzerland, points to his country, which she will visit -

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Wright vis-

Mrs. Eddie Jacobs spent a few

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## This year, Dearborn Motors Christened at Santa Fe

Mayor Frank S. Ortez of Santa for county, National 4-H Club Fe, New Mexico, Lt. Gov. Joseph Congress trips for state and \$200. Montoya of New Mexico and 00 college scholarships to each Gen. Robert J. Smith, president of Pioneer Air Lines will parti-Last year's state winner in Te- cipate Sunday, July 18, in the Pioneer's newest DC-3 aircraft.

Mayor Ortez will officially christen the plane with a bottle County Extension Agent, Mrs. half-filled with water from the J. O. Seale will furnish complete mountain springs of New Mexico and half filled with water from the Houston Ship Channel. This will be symbolic of the great expance of territory covered by the

The christening has been scheits automobile population up 30.2 duled for 1 p. m. at the Santa per cent.since 1944, ranks eleven- Fe Municipal Airport and sevht among among the states in re- eral thousand persons are expected to be on hand to witness the ceremony.

The Coronado is named for Gen. Don Francisco Vasquez de Coronado, who was one of New "Such a gain in the lone star Mexico's earliest explorers.

The hero is honored by a mural likeness on the left forward bulkhead of the airplane while the right mural is that of the ancient Pueblo ruins at Arrow-

Coronado was born in Salamanca ,Spain in 1510. He came to Mexico as secretary to the viceroy and by the time he was 28 years of age, he was gevernor of New Galicia. He was appointed by the King of Spain to lead an expedition force to find the seven golden cities of Cilola as reported by Cabeza de Vaca and

other explorers. He started on February 23, 15-40 on his search for the seven golden cities. Although he never found these cities, he did explore the New Mexico, Kansas and Texas Territory. He went as far north as Kansas and as far east as the Texas Panhandle. His trail went through such places as El Morro, Acomita, Isleta, Albuquerque and Santa Fe, Tucumcari, Santa Rosi and near Clovis, Roswell and Las Vegas.

Coronado is honored everywhere in New Mexico as its first

"We are very proud to add the name of Coronado to our growing list of heroes," Gen. Smith

He pointed out that Pioneer now has planes named after such men as Sam Houston, William B. Travis, Stephen F. Austin, James Bowie, Mirabeau B. Lamar, Ben Milam, David Crockett and Kit Carson.

Pioneer, the nation's first community airline, started service to Santa Fe on May 1, 1948. Service to Albuquerque, Las Vegas and Tucumcari also was inaugurated on May 1 and service to Clovis, Roswell, and El Paso was inaugurated on June 1. The line serves some 24 cities over 2,200 system miles.

Mrs. Joe Gollehon and Wanda returned Saturday morning from Lubbock where they had been visiting friends.

Junior Livestock Show To Be Held at Texas State Fair

DALLAS, TEXAS, July 19 with premiums totaling \$10,168 the Junior Livestock Show of the 1948 State Fair of Texas will be held Oct. 9-12 in Dallas, Ben E. Cabell, general chairman of the Fair's livestock committee, has announced. It will open simultaneously with the sixty-third sea-

son of the State Fair, Oct. 9-24. The 1948 premium list for the Junior Livestock Show will represent an eleven per cent increase over the 1947 list.

The Junior Livestock Show's six major divisions and their premiums will be the junior dairy Show with \$500 in prizes, the Junior Steer Show with a \$3,725 premium list, Junior Pig Show with \$2,653, Junior Negro Pig Show with \$726 in premimums and the junior sheep show with prizes totaling 728 dollars.

"Recognizing the great importance of the livestock industry in Texas and the future of this industry here, the livestock com-

mittee of the State Fair of Texas is placing greater emphasis than ever before on this show," Cabell

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"BUCKAROO FROM POWDER RIVER"

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Starring Robert Hutton

SUNDAY and MONDAY, JULY 25-26

"TYCOON"

Color By Technicolor

Starring John Wayne and Laraine Day

**TUESDAY and WEDNESDAY, JULY 27-28** 

"MY GIRL TISA"

Starring Lilli Palmer and Sam Wanamaker

WEDNESDAY and THURSDAY, JULY 29-30

"SAIGON" Starring Alan Ladd and Veronica Lake

SATURDAY, JULY 31

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Regene Reynolds

#### **POLITICAL**

Announcements

The News is authorided to announce the candidacies of the following persons , for the office under which they are listed, subject to the Action of the Democratic Primaries:

For District Attorney; 64th Judicial District:

Joe Sharp (Plainview) For County Judge and Ex-Officio

County School Superintendent: E. L. Ivey (Re-election Robert Estes

For Sheriff E. D. (Peck) Wyer

M. H. (Houston) Fowlkes For County and District Clerk: Mrs. Velma Gunnels

Mrs. Ola Murphy (Re-election) For County Treasurer:

Mrs. Faye E. Holland John Armstrong

Roy D. Pyestt E. I. (Tump) McLain For Commissioner Pre. 2: Andy Thompson (Re-election)

Otis English B. E. Sinclair For Commissioner Pre. 3: Roy Bell (Re-election)

For County Commissioner, Pre. 4: Raymond Annen (Re-election) John Stork For Justice of the Peace, Pre. 3: J. G. Davis, Sr.

FOR SALE - 1 living room suit. \$25 or divan \$18.00. Phone

1tp 30 Floyd Reynolds CARD OF THANKS

I wish to take this means of See Raymond Annen expressing my heartfelt thanks to the many kind friends for FOR SALE - Pot plants and their words of sympathy and acts J. R. Gollehon

> FOR RENT - two furnished bed rooms and one furnished apartment.

Mrs. E. R. Rothwell

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CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this means of FOR SALE - 187 foot of 16 sympathy during the recent ill- 3tp ther and grandmother, Mrs. W. M. Barker, and for the beautiful

May God's richest blessing be FOR SALE - Fat fryers. See with each and every one of you. 2tc Mr. and Mrs. R. V. McMahon and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Rollie Wells and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Borden and

children. Mr. O. Barker and children.



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Dempsey, Aleta Chism, Lena

Crum, Annabel McJimpsey, Sam

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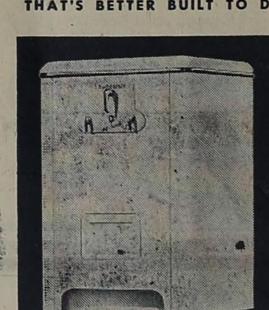
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