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City Buys Land For New Wells, Improving Park

Tahoka City Council reorganized last week, and has several town improvement projects under way that will be carried out at a minimum of cost to taxpayers.

Mayor E. R. Edwards announced that Alderman Herman Heck will remain in charge of city sanitary work; Winston C. Wharton, city farm and park; Lewis Allsup, police; Albert Curry, water; and Everett Nevill, the new alderman, streets.

Curry told the News that the Council's immediate concern is the development of more water. During the past year, two of the City's 11 wells have failed completely. Drilling of a well by the school has given some relief, but with the failure of two wells and the constantly growing demand of users for more water has put the City "on the spot."

As a result, the City has signed

a contract to buy 253 acres of land from Jeff Lindley of Jay, Okla., on which to drill more water wells. The city will pay \$50.00 per acre for the tract.

Test holes have been drilled on the land, and it is believed there is sufficient water to take care of Tahoka's needs for a number of years. Work was to start this week on drilling a water well on this land for city use.

The tract of land lies east of the present 220 acre city tract west of and in the triangle made by the Santa Fe railroad.

Mr. Curry states that some of this land, possibly 90 acres, is good farm land, and that the rest, though sandy, is also tillable. The Council believes rent from the land will pay for the tract in time.

This 253 acres and about 180 acres of the other 220 acres own

ed by the City, west of the Wilson paving, are rented to Ray Adams and Willis Pennington.

Sanding and pumps from abandoned water wells will be used on the new wells on this recently acquired tract of land.

Paving is Possible
During the past week, curbs and gutters and sidewalks have been laid along the south and west sides of the City Hall block. Provision has been made south and west of the Municipal Building for off-street parking. Caliche has already been laid for the off-street paving, and as soon as arrangements can be made, an asphalt hot-top will be applied.

Caliche is also being laid on South Eighth from South Sweet west three blocks past the new Municipal swimming pool and City Park. This will also be hot (Cont'd. On Back Page)



Dr. L. D. Ball, Lamesa First Baptist Church pastor, who will be the speaker at the Brownfield Association Brotherhood meeting in Brownfield Tuesday night.

Mrs. D. J. Balch Dies Suddenly

Mrs. D. J. Balch, 68, a resident of Wells, and O'Donnell for many years, died in her sleep some time during the early morning hours Monday at her home in Lamesa.

Funeral services were held at 3 p. m. Tuesday in the First Baptist Church of Lamesa, Dr. L. D. Ball officiating, and burial followed in O'Donnell Cemetery.

Mrs. Balch was found dead by her husband when he awakened at 7:10 a. m. Monday. Doctors said she had been dead about three hours. She had been in ill health for several years, and had been seriously ill about a year.

Born in Pinetucky, Ark., her maiden name was Frances R. Heard. Her husband was a prominent farmer of the Wells community for 20 years or more before they moved to Lamesa eight years ago. She was a member of the Eastern Star and of the Baptist Church.

Survivors include the husband; four daughters, Mrs. Virgil Phipps and Mrs. Glenn Cain of Lamesa, Mrs. Dallas Vaughn of O'Donnell, and Mrs. W. A. Jordan of Wells; one son, D. H. (Hulon) Balch of O'Donnell, two sisters, Mrs. W. A. Kimmel of Spur and Mrs. J. R. Hampton of Maple; seven brothers, A. W. Heard of Port Arthur, D. S. and Judson of Texarkana, J. M. of Tyler, K. K. of Fort Worth, and Joe of Omaha; 10 grand children, and two great grandchildren.

Tech Assistant Speaker Here

Dee Andros, assistant football coach at Texas Tech, spoke briefly at Tahoka Rotary Club Thursday noon of last week, and then showed the official color movies of the 'Gator Bowl' game in Jacksonville, Florida, last January 1.

Andros is new at Texas Tech. He succeeds Wade Walker, who resigned a few months ago to go to Mississippi State. He played football at Oklahoma Uni., and later was assistant there and at Kansas State before joining Tech.

He told of the plans being made for improvement of Tech's athletic plant and the growing emphasis being placed on minor sports. He was optimistic over the prospects for this fall and also for Tech's chances of getting into the Southwest Conference.

Lakeview Pastor Is Speaker Here

Rev. Hubert Austin, pastor of Lakeview Baptist Church, was the guest speaker at the regular monthly meeting of the Tahoka Brotherhood in the dining room of the First Baptist Church here Monday night.

The Minister came to Lakeview as pastor in January from Abilene, where he had been a student in Hardin-Simmons University.

He was accompanied to Tahoka Monday night by a number of the members of the Lakeview Church. He is a vigorous speaker, and his address here was obviously much enjoyed. A few others present made brief talks, including Rev. Clifford Harris, pastor of the Tahoka Church. Fervent prayers were offered and a veritable revival spirit seemed to prevail.

A generous lunch was served by the Tahoka Brotherhood before the program was presented, with the program vice-president Urban Brown officiating and introducing the speaker.

The attendance was unusually good, the number present totaling about 70.

Joe Bob Billman Buys Davis Station

Borden C. Davis, who recently bought the West Tire Store, has sold his Gulf Service Station to Joe Bob Billman. Mr. Billman is already in charge of the business. Billman will continue operating the House of Flowers also, his wife being in charge of this business.

Davis took over the tire shop about a month ago.

RELIGIOUS FILM AT GRASSLAND CHURCH

"The Hidden Heart," a religious film will be shown at Grassland Methodist Church next Tuesday night, April 27, at 8:02 o'clock. Rev. Mayo, the pastor, invites everyone to come out and enjoy this great picture.

Miss Dorothy Durham and her friend Gene Sparks, both of whom are students in Baylor University, spent the Easter holidays here with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. K. R. Durham. Mr. Sparks is a Senior in Baylor.

Plan Appraisal For School, City

B. T. Rucker and Associates of Lubbock, tax appraisers, have been employed by the Tahoka school board and the City of Tahoka to make a complete re-appraisal of all taxable property in the school district and in the City of Tahoka.

Paper work on the project has already been started, and actual examination of property will get underway in the near future, Mr. Rucker said. The appraising will require two or three months.

Warning Issued On Firing Guns Within Tahoka

Youths are warned that the firing of guns of any kind, including .22 rifles and "BB" guns, is a strict violation of the law.

Police Chief Roy Hefner asks that boys refrain from hunting in town, and also asks the cooperation of parents in seeing that their boys do not, under any circumstances, fire their guns inside the city limits.

Just last Sunday evening, little Danny Uzzle, 12 year old son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Uzzle, was the near victim of a bullet at the family home at 2112 North First.

While he was playing in the yard at about 6:50 p. m., a bullet, believed to have been of .22 calibre, grazed the calf of his left leg. It is not known where it came from, but it could have seriously injured or killed the boy.

Too many boys have been shooting air rifles, also, in the town, Mr. Hefner says. The present air compression air rifles can be a very dangerous weapon.

Citizens who see anyone carrying guns in town would be rendering a public service if they will report the gun-carriers to the officers.

Congratulations:

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Claude Slover of Fort Worth a daughter weighing 8 pounds, 4 ounces, at 12:08 a. m. Saturday, April 17th. Named Sarah Jane. Mr. and Mrs. Slover have another daughter, Betty Ann.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Rhine of Decatur, and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Walker of Lubbock, all former residents of Lynn county, visited Mrs. Claude James and Mrs. Winston Davies at New Home Wednesday.

Mrs. Faye Weede of Los Angeles, Calif., is here visiting her mother, Mrs. Lucy Cavens.

Tahoka Seniors Will Present 3-Act Comedy Friday Night of Next Week

"Off The Track," a comedy in three acts, by Felicia Metcalfe is being presented by the Senior Class of Tahoka High School, Friday, April 30, at 8:00 p. m., in the High School Auditorium. The admission will be 25 cents for grade school students; 50 cents for high school students; and 75 cents for adults.

The setting of this play is different from the usual living room scene. The action takes place in a small wayside railroad station on a dark and stormy night.

There is a strange and conglomerate mixture of people thrown together when a fast train is derailed and everyone is waiting for a relief train. Among these people are three college girls; a young lawyer; a fat middle-aged Italian woman and her daughter; a wealthy and haughty woman who thinks she is too good for other travelers; a snooty old maid who tries to find out everyone's business; a deaf man with a funny suitcase; and an engaged couple.

For some of the mysteries, Mrs. Vanderverter is wearing a \$10,000 string of pearls and suddenly she finds them missing. They are found in Mrs. Guarino's lunch basket. How did they get there and is Mrs. Guarino guilty or innocent? Mr. Posenby is carrying an old suitcase. Miss Pidge McDougal doesn't rest until she discovers the contents, but when she does she wishes she hadn't. What is in the suitcase? These are just a few of the many laugh-provoking incidents in the play.

Those playing the parts of the characters in the play are as follows: Mr. Morgan, the station agent, Bobby Lehman; Silas Dobbins, the handy man, Jimmy Bragg; Flickie Nelson, peppy College girl, Villa Jo Phillips; Betty Phillips, peppy College girl, Sue Dollins; Joan Parker, peppy College girl, Lou Ann King; Mrs. Guarino, Italian woman, Betty Hubbard; Antonia Guarino, Mr. Guarino's daughter, Joy Tomlinson; Bill Lindsey, attractive college student, Jimmy Whorton; Mr. Posenby, a deaf and unsociable old man, Milfred Ratliff; Willie Woodson, a thin pale boy, Roy Gene Sherrod; Eva Lina Bumpass, Willie's fiancée, Loretta Henry; Mrs. Vanderverter, a haughty rich woman, Jerry Aldridge; Miss McDougal, a snooty old maid, Jane Shepherd.

The play is being directed by Mrs. Beth Chapman and Mr. Floyd Tubb.

Proceeds from the play will go toward financing the senior trip to the Presbyterian Mo-Ranch in Hunt, Texas.

Kingston was the first capital of New York State.

"Tech Day" Will Be Observed Here

"Texas Tech Day" will be observed in Tahoka on May 8, when all ex-students of Texas Technological College and their families will meet together for this first local observance of this day.

The observance of Texas Tech Day throughout the country will be held each year according to Donald Wooten of Crosbyton, District Representative to the Tech Ex-Student Council. This day has been established in order to stimulate interest in Tech. Each local group has been asked to organize an ex-student chapter to bring Exes together for common enjoyment of tradition and heritage of Texas Technological College.

A local committee, with John Wells as Chairman, is making plans for the local meeting and full details will be announced as soon as the plans are completed.

Lamesa Poultry Meeting Tuesday

Lynn and Dawson county poultry raisers are invited to the two-county poultry meeting being held next Tuesday night, April 27, at 8 o'clock, at the Farn Labor camp east of Lamesa.

Two poultry specialists from Texas A. & M. will be present to discuss such subjects as production and marketing.

County Agent Bill Griffin says the meeting should be well worth the time of anyone interested in poultry raising.

Pythian Sisters To Lamesa Meet

The Lynn Temple Pythian Sisters held their regular business and social meeting Tuesday night with Most Excellent Chief Helen Ellis in the chair.

All Tahoka Pythian Sisters and members of their families were invited by Lamesa Pythian Sisters to attend a meeting in that city Monday night at 7:30 o'clock at which Mr. Horsman and 12 children from the Pythian Orphans Home at Weatherford will present a program.

Hostesses at Tuesday night's meeting were Mmes. Glenda Dunagan, Helen Ellis, Jessie Jewell Stephens, and Nina Short.

Ervin Gerald Lewis reported to the Selective Service office at Lubbock Monday for his pre-physical examination.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Slover and Emily, their daughter, visited their son and brother Claude and family in Fort Worth, over the week end.

New Road To Petty Is Open For Traffic

Tractor Contest Here Saturday

The annual 4-H club tractor contest will be held Saturday at 2 p. m. at the Lynn County Fair grounds in Tahoka, County Agent Bill Griffin announces.

All 4-H club boys of Lynn county between the ages of 13 and 21 are eligible to enter the contest. Winner will compete in the area contest at Texas Tech May 1.

Judges of the contest will be B. L. Hatchell and Cecil Hammonds, county leaders in tractor maintenance. Mr. Hammonds attended the Tractor Maintenance School at Texas Tech last year.

Florence Home Burned Sunday

The W. Z. Florence farm home north of Draw was completely destroyed by fire Sunday night. The loss of the seven or eight room house and its contents was only partially covered by insurance.

Mr. and Mrs. Florence had been to church at Tahoka. On their return home, Mr. Florence remarked to his wife that he smelled something burning, but Mrs. Florence thought the odor was that of floor wax she had been using. A short time after going to sleep, they were awakened by smoke, and when Walter opened the closet door he found the entire upper part of the house on fire.

The fire spread rapidly, and there was no chance to save the large home. Only a few clothes and belongings were saved. Walter even lost his glasses and false teeth.

H. D. District Meet At Post

Lynn County Home Demonstration council met Thursday, April 15, in the county court room with Mrs. J. H. Shelton presiding.

Mrs. Aubrey Russell, agent of District 2, met with us and spoke of the purpose of the Council and its relationship to the individual clubs and to THDA work.

Whether you are a club member or not, you are invited to attend the District 2 meeting in Post on May 5 in the Post Methodist Church. Registration begins at 9 a. m.

Other subjects discussed were ways to recognize National Home Demonstration Week and the purpose of leadership training meetings.

Mrs. Truett Smith, 4-H club leader, recommended that Home Demonstration members recognize 4-H clubs; that the Council offer a \$5.00 prize for each first place in the 4-H Club Dress Review; and that each club make a \$5.00 contribution to the 4-H Scholarship Fund.

These recommendations were accepted by the Council. All Clubs are urged to send in any suggestion that they might have for the work program for 1955.—Reporter.

MODERN BEAUTY SHOP IS BEING REMODELED

Interior of Dorothy Kidwell's Modern Beauty Shop is being completely remodeled this week. Walls are being refinished, new booths built, and other improvements made.

Mrs. Beulah Atkins, who suffered a fractured knee ten days ago in an automobile accident, was able to return to her home Wednesday from Tahoka Hospital, where she was a patient.

The new dirt road from U. S. Highway 380 north to Petty is just about complete and may now be traveled, according to E. H. West, precinct 3 commissioner.

Mr. West is anxious for people going to and from the Petty area to use this road as much as possible. If sufficient traffic over it can be built up, it may be possible to get the State Highway department to pave the road.

An elevator grader was used to build about two and a half miles of road through some bad sand in the area which had rendered the road practically impassable. Clay was thrown up and a good roadbed built, where it is now a pretty fair road, and Mr. West says repairs will continue until it is in excellent shape.

The new Petty road begins at a point about nine miles west of Tahoka and extends directly north eight miles to Petty Community.

It should be of special convenience to people living south and southwest of Petty.

Negro Baptist Church Complete

Pleasant Grove Church made a \$450.00 payment on its new church building Wednesday of this week, which payment will permit the Church to move into the place of worship as soon as furnishings may be acquired, according to Para Lee Sayles, Church secretary.

Due to the drought and hard times, the congregation has been having some difficult times financially but these Colored people hope to be able to secure some furnishings and move into the new building in the next few weeks.

The old building burned a year or two ago, following which the church let a contract to E. Y. Gibbs of Lubbock to build a modern concrete structure for \$9,900.00. The church had paid a total of \$3,354.00 on the structure, but could not regain possession until an additional payment of \$450.00 could be made, which was due Wednesday of this week.

The Church had part of this money available, but could not raise the rest.

As a result, Sweet Street and First Baptist Church Brotherhoods went to work and sponsored a fund raising campaign to help the Negro Baptists, and as a result \$91.25 was raised to complete the payment.

The Church asked The News to convey its sincere thanks to all the white people who had a part in helping Pleasant Grove Church meet its obligation. The Church still has a hard row to hoe until normal times return, but they now feel they are making head way in paying for their new building.

Rev. L. E. Brown is pastor of the church, which now meets in Dunbar School until furnishings for the building can be acquired.

"T" Club Names New Officials

Tahoka High "T" Club, made up of school athletes, elected new officers at a meeting Tuesday night who will take over at the next meeting.

They are: Garland Huddleston, president; Gordon Smith, vice president; Ted Fridmore, secretary and treasurer; and Jimmy Williams, parliamentarian.

Problems of clean towels, the school mascot, and dues were taken care of.

Gerald Wayne Tippit, who has been announcing for a Tyler television station, is home awaiting call to the armed Services.

Classified Ads.

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For Sale or Trade

FOR SALE—Started Chicks—1 week and 2 weeks old. Austra Whites, New Hamp Reds, Also some cockrels. Dale Thuren Farm Store. 25-4tc

FOR SALE—Lankart and Paymaster, cotton seed, first year out of white sack. Othell Meeks, 7 miles east, 3 north Tahoka. 28-5tp

FOR SALE—Lankart No. 57 cotton seed, first year from registered seed, 1952 crop, hand pulled. R. F. Stegemoeller, 6 miles Northeast of Wilson, Rt. 2, Slaton. 28-4tc

FOR SALE—Complete equipment for service station, same as new, half price. J. C. Smith, Rt. 4, 2 miles west and one half south of New Home. 29-3tp

FOR SALE—Highbred half and half, Lankart, and Storm Proof cotton seed. 3 miles N. of New Home. W. S. Jasper. 28-2tp

FOR SALE—Lankart Cotton seed also half and half cotton seed. See Bill McNeely 9 miles north, one west of Tahoka. Phone 3081. 28-4tc

MILK COWS—For sale. See Joe Robinson, 1 mile west of Tahoka. 25-3tc

FOR SALE—Sudan seed, 7c lb., Lankart cotton seed, \$1.50 bu. sacked. J. R. Strain, New Home. 28-1tc

PUMP BLOCKS—and spillways for irrigation wells. Phone 341-W. Edgar Roberts. 15-1tc

FOR SALE—15 volume set of Compton's World Encyclopedias. Mrs. B. C. Dollins, Phone 353-W; 1820 N. 2nd St. 27-3tc

FOR SALE—We keep Jack Spratt Floor Sweep on hand. Dale Thuren Farm Store. 24-1tc

AIR-WAY Vacuum Cleaner bags. Mrs. Frank Bryan, 1628 So. 8th. 29-1tp

CROP PLANTING SEEDS for sale—Fill your needs now, as some seeds are limited and prices are advancing. Dale Thuren Farm Store. 28-1tc

FOR SALE DP&L, Fox cottonseed, first year from state registered; irrigated last year; \$2.50 per bushel or \$150.00 per ton. Cecil Curry, Rt. 3, Plainview, Texas. 29-3tp

FOR SALE—90 bu. second year Lankart cottonseed, culled and sacked. A. J. Kaddatz, Tele. 164-J. 29-1tc

FOR SALE—First year from white sack Summerour cottonseed, \$150 per bu. Located at 3012 23rd St., Lubbock Phone 4-6717. Place call and I will meet you at Woodrow. J. R. Whalley. 1tp

FOR SALE—International tool bar, lister and planter. J. W. Owens, Phone 451-J. 29-2tp

FOR SALE—Potato seed, onion sets, Garden seeds in bulk. Dale Thuren Farm Store. 24-1tc

FOR SALE—Western Stormproof cottonseed, \$1.50 per bushel. Gus Porterfield, Grassland. 28-3tp

FOR SALE—Hegari bundles with fair grain. See Bonnie Brown or phone 272. 1tp

FOR SALE—Used Tires, all sizes Davis Tire Store. 29-1tc

FOR SALE—Macha cotton seed, first year from white sack, culled and treated. J. W. Goodpasture, Rt. 2, Lubbock, 5 1/2 miles west of town. 28-3tp

FOR SALE—One ideal lawnmower sharpener, complete. N. E. Wood. 22-1tc

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Real Estate

GOOD FARM for rent with sale of equipment. See J. J. Waldrep, second house south of new water tower in Tahoka. 28-1tc

FOR SALE—3 bedroom house and trailer camp and cabins in Post, or would trade for place near Tahoka. Ralph Welch, Phone 516, Tahoka. 27-3tp

C. E. Woodworth REAL ESTATE Houses & Farms For Sale Phone 154 50-1tc

FOR SALE—75-foot choice lot on pavement, excellent location. N. E. Wood. 22-1tc

FOR SALE OR TRADE—Three bedroom house at 2216 Alley H. Will take small house to be moved. Terms on balance. J. W. Blachloch 304 N. 19th, Phone 3270. Lamesa. 20-1tc

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Wanted

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FOR RENT OR SALE—Modern 4-room house, steel cabinet, linoleum on floors, garage, large lot. Mrs. Dona Moore, 2012 S. 3rd. Phone 242-W. 28-1tc

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. Nice, newly decorated, completely private, well furnished, and priced right. See or call W. A. Reddell, 1321 Sweet St. phone 119-W. 27-1tc

FOR RENT—5-room and bath house. See A. J. Kaddatz or call 164-J. 21-1tc

FOR RENT—Sheetiron building suitable for warehouse or garage; also 3 room and bath house. Inquire at News office. 17-3tp

FOR RENT—Furnished apartment. Mrs. R. C. Forrester, phone No. 1 or 74-J. 45-1tc

FOR RENT—Modern 5 room house on North Main. See M. F. Jones. 25-1tc

Miscellaneous

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SNOW CROP FROZEN 10 OZ. PKG.
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HORMEL BACON 1b. 73c
SLICED Fresh DAILY

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LOIN STEAK 69c

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HAMBURGER 29c

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CHEESE 37c

LEAN MEATY POUND
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PURE PORK BULK POUND
SAUSAGE 49c

10 OZ. PKG. BLUE PLATE
BREADED SHRIMP 65c

1 LB. PKG. CLEAR WATER
PAN DRESSED CATFISH 49c

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CALIF. CRISP STALK
GREEN CELERY 10c

EAR
FRESH CORN 5c

FRESH OKRA Pound— 19c

EVERBEST STRAWBERRY 12 OZ.
PRESERVES 29c

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PICKLES 29c

WHITE POUND
GRAPEFRUIT 7½c

FRESH POUND
YELLOW SQUASH 10c

GLEEM 50c SIZE
TOOTH PASTE 30c

KENNER'S, CAN
FOAM SHAVE 69c



**SENIOR 4-H GIRLS
ELECT NEW OFFICERS**

The Senior girls 4-H Club of Tahoka Elementary School recently elected the following officers: Jean Autry, president; Virginia Willhoit, vice president; Linda Milliken, secretary; and Sue Wheatley, reporter. A 4-H club sewing school will be held this summer.

Roy Ehlers, 8, of Wilson is a medical patient in Tahoka Hospital.

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**YOUTH RALLY
FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
BROWNFIELD
MONDAY AT 7:30 P. M.**

**Cafeteria Menu
For Next Week**

Monday: Salmon croquets, English peas, cream potatoes, lettuce, salad, bread, milk, apple cake.

Tuesday: Weiners with cheese, jello salad, green beans, hominy, bread, milk, lemon pudding.

Wednesday: Navy beans, hot tamales, buttered potatoes, beet pickles, cronbread, milk, ice cream.

Thursday: Sandwich, French Fries, lettuce, pickles, apricot pie, milk, or chocolate milk.

Friday: Beef and noodles, black eye peas, buttered corn, mashed potatoes, hot rolls, butter, honey, milk.

Modern equipment is a necessity. Chemists have done their part, but nothing will take the place of personal attention given by experienced personnel at the Ayer Way. (adv.)

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Wilson, Texas
Rev. John A. Martin, Pastor

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Worship Service 11:00 a. m.
Baptist Training

Union 6:30 p. m.
Worship 7:30 p. m.

Monday

W. M. S. 2:30 p. m.
R. A.'s G. A.'s, and Sunbeams 4:00 p. m.
B. W. C. 7:00 p. m.

Wednesday Services
Prayer Meeting 7:30 p. m.

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FOR SALE—Black Strap Molasses by the gallon. To mix with dry roughages. Dale Thuren Farm Store 26-1fc

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**TIME OF BAPTIST
SERVICES CHANGED**

The News has been requested to announce that all services on Sunday and Wednesday nights at the First Baptist Church have been moved up 30 minutes. Preaching services on Sunday nights and prayer services on Wednesday nights hereafter will begin at 8:00 o'clock; other services changed accordingly.

CARD OF THANKS

We sincerely appreciate the many acts of kindness, words of comfort, the floral offering, etc., occasioned by the death of our loved one. Many God bless each of you, is our prayer.—S. J. Akin and family.

Mrs. Joann Corbet of Shreveport, La., visited her parents here Mr. and Mrs. Clay Bennett and her grandmother Mrs. Cora Bennett during the Easter holidays. Her husband, Rev. Tad Corbet is associate pastor of Ingleside Church in Shreveport.

Mrs. George Dennis, a patient in Tahoka Hospital for several days with pneumonia, was released last Saturday.

James Burkhart, 16, ill for a few days with pneumonia, was able to leave the hospital Wednesday.

Roy Haire of T-Bar underwent an appendectomy at the Tahoka Hospital Thursday of last week.

Mrs. A. L. Dunagan entered Tahoka Hospital yesterday as a medical patient.

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**Political
Announcements**

The following announce their candidacy for public office subject to the Democratic Primaries:

For District Judge, 106th Judicial District:
LOUIS B. REED, of Lamesa (re-election).

For District Attorney, 106th Judicial District:
VERNON A. TOWNES of Terry county.

For County Judge:
W. M. MATHIS (re-election).

For District Clerk:
W. S. (Skip) TAYLOR (re-election).

For County Attorney:
MITCHELL WILLIAMS (re-election).

For Sheriff:
NORVELL (Booger) REDWINE (re-election second term).

For County Clerk:
BEULAH PRIDMORE (re-election).

For Tax Assessor and Collector:
J. E. (Red) BROWN (re-election).

MARVIN J. MUNN

For County Treasurer:
THOMAS REID (re-election).
JAMES SMITH

For County Superintendent:
LENORE M. TUNNELL (re-election).

MRS. RUTH JOLLY.

For Commissioner, Prec't. 1:
CLARENCE CHURCH (re-election).

For Commissioner, Prec't. 2:
C. W. ROBERTS (re-elect).
WOODROW (Ode) BREWER

For Commissioner, Prec't. 3:
Mrs. BEATRICE McLAURIN (re-election).

For Commissioner, Prec't. 4:
E. H. WEST (re-election).

For Justice of Peace, Prec't. 1:
C. A. CLEM.

Free Fumol Moth Proofing at Ayer Way. (adv.)

**Buick Is Third
In Auto Sales**

FLINT, MICH., April 22.—Buick is now the third best-selling car in the nation, Irvan L. Wiles, general manager of Buick and vice president of General Motors, reported today.

"March deliveries, which were up more than 28 percent over February, put Buick in third place in nationwide sales for the first three months of the year, Wiles said.

Wiles pointed out that new car registrations in February put Buick in third place for that month, but it wasn't until March sales were tallied up that Buick achieved third place in the number of units sold for the entire year.

"This has been Buick's goal ever since we moved into fourth place back in 1938," Wiles said. "To attain third place in a free, competitive market is an achievement extremely proud. This is an important of which we at Buick are preservative endorsement of our 1954 product by the greatest judge of all—the car buying public."

Wiles said Buick sales in March "were the highest of any single month since 1950." That was the record-shattering year when Buick sold more than 556,000 cars.

Wiles attributed the upsurge in sales to Buick's new styling, "which appeals to a lot more people," and to the increase in horsepower and performance.

"The addition of a V-8 engine to our Special Series, plus the new panoramic windshield and other styling innovations—at no increase in price—and the new Century Series has enhanced the value of our product in a year when people are more value-conscious," Wiles said. (adv.)

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Dr. and Mrs. K. R. Durham will attend the Texas State Dental convention. Dr. and Mrs. Durham expect to return home Saturday, Friday and Saturday, May 2.

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OUR HATS ARE OFF TO—

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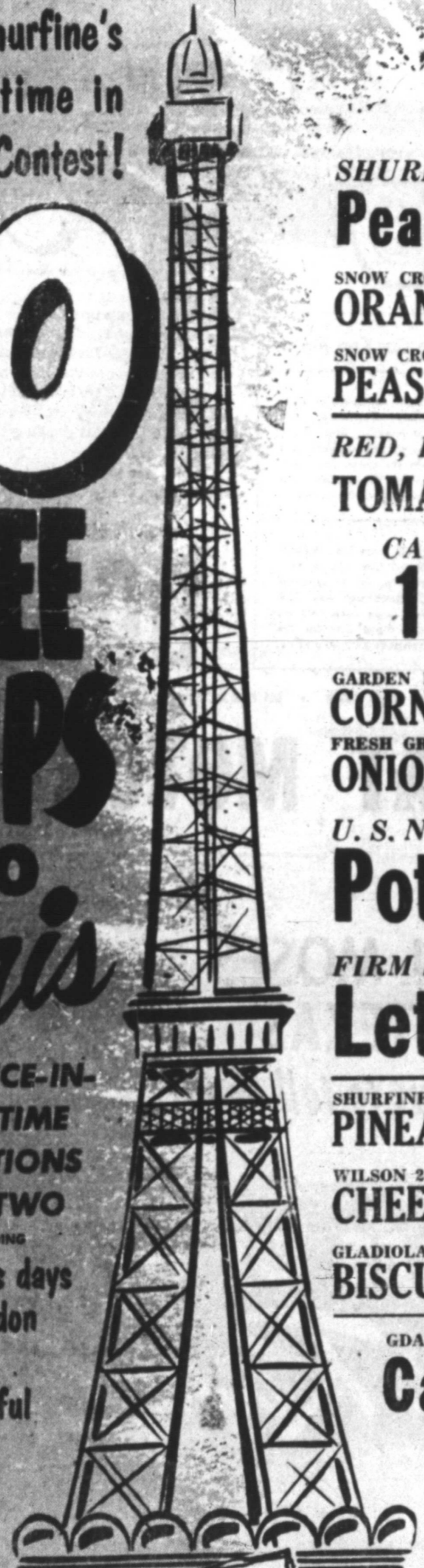
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SNOW CROP 12 OZ. CAN
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PEAS 17c

RED, RIPE
TOMATOES
CARTON
19c

GARDEN FRESH EACH
CORN 7 1/2c
FRESH GREEN, BUNCH
ONIONS 7 1/2c



U. S. NO. 1 RED POUND
Potatoes 4 1/2c

FIRM ICEBURG LB.
Lettuce 12 1/2c

SHURFINE CRUSHED, NO. 1 CAN
PINEAPPLE 15c

WILSON 2 LB. BOX
CHEESE 79c

GLADIOLA CAN
BISCUITS 12c

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Oleo 24c

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GIFT STAMPS — DOUBLE ON TUESDAY
SHURFINE
FLOUR 25 LB. Print Bag \$1.89

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4 303 Cans **\$1.00**



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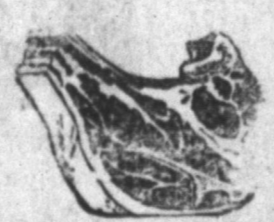
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NAPKINS 7 1/2c
SIMONIZE REG. 98c
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SHAMPOO 54c
PALMOLIVE BATH BARS
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BEAUTY BAR
VEL 25c



PEN FED TENDER
CLUB STEAKS POUND 49c

TASTY FRESH, SLICED
BEEF LIVER lb. 29c PEN FED ROUND
STEAK, lb. 69c

PEN FED TENDER
LOIN STEAK POUND 59c

FRESH HOME MADE
BRICK CHILI lb. 49c FROZEN
CATFISH pound 49c

FRESH GROUND
HAMBURGER POUND 29c



PIGGLY WIGGLY

Contest Closes May 1st

Production Credit Members Meet

About 225 stockholders of the Lubbock Production Credit Association attended the annual membership meeting held in Lubbock Saturday, according to Fred McGinty, a director of the organization.

Nearly a thousand people attended the barbecue dinner at noon.

Clint Walker of Tahoka was master of ceremonies at the program, and Fred says he did an excellent job.

McGinty was a speaker on the program, making the directors' annual report.

Members with the Association since its organization were recognized in a special observance of the 20th anniversary, and gift certificates were presented employees.

E. R. Davis of Acuff and A. B. Roberts of Littlefield were re-elected to the board of directors. Other directors are McGinty, E. L. Carlisle of Crosby County; E. R. Davis of Lubbock county, President; and C. E. Hicks of Terry county. Alton Strickland is secretary-treasurer; and Derwood Howard is the Tahoka office manager.

The Association operates in Cochran, Crosby, Gaines, Garza, Hockley, Lubbock, Lynn, Terry, and Yoakum counties.

The Association was plugging for 60 percent stockholder at-

CHARTER NO. 1,220

BANK'S OFFICIAL STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE

WILSON STATE BANK

AT WILSON, TEXAS

At the close of business on the 15th day of April, 1954, pursuant to call made by the Banking Commissioner of Texas in accordance with the Banking Laws of this State.

RESOURCES

Table with 2 columns: Resource Name, Amount. Includes Loans and discounts, United States Government Obligations, Cash, balance due from other banks, etc.

LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Table with 2 columns: Liability Name, Amount. Includes Common Capital Stock, Surplus, Undivided profits, Demand deposits, etc.

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS \$1,776,410.54

STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF LYNN: I, A. L. Holder, being Cashier of above named bank, do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

CORRECT-ATTEST: Wm. G. Lumsden, H. B. Crosby, H. G. Cook, Directors. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 19th day of April, 1954. (SEAL) H. G. COOK, Notary Public, Lynn County, Texas.

Wilson Honor Roll List Announced

The following is the honor roll for the fifth six-weeks, reported by L. G. Fuller, principal of Wilson Grade School.

Sixth grade: Sue Campbell, Sue Coleman, Betty Hanes, Linda Roper, Sarah Velasquez, Jerese Verkamp, Shirley Tilley.

Fifth grade: Glenda Young, Harlan Brown, Jo Carolyn Williamson, Catherine Hughes, Rodney Maeker.

Fourth grade: Eddie Williams, Sharon Lumsden, Nancy Foster, Betty Gindorf, Carolyn Hensler, Junior Hewlett, Jerry Hutchinson, Larry Petty, Sharon Rhoads, Vondal Rinne, Larry Spears.

Third grade: Charles Walton, Carolyn Martin, Sandra Lumsden, Patsey Walker, Helen Schneider, Bobby Stone.

Second grade: Tommy Swann, Lynda Heck, Claudia Stoker, Mike Walton, Keith Sander, Vaiton Maeker, Rodney Crews, Isobella Velasquez, Anita Faegin, Elizabeth Christopher, Jackie Nolen, Janet Gindorf.

First grade: Joe Mason, Kathy Cummings, Mike Schaffner, Loyce Baker, Jim Henzler, Janis Maeker, Leo Gillentins, Mike Holder.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kennedy and little daughter Connie of Fort Worth were Easter holiday visitors here with Mrs. Kennedy's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Nordyke. He is teaching this year in that city. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kennedy of Hobbs, New Mexico, were also visitors in the Nordyke home last Sunday.

Miss. Margaret Sue Roberts, a student in Baylor University, spent the Easter holidays here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. Roberts also had as their guests their son-in-law and daughter, Rev. and Mrs. Ralph Laswell, who are teaching in the public schools in Snyder.

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tendance at the meeting, McGinty says, but since the good rains and the necessity for farmers to be busy preparing to plant the turn-out was considered good.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nowlin and two children of Stanton spent the holidays here last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Tippit, and with the N. E. Wood family and also with Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Eubanks, Mrs. Eubanks being the former Mrs. Deen Nowlin. Mr. Nowlin having died here some ten years ago. Thomas Deen Nowlin of Waco was also a guest in his mother's home. He is now a student in Baylor University.

Larry Jack Stevens, son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Stevens, is home again after having undergone an emergency appendicitis operation at Tahoka Hospital Monday of last week.

TABOKA SWEET STREET BAPTIST CHURCH Bill Wadley, Pastor SUNDAY

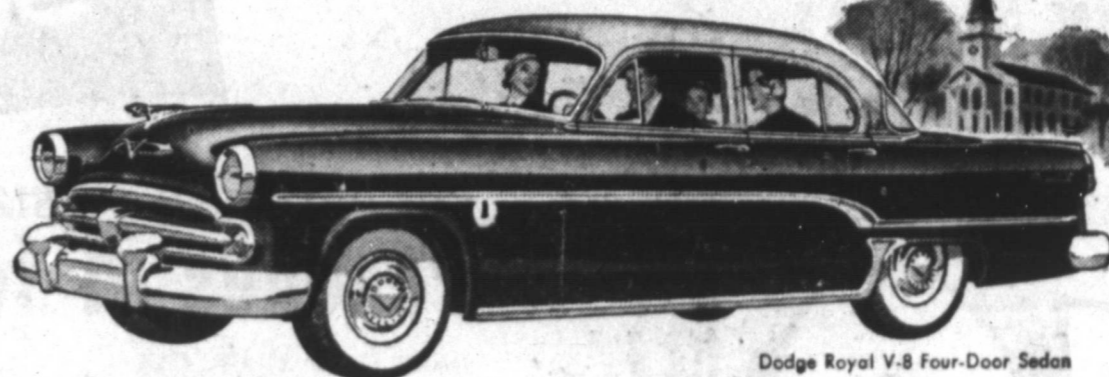
Worker's Prayer Meeting 9:30 a. m. Sunday School 9:45 a. m. Worship Service 11:00 a. m. B. T. U. 6:45 p. m. Evening Worship 8:00 p. m. WEDNESDAY Officer's and Teachers Meeting 7:30 p. m. Prayer Meeting 8:00 p. m.

Dixie Dog Stand MALTS HAMBURGERS DIXIE DOGS SUNDAES COLD DRINKS WEEKDAYS 3:00 p. m. to 10:00 p. m. SUNDAYS 2:00 to 10:00 P. M.

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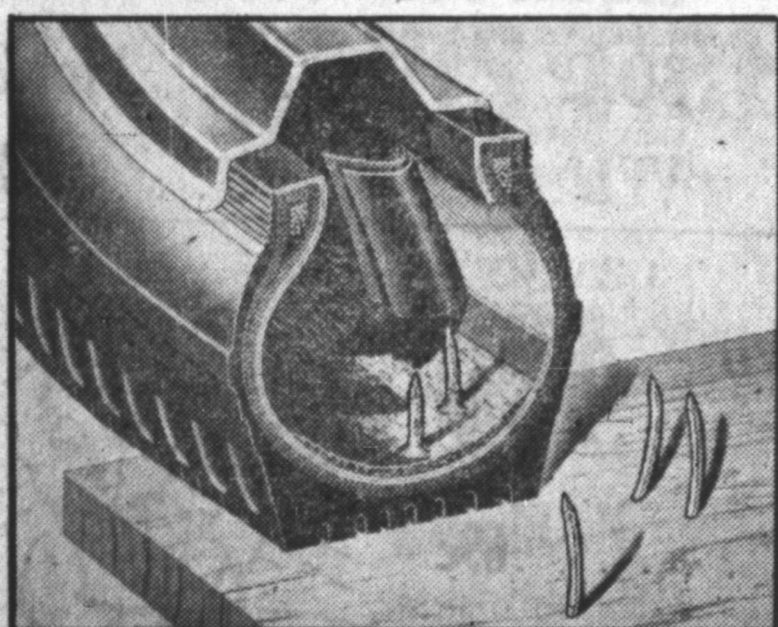
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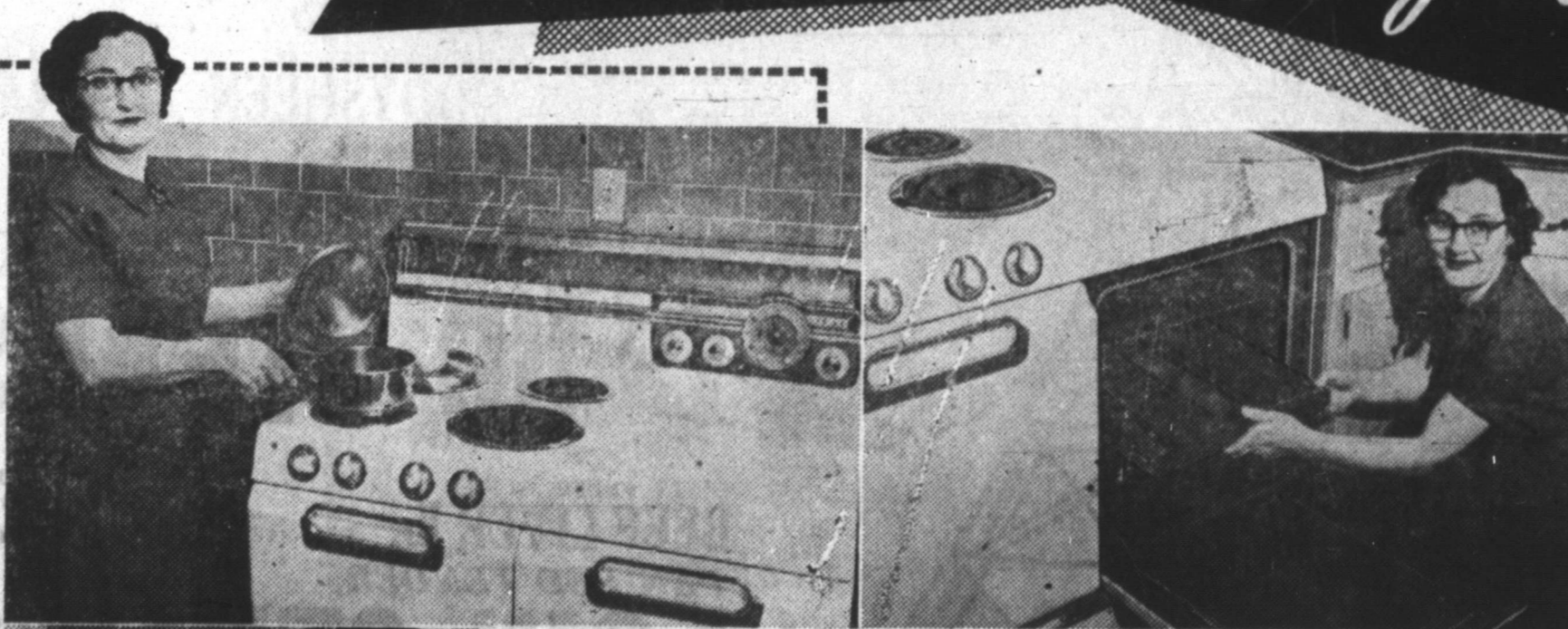
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Play At Dunbar School May 7

A three-act play, "A Crazy Mix-up," will be presented at Dunbar School Friday night, May 7. Admission is 25 and 50 cents. The cast of characters follows: Lee Julian, a designer, Renetta Rutherford. Crystal Craig, a commercial artist, Charlesetta Malone. Paula Roberts, an aspiring authoress, Martha Payne. Alicia Julicia, Lee's mother, Betty Gene Clay. Michael Pavloff, attache of the Soviet Embassy, Joseph Payne. Don Charles Sebastian, a Spanish artist, Bezell Bailey. Emil Stamm, an eminent violinist, Elroy Warren. Phillip Holden, emissary of the Good Will Society, Andrew Nance. Natalie Lane, an interior decorator, Ruby Nell Denz. Mrs. Macready, the landlady, Annie Mae Payne.

Garden Club Has Grassland Meeting

Tahoka Garden Club met Tuesday, April 20, with Mrs. E. A. Thomas of Grassland with Mrs. Luther Thomas and Mrs. Claude Thomas as co-hostesses. Dr. E. Prohl showed his film, "A Trip To Nassau," which was enjoyed by all. Mrs. Roy Edwards demonstrated Iris arrangements, and Mrs. L. C. Haney made and explained an arrangement for a church. Mrs. Luther Thomas' arrangement was semi-circular and Mrs. E. A. Thomas' was a crescent shaped pattern. The Club will have the Iris Tea Thursday, April 29, in Mrs. John Witt's home. The members can invite guests. The date of the Tea was changed as the Irises are blooming early this year and will be gone by the previously scheduled date in May. The plant exchange will be Thursday, April 22, in Mrs. Haney's yard.

Rural Telephone System Growing

Senator Lyndon B. Johnson has been informed by the Rural Electrification administration that Texas has received more loans and more money from the REA for the rural telephone program than any other state. Twenty-five loans, totaling \$18,029,218, have been made REA for the Texas part of the rural telephone program since it was started in 1950. Subscribers to be served in Texas under loans made to date total 34,462. Senator Johnson said that, throughout the nation, 252 borrowers have received \$162,477,218 to serve 386,325 subscribers under the program. "The bringing of new and improved telephone service to farms and other rural places is a very important part of the overall REA program," Senator Johnson said. "I am glad that Texas is in the forefront in extending telephone service to rural areas. Many of our farmers are now receiving telephone service for the first time, and many others are getting better service than they have ever had before."

Martin Van Buren was the first President to be born a citizen of the United States.

An acre of forest releases more moisture into the atmosphere, than an acre of water.

Rodrigo de Triano is believed to have been the first of Columbus' crew to sight land.

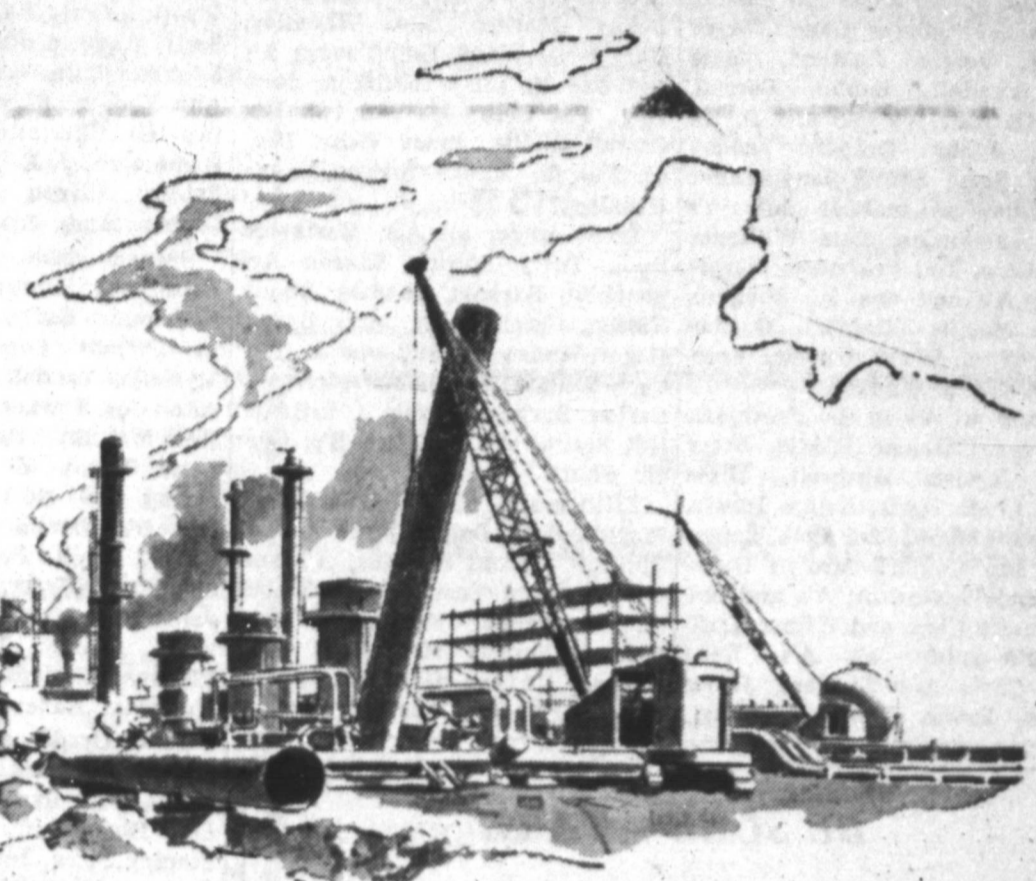
About one third of the world's total coffee consumption is used by the people of the U. S.

The Lynn County News, Tahoka, Texas

April 23, 1954

Miss Josephine Raindl, student at Incarnate Word College, San Antonio, spent the Easter holidays with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Raindl.

Willie Gene Garrett returned Tuesday to Alameda, Calif., where he is stationed in the Navy, after spending his leave here visiting his mother, Mrs. Clayton Beard.



New Jobs for Texans

Texas industries have been providing new jobs for Texans at the rate of about 70,000 a year. That's about 200 new jobs every day. All kinds of jobs . . . in offices, on construction work, in manufacturing plants, in the development of the natural resources of the State. Jobs for riggers, for secretaries, for engineers, for truck drivers, for accountants, for lawyers, for crane operators, for decorators, for sailors . . . all kinds of jobs. And the reason why these new jobs have been, and continue to be available is this: Texas industry is expanding, and industry makes jobs. On the average, each new job created in Texas requires the investment of \$12,000 capital*. Thus, Texas industry invests over three-quarters of a billion dollars each year in new plants and in plant expansion to create 70,000 new Texas jobs. Much of this annual investment in new jobs for

Texans is made by the oil industry itself and industries which depend on oil and natural gas for fuel and raw materials. Every year a wider variety of industries put to profitable use a larger number of the resources of the State, and call on a broader assortment of available Texas skills. Forecasters predict an even greater industrial development in Texas, and an even larger number of new jobs, as more industries recognize the advantages that Texas offers: good markets, raw and manufactured resources, trustworthy and dependable people, efficient and abundant fuel, a mild climate, and a good state government . . . In that list of advantages, the Texas oil industry provides raw materials for processing, and the world's finest industrial fuel—natural gas. *In the oil industry, the required investment for each new job is over \$50,000.

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REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF **THE FIRST NATIONAL BANK** OF TAHOKA

In the State of Texas, at the close of business on April 15th, 1954, published in response to call made by Comptroller of the Currency, under Section 5211, U. S. Revised Statutes.

ASSETS	
1. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$2,820,468.73
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	2,066,601.00
3. Obligations of State and political subdivisions	14,500.00
5. Corporate stocks (including \$9,000.00 stock in Federal Reserve bank)	9,000.00
6. Loans and discounts (inc. \$1,028.13 overdrafts)	868,716.25
7. Bank premises owned \$34,375.16, furniture and fixtures \$13,624.84	48,000.00
11. Other assets	13,333.50
12. TOTAL ASSETS	\$5,840,619.48
LIABILITIES	
13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations	\$5,022,871.94
14. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	5,800.00
15. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	133,691.06
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	289,972.61
19. TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$5,452,335.61
24. TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$5,452,335.61
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
25. Capital Stock: (c) Common stock, total par \$50,000.00	\$ 50,000.00
26. Surplus	250,000.00
27. Undivided profits	88,283.87
29. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$ 388,283.87
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$5,840,619.48
MEMORANDA	
31. Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	\$233,500.00

I, F. B. Hegl, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. F. B. HEGL, Cashier.

CORRECT—ATTEST:
Ione T. Lockwood, W. H. Eudy, W. B. Slaton, Directors.
STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF LYNN, ss:
MELBA CLEM, Notary Public.
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 19th day of April, 1954, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank. (SEAL)
My commission expires June 1st, 1955.

Week end visitors in the Frank Raindl home were Mrs. Claudia Buford, Mike and Martha of Hobbs, N. M., Miss Josephine Raindl, of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Raindl, Dennis and Pam, and Mr. and Mrs. Emil Raindl and Cindy of Tahoka, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Brosch and Teresa of Lubbock, and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jahhke.

Jerry Mack Stevens will return to Fort Bliss, El Paso, Saturday after spending several days at home with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Stevens. Having entered the Army about two months ago, he will now attend artillery school for eight weeks.

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School Honor Roll For Past Six Weeks Contains Names of Many Students

The honor roll students have been announced by local school officials for the fifth six weeks term of school.

Senior students making all A's are Bill Tong, Villa Jo Phillips, Jerry Aldridge, Bobby Lehman, Loretta Henry, Jane Shepherd; A's and one B, Gladys Lee, Lou Ann King, Jimmy Bragg.

On the Junior Class list making all A's are Dolores Gage, Wayne Havens, Jerrie LeMond, Rose Marie Yandell, Bobbie Carroll, Betty Carroll; A's and one B, Ed Carter, Bobby Draper, Jeanel Martin, Susie Smith, Janet Dube. Sophomores making all A's Joyce Lauderdale, Sue Williams, Jerry Cain, Ted Priemore, Margie Curry; A's and one B, Virginia Gable, Martha Riddle, G. D. Smith, N. E. Wood, Othelda Freeman, Clydena Wallace.

Making all A's in the Freshman Class are Charlene Riddle, Betsy Rowe, Carolyn Birdwell, Dixie Davis, Linda Davis, Bettye Howle, Jeanette Melton, Mae Polk, James Gage, Jan Collier, Carolyn Duckett, Lendell Norman; A's and one B, Johnnie Clem and Wilma Scott.

Eighth grade, all A's, Reba Cook, Carol Ann Sanders, James Adams, Erwin Young; A's and

one B, Margaret McKee, Gloria Bess, Frotlan Salinas; A's and two B's Vernell Dube, Gerisid Dean Tippit, Sue Tomlinson, Mary Lou McKee.

Seventh grade, all A's, Virginia Willhoit, David Bray, Lonnie Wheeler, Betsy Adams, Jerry Adams, Hobbie Bingham, Bobby Jones, Linda Jones, Larhea Greathouse, Peggy Halameick, Benny Martin, Sue Wheatley, Mary Belle Wood, Don Young; A's and one B, Linda Milliken, John Hegi, Pat Polk; A's and two B's, Carroll Riddle, Janey Wear, Donna Howell, Jolene Sikes, Dianna Hensley.

Sixth grade, all A's, Marihelen Ried, Terry Spars, Sharon Applewhite, Barbara Thomas, Sunny Gibson, Carol Smith, Jerry Bragg, Roger Munn; A's and one B, Linda Williams, Sandra McNeely, Carlos Barnes, Gerald Huffaker, Bill Smith; A's and two B's, Gerald Short.

Fifth grade, all A's, Lola Autry, Martha Bell, Danny Daniels, Gai Phillips, Harold Sanders; A's and one B, Alton Terry, Susan Thomas, Lawrence Hudgens, Tony Chapa, Douglas McClellan, Kay Parker, Geanne Gandy; A's and two B's, Buddy Chestnutt, Vicky

Hamilton, David Cagle Gravel, Flores, Zandra Barnes, Nancy Riley.

Fourth grade, all A's, Carol Jean Allen, Donna Copelin, Elaine Buchanan, Fred Hegi, Melba Bradshaw, Stephen Ellis, Janice Brown, Ginger Riddle; A's and one B, Dianne Falls, Jim Robinson, Kathy Makovy, Darlene TeKell, Billy Ward Davis, Oleda Johnson, Loretta Short; A's and two B's, Don R. Thomas, Jerry Graham, Clifford Watley, Jerry Pebsworth, Janice Ables, Ronny Driver, Sue Walker.

Third grade, all A's, Marian Sue Milliken, Larry Price, Jerry Ann Wyatt, Craig Leslie, Kenneth Scott, Taylor Knight, Sarah Wells, Lynnetta Cain; A's and one B, Jo Ann Zedlitz, Judy Stone; A's and two B's Charlotte Cloe, Patricia Hammonds, J. E. Birdwell, Ronnie Fyburn, Sharon Brown, Sharon Drager, Andy Bray.

Second grade, all A's Sharon Patterson, Robert Hinkle, Trine Rodriguez, Gailyn McMillan, Linda Thomas, Louella Tomlinson Myrleyn Yandell; A's and one B Allen Cox, Townes Walker, Monti Ruth McGinty, Patricia Sikes, Arnetta Wood, El Wanda Tekell Macky Joe McWhirter; A's and two B's, Estolio Martinez, Jerry Chapa, Dianne Price, David Stephens, Ronnie Greer, Ann Ola Greaves Janis Ann Gattis, Peggy Bradshaw, Nancy Bingham, Terry Phillips, Marlon Simmons, Wilda Hudgens, Nancy Inman.

First Grade, all A's, Margaret McKinnon, Jack Robinson, Kay Lewis, Carolyn Deering, Anna Lee Biggerstaff, Jim Crawford, Stanley Price, Judy Gail Connolly, Delbert McCleskey; A's and one B, Cary Anderson, Terry Wayne Harvick, Kathryn Jones, Calva An Edwards, Carla McNeely, Rita Jean Swinford, Eddie Howard, Betty Kuwaski, Jim Wells Joyce Huey, A. G. Cook, Patricia Fall; A's and two B's, Eve Gayle Musick Margaret Miller, Glenda McMillan, Lynda Driver, Bonita Trammell, Judy Carole Terry, Lillie Chapa, Lile Benitez, Adolfo Chapa, Frankie Farerra, Felix Madrid.

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City Buys . . .

(Cont'd. From Page 1)

The City would also like to pave Kelley (L) street from the City Park north five blocks to existing paving, if sufficient signers could be secured for the work. Mayor Edwards thinks this could be done at a minimum of cost if gutters were omitted on this street. Such paving would serve a lot of people, not only along this street but also those going to and from the City Park.

Several citizens have also inquired about closing short one-block gaps in existing paving in town. Mr. Edwards suggests that those interested might sign up property owners adjacent to such gaps, and possibly the City can make some kind of arrangement with a contractor for paving them. However, most of the cost would have to be borne by the property owners.

Improving Park

Since last summer, further improvements have been made at the City Park by City employees.

Grass was planted on nearly half the acreage last summer. Trees were planted this last winter, two barbecue pits and two barge pits built. Some picnic tables have been built which will possibly be installed in the park before Sunday.

Details for opening the swimming pool in June will be announced some time soon.

A possum at birth is about one-half inch long. He is America's only pouched animal.

Socrates was often referred to as the "henpecked philosopher."

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GORDON H. D. CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. JONES

Gordon Home Demonstration Club met April 13 in the home of Mrs. B. Jones.

Roll call was answered with "An Interesting Trip I Recommend to Oothers." Mrs. Bill Hall of Post was a visitor.

Mrs. George Baker gave a report of the Council meeting. Mrs. Stewart gave the program on packing a suit case.

The Club paid \$5.00 to the THDA. District meeting will be at Post May 5, with lunch at the Methodist Church, \$1.25. Mrs. Woodrow Stewart is an alternate delegate.

The Club will quilt April 27. Apron sale is at Slaton May 5.

Those present: Mmes. Spencer Brewer, George Baker, Ray Cook, Raymond Gatzki, James Shelton, Woodrow Stewart, Ed Denton. Four children were also present.

Mrs. Jones served coffee, sandwiches, and cookies.

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Wilson News
MISS ANN DAVIDSON
Correspondent

The Luther League of St. John's Lutheran Church met for their regular monthly meeting Sunday. Miss Helen Steinhauser read the scripture and led the group in prayer, then the devotional was given by Miss Evelyn Gindorf. Following a very interesting discussion period an Easter egg hunt was enjoyed by the group.

C. W. Stone celebrated his twelfth birthday, recently with a party. Refreshments of cake and punch was served to seventeen members of the sixth grade.

The Roberta Edwards circle of the W. M. S. met Monday night for Bible study. The study was led by Mrs. Carl Gryder. Those present were Mmes. Willa Wakeland, D. A. Brown, John Covey, Pearl Davidson, Misses Gladys Kirtley, Lois Ware, and Mrs. Gryder.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Stoker, Jane, Claudia, and Paul visited Mr. Stoker's parents in Abilene Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baker carried their daughter, Carolyn, to Dallas Thursday for medical attention for her eyes.

Mrs. Lonnie Lumsden returned Tuesday from a few days visit at Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Buford Powers and Juanelle Stone spent a week end at Spur, with the Slaton Rangers.

Mr. and Mrs. Lynn Murray and girls are visiting Lynn's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mart Murray and Jaunita.

Misses Gladys Kirtley and Lois Ware and Mrs. Willa Wakeland left Friday for a visit with Miss Ware's sister, Mrs. A. L. Brown, at Del Rio and a visit into Old Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Curley Stone had lunch with her sister and family Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mathis.

Heads USO Drive



Watrous H. Irons, above, president of the Federal Reserve Bank of Dallas, has been named Texas campaign chairman for the 1954-55 United Defense Fund. The drive will be launched next fall. Principal agency of the United Defense Fund is the USO, which provides recreational activities for the men and women in the armed forces. Appointment of Mr. Irons as campaign chairman was made by Ben. H. Wooten of Dallas, general chairman for Texas.

Also attending were Mr. and Mrs. Woody Carpenter of New Deal, The Carl Carpenters of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Manley Hall of Pantex, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Long and Sandra of Slaton, and Willie Cox of New Deal.

Miss Dorothy Leonard spent the Easter holidays with her parents at Odessa.

The men of the Methodist Church met at the parsonage Tuesday for a work day.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Crowson were Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Phillips and family of New Home.

Miss Dorothy Knippling spent the Easter holidays with her parents at Seguin, Texas.

Mr. M. L. Murray and Mr. Charles Campbell attended a Co-op meeting at Plainview Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Jones spent the holidays with their parents in Stephenville.

The W. M. S. of the Baptist Church honored the Seniors and teachers of Wilson High School with a banquet Tuesday night in the fellowship hall of the Baptist Church. The mistress of ceremonies was Mrs. Roger Blakney, president of the W. M. S. Invocation was given by Bro. J. A. Martin, the welcome was given by Mrs. Earl Cummings, the response was by John Hewlett, president of the Senior Class, musical numbers were rendered by Greta Heck, of Idalou. Soaring with "Christ Above All" was the title of the address by Bro. Abe Hester, pastor of the College Ave. Baptist Church, Lubbock. The benediction was by Mr. J. P. Hewlett, Superintendent of Wilson Schools.

The W. S. C. S. met Tuesday at the church for their bi-monthly meeting. Mrs. Alice Davis brought the devotion. Mrs. Charlie Campbell and Mrs. Sam Gatzki finished the study of alcohol. Those present were Mmes. Clarence Church, John Hamilton, J. O. King, Lynward Harrison, Alice Davis, Sam Gatzki, and Charlie Campbell.

Miss Ethel Summerlin left Thursday for a visit with her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Summerlin, of Dallas, and her parents of Mt. Pleasant. She was accompanied by her brother, J. C. Summerlin of Levelland.

Deana Ward, Ross Dunn, Shirley Hewlett, Vernon Scott, Juanita Murray, Gerald Dabbs, Rev. and Mrs. Lynward Harrison, Misses Knippling and Leonard, Lynn Harrison, Benson Rice, and Gerald Coleman, attended the M. Y. F. Youth rally at Lamesa Wednesday night. Speaker for the rally was George Harper co-editor of the "Power." Special entertainment was by a quartet from Lamesa.

Mason Davidson, student at Cisco Junior College, spent the (Cont'd. On Back Page)

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SECOND SECTION

The Lynn County News

Tahoka, Texas

April 23, 1954

Dr. L. D. Ball Will Memorial Service For Mrs. Burleson

An open memorial service honoring the late Mrs. Imogene Burleson will be held next Monday night at 8:45 p. m. in the Masonic Hall by Tahoka Chapter No. 743, Order of Eastern Star. "All relatives, friends and the public generally are invited to this open meeting honoring our beloved sister who has been called to that Beautiful Chapter on High," states Jane Morehead, Worthy Matron, and Jeanine Jones, Secretary, of the chapter. Prior to the open meeting, members of the chapter will hold their regular closed stated meeting at 8:00 p. m. in the Masonic Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Don Minor and little daughter of Austin were here last week end visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Minor. Joe Don hopes to return to his studies in the University of Texas next summer or fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Paris and Mr. and Mrs. Gene Barrett of Hubbard visited here last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jim Hill and other relatives.

Meadow, and Rev. Bill Austin, Calvary Church, Brownfield. All men are urged to attend this meeting.

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Methodist Revival Adds New Members

Tahoka First Methodist Church closed a very successful one week's revival last week end, with 14 members being added to the Church rolls as one result.

Seven babies were christened at the Easter service Sunday morning before a congregation that crowded the building almost to capacity.

Sunday evening, the First Baptist Church pleasantly surprised the Methodists by joining them for the night service.

Sunday School on Sunday morning was likewise well attended, and there were 53 present in the men's class.

Preaching during the revival, except for last Sunday, was done by Rev. J. A. Thompson of Haskell, and song services were led by Rev. Raymond Dyess of Harrah. Sunday, the pastor, Rev. Jim Sharp did the preaching, and Mrs. E. W. Patterson directed the Easter song service.

Sunday afternoon, baptismal services were held at the First Baptist Church for those new Methodists wishing baptism by immersion.

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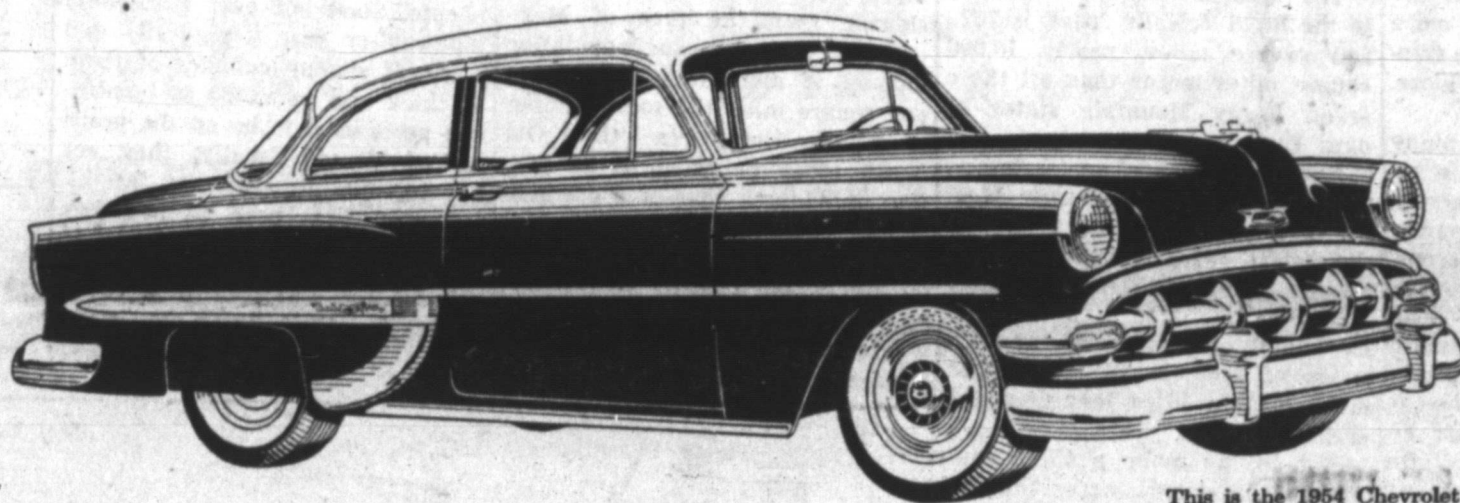
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How well do I like its looks?
That's one question, of course, that only you can answer. You're the one who buys the car and you, above anybody else, should be proud of its appearance.

All we can tell you is that we hear a lot of nice things about Chevrolet's new styling. People seem to like the new front-end and rear-end designs, and the way the bumpers curve even farther around the fenders. They like the new styling touches all around the car and the wide choice of bright new colors and two-tone combinations. A good many tell us that Chevrolet has a decided edge over the other cars in its field for smooth and graceful lines.

Who makes the body?
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You can see the difference outside and inside. We'd especially like you to look over the new interiors. Just sit in the car, if you will. Feel the quality of the fabrics and notice the more generous use of vinyl trim.

In all these ways, you'll find evidence of superior quality and workmanship. And after all, isn't that what you would expect in Body by Fisher? As you know, Fisher is the largest and most famous manufacturer of automobile bodies in the world. Doesn't it stand to reason that Fisher can build extra quality into the Chevrolet body? It's there and you can see it.

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transmission and optional on all models at extra cost. In gearshift models, you get the more powerful "Blue-Flame 115" engine.

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How hungry is it for gasoline?
A car's reputation for, and record of, economy of operation is certainly an important consideration to most people. We'd be glad to have you compare Chevrolet in this respect with any car at any price.

And, in the case of this new Chevrolet, you do not have to sacrifice economy for finer performance and more horsepower. That's because the Chevrolet engines are high-compression engines. Their compression ratio of 7.5 to 1 is the highest in any of the leading low-priced cars.

This means simply that the engine compresses, or squeezes, the fuel mixture to a greater degree in order to wring more work out of it. That's how Chevrolet is able to give you an important gain in performance along with money-saving gasoline mileage—and on regular gas, of course.

Is it up to date in features?
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Odds and Ends

(BY E. L. THE ELDER)

In commenting last week on my trip to the City of Mexico to Acapulco two years ago, I failed to get in any reference whatever to the little city of Chilpancingo, the first big town north of Acapulco on the Mexico City road. I will never forget my stop-over there, for not only is it an interesting place within itself, but that is the place where I lost my money—and when I lose my money that is an important event so far as I am concerned. I lost my money because I ate a couple of little old dinky bananas and they made me sick—sick as I was that time when I bought a long, strong, black cheroot from a Bohemian joint down in eastern Bell county one time when I was running for justice of the peace and tried to smoke the thing myself. My experiment wasn't much of a success. It just literally turned me wrong side out. Well, that's the way those little old bananas served me down at Chilpancingo, Mexico. I don't know why they did it. I can't remember that I was ever sick on bananas before or since. I was so sick that I just threw myself down across a bed without undressing, and in some way my bill-fold worked out of my pocket. I didn't know it was missing until I got back in Mexico City and called a doctor. The hotel chamber-maid found it on the bed I had occupied, delivered it to her boss, he looked at some documents inside, and sent the whole thing to the Forrester Insurance Company in Tahoka to be delivered to me. He made only a nominal charge for his trouble and gave a tip to the maid who found the bill-fold and took care of it. I have just loved that Chilpancingo hotel keeper ever since. There are a lot of Pagans in the world yet, folks, who are more honest than a lot of white-skinned tricksters still running loose.

As I have indicated on many previous occasions, Mexico is an exceedingly interesting country from many standpoints. Senorita Aurora has sent in numerous "articles" respecting the state and city of Veracruz, but the state of Veracruz is a very small spot on the map as compared with the whole country of Mexico—about the size of a dime as compared with a wash-tub. Do you know how large Mexico really is? Of course you do, for you have seen the map of it hundreds of times. But did you ever

do much traveling in Mexico? Some of you have. Most of you haven't. I am going to tell you this week how big Mexico is. You who have gone from Tahoka to Houston or Beaumont have found that a pretty long road, and you who have gone from Tahoka to Dalhart near the north-west corner of the Panhandle have found that to be quite a long little drive also. So, from Dalhart to Beaumont is really some drive. And from El Paso to Texarkana, is sure-enough a "fur piece."

Well, Mexico is two and two-thirds (2.67) times as large as Texas. The latest edition of the Rand-McNally Atlas gives the area of Texas in square miles as 267,339, a little larger than Geographers had accorded it heretofore. The Texas Almanac gives the same figures.

The Rand-McNally Atlas gives the area of Mexico as 762,200 square miles.

Now let us make some comparisons. Mexico is an exceedingly mountainous country. It is a continuation of the great Rocky Mountain system of our own country that extends from Canada on the north to Mexico on the south. Leaving out the three Pacific Coast states of California, Oregon, and Washington, and the sagebrush state of Nevada, which has some mountains, but is far more noted for its deserts than for its mountains, we still have seven Rocky Mountain states left, most of which have comparatively large areas but are thinly populated. These seven states are: New Mexico, Arizona, Colorado, Wyoming, Montana, Idaho, and Utah. Their combined area is 752,447 square miles.

The area of Mexico, according to the Rand-McNally Atlas, is 762,200 square miles, nearly 10,000 square miles larger than all these seven Rocky Mountain states of ours combined.

Another comparison, bringing Texas back into the picture: Mexico is larger than this group of six states: Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Colorado, Arizona, and Utah. The combined area of these six Southwestern and western states of ours is 761,996 square miles, still a little less than the area of Mexico.

But let us make a third comparison. Mexico is larger than all of these Southern states, comprising all of the states that were included in the Confederate States of America in Civil War days, as follows: Texas, Arkansas, Louisiana, Mississippi, Alabama, Florida, Georgia, Tennessee, South Carolina, North Carolina, and Virginia. These eleven states have a combined area of 752,574 square miles against Mexico's area of 762,200 square miles. Mexico's Federal District is included in her area, so let's pitch the District of Columbia over into ours. Our D. C. has an area of only 69 sq. mi., so that will run our total up to 752,643 square miles, with more than 9,000 square miles left over. We still could throw in little Delaware's 2,067 square miles, and bite off two-thirds of Maryland, which has an area of only 10,577 sq. mi., and still be inside Mexico's total, but Delaware and Maryland both might object, and so we will let them alone, but Washington and the entire District of Columbia are ours, lock, stock, and barrel. We would in-

clude Eisenhower himself, but he might want to vote out in Iowa or some other close state, so we will leave him footloose.

O well, you say, Mexico has a lot of territory but what about her population. Well, we will just take a look at that. The comparisons are still one-sided when we compare Mexico as a whole with our mountain states but the aspect gradually changes as we move into more thickly populated areas.

Now, keep this in mind: Mexico's total area is 762,200 square miles. Her total population in 1950, according to Rand-McNally was 25,308,909—an average of 33.2 persons per square mile.

Now the seven Rocky Mountain states in the U. S. A. have an area of 752,447 square miles, just a little smaller than Mexico, but their combined population is only 4,914,915—or just a little more than 6.5 persons per square mile.

The second group of states consisting of Texas, Oklahoma, New Mexico, Colorado, Arizona, and Utah have a combined area of 761,996 square miles, just a teeny bit smaller than Mexico, but they have a combined population of 13,389,270, or a little more than 17 persons per square mile. So Mexico is still more thickly populated than this group of great states, each one of which is marvelous in some respect or respects.

But now let us come back to the Old South, headed by Texas in size and population. These eleven states, extending from our prickly pears of Brewster county, which itself is larger than several of the states of this Union, and from the Santa Helena Canyon in the Big Bend of the Rio Grande, almost encircling the Chisos or Ghost Mountains, clean across the country to the south banks of the Potomac—these eleven states constituted the Old Southern Confederacy. Combined they have an area of 752,574 square miles, an area more than 9,000 square miles shorter than the area of Mexico, but they have a population density of more than 48 persons per square mile, the total number of people living in the Old South today being about 37 Million, one-fourth that of the whole of the Continental United States. Now, when we include the capital city of our country in the Old South, for geographically that is where it belongs, we add only 69 square miles to the area but al-

most a million people, the 1950 population of Washington D. C. being given as 802,178; and the average density of population in the entire Southern States area is increased to slightly more than 50 persons to the square mile—or just about one and one-half times that of Mexico.

Now, I think that this is truly remarkable when it is remembered that Mexico is pre-eminently a mountain country.

Yet there are some additional population features that I must mention.

Did you know that the City of Mexico has a greater population than any city in the United States except New York and Chicago? It is larger than Detroit, larger than Los Angeles, larger than Philadelphia; more than twice as large as Washington, D. C. and more than twice as large as either of the following cities: Baltimore, Cleveland, Milwaukee, St. Louis, or Boston according to the census taken in 1950. The City of Mexico had a population of 2,233,709. The population of New York City was the amazing figure of 7,891,987; Chicago, 3,620,962; Philadelphia was third with 2,071,605; but you will note that this was 162,104 short of Mexico City's count.

I am frank to confess that I have never been able to understand how Mexico census takers can know when they have counted them all or how they can keep from counting some of them more than once. But any person who will walk down one of their avenidas or market streets on any Saturday afternoon, or who will visit the Zooclo on any public occasion, or who will pass through the Slum district just any old day, or who will make a round of the public parks on Sunday, will agree that there are a lot of people in Mexico City, apparently millions of them.

Furthermore, he will soon find out that Mexico City is not the only real city in Mexico, though it is by far the largest. Besides, the whole country is alive with people. Start out over a splendid highway or just a pig-trail and you will stir up colonies of them as thick and populous as bumble-bee nests used to be on the prairies of Texas. Usually, they are not inclined to sting, as the ill-tempered bees used to be—they love just to sit back and take life easy. Yet I have noticed that since these high-powered cars have become numerous, they do like to get in one of them and run

down some avenida like a lizard, and pedestrians do have to scuttle to the sidewalks when they discover a car coming a few blocks up the street.

Mexico is still the land of enchantment, folks. I have not dis-

covered many hombres down there, who seem to get very busy laying treasures up on earth, and I am not sure they are laying many treasures up anywhere, but one thing is dead certain, there are a lot of them there.

most of whom are bent on making it an ideal land of Manana.

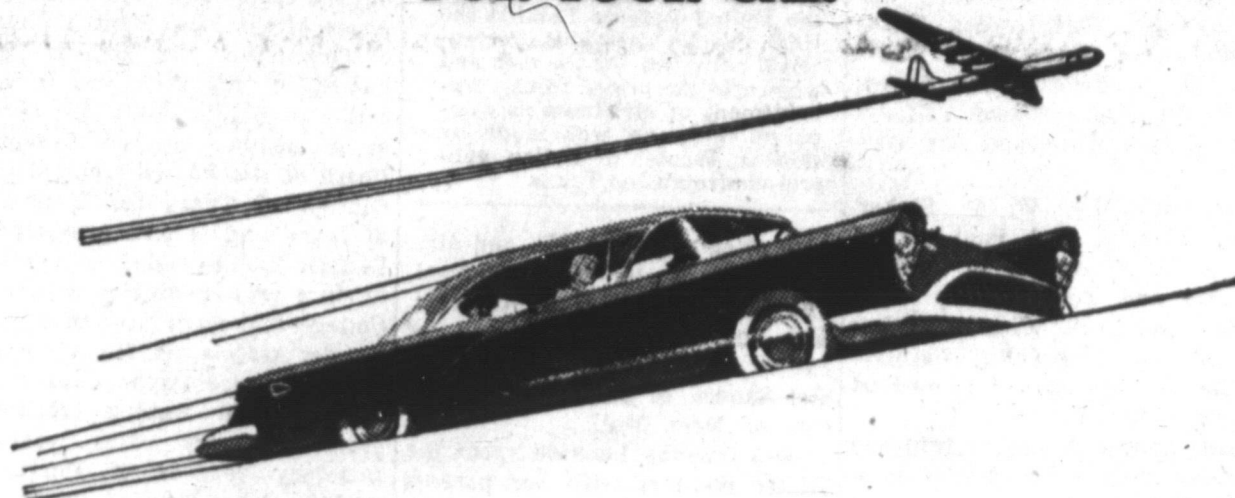
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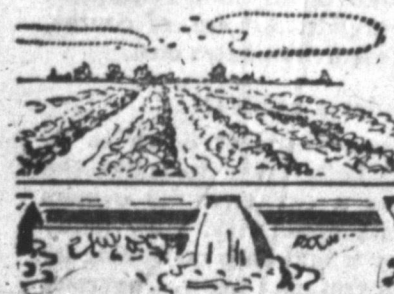
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CITATION BY PUBLICATION

The State of Texas
To: Ariene Darrow Campbell, Bruce L. Campbell, Doris B. Campbell and Ralph O. Campbell, Greeting.

You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of the Citation, the same being Monday the 24th day of May, A. D. 1954, at or before 10 o'clock a. m., before the Honorable County Court of Lynn County, at the Court House in Tahoka, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 25th day of March, 1954.
The file number of said suit being No. 409.
The names of the parties in said suit are: The State of Texas acting by and through the Commissioners' Court of Lynn County, Texas, composed of W. M. Mathis County Judge and Clarence Church, S. W. Roberts, Beatrice McLaurin and E. H. West, Commissioners, as Plaintiffs, and Ariene Darrow Campbell, Bruce L. Campbell, Doris B. Campbell, Ralph O. Campbell, C. L. Hay and Humble Oil and Refining Company, as Defendants.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows: To wit: The suit is an eminent domain proceeding instituted under and by virtue of articles 6674 and 3264, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas and the nature of said suit is as follows: The State of Texas is now constructing and laying out and reconstructing a Highway, designed as such, by the Highway Commission of Texas, in Lynn County, Texas, which said Highway is known and designated as Highway No. F. M. 2053 and 179; that such constructing and reconstruction upon said Highway is surveyed through, across and upon, and will cross, run through and upon the following described real property, to-wit: 2 tracts of land off the West and North sides and out of the Northwest corner of the North 1/2 Section 3, Block C-41, Public School Land in Dawson and Lynn Counties, Texas, conveyed to Ariene Darrow Campbell et al. by deed dated July 5, 1946, recorded in Volume 91, page 70 of Deed Records in Lynn County, Texas to be used for construction of F. M. Hwy. 2053, and 179; Tract "A": Beginning at the Southwest corner of said North 1/2 Section 3, at F. M. Hwy 2053 centerline Station 2753.2;

Thence N. 0°04' E. along the centerline of said F. M. Hwy. 2053 a distance of 1282.2 feet to a point in the Dawson - Lynn County Line for the Northwest corner of this tract of land; Thence S. 89°56' E. along said Dawson Lynn County line a distance of 40 feet to a point for the Northeast corner of this tract of land;

Thence 0°04' W. parallel to and 40 feet East of said centerline of F. M. Hwy. 2053 a distance of 735.8 feet to a point; Thence S. 89°56' E. a distance of 10 feet to a point; Thence S. 0°04' W. parallel to and 50 feet East of said centerline of F. M. Hwy. 2053 a distance of 546.8 feet to a point in the South line of said North 1/2 Section 3 for the Southeast corner of this tract of land.

Thence N. 89°56' W. along the South line of said North 1/2 Section 3 a distance of 50 feet to the place of beginning;

Containing 1.303 acres of land more or less.
Tract "B": Beginning at a point in the Dawson Lynn County line which bears S. 0°04' W. a distance of 1356.3 feet from the Northwest corner of said Section 3 at F. M. Hwy. 2053 centerline Station 40-35.8;

Thence S. 89°56' W. along said Dawson Lynn County line a distance of 40 feet to a point;

Thence N. 0°04' E. parallel to and 40 feet East of said centerline of F. M. Hwy. 2053 a distance of 42.8 feet to a point;

Thence N. 3°48' E. a distance of 153.5 feet to a point in a 1096 foot radius curve to the right, at which point a tangent to said curve bears N. 0°04' E.

Thence Northeasterly along said 1096 foot radius curve to the right a distance of 1308.5 feet to a point;

Thence S. 21°31' 30" E. a distance of 15 feet to a point in a 1081 foot radius curve, at which point a tangent to said curve bears N. 68°28' 30" E.

Thence Northeasterly along said 1081 foot radius curve a distance of 421.2 feet to a point, the end of said 1081 foot radius curve;

Thence S. 89°12' E. parallel to and 65 feet South of said centerline of F. M. Hwy. 2053 a distance of 171.1 feet to a point;

Thence N. 89°50' E. parallel to and 65 feet South of said centerline of F. M. Hwy. 2053 a distance of 364.1 feet to a point;

Thence N. 0°10' W. a distance of 25 feet to a point;

Thence S. 86°40' E. parallel to and 40 feet South of said centerline of F. M. Hwy. 2053 a distance of 2977.74 feet to a point;

Thence S. 0°10' E. a distance of 10 feet to a point in a 5680 foot radius curve at which point a tangent to said curve bears N. 89°50' E.

Thence Southeasterly along said 5680 foot radius curve a distance of 346.9 feet to a point, the end of said 5680 foot radius curve;

Thence S. 86°40' E. parallel to and 50 feet South of said centerline of F. M. Hwy. 2053 a distance of 318.56 feet to a point, the beginning of a 5780 foot radius curve to the left;

Thence Southeasterly along said 5780 foot radius curve to the left a distance of 163.3 feet to a point in the East line of said North 1/2 Section 3;

Thence N. 0°04' E. along the East line of said North 1/2 Section 3 a distance of 87.7 feet to a point, the Northeast corner of said Section 3;

Thence S. 89°50' W. along the North line of said North 1/2 Section 3 at 328.86 feet pass F. M. Hwy. 2053 centerline P. C. Station 97-79.74 and continue on along the North line of said North 1/2 Section 3 and the centerline of F. M. Hwy. 2053 in all a distance of 3972.2 feet to a point at F. M. Hwy. 2053 centerline P. C. Station 66-36.4;

Thence N. 89°12' W. along said centerline of F. M. Hwy. 2053 at 170.6 feet pass F. M. Hwy. 2053 centerline P. T. Station 60-46.5 and continue on along the centerline of F. M. Hwy. 179 in all a distance of 1331.4 feet to a point, the Northwest corner of said North 1/2 Section 3;

Thence S. 0°04' W. along the West line of said North 1/2 Section 3 a distance of 50.4 feet to a point in a 250.43 foot radius curve at which point a tangent to said curve bears S. 86°16' E.;

Thence Southeasterly along said 250.43 foot radius curve, a distance of 537.1 feet to a point in a 1196 foot radius curve, at which point a tangent to said 1196 foot radius curve bears S. 36°37' W.

Thence Southwesterly along said 1196 foot radius curve a distance of 415.7 feet to a point in the West line of said North 1/2 Section 3;

Thence S. 0°04' W. along the West line of said North 1/2 Section 3 at 342.4 feet pass F. M. Hwy. 2053 centerline P. C. Station 42-31.8 and continue on along said West line of the North 1/2 Section 3 and the centerline of said F. M. Hwy. 2053 in all a distance of 538.4 feet to the place of beginning;

Containing 10.715 acres of land more or less.
Tract No. Acres
A 1.303
B 10.715
Total 12.018

the fee simple title to which is owned by said Defendants.

That in the judgment of said Commissioners' Court it is necessary, advisable and expedient to occupy the land hereinafter described, and to run a road across same, in the manner provided by law, for the purpose, use and benefit of a new and wider right-of-way for the purpose of opening, widening, straightening, constructing, building, improving and maintaining a highway, to-wit, Highway No. FM 2053 and 179.

That for the reasons and purposes above set out, it is necessary that the State of Texas, through the Commissioners' Court of Lynn County, acquire, take, hold, occupy and use and own the above described real estate for the purpose of directing, constructing and maintaining as aforesaid a road and right of way for said Highway and Petitioners has been unable to compromise

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Chapman and two sons of Borger spent last weekend visiting Mrs. Chapman's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Strain, at New Home. Mr. Chapman works for the huge synthetic rubber plant operated by the government at Borger. Mrs. Chapman is the farmer Miss Thelma Ruth Strain.

Seattle, Washington is farther north than Nova Scotia.

or settle with said defendants, by reason whereof said Commissioners' Court has been compelled to institute condemnation proceedings to condemn said land, which is actually needed for said Highway described and all of which Land petitioner is entitled by law to condemn;

That on the 25th day of March, A. D. 1954, W. M. Mathis, County Judge of Lynn County, Texas appointed J. M. Small, E. R. Tunnell and Joe Eaker, all disinterested freeholders of Lynn County, Texas to be special commissioners to assess the damages in said condemnation proceedings hereinafter described and said commissioners having been sworn to assess said damages fairly and impartially, and in accordance with law, do hereby appoint as the time and place for hearing said parties on the matter, the office of the County Judge of Lynn County, Texas, in said County on the 24th day of May, 1954 and said defendants and each of them are hereby notified to appear at said time and place at 10:00 A. M. at the Courthouse for the purpose of offering any evidence they may desire as to the amount of damages to be assessed against the State of Texas, and to be paid to the said defendants and each of them respectively, for the right-of-way and strip of land described in said Plaintiff's Original Petition and hereinabove described.

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

Issued this 9th day of April A. D. 1954.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Tahoka, Texas, this 9th day of April A. D. 1954

BEULAH PRIDMORE, Clerk County Court, Lynn County, Texas, Deputy.

SIGNAL SCHOOL IS IN NEED OF MEN

The Army Signal School has a place for high school graduates who are interested in communications and photography, according to Sgt. J. L. Groner, of the Recruiting Service, who visits Tahoka every Tuesday.

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Those interested in the Army Signal School are urged to contact the local US Army and US Air Force Recruiting Station, located at Room 204, Federal Building, Lubbock, Texas.

The Lynn County News, Tahoka, Texas

April 23, 1954

WEST POINT CLUB MEETS WITH MRS. JACK STARK

The West Point Home Demonstration Club met Wednesday, April 14, in the home of Mrs. Jack Stark.

The meeting was called to order and the roll call and minutes given. All fifteen members were present.

After the business session, Mrs. Otto Stone gave a demonstration on "How to Pack a Bag." Miss

Roach was not with us.

At the conclusion of the demonstration, a surprise "pink and blue" shower was given Mrs. Kevill Coffman. Angel food cake squares with pink and blue punch were served to about twenty-five callers.—Reporter.

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United States Bonds	\$2,066,601.00
Cash and Exchange	2,826,468.73
TOTAL	\$5,840,619.48

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Capital Stock	\$ 50,000.00
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Deposits	\$5,452,335.61
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Wilson News

(Continued)

Easter holidays with his mother and sister Mrs. Pearl Davidson and Ann.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Martin and family enjoyed Easter lunch with Mrs. Martin's sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Campbell, of Shallowater, Sandra Lumsden, accompanied the Martins to Shallowater.

The Howard Cooks and Alton Hobbs enjoyed the holidays fishing at Beaumont.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Foster and family spent the weekend at Fort Worth.

Larry Mears is ill in Brownfield hospital with yellow jaundice.

Walter Stienhauser and family visited friends and relatives in Corpus Christi and San Antonio over the weekend.

Kenneth Martin spent Saturday night with his cousin, Dalton Campbell, of Shallowater.

Robert Christopher visited in Barksdale over the Easter holidays.

The Virgil Hendersons visited their son and brother, David, in San Antonio over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Martin and family visited Mr. Martin's mother, Mrs. Selena Martin, in Lubbock Friday.

Mrs. S. H. Gryder visited from Friday till Sunday with her sister of Rotan.

The R. A.'s and Sunbeams met Monday for their regular weekly meeting.

Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Martin and family, Mr. and Mrs. Hutchinson and family, and Shirley Hewlett attended the workers conference at Central Church Thursday night.

Mrs. Charlie Honaken visited the Rowland Rhoades over the week end.

Visitors in the Delbert Kieschnick home Sunday were: Amon Montgomery of Lubbock, Willa Mae Kesley of Lubbock, Mrs. E. L. Montgomery of Idalou, Mr.

and Mrs. E. O. Montgomery and family of Wilson and Morgan Howle of Tahoka.

Sam Crowson and family, former Wilson community residents, visited friends and relatives here over the week end.

Mrs. Lonnie Lumsden fell Monday morning and broke her leg.

Visitors in the Harry Hewlett home over the holidays were: Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hewlett and family of San Benito, Mr. Bill Hewlett and Miss Duski Hewlett.

The Wilson Sewing Club met Wednesday for their bi-monthly meeting in the home of Mrs. L. G. Fuller. After the usual diversions of sewing, embroidering and chucheting were enjoyed the group exchanged gifts. Refreshments were served to: Mmes Ross Williamson, Pat Campbell, John Hamilton, H. C. Fountain, John Heck, Fred Brannon, Elmer Rice, and one visitor Mrs. Frank Smith, and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Blankenship and family left Friday for a visit with Mrs. Blankenship's grandmother at Shiner.

Mr. John Heck left Wednesday morning for several days visit in Runnels county.

Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Fuller left Friday for several days visit in Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Nail of Abilene, were Saturday guests of Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Martin and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Judson Hewlett and family and J. P. Hewlett and boys spent a few days in Gainesville last week.

Visitors in the Carl Gryder home Sunday were Mrs. Gryder's mother and father, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Ray of Plainview, and a sister of Mrs. Gryder's Mrs. Emma Echols and son, Carol, also of Plainview.

Clarence Church is remodeling the interior of his home.

Ray Ehlers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Ehlers, is ill in a Tahoka hospital.

Rev. Layton Wright of Mobeetie visited Rev. and Mrs. Lynward Harrison Thursday.

Margie Crosby is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Crosby.

Mrs. Bill Deaver visited her mother Mrs. H. C. Fountain Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Welton Newton and family of Abilene visited Mrs. Newton's parents, Rev. and Mrs. Lynward Harrison and family, Friday and Saturday.

The D. J. Hutchinsons and the A. L. Holders were dinner guests Sunday of Mrs. Hutchinson's and Mr. Holder's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Holder of Grassland.

Mr. and Mrs. Lem King of Amarillo are visiting Mr. King's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. King.

Saturday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sales were: Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Welch and family of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Fox and children, of Brownfield, visited Rev. and Mrs. Lynward Harrison Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Maeker and family of Shallowater, Mr. and Mrs. Arvil Maeker and family, Mr. and Mrs. Arden Maeker and family of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Ray Steen and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Maeker, and Mrs. Katie Nieman were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hugo Maeker for an ice cream supper Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Ahrens and sons, of Olton, visited Mr. Ahrens' parents over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Milliken and girls of Wolforth visited the Ross Williamsons Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gray Martin visited Gray's brother, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Martin and family, Thursday and accompanied them to the Workers Conference.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Mote, of Whiteface, visited the Rev. Lynward Harrison Sunday.

Mrs. Behrend had as her Easter Sunday guests Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Behrend of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Kaatz and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Behrend and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Kelley and family of Oil Center, New

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Ladies' Bible Class 7:00 p. m.
Mid-Week Service 8:00 p. m.
Visitors are always welcome.

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Bible Study 10:00 a. m.
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Fred L. Yeatts, Minister
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W. M. McFarland, Minister
Preaching Every Lord's Day 11 a. m. & 7:30 p. m.
Bible Study 10:00 a. m.
Communion 11:45 a. m.

GRASSLAND

John A. Carter, Minister
Preaching, Each Lord's Day 11 a. m. 7 p. m.
Bible Study every Lord's Day 10:00 a. m.
Communion 11:00 a. m.
Ladies Bible Study Thursday 2:00 p. m.

Mexico, visited Mrs. Kelley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Henderson, Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. Bill Lawrence is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Edmond Maeker and family this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Tienart and family visited in Uvalde over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Womack of Slaton visited the Lynward Harrison's Thursday.

Gerald Dabbs, Juanita Murray, Shirley Hewlett, Vernon Scott, Deana Ward, and Ross Dunn attended the Sophomore play at Southland Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morrison of Abilene visited the Frank Hender-

sons over the weekend. Other weekend visitors were Mr. and Mrs. John Shepherd of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Robbins and family spent from Friday until Sunday with his parents in Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rogers and family visited Mr. Rogers sister, Mrs. G. T. Galneau and family Sunday.

The Sunday School classes of St. Paul's Lutheran church enjoyed an Easter egg hunt Sunday afternoon at Felix Nolte's home.

Mrs. Elmer Rice and Benson spent the week end in Abilene.

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Mr. and Mrs. "Shorty" McNeely and son, Tom, moved to Leveland Monday. "Shorty", who has been working for Santa Fe some time has been transferred from Slaton to Leveland. He had been living in Tahoka while working in Slaton.

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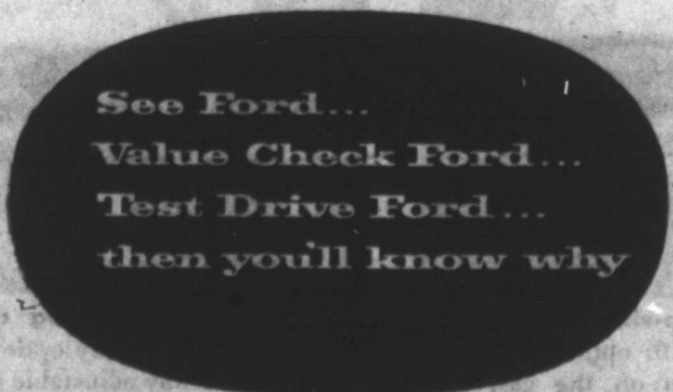


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