# STERLING CITY NEWS-RECORD 



TEXAS HELD ITS OWN in 1950 states ,according to official returns lion. It was that way following the gained a total of $1,262,000$, however
hat his increase may give Texas an At present we have 21 . next year wiation trends over the State.
xpected, the heavy xpected, the heavy gains were in
he big city and coastal industrial
reas at the expense of the Harris County jumpe
eetions.
from 528,961 to 801,169 to become
the most densely populated county in the State. Next is Dallas Coun nhich upped its count from 398,564
n 1904 to 612,31 this year. Bexar
county now has 496,000 -a gain of IN CONGRESSIONAL
RICTS, the trend varied.
Six of RICTS, the trend varied. pan. mosty in East Texas. In our
Congressional district. the Census
ifes us a net increase of 7,719 , the
otal now being 266,144 . Nine of iotal now being 266,144. Nine of
our 27 counties gained population,
the other 18 lost.
Several people have asked me
how our district will how our district will fare in the
event Texas gains another repres
entative in the Congress. That will
 On 877h Birthday

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The T. H. Humbles Have daughter to the mecanns 25th Anniversary
Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Humble, $\begin{aligned} & \text { Was born to Mr. and Mrs. B. W. } \\ & \text { McCann, Jr. of Richmond, Va. on }\end{aligned}$
ranch couple of the eastern part of July 31. This is the second child of
the county, observed their 25th MeCanns. Mrs. MeCann is the
thedding anniversary on last Sat former Mary Emery of Sterling the county, observed their 25th
wedding anniversary on last Sat-
urday. August 5 . Mrs. Humble was
the Miss Verdie Cain before her

 ani little daughter, Mr. and Mrs.
C. The Rawloup left Dallas by plane
Welch, Mr. and Mr. and Mr. Mrs. Earl
Wonday morning, and will arrive
tine and the hostess and her family. back in Texas Texas on Thursday
this week. ren, Mrs. Tommie Augustine, Mrild.
Thomas Rawlings and Billy Cain To Methodist Camp in Arkansas Dorothy Sue Lowe, daugher of
Mr. and Mrs. Roland Lowe, is
 yanh Aikanas. sue was nained as ad
delegat from this sistrit to the 10
day meeting with all expenses paid. She left Tuesday morning of this
week.
Mr. and Mrs. Homer Hagerty and daunhter, Dolores. visited Mrss
Hagety's parents, the Lee Hunts,
Het this week. would stand to ose a total of 54 -
476 in order to
bring its average down to state average outside the
three big counties. But the Abiliene

 wise. unless there should be a complete reshuffling
the entire State the entire State, our district in
stead of losing should gain perstead of losing should gain per-
haps two or three additional coun-

Waiting For Whites of Red Eyes


SUMEWHEERE IN KOREA. - Proof of the fact that a soldier spends more of his time waiting than
fighting, this G.i. tank commander awaits word that his fire support is needed by the infantry. Dug in
as it is,
 Miss Dixie Knight and Oscar
Heller, Jr. were married on SaturHeller, Jr. were married on Satur-
day, August 5 at $8: 30$ p.m. in a cer-
emony at Weimar emony at Weimar, Texas. The
bride is a daughter of Mrs. L. R.
Knight of Sterling City, and the Oscar Heller of Weimar.
Only the immediate families were
present at the wedding which took present at the wedding which took bride wore an embroidered eyelet
white dress of ballinera length. For dress and had red accessories blue wedding trip. They will live in Weimar where Mr. Heller is in the The bride attended John Tarlehere degree from TSCW at Denton at the Alpine high school the past Mrs. L. R. Knight, Mrs. Hal M A daughter, named Sandra Jean.
was born to Mr. and Mrs. B. W. WINS MEXICO TRIP
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Careful planning can make the
mood of a house suit the per sonalities of its owners For this
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combine to create
servate quiet, conservative effect. Sidewalls, steps
and chimney are of white-painted and chinney are oi whine-pained
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 asphair shingles. The a graceful
the iron railing add a
touch. Design of the home is touch. Design of the ho
adapted from Cape Cod
tecture.
PASTOR'S HOUSEPARTY AT HOWARD PAYNE COLLEGE

The Rev. C. D. McEntire pastored
the Y.W.A. and G.A. Houseparty at Howard Payne College the first three days of this week. Two hun-
dred churches over this district were represented. with McEntire
Others working who is pastor of the local Baptist Church, were Mrs. Vernon Shaw of
San Angelo, District W.M. sec San Angelo, District W.M.U. sec-
retary; Mrs. Dr. Dodd of Howard
Payne; Mrs. Wilson Fielder a missionary of the far east; and a Rev
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and San Antweenio. Fredericksburg
"Covering the County"
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Beanuan. Jon minn inouber with cetate, usually called T.C.A. T.C.A
should be mixed at the rate of $2-3$
to $3-4$ pounds per gallon of water and spray on the foliage. One gal-
lon will usually cover about 100
square feet. depending and density of the plants. You shild be abie to see a dry-
ing of the plants in about 24 hours after spraying. Most of the plants
that are going to die will so within
a week Hot moderate degree of soil moisture sprayed directly on the ground it
will sterilize the ground for about T.C.A. at the present can not be bought in large quantities, but
should be available soon. At the
Blackland Station, sodium T.C.A. gave a $90 \%$ kill in 21 days and
$100 \%$ kill in $41 / 2$ months at 41 c per

Since Clinton and Henry gave Che grass demonstration last week
at the Lion's Club, several have asked about their grass on lawns
and other places. A grass plant can be compared to the human enough food it will die not The grass plant gets its food and water trom the soil and sunlight.
If the or ge top is kept too closely mowed chance to grow into do not have a take up the food. When the grass thin out and allow weeds to come in and will probably choke the grass out.
The recommended mowing heights for Bermuda or any other
awn grass is: until June 1, $3 / 4$ to 1 inch, June 1 to August 1, $1^{1 / 2}$ to to inches, August 1 to October 1,2 not mow. If you can convince your
wife on this you are doing fairly If you intend to have a fall garpare the ground the month to prepalantings.
The best
The best vegetables to start with would be the spring vegetables.
Tomatoes ,okra, peppers, and egg Tomatoes, okra, peppers, and egg
plants will produce if properly cared for. When planting seed use planting in the spring and cover the seed a little deeper. The garden will probably need some fertilizer.
Four pounds of $5-10-5$ for each 100 feet of row space is good. Two
pounds of $16-20-0$ would be plenty 100 feet.
My schedule for next week will be to attend the 4-H leadership
camp at Trinadad from August 14 to August 18.

## ADVERTISEMENT FOR BIDS Sealed proposals for the remod- elling of and additions to Combination Elementary and High School Building for Sterling Independent School District, located at Sterling Office of M.. O. T. Jones., Superin- Ondent of Schools, at his office in

 tendent of Schools, at his office inthe Schook Building, Sterling City

Texas, until
10:00 A. M. (C.S.T.) Tuesday
August 22 .
August 22, 1950
at which time and place the bids will be publicly opened and reac aloud. Any bids received after closing time will be returned unopened.
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the Office of the Architect-Engin eer. Contractors may procure
plans and specifications from Wyat C. Hedrick, Architect--Engineer 1005 Fort Worth, Texas, upon deposit Fort Worth, Texas, upon deposit o
$\mathbf{\$ 2 5 . 0 0}$. Such deposits will be re funded to bidders upon return of plans and specifications in good
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of the Society for the Preservation of the Society for the Preservation
of Barber Shop Quartet Singing
in in America, he spends one night
each week singing with the local each week sing ging with the loca
organization.) My mother shakes her head
when she hears I've started off on tet singing and says something tet singing and says something
about my having been born fifty
years too years too late.
ere's nothing like y ad mit "Evelina" to set my vocal chords to twitching and somehow I've One guotet there and sing. club call themselves the "Barbar
Polecats" and, believe me, they did us proud in the county competi-
tion. As I say to my wife "If those busy men take the time to sing in
quartets, you should be glad that I pick a similar hobby, instead of
spending the grocery money spending the
shooting pool."
grammar ce, it all started with the things really began club and when the high school chorus won Men from every profession and
occupation in our city have joined this chapter of the Society. Most or us know a little bit about harThe big secret of success in Tuartet singing is secret of success in club. Even when we take a brealk for a Lucky, we all sit around and
hash over the last number to find out how to make it better. One
night we had the use of a wire nigh
recorder and it was surprising the
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Everything in Dry Goods and Notions TELEPHONE 26 wood Manford of Smiley, left, announced this week that he would support Ben Ramsey of San Augustine, right, for Lieutenant Gov. ernor. Manford said Ramsey's experience as a House member and as a Senator made him the best qualified man in the race.



