

# STERLING CITY NEWS-RECORD

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## Good Rains Fall In Most of County

Good rains fell here in Sterling Monday and Tuesday. The only part of the county that was slighted was the west portion. They received from practically none to little. Here in town and inch and one half was chalked up and ranged up to better than two inches north, south and east. All of it was welcome, and the residents are thankful that it was rain—ONLY and not a tornado. Some hail fell but not much damage was reported.

On Monday afternoon the Kerrville bus driver through here from the San Antonio run told of seeing the tornado wind near the North Concho Lake north of San Angelo. He said it was raining and big hail stones were falling on the highway as he passed the liquor stores. He said heavy rains were falling right on up past Water Valley this way. He assumed that a tornado had hit, somewhere in Angelo—and right he was. Due to the frequent radio warnings of the tornado all day, many Sterling City people took cover from the high winds that night. The warnings were accurate in that they gave San Angelo and Waco as points that might be hit.

The range picture for Sterling is looking up. With these rains and the earlier rains, hopes are high for a wet year, or at least a normal one, as regards rainfall. Ranchmen who have been feeding for several years and trying to hold on to their stock are taking comfort in the picture of a normal year—perhaps.

## Lions Hear Delegate From Convention

The Lions were told of the district convention attended by local delegate R. P. Brown at the noon meeting Wednesday in the community center. Brown had just returned from the affair which was held in McAllen and across the Rio Grande River. Brown told of some changes in rules and regulations for club officials for next year. Across the river at the Governor's Ball and Banquet, he said they had a wonderful floor show.

Late Monday the San Angelo delegate, Buzzy Stokes, heard that both San Angelo and Sterling City had been wiped out by a tornado. He told Brown and later got the straight about Sterling City not being in the path of the tornado. On Tuesday morning, the San Angelo delegation pulled out to see about the storm damage. Brown remained until it was over. The delegates took up a donation of \$1 per head and sent the amount to the Lake View Club.

The local club voted to send \$25 out of the treasury to the San Angelo tornado relief, and a committee was appointed to raise funds outside the club and send it in to Angelo. President Chapple appointed Cecil Long and John M. Stuckwish. Another \$25 was raised before nightfall and mailed in and collections were still being taken Thursday.

Comment on the street lights (the white way) not being large enough bulbs took some time, and the president appointed a committee to see if the larger bulbs could not be secured. He appointed Lion Swann, D. J. Norton and S. M. Bailey.

Lion Roland Lowe reported on the road committee work—that of the road matter through to the Tom Humble and Clark oil fields. No progress was reported.

Guests were J. W. Westbrook, new manager of the Sterling Motor Company and George Blackburn. The prize went to Bruce Medford.

## ANNUAL PLAY SCHOOL FOR PRE-SCHOOL CHILDREN TO BE MAY 25-29

The annual play school for pre-school children 3-6 years old will be held May 25-29, 9 to 11 a. m. in the gymnasium, homemaking department and playground. All children in this age group are invited to participate. The homemaking girls will be in charge of the children under the supervision of their homemaking teacher, Mrs. Marian Moore.

Mothers of these children are asked to meet with Mrs. Moore on Friday, May 15 at 2 p. m. in the Homemaking Department.

## Wimodausis Club Has Year-End Picnic

The members of the Wimodausis Club held a close-of-the-club-year picnic at the river park of the N. H. Reed's last Friday night. Mrs. N. H. Reed, club president, was hostess. Members of the picnic committee included Mrs. J. C. Reed, Mrs. H. F. Donalson and Mrs. W. R. Hudson.

Barbecued chicken halves, salad, potato chips, tea and cake comprised refreshments for members and their husbands. About forty persons were present.

At the business session before the picnic, Mrs. C. A. Bowen was named as delegate to the G.F.W.C which has its annual convention in Washington later this month. Mrs. Fowler McEntire was named alternate.

## Mrs. Martin C. Reed Is Noratadata Hostess

The Noratadata Club met in the Community Center Thursday evening of last week with Mrs. Martin C. Reed as hostess. A cold plate was served to the members and guests.

Following the business session, bridge was played. High club prize went to Mrs. Foster S. Price; Mrs. Leah Wyckoff was high guests and bingo prize went to Mrs. Fred Campbell.

Present were Mrs. Dayton Barrett, Mrs. Alvie Cole, Mrs. Nan Davis, Mrs. Joe Emery, Mrs. Forrest Foster, Mrs. Reynolds Foster, Mrs. R. T. Foster, Jr., Mrs. William Foster, Mrs. Anna Lee Johnson, Mrs. Chesley McDonald, Mrs. G. C. Murrell, Mrs. Foster S. Price, Mrs. Finis Westbrook, Mrs. Hubert Williams, Mrs. Fred Allen, Miss Sue Nelson, Mrs. T. S. Foster, Mrs. Robert Foster, Mrs. Delbert Haralson, Mrs. Fred Campbell, Mrs. Leah Wyckoff, Miss Corinne Phillips and Mrs. Milburn Smith.

## Money Raised For San Angelo Tornado Relief

The Sterling Lions Club appointed a committee to raise some money for relief of the San Angelo tornado victims. The committee was appointed at noon Wednesday, and at the same time the club voted to send a donation for \$25. Another \$25 was raised quickly by the committee and handed over to the club's secretary very soon. Later in the day and through Thursday Long and Stuckwish, committee members reported another \$225 approximately raised, making around \$275 by Thursday evening.

J. T. Davis, club member, had already given \$50 to the relief fund.

## Film Sunday Night At Methodist Church

A film "A Wonderful Life" will be shown at the First Methodist Church here Sunday evening, said pastor Bruce Medford this week. Medford will be preaching the Baccalaureate Sermon for the Water Valley graduating class at Carlsbad and will not be able to be in attendance.

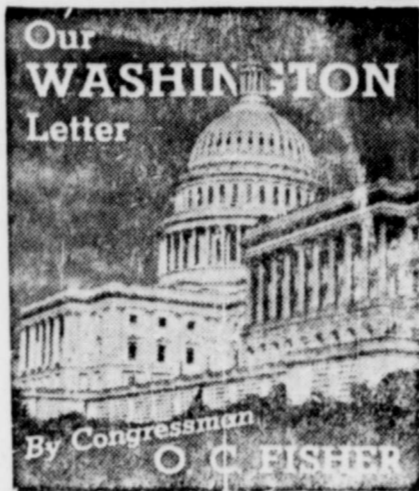
Medford highly recommends the film as a good one for both adults and children. Services begin at 8 p. m.

## HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in the Sterling County Hospital on Thursday morning of this week include—

Miss Fannie Copeland  
Mrs. Harold Emery and infant daughter, Denise Ann  
C. M. Bird of Robert Lee  
Walter Sparkman  
Mrs. Robin Burns  
D. P. Glass.  
Dismissals since Thursday of last week include—

Robin Burns  
Robert Brown  
Jimmie Mata  
Esther Bird  
Spencer Jackson.



## CONGRESSMAN FISHER IS A WITNESS AT THE LATEST NEVADA ATOMIC TEST

An atomic bomb, exploded more than 2,000 feet in the air, releases a huge thunderous roar, and the brilliant colors remind you of a million rainbows all rolled and whipped and stirred into a small ball. There, in one split second, the equivalent of more than 30,000 tons of TNT is exploded. Several million degrees of heat is generated. Wind at a velocity of several hundred miles per hour is released.

At the invitation of the Atomic Energy Commission, I went to Nevada last week to witness one of these tests attended by several members of Congress and scientific and military experts. I saw retired General Ira Eaker at the test scene.

Observers were seated several miles away, on a hillside overlooking Frenchman Flat, an old lake bed. The previous day we inspected "Ground Zero", the target. The object of the test, one of the most powerful set off in this country, was to obtain data on the effect of such explosion on military and civilian targets. To obtain needed data, various buildings were constructed at a variety of distances, old trucks and other equipment was left in the area, spans of railroad trestles were erected; Even a small forest of huge trees were transplanted in order to study the effects there.

At precisely 8:30 A.M. the explosion occurred. A group of planes were far above, and then minutes before the flash the announcer on the loud speaker checked the seconds—15, 10, 5, one—and then came the huge flash and roar! Some 20 seconds later the sound reached us—that is, the sound of the explosion proper. But at the very split second the explosion occurred, a heat wave was felt, just enough to sting a bit.

After the flash, I removed my dark eye protectors and beheld the ball of fire as it went through violent convulsions, rolling grotesquely in the skies amid thunderous rumblings. Picking up a tremendous amount of dust and sand from the desert floor, the detonation soon formed a bell-shaped cloud. The atomic cloud soon rose high toward the stratosphere where 7 minutes after the blast two F-80 jet drone planes, loaded with white mice and monkeys, were sent into the atomic cloud by remote control at a height of 25,000 feet. Later we were told they showed signs of severe radiation effects. This will enable scientists to learn more about the effects of radiation.

Later we inspected the target area and observed the results. Hundreds of electronic recording gadgets had been erected. Some 200 cameras, operated by remote control, and other devices had been in use.

As you view the scene of the explosion of this awful weapon, you are reminded of the fact that a similar bomb, perhaps about half as powerful, killed 70,000 people at Hiroshima.

## Teachers Reelected

At a school board meeting last month, the classroom teachers of the Sterling City School were reelected. The administrators, Supt. O. T. Jones, principals George W. Blackburn and Harry Bradstreet, had been reelected earlier in the year.

The teachers reelected were Mrs. Evelyn King, Mrs. Ray Lane, Miss Helen Brown, Mrs. B. J. Crossno, Mrs. J.E. West, Mrs. Bruce Medford, Mrs. Bena Davis, Bill Hood, Delbert Haralson, Oscar Dorsey and Mrs. Marian Moore.

Little Wayland Lee Foster, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Foster, fell last Friday and fractured one of his legs in three places. The fractures were not bad and he was not hospitalized. After getting the leg taped up, he was returned home.

## Final School Exercises Held This Week

### STYLE SHOW AND ART EXHIBITS HELD LAST FRIDAY AT SCHOOL

The annual style show of the F. H.A. girls and the industrial Arts exhibits and show by the industrial arts classes drew a large crowd at the Sterling School last Friday evening. Exhibits of progress were laid out in every room for parents and patrons to view. The P.T.A. served punch and cookies following the show in the lunchroom.

### Style Show

Junior Homemaking degrees were awarded to Jane Gartman, Nettie Gartman, Joy Nichols, Shirley Cole, Wanda Fae Williams, Virginia McCarty, Carolyn Dunn, Esther Bird, Bernice Ann Green, Winona Blair and Lee Bryant.

Chapter degrees were awarded to Celia Hanson, Jacque Foster, Jean Boatler, Shirley Langford, Betty Dunn, June Boatler, Clara Tindall, Jenny Davis, Patsy Martin, Billie Green and Lydia Rodriguez.

Commentators for the style show were Robbie Blackman and Charlotte Sutherland.

Girls who modeled garments were Charlotte Sutherland, Jacque Foster, Celia Hanson, June Boatler, Shirley Langford, Jean Boatler, Betty Dunn, Clara Tindall, Lee Bryant, Billie Green, Patsy Martin, Jennie Ruth Davis, Lydia Rodriguez, Winona Blair, Bernice Green, Carolyn Dunn, Virginia McCarty, Wanda Williams, Shirley Cole, Joy Nichols, Jane Gartman and Nettie Gartman.

Junior High girls were Dahlia Moreno, Glenda Sparks, Gayle Steward, Barba Dunn, Barbara Simmons and Evelyn Ann Smith.

Susan Bristol modeled a dress by Bernice Green.

Music was provided by Mrs. Anna Lee Johnson. Vocal numbers were by Shirley Langford, Jackie Cole, and Ronald Smith. A skit was given by Patsy Martin, Billie Green and Jenny Davis.

Garments were not judged nor prizes given.

### Results of Shop Exhibits

Billy Joe Swann took first place in machine woodworking with a Honduras mahogany typing desk. Earl Blair was second with a sugar pine western style bed. Marshall Blair won third with a Philippine mahogany end table.

In hand woodworking, Kent Jones won first place honors with a red quilted plastic top, with mahogany legs, card table. Billy Derrel Blair won second place with a white pine lamb table. Lewis Blackman won third with a plywood sewing cabinet.

Leslie Cole's Mahogany nut bowl was the winner in wood turning.



DAYTON BARRETT

## Barrett Named County Commissioner

Dayton Barrett, rancher of Precinct 2 of Sterling County, was named as county commissioner by County Judge G. C. Murrell in the April term of court. Dayton replaces Foster Conger, who has leased a ranch in New Mexico and had resigned. Conger plans to be out of the county a lot looking after his interests in New Mexico.

### Baccalaureate Held Sunday

The Baccalaureate Services for the Sterling High School seniors were held in the school auditorium last Sunday morning at 11 o'clock. The Rev. Bruce Medford, pastor of the First Methodist Church, was the preacher of the sermon. Mrs. Bill Barbee played the processional and recessional. Rev. Bob Brannon, Presbyterian pastor, gave the invocation, and Quentin Fanning, minister of the Church of Christ, gave the benediction.

### Commencement Exercises May 14

The Commencement Exercises for the combined seniors and grade school graduates were held at the school Thursday evening, May 14. Chief speaker of the evening was Dr. Rex Johnston, president of San Angelo College. He spoke on What Makes an Educated Person.

Mrs. Anna Lee Johnson played the processional and recessional. The Rev. Robert Ritchie, pastor of the First Baptist Church, gave the invocation. Robbie LeHarvie Blackman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Blackman gave the salutatory address. Charlotte Berry Sutherland, daughter of Mr. and T. E. Berry, gave the valedictory address. Superintendent O. T. Jones introduced Dr. Johnston.

Worth B. Durham, president of the school board, presented the senior graduates with their diplomas. High school principal George W. Blackburn, awarded honors to the '53 grads. H. A. Chapple, president of the Lions Club, presented Robbie Blackman with the Lions Club Good Citizenship Award.

Grade school principal Harry Bradstreet, awarded the graduating juniors with their diplomas and other honors. Barba Dunn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dunn, was valedictorian of the class and Evelyn Ann Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Smith, was salutatorian.

Senior graduate Charlie Davis presented the class rings to the class of '54. Rev. Bruce Medford gave the benediction.

### Four High School Graduates

The four high school graduates were Robbie LeHarvie Blackman, Charlotte Berry Sutherland, Charlie Dee Davis and Bobby Guinn Blair.

### Ten Grade School Graduates

The ten grade school graduates were Barba Dunn, Kelton Gaston, Lynn Glass, David Gruney, Jimmie McWhorter, Dahlia Moreno, Jo Ann Parker, Barbara Simmons, Evelyn Smith, and Kay White.

## Methodist Vacation Bible School Next Week

The Vacation Bible School will get under way at the First Methodist Church here next week. The hours for the school will be each morning from 9 till eleven o'clock, reminded Mrs. Lee Reed, superintendent\* of the school.

Classes for children from the beginners through intermediate ages, will be held. A complete faculty will be on hand, and a good crowd of children is expected.

Mrs. Reed and the pastor, Bruce Medford, extends a cordial invitation to the children of Sterling to attend the school each morning of next week.

### DAUGHTER TO THE EMERYS

A daughter, named Denise Ann, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Emery on Monday night of this week at the Sterling County hospital. The baby weighed seven pounds and one ounce. This is the second child of the Emery's. They have a little boy, Terry Lynn.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Mitchel of Sterling and Mr. and Mrs. Pittman Emery of Idalou.

### Sterling Teachers Return Volley Ball Game With Garden City

The Sterling faculty members returned a volley ball game with the Garden City teachers there Tuesday evening of this week. Sterling won 56-38. Proceeds were benefit of the P.T.A. there.

Going and playing from the local school were Helen Brown, Mrs. Bena Davis, Oscar L. Dorsey, George Blackburn, Bill Hood, Harry Bradstreet and O. T. Jones.



**HOBO LUNCHEON FOR BIRTH DAY PARTY**

Mrs. Ross Foster entertained with a hobo luncheon May 5th, honoring her daughter, Rosanne, on her fifth birthday. The affair was held in the Legion Hut.

Among those present were David Foster, Kathy Haralson, Su Speck, Mike Stuckwisch, Neillwyn King, Jane Copeland, Susan Medford, Mike Foster, Bill Foster, Billy Boyd Allen, Jack Clark, Tommy Foster, Vicki June Johnson, Crisp Williams, Tommy Williams, Marshall Troy Murrell, Shirley and Elaine Price, Jeannie Lynn McDonald, Bitsy Durham, James Morgan and Betty Jo Barrett.

**Crowd at Mrs. A. G. Daves For Mother's Day**

Thirty-three children, grandchildren and friends gathered at the home of Mrs. A. G. Daves Sunday, Mother's Day. Twenty-eight were present for dinner.

Present were the Oliver Daves of Garden City, the Ellis and Clarence Daves families of Big Spring, Mrs. Jack Langham of Odessa, Jeannie McGuire, Mrs. H. C. Dunn and children, Charlotte Sutherland, Robbie Blackman, the Gravy and Doc Daves families, all of Sterling and other friends from San Angelo.

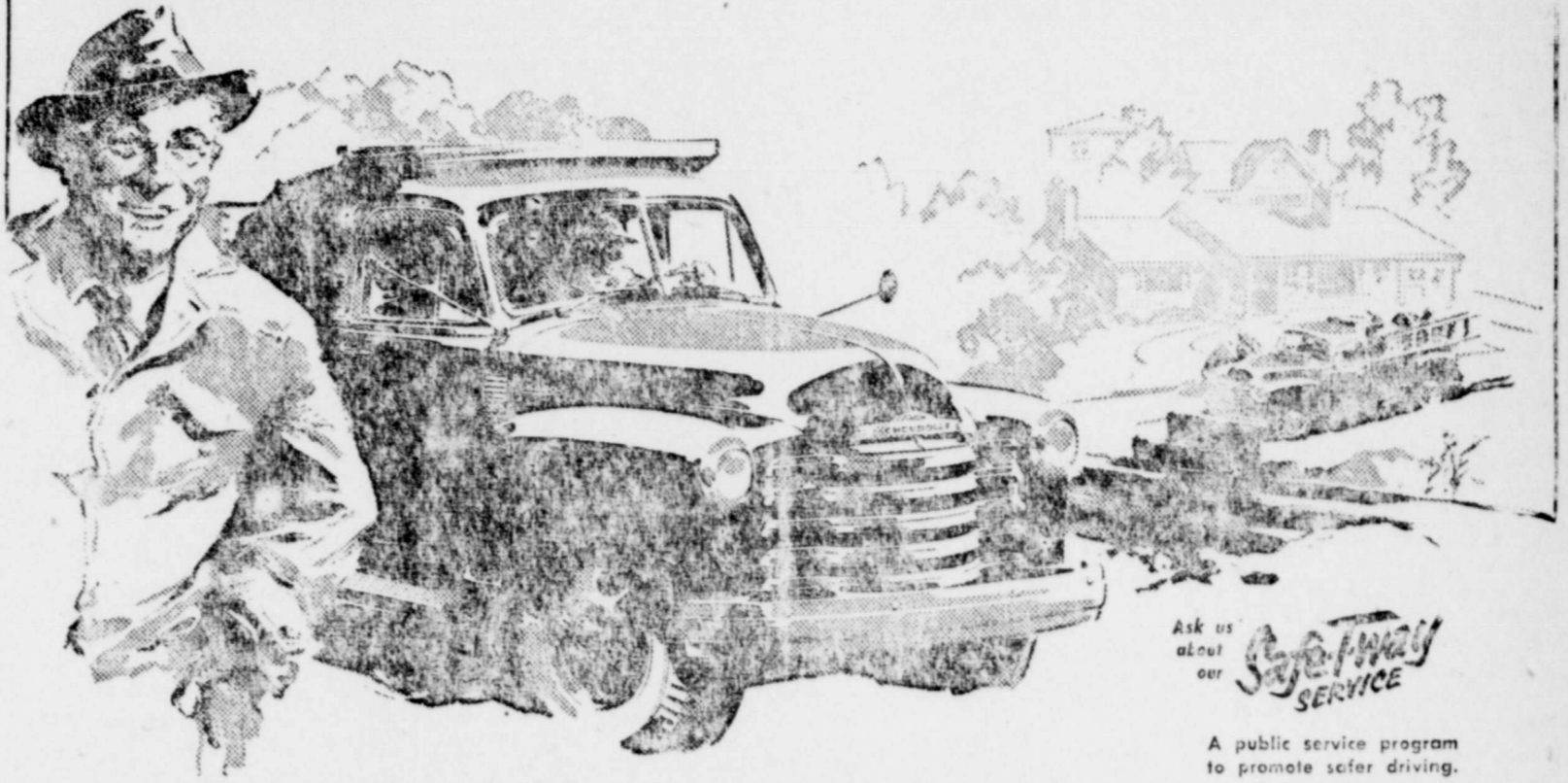
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Mrs. Lee will display work of the largest class of adults, elementary, junior and high school pupils who have worked in oils, pastels and water colors. Some of Mrs. Lee's oil and pastel work will be displayed, also.

Later in the summer Mrs. Lee will be joined in a show by Dr. Dwight Jones, local optometrist and pictorial photography artist. Dr. Jones will display many beautiful and interesting works captured with his camera, while Mrs. Lee will show portraits of local citizens and children of Big Spring which she will work up before the show date.

The public is invited to attend these shows.

Mrs. Lee is a sister of Mrs. Wm. J. Swann and has sold a number of paintings here.

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**FOUR PIANO RECITAL IN GARDEN CITY MAY 18, 8 p.m.**

Mrs. Rube Ricker's Four Piano recital will be presented in Garden City at the auditorium on Monday night, May 18 at 8 p.m., it was announced this week.

Popular music will be featured with ragtime and comedy numbers presented in between.

The public is cordially invited to attend the performance.

**CARD OF THANKS**

I want to thank Dr. Swann, the nurses and the cook for being so attentive and thoughtful while I was in the hospital, and also Jim and the Highway boys for the flowers, and for the cards and visits.  
R. F. Burns

**CARD OF THANKS**

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J. W. Westbrook, who has been in Amarillo the past nine months, is replacing Smitty. Before living in Amarillo, Westbrook was a resident of San Angelo.

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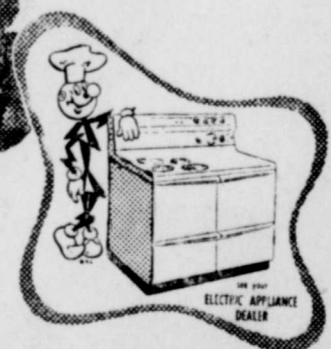
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