# **STERLING CITY NEWS-RECORD**

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MAY 28, 1954

### HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in the Sterling County Hospital on Thursday morning of this week included-

Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Glass Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week include-

Albert Gruny Mrs. J. L. Glass

Behind The 8 Ball

8-BALL

Davton Barrett slid into home plate Tuesday night and in the confusion or "somepin" sat on his foot, breaking some bones in his foot. Last year, H. A. Chapple, got a broken collarbone during softball season.

8-BALL

The lights went out here Monday night. And a tom cat lost all nine lives in one sitting. A cat, hunting birds in nests, got up at the substation deal-and as he arched his back into the 13,000 volt wire-kerflooey. It burned a hole through his back about as big as a fistplumb through him as well as ruining all four feet-said Tom Onstott, utilities manager here. Tom said he thought it was Hal Knight's tom cat.

8-BALL

J. S. Augustine broke a shoulder three weeks ago in a n accident on the ranch and Wednesday of this week he sprained the other one. This should keep him tied down for a little while. 8-BALL

THINGS ARE GOING TO THE DOGS !

May grand-dad, viewing earth's worn cogs,

Said things were going to the dogs; His grand-dad, in his house of logs,

Said thing swere going to the dogs; His grand-dad, in old Ireland's bogs,

Said things were going to the dogs; togs.

state,

dogs have had a good,

# Monday To Be Holiday In Sterling City

Monday, May 31, will be observed by the merchants here as Memorial Day holiday. The bank, offices and stores will take the day off, giving employees a double deal-with Sunday.

Buyers of groceries and other items had better stock up.

# Bryant-Hopper Wedding Here May 18

Miss Euna Lee Bryant became the bride of J. L. Hopper at the Baptist parsonage on the night of May 18, following the high school commencement exercises at the school. Baptist pastor Robert Ritchie performed the ceremony in the presence of friends and relatives. The bride, a granddaughter of Mrs. A. G. Daves, was graduated with the high school class this month. Mr. Hopper is employed by the Texas Electric Service Company at the dam near Colorado City, and they are making their

home there. Present at the wedding were Mrs. A. G. Daves, Mrs. J. W. Daves, Clarence Daves, Bill Bryant, of Big Spring, Billie Nadine Green, Patsy Martin, Don C. Carper and Marshall Blair.

Presewski-Augustine Wedding May 19

Miss Marthe Presewski and G. W. Augustine were married at the locouple left immediately for Jack- semester or for the whole year. son, Mississippi, where they will make their home. Martha has been a registered nurse here with the Mrs. I. W. Terry Is Sterling County hospital since it opened. G. W. is the son of Mr. and Noratadata Hostess Mrs. Will Augustine.

Hector Long, son of the C. A. His grand-dad, in his old skin Longs, is home from Sam Houston College, where he is a student. Said things were going to the dogs; Hector, a major in the Army Re-There's one thing that I have to serve Officer Training Corps, will training course at Fort Benning,

# Perfect Attendance Students' Records

NEITHER ABSENT NOR TARDY. ALL YEAR

Nelwn King - First Grade Judy Hamilton Third Grade David Durham - Fourth Grade Nella June Parker-Sixth Grade Ona Mae Bilderback - Eighth Grade

Gayle Steward - Eighth Grade Leslie Cole - Eleventh Grade Dan Glass - Twelfth Grade Joann Parker - Ninth Grade FOR ONE SEMESTER FirstGrade:

Shirley Price, Jane Copeland, Marilyn Newcomb, Sandra Kay Parker, Vinita Su Speck, Royce ry Blackburn, Rebecca Su Cox SECOND GRADE:

Ginger Stone, Mitsi Davis, Jerry Craig and Charles Daves.

FOURTH GRADE:

Jimmy Parker and Jacque Caperton FIFTH GRADE:

Enedina Medina

SIXTH GRADE:

Jerry Lee Parker, Frances Brown, Ellen Counts, Craig Sparks, Judy Stewart

SEVENTH GRADE

Nathan Morris, Clauda Collins, Sandra Williams, Alfred Chapple, Lucia Lujon

EIGHTH GRADE

Wilbur Stone, Marvin Foster, Melvin Foster, Glenda Sparks HIGH SCHOOL

Lewis Blackman, Barbara Simmons, Barba Dun, Bobby Dunn

The above students were awarded perfect attendance certificates at the close of school, May 21, 1954, if cal Methodist parsonage on May 19 they had been neither absent nor by Bruce Medford, pastor. The tardy for either first or second

The Noratadata Club met in the Roy Foster home with Mrs. I. W. Terry as hostess.

A business meeting was held and the date set for the club picnic. Mrs. leave next week for a six-weeks training course at Fort Benning the committee. Mrs. Martin Reed, Williams are to work with her. The picnic will be Friday, June 25 at the Becomes Vectorday." Mrs. Joe Emery and Mrs. Hubert Cole ranch.

# **Lions Club Luncheon**

The Lions Club members met in the community center Wednesday for the regular weekly luncheon. Guests included Diddle Young,

the new coach, Wade Cooper, and A. A. Cowsert of Sonora.

The club voted to pay Mrs. Levi Martin a minimum of 35 meals each Wednesday. The air conditioning committee had not yet received enough bids to report on.

It was discussed that new homes or houses should be built here to relieve the housing shortage and to make room for new citizens. The acting president, R. T. Caperton, appointed a committee to look into a contractor or carpenters to move but no one is quite prepared for, down. He appointed Delbert Har- segregation in public schools in a alson, Dr. W. J. Swann, Wayne L. historic decision last week. Zuck, H. A. Chapple, and H. L. Hildebrand.

#### FORMER STERLING BOY NOW SUPERINTENDEN' OF SCHOOLS AT STEPHENVILLE

J. C. Helm, Jr., superintendent of the DeLeon Public Schools for the past four years, has resigned to become superintendent of the Stephenville schools effective July 1. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J.C. Helm, Sr. Democrat Star Route, of Comanche.

Mr. Helm a 1935 graduate of the Comanche High School, is 38 years the question of further encroachold and holds B.A. and M.A. Degrees from North Texas State College at Denton. He is a veteran of World War II.

High School while his father was upon States' rights in dealing with school superintendent here.

## Joe David Crossno To **Get Doctor's Degree**

Joe David Crosson, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Crossno, will re-Southwestern Medical School on Monday evening, June 7, it has practical solution. been announced by the university.



Like a death in a family which the situation and perhaps interest everyone knows is going to happen Gene Sparks, Tommy Foster, Lar- here so building costs could be held the Supreme Court knocked out

In reversing a half dozen prior decisions of that court on the subject, the Court held for the first time in judicial history the "separate but equal" doctrine no longer obtains. The courts in the past, going back to 1896, have uniformly held that equal treatment is accorded a student when the races are accorded substantially equal facilities even though these facilities be separate. Such eminent jurist as the late Oliver Wendell Holmes and Charles Evans Hughes upheld that doctrine.

In thus throwing overboard prior uniform decision on the subject, ment by the judicial upon the legislative perogatives ie raised, and the decision, based upon "psychological" reasons, raises the enevitable He was a student in Sterling City question of further encroachment matters pertaining to education.

But the Supreme Court, the Court of last resort, has spoken, and we must now operate under what the law is and not what we may think it should be. In some of the Southern States public schools will be discontinued and replaced by private schools. Perhaps more ceive his doctor of medicine de- generally, made easier by segregree from the University of Texas gated areas of population, there will be "segregation by choice" as a

**RETURNED** questionaires from our district have now been tabul-Dr. Edward Lewis Turner, Am- ated. Many thousands of returns erican Medical Association council give a fairly accurate barometer of of medical education and hospitals public opinion on a dozen current public opinion on a dozen current been read and all comments have Tom Sealy of Midland, University ben carefully considered. I wish to of Texas Board of Regents chair- express my appreciation for the man will confer the degrees upon generous cooperation that has been presentation of the candidates by accorded in this undertaking. Copies Dr. George N. Aagaard, Southwest-ern Medical School dean. Drs. Atti-person who returned the questioncus James Gill and Robert Woodfin aire and to any others who request PRESIDENT Eisenhower continues to command widespread confidence in our area. On the question of "Do you think that, in general, President Eisenhower is doing a good job?" 83 percent answered 'Yes" and 9 percent said "No" Sixty-three percent favor flexible as opposed to rigide 90 percent support for farm commodities, while 23 percent favor the 90 percent level. Fourteen percent either favored no supports at all or had no opinion on the subject.

long wait.

#### 8-BALL

NEW CAT-AND-RAT RANCH FORMED

GET rich . sell for around 30c each.

One hundred men can skin 5,000 cats a day. We figure a daily net profit of over \$10,000. Now what shall we feed the cats? We will start a rat ranch next door, with and Tuesday, June 1, due to the 1,000,000 rats. The rats will breed Memorial Day holiday here next twelve times faster that the cats, Monday.

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Georgia. Anonymous.

so we will have four rats to feed ORMED! each cat a day. Now what shall we feed the rats? We will feed the rats We are starting a the carcasses of these skinned cats. high and Mrs. Ewing McEntire, cat ranch in Lacon, with 100,000 Now then, get this- We feed the cats. Each cat will average twelve cats to the rats, and the cats to the kittens a year. The cat skins will rats, and get the skins for nothing-Dang near perpetual motion.

Or somepin'.

8-BALL

H. A. Chapple said his grocery specials are good Saturday, May 29

#### THE POET'S ENIGMA



-photo by J. A. Robb The head-like object held in the lap of poet Wallace Havelock Robb, AbLey Dawn Museum of Archeology, near Kingston, Ontario, has so far baffled experts. That it has been 'worked' is agreed but how and by what primeval race they do not know. Any person with a theory to advance is invited to contact the Ontario Department of Travel and Publicity, Toronte or poet Robb himself.

Bridge was played and Mrs. Bill Cole won high, Mrs. Sterling second bingo.

Others present were Mrs. J. Q. Foster, Mrs. Anna Lee Johnson, Mrs. Chapple Murrell, Mrs. Finis Westbrook, Mrs. Dean Johnson, Mrs. Billy Roland Conger, Mrs. Ross Foster, Mrs. Neal J. Reed, Mrs. Chesley McDonald, Mrs. William Foster, Mrs. Reynolds Foster and Mrs. Lester Foster.

#### WINS PIANO HONORS

Kent Jones of Sterling City and Kay Frances Mikeska of Eden, Frederick Hambright III, son of piano pupils of Mrs. Carter Dalton, won international honors in the National Guild of Piano Players auditions last week in Abilene. Ancial Middlebrook of Vick and Glenda Barth won national honors and Margaret Moss and Dan McIver were given state honors. District honors went to Gillene Pluger and JoAnn Carter.

Mrs. Wanda DuBose is the new nurse at the Sterling County Hospital. Mrs. DuBose, a R. N., received her training at the Shannon School of nursing in San Angelo.

# LOCAL ITEMS

Mr. and Mrs. R. A. West of Dallas spent last week-end here visiting the O. F. Carpers. Mrs. West is Mrs. Carper's sister.

The Horace Denalsons and the Billy Hull Barbees are vacationing in California

J. T. Davis, president of the bank, has been hospitalized in the Shannon Hospital since Wednesday of last week.

Wednesday.

Becomes Yesterday."

Lackey, assistant deans, will pre- them sent academic hoods. Assistant Dean John Stewart Chapman will administer the physician's oath.

# Carty-Hambright Nuptials in Denver

Miss Dolores Carty and John Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Hambright of Fort Worth took place Saturday, April 24 in the Augustana Lutheran Church in Denver, Colorado. The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Midland Rodeo Opens Bernice Carty of Denver and the late Walter J. Carty.

The couple will make their home in Plainville, Kansas ofter the wedding trip to Colorado Springs and Green Mountain Falls.

Attending the wedding from here were Mrs. Ruth Allen, the groom's grandmother and Mr. and Mrs. Ewing McEntire.

Mrs. Ralph Bynum was released from the St. John's Hospital, San Angelo, the first part of this week.

#### Attention, High School Boys

Coach Diddle Young has requested the local high school boys to meet with him at the gym at 2:30 next Tuesday afternoon. He is planning to work up a high school World Champion Cowhands will be softball team to compete in the all over the place and the competisecond half of the season as well as tion between man and beast promian athletic program.

terrey, Mexico.

# June 2

Midland -- Bulls wild horses, dogging steers and fleetfooted calves from the Lightening C Ranch at Dublin, Texas will arrive in Midland this week-end in preparation for the 20th Annual World Championship Rodeo to run from June 2 thru 6.

The famous Lightening C Quadrille will be seen in each performance and Buddy Heaton, one of the nation's foremost Bull Fighting Clowns will thrill kids and grownups alike with his antice.

Everett Colborn, Arena Director, promises the toughest stock ever seen in Midland's all- steel arena during the show's 20-year history. ses to be at its thrilling best this year.

A mile long parade, featuring The 1954 Seniors and chaperones gigantic balloons depicting familiar Atending the Methodist Annual returned from their senior trip characters, bands, clowns, mounted Monday night. We failed to name drill teams, floats and specialities Conference (Southwest Texas) in San Antonio this week are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Foster and the H. L. Hil-debrands. The Bruce Medfords Robert Foster and Judy Hamilton. The show, expect the 1954 rodeo to went Tuesday and the others went The trip took the group to Mon- be the biggest ever staged in West Texas.

#### STERLING CITY (TEXAS) NEWS-RECORD, MAY 28, 1954

### **Donkey Softball Game** Here June 15

CARD OF THANKS Bill Loven announced this week To my friends: I want to thank that a donkey softball game would be held on the local field on the you for the kindesses shown me night of June 15. The players of while I was in the hospital-for the the regular teams here will be the flowers, cards, visits and other courplayers and the donkeys are being tesies. furnished by Cliff Durham of Crescent, Oklahoma.

#### REPORT OF COUNTY TREASURER, MRS. SALLIE WALLACE For the QUARTER ENDING MARCH 31, 1954 JURY FUND

said Loven.

Sincerely,

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PERMANENT SCHOOL INTEREST ACCOUNT To balance last report Dec. 31, 1953 Amount received since last report Amount paid out since last report Balance March 31, 1954

Money raised will go toward de- CARD OF THANKS fraying the light bill at the field, I want to thank my friends for the cards, gifts, flowers, visits and week. other courtesies shown to me while I was hospitalized.

Albert (York) Gruny Dr. and Mrs. Greer returned from San Antonio and San Saba last Friday, where they spent a few days

last week. During his absence from Sterling City, Dr. Greer attended Mrs. J. L. Glass District Court in Llano in behalf of a friend. Also, he went to Corpus Christi to conduct the funeral of a life-long friend and class-mate at 2989.03 Austin College, James H. Ewing, who was the son of the late Dr. C.

> Church here 1916-1919. 15,167.33 19,970,79 Mr. and Mrs. Thomas E. Gaines 12,775.28 of Brady were united in marriage 22,362.84 at the First Presbyteriah Church Manse, Monday afternoon at 5. The, 30,410.87 pastor, Dr. Baxter Greer performed 6,922.43 the wedding ceremony. 14,466.14

218.19 L. Ewing, who served as Stated 3,010.79 Supply of the First Presbyterian

#### 22,867.16 ANNOUNCEMENT 1,633.35 239.95 COLUMN 230.26

1,643.04 The following candidates are announcing for the offices as listed, 1,970.74 subject to the action of the Demo-319.76 cratic Primary in July: 316.25 For COUNTY TREASURER: 1,974.25 MRS. SALLIE WALLACE For U. S. REPRESENTATIVE, 21st 560.50 CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT: .00 SAM CONNALLY .00 O. C. FISHER 560.50 For REPRESENTATIVE, 101st Dist: 2,541.31 OBIE BRISTOW 638.94 For COUNTY JUDGE: .00 G. C. MURRELL (Reelection) ) 3,180.25 T. E. (Gene) CARR For COUNTY & DISTRICT CLERK: 189.23 W.W. DURHAM (Reelection) 1,477.81 For SHERIFF, TAX-ASSESSOR 382.45 AND COLLECTOR: 1,284.59 W.O. (Bill) GREEN (Reelection) 20,992.85 For COUNTY ATTORNEY: .00 WORTH B. DURHAM .00 For COMMISSIONER, Prec. No. 1: 20,992.85 ROY FOSTER For COMMISSIONER, Prec. No. 2: 13,078.91 DAYTON BARRETT 12,747.62 For COMMISSIONER, Prec. No. 3:

RALPH DAVIS 331.29 For COUNTY COMMISSIONER, 393.75 PREC. No. 4: 587.50 E. F. MCENTIRE .00 For JUSTICE OF THE PEACE:

A.W. DEAREN (Reelection) IRA RATLIFF

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The Bill Greens are visiting their Mrs. Jack Smith of Rankin and farm near Evertor, Arkansas this her son and his family, the Louis

cups or dispensers, see and buy week-end. Mrs. Smith is Roy's them at the News--Record.

Smiths, visited the Roy Morgans When you need paper drinking and Mrs. D. C. Durham here last sister.

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#### Baxter D. D. Greer, Pastor Sunday School 10:00 a.m. Morning Worship 11:00 a.m. **Evening Worship** 7:30 p.m.

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The women of the Presbyterian Church packed and mailed last Monday a large "duffle bag" of useful clothing for "Over Seas Relief" and boxes of wearing apparel for Presbyterians Institutions: Tex-Mex at Kingsville; Pres-Mex at Taft and Stuart Robinson at Blackie, Ky. This is a project to help worthy students at these institutions.

#### STERLING CITY (TEXAS) NEWS-RECORD, MAY 28, 1954

# **ONLY FORD TODAY** HAS THE FEATURES

Dr. Greer will use as his sermon subject Sunday at 11 a.m. "The Lord of the Harvest". The topic Sunday at 7:30 p. m. will be "Out of the Depths". Sunday School at 10 a.m.

# **Church of Christ Vacation Bible School**

The Vacation Bible Schol at the Church of Christ, which began on Monday morning, will close Saturday, May 29, said Wayne Zuck, minister.

The school has been conducted each morning from 9 'till 11. Good crowds of children have attended and the school has been a success. **MEETING STARTS JUNE 6** 

The Church of Christ meeting, Tom E. Wallace, Hobbs N. M., as preacher, will be held June 6-13, said Bro. Zuck. Both morning and evening services will be held, at 10 a. m. and 8:15 p. m., it was announced.

#### SINGING JUNE 6 AT 2:45

There will be a singing at the church Sunday afternoon at 2:45 p. m.

A cordial invitation is extended to all to attend the meeting and the singing.

## **Methodist Vacation Bible School**

The Methodist Vacation Bible School will begin on June 7 and run through June 11.

The school will enroll children from 4 years of age through the intermediate age group.

The kindergarten age group will hold daily sessions from 9 a.m. to 11 a.m. The rest of the school will have daily classes from 9 a.m. to 11:45 a.m.

The tentative list of workers is as follows:

Mrs. Lester Foster, Mrs. H. L. Hildebrand, Mrs. Finis Westbrook, Mrs. Bruce Medford, Mrs. Jack Douthit, Mrs. Coe, Mrs. Dayton Barret, Mrs. Lee Augustine, Mrs. Charlie Speck, Mrs. Worth Durham, Miss Jo Retta Owen and Mrs. Lee Reed.

A planning session for the school was held at the parsonage on Monday of this week with Mrs. Lee Reed, Mrs. Lester Foster, Mrs. Jack

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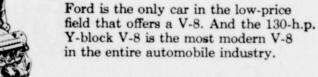
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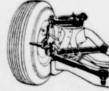
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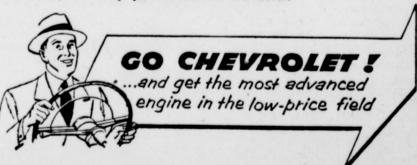
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