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# BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS

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## Lions Club Will Hold Carnival Here October 2 and 3

The Silvertown Lions Club have announced a home-talent carnival for Friday night, Saturday and Sunday night, October 2 and 3, to raise funds to help build a Boy Scout hut. The carnival grounds will be on the south side of the courthouse square, president of the Lions Club, Ralph Glover, said.

Many booths of entertainment will be set up along Carnival Row, such as bottle racks, cork gun shooting gallery, hot dog stand, ducking board, basketball basket, donkey and cart and other forms of amusement.

Members of the Lions Club extend an invitation to everyone to come out and enjoy the events and have a part in the project involved.

## Notice of Election Oct 1, to Elect Three Hospital Directors

Notice of Election of three directors of Briscoe County Clinic Association, Thursday night, October 1, 1953.

### NOTICE!

An election to be held in County Court Room at courthouse, Thursday, October 1, 1953 at 8 o'clock, for the purpose of selecting three directors for Briscoe County Clinic Association to fill the expiring terms of Hugh Nance and W. Arnold Brown and to fill the un-expired term of one year of Mr. Spencer Long.

## MR. AND MRS. NEESE RETURN FROM MONTH TRIP

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Neese and his brother, Dan Neese, of Coolridge, Arizona, returned Saturday from a months vacation trip to Tennessee to visit the Neese brothers' relatives and attend a family reunion. The first reunion was held at Shelbyville, where seventy relatives attended. The second get-together was held at Nashville, where they had 104 relatives present. This is an annual affair, and this year makes the third time Mr. and Mrs. Neese have made the trip to attend the reunion. They reported a very enjoyable trip.

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## Briscoe County Entry Won 13 Ribbons at Amarillo Show

Results from the Tri State Fair in Amarillo which ended Saturday showed that Briscoe County won 13 ribbons on agriculture products shown there. These ribbons are in the County Agents Office and will be sent out to the persons furnishing the crops that were used getting them. The prize money from these awards will go into the 4-H Club County Fund as the boys helped considerably in bringing these products in. Mr. Wayland Fitzgerald and Aubrey Rowell did the official showing of these products last Monday morning in Amarillo. They both reported that the competition was really tough; especially from counties having fairs previous to this.

The display was taken down Saturday night and was taken to the South Plains Fair in Lubbock on Sunday. It is hoped that there will be a number from this County attend that fair.

County Agent Robert Ledbetter said that he would especially like to thank every one who helped by furnishing products to be entered in the fairs and also to Butch Wyatt and Alvin Jackson who helped him gather and prepare these products.

## LUNCHEON HELD IN HONOR OF RENE VON BRONNECK OF AUSTRIA

Mrs. Harold Seefeldt was hostess at a luncheon honoring Rene von Bronneck of Vienna, Austria, in the home of her mother, Mrs. Grady Wimberly on Friday at 12:30.

Otehr guests were Mrs. W. B. Little, of Littlefield; Mrs. Neil Burnside, of Phoenix, Arizona; Mrs. G. A. Elrod and Mrs. Lela Kellum.

Rene is the houseguest of Mrs. Little during her six months residence in the United States.

## ATTEND O. E. S. MEETING IN PLAINVIEW

Those attending the O. E. S. Friendship night and salad supper at Plainview last Friday evening were: Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Lindsey, Mesdames L. D. Griffin, Ware Fogerson, Robert Hill, Grady Wimberly, Lily Wofford, Lula Bellinger, Ray C. Bomar, E. E. Minter, Hugh Nance, Richard Hill, Keith Tiffin, Ralph Glover, Glenn McWilliams.

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TO PLAY FOR EISENHOWER—The Texas Future Farmers String Band who will play before President Eisenhower at the National

Future Farmers Convention in Kansas City, October 15. Reading from left to right are: Sonny Curtis, Meadow; Mervin Dawson,

David Kirby, and Boyd Moore, all of Jacksonville.

## Silvertown Wins Third Game of the Season Friday Night

The Silvertown Owls high school football team won their third straight game of the season on the home field Friday night when they downed Happy 33-9 score.

The teams fought through an unscoring first quarter before Silvertown quarterback Freddie Hamilton scooted two yards for the first tally in the second quarter. Jack Graham, right tackle with the educated toe booted the extra point to give Silvertown a 7-0 half time edge.

In the third period left halfback Don Ledbetter, stellar 150 pounder charged four yards for the second tally and Hamilton passed to right halfback Don Wilson for the extra point. Ledbetter again went 12 yards over right tackle to score another before the period closed 20-0.

Silvertown Coach Buddy Travis left his regulars in until the waning minutes. Before they left a jump-pass from Hamilton to left end Jack Williamson scored again and a Hamilton to Wilson pass was good for the conversion.

Fullback Darrell O'Connor loosened up late in game and plunged six yards for the final Silvertown tally to give them a 33-0 lead.

Happy tacklers trapped left end Jack Williamson behind the Silvertown goal attempting a punt and scored two points on a safety. The visitors then went to work on the reserves and Joe Barrett ran 20 yards around right end to score. Fullback Thermond Oler scored the extra on a line plunge to make nine markers for Happy. Oler, a 160 pounder, was valuable passer and runner for Happy.

## 1952 STUDY CLUB MET THURSDAY IN CLUB ROOM

The 1952 Study Club met Thursday, September 24, in the club room, with eleven members present.

Subject—"Women of International Importance" given by Mrs. Kenneth Bean.

The next meeting will be October 8.

Mrs. Norland Dudley and Joan, of Petersburg, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dudley from Wednesday until Saturday of last week. Norlan and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Newton came for them Saturday afternoon.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tobie Fuller last week were his niece and family, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Webb, of Ponder, Texas. Weekend visitors in the Fuller home were their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Lee, of Lubbock.

Darrell O'Connor had as overnight guests last Wednesday his grandmother, Mrs. Mary O'Connor, of Oklahoma City, his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Martin O'Connor, and an aunt, Mrs. Garland Hutchins and daughter, Susie, of Hobbs, New Mexico.

## Century of Progress Study Club Sponsor Silver Tea

One of the highlights of the club year for the Century of Progress Study Club was a silver tea last Friday in the First Baptist Church. Their guest speaker was Frau Renee von Bronneck, Austrian born lecturer, who is the daughter of a distinguished opera composer, of an aristocratic Australian family. She is a naturalized British subject and has traveled a great deal in Europe, but she wanted to know all about American women and was especially thrilled at being able to visit Texas.

Her talk included interesting things about life in Vienna, peculiarities, strange customs of her country, the tragic private life of members of the house of Hapsburg strange tale of the country folk, typical persons of the folk and their humor. She is described as having the dramatic ability to picture things as if they were molded before your eyes, which made her talk especially interesting.

The members of the Century of Progress Club were pleased to have had this distinguished guest and other guests which included members of the other Study Clubs of Silvertown, members of the ESA Sorority of Silvertown, and guests from Floydada, Lockney, Plainview, Lone Star, Littlefield, Levelland, and Silvertown.

## Funeral Services Today for Mrs. J. T. Wimberly

Mrs. J. T. Wimberly, one of Briscoe County's Pioneers, passed away at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Lela Kellum, September 29, 1953, after an illness of several months. Funeral services will be held Thursday (today) at 10 a. m. at the First Baptist Church, with Rev. G. A. Elrod officiating, assisted by Rev. C. R. Hankins.

Mrs. Wimberly was born May 17, 1857 and had been a resident of this county many years. The obituary will be carried in next weeks issue.

## ATTEND FUNERAL OF BROTHER AND UNCLE

Mrs. Raymond Grewe and mother, Mrs. Walter Cobb and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Cobb, of Quitaque, went to Whitesboro, Texas Saturday night and attended the funeral of their brother and uncle, Ed True, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buster Wade, their daughter and two grand children, of Fort Worth, were recent visitors with his sister, Mrs. J. K. Bean and Mr. Bean.

Mrs. Una Burson visited Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Merriott near Plainview from Sunday until Wednesday of last week. They visited in Plainview one day.

## Mr. and Mrs. Dowdy Return From Vacation

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Dowdy returned Monday from their vacation. They visited their son, Ross W. Dowdy in Burlington, Iowa. Ross took a weeks vacation and took them to Murray, Kentucky, Mr. Dowdy's old home, enroute they visited in Springfield, Illinois, and Paducah, Kentucky. They visited the "Great Kentucky Dam" near Paducah—had lots of fish to eat and report a fine trip.

While in Burlington they had the pleasure of meeting and visiting with Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Diviney and family. Mrs. Diviney is a sister of Mrs. Watson Douglas. They sent regards to all old friends in Silvertown. On their return trip they stopped off at Pampa to visit a day and night with Mrs. Dowdy's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Williams.

## OUTDOOR STEAK FRY HELD AT HOME OF MRS. LELA KELLUM

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Burnside and family, of Phoenix, Arizona, who have been visiting his grandmother, Mrs. J. T. Wimberly, was honored at a steak fry at the home of Mrs. Lela Kellum on last Thursday evening.

Other relatives attending were: Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wimberly, Mr. and Mrs. Allen Kellum, Fred, Leah Dare and Joe and Mr. and Mrs. Harold Seefeldt, Joe and John.

Messrs. H. E. Wilson and H. S. Crow attended a singing in Lockney Sunday afternoon.

Schott Allard, of Fort Sumner, New Mexico, has been a recent visitor with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. Allard.

## Cattlemen From Seven Counties Will Meet

Matador, Sept. 30.—Cattlemen from seven West Texas counties will meet here October 6th to ask for price supports on livestock, according to County Judge Vance Gilbreath. The meeting will be held in the District Court room at 7:30 p. m.

Principal speaker will be S. E. (Eck) Brown of Dalhart, President of the newly-formed United Livestock Producers' Association. However, the purpose of the meeting is not to organize, Judge Gilbreath declared, but to inform Washington that the cattlemaster's plight has been misrepresented.

"The economy of the entire cattle industry has been undermined by the attitude of Southwestern Cattlemen's Association in declining federal aid in the crisis which has been increased by the severe drought," he said.

"Cattlemen in the entire nation face certain ruin unless the situation receives immediate government relief. We live in a controlled economy and the cattlemaster must become a part of it if he is to survive.

"In the meeting here we will seek three objectives: (1) Drought-relief feeds; (2) Price supports; and (3) an effective government cattle buying program."

Cattlemen from the following counties have been asked to attend: Floyd, Cottle, Briscoe, Hall, Dickens, King and Motley.

R. L. Johnson returned home Monday after having spent several days in Perryton with his son, Lewis Johnson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Bean attended the funeral of his brother in law at Comanche, Texas last week.

## Select Nation's Outstanding 4-H'ers as Honored Delegates to Club Congress



[Above] Discussion periods are a feature of the Club Congress. All delegates are divided into "huddles" of six, these units reaching an opinion on various "agree-disagree" questions. Then the groups reassemble for final deliberation. Most questions at the 1953 Club Congress likely will concern the theme—"Working Together for World Understanding."

CHICAGO—Special—More than 1,200 outstanding rural youth—mostly farm boys and girls—from the 48 states, Alaska, Hawaii and Puerto Rico, will be honored delegates to the 32nd National 4-H Congress in Chicago, November 29-December 3. They are the "cream of the crop" selected by the Extension Service as state, sectional and national winners in the 1953 4-H award programs of projects of agriculture and homemaking.

The youthful delegates will represent more than 2 million active fellow members throughout the United States.

Expenditures of the National Committee on Boys and Girls Club Work, a citizens' group, total approximately \$900,000 in grants annually to assist the Cooperative Extension Service in furthering the program, membership and influence of 4-H. The major portion of the grants, which are provided by some 40 industrial organizations, foundations and prominent public-spirited men and women, are used for 4-H merit awards, including medals, savings bonds, trips, college scholarships and leader training.

Among the corporations and foundations providing grants are Allis-Chalmers, American Forest Products Industries, Carnation Co., Firestone Tire, Ford Motor Co. and Ford Tractor Division, General Motors, Hercules Powder, International Harvester, Kellogg Co., Kerr Glass, Mathieson Chemical, Montgomery Ward, Nash-Kelvinator, Sears-Roebuck Foundation, Simplicity Pattern, Spool Cotton, Standard Brands, United States Rubber, and Westinghouse Educational Foundation.

Cooperation is also provided by the Illinois Central, North Western, Rock Island and Milwaukee Railroads, Proctor Electric Co., Spinnerin Yarn, Toni Co., and Wm. Wrigley, Jr., Co. and Gene Autry.

Oil companies collaborating include American Oil, General Petroleum, Pan-Am Southern, Pure Oil, Standard Oil Foundation, Inc. (Chicago), Standard Oil Co. (Kentucky), The Standard Oil Co. (Ohio), Standard Oil and Gas, and Utah Oil Refining.

Individual donors include The President of the United States, Mrs. Charles R. Walgreen, Thomas E. Wilson, Edward Foss Wilson and Conrad Hilton.

"So fundamental and significant are the accomplishments of the 4-H Clubs that their principles have been accepted and initiated in more than 30 countries around the world," said G. L. Noble, director of the National Committee. "This is a splendid record." he continued, "considering that at the same time there has been consistent growth and a stronger foundation of sturdy citizenship laid at home. In part this accounts for the growing support of 4-H by our agricultural and industrial leaders."

## Former Artillery Commander Congratulates New President



Brig. Gen. Walter E. Hess of Washington, wartime 36th Division Artillery Commander (left), congratulates Jim Taylor, present commander (right), on his election as President of Texas' famous 36th Division Association. Some 400 veterans of the Division attended the twenty-eighth reunion of present and former members of the Division at the Gunter Hotel in San Antonio last week end. General Taylor, whose home is in Kerens, is Executive Director of the Texas Motor Transportation Association in Austin and during World War II served under General Hess as a field artillery battalion Commander.

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## Wisely Planned Remodeling Makes Old Gristmill a Home



Converted from an old gristmill, the home above has a shingle front, topped by a fire-resistant asphalt shingle roof. A bow window replaced the barn-size doors in the old mill, bottom left. Inside this oversize window is the dining room, bottom right.

Sturdy old barns, garages—buildings of any kind, in fact—make comfortable homes if remodeling is intelligently planned and carried out.

The basic requirement is that the old structure be fundamentally sound in construction. When that is the case, skilled use of modern materials can convert the building into a fully satisfactory dwelling—often with the rich charm of age that cannot be acquired in any other way.

The old gristmill shown here is a prime example of how successful remodeling can be. As featured in Better Homes & Gardens magazine, the home has two bedrooms and bathroom on the second floor, living room and dining room on the ground floor, and

studio-workshop, laundry, and storage area in the basement.

The exterior now has a roof of fire-resistant asphalt shingles, widely used for remodeling because they can be applied on top of most old materials, red paint on the walls and white trim. A bow window took the place of the big, barn-size doors of the old mill.

Much of the home's charm is due to its environment, and colors were chosen in character with the tree-shaded, streamside location. With paint, colorful siding materials, and the wide range of solid and blended asphalt roofing colors, including pastel blends, color-styling in keeping with environment is possible with a house in any location.

then proceed past such school bus at a speed which is prudent, not exceeding ten (10) miles per hour, and with due caution for the safety of such children." Why not read it again and be sure that you know it thoroughly

The major portion of those school bus accidents for 1951 involved a violation of that section of the law—the motorist failed to stop. The loss of money will be the least thought in your mind if you have to look down at the torn, distorted body of a school child who was killed or injured because of your negligence.

The Texas Safety Association asks that you join with them in a concerted, statewide effort to remind Texas motorists that it is up to them to do their share in protecting our school children—after all, the children you save may be your own!

## PERSONALS

Mrs. Hobart Newberry received word Sunday that her father had died in Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. Newberry and sons left for Dallas immediately.

Mrs. Florence Fogerson and Mr. and Mrs. Ware Fogerson and family spent Sunday in Matador, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Day.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Zeigler went to Dallas on Saturday and were guests of relatives over night. On Sunday they went to Quitman, Texas, for a Zeigler family reunion. From Dallas they were accompanied by Messrs. J. C. Zeigler and Bill Zeigler, Mrs. Lizzie Nipp, and Mr. and Mrs. Eck Zeigler and family.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Johnson and children of Floydada, visited Mr. and Mrs. Farris Martin and family Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Corky Morris, of Tullia, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Rhea. Corky's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morris of Quitaque, visited in the Rhea home Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Ben Bingham took Benny Ray and Judy to Floydada on Tuesday to have their glasses repaired, both having had the misfortune of breaking their frames on Monday.

Alvin Redin took his mother, Mrs. W. E. Redin and Mrs. Frank Baldwin, of Sentinel, Oklahoma, to Henrietta on Saturday where they visited relatives until Monday. They visited Mrs. Frank Williams and her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Williams. Mesdames Redin, Baldwin and Frank Williams are sisters. Mesdames Redin and Baldwin lived near Henrietta many years ago and Mrs. Redin married there.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hodges went to Tullia on business Monday morning. Tuesday they went to Floydada to have Mrs. Hodges fitted for new glasses.

A. E. Frizzell and Pat, of Lone Star, were weekend guests of their daughter and sister, Mrs. George Long, and Mr. Long and children.

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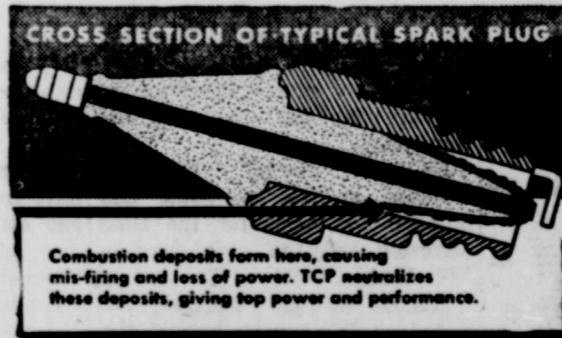
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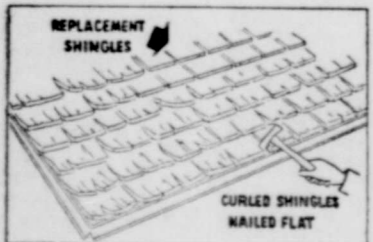
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### New Roof on Top of Old

If your house needs a new roof, consider the economical method



of laying a new roof on top of the old one.

Asphalt shingles, a colorful material which enhances the attractiveness of older dwellings, are customarily used for this purpose. The method saves the expense of tearing the wornout roofing off and retains the insulation value of the old material.

The old surface, however, must first be smoothed to serve as a firm nailing base. To do this, it is necessary to replace missing and rotted shingles with new ones, split curled shingles and nail the segments down, and re-nail loose shingles in new nail locations.

### State Fair of Texas

MORE TO SEE  
in '53



- Ethel Merman Show
- ★ ICE CYCLES OF '54
  - ★ AUT SWENSON THRILLCADE
  - ★ MILLION DOLLAR MIDWAY
  - ★ COTTON BOWL FOOTBALL
  - ★ LIVESTOCK EXPOSITION
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  - ★ AUTOMOBILE SHOW
  - ★ DANCING WATERS

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HOMINY, No. 303 Can, 3 For 25c

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WAFFLE SYRUP, Staley's, 24 ounce Jar 39c  
Oleo Margarine, Blue Bonnet, 2 pounds 55c  
WEINERS, ALL MEAT, per pound 39c

Picnic Hams 44¢  
Whole, Lb.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Roy Brown visited Mr. and Mrs. Durward Brown and family in Plainview Sunday afternoon.  
Mrs. Avis Cowart visited her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Burleson, in Amarillo last week.  
Mr. and Mrs. Ray C. Bomar spent Tuesday in Amarillo attending a Pontiac meeting at the Herring Hotel.

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## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Weaver had all their three sons at home over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Watkins and little daughter, Gail, spent Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Smith, of Quitaque, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bingham enjoyed an outing at Bursons lake over the weekend. The ladies are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Long visited her niece, Mrs. Claude Grimes and Mr. Grimes and family, at Littlefield, from Saturday until Monday.

Mrs. W. K. Grimland visited last week with her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Durham, and children, at Turkey.

Messrs. L. E. Paige, Richard Tunnell, Donald Bean and Jack Mayfield and Misses Kay Steele and Mary Lou Bellinger, students at Tech, Lubbock, spent the week end with home folks.

Ralph Dillard, of Alice, Texas, was a dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hardin last Thursday and visited Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Hodges in the afternoon. Ralph is the oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Dillard, former residents of this community, and is a cousin to Mr. Hardin.

Charles Cowart took his parents to Amarillo on Friday so Mrs. Cowart could have her eye operation. She will go back this week to be fitted with temporary glasses.

Visitors in the T. J. Word home on Sunday were his brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Word, of Higgins, and a nephew and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Word, from Shattuck, Oklahoma.

## Crisis Develops As Britons Desert Pubs for Television

LONDON—There is a new crisis in England and it has nothing to do with politics or shortages. It has been brought about by television.

It seems that the pubs—Britain's haughtiest and most respected institutions—are about to go out of business because people are staying home these days to watch television.

The Englishman still patronizes the pub for lunch—and a few mild-bitters. But after nightfall the pubs aren't the same—no longer the favorite club for small talk and intellectual philosophy.

More and more the beer drinkers are going straight home—and staying there—to watch TV.

There are 4,469 pubs in London alone.

Beer sales are dropping. Britons drank 252,000,000 gallons less last year than in 1946; even during the past year consumption fell off 96,000,000 gallons.

One pub owner says he is planning an innovation—a mobile pub. "If people won't come to me," he says, "I'll have to go to them—at football matches, big fights and race meetings. The pub as we used to know it is dead."

## 53 Million Cars, Trucks on Highways

WASHINGTON—According to the Department of Commerce a record number of 53,258,570 automobiles, trucks and busses crowded the nation's highways last year.

The department said the total figures out to about one vehicle for every three Americans. State agencies reported 1952 registrations totaled 43,810,531 automobiles, an increase of 2.6 per cent over 1951. Truck registrations totaled 9,207,897, an increase of 2.3 per cent, while there were 240,142 busses a rise of 4.2 per cent.

California was the first state to pass the 5,000,000 mark with 5,154,326 registrations. This was an increase of 4.6 per cent over the previous year.

Next in line were New York with 3,980,527; Pennsylvania, 3,266,830; Texas, 3,155,337; Ohio, 3,021,633; Illinois, 2,841,125; Michigan, 2,566,628; New Jersey, 1,746,068; Indiana, 1,529,878, and Massachusetts, 1,376,058.

Genuine CHEVROLET PARTS at Simpson Chevrolet Company.

NEW Texas Almanac at the at the News office.

## PERSONALS

Rev. G. A. Elrod, Lee D. Bomar and Mrs. T. C. Bomar were in Lubbock on Friday to be with the Oran Bomar family when Oran underwent surgery. He is doing fine following the operation.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Dickerson are the parents of a baby girl, Rhonda Lee, born at the local hospital at 6 p. m. on Friday, September 25, 1953; weight 6 pounds and 6 ounces. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Dickerson and Walter Watters. Mrs. Flora Dickerson is the baby's great grandmother.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlas Cavett and Rodney, of Fort Worth, came Saturday evening to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hardin. They will be here several days as they are on vacation.

Mr. and Mrs. Olos Chitty visited her mother, Mrs. Eddith Morgan and brother, Steve Morgan, and family, at Kress, Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. J. R. Burson, of Plainview, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Todd Edd Burson and family, of Plainview were Sunday guests of the Haynes and returned Mrs. J. R. Burson to her home.

Mesdames C. O. Allard and Mrs. G. Bomar attended District W. M. U. Board meeting in Hale Center last Thursday. Mrs. Bomar appeared on the program.

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## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lightfoot, of Hamilton, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Smith, and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Tobe Fuller.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Wright were in Quitaque on business last Thursday afternoon.

Mesdames Pack McKenney and Roy Lee McKenney, Peggy Phillips and Paula Reid made a business trip to Tulia Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Davis attended the fair in Lubbock early this week and visited their daughter, Mrs. Paul Stanforth, and family, and son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Carol Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. James Davis and children spent the weekend in Faduash with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Tye.

Mr. and Mrs. George West of South Plains, and Mesdames D. N. McGavock and D. H. Davis visited relatives in Oklahoma on Monday and Tuesday of last week.

Z. A. Cox and Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hall, of Memphis, called on Mrs. Troy Cox and Latresa Sunday afternoon. Mr. Cox is Grace's father in law and Mrs. Hall is his sister.

Spencer Long went to Amarillo on Monday in anticipation of an eye operation on Tuesday. His sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Lightsey, went up on Tuesday to be with him.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Wright were in Canyon on business on Friday morning.

Messrs. Warren Reid and Gene Morris went to Colorado on Monday.

Mesdames Una Burson and Mary Jones went to Perryton Friday afternoon and returned Sunday evening. They attended to business and packed Mrs. Jones household goods to be moved here this week.

Mrs. C. G. Harrison went to Amarillo on business on Monday.

Mrs. C. R. Badgett was a patient in the Plainview Clinic and Foundation Hospital from Tuesday until Sunday. Mrs. Thira King, of Houston, came up on Saturday to stay with her mother for several days. Mrs. Badgett is responding satisfactorily to treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Strickland and Kaynelle, of Denton, visited relatives here over the weekend. They visited Chester's mother, Mrs. C. M. Strickland, in Plainview, on Sunday.

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## PERSONALS

Mrs. Jim C. Whiteley was a patient at the Peoples Hospital in Floydada for a few days recently. She is much better now.

Martha Carol Mills, young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Davis, who is a first grade student in the local school fell off the slide on the school playground on Monday of last week and broke both bones in her right arm, slightly above the wrist. She is doing fine and back in school.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Minyard, Ruth Ann and Margaret attended the Tri-State Fair on Wednesday of last week. Ruth Ann talked to the man on the street on a radio program and had her picture made which was the main event of the fair so far as she was concerned.

Mr. and Mrs. Vinson Smith and sons visited Sunday afternoon with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Latham at Vigo Park.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell McWilliams and son, Ricky, and Marshal Pebsworth were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Shoemaker at Earth, Texas. Mrs. Shoemaker is the mother of Mrs. Williams and Marshal.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cowart and children went to Spearman on Sunday, September 20, and were guests of Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Pendley and children. They were met there by Mr. and Mrs. Leo Gresham and son, Larry, of Hobart, Oklahoma. Mesdames Cowart and Pendley are sisters and Leo is their brother. Mr. Cowart returned home Sunday afternoon; all others of the group spent the night in Spearman and attended the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo on Monday. Mr. Cowart also attended the Fair and his family returned home with him.

Roy Tester, who has been confined to his home for several months on account of illness, is able to be out again and in his office a part of the time.

Cub Scout Den number four met with den mothers, Mrs. Charles Cowart and Mrs. Benton Hughes, in the Cowart home last Friday afternoon. Four members and one visitor, Dwight Rampley, were present. Dwin Davis is a new member. Mike Mercer was absent because of illness. The boys made plans for the pack meet to be held Monday night. Refreshments served were furnished by Mrs. Fred Mercer.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Byrd returned home on Monday after having spent a week visiting their daughters in Coke County and other relatives in Fisher County.

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Those visiting the Roy McMurtreys during homecoming were: Mr. and Mrs. Willie Sedgwick, of Tullia; Mr. and Mrs. Edd McMurtrey, Vigo Park; Mrs. W. C. Price, Lockney; Johnnie Burleson, Matarador; Mr. and Mrs. Walter Tucker, San Angelo; Bob Feid, Silverton; Mr. and Mrs. Prentice Richard, Cache, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Chris Seaman, Ada, Oklahoma; Mrs. Clay Fowler.

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W. S. C. OF METHODIST CHURCH MET MONDAY

The Woman's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church met for a coffee and the continued study of "That the World May Know", in the home of Mrs. George Seaney Monday morning, September 28, with thirty members and three guests present.

Those on the program, Mrs. O. T. Bundy, guest speaker, Mrs. Ralph Glover, Mrs. Glenn McWilliams, Mrs. Bill Edwards, Mrs. Robert Hill, Mrs. T. R. Whiteside and Mrs. Joe H. Smith.

Program closed with singing "Blest Be the Tie That Binds." The next meeting to be in the home of Mrs. Arnold Turner October 5, 1953.

SILVERTON P. T. A. WILL MEET OCTOBER 5

The Silverton P. T. A. will meet in regular session Monday, October 5, at 7:30 p. m. in the high school auditorium.

The program theme for October is "Parents Till the Soil". Mrs. Mary Watson Jones is to give a talk on the above subject. Miss Hesterworth is to present her students on program also.

A Hallowe'en Carnival will be sponsored this year by the local P. T. A. and take place on Saturday night, October 31.

Plans for an adult Nutrition Course to be taught by Mrs. Jones are to be discussed Monday night. If you are interested be sure to be present.

Stanley Price, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Price, is stationed at Camp Chaffee, Arkansas, and his address is Battery "C", 95th. A. F. A. Bn., 5th Arm'd Division.

Mrs. Obra Watson and son, Joe Bob, visited from Sunday until Monday in Lubbock with her mother, Mrs. J. H. Benton. They were joined Monday by Mr. Watson and they all attended the Lubbock Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Hoffman and children, of Hereford, were Sunday guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Harrison.

Rev. C. R. Hankins is spending Thursday and Friday of this week at a Pastors Retreat in Ceta Canyon.

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TEXAS NEWSPAPER WEEK PROCLAIMED—Witnessing Governor Allan Shivers' signing of the official proclamation designating National Newspaper Week in Texas as Oct. 1 to 8, inclusive, are four top executives of the newspaper fraternity in Texas.

Texas Farmers Cash Income Is Lower

Texas farmers' cash income from commodities was 17 per cent lower in the January-July period this year than in the first seven months of 1952, the University of Texas Bureau of Business Research reports.

Total farm cash income was \$766,911,000, a decrease of \$156,000,000 from the January-July amount of last year, according to reports gathered by the Bureau in cooperation with the federal Bureau of Agricultural Economics.

Drought conditions, particularly in West Texas, insects and worms and scant rainfall—all these have been major causes of declining crops and livestock, the Bureau said.

Three leading Texas crops which showed considerable decreases during the first part of the year were grain sorghum, down 47 per cent; wheat, 31 per cent; and cotton, 26 per cent. Other crops and commodities which showed considerable losses in income were: wool, down 36 per cent; mohair, 33 per cent; peanuts, 17 per cent; and corn, 15 per cent.

Three farm commodities showed rises in income: oats, up 48 per cent; flaxseed, 24 per cent; and eggs, 18 per cent.

Mesdames W. A. Rowell and A. D. Arnold made a business trip to Floydada Tuesday afternoon.

Scout Council! Employs New Field Executive

Dr. F. B. Malone, president of the South Plains Council, Boy Scouts of America, announced the employment of Bill R. Strain to serve as field scout executive starting September 15, 1953.

Mr. Strain is a graduate of 165th National Training School for Scout Executives. He is a veteran of World War II having served in the Merchant Marines and in the Air Corp. Mr. Strain is an accomplished artist and has taught for the past two years in the art department of the Plainview Junior High School. Mr. and Mrs. Strain and their son, Michael, will maintain their residence at 601 Nassau in Plainview.

Dr. Malone announced that Mr. Strain would be assigned to work in the Haynes District under the direction of Mr. Ray L. Howard, district scout executive. The Haynes district includes Castro, Swisher, Briscoe, Motley, Floyd, all of Hale county except Abernathy, Turkey in Hall county and Olton in Lamb county. Dr. Malone also stated that adding this additional field executive to the council's profession staff would enable the council to better serve these six counties in the fast growing north section of the South Plains Council which at the present time has a membership of 1534 members in forty-and Explorer Posts.

Texas Future Farmers to Entertain President

Texas winners in the State Talent Contest at the FFA Convention in Fort Worth will render a 30 minute program before President Dwight D. Eisenhower Convention at Kansas City, October 15, announced Vannoy Stewart, State FFA Adviser.

Members of the string band, who were invited to play by A. W. Tenney, national executive secretary of the FFA, are: Sonny Curtis of Meadow, who won top honors in the state contest; and "The Barnbusters," of Jacksonville, who placed second; Mervin Dawson, David Kirby and Boyd Moore, all of Jacksonville.

The president will speak over an international hookup to the 10,000 Future Farmers from all over the nation who will be assembled at the Municipal Auditorium in their Silver Anniversary Celebration. He is expected to give future explanation of the Administration's Farm Program to the young farmers.

Among the Texas delegation, which will number approximately 500, will be 36 boys who will receive the highest FFA award, that of Successful American Farmer. The Convention dates for this year are October 12-15.

Mrs. A. M. Ranie, of Turkey, underwent surgery at the local hospital; she is a sister to Keith Tiffin.

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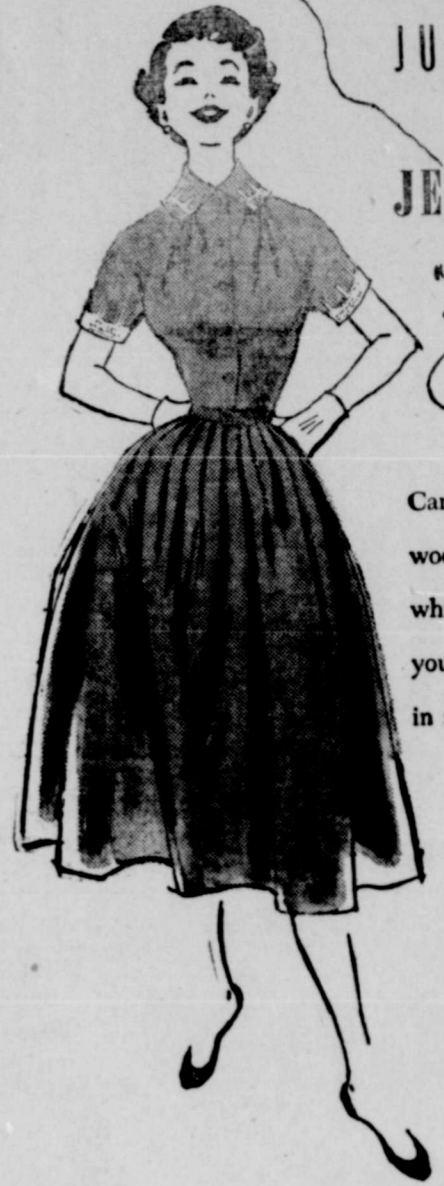
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