

Little League News



Finishing up the first week of Little League play shows the four local teams are going to be well trained and give the fans good ball games this season.

Last Friday nights game featured the Rebels and Prune Peddlers battling it out for second place in the league. The Rebels ended up on top with a 6 to 1 score. Saturday night's game saw the top team—Vets in a run packed game subdue the Rebels to the tune of 13 to 10. This was a postponed game originally scheduled for Thursday May 20, which couldn't be played because of rain. Monday night saw the Vets repeating their Saturday night win with a score of 6 to 1.

Tuesday night, this week had the Prune Peddlers and Pigs meeting for the first time for a try at third place in the league standings. At the end of six innings the score was tied at 1-1, with one hit for each club. Seven innings were played and the Prune Peddlers brought one run in to win the game 2-1.

League standings through Tuesday are:

	Won	Lost	PC
Vet	4	0	1,000
Rebels	2	2	.500
Prune Peddlers	1	2	.333
Pigs	0	3	.000

Three home runs have been made so far this season. These were two for Adon Lopez with the Vets and one for Teddy Roe Underhill of the Rebels.

Next scheduled games are: Thursday, Vets vs. Prune Peddlers. Friday, Pigs vs. Rebels. Saturday, Pigs vs. Peddlers. Monday, Pigs vs. Vets. Tuesday, Peddlers vs. Rebels.

The farm club plays an exhibition game each Monday night at 7:15 and the regular scheduled game is at 8:30. All other scheduled games are at 8:00 p. m.

Mrs. Ben Waddell Dies After Extended Illness

Funeral for Mrs. Ben Waddell, 74, was held in the Rotan Church of Christ at 3 p. m. Sunday. Burial was in Belview Cemetery.

Paul Rotenberry, of Abilene Christian College, Abilene officiated. Directing burial was Weathersbee Funeral Home of Rotan.

An early day Fisher County resident, Mrs. Waddell died in Callan Hospital at Rotan at 4:30 p. m. Friday following a long illness.

Survivors are her husband, one son, Willie; five brothers, Wiley Finch of Rotan, Bob Finch of Sweetwater, Charlie Finch of Spur, George Finch of Los Angeles, Calif., and Harry Finch of Porterville, Calif.; one sister, Mrs. Roy Fuller of Jayton; two grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Waddell also reared a niece and a nephew who are also listed as survivors. They are Mrs. Omata Brown and Earnest Lafon, both of California.

Fallbearers were Dalton Huckaby and Aud Gerald, of Rotan, Floyd Wright of Sweetwater, J. D. McCormick of Roby, Tom McCombs of Crosbyton, and John Garrett of Muleshoe.

Mrs. Hazel Loving of McCamey, visited friends here last week end.

Hospital News

Local medical patients in Callan Hospital the past week were W. A. Griffin, Glen Strickland, Mrs. Clinia B. Grindstaff, R. M. Parsley, Mrs. J. C. Simpson, Mrs. Fred Martinez, Jr., Troy Denton, Jess Eaton, Mrs. Henry Withers, Dwight Swearingin, Oscar Garcia.

Out of town medical patients were Joyce Warren of Roby, Jim Hilliard of McCaulley, H. L. Comer of Haskell, G. I. Parker of Roby, Marlin McFadin of Claremont, Clayton Nichols of Peacock, Mrs. Bob Barbee of Jayton, C. R. Thompson of Vernon, Tommy Rogers of Peacock, H. E. Robbins of Hermleigh.

Surgery patients were Rebekah Crawford and Flint R. George of Snyder.

A girl weighing 7 pounds, 11 ounces and named Patricia Lynne was born to Mrs. Harris Davis of Roby May 27.

A girl weighing 7 pounds 15 ounces and named Vickie Diain was born to Mrs. Donald Helms of Rotan May 27.

A boy weighing 6 pounds 8 ounces was born to Mrs. Jim Rodriguez of Rotan May 30.

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Foster Wins Annual Golf Tournament

L. A. Foster of Aspermont won the championship flight last week end over Elmer Fegan of Hamlin 1 up. The annual tournament which drew a large number of players from out of town as well as local players, found the course in the best of condition and much praise was heard from the visitors.

A nice array of prizes worth approximately \$160 was financed by the club and with entry fees.

Much interest was shown in the tournament and the entire affair was well managed from every standpoint.

In 1st flight Rudolph Morton took Bill Smith, 5-4.

2nd flight, Fred Jones, Roby, beat Lance Davis, 3-2.

3rd flight, Dr. A. R. Mancelle, Jayton defeated Horace Curlee, Roby, 4-2.

4th flight, Eddie Springer, Aspermont beat Jack Chambless, Aspermont, 5-4.

Consolation

Championship, Gooch over Leonard, 1 up.

1st flight, M. F. Garland took Chas. Kelly, 1 up.

2nd flight, Jim Watson beat T. C. Clark, up on 19.

3rd flight, Pee Wee Flowers, beat J. Pumpray, 2-3.

4th flight, Frank Crowder, Roby, defeated Thorton.

Local Students To Get Degrees At Texas Tech

Commencement exercises for 642 candidates for degrees at Texas Tech were held May 30-31.

A tentative list of candidates, released by the college registrar, shows Tech conferred 535 bachelor degrees and 57 advanced degrees, including its first doctor of philosophy in geology.

The list contains 126 candidates—including 10 graduates—who completed degree requirements at the end of the fall term in January, and the 516 candidates who expect to complete requirements in May.

Baccalaureate speaker May 30 in Jones Stadium was Dr. Marvin Vance who ends his fifth year as pastor of the First Methodist church in Austin June 1. Dr. Vance, holds the doctor of divinity degree from Southwestern, has served churches in Houston, Pasadena, Bay City, and Jacksonville.

The commencement speaker was Dr. Ernest C. Colwell, dean of faculties of Emory University, Atlanta Ga. The commencement exercise started at 8 p. m. in Jones Stadium. In case of bad weather, services will be moved to the First Baptist Church.

Among the local candidates for degrees were: James Wayne Porter, B. S. with Animal Husbandry major; Melvin McGrew, B. A. with Marketing as major; John B. Stribling, MS majoring in Animal Husbandry; Eva Marie McCright-Finley, B. S. majoring in Education.

Dist. Missionary To Be At Highland Home

Bro. J. Henry Littleton will be the principal speaker at the Highland Home Brotherhood Monday night, June 7 at 8:00 p. m.

Empress Hicks and Mike Carter will give short talks on What the Baptist Encampments have meant to them.

All men and boys are urged to attend this meeting, and friends are always invited.

Lotief Honored At NTSTC

Cecil Lotief, Jr. has received signal honors at N.T.S.T.C. He is majoring in piano and English, and the International Guild recently awarded him a cash award and two gold medals on his piano achievements.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith and daughters, Audrey and Billie, and Mrs. Audrey Snodgrass visited relatives in Abernathy Sunday. Mrs. Snodgrass stayed to visit several weeks.

Mrs. W. A. Rives went to Sweetwater Tuesday to spend several days with her daughter, Mrs. Troy Adams, and Mr. Adams.

Sheriff Possee Wins Another 1st Place

The Fisher County's Sheriff Possee brought home another trophy this week. They placed first among 14 riding groups taking part in a downtown parade opening the annual Post Stampede Rodeo.

It was the second first place win for the Fisher Posse this year.

The Fisher group, members of the West Texas Association of Sheriff's Posses, placed first at the Annual Encampment at Spur in April. They were given a trophy to keep until the encampment next year. The trophy has to be won by a riding group three years in succession to be kept permanently.

The Fisher group did not compete the first year of organization, but brought home a total of nine trophies in 1953. The eleven trophies are in a permanent trophy case in the lobby of the courthouse in Roby.

Pres. of Posse is O. R. Clark. There are 40 members, and uniforms are in green and gold. There is a Posse drill team and a polo team. Drill nights are each Monday. Meetings are the second Monday night in each month. Family night is quarterly.

First Baptists Bible School Opens June 14

All children between the ages of 3-13 are invited to attend the Vacation Bible School at the First Baptist Church beginning June 14 and closing June 18. The departmental directors and other workers are planning a very interesting program throughout that week.

Bro. and Mrs. Lawrence Hayes and Ronda attended the Southern Baptist Convention in St. Louis this week. Bro. Hayes will speak both Sunday morning and Sunday night. Visitors and friends are invited to visit in the services Sunday and hear the inspiring messages brought back from the convention.

Sunday school begins at 9:45, and morning worship is at 11:50. The Training Union begins at 7:00 and evening worship is at 8:00. You are welcome.

Church of Christ

Bible study, 9:45 a. m. Preaching and worship, 10:45 a. m. and 8:00 p. m.

Young people, 7:00 p. m. Ladies Bible class Monday, 3:00 p. m.

Midweek meeting, Wednesday, 8 p. m.

The public is invited to attend these services.

Church of The Nazarene

Vacation Bible School will open at 8:30 Monday, June 7 and continue through June 11.

If your child is not in V.B.S. some where, we welcome them to work with us for one week. Classes for beginners, primary and juniors, and if intermediates enough come to justify it, we will have a class for them also.

Regular services as follows:

Sunday school at 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship at 11:00. Subject at 11:00 will be Pentecost Then and Now.

Evening service at 8:00.

Midweek service Wednesday night at 8:00.

The pastor will speak at both services Sunday. Come worship with us. Dan D. Jones, Pastor.

STIRRING MUSICAL SCORE FOR EPIC "JUBILEE TRAIL"

The string musical score of Republic's "Jubilee Trail", spectacular Trucolor version of the popular showing atpZ/134566...66...66... Gwen Bristow novel, showing at the Lance, Thursday and Friday of this week, is the work of Victor Young, famous Hollywood composer who was responsible for the memorable background music of "The Quiet Man."

Starring with Vera Ralston in "Jubilee Trail" are Joan Leslie, Forrest Tucker, John Russell, Ray Middleton and Pat O'Brien. It was directed by Associate Producer Joseph Kane.

Mr. and Mrs. Robertson and children, Eudora and Martin of Bay City, visited Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Fillingim and Ouida Sunday. The girls were classmates at Baylor University.

Methodist Pastor Appointments Made

At the conclusion of the Northwest Texas Methodist conference at Amarillo Sunday, pastoral appointments were read and the Rotan and Roby pastors were returned to their churches.

Rev. J. Alvis Cooley returns to Rotan, after serving a few months following the retirement of Rev. Marvin Brotherton. Rev. Roy Patterson was returned to Roby.

Other announcements published concerning former pastors of Rotan and Roby and others well known Rev. H. Clyde Smith, district superintendent of the Abilene district, goes to San Jacinto church, Amarillo, and Rev. Hubert Thompson, pastor at San Jacinto church, becomes district superintendent of the Abilene district.

C. W. Parmenter, former Roby pastor, returned to Westley, Big Spring. Rev. R. N. Huckaby, former Rotan pastor and recently at Lubbock, goes to Hedley. Huckaby was pastor here a number of years ago.

Rev. R. S. Watkins, former Rotan pastor, returned to Idalou. Rev. Joe Boyd, former Rotan pastor, re-appointed conference treasurer, stationed at Lubbock. Rev. Marvin Brotherhood, Rotan pastor who retired because of ill health, was officially retired at the conference at his request.

Rev. P. E. Yarborough, former Rotan pastor, goes from Buena Vista to Wheeler circuit, and is pension endorsement commissioner. Rev. Marshall Rhow remains district superintendent of this the Stamford district.

North Roby Vacation Bible School June 4

The Vacation Bible School at North Roby Baptist church will be with Preparation Day Friday, June 4 at 9:00 a. m. Regular classes will begin Monday morning, June 7 at 9:00 o'clock and continue through the week. A very interesting program has been arranged under the direction of the superintendent, Mrs. V. B. Murphree. There will be singing, Bible study, mission study, character building stories and a variety of interesting handwork such as woodcraft and textile painting.

The faculty, other than superintendent, is:

Nursery: Mrs. Billie Carter, Mrs. Raymond Aills and Mrs. George Nolen.

Beginners: Mrs. Eldon Reeves, Mrs. John Cross and Mrs. R. B. Treadaway.

Primary: Mrs. Willie Elrod, Mrs. Johnnie Bostick and Mrs. Paul Foreman.

Juniors: Mrs. Richard Floyd, and Mrs. Jim Hale.

Intermediates: Mrs. Robert Young, Mrs. Alva Kolb, Jr. and Mrs. Allen Radliff.

Everyone is invited to attend.

Weldon Rives Gets Degree From McMurry

Abilene.—Weldon Rives, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rives of Rotan, was graduated from McMurry College last week with a bachelor of arts degree in history.

Fifty-six bachelor's degrees and three master of education degrees were awarded by the college in its 31st annual commencement exercises.

McMurry's commencement speaker was Dr. Kenneth W. Copeland, pastor of Travis Park Methodist Church, San Antonio. The baccalaureate sermon was delivered by the Rev. Howard Hollowell, pastor of the Oak Cliff Methodist Church of Dallas.

Rives, a 1900 graduate of Rotan High School, was a member of the Texas History Club, Vocational Club and Future Farmers of America at RHS.

At McMurry he has held membership in Forum, men's religious organization, Circle K, a collegiate affiliate of the Kiwanis Club, and Charters, mixed choral group.

OES NOTICE

Open installation of Order of Eastern Star will be held Monday, June 7 at 8:00 p. m. at Masonic Hall.

Judy Porter left Friday for Houston to spend the summer with her mother.

First Aid Course Is Completed

The first aid course sponsored by the Rotan Home Demonstration Club and taught by Mrs. Archie Ragan has been completed recently.

Those receiving certificates were Mrs. Homer Aaron, Mrs. Royce Huckaby, Mrs. Herman Hughes, Mrs. S. T. Martin, Mrs. D. T. McDonald, Mrs. O. R. Nowlin, Mrs. Richard Ray, Mrs. C. C. Roach, Mrs. Luther Terrell, Mrs. H. V. Vittitow.

The Home Demonstration Club and the class deeply appreciate the fact that Mrs. Ragan was generous enough to give so freely of her time in training this class so that others might benefit.

Finley's Visiting In McCright Home

Eva McCright-Finley arrived in Lubbock by plane Friday from Seattle, Wash. for the Texas Technological College graduation exercises Monday night, May 31, when she received her Bachelor of Science degree in Education (teaching major, elementary).

Lt. (jg) James E. Finley is aboard the transport James O'Hara and is on a trip to Japan. Eva will visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. McCright, and Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Finley in Levelland for the next 20 days, when she will go by plane to Portland, Ore. to visit a sister, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Clifford, a few days in their home in Seattle, Wash. at 7902-43rd ave, NE.

James is expected back in Seattle around June 23. Eva thinks Seattle is a wonderful place to live, but she did admit Texas had made a change since our fine rains set in.

Wilkes Reunion

A reunion for the J. A. Wilkes families last week end, May 29-30.

Those present in the Wilkes home were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Blackford and children, Eunice, Thomas and Jeanette of Fontana, Cal., Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Harkins and Bobby Dell Harkins, Mr. and Mrs. John A. Wilkes, Jr. and children, John A. III, Sandra Kay and Jackie Don, Mr. and Mrs. David C. Leeman and children, Davie Sharon, Tommie and Kathline, all of Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank R. Dyson of Rotan, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Dyson and Brenda Dyson of Stamford, and other relatives present were Mrs. J. W. Price, Mrs. Marvin Hedgpeth, June and Jane Hedgpeth of Abernathy, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Balekford of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Price, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Wilkes, Mrs. Rudolph Morton and children of Rotan.

Highland Home Baptist News

Mr. J. C. Penny, the founder of the great Penny's department stores, is said to have made the statement that if a man had so much business that it kept him away from Wednesday prayer meeting, he just had too much business. My observation is that the world is full of Extra busy people, not only on Wednesday night but on the Lord's Day also. If you want to just attend the regular weekly services of our church, you would only give five hours a week of time to worship. What is your average per week?

Will you worship with us Sunday? Our services are as follows:

10:00 a. m., Sunday school.

11:00 a. m., Preaching and singing.

7:00 p. m., Training Union.

8:00 p. m., Hour of power.

Your presence at these services is our joy.

Vacation Bible School Preparation Day will be Friday, June 4, at 2:00 p. m. School will start Monday, June 7 at 2:00 p. m. and continue through Friday, June 16. All boys and girls from four through 16 are invited to attend. If you need transportation, call R. W. Campbell, ph. 6761.

Mrs. Arnold Allen and Gail, Mrs. A. V. Allen and Verbeth of Roby, went to Denton Saturday and attended baccalaureate services at N. T. S. C. They were joined there by their daughters, Yvonne and Laveta of Midland. Wanda Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Allen, will receive her degree at the graduating exercises Thursday night.

Pony League Play Getting Underway

The Pony League baseball set up now has two teams in uniform and playing regularly.

The Comets, sponsored by industries of Rotan, and Firebugs, sponsored by the Fire Department, are playing some hot games.

They play on Tuesday and Friday nights at the grounds in the north part of town.

Games are being arranged with teams from neighboring towns, and some games will be played away from home.

This is an important part of the summer recreation program and well deserves the support of the entire town.

Officials of the League express their thanks for everything done for the Pony League, and ask continued support.

Mrs. Pat Parks Doing Still More Valued Work

Being bed fast for most of the time for seven long years could be mighty irksome for most folks. Pat Parks has found a way of turning her personal misfortune into a wealth of good fortune for others.

Pat became a ham radio operator two and a half years ago and it wasn't long before she began helping folks in one way or another by re-laying emergency messages and things of that sort. She'd get on the band and keep calling and calling. Very frustrating sometimes.

Someone advanced the idea of an organization to be known as Knights and Ladies of the Round Table, an emergency set-up with around twenty members, with Pat as net control. She has set schedules each morning and afternoon for that. Has helped a heap of folks who were in trouble.

Recently she was made a member of the Civil Air Patrol and is now serving as relay station for that important organization. Pending is her affiliation with MARS, a military net.

About three weeks ago she was selected as Emergency Coordinator for ARRL, an organization that coordinates efforts of hams in a particular area for emergency communication with the outside world in event of natural disaster or other emergencies. Her appointment came from F. E. Handy of the American Relay League, National Association of radio amateurs. Pat's duties as Emergency Coordinator for ARRL also include liaison planning with the local chapter of the American Red Cross and other organizations, and also with local protective organizations, such as fire and police departments.

Then, just this week, came an appointment that covers an area of six states. She was named Fifth District Chairman of the world wide organization of women ham operators, the WLRL. The Fifth District is composed of the states of Texas, Oklahoma, Mississippi, Arkansas, Louisiana, and New Mexico. The appointment, which came from the secretary-treasurer of the organization in Pennsylvania, is effective July 1st.

Pat's duties will be to keep up with news and activities of women hams in the six states and make monthly report to headquarters in Pennsylvania.

"I'll simply have to get a typewriter now," Pat laughed. Her friends, knowing the hurdles she has taken to date, have no doubt that she will take the typewriter in stride.

Pat is wife of a local farmer, Cecil Parks. Tuberculosis laid her low seven years ago and she's had to get along with one lung — and not quite all of that — for several years. But Pat is a scrapper. She has continued to manage her household, which includes husband and a son and daughter, and to pursue her favorite hobby — service to her family and to just about everybody in trouble.

Ham radio has served as excellent outlet for her curtailed energies, and has broadened her walled-in existence to just about every corner of the globe.

Mrs. Walter Price, Mrs. Marvin Hedgpeth and daughters, Jean and June of Abernathy, came Friday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Price. Mrs. Price and Mrs. Hedgpeth returned home Sunday, but the girls stayed for a longer visit.

Scout Camp Is Proving Very Popular

Headquarters of the Buffalo Trail Council, Boy Scouts of America announced today that summer camp periods are rapidly filling to capacity. Any scout unit planning to attend the scout ranch this summer should register now in order that all scouts will have an opportunity to attend when they choose. Any unit delaying their registration too long will stand a good chance of being disappointed. The Buffalo Trail Scout Ranch, located in the Davis Mountains will operate from May 30 thru July 10 and can handle a maximum of 200 scouts and leaders per week. The Ranch physical facilities are in excellent condition ready for operation.

The Ranch staff of some 22 counselors will report to the ranch 3 days prior to the opening date for intensive training in their field of work.

The camp fee will be \$14 per week for each scout for a one week period. This fee covers food, all program material, insurance, full time doctors fees and camp staff.

The program this year will give a scout many opportunities to advance in scouting plus many specialized skills such as archery, horsemanship, rifle shooting, skeet shooting, and aquatics.

The camp will be directed by Joe Neldermayer of Midland assisted by W. T. McRee of Big Spring as program director and Hollis W. Alford of Midland as business and commissar director. William Koiter, Jr. of Houston will serve as camp doctor. Other staff members are: Sonlye Rousch, Rusty Buckingham, William Kurt von Osinski and Ronny Lagrange of Midland; Jimmy Stephens and P. M. McKinney, Jr. of Kermit; Gary Uselton and Dickie Toll of Pecos; Royce Pruitt and Mike Sweeney of Odessa; Jerry Uetz of Colorado City and Bill Reagan of Monahans. Additional staff members will serve as necessary.

Some Things Don't Change

In the days when the horseless carriage was very new, a speed of 20 miles an hour would have been considered reckless. Indeed, any driver having the temerity to clatter down the road at such an unseemly pace would have been promptly slapped in jail.

And rightly so. For such a speed would have been dangerous on roads traveled mostly by harness horses whose top speed usually averaged around 12 miles an hour.

Times have changed. The harness horses have vanished from the highway and the descendants of the horseless carriage bear little resemblance to their ungainly ancestor.

But the principle that made 20 miles an hour a reckless speed in that slower-paced age is still sound. It's the principle that speed must never be judged as a separate item. It must be judged in relation to the conditions in which it operates.

Today we have some roads as smooth as marble and automobiles capable of traveling at fantastic speeds. This has given us a false sense of what constitutes a safe speed. We seem to think that the existence of such conditions—even when they're not present—automatically sanctions a high speed.

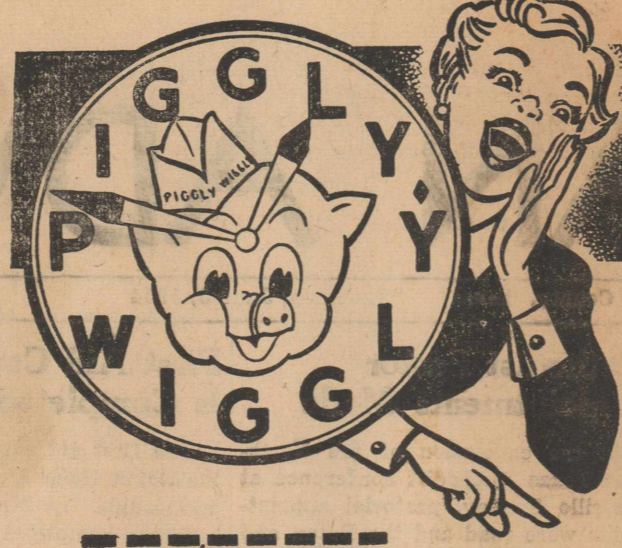
It is entirely possible that a race driver could safely drive a high powered car at a speed of 120 miles an hour over a cleared track—assuming, of course, that driver and car were both in excellent condition.

But, practically speaking, when does the average passenger car driver encounter such a combination of ideal conditions? The answer is Never.

Mr. Everyday Motorist always finds himself in a set of circumstances that fall short of ideal. If his car has a high powered engine, its potential may be entirely nullified by a rough or slippery road. Or, he may find himself on a splendid highway but be unable to travel fast because his car is not up to par mechanically. Or, it may happen that both car and road are in excellent condition, but traffic volume makes high speed obviously unsafe.

There are any number of conditions, and combinations of conditions, that must be taken into consideration in determining a safe speed. The intelligent driver knows this. He selects his speed with the same good sense he uses in making his other day-to-day decisions... on the basis of the immediate conditions in which he finds himself.

Speed will never kill the intelligent driver, because he always travels at a speed that is safe for the conditions of road, weather, his vehicle and his physical and mental state. The Texas Safety Association urges your cooperation.



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Mrs. Dono Darden and son Marshall attended the funeral of J. H. Hastings in Roscoe Monday.

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Mrs. J. V. Hellums and grandson, David Cooper, went to Austin Saturday, where they visited Miss John Hellums. They will also visit Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Hellums in Houston and Mrs. Margaret Cooper in La Porte. Mrs. Cooper, who has taught in the LaPorte schools last year, will return home with them to spend the summer here.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Branch, Relna Branch and Mrs. D. L. Swint attended graduation exercises at Baylor U. last week end. They went to Waco Thursday and returned Saturday. Erma Branch received her degree and returned home with them.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Byerly, Lynne and Mike and Mrs. T. J. Weathersbee visited Mr. and Mrs. Charles McFater in Eastland Sunday. Charles McFater, Jr. left Tuesday for duty in the Navy.

Leon West of Camp Hood, attended graduation exercises here last week. His wife, the former Frances Britton, was a member of the graduating class. Mr. and Mrs. West left Saturday for Gatesville where they will live.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Hudgpeh and Janice of Pecos, visited relatives and friends here last week.

Mrs. Homer Aaron, Mrs. Frank Mitchell and Sharon visited Mr. and Mrs. James Aaron at Fort Sumner, N. M. recently.

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Emergency Funds Are Available For Wind Erosion Control Work

The emergency wind erosion control program for Texas has been given the green light by the Federal government.

Texas still plagued by the effects of a record drought, was apportioned an initial \$2,322,000 as its share of the total fifteen million allotted for five states. Other states receiving this type of relief are Colorado, Kansas, New Mexico and Oklahoma.

This first allocation was established in order to permit immediate action in controlling wind erosion in 75 counties of the state. Most of these are in West Texas and the Panhandle areas. Further allocations have been promised as they are needed.

The funds are earmarked for use to supplement work already being carried out under the Agricultural Conservation Program. The cost of emergency control measures will be shared with individual farmers and ranchers. Through a combination of emergency and ACP funds, the farmer should be spared from very much "out of pocket" costs to himself. State and local committees have been authorized to increase the share to farmers in unusual emergency or hardship conditions.

The funds will apply in designated counties for such emergency tillage operations as deep plowing to bring clods up to the surface, contour listing and contour and cross-slope chiseling, and pit cultivation. Coast-sharing will also be available for emergency seedings of sweet sorghums, millet, and other locally adapted crops which provide a protective cover as soon as there is sufficient moisture. The leveling of sand dunes or hummocks to prepare the land for seeding is also included as another emergency practice.

Eligible counties in alphabetical order are: Andrews, Armstrong, Bailey, Borden, Briscoe, Carson, Castro, Childress, Coke, Collingsworth, Cottle, Crane, Crosby, Culberson.

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Relatives of Betty Jane Clark coming to see her graduate and visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Clark, and her aunt, Mrs. Fern Benson, were Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Clark, Mrs. Walter Worley of Clifton, Mrs. Ruth Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Willingham, all of Clifton, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Sanders of Robstown, Mr. and Mrs. W. B. James and son Bryan of Baytown, and Ramsey Cox of Stamford.

Mrs. Jerry Cahill and children Laura and Kelly of Abilene, and Glenn Mann of Stamford, attended graduation exercises here and visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Mann, last week end. Their brother James was a member of the graduating class.

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Bridges and sons Vance and John Ed of Fort Worth, attended graduating exercises here Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. David Clark of Fort Worth, came Saturday and visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Roach, and sister, Mrs. Roger Murff, and Mr. Murff until Monday afternoon.



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Sgt. James M. Fleming, Mrs. Fleming and their daughter, Elizabeth Ann of Mineral Wells, visited his mother, Mrs. Walter Fleming, last week end.

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A Time to Remember

I bowed my head reverently with the rest of my classmates during the "moment of silence" in tribute to our soldier-dead, then seeing Old Glory waving from the flag pole on the lawn of our Alma Mater, I stood tiptoe upon a dream and thought, "What a lucky girl you are to be born under that flag, for you can be what you will to be! You are an American."

Then a strange thing happened. The flag seemed to be a living thing with a soul. I heard the silent singing of its stars on its blue of truth, and listening, my soul caught this refrain:

"I am the symbol of America, and America is more than its hills and prairies with their herds and fields of grain; more than its pulsing cities, its mines and its mills . . . America is you and you and you . . . and God.

"I am the symbol of the homes, the churches, schools, enterprises, and the kingly commoners of America.

"I represent your heritage from the past. Look at me and hear the tramping of soldier-feet in the immortal march for freedom; feel within your hearts the 'Spirit of '76'; see the footprints in the snow at Valley Forge; the great, gaunt commoner on his knees in prayer, and the crimson stain, spreading, that meant life was ebbing from his great heart; see the crosses above our youth, martyrs to freedom in recent wars. Look again and behold lilies blooming where men gave life for man; listen and hear the joyous dancing footsteps of those yet unborn.

"Behold the Open Gate, before which stand weary pilgrims: children with eyes empty of laughter; youth burdened with the weight of dead dreams; the elder ones their eyes but burned out embers, their bone-lean hands caressing gaunt throats that too long have felt the choking leash of fear. See their eyes relight with hope as they view the green acres of democracy and reverently enter the gate of America."

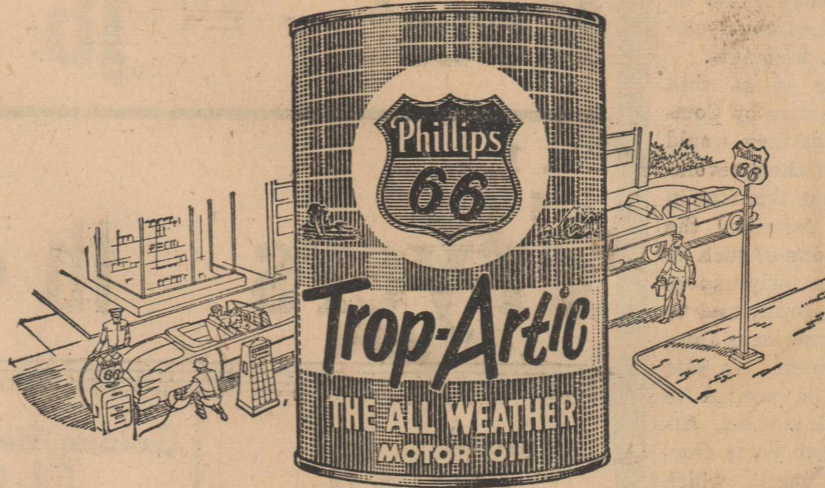
Suddenly I knew: The flag is an emblem of freedom, protection, justice, honor, sacrifice, opportunity to all and love for country, fellowman and God. It is the symbol, not only of our heritage from the past but of the future. I knew that it is up to me to help America continue to mean to coming generations what it means to me today; that every right has its concomitant duty, that I must train myself to be able to choose leaders wisely and judge their performance with honesty and understanding. I must fight oppression, intolerance, injustice and keep the land free of the footprints of communism. I must guard the rights of others as jealously as I do my own, and recognize in every man a brother.

Again I looked at the flag waving serenely beneath our peaceful country sky and reverently I breathed, "How much you stand for!" Was I dreaming or did I hear, "The earth a great DEMOCRACY OF LOVE!"

"WHAT THE AMERICAN FLAG MEANS TO ME" by Frances Atkinson, 18, Dayton, Idaho. Prize winning essay in a nation-wide competition conducted by the Disabled American Veterans in conjunction with the radio series "I was a Communist for the FBI."



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As It Looks From Here
Omar Burleson

WASHINGTON, D. C. — After a long fight of almost a year, it is gratifying that the Department of Agriculture has decided that State and County cotton acreage allotments will be justified upward to compensate for acreage not planted during the last three years because of drouth conditions.

Along with others, I have been working on this proposition, and have been at times rather discouraged, but finally we have a had a favorable decision and hope it will be of real help to the cotton farmer in receiving a fair allotment.

It is a peculiar thing that we as individuals usually believe that which we want to believe. Consciously or otherwise, we seemingly close our minds to those things which we do not want to believe. Evidently we did not believe Hitler's Mein Kampf, and perhaps no one wants to take warning at Karl Marx's Das Kapital.

In March, 1953, Mao Tse-tung, ruler of Communist China, sent a message to Moscow by his right-hand man, Chou En-lai, who is now representing Communist China at the Geneva Conference. Mao Tse-tung's letter was an outline of a program for the world revolution of Communism.

The message itself, insofar as the Communists are concerned, was secret, but from reliable sources we know of it.

In this message, Mao Tse-tung said that the time had come when they (Communists) must look upon Asia as their immediate goal. The reason given was that there was good chance for revolution in Asia, but that the time for the collapse of Europe was not yet at hand, and that forceful means applied in Europe might bring on a war at the time they wanted to prevent.

The message said that the United States must be isolated by all possible means. His plans laid out directions for driving a wedge between the United States and her allies. It said that Britain must be convinced that possibilities exist to settle the differences between the East and the West and that Communist and capitalist countries can live in peace. World Trade was to be used as bait for the British. The letter stated that in the case of France, her fear of Germany must be thoroughly exploited; that France must feel that her greatest security was in cooperating with the Communists, rather than with the Western countries.

Japan, according to the document, must be convinced that rearmament endangers instead of guaranteeing her national security.

He said that there must be 25 million well trained troops in Southeast Asia for immediate mobilization. These troops were to force the capitalist countries to keep increasing defense expenses until economic collapse overtakes them, and that a show of force, when the time is ripe, will bring about capitulation of the ruling cliques of the countries to be liberated.

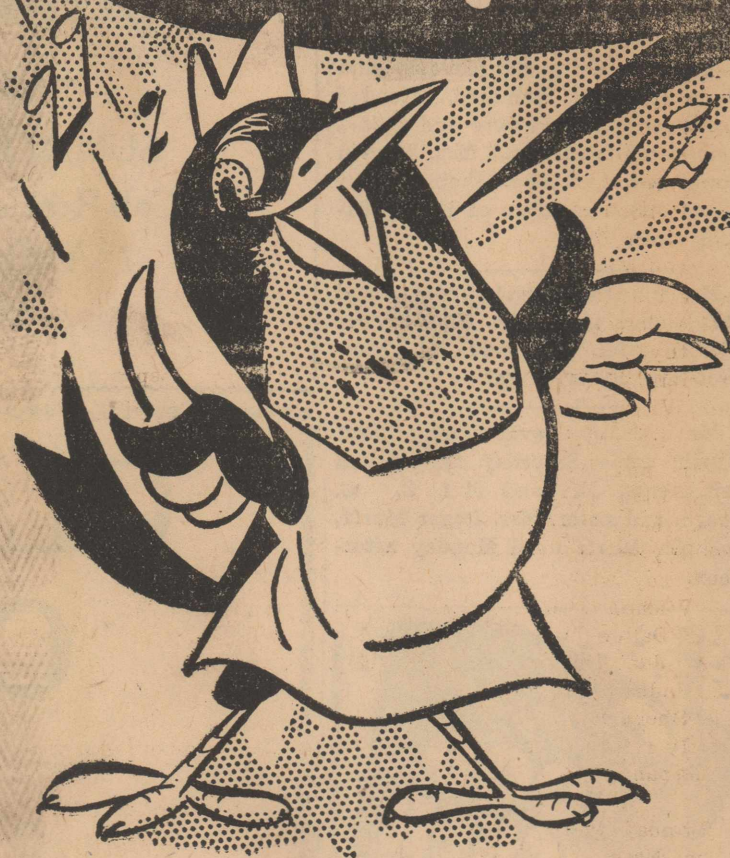
Mao Tse-tung's advice to Stalin was to agree to an armistice in Korea until such time as a navy could be developed; that the lack of naval support was their greatest weakness.

The letter went on to say that Formosa must be taken over by Communists China, and that they would help the Indochinese in their revolution. (Bear in mind that this was in March of 1953.) He described the war in Indochina to be one of such an extent as to make it extremely unpopular with the French people, and to make the French and Americans hateful among the Indochinese. He said that two years may be needed to completely take over Indochina. After Indochina would then come Burma, Thailand, and Indonesia, which would complete a circle around the Malay Peninsula, held by the British. When this was accomplished, explained Mao Tse-tung, the British would realize the hopefulness of putting up a fight and would withdraw, and that this whole process should be completed by or before 1960.

The Chinese Communist leader finished his letter by discussing the fall of Japan and India by 1960, after which would come the collapse of the Philippines and the Arab countries in the Middle East. After India and the Middle East would come Africa, and with this accomplished, Western Europe would collapse. He said after the European collapse, Canada and South America would find themselves helpless and defenseless, and that twenty years from now world revolution would be an accomplished fact.

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Mrs. Robert Gray visited her children, Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Levens, in Whitesboro last week end, and her grandson, Robert Levens, came home with her to spend a few days.

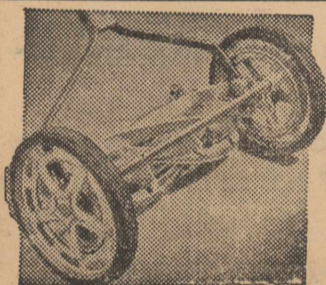
Mrs. Earl Keese of Stamford, came Tuesday for her mother, Mrs. W. D. Beauchamp, who will visit there several days.



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Highway Patrol Doing Much Good Work

If you were stopped by a Texas Highway Patrolman during the month of April for an infraction of the traffic laws — you had a lot of company. As a matter of fact you had exactly 34,686 folks in the same boat with you.

You could have been "lucky", though. You might have been of nearly half of the total who got a warning ticket instead of an arrest ticket. And you might not have been involved in one of the 13,496 accidents during the month. Better than that . . . you might not have been one of the 6,840 persons injured in traffic accidents in April. And one thing is sure . . . if you're reading this you're really fortunate because you weren't among the 168 killed in Texas traffic during the thirty-day period.

Walter J. Elliott, Chief of the Texas Highway Patrol, has just released a comprehensive break-down of the activities of 444 patrolmen who were on duty during the month. It shows that the men, comprising the sixteen Texas Highway Patrol districts, worked a total of 18,922 hours during April at duties running the gamut from giving road information to tourists to making 11,850 arrests and passing out 16,926 warning tickets. Thirty-seven percent, or 40,239, of those hours were turned in night duty.

The 444 patrolmen operated in 317 cars for the incredible distance of 1,082,617 miles. It wasn't all riding and writing tickets, however. Accident investigations took up 3,555 hours of the time; another 2,151 hours were devoted to safety work other than enforcement; and the men spent 3,612 hours on court duty.

According to Chief Elliott's figures, 8,544 of the arrests made were for hazardous traffic violations — the sort that cause accidents. Speeding, as usual led the field with 4,803. Next in order was "Improper Passing" with 801; and drunk driving accounting for 554 of the apprehensions.

Speeding was also the leader in the "Warning Tickets" category, with 7,438. The nearly 17,000 motorists who received warnings, however, didn't get off entirely "free. A copy of the warning ticket was filed in their permanent driving record at the headquarters of the Driver's License Division of the Texas Department of Public Safety where enough of them, just like a small collection of arrests notations or accidents experiences, will automatically bring the errant driver up for suspension or revocation action of his license.

"Our men always give two or three times as many warnings as they do arrest tickets," Elliott explained. "But sometimes we wonder if we really doing the motorists a favor when he is released with merely a warning. We always hope the warning will work; that is, that it will keep the driver from repeating his error, but many times a Patrolman is called to investigate a fatal traffic accident and the driver of one of the cars is a fellow to whom he gave a warning a couple of hours earlier. Maybe an arrest would have saved a life. Maybe. I don't know."

Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Williams spent last week end in Brownwood.

Maxine Jenkins, a student of Texas University, was home for the graduating exercises.

Mrs. C. B. Barth is visiting her mother in Quanah this week.

Mrs. Clint Carter visited her mother in Carlsbad, N. M. last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Reese and Celia Deane spent Sunday with his parents in Seymour.



TAKING A MAN AWAY FROM LIZ TAYLOR IS TOUGH JOB

Playing a girl who takes a man away from Elizabeth Taylor isn't an easy task but Barbara Bates does it in "Rhapsody," M-G-M's Technicolor love story showing at the Lance Tuesday and Wednesday.

The blond actress is cast as a young American student at the Zurich Conservatory of Music in Switzerland who catches Vittorio Gassman on the rebound after the latter quarrels with Miss Taylor.

Miss Bates recently was featured with Mickey Rooney in "All Ashore" and with Martin and Lewis in "The Caddy."

Rev. and Mrs. Dan D. Jones visited their daughter, Mrs. L. R. Oliver, and son Brad in Newton, Kas. The husband and father, L. R. Oliver, will graduate Friday June 4 from Manual O.C.S. at Newport, R. I. and will report to Albuquerque, N. M. June 25 for further training. Mrs. Oliver and Brad will accompany him there. The Jones report a lot of good wheat in Northern Oklahoma and Southern Kansas, and good rains all the way.

Mr. and Mrs. Dennis O'Briant honored Mrs. O'Briant's brother-in-law, Carl Crowell, of Tulsa with a birthday dinner and fish fry Sunday in their home south of Rotan. Others enjoying the occasion were Mrs. Crowell of Tulsa, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Robbins and baby of Grapevine, Mrs. Bert Mayo of McAulley, and Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Ray and Roland Forrest Jr. of Roby, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Thrash, Sidney Jacq and Mary, Dorothy, Shirley and Barbara O'Briant and Mr. and Mrs. Dick Ray, Bob, Virginia and Tommy.

Mr. and Mrs. V. H. Blevins of Ada, Okla. and their son, Mr. and Mrs. Shelia Ray Blevins and son Virgil Ray and Gay, a six-year-old Korean boy whom they have adopted, of Wichita Falls, visited Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Huckaby and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Taggart last week end. The ladies are sisters and their nephew, Shelia Ray Taggart, has just recently returned from a tour of duty in Japan.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Nash and son were Mr. and Mrs. Robert B. Nash and son of Washington, D. C., Mrs. Rena Saunders of Los Angeles, Cal., Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Nash of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nash and Mrs. Calvin Nash and children of Rotan.

The senior class is asking you to save your papers for them. They will gather them up Friday, June 18. If you have not been contacted, call Carol McCullough, 4521, or Ruby Rives, 5804.

Mrs. Mamie Hopson and son, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mann, and two children of Wichita Falls, and Billy Mann of Fort Worth, visited Mrs. T. M. Clark and Mrs. Mrs. Champ Clark Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Craig H. Stone and son Sky of Amarillo, came Sunday to visit Mrs. Stone's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Jackson. Mr. Stone returned home Monday, and Mrs. Stone and the baby stayed for a longer visit.

Bobby House and Joan Shows, students at Texas University, are here visiting their parents. They will return to Austin about the seventh to resume their studies.

Robert Lynn and Donnie Huckaby, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Royce Huckaby, are visiting their great uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Simpson, in Amarillo this week.

Mr. and Mrs. June Rutledge and Cheryl Snyder, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Rutledge Sunday and Betty and Peggy went home with them to visit a few days.

Rudy Lotief, a student at Texas University, and Cecil Lotief of W. T. S. C., Denton, came home Tuesday.

Mrs. P. T. Teague of Fort Worth, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Rector of Royston, last week end and also visited friends in Rotan.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to take this opportunity to acknowledge, with our deepest and most sincere gratitude, to the doctors and nurses at the Callan Hospital for their service and kindness rendered during my three-weeks stay there.

And to the many friends that brought tractors, seed and planted my crop. The ladies that brought food, beautiful flowers, get well cards, each and every visit. May God's richest blessings forever be yours.
The E. S. Keislars:

McCREA, BLANCHARD STAR IN NEW FILM

Starring Joel McCrea and Mari Blanchard, Universal-International's Technicolor production of "Black Horse Canyon" is scheduled to open at the Lance Theatre Sunday and Monday.

The picture features Irving Bacon and Murvyn Vye in strong supporting roles and introduces newcomer Race Gentry, considered by Hollywood one of the likeliest new prospects for stardom.

The story of "Black Horse Canyon" concerns the efforts of a "saddle tramp" and a spiffie woman rancher to capture an outlaw killer stallion.

Property Rights of June Brides Explained

June is traditionally the month for weddings, and many couples will be taking marriage vows within the next few weeks. But the act of marrying another does not give you the authorization to take control of his property.

Generally speaking, each spouse has the right to control and dispose of his or her own separate property. The separate property of a husband or wife includes property owned by either before marriage, and that which is acquired by either after marriage by gift or inheritance. Any other property acquired after marriage is presumed by law to be community property until the contrary is clearly proved.

Aside from the ordinary community estate, there is a class of property known as the wife's "special community," which includes all the income from her separate real property, and probably the interest on bonds or notes, and dividends on stocks owned in her separate right. While the husband may have similar assets, the law accords them no particular distinction from ordinary community property.

Although the history of the matter is somewhat confusing, it appears that under present law the husband has control of ordinary community property; but control of the wife's special community property is reserved to her.

Certain restrictions are imposed upon both husband and wife in exercising such control. For instance, the husband cannot legally dispose of community property in such a way as to defraud the wife, nor can he sell the homestead without her signature and acknowledgment. And the wife's sale or mortgage of her separate real estate, stocks or bonds is not valid unless her husband joins with her in the transaction — he must sign and execute the necessary legal papers along with her.

There are laws exempting the wife's separate and special community property from liability for debts incurred by the husband. Such liability is restricted to his separate property and the ordinary community property.

On the other hand, debts incurred by the wife in obtaining necessities for herself or the children bind all

property belonging to either party, including the husband's separate property. For other debts which she has power to incur, only her separate and special community property are liable.

All of these distinctions emphasize the advisability of keeping proper records. By doing so the various classes of community and separate property owned by a married couple will always be easily distinguishable. Each category will then receive the special protection afforded to it by our laws.

(This column, based on Texas law, is written to inform — not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts, because the facts may change the application of the law.)

Mrs. Bartlett Strayhorn went to Mason Saturday to visit her parents. She returned home Monday.

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Diamond Corn two No. 303 cans 25c
Two No. 303 cans
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Kimbell Diced Beets two No. 303 cans 15c
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Quarter Horse Event At Cowboy Reunion

Stamford.—An outstanding Quarter Horse Show will again be a feature of the Texas Cowboy Reunion, July 1, 2, 3 and 5, announces Wayne Cooper, chairman of that division. The Quarter Horse show is expected to attract entries from Oklahoma and New Mexico as well as from all parts of Texas and perhaps from Kansas and Colorado.

A number of the finest horses in the southwest will be exhibited. The Quarter Horse show is open to the public without charge.

In keeping with the Western style of the occasion, handlers and owners, if they wish, can camp out in the vicinity of the horse barns.

The American Quarter Horse Association will give two trophies; one for the grand champion stallion and

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Crowell of Tulsa, Okla., Mrs. Ray Robbins of Grapevine and Mrs. Bert May of McAuley were here for the graduation of Altie Louise O'Briant.

another for the grand champion mare. Orville Burtis of Manhattan, Kas., president of the American Quarter Horse Association, and Raymond D. Hollingsworth of Amarillo, executive secretary, will attend. Trophies for the grand champion gelding and the champion registered cutting horse will be given by the Texas Cowboy Reunion Association.

Deadline for entries is June 26. Entry fee is \$5 plus \$12 stall fee and \$10 additional if entry fee is made in the designated cutting horse classes. There will be cash awards for the top three in each class and ribbons for the top six.

"Snappy Outside—Deadly Inside"

Col. E. B. Tilley of Houston, president of the Texas Safety Assn., and Service Advisor for the Gulf Oil Corporation, used this parody of the popular song, "Laughing on the Outside, Crying on the Inside," to describe the condition of many of the automobiles now being driven on Texas streets and highways.

Col. Tilley spoke in connection with the state-wide vehicle maintenance program all official and non-official groups are conducting in Texas throughout May. This program is part of the annual vehicle maintenance program of the Texas Department of Public Safety and the National Safety Council.

"Many car owners who keep their vehicles well washed and painted are not so particular about keeping them in safe operating condition," he said.

He pointed out that it would make better sense to spend less time shining up the fenders and more time investigating the condition of brakes, tires, headlights and other mechanical parts.

"You can lose only a little prestige if your car is a bit dingy," he said, "but you can lose your life if your car is mechanically unsafe."

"I certainly don't want to discourage automobile owners from keeping their cars spic and span," Col. Tilley said. "On the contrary I think concern for the appearance of the vehicle speaks well for the owner. But I do want to impress upon them the importance of placing first things first, and safety should have priority on every driver's list."

Col. Tilley urged all motorists to take their cars in for a safety check this month while the special May vehicle maintenance program is in progress. He said, "the importance points to check are headlights, rear and stop lights, brakes, tires, steering mechanism, windshield wipers, muffler and exhaust system, window glass, horn and rear-view mirror."

"Let's have a hundred per cent cooperation," he said, "checking our cars is certainly a simple way to check accidents."

Farmers May Need Help Since Rains Came

Recent rainfall has improved the crop outlook in this section which may produce a shortage of farm labor. The Texas Employment Com-

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How To Tune And Take Shakes Out Of Fans

COLLEGE STATION—An electric fan that roars like a jet plane or shakes the house with vibration can be "tuned up" to send silent gentle breezes as warm weather arrives.

Pouring oil on troubled fans is not the whole cure. Manufacturer's directions will show correct oiling. Ordinarily, fans need lubrication only once a year. If the fan is run a great deal, it may need oil more frequently. (However, care must be taken not to over-oil and soak the insulation in the motor as this will damage the motor, warns Mrs. Bernice Claytor, home management specialist for the Texas Agricultural Extension Service.

A loose screw may cause vibrations. Dirt on the blade will cause the blade to be unbalanced. If the blades are soiled with oily grease, clean them with a damp soapy cloth or a cloth dipped in kerosene oil. Guards and cover of the motor should be cleaned too. Frayed or damaged cords should be replaced or repaired.

If the fan fails to start, it may mean a break in the cord or a loose connection. If the trouble is not apparent, it's a good idea to check with a repair man.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Price returned last week from a visit with their children, Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hendrix in Kansas City.

Don Denton and his mother, Mrs. John Denton visited her father in Abilene Sunday.

mission is trying to determine how great a demand for farm labor will result.

Farmers who anticipate needing additional hoe hands are cotton harvest hands may contact the T. E. C. in Sweetwater. This will enable the T. E. C. to more accurately forecast the demand for migrant farm labor and provide for the orderly movement of enough farm workers to meet the demand.

W. A. Hazlewood Jr., Office Manager, of the T. E. C. in Sweetwater said all farmers are urged to attend the Farm Labor Day each Wednesday in Sweetwater. Many year-round and seasonal workers are available each Wednesday.

Cowboy Reunion Rodeo Is No. 1 In Entries

Stamford, June 3—The biggest rodeo in the United States! That's what the Texas Cowboy Reunion is — for more contestants take part in the Stamford rodeo than any other in the nation.

Last year, there were 531 entries and indications are that this total will be surpassed at this year's show, July 1, 2, 3 and 5.

There are so many contestants, in fact, that by no means all the competition can be crowded into the action-packed regular performances which are held nightly on the four days and a matinee on the final day, so there is "something doing" almost all through the morning in the way of roping and maybe some bronc riding or cutting horse activities — and these morning events can be viewed by the public without charge.

Wild-cow milking will be one of the rodeo contests this year. Others will be calf-roping, bareback and saddle

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Bouchier and Tommy of Post visited Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Strayhorn recently.

J. W. Perry left Saturday for the state of Colorado for Mrs. Perry, who has been with her mother, who is ill.

bronc riding and bull riding. In addition, there will be the cow-girl sponsors' barrel race, specialty acts, clowns and other features, including the feeds at chuck wagons and the reunion of several hundred old-time cowboys.

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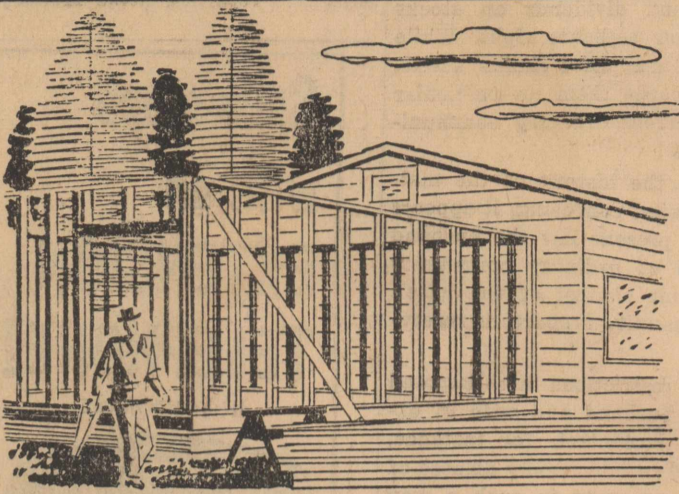
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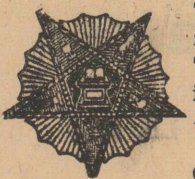
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Rotan HD News

The Rotan H. D. Club met May 21, with Mrs. Homer Aaron. Mrs. C. A. Ragan, class president, presided for a business meeting.

Mrs. L. E. Wright was in charge of the program, "Basket Weaving".

Those present were two visitors, Mrs. W. A. Baker and Mrs. Hugh Swann, and Mmes. Hugh Swann, C. A. Ragan, S. T. Martin, L. E. Wright, Jud Thompson, Wayne Newlin, Cleo Shell, Vernon Frazier, C. C. Roach, O. R. Nowlin, Richard Ray and the hostess.

Next meeting will be June 4, with Mrs. Bud Hughes.

**John Carter Awarded
Good Conduct Medal**

Pacific Fleet (FHTNC)—John R. Carter, commissaryman second class USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Carter of Rotan, Texas, has received the Good Conduct Medal while serving aboard the destroyer USS Wedderburn.

The Good Conduct Medal is awarded for three consecutive years of exemplary conduct.

The Wedderburn is operating in the Far East.

Carter entered the Navy in January, 1951, and reported aboard the Wedderburn in March of 1951.

Before entering the Navy, he was graduated from Rotan High School.

**Don Gregory
Completes Basic**

Lackland Air Force Base, Texas—Don M. Gregory, 20, son of Mrs. M. McKinney, Box 11, Rotan, is completing his Air Force basic military training course at Lackland Air Force Base, the "Gateway to the Air Force."

Lackland, situated near San Antonio, is the site of Air Force basic military training for men and women, headquarters of the Human Resource Research Center, and home of the USAF Officer Military School.

His basic military training is preparing him for entrance into Air Force technical training and for assignment in specializing work. The course includes a scientific evaluation of his aptitude and inclination for following a particular vocation and career.

Amid life's quests, there seems but worthy one, to do men good.

—Gamaliel Bailey

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—Phillips Brooks

**Recent Bride Honored
With Gift Tea In
Cleveland Home**

A gift tea honoring Mrs. George Inmon, Jr. (formerly Lena Mae Knight) was given in the home of Mrs. Walter Cleveland Monday evening, May 24. Calling hours were from 2:00 until 5:00 o'clock.

Hosting the tea were: Mrs. Dick Edwards, Mrs. Honis Gruben, Mrs. Elmer Kiker, Mrs. Earl Kiker, Mrs. Clyde McKinney, Mrs. Edd Harris, Mrs. Clifton Bickerstaff, Mrs. Mattie Key, Mrs. Sam Cleveland, Miss Loretta Neal, Miss Ema Ona Fairey, Mrs. Walter Cleveland.

Many nice gifts were received.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Sutton have returned home from Dallas, where Mr. Sutton was treated by a specialist. Their grandson, Jack Sutton, came home with them for an extended visit.

John Gray has completed his studies at Arlington State College and is working in Whitesboro during the summer.

**Senior Are Gathering
Old Newspapers**

The Senior Class of 1954-55 will begin collecting old newspapers June 4. They will collect papers the first Friday of each month during the summer.

If your papers collect between

regular collections, members of the class will be glad to pick them up for you.

The following people will be glad to have you contact them:

Southeast — Boyce Irwin Phone 8170.
Northeast Carol McCullough phone 4521.

Southwest — Anita Tankersley, phone 4921.

Northwest — Patsy Blount, phone 7913.

Business district — Charles Lear phone 6951.

The class will appreciate your saving your old papers for them.



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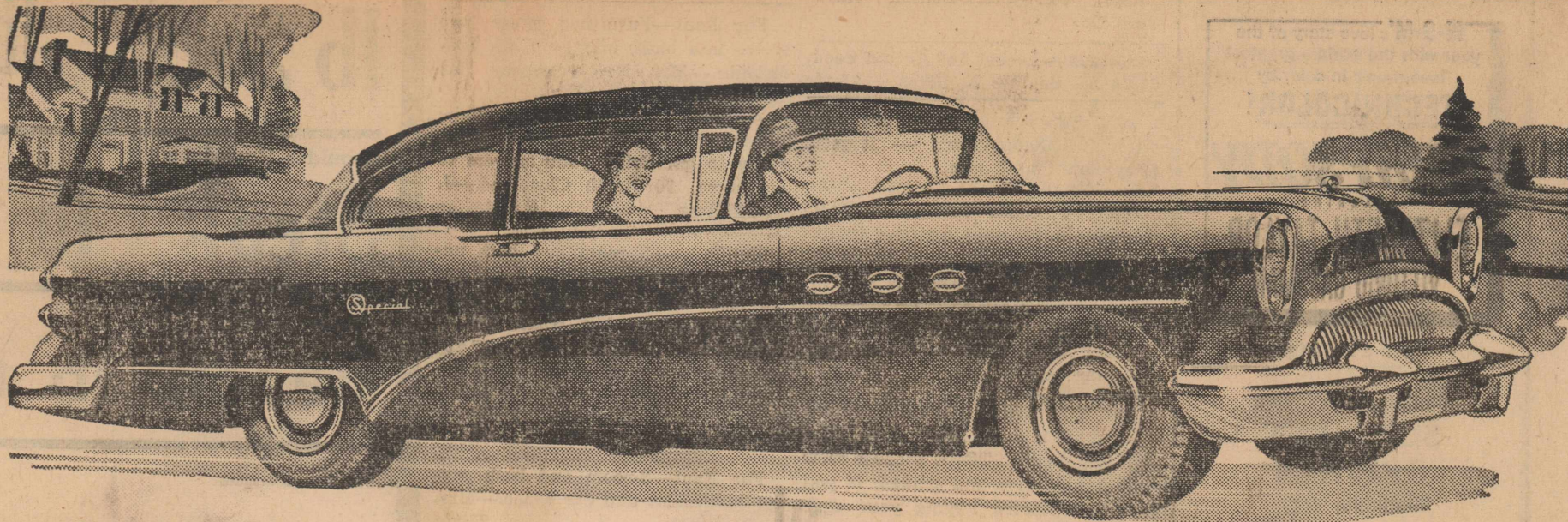
She's cooking dinner—her automatic electric range has "put it on."



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For Sale, Used Refrigerators, Ranges and Washing Machines—Home Lumber Company.

1949 Ford 1-2 T Pickup, runs good good tires. Priced to sell.—Hogsett Chevrolet Co., Rotan.

For Sale—One-wheel trailer, in good condition—J. A. Compton, Box 692. 19-4tc

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Universal Electric Range, priced to sell.—Clark-Benson Hardware Co.

For Sale—About 1,000 lbs. Northern Star Cotton Seed, delinted, first year out of white sack.—Ernest Kolb. 18-2tp

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For Sale—Feterita seed, 6 cents a pound. See James Nettleton, Hobbs, Texas 19-2tp

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For Sale—2-wheel trainer, good condition, worth the money.—M. W. Strickland.

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Announcements

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For State Senate, 24th Senatorial District:
Harley Sadler (Re-election.)

For State Representative:
L. L. Armour
Cecil A. Lotief

For County Judge:
Bruce McCain
(re-election)

For Tax Assessor-Collector:
Howard A. House
(re-election)
Robert Buck, Jr.

For County Clerk:
John W. Ashley
(re-election)

For Commissioner Pre. 4:
Jack Farmer
Homer Rucker
(re-election)
Thurman Terry
Joe Wetsel

For District Clerk:
Nealy A. Morton
(re-election)

For County Attorney:
H. F. Grindstaff
(re-election)

For Sheriff:
J. N. McGinnis
R. L. (Bogue) Wilkins
(re-election)
A. E. (Bus) Rollans

For County Treasurer:
Isla McClure
(re-election)

For County Superintendent:
C. J. Dalton
(re-election)

For Commissioner Pre. 3:
T. R. Underhill
(re-election)
C. C. Carter.

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