

### Little League Opening Postponed Monday

The official opening of Little League was postponed Monday because of weather. The event is again planned for next Monday, with the parade forming on main street at 5:30. The official ceremony will be at 7:30 at Little League park.

### Pony League Organized

The Pony League will open the season Tuesday night May 17 with a short double header game in order for all leaguers to participate and parents to get a look at the good, clean fun we intend to have. A short program will be given, and your presence will be appreciated at VFW park Tuesday night. Bring the family and let's have a good time.

### Local Stores Holding Anniversary Sale

H. L. Davis Co., and Campbell Dept. Store are opening their Anniversary Sale this morning. Mr. Davis has been in business in Rotan 18 years, and the stores reflect his success in the dry goods field. Sale ad will be found in this issue of the Advance and contains many good buys. The event closes Saturday night.

### Connally's Daughter Injured In Accident

Miss Nauta Faye Connally of Ft. Worth, daughter of Chief and Mrs. B. H. Connally was seriously injured late Thursday when she was run over by a horse. Miss Connally, a registered nurse, and a group of friends were visiting at a ranch near Fort Worth when the accident occurred. She was badly bruised and had a broken collar bone with other injuries. She is in Peter Smith Hospital for treatment. D. P. Connally of Midland, his mother, Mrs. B. H. Connally went to Fort Worth Friday and Chief went Saturday night, and as she was doing nicely, they returned home Sunday night.

### PTA Council Meeting Held Recently

A meeting of the PTA executive council was called April 27 for the purpose of making preparation for the annual installation service of all incoming officers for 1955-56 school year. This service will be held Wednesday May 18 with Miss Josie Baird having charge of the ceremony. The immediate past presidents of the three local units will present reports on the progress made by their units during the year. All parents are urged to be present at this service. Buses will run early in order for the meeting to start at 2:30 p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade Smith and two sons of Midland were here Mothers Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Withers, also visiting Mr. and Mrs. Withers were his mother and sister, Mrs. Withers and Miss Elsie Withers of Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Strayhorn and sons Johnny and David of Electra are spending the week here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Strayhorn and Mr. and Mrs. Mark Strickland.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Whitfield of San Angelo spent Sunday here with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Whitfield, Mrs. R. M. Smith and Miss Lucille Smith.

Mrs. C. L. Sutton returned Monday from a visit with her children in Dallas and Irving. She also visited relatives in Ennis and Bardwell.

### Storm Warning

The fire department has equipped the bell in center of main street so that it may be used as storm warnings. Weather stations equipped with radar have been very accurate in pinpointing tornadoes and this with telephone reports from nearby towns will be depended on. The bell will not sound unless a definite danger is apparent and citizens are asked to seek protection, instead of coming to town and cause congestion of traffic. The siren is not a satisfactory warning as many people thinking of fire will rush to town, and in case of storm would be in greater danger than had they remained at home.

### General Rain Covers Practically All Area

The best general rain in months covered practically all this immediate area early this week. Sunday's measure was .42 inch in Rotan, much heavier in spots, but light to the north and west. Sunday night thru Tuesday, Fred Byerly's gauge showed .73 inch, and Tuesday night and Wednesday morning 1.15 inch making a total for the week thus far of 2:30 inches. Most of the country that had light rains earlier, enjoyed heavy fall Tuesday night, some as much as 3 inches Tuesday night alone. Most of the county now has ample moisture for planting and farmers and stockmen are very thankful for this moisture which came just right for starting crops and pastures. Some hail and wind accompanied the rainfall, but considerable disturbance prevailed Tuesday night when radar stations warned of storm danger in the immediate area. Many citizens spent the early part of the night in storm cellars and watching clouds, but no damage for reported in the area. From here to the South plains section received good rains but east the fall was light in Hamlin and reached south to San Angelo.

Supervisors of the Upper Clear Fork Soil Conservation district joins with the National Association in sponsoring this movement.

### Pre-School Offered Special Awards

A special award will be given all pre-school children who register for next school year, on Tuesday May 20. The youngsters will remain at primary building all morning and eat lunch with the regular group.

### Meribee Club Meets

The Meribee club had an all day meeting in the Homer Aaron home Tuesday. The day was spent in visiting, doing needle work and crocheting. At the noon hour a covered dish luncheon was served to seventeen members and two guests, Mrs. Ernest Kolb and Mrs. Archie Ragan. The club has a membership of eighteen members. Next meeting will be with Mrs. Hal Burrow, June 14. Mrs. Mamie Bennett, the lady who was fatally injured during the storm at Temple Friday night and her brother, Clarence Bland, owner of the boot and shoe factory that was destroyed are cousins of Mrs. B. H. Connally.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Smith of Manhattan, Kansas are spending this week with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Smith. Winston is stationed at Fort Riley with the U. S. Army, headquarters company 86th Inf. Regiment, 10th Division. This outfit is scheduled to replace the First Division in Germany early this summer. Mrs. Smith plans to join her husband there about August 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Arvin White and Candy spent Sunday in Abilene with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Nath White and her mother, Mrs. Lee Duckworth.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Parker and Martha Ann of Monahans visited Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Smith Saturday and Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Vittitow and granddaughter, Karen Clements visited his mother, Mrs. H. R. Vittitow in San Angelo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Williamson spent Sunday in Sweetwater with their daughter, Mrs. Leonard Davis, Mr. Davis and Carlla.

Mrs. Ed Harris spent the past week end visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Arnold and sons John and Robert.

Don Cook or Irving visited here this week with friends and relatives. He is employed by a printing firm in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Colonel Mize and two sons of Midland visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. Mize Sunday.

### Soil Conservation Week Is May 9-15

May 9 thru 15 is "Soil Conservation Week," as proclaimed by Soil Conservation district. This is to remind the people of our nation that the conservation of our soil is national in scope. The food and fibre for all people of our nation comes from the soil. The population of our great nation is increasing at a tremendous rate. Ever day some 7,000 more mouths must be fed and their bodies clothed, yet this nation is not gaining any land. A lot of it is still eroding. Then too, new roads, towns, plants and homes take away from the farms, more and more land every year. Sunday, May 15, has been designated as Soil Stewardship Sunday by the National Association of Soil Conservation district. The suggestion is that religious leaders set aside one Sunday each year to remind their congregations of mans duty to be a good steward of the land. Supervisors of the Upper Clear Fork Soil Conservation district joins with the National Association in sponsoring this movement.

The pastor will preach for the morning service next Sunday. The time is 10:50 a.m. Rev. E. L. Yeats, our retired minister at Roby, will preach for the evening service. It begins at 7:00 p.m. The pastor will be preaching the Baccalaureate at the Hobbs Public School. Sunday School, with a class for everyone, will begin at 9:45 a.m. Let's keep the attendance above the 200 mark. If you have not been attending Sunday School, why not visit with us Sunday? You are always welcome.

### Methodist News

Visitors in the home of Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Cooley last Sunday were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cooley of Hamlin. Also visiting were Mrs. Gerald Renfro, and children, of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Cooley and children of Hamlin, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Talbot, of Abilene, and Mr. W. E. Cooley of Hamlin. Mr. and Mrs. Bob Winkler of Hayward, Calif., recently visited her mother, Mrs. S. B. Adams and her sister, Mrs. George Riley. They went to Fort Worth Wednesday of last week to visit her son, Claude Ogle before returning home. Mr. and Mrs. Ollie McCombs, Mr. and Mrs. Leonard McCombs and Devon, Mrs. L. E. Newton, Frances and Susan spent Mother's Day in Fort Worth with Mrs. Wash McCombs, mother of Ollie and Leonard McCombs. Mr. and Mrs. Howard Davidson and daughter, Sandra and Mrs. Will Davidson from McCaulley spent Mother's Day with Mrs. Davidson's mother, Mrs. Bernice Stockton. Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Sparks and children, Lawrence, Wayne and Norma and Tod Baugh visited Lieut. Wayne Porter, Mrs. Porter and Kim at Hondo last week end. Chief Truman Vittitow, Mrs. Vittitow and Janice of San Diego talked to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Vittitow Saturday night. Chief Vittitow left Sunday for a three months stay in Alaska. Alpha Hardy, Helen Turner, Beth Johnson, Doyce Wadell and several friends, all students at A.C.C. spent the week end here with their parents. Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Campbell of Tucson Arizona have been at the bedside of his father, E. F. Campbell who is critically ill in Callan Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Horace Arrington and J. P. Wright visited in Odessa Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Arrington. Mrs. E. W. Cleveland of Greenville is here visiting friends and relatives. 1st Lieut. Roy Blakeley, Mrs. Blakeley and Larry James of Austin visited her parents Mr. and Mrs. John Ashton last week end.

### County Farmers To Hear Report Monday

The regular monthly meeting of the Fisher County Farmers Union is to be held at the Midwest Electric Cooperative building in Roby at 8 p. m. Monday May 16. Chairman Joe Dismore has announced that the group will receive a report from Max Carriker on the reception that his group received in Washington D. C. Mr. Carriker is a member of a group of area citizens who have appeared before a congressional committee on behalf of the local farmers. They are at tempting to obtain additional cotton acreage for drought stricken areas. Mr. Dismore states that he Fisher County Farmers Union has supported the move with financial aid as well as with resolutions and other support. The farmers group voted 100% to support the effort in every way possible. Mr. Dismore stated that routine Farmers Union business will also be handled at the Monday night meeting.

### City Cafe Will Re-open Friday Morning

City Cafe plans to open for business Friday morning following being closed for extensive repairs made necessary by a large truck rolling into the building several weeks ago. The building has been completely remodeled and made into a very attractive place.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Phillips, Dinae and Maxine spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Daugherty in Denver City. They were accompanied by his mother Mrs. J. R. Phillips visited Mr. and Mrs. Garland Phillips in Seagraves and Mrs. Lillie Underhill who visited her son, Mr. and Mrs. Preston Underhill in Denver City.

Mrs. Floyd Clifton and son Gary spent Mothers Day with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe McIntosh in Odessa and Mr. Clifton and son Guy visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Clifton in Abilene. Bobby, the Clifton's oldest son had been visiting his grandparents in Abilene several days. They returned home Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Address of resno, Calif., arrived here Thursday of last week and visited her uncle Mr. C. E. Whitfield and wife and other relatives here until Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Address formerly lived, here she was "Lilla Whitfield", daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Whitfield.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Miller and daughter, Mrs. Lena Patterson on Mothers Day were Mr. and Mrs. George Kiker Sr., Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Scroggins, Dolores and Sarah of Lubbock, Louis Kiker, Mr. and Mrs. Al Young of Pecos, Looe Miller of Brwnfield, Mr. and Mrs. George Kiker Jr., and two sons of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin B. Nitsch of Colorado City came Friday and Mrs. Nitsch stayed until Sunday visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Clark and Bobby Clark of Amarillo came Saturday night to spend Mothers Day with his parents.

J. S. Woodson went to DeKalb Thursday to visit a brother, he was joined there by three sisters from Arkansas and two sisters from Beaumont for a family reunion.

Dr. and Mrs. Weldon Callan and Lois Ann of Spur visited their mothers, Mrs. R. M. Smith and Mrs. Mosella Callan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Smart and daughter, Kathleen Jewel of Dallas visited his mother, Mrs. J. T. Smart Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Moore and son Larry of Hamlin spent today here with his mother Mrs. L. Y. Moore and her parents Mr. and Mrs. Ira Morrow.

Mr. and Mrs. Mac Weathersbee of Dallas and Doug Weathersbee of Baylor University, Waco spent Saturday and Sunday here with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Weathersbee.

### Burglars Active Here During Past Week

Burglars have been active in Rotan for the past few nights, but have little to show for their efforts. Last week the VFW club was entered and some cash and cigarettes taken. Monday a 1952 Chevrolet of J. R. Browning was stolen from the parking lot at National Gypsum Co., while he was at work. Sheriff Bus Rollans and deputy Bill Ashley recovered the car near Snyder and returned it to Rotan. The same night Magnolia Petroleum Co., office and Clark Tractor & Implement were entered but nothing taken. Officers are working on the cases.

### Jr. Class Offers Play Friday Night

The Junior class is presenting their play "That Crazy Smith family", Friday night at 8:00 p. m. It is the story of an average family with teenagers, younger brothers and sisters and their friends. The cast includes: Ma Smith—Margaret Gruben. Pa Smith—Kinney McKinney. Tony Smith, a high school football hero—Jerry Black. Buddy Smith, a mischievous 12 year old—Jerry Templar. Betty Smith, a 14 year old—Relna Branch. Aunt Bella, an old maid—Carole Hargrove. Sally Smith, 17 year old, trying to be an artist—Lanny Posey. Dick, a southern boy—Wesley Minton. Stewart, a man of the world—Neal Funk. Julie, a polished and sophisticated girl—Peggy Roberson. Professor, Bella's bashful beau—Freddy Smith. Barbara, Tony's girl—Sarah Cardwell.

### Pupils Of Mrs. Withers Offer Recital

Mrs. Henry Withers presented her music pupils in a formal recital Thursday evening of last week in the Methodist Church. Appearing on the program were Bobbie Gay Powell, Billie Lee Smith, Joretta Hargrove, Gail Peel, Charlotte Callan, Burnell Hargrove, and David Garland, each playing two numbers. Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cummins, Chris and Beth arrived here Wednesday night of last week from Great Lakes Ill., to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Burk. He has recently received his discharge from the Navy. Guests of Rev. and Mrs. Alvis Cooley Sunday were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Cooley of Hamlin, two sisters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Talbot of Abilene, Mrs. Gerald Renfro and three children of Hamlin and two brothers Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Cooley and two sons of Hamlin and Elvin Cooley of Abilene. Mrs. Eunice Shamburger of San Antonio came Friday to visit her sister Mrs. John McCombs and Winfred and Saturday the group went to Odessa to visit children of Mr. and Mrs. McCombs. Mr. and Mrs. Hal Burrow, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Price attended the rodeo in Baird Friday night. Mrs. May Cathrine Rook and children, Virginia, Ricky and Johnny of Grand Prairie recently visited her brother Mr. and Mrs. Carlton Burrow and her grandmother, Mrs. J. M. Montgomery. Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Luther Terrell Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. A. Z. Decker, Mrs. Charles Hollum and two children of Abilene, S. R. Scott of Merkel, Mr. and Mrs. Ira Cavitt of Hobbs, Glenn Cavitt of Brownwood and Allen Cavitt of Childress. Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Forston and Jimmy of Albert, Aysama visited here last week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Wright. He is a nephew of Mrs. Wright and W. W. McNarson.

### First Baptists To Install Conditioner

The congregation of the First Baptist Church, last Sunday morning heard a report from its finance committee headed by D. J. Smith, and adopted such report, authorizing the committee to install a heating and cooling unit as the new education building is erected. New ducts will be installed in the old building and the one-package unit will heat and cool the entire building when completed. The church is finishing its campaign to raise all available cash and a loan will be negotiated to complete the project.

### Services Held Here For Former Resident

W. H. Dudley, 77, former resident of Rotan, died in San Diego, Calif., last Thursday following an extended illness. Mr. Dudley came to Fisher county from Fort Worth in 1921. He moved to California in 1941. Funeral was held in Lewis Colonia Chapel in San Diego Friday. A second service was held in Weathersbee Chapel Monday at 2 p. m. by Rev. Carl Underhill. Burial was in Belview cemetery. Survivors include three sons, R. L. Marion and Aza Dudley all of San Diego; six daughters, Mrs. Pearl Neeley, Mrs. Leslie Mae Snap and Mrs. Willie Muriel Driver, all of Rotan, Mrs. Ethel Hayes of Roby, Mrs. Lu Stovall of Abilene and Mrs. Ann Cox of San Diego; 17 grandchildren and seven great-grandchildren.

### "Leviticus", Subject At First Baptist Church

The pastor of the First Baptist Church will preach Sunday morning on, "Leviticus" another in the series of sermons on books of the Bible. Sunday school starts at 9:45 with classes for every age group. Training Union meets at 7:00 with the evening worship at 8:00. The pastor will preach on the last word from the Cross, "Father Into Thy Hands I Commend My Spirit", or "The Shout Of Victory." The church extends a cordial welcome to visiting friends. The nursery is open for all services. W.M.U. meets Monday at 4:00 o'clock in circles with the business woman's circle meeting in the evening.

Mr. and Mrs. George McDonald and Mary made a business trip to Lubbock Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Price, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Wilkes visited Mrs. J. W. Price and Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Hedgpath in Abernathy Sunday.

### Francene Barnard And Murl McKinney Marry

Announcement is being made of the marriage of Francene Barnard, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Roberts to Mr. Murl McKinney, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. McKinney in Lovington N. M., May 4. Rev. C. P. Watts, pastor of First Baptist Church in Lovington performed the ceremony. They will make their home in Rotan. Mrs. McKinney will continue her work at First National Bank and McKinney is employed at Kennedy Motor Co.

### Approaching Marriage Announced

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Park are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Jo to J. D. Pope, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Pope of Roby. They are both 1955 graduates of Roby High School.

### Alvis Cleveland Marries Dallas Girl

Alvis T. Cleveland of Greenville and Miss Frances Waller of Dallas were married Saturday at Aldergate Methodist Church in Dallas by Rev. J. P. Hensley, astor. They will make their home at 1004 Belldrive, Greenville.

**Series of Parties  
Honor Bride-To-Be**

Three social affairs held in Rotan Saturday honored Reva Jo Watson, bride-elect of Elwood Freeman of Aspermont.

Reva Jo is daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris G. Watson. Elwood is son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Freeman, Aspermont. The marriage will be May 26 at 10:30 a. m. in the First Methodist Church.

Miss Watson has been honoree at five affairs, and five more are planned prior to the wedding.

The first affair Saturday was an open and cup towel shower, held in the home of Mrs. Clinia B. Grindstaff, with her daughter, Mrs. Jimmy Don Hale of Lubbock as co-hostess. Guests were former school associates and other young friends of the honoree. Included were Mrs. John F. Aultman, Beverly Smith, Jan Carriker, Becky Strickland, Mrs. Earl Martin and son, Hank, all of Rotan; Alta Parker, Wilma; Mrs. Alvin Nitsch, Colorado City; Mrs. Bobby Smith, Tacoma, Washington.

The affair was from ten until eleven a. m.

Special guests were the betrothed couple's mothers and the bridegroom-to-be's sister, Mrs. Carlton Allison, Rule.

After arrival of all the guests, they were served, buffet style, from a table laden with an assortment of fruits, confections, and sandwiches. Drinks were iced cokes and hot coffee. Table appointment included and arrangement of daisies and fern in a jade bowl. Centerpiece was a pineapple boat, filled with fruits.

Guests were seated in a circle and viewed the gifts after they were opened by the honoree. Each guest then contributed a favorite recipe. Gift from the hostesses was a planter television lamp. They also presented a white organdy apron which was monogrammed by those present in oil painting.

The second affair was at 1:00 p. m. a dessert party, hosted in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Mark Strickland. Co-hosting the party with Mrs. Strickland was two daughters, Becky, of the home and Mrs. Wallace Strayhorn of Electra.

Entertaining rooms were appointed with Spring flowers. Guests dined at linen covered foursome tables, centered with individual corsages of daisies tied with yellow ribbon. Lemon pie and golden punch was served. Becky sang during the dining period.

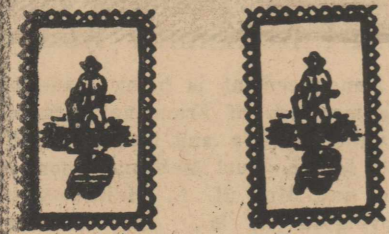
Gift from the hostesses was a piece of the honoree's pottery.

Attending were, Mmes. Smith, Hale, Allison, Freeman, Watson, Martin, Nitsch, and Miss Parker, Shirley Dry, and Beverly Smith.

The third affair, a lingerie shower, was held at 3:00 p. m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Clark. The daughter, Ms. Alvin Nitsch of Colorado City, was hostess.

The dining table, laid with lace over yellow, and centered with yellow flowers, was appointed with crystal and silver. Golden punch was served with white and yellow iced cake squares and other delicacies.

Guests at this affair were: Mmes. Smith, Hale, Aultman, Allison, Freeman, Watson, Martin and Miss Parker, Miss Dry, and Mrs. Harold Wittlow from Arlington.



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**Corn** Whole Kernel or Cream Style 2 303 Del Monte 27c **Ritz Crackers** Pound Box 35c

**Toilet Tissue** 4 Rolls Charmin 35c **Pickles** Qt. Diamond 25c

**PEACHES** 303 Sliced Mission 19c **Vinegar** Concho Distilled, Qt. 15c

**LETTUCE** Lg. Crisp Heads Lb. 12c

**Cucumbers** Pound 12c

**Tomatoes** Pound carton EACH 19c

**CARROTS**, 2 bags . . . . 19c **RADISHES**, 2 bchs. . . . 15c

**ORANGES**, 5-lb. bag . . . 39c **FLORIDA SWEET ORANGES** . . . lb. . . . 9c

**Pork & Beans** 2 No. 2 1-2 Campfire 35c

**Oxydol** Reg. Size 25c

**STEW** 300 Campfire 27c

**Mackerel** 19c

**PREM** 45c

**TEA** BRIGHT & EARLY with beautiful Glass Free 1/4 Lb. 43c

**Prune Plums** No. 2 1/2 Hunts 25c

**Pears** No. 300 Hunts 25c

**Preserves** BAMA, PEACH OR APRICOT 2 Lb. Jar 49c

**PRUNE JUICE**, Del Monte qt. . . . 33c

**ORANGE JUICE**, Adams 46 oz. . . 27c

**TOMATO JUICE**, 3 300 Hunts . . 29c

**APRICOT NECTAR**, 2 12 oz. cans 25c

**Peach Nectar** DEL MONTE 2 12 Oz. Cans 25c

MAXWELL HOUSE  
**COFFEE**  
1 LB. CAN  
**79c**



SNOW DRIFT  
**SHORTENING**  
3 LB. TIN  
**69c**

**PINEAPPLE** DEL MONTE SLICED OR CRUSHED 2 FLAT CANS 27c

GOLD MEDAL  
**FLOUR**  
25 lb. Pillow Case Bag **\$1.79**  
POWDERED OR BROWN  
**SUGAR**  
2 1 Lb. boxes **23c**

**SKIN BRACER**, 50c Mennen . . . . 39c

**BABY MAGIC** . . . \$1 Size . . . . 79c

**SHAMPOO**, \$2 size, Lustre-Creme \$1.59

**HAIR OIL**, \$1 size H. A. plus tax . . 79c

**RAPID SHAVE**, 2-79c cans . . . . \$1.19

**COLGATE TOOTH PASTE** . \$1.04 value

**DR. WEST TOOTH BRUSH** both . 79c

**CHUCK STEAK** lb. 43c

**SIRLOIN** lb. 69c

**FRANKS** lb. 33c

**Pressed Ham** lb. 39c

**Cheese** Wisconsin Longhorn lb. 45c

**BACON**, Mid-West, . . Tra-Pak . . 45c

**PARKAY**, . . . . . Lb. . . . . 26c

**SCOT TOWELS**, . . . . . 19c

**DEL MONTE PINEAPPLE JUICE**, 12 oz. can . . . 9c

### State Hospital Urges Patients To Remain Until Recovered

Forty-eight percent of the patients at McKnight Tuberculosis Hospital are leaving before recovery. These people, bearing a dangerously contagious disease, are returning to their homes in their community to endanger every man, woman and child with whom they come in contact.

To raise the moral, provide recreation and training facilities, and offer personalized comfort and attention to insure that patients remain hospitalized until cure is affected, the McKnight Area Volunteer Council is being organized.

Tuberculosis patients of 166 counties of Central and West Texas, are being served by McKnight Sanatorium near San Angelo. Captain Rod Eddy, USMC, newly appointed chairman of the council, stresses, "Since the health of every person may be jeopardized by patients who return to their homes against medical advice, activities of the new council concern each individual and organization of the entire McKnight area."

The Volunteer group, formed this week at the hospital, includes districts known as the McKnight Area Volunteer Councils of Amarillo, Lubbock, Midland-Odessa, El Paso, Abilene, and San Angelo. Other districts may be set up by division as required by future activity. Dis-

trict chairmen and vice chairmen will be appointed this month. They will communicate with all interested persons in their areas.

The first goal of the council, discouraging the infected patients from returning to society prematurely, may be accomplished through the acquisition of fiction, non-fiction and technical books, equipment to be used by bed patients in weaving, ceramics, painting, jewelry-making, leather-work and other activities.

The second goal of the council, to provide vocational rehabilitation, is planned to train patients, unable to return to former occupations, for new means of future support. Statistics show eighty-five percent of patients retrained during treatment for work they are physically able to perform remain self-supporting members of society. Eighty-five percent of those who are not retrained become, perhaps with their families, dependent on public care.

The Volunteer workers plan to accomplish both goals by acquiring facilities not customarily provided through limited hospital funds, according to Captain Eddy.

Guests of Mrs. J. W. House for Mother's Day were her children, Roland House and Pete House of San Antonio, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin of Haskell and Tom House of McAdoo.

Mrs. Paul Bertram and children and Mrs. Henry Withers visited in Hamlin Friday.

### Announcement Party Gives Wedding Date

May 26 was revealed as wedding date of Reva Jo Watson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Morris G. Watson, and Elwood Freeman of Aspermont, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Freeman, at a tea hosted in the Watson home, Friday afternoon, April 27.

Co-host with Mrs. Watson in honoring her daughter was an aunt of the honoree, Mrs. James Elliott Montgomery.

Miss Watson is a junior in Texas Technological College, Lubbock, where she is treasurer of the sorority, Delta Gamma, and a member of the honorary business fraternity, Phi Gamma. She is a graduate of local schools and attended North Texas State College, Denton, one semester.

Freeman is graduate of Aspermont schools and of John Tarleton College. He served in the Army with duty in Japan. He is assistant cashier in the First National Bank, Aspermont.

Receiving with Miss Watson at the announcement affair were Mrs. Watson, Mrs. Montgomery, Mrs. Freeman and Mrs. Carlton Allison, Rule, sister of the bridegroom-to-be. Mrs. Charles G. Hogsett, Sr., opened the door and greeted guests. In the living room were grandmothers of the honoree, Mrs. J. M. Montgomery and Mrs. E. A. Watson.

For the affair, Miss Watson wore a trousseau frock of blue nylon lawn of original design, featuring bouffant skirt of accordin ruffles, and waistline detailed with cummerbund. She wore blue sandals and a crescent shoulder corsage of pink sweetheart rosebuds.

The tea table, which featured chosen colors of white and yellow, was draped with floor length cloth of gathered white organza over white satin, the corners tied with daisies and cascade of yellow satin ribbon.

Centering the table were frosted yellow candles in crystal, based in daisies and jade.

The announcement arrangement was on a sideboy, reflected in a ceiling mirror. Yellow lovebirds, labeled with names of the betrothed couple and bearing the wedding date, were in a gilded cage.

At the tea table were former high school classmates of Miss Watson: Shirley Dry; Mrs. Alvin Nitsch, Colorado City; Alta Parker, Abilene; and Mrs. Jimmy Don Hale, Lubbock.

The four were assisted in serving by Mrs. Mark Strickland, Mrs. Lena Patterson and Mrs. Truman Gilliland.

In the hall, directing to the den,

where guests registered, were Mrs. Thomas B. Colwell Jr., and Mrs. Preston Morrow. Mrs. Jack Patton stood at entrance to the den, introducing three aunts of the honoree, Mrs. Sally Montgomery, Fort Worth; Mrs. Davis Montgomery, Throckmorton; and Mrs. Wally Bruce, Lubbock.

Mrs. Ray Brown and Mrs. Earl Martin were in the registry room. Becky Strickland was in charge of

record music. Mrs. Roger Smith and Mrs. R. T. Wilkinson said the goodbyes.

Out of town guests were from Abilene, Colorado City, Lubbock, Throckmorton, Aspermont, Rule, Fort Worth and Roby.

Lester Minton returned Monday from Mercedes where he visited his mother, Mrs. D. A. Minton several days.

### The Rotan Advance

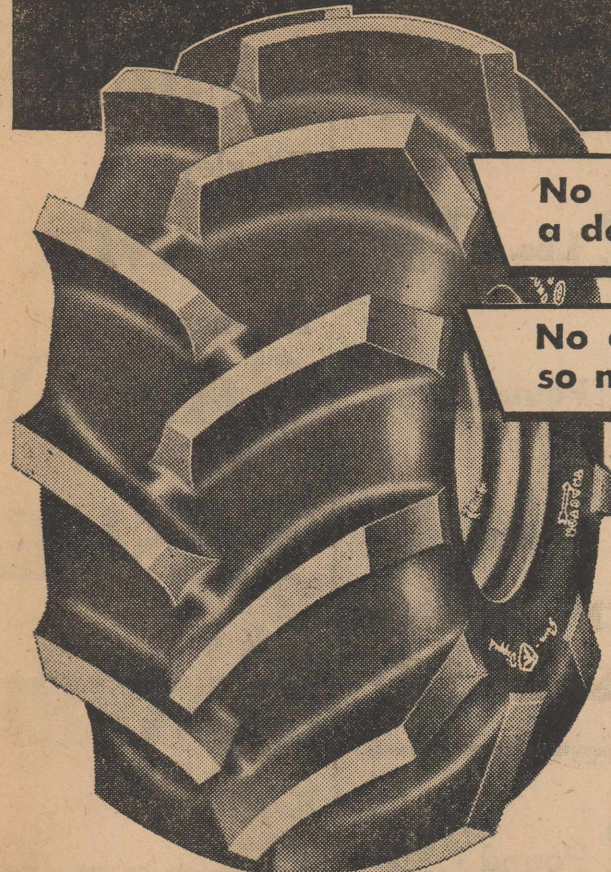
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Guests of Mrs. George Young for Mother's Day were Mrs. M. T. Phillips and Mabel Phillips of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Morris Young of Roby.

Mrs. B. F. Hines of Mineral Wells spent several days last week with her sister, Mrs. J. M. Montgomery.

## TAKES HOLD AND PULLS!

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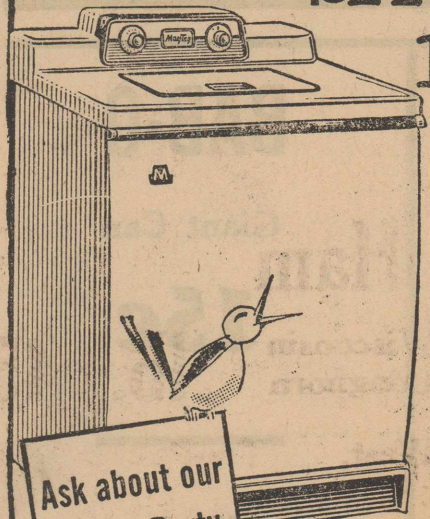
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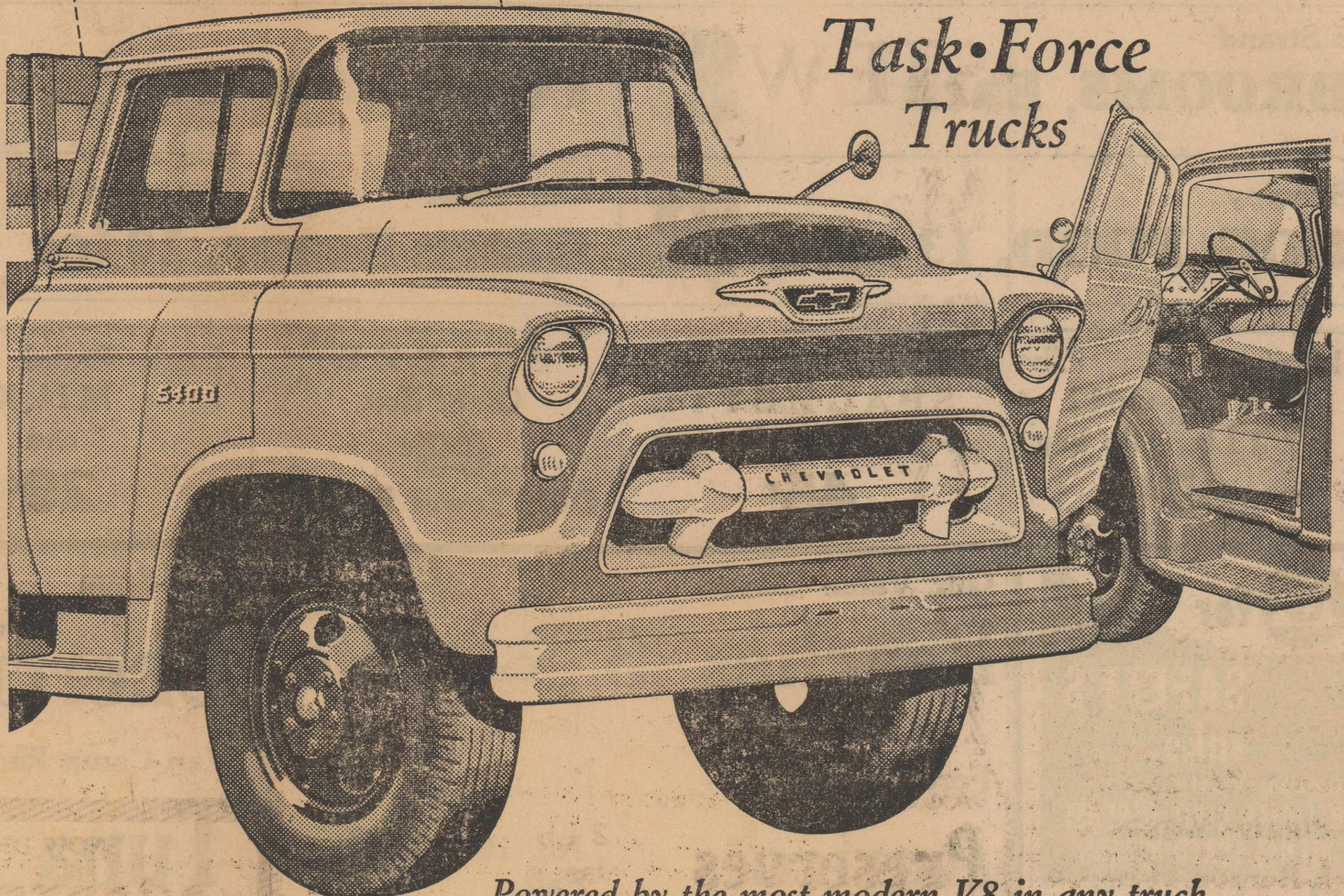
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**Potatoes** Squart Can 25c

Sunspun Shoe String  
**Potatoes** 2 Cans 25c

Sun Spun  
**Cherries** 4 303 Cans \$1

Van Camp Red Label  
**Tuna** 3 cans 69c

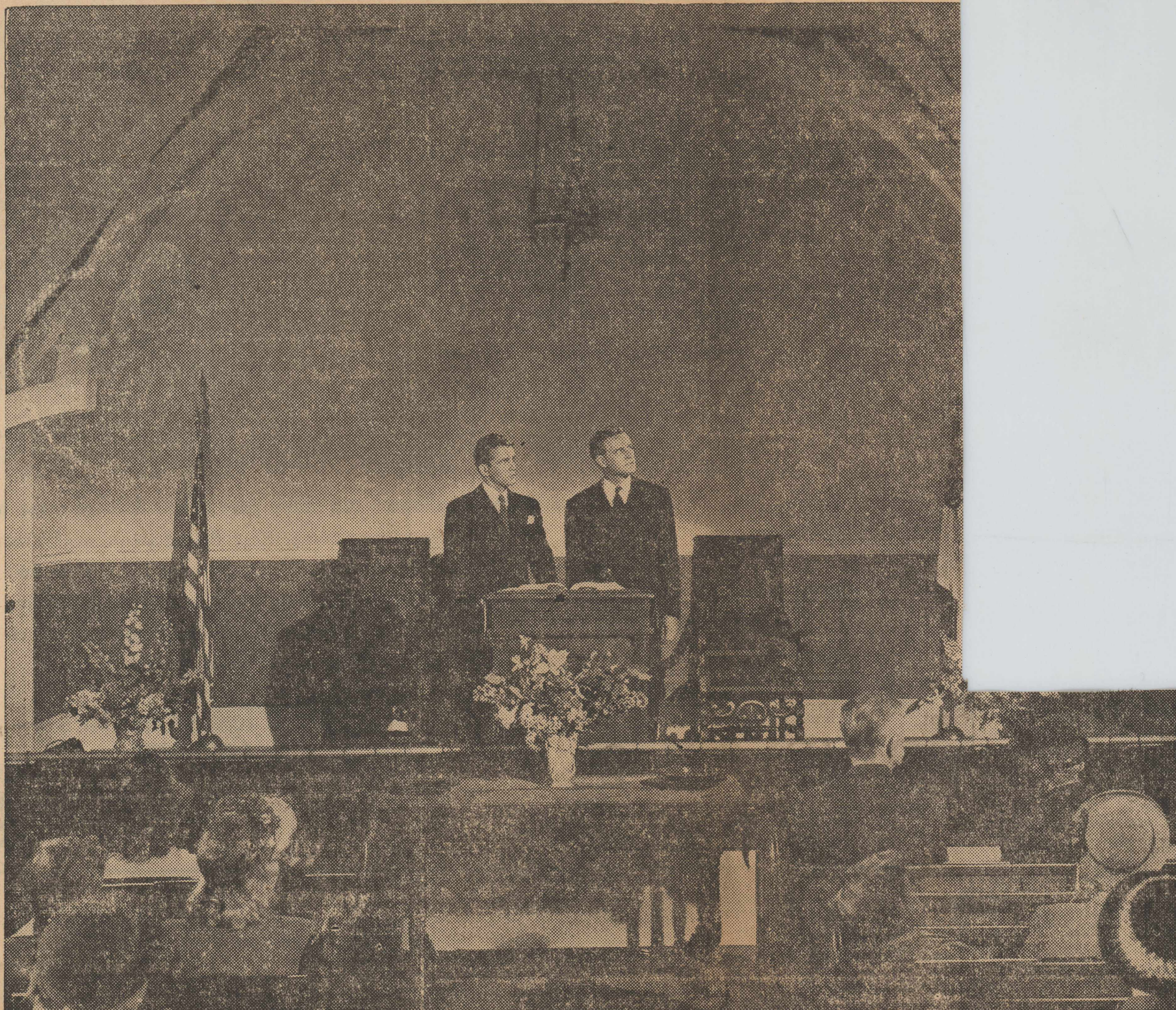
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Carl Underhill, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union 7:00 p. m.  
Mid-week service 8:00 p. m.  
Evening Worship 8:00 p. m.  
Church Visitation 7:00 p. m.

### NORTH ROBY BAPTIST CHURCH

Midway between Rotan & Roby  
Gene Y. Brock, Pastor  
Sunday  
Sunday School, 10 a. m.  
Morning Worship, 11 a. m.  
Training Union, 7 p. m.  
Preaching 7:30 p. m. Sunday.  
Prayer Meeting 7:30 Wednesday.

### ASSEMBLY OF GOD

902 Cleveland  
Rev. Fred Robertson, Pastor  
Sunday School — 10:00 a. m.  
Morning Worship — 11:00 a. m.  
Evening Worship — 7:00 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting — 7:30 p. m.  
Thursday.

### SHLAND HOME BAPTIST CHURCH

(4 miles N. E. of City)  
J. Dale Martin, Pastor  
Order of services  
Sunday  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Worship Services 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union 7:00 p. m.  
Worship Services 8:00 p. m.  
Monday  
Brotherhood Meeting Monday after  
1st Sunday of each month  
8:00 p. m.  
Tuesday  
W. M. S. Meets First and third Tues-  
days 1:30 p.m.  
Wednesday  
Bible Study 8:00 p. m.  
Prayer Meeting 8:00 p. m.  
S. S. Officers & Teachers meet-  
ing 8:40 p. m.

### ST. JOSEPH'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Father B. A. Erpen  
Sunday morning Mass 10:00 a.m.  
Week day Mass 8:00

### CROSS ROADS BAPTIST CHURCH

R. M. Parsley, Pastor  
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Training Union, 7:30 p. m.  
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.  
Prayer Service, Wed. 7:30 p. m.  
with officers and teachers meeting  
following.

### FIRST METHODIST CHURCH

209 McKinley  
J. Alvis Cooley, Pastor  
Sunday Services  
Sunday School, 9:45.  
Morning Worship, 10:50 a. m.  
Youth Fellowship, 6:00 p. m.  
Evening Worship, 7:00 p. m.  
Womens Society of Christian Ser-  
vice, Monday, 3:00, p. m.  
Wednesday Services  
Intermediate Choir Practice—  
6:00 p. m.  
Youth Bible Study—6:15 p. m.  
Choir Practice—7:00 p. m.  
Adult Bible Study—7:45 p. m.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

305 McKinley  
Otta Johnson, Minister

Sunday  
9:45 a.m.—Bible Study period.  
Classes for all ages.  
10:45 a.m.—Worship Service, Ser-  
mon, and Communion.  
6 p.m.—Young People's Training  
Class and Teacher training  
class.  
7:30 p.m.—Evening Worship ser-  
vice and sermon.  
Monday  
9 a.m.—Ladies Working Group  
meets  
3 p.m.—Ladies Bible Class  
Wednesday  
7:30 p.m.—Bible Study and sing-  
ing.

### FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH

McKinley at Mead  
Lawrence Hayes, Pastor  
Sunday  
9:45 a. m. Sunday School  
10:50 a. m. Morning Worship  
6:00 p. m. Training Union  
7:00 p. m. Evening Worship  
Monday  
3:00 p. m. WMU and Sunbeams  
Wednesday  
7:00 p. m. Officers and Teacher's  
meeting and Y. W. A.  
8:00 p. m. Hour of prayer

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10:00 a. m. Sunday School  
11:00 a. m. Morning Worship  
7:30 p. m. Training Union  
8:30 p. m. Evening Worship

Wednesday  
7:30 p. m. Hour of Prayer  
Revival Aug. 12 through 21.

### CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE

Dan D. Jones, Pastor  
Corner of Lee and McKinley  
Sunday School 9:45 a.m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.  
Evening Service 7:30 p. m.  
Mid-week service Wed. 7:15 p.m.

### LITTLE ZION BAPTIST

CHURCH  
(colored)  
G. W. Henry, Pastor  
Sunday School 9:45 a. m.  
Morning Service, 11:00 a. m.  
Evening Worship, 7:30 p. m.

### CHURCH OF CHRIST

(colored)  
10:00 a. m. Sunday School  
11:00 a. m. Bible Class  
7:30 p. m. Preaching

### CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST

(colored)  
Sunday school, 10 o'clock.  
Preaching, 11:45.  
and workers at 6:30.  
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**Foremost Offers  
New Dairy Dessert**

Big Dip a brand new, low-calorie, 100 per cent frozen dairy-dessert, is making flavor history with local housewives here this week, according to its inventors, Foremost Dairies.

Selling at a popular price, the exclusive, new Foremost dairy dessert has had enthusiastic response on the part of both merchants and housewives in this area, according to Foremost's spokesmen.

Big Dip is a development of Foremost laboratories, termed the answer to a long search for delicious, nutritious frozen dessert made from 100 per cent dairy products, yet providing the diet-conscious with exceptionally low calorie content.

Big Dip has a new, smooth texture and deep flavor made possible by the use of a unique, new Foremost processing method and ingredient.

The delicious new dessert is available in famous Foremost flavors at a price everyone can afford.

Big Dip's calorie content is ideal for many who love ice cream, but for dietary reasons seldom eat it. Calorie count of an average size serving of Big Dip is 107, according to Foremost laboratory men, as compared with the calorie content of the following: one average size serving of ice cream, 153 calories; one average doughnut 136 calories; one 4-inch cut of apple pie, 331 calories; one average size serving of Mellorine, 162 calories, etc.

The new dessert discovery nevertheless offers a high protein count, so important as a health-element for youngsters and oldsters alike. An average size serving of Big Dip contains 3.8 grams of protein, as compared to 3.1 grams for an equal amount of ice cream, 2.1 grams for an average size doughnut, 2.8 grams for apple pie, 3.1 grams for Mellorine.

Foremost delivery trucks have been busy throughout the week making special deliveries of Big Dip to stores in the area. Those unable to obtain Big Dip at their store are urged to call Foremost Dairies for further shopping information.

**Girl Scout News**

Fifth grade girl scouts met Thursday, May 5, Delores Borilis served. Next week we are going on a weenie roast. Patricia Nicholas, Janie Henderson, Celia Dean Reese were absent.

Patricia Sharp

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Perkins, Mr. and Mrs. Tyne Perkins and son, Mr. and Mrs. Tyne Arkon Perkins all of Abilene spent Mother's Day here with Mrs. Mae Perkins.

**Veterans Office News**

The Lubbock Regional Office of the Veterans Administration has been compelled to adopt a policy restricting telephone calls and consultations because of the large volume of business which continues to come into the office, Robert W. Sisson, Manager stated. He further stated it is believed that the best interests of veterans, builders, lenders and other interested parties will best be served if Loan Guaranty personnel can spend more time in case processing. One individual calling in to inquire about the status of his case or the value placed on the house he proposes to buy may not take up over twenty or thirty minutes, but if this is multiplied by ten, twenty, or thirty such calls, one or more examiners' full day can be taken up, thus a backlog is developed on his desk.

It is requested that those who do business with the VA make their visits and calls brief, and then if possible, call only on Friday.

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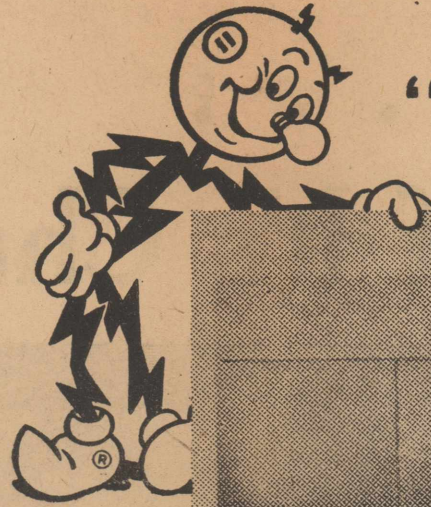
**DEE'S**

Shoe Shop and Western Store

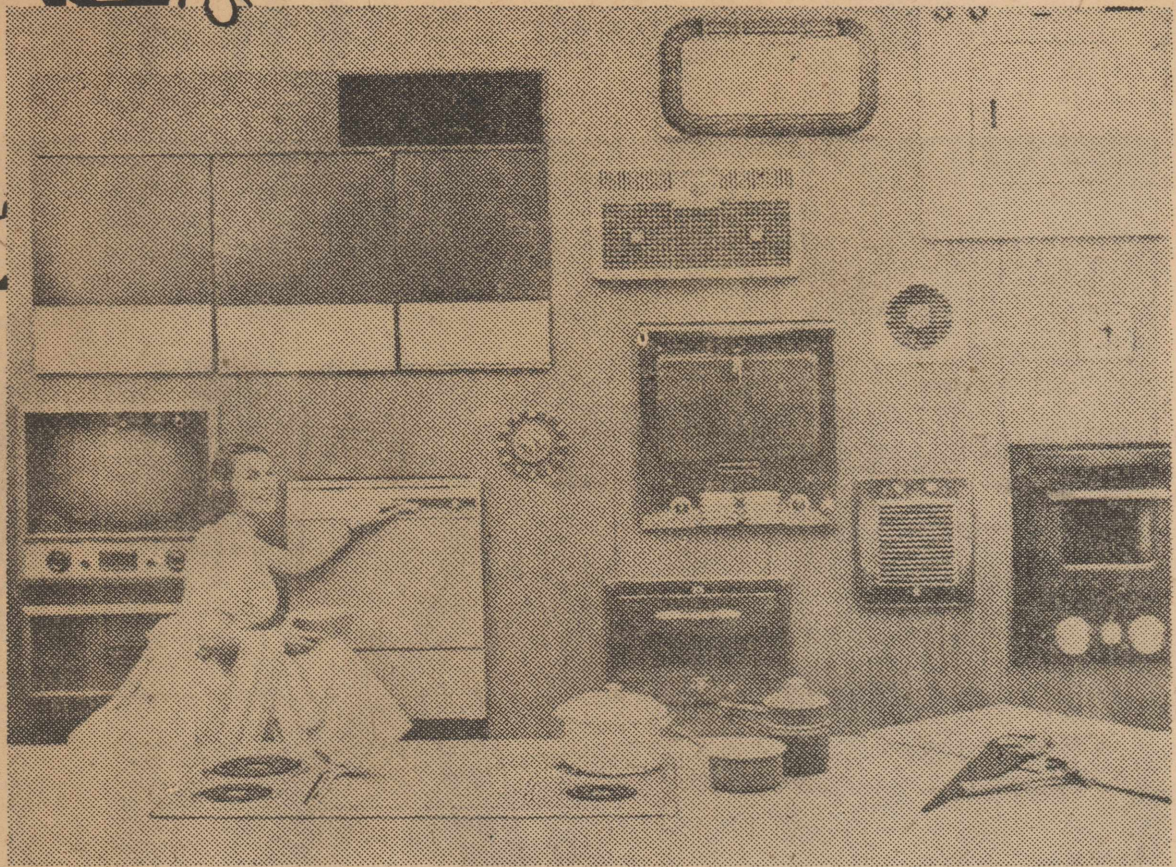
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**Mothers Day Offering  
Of Baptists To Give  
Free Medical Care**

Several hundred critically ill Texans will receive free medical care this year as a result of special offerings in Texas Baptist churches on Mother's Day, May 10.

Money contributed through the special offerings will be used by the seven Baptist hospitals in the state for giving free treatment to those who are ill but are unable to pay for medical care.

Texas Baptist began the offerings for charity patients in 1954. Since that time, the offerings, which have totaled \$517,168.35 during the ten years, have provided medical care for 4,021 bed patients, in addition to hundreds of others who have been treated without being hospitalized.

Taking care of the unfortunate is an active phase of the programs of Texas Baptist hospitals. Although the annual Mother's Day Hospital offering last year amounted to \$64,985.52, more than \$250,000 was spent on charity cases alone.

Charity patients are received for treatment in the hospitals when recommended by three officers of a Baptist General Convention of Texas church. When released from the hospital, these patients are given a

bill marked: "Paid by the Baptist churches of Texas."

Directing the Mother's Day observance are hospital administrators: Boone Powell, Baylor Hospital, Dallas; Earl Collier, Hendricks Memorial Hospital, Abilene; Julian Pace, Hillcrest Hospital, San Antonio; Guy H. Dalrymple, Southeast Texas Hospital, Beaumont, and Henry Morrison, Valley Baptist Hospital, Harlingen.

Shirley Bridges of Texas Tech spent last week end here with her parents.

Mother's Day guests of Mrs. Stella Morrow were her children, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Lewis and Lee of Ed-Couch, Mr. and Mrs. Colyn Smith and daughters Dolores and Mrs. Coleen Palmer and Marjorie of Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Milton Jones, Christine and Betty Lou of Captain, N. M., Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Morrow and daughter, Mrs. Stella Tipton of Clovis, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Dotson.

Gary Gilliland and Freddy Byerly of Texas Tech spent Sunday here with their parents.

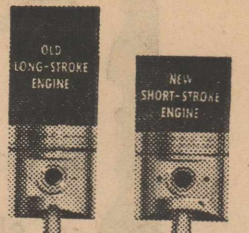
Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Ivey visited her sister, Mrs. L. H. Welch and Mr. Welch in Post Sunday. They were joined there by two other sisters, Mrs. Edna S. Welch of Amarillo, Mrs. J. M. Price and Mr. Price of Joshua.

Glenn and James Mann of Grandbury visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Mann last week end.

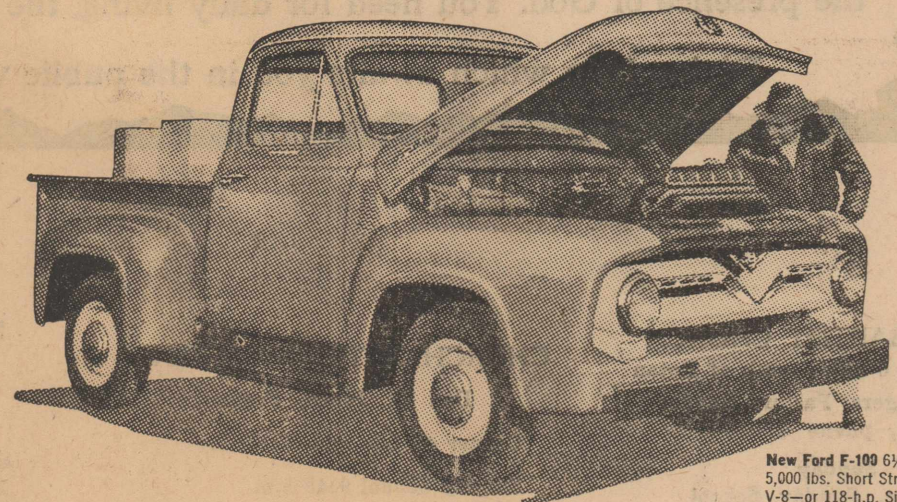
Mrs. B. J. Walters of Wink visited her mother, Mrs. J. M. Montgomery Thursday of last week.

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**The Rotan Advance**  
 Thursday, May 12, 1955 No. 15  
**'As It Looks From Here'**

Omar Burselon, M. C.  
 17th District, Texas

WASHINGTON, D. C. — Hearings have been in progress this week on the Bill I introduced to increase allotments on all basic crops in the drought-stricken areas.

The Secretary of Agriculture has the authority under existing law to do something about the situation, but apparently is not going to act to the extent of giving very much relief. The Secretary has, however, just increased peanut acreage allotments by seven and one-half percent.

In connection with these moves, there should be more liberal emergency and long-term loans to farmers.

The fight on the Farm Bill, which we had last week, plainly revealed the effect of propaganda on city people who believe a decent price to the farmer for the food and fibers he raises is the cause of high prices they must pay. This same propaganda will be used effectively in our fight to remove the jurisdiction of the Federal Power Commission over the producers and gatherers of natural gas at the wellhead. It bobs up in every issue, but it has now become clearly evident that forces are at work to make it more acute.

The fallacy of such propaganda can be clearly shown, and many Members of Congress representing the cities can be convinced, but their people are not. For instance, in January of 1948 the average price of wheat was \$2.81 per bu., and the average price of a loaf of bread was 13.9 cents. By January of 1955 the average farm price

for wheat had dropped to \$2.14 per bushel, but the price of a loaf of bread had risen to 17.6 cents.

Comparisons of this kind can be made all up and down the economic ladder to plainly show that it is not the farmer's market which has caused the high prices of food.

Of course, there is another side of this story, just as there are always at least two sides to most any issue. Sometimes there are several sides. All of them may have some merit. If people in the cities and in the industrial areas believe that the farmer is overcharging them for what he produces, suppose the farmer raises the question as to a guaranteed minimum wage to the workers who produce manufactured goods which the non-manufacturing area must purchase. They are now wanting the minimum wage raised from 75 cents to \$1.25 per hour. This will increase the cost of radios, automobiles, bath-tubs, or whatever the non-manufacturing areas must purchase to attain a decent living standard. These articles, as well as the worker, have been protected by a tariff for a hundred years, which was really the first type of subsidy brought into existence.

The difference in freight rates west of the Mississippi as compared to those east of the Mississippi has been another handicap to the great agricultural area of the Southwest. These are not nearly all the factors involved in this picture. There are many more. The point is that our part of the Country has been at an economic disadvantage since the Civil War, and when we ask for some equalization we are accused of selfishness and a great many other things.

There are still further complications to this general issue from the political standpoint. It may be obvious from the above examples. For instance, Members of Congress

from the city want those of us from the rural areas to vote for public housing, minimum wages, Federal aid to this, that and the other, which directly affects them. Over and over again you encounter these conflicting views and philosophies which cause the well known headache. We seldom get exactly what we want and oftentimes must settle for half a loaf.

No one is as blind as those who refuse to see.

Mrs. J. W. Kennedy visited her sister, Mrs. E. R. Rothwell in Dimmitt and her niece, Mrs. Virgil Nowell near Muleshoe Tuesday and Wednesday of last week.

Mrs. R. C. Freeman and children Mike and Melodie of Tulsa, Okla.

came Sunday to visit her parents, Dr. Lawrence Hayes and Mrs. Hayes and to be here for the graduation of her sister, Ronda. Mr. Freeman brought his family to Sweetwater by plane and Dr. and Mrs. Hayes met them there.

Mrs. Edna Colwell is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Forrest Lowe and Mr. Lowe in Winters this week.

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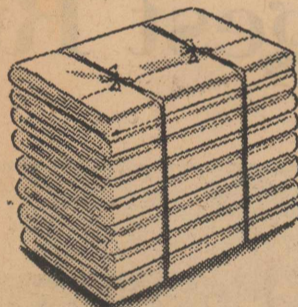


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## Gonzales Hospital To Hold Open House

The week of May 8th through May 14 has been set aside by the American Hospital Association for the commemoration of the birth of Florence Nightingale on May 12th. Hospitals throughout the world are celebrating this week in memory of this great nurse who first gave us hospitals as we know them today. The Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation, Texas' OWN rehabilitation center for crippled Texans, is participating in this celebration by inviting people from all over Texas to visit this Physical Medicine and Rehabilitation hospital dedicated to the care and treatment of handicapped Texans.

The Foundation will hold open house on Saturday, May 14th, and friends from all over the state are invited to visit them on that date, and let us show the new Midland Building, opened last year, and also the remodeled Fort Worth and Houston units. This construction program, stated approximately two years ago, increases the Founda-

tion's bed capacity to 135 beds. The Gonzales Warm Springs Foundation is a fully accredited hospital approved in 1954 by the Joint Commission for accreditation of hospitals. It maintains a complete physical therapy, occupational therapy, speech therapy and other professional departments for an overall rehabilitation program.

This invitation is statewide, and we urge that all who can, visit the Foundation and inspect the fine new facilities available for the care and treatment of the physically handicapped.

## Car Inspection Is For Your Protection

"Today's inspection is tomorrow's protection!"

In these words, Mr. E. C. McFadden of Dallas, President, Texas Safety Association, Inc. summed up the thinking behind the vehicle safety check program which is recommended by the Texas Safety Association, Department of Public Safety and National Safety Council.

The purpose of this program is to convince every driver in the community that it is extremely important to have his car safety checked periodically, Mr. McFadden said.

He warned that brakes that don't take hold at a critical moment, a tire that blows out as you're rounding a difficult curve, or windshield wipers that don't function properly in a sudden downpour can cause a serious accident.

"The only way you can be sure your car is in safe condition," Mr. McFadden said, "is to have it safety checked at regular intervals."

Such checks, he said, should include the 10 items recommended in the vehicle safety check program. They are: brakes, headlights, rear and stop lights, tires, wheel alignment, exhaust system and muffler, windshield wipers, glass horn and rear-view-mirror.

"The most skilled driver in the world can't drive safely in a unsafe car," Mr. McFadden said. He urged all Texas drivers to take no chances, but to have their cars checked as often as necessary.

## Red Cross Week Is May 8-14

Volunteer members of the American Red Cross will join with the volunteers of 72 other countries the week of May 8-14 to celebrate International Red Cross Week in honor of the organization's founder, Henri Dunant, born 127 years ago on May 8, 1828, in Geneva, Switzerland.

Observance of International Red Cross Week will take place throughout the United States with many chapters holding open house activities.

The organization came into being after Dunant had witnessed the battle of Solferino in 1859. It was from his personal experience on the battlefield that led him to find a way to protect the sick and wounded in time of war.

This beginning resulted in the first Geneva Convention in 1864 for the care of the war-wounded and the start of the international Red Cross movement.

Since that meeting in Geneva, the Red Cross emblem has come to be recognized as the international symbol of mercy. It now has 73 national societies in all parts of the world.

The American Red Cross also cooperates closely with the International Red Cross Committee and the League of Red Cross Societies. During 1954 it aided 17 countries hit by catastrophes. This included war ravaged Vietnam and Korea. Assistance was also given to victims of the Danube floods and hurricane suffers in Haiti.

In addition to many of the services offered by the American Red Cross, sister societies also engage in a number of activities not carried on in this country. These include operation and maintenance of hospitals, clinics, children's homes, refugee camps, nurses training institutes, and many other medical and social welfare programs.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Leach and two daughters of Fort Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Willard Tillotson and Ann last week end.

## Jimmy Counts At Ft. Benning Ga.

FT. Benning, Ga. -- Pvt. Jimmy D. Counts, 20, son of James E. Counts, Dorras Rt., Rotan, recently was graduated from the Infantry School's wheeled vehicle maintenance course at Ft. Benning, Ga.

The course trains personnel in maintenance of military motor vehicles used by infantry units. Students are taught the use of field expedients, driver training methods, and maintenance operations under adverse conditions.

Pft. Counts, a 1953 graduate of Rotan High School entered the army last October and completed training at Ft. Bliss.

Mother's Day guests of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Patton were Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ebert and children and Ted Patton of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Arrington, J. P. Wright and Mrs. Alba Hall of Roby spent Sunday in Odessa with Mr. and Mrs. Dalton Arrington.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. George Moore last week end were her mother, Mrs. P. A. Lewis and her sister, Mrs. D. N. Rogers and Mr. Rogers of Greenville.

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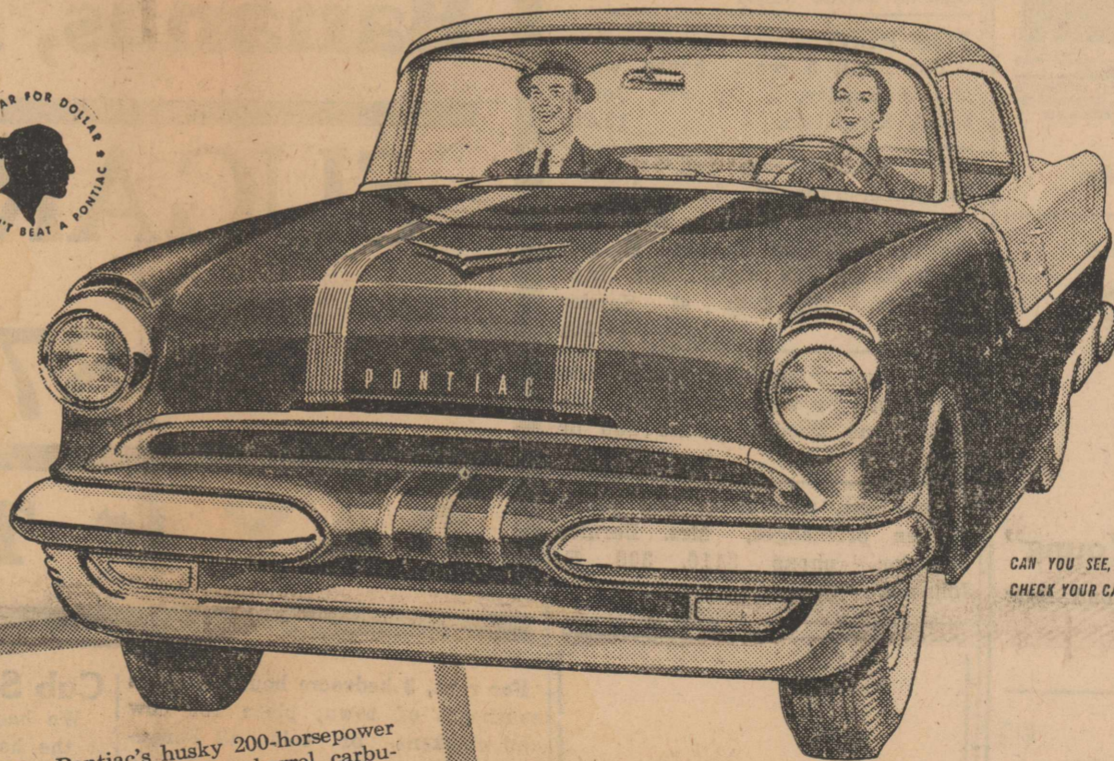
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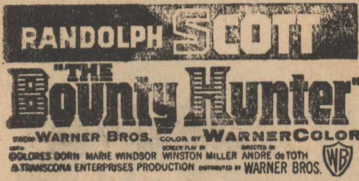
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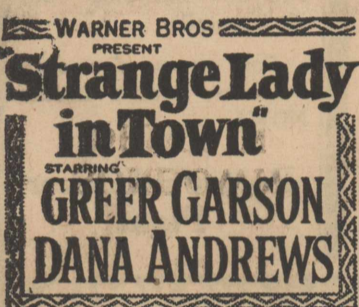
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Warren Hammond.

**Cub Scouts, Den 4**

We had our den picnic Saturday at the home of Mike Linky. Our weiner roast was great and we had all the trimmings. Then we were served ice cream and soda pop.

Thank you, Mrs. Linky, Mrs. Van Loon and Mrs. Finch for helping to make our day so happy and I as Den Mother would like to sincerely thank each mother of my cub's for their co-operation during the past months.  
Mary Blanton.

Patsy Newton of McMurry College and Ouida Fillingim of Baylor University spent the week end here with their respective parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack East of Spur spent Sunday here with her mother Mrs. Audrey Snodgrass and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McCombs and sons David and Neal of Fort Worth spent Saturday night here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McCombs.

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Aita B. Parker of Abilene spent Mothers Day here with her par-

ents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Parker.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Roach visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill McIntosh in Odessa last week end.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles Race of Big Spring spent Mothers Day here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Strickland.

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