

# THE STRATFORD STAR

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## Field Day June 15 At FFA Experiment Plot

FFA boys invite the public to attend their field day Saturday, June 15, at their experiment farm on the James Craig land. Two school activity buses will leave from in front of the Palace Cafe at 8:15 a. m. to furnish transportation for those who wish to view the experiment farm. The group will return to Stratford before the noon hour.

Those attending the field day from other parts of the county who will not gather in Stratford, should be at the James Craig farm at 9:00 a. m. for the beginning of the field day program.

Various amounts of fertilizer and scientific water management methods have been used to produce three varieties of wheat.

Dr. Alex Pope, soil scientist, Marvin Jensen, irrigation specialist, and Kenneth Porter, wheat specialist, all of the Amarillo Experiment Station, will be in charge of the educational phase of the field day tour. They will be available to answer questions of producers.

Wheat varieties planted on the FFA experiment farm include Concho, Wichita and Crockett.

## Hansford County Gets 1,758 Barrel Well

The Texas Company has added a big producer to the East Spearman-Atoka field in Hansford County. The No. 1 Richardson in section 21 of Block 2 WCRP survey, has been given a potential of 1,758 barrels of 33 gravity oil. The well is eight miles northeast of Spearman. The producer, a south field extension, is two locations south of the No. 1 O'Laughlin completed for 1,500 barrels after being abandoned and later re-opened for a test of the Atoka.

## 20th Century Circle Met Wednesday

The Twentieth Century Circle of the First Christian Church met Wednesday morning at 9:30 in the church parlor with Mrs. Narcissa Baker as hostess. Mrs. Bettye Lasley, chairman, presided over the business meeting.

The lesson was given by Mrs. Joyce Ann Lasley on the last chapter of the group study, "Paul, His Life and Teachings."

Officers for the new year beginning in July, were elected. They include: Mrs. Joy Hester, chairman; Mrs. Joyce Ann Lasley, vice-chairman and membership; Mrs. Charlene Oquin, secretary and treasurer; and Mrs. Bettye Lasley, reporter.

The group divided the names of the inactive members and each active member will be responsible for getting one to attend the next circle meeting. Several service projects were discussed for the summer months.

Mrs. Betty Clark closed the meeting with prayer.

## A. C. Willmon Gets Promotion

A. C. Willmon, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Willmon, has been promoted to Airman second class. He is stationed at Castle Air Force Base, California.

## Patricia Taylor Wins Boat Show Beauty Contest

Miss Patricia Taylor, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Taylor, was declared the winner of the "Miss Lubbock Boat Show" beauty contest held in Lubbock last week. She will compete in a beauty contest to be held at Lake Whitney, south of Fort Worth, on June 20. The Lake Whitney contest is a preliminary judging of the contestants to select a winner who will enter the "Miss Universe Contest" to be held in Long Beach, California.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Taylor went to Lubbock Saturday, and returned home Monday, bringing Patricia home with them.

## Marion Brown Has Part In Missile Firing

FORT LAWTON, WASH. — Army Pvt. Marion R. Brown, son of Mrs. Mary V. Sears of Stratford, recently took part in the special NIKE guided missile firing tests with the 26th Antiaircraft Artillery Group's 23rd Battalion at Fort Bliss, Texas.

Brown is regularly assigned to the battalion's Battery D at Fort Lawton, Washington.

The 21-year-old soldier entered the Army in May 1956 and received basic training at Fort Chaffee, Arkansas. He attended Panhandle A. & M. College at Goodwell, Oklahoma.

## New Club Meets With Mrs. Bredwell

The newly organized Home Demonstration Club in Sherman County met recently in the home of Mrs. Bonnie Bredwell, south of Texhoma.

The club officers are: president, Viola Springfield; vice-president, Jerry Underwood; secretary-treasurer, Ruth Fox; council delegate, Marlene Knapp; and reporter, Nora Hill.

During the business meeting, plans to obtain funds and a name for the club were discussed.

Miss Leona Miller, home demonstration agent, gave a very instructive and attractive demonstration on "Salad Making."

The evening and the delicious refreshments, served by the hostess, Mrs. Bredwell, were enjoyed by Viola Springfield, Jerry Underwood, Ruth Fox, Nelta Giddens, Jo Dalton, Rosetta Landrum, Dee Schertler, Marlene Knapp, Helen Ussery, Bertie Frazier, Marge Martin, Joy Sangster, Goldie Pugh, Nora Hill, Billie Dean and Bettye Emerson.

The next meeting will be at the Tex Booster with Billie Dean as hostess.

## Friendship Club To Meet With Mrs. W. R. Taylor

The Friendship Club will meet with Mrs. W. R. Taylor on Thursday, June 13.

## Betty Bryant Is Bride Of Monte Shearers

In a ceremony Saturday at 10:00 o'clock in the morning in the Sunray Church of Christ, Betty Bryant, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Debusk, of Sunray, became the bride of Monte Shearers, son of Mrs. A. L. Shearers, also of Sunray. Pat Powell, minister of the Sunray Church of Christ, read the ceremony, before an altar decorated with gladioli flanked by candles.

Miss Gracie Brooks of Stratford was maid-of-honor for her niece. She wore a rose beige sheath dress with white accessories and a white carnation corsage.

Mack Hudson was best man. The bride, given in marriage by her step-father, W. E. Debusk, was attired in a ballerina length gown of white lace over satin, a white half hat and white shoes. She carried a bouquet of red roses.

Mrs. Debusk and Mrs. Shearers, mothers of the bride and bridegroom, selected for the wedding, frocks of brown, with white accessories. They wore corsages of pink carnations.

The bride was a member of the 1957 graduating class of Sunray High School, and the bridegroom is also a graduate of the Sunray High School. He is employed with the Broadway Supply Company of Sunray.

The young couple left immediately after the reception, for a short wedding trip, and are at home in Sunray.

Those from Stratford attending were Mrs. Eddie Brooks, Ginger, Ronnie, Danny and Dwight, and their guest, Miss Lois Combs of Pampa, and Gracie Brooks. The pretty bride is the granddaughter of Mrs. R. A. Brooks of Stratford.

Mrs. Shearers was honored at a prenuptial shower Thursday of last week in Sunray.

## Embroidery Club Will Meet June 13

Mrs. Philip Blanck will entertain the Embroidery Club with a covered dish luncheon in her home at 1:00 p. m. Thursday, June 13.

### CARD OF THANKS

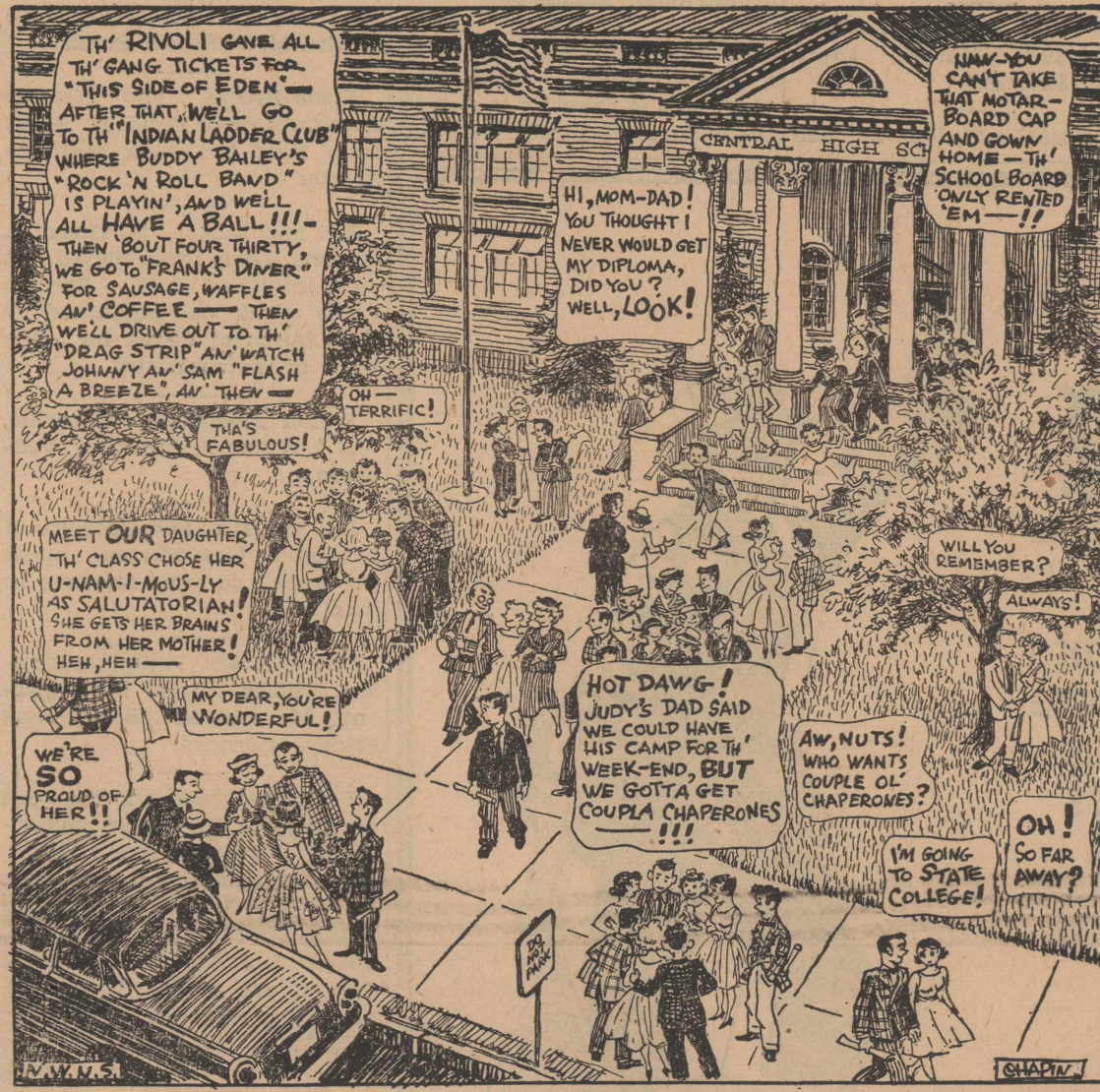
We want to thank all the people who rushed to our assistance during and after our fire last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Frank Baskin



COMMON PURPOSE . . . Vietnam's Pres. Ngo Dinh Diem asks Pres. Eisenhower and State Sec. Dulles for continued U. S. aid to strengthen his country's defense against Russia.

## CLASS OF '57



MRS. AMERICA . . . Mrs. Lindwood Findley, mother of 4 and wife of airforce lieutenant colonel, who does all housework in home at Arlington, Va., won Mrs. America contest.

## Fire Destroys Baskin Farm Garage

A garage and its contents were destroyed by fire at the country home of Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Frank Baskin, southeast of Stratford, Wednesday evening of last week. A west wind blew the flames of the garage away from the Baskin home, although the heat scorched a tree at the back door of their home.

The Stratford Volunteer Fire Department answered the call and helped extinguish the embers to prevent the blaze from spreading to other buildings.

France was the first country to recognize the United States of America.

## 4-H Club Council Met Saturday

A meeting of the Sherman County 4-H Council was held Saturday in the Commissioners' court room. Opening exercises were led by Jonna Knight who read the roll call and the minutes of the previous meeting which were approved. A motion made by Mary Gay Judd to accept the bills was seconded by Sheila Donelson. Reports were made of Rural Youth Sunday programs in the churches. Sheila Donelson reported from the Baptist Church, Jonna Knight from the Christian Church, Bobbie Burgess from the Methodist Church, and Scottie Whorton from the Church of Christ.

The county fair was discussed. Dresses of 4-H girls will be judged the 18th of June. They will appear in a dress revue on June 21 at 8:00 p. m.

## Sandra Johnson Circle Meets In Steel Home

The Sandra Johnson Circle of the Baptist W. M. U. met Wednesday, May 23, in the home of Mrs. W. W. Steel for Circle program. After a covered dish lunch, the group enjoyed visiting until 3:00 p. m.

Mrs. Pruett Adkins had charge of the business meeting and program.

Mrs. John Lavake gave the opening prayer, after which the minutes were read and approved. Mrs. Elma McDaniel gave the devotional, reading from the first chapter of I Samuel.

Mrs. Dorothy Slay talked on "Answer to God's Call." Topics discussed by other members were "Why I am a Christian Worker," by Mrs. W. D. Ellis; "Memories of My Christian Mother," by Mrs. V. M. King; "A Mexican Missionary Tells of Her Home Life," by Mrs. Roy Allen; "Life Begins at 80," by Mrs. Pruett Adkins; and "A Missionary's Home Life in China," by Mrs. I. D. Divine.

Mrs. John Steel closed the meeting with a prayer. Eloise Adkins was a visitor at the meeting.

## Bachman Buys Texhoma Station

Dickie Bachman has purchased the Chevron Station in Texhoma, and he and his wife are moving to Texhoma today, to make their home.

## Church Members Gather In Minister's Home

Members of the Church of Christ met in the home of the minister and his family at 6th and Maple Tuesday evening. A lovely meal was enjoyed and Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Thornton were presented with some very nice gifts.

### CARD OF THANKS

I wish to thank all my friends for the cards and flowers I received while I was in the hospital.

Mrs. Robert Elms



"BODY" SINGS . . . Marie McDonald returns to singing career in Las Vegas nightclub act. Her first show job was as vocalist with Tommy Dorsey's band.

## 54 Curb And Gutter Project Hits Rail Snag

Construction of curb and gutter along U.S. Highway 54 from the intersection of U.S. 287 to the northeastern city limits, a distance of about five blocks, has been temporarily delayed by the action of G. T. Deibert, real estate and tax agent of the Rock Island.

Business firms along the east side of highway 54 have put up the money for installation of concrete curbs and gutters from the intersection of U. S. 287 to the northeastern edge of the city limits. City Clerk W. P. Foreman contacted the Rock Island Railroad for the company's cooperation in improving the western edge of the highway which parallels the railroad right-of-way.

The letter of G. T. Deibert, Real Estate and Tax Agent of the Rock Island at Fort Worth, Texas reads:

W. P. Foreman

City Clerk

Your letter relative to a contribution for the improvement of State Highway 54 through the City of Stratford has been given considerable study by all of the officers of this company.

While we would like to participate in any improvement that would enhance the property values of Stratford we do not see where an expenditure of \$5,000.00 for curbs and gutters would in any way benefit our station grounds and further, due to the decline in revenues I will have to respectfully decline this contribution.

## 4 Youths Will Attend State Roundup

Jessie Riggs, Kay Spurlock, James Spurlock and Larry Goule will attend the state 4-H Roundup to be held in College Station June 11-13. Mrs. Alvin Spurlock, adult leader, and Ernest Goule, county agriculture agent, will accompany the group. The county delegation will leave Amarillo by chartered bus on June 10 and will return June 13.

A chuck wagon supper Wednesday night, and one night packed with free entertainment will highlight the recreation program. Sponsors include the Farm Bureau, Home Demonstration Council, Consumers Co., Stratford Grain Co., and the Texhoma Wheat Growers Association.

## Sponsors Compliment Senior Group

For one week, the 1957 Stratford seniors, served as representatives of Stratford in Colorado. Duard Lamb and Pete Bateman, class sponsors, say "You as parents of the senior group, and you who are citizens of Stratford and Sherman County can be proud of the conduct of this group. During this season of the year, Colorado is invaded by thousands of seniors from all over Texas, Oklahoma and other states. We as sponsors of this year's group of seniors from Stratford high school, feel that our group was outstanding in every respect. We feel that each member of this class should be commended on their conduct and attitude while on this trip. They made the job of sponsoring a pleasure. We will remember this class and this trip for years to come."

# Town Talk

Don Hyso, nephew of Mrs. Mertie Massie, left Monday for

## Mrs. Joe Brown

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his home in California after visiting with Mrs. Massie for a few days. Don was enroute to California from Siloam Springs, Arkansas, where he had been attending school. Mrs. Massie also had as a guest over the week end, her brother, Will Hyso, of Siloam Springs, Arkansas.

Miss Hazel Harris, Dalhart, visited Miss Minnie Laura Jackson Saturday.

Mrs. Dick Diehl, Dick Jr., and

Howard Gibbons were visitors in Dalhart Thursday of last week, and in Dumas Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam R. Lasley and children have moved to their country home to spend the summer months. They will continue to receive their mail in Stratford.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Perry Coffman are Mrs. Coffman's mother, Mrs. H. A. Walker and daughter, Jean, of Meridian, Mississippi.

Paul Howard, who is in the U. S. Navy, arrived Wednesday night of last week for a visit in the home of his brother, Mr. and

Mrs. Dee Howard and daughter.

Kenneth Borth made a business trip to Texhoma Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ellis, Jr., and sons of Logan, New Mexico, visited with his mother, Mrs. W. D. Ellis, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Woodard and three children of Fort Worth, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. John Lavake and grandson, John Robert Walden of Seagoville, Texas, and Miss Eloise Adkins were dinner guests in the home of Mrs. M. F. Reeder Sunday.

Noble Brooks and George Lovett returned Sunday night from their two week jaunt to Alaska.

Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Thornton and son, Louis Lynn, moved last week into the J. W. Parsons house which was purchased by the Church of Christ for the home of their minister.

Walter Pendleton, Amarillo, was a visitor in Stratford Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Garoutte of Lovington, New Mexico spent the week end with relatives in Stratford.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip C. Johnson, Dumas, visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Brown Ross Friday afternoon.

F. N. Snodgrass, who has been working for the postal department in Fort Wayne, Indiana, has been transferred to Dumas, and he and Mrs. Snodgrass, who is the former Frances Sutton, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sutton, are moving to Dumas.

### CITATION BY PUBLICATION

THE STATE OF TEXAS  
TO: W. P. Sandusky, Effie Sandusky, Ben Glyde, Mame Foley, H. W. Belden, O. J. Belden, F. S. Hauser, B. L. Cummings, W. F. Graham, Paul F. Mueller, W. S. Kevan, Niels Nelson, C. Neff, C. Peterson, R. A. Gatley, A. Vanderzee, F. W. Rampton, C. W. Britton, Henry Schnoor, Curt Rose, Safronia Litsey, L. A. Litsey, P. C. Baridon, Harry L. Pike and T. J. Ray (hereinafter referred to as named defendants but nonetheless falling under and being within the general classification of defendants) if living, whose places of residence are unknown to plaintiff, and the unknown husbands if living of any of said named defendants that are married and living, the names and places of residence of all of such unknown husbands, if any, being unknown to plaintiff; and if any of said named defendants be dead, the legal representatives of each of said named defendants that are dead, and the unknown heirs of each of said named defendants that are dead; the legal representatives of the unknown heirs of each of said named defendants, if the unknown heirs of said named defendants are dead; and the unknown heirs of the unknown heirs of said named defendants if the unknown heirs of said named defendants be dead; (the place of residence of each and all of the unknown persons herein referred to are unknown to plaintiff; and Effie Sandusky as Administratrix of the Estate of W. P. Sandusky, whose place of residence is unknown to plaintiff, Defendants, Greeting: YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable 69th Judicial District Court of Sherman County at the Courthouse thereof, in Stratford, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A. M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 1st day of July A. D. 1957, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 13 day of May A. D. 1957, in this cause, numbered 1386 on the docket of said court and styled BURTON CRAIG, Plaintiff, vs. W. P. SANDUSKY, et al., Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: The usual statutory action in trespass to try title, alleging the ownership in fee simple by plaintiff and seeking title to and possession of all of the NE<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of Section 46, Block 3-B, GH&H RR Co. Survey, containing 163.3 acres of land more or less, situated in Sherman County, Texas; Plaintiff alleging that he has title to said lands under the three, five and ten-year statutes of limitations, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Stratford, Texas, this 13 day of May A. D. 1957.

Attest: LELAH BONEY (seal) Clerk, District Court, Sherman County, Texas (Pub. May 16, 23, 30 June 6)

and he will be connected with the postal department there. They are expected to arrive Sunday.

Dean Turner, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Turner, and other relatives, the past week, left Tuesday for Anchorage, Alaska, where he taught school the past year.

Mr. and Mrs. Junior Harkins, Vickie and Ricky, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Albert, Debra, Lane and Sandra, and Mr. and Mrs. Russell Albert were visitors at Red River and Cimarron, New Mexico last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard M. Williams and son, Dickie, of Silverton, Texas and Paul Curry of Goodwell spent Tuesday evening visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Thornton. Mr. Williams is the minister of the Church of Christ at Silverton.

Mrs. Lenna Vickers, Amarillo, spent the holiday week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Grady Mullican.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Blake and Tommy, and Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Chisum were week end guests in the Jack Parker home in Amarillo.

Mrs. Dorothy Slay was a visitor in Dumas Monday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wilson and daughters spent the week end in Raton, New Mexico.

Robert L. Pendleton of Pueblo, Colorado spent Saturday and Sunday with his father in Stratford.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Vincent and Mrs. George Langston of Texhoma were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates Sunday.

Mrs. H. J. Bachman took her daughter, Dorothy, to Amarillo Wednesday, where she enrolled in Draughn's Business College. Dorothy will start to school Monday. They were accompanied by Mrs. Dickie Bachman.

Mrs. Hilma Cleveland and son, Joe, of Amarillo, were guests in the home of Mrs. C. V. Collins Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Eudey and sons of Gruver were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Gall McDaniel Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Pusatory of

Pueblo, Colorado and Bart Steinberger of Canon City, Colorado, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Steinberger over the week end.

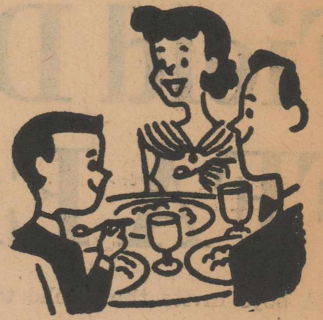
Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harris and children and Rex Palmer returned home Sunday from a visit in Red River, New Mexico.

Mrs. B. G. Borth is on a two week visit with relatives in Pennsylvania.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sutton attended Memorial Day services at Plains and Meade, Kansas, and attended the funeral of the husband of Mr. Sutton's cousin, Friday, in Kinsley, Kansas.

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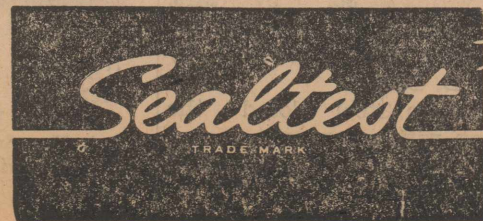
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# Town Talk

Mrs. V. M. King and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Wyatt of Gruver returned home Monday from visits in Lubbock, Plainview and Amarillo.

Dick Diehl was a business visitor in Amarillo Monday.

Mrs. Kenneth Borth and Mrs. J. W. Smith were visitors in Dumas Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brown, Panhandle, and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Knapp of the Phillips Plant were guests of relatives here Thursday of last week.

Mrs. Art Ross and children left Friday for a visit with her mother in Bay City, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Coons were

visitors in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Headrick of Amarillo were Memorial Day guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pendleton.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lavake of Texhoma were guests in the home of Mrs. M. F. Reeder Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Allen and daughter are moving to Lubbock, Texas where he will attend school.

Stephen Cruickshank of Great Bend, Kansas is a guest in the home of his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Sam R. Lasley.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. McDonald had as guests Friday and Saturday, Mrs. McDonald's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Curtis and two sons, of Seibert, Colorado.

A. J. McDaniel of Tonkawa, Oklahoma, was a business visitor here the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Massie and children, Tina and Jack, visited Mrs. Massie's mother, Mrs. Willie Rice, in Amarillo last week end.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Willey are their daughter and grandson, Mrs. Maude McDaniel and John, of El Paso, Texas, who came Monday night and another daughter, Mrs. Madge Resley and her daughter, Shera, and Shera's friend, Penelope Prather, all of Dell City, Texas, who arrived at noon Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Eller and Charlotte had as guests Monday, Mrs. Eller's sister, Mrs. H. C. Rundle, and her two children, Mike and Rodney, of Amarillo. Charlotte Eller returned home with them to visit this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bachman and three sons of Meade, Kansas were guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gaylord and sons.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Woolsey and family of Canon City, Colorado were week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Woolsey.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee L. Grimes are enjoying having their daughter, Mrs. Robert Steel and children, Lynda and Tommy, of

Corpus Christi, Texas, as guests this week. Mr. Steel plans to arrive Sunday for a visit and to take his family home. Mrs. Johnny Collins and children, Mike and Cathy, of Floydada brought her sister and children to Stratford Wednesday of last week and remained until Sunday when her husband and brother, Ray Grimes, also of Floydada, came for a visit. Mr. and Mrs. Collins returned home Sunday evening. Ray remained at home for a longer visit, returning to Floydada Tuesday.

Mrs. W. D. Ellis spent Memorial Day in Texhoma, visiting her daughters, Mrs. Nellie Hamilton and Mrs. Ruth Stump, and a sister, Mrs. Callie Ferguson.

Mr. and Mrs. F. D. Sutton and Lynda returned Sunday night from a vacation trip which took them to Salt Lake City, Utah, and to many places of interest between here and there.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Bachman and Norma, Mr. and Mrs. La Verne Gaylord and Debbie visited from Thursday to Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bachman in Alamosa, Colorado. Mrs. Melvin Bachman and her two children returned to Stratford with them for a visit and plans to return home Monday.

Sherlene Pearson, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. Huston Pearson of Dallas, is visiting Linda Reesing, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jodie Reesing. Sherlene was accompanied on the train trip from Dallas, by her brother, Huston, and Hank McIntosh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry McIntosh of Dalhart. Hank had been visiting in the Pearson home since he accompanied his parents to market in Dallas recently. The train was delayed at Wichita Falls, due to the flooded condition, and instead of arriving Sunday night, it did not reach Dalhart until near noon Monday. Mrs. Pearson and Mrs. McIntosh became very worried when Mrs. Pearson called Monday morning and asked Mrs. McIntosh if the children arrived Sunday night.

Hayden Cooper of Ness City, Kansas, and daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dale Bright of Hoxey, Kansas were Memorial Day guests in the home of Mrs. H. J. Cooper.

Buford Hurst of Seagoville, Tennessee arrived last week with

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hawk, and he and Mr. Hawk will work for Charlie Watson during the summer.

## Assembly Of God Church News

The Women's Missionary Council met Wednesday afternoon of last week at the church. After a business meeting, a discussion on "Missionaries" was held. Plans are being made for a sewing project. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

The devotional on Missionary Work was given by Mrs. Leroy Judd. The meeting was closed with a prayer that each member might do more for God at home and abroad.

At their Sunday evening service, the Christ Ambassador group enjoyed special songs, and talks about Youth Camp by

those who attended.

The Juniors are real proud of the services set aside for them. They learn new songs, and also enjoy singing old ones. They also enjoy the Bible stories which are prepared for their age group.

The Workers' Training Course Certificates were presented Sunday morning to those taking the training course.

The alligator is the only animal whose upper jaw is movable.

## Assembly Of God Church

(Bob Goodwin, Pastor, Phone 4351)

Sunday Services:  
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.  
Young People 6:00 p. m.  
Children's Church 6:00 p. m.  
Evangelistic Service 7:00 p. m.

Wednesday night 7:30 p. m.  
The public is invited to all services.

## Dr. Guy D. Clayton

Optometrist

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HOURS 2:00 to 7:00

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APARTMENT for rent. — C. T. Watson. 21-tfc

FOR RENT: Furnished 3 room modern House, Frigidaire and Shower, \$40.00 month. See Marguerite Wilson, Phone 2491. 6-tfc

FOR RENT: Unfurnished 2 Bedroom modern house. See Marguerite Wilson, Phone 2491. 6-tfc

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FOR SALE: My home in Stratford. — Mrs. J. W. Garoutte. Phone 3791. 18-tfc

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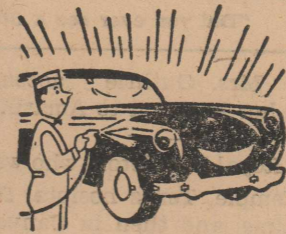
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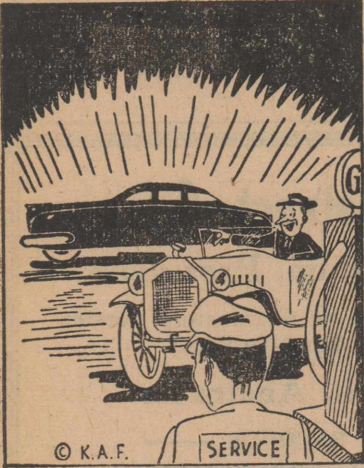


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**Among the Sick**

Chester Guthrie underwent a major operation in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo Tuesday morning. He was admitted to the hospital Sunday after-

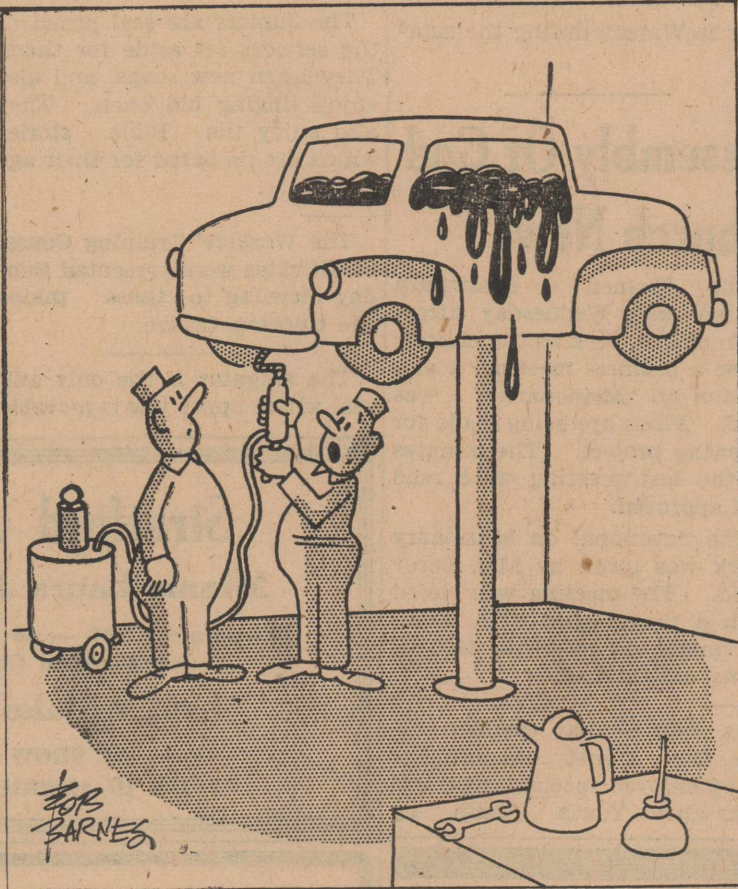
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**LAFF OF THE WEEK**



"Did you ever see a fitting that took so much grease?"

noon. Mrs. Guthrie accompanied her husband to Amarillo.

Mrs. Royal Pendleton, who was in a Temple, Texas hospital for some time, and then in Canyon for a few days was brought home Tuesday by her sister, Mrs. Grady Pearson, and is reported to be getting along nicely. Mr. Pendleton returned home Friday.

Brenda Monroe, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Monroe, was discharged from a Pampa hospital Sunday where she had been a medical patient. Mr. and Mrs. Owen Palmer took Cindy Monroe to Pampa Sunday and visited in the Monroe home.

E. E. Hamilton is reported to be doing as well as can be expected in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo, according to a post card Mrs. Hamilton sent to Mrs. D. B. Grimes.

**Church of Christ**

(L. L. Thornton, Minister)  
Sunday  
Bible Classes 10:00 a. m.  
Worship 10:55 a. m. subject, "Christian Growth."  
Evening Worship 6:00 p. m. subject, "The Nature of the Church."  
Tuesday  
Bible Classes 9:30 a. m.  
Wednesday  
Bible Classes 8:00 p. m.  
Vacation Bible School to be held at the Kerrick school building beginning Monday, June 10, through the 15th, from 9:00 a. m. to 11:00 a. m. Ages 4 through high school are invited to attend. Also any adults that would like to attend, a class will be provided for them.

**Kerrick News**

Dr. and Mrs. Dee Ray Jenkins and girls, Brenda and Darla, of Amarillo, were guests Saturday night and Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Boren. They also visited in the Allen Boren home Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. James Elms and family of near Boise City, and Mr. and Mrs. Max Stephenson and family of Stratford were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Elms Sunday.

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Mrs. Fred McDaniel and Patti and Mrs. Robert Elms and Linda were Amarillo visitors last Wednesday.

Mrs. Robert Scott and Joyce and some friends from the Plainview Community were visitors in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mrs. Pete Taylor, Mrs. Ray Taylor, Linda, Doug and Billy and Peggy and Darla Taylor were Boise City visitors Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Frishenmeyer and children of Chanute, Kansas were visitors, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Orval McDaniel from Wednesday until Monday morning. They also visited in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Fred McDaniel and Mrs. Minnie McDaniel.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Burnett and Linda of Dalhart visited Sunday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred McDaniel.

W. M. U. met in the home of

Mrs. Clyde Harbour Wednesday afternoon.

Children attending Bible School at the Methodist Church in Stratford are Linda Elms, Doug Taylor, Patti and Mike McDaniel. Mrs. Fred McDaniel is teaching in the nursery and is taking the children.

The Kerrick H. D. Club will meet with Mrs. Donald Moon Friday, June 14. The demonstration will be, "Making wood fiber flowers." Mrs. James Elms of the Union Chapel Club will be the demonstrator.

Mrs. Dora Clift arrived in Amarillo by plane last Thursday from Bell, California for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Eden, and Joe Lewis. This is the first time in 30 years that Mrs. Clift, Mrs. Eden and their father have been together. Mr. and Mrs. Eden will take Mrs. Clift to Amarillo Saturday night from where she will leave by plane for her return home.

Mr. and Mrs. Myron Leedy of Junction City, Kansas, Mrs. Dwight Martin and Allen of Walker, Missouri, arrived Wednesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Fred McDaniel. They will celebrate the 31st wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Leedy Thursday evening, and attend

Eastern Star installation services Friday evening. Mrs. Fred McDaniel, Patti and Make will accompany the Leedy's home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Wadley were in Kerrick Tuesday looking after business and visiting.

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