

# THE STRATFORD STAR

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## County Picnic August 24th

Every citizen of Sherman County is invited to attend a county wide picnic which will be held in the City Park on Saturday, August 24, at 7:00 p. m. The annual picnic is being sponsored by Sherman County Home Demonstration Club ladies.

Demonstration club ladies have planned for each family to furnish a well filled picnic basket of food and their own table service. Coffee and cold drinks will be supplied by the club ladies.

The annual picnic is sponsored by the Home Demonstration Club ladies in an attempt to make it possible for every person in the county to get together to renew old friendships. Committees are on the alert for weather forecasts, hoping for weather that will make it possible to hold the picnic in the city park. In the event weather conditions make it impossible for the outdoor gathering, arrangements will be completed to hold the annual event indoors.

Families, their neighbors and relatives are invited to take advantage of this annual social gathering. Those attending are not required to be affiliated with any of the Home Demonstration Clubs of the county, according to an announcement made this week by Mrs. Bill Lowe.

If weather conditions permit, the picnic will be conducted in a similar manner to the old fashioned picnics for which the Panhandle was famous in the early days.

## Ex-Students Elect New Officers

Ex-Students of Stratford High School gathered in the school cafeteria Saturday night, swapped experiences with old friends, and elected officers for the coming year. New officers are Mrs. Earl Riffe, president; H. M. Flores, vice-president; Miss Helen Davis, secretary; and Mrs. Dee Brannan was re-elected as treasurer of the organization.

John Steel, a graduate of the school, was the principal speaker. He gave an entertaining humorous talk.

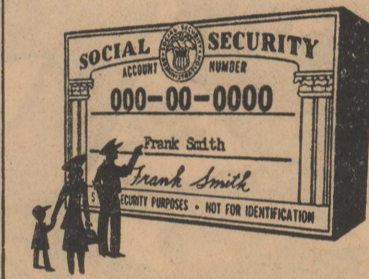
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Murdock of Laramie, Wyoming, came the farthest distance to attend the reunion. The change in the date of the meeting made it possible for a larger number of ex-students living away from Stratford to attend the reunion, but found many who live in Stratford, taking advantage of their last opportunity for a summer vacation in the mountains. Those attending reported having a wonderful time although many were disappointed in being unable to visit many of their old friends they had not seen for several years.

## Pleyers Home From Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Pleyer have returned home from attending a family reunion of the Pleyer family at the Pleyer School House in Chariton County, Missouri. Seventy-nine members of the family attended the reunion.

## Mrs. J. McAdams Suffers Lawn Mower Wounds

Mrs. Joe McAdams, the former Dixie Lasley, of Galena Park, Texas, is now walking without crutches, after having been on them for three weeks as the result of a wound in her right leg caused by an object thrown by a power lawn mower operated by her husband. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lasley of Stevens.



Mrs. Maurine Travis of the Amarillo Social Security office will be at the courthouse in Stratford on Wednesday, August 21, at 2:00 p. m. to aid local people with social security problems.

Persons who are under age 72, and receiving social security payments should notify the Amarillo Social Security office immediately if they expect their earnings for 1957 to be more than \$1,200. The law states that a person who has earnings, from wages or profits from a business, of more than \$1,200 cannot receive social security payments for all months of the year. Each \$80 over \$1,200 in earnings causes the loss of one month of social security payments.

## Holiness Convention Opens Aug. 21

A five-states Holiness Convention will open at the Church of the Nazarene in Boise City, Oklahoma on August 21 and continued through September 1 with two services daily at 10:00 a. m. and 8:00 p. m. Arthur and Vada Lake Barkley, musicians, singers, chalk artists and entertainers, will be in charge of the music.

W. T. Dodson is the host pastor. J. T. Gassett, Superintendent of the Northwest Oklahoma district, will be the principal speaker.

## Rev. Whatley Guest Pastor At Baptist Church

Rev. Howard Whatley of Hutchinson, Kansas preached at the morning service at the First Baptist Church Sunday morning. He is a former pastor of the church.

Rev. and Mrs. Whatley and Wesley spent the week end visiting friends in Stratford, leaving Sunday afternoon on a trip to Glorieta, New Mexico. Rev. and Mrs. Whatley spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Strother and Wesley visited with Johnny and Charles Steel.

## New State Law Almost Doubles Filing Fees

A new Texas law which goes into effect on August 22 almost doubles the filing fees of the county and district clerk. The new law was approved by the County Commissioners' Court in session Monday. The new law represents the first change the state has made in the rates charged by these offices in the past ten years.

Fees collected by the clerk are not retained in the office, but are placed in the county salary fund, from which county officials are paid their monthly salaries.

## Mrs. M. E. Ellison Honored At Surprise Party

Mrs. M. E. Ellison was the honoree at a surprise birthday party in the home of her daughter-in-law, Mrs. Oma Ellison, Tuesday afternoon.

The beautiful birthday cake, which looked like a basket of flowers, was baked and decorated by Mrs. Don Ellison.

Those who called to wish Mrs. Ellison a happy 79th birthday were Mrs. Elma McDaniel, Mrs. W. O. Cook, Mrs. Joe Brown, Mrs. E. W. Collins, Mrs. E. B. McQueen, Mrs. Minnie Reeder, Mrs. Harold Bennett, Mrs. Grover Keown, Mrs. T. F. Baskin, Jr., Mrs. Bill Hankey, Mrs. Mertie Massie, Mrs. Agnes Foster, Mrs. E. W. Butler, Mrs. M. E. Upchurch, Mrs. W. D. Ellis, Mrs. W. E. Pleyer, Mrs. Newton Crabtree, Mrs. Tom Ellison, Mrs. Roy Allen, Mrs. Sam Cunningham, Mrs. V. M. King, Mrs. I. D. Divine, Mrs. W. T. Martin, Mrs. Arthur King, Mrs. Clifford Ellison, Mrs. Conrad Riffe and Bryant, Mrs. Kenneth Pickens, Kay and Ann, Mrs. Odie Bryant, Mrs. Don Ellison and Glenanna, Mrs. Hugh Stewart, John Charles and William.

Earth is the third planet in order of distance from the sun.

## Barry Harris Recovers From Knife Wound

Barry Harris, five year old son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Harris, returned home with his parents Tuesday evening with the experience of a knife wound in Salt Lake City, Utah and an operation in Denver, Colorado to relate to his little friends.

The Harris family had checked into a motel in Salt Lake City August 3 and were on their way to eat when Barry, skipping along in front of the others, and carrying a miniature souvenir hunting knife, stumbled and fell.

When the boy couldn't get up his parents noticed he had stabbed himself with the knife in the lower abdomen. He was hospitalized for three and a half days in Salt Lake City. Barry seemed to respond to treatment. Physicians believed he was all right and released him for the family to continue their trip to California.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris decided to return home. In Denver, Barry showed symptoms of being ill, and was placed in a hospital where blood transfusions were administered and an operation performed for the removal of damaged portions of the intestines. Barry was hospitalized in Denver Thursday of last week and released five days later.

## Group Two Meets In Wakefield Home

Group Two of the C. W. F. met in the home of Mrs. Tommie Wakefield on August 7.

The meeting opened at 2:30 p. m. with the leader, Mrs. R. C. Buckles in charge. The opening prayer was given by Mrs. Arthur Folsom, and the minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

A business meeting followed, during which Mrs. Wakefield was appointed Study Chairman; Mrs. Bill Lowe, Service Chairman; Mrs. E. Hill, Membership and Worship Chairman.

Mrs. Sutton gave the lesson for the afternoon, "Christ, the Church, and Race." The devotional was given by Mrs. Wakefield.

The next meeting will be with Mrs. Leslie Parker, with Mrs. Paul Aduddell as lesson leader.

The meeting closed with the missionary benediction. Refreshments were served by the hostess during the social hour.

## City Teachers Assigned Jobs

### 4-H Boys And Girls Leave For Colorado Camp

The 4-H girls and boys of Sherman County left from the courthouse about 7:00 a. m. today to attend the Beaver Creek Youth Camp near South Fork, Colorado. They planned to eat their sack lunches on Raton Pass at noon and arrive at Beaver Camp about 4:00 p. m. A wiener roast was planned for Thursday night.

The next two days will be filled with a program which includes fishing, hiking and playing games.

The group of about 40 from Sherman County will return to the courthouse in Stratford about 6:00 p. m. Sunday.

### Miss Clements To Be Married

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clements of Conlen are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Geraldine, to Raymond Self, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Foster.

The wedding is to take place August 31 in the Pine Street Methodist Church in Dalhart, Texas.

### Florence Mullins Circle Meets

The Florence Mullins Circle met August 7 at 9:30 a. m. in the church parlor. Mrs. Forrest Mullins called the meeting to order. After a short business meeting the members selected names of people they would like to visit. The meeting was adjourned with prayer, and an hour of visitation followed.

Members attending were Mrs. R. W. Standefer, Jr., Mrs. Bill Lasley, Mrs. C. W. Moon, Mrs. Philip Blanck, Mrs. Kenneth Eller, Mrs. Hugh Stewart, Mrs. A. L. King, Mrs. Forrest Mullins and Mrs. Verne Reynolds.

### Two Men Plan To Attend Conference

Two Stratford men, Clifford L. Guthrie and John P. Steel, plan to attend the first National Conference of Southern Baptist Men in Oklahoma City, September 18-20, registration officials said in Dallas.

The conference is expected to attract 8,000 men from 42 states. Theme for the three-day session will be "Free Men Through the Ages," emphasizing personal liberty and freedom of religion.

A colorful dramatization depicting great moments of dedication in the lives of martyrs and heroes of faith will open the meeting. It will reflect the place of Baptists in the struggle for religious liberty.

Other features of the conference will include vocational seminars, addresses by outstanding laymen and special exhibits.

Sponsored by the Brotherhood Commission of the Southern Baptist Convention, the conference will feature several Texas Baptist leaders, including Governor Price Daniel, Secretary of State Zollie Steakley and groceryman Howard Butt, Jr.

Awards of merit will be presented to six men who have rendered distinguished service to the denomination.

Conference meetings will be in Oklahoma City's Municipal Auditorium, three neighboring churches, the Baptists Building and the YMCA.

### Mrs. Kenneth Borth Is Hostess To Star Club

Mrs. Tommie L. Wakefield, Star Club president, opened the regular meeting on August 6, in the home of Mrs. Kenneth Borth. The THDA prayer was given by the group.

During the business meeting, the group voted to have a float for the Stratford Jamboree parade. Also, plans were started on the exhibit.

Mrs. Roscoe Dyess and Mrs. Archie Arnold were appointed to take the recreation training August 22 at 2:30 p. m.

Miss Leona Miller presented the program, "What Makes a Good Fair?" and "What is an Educational Exhibit?"

Those present were: Mesdames Raymond Keener, Tommie Wakefield, Harold Oquin, Harold Bennett, E. W. Scarth, Arlyn Halle, Miss Miller and Mrs. Borth.

The next meeting will be August 20 at 2:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Shuler Donelson.

### \$14,535.25 Is County's Share Of Lateral Road Funds

Sherman County has received \$14,535.25 from the state as its portion of the state tax collected for lateral road funds. This money is refunded to the county after road bonds which have been assumed by the state have been paid.

Stratford Schools have secured all the teachers that will be needed for the opening of school on Thursday, August 29, it was announced this week by Superintendent R. W. Standefer, Jr.

Mrs. Julia Reaves will begin her third year as a first grade teacher. Mrs. Golden Corley will open her second year as a first grade teacher.

Second grade teachers are Mrs. Mae Minkley, beginning her fifth year, and Mrs. Jewel Peterson, beginning her seventh year with the school.

Third grade teachers are Miss Marketa Ensign, beginning her third year, and Miss Doris Ballinger, beginning her seventh year.

Fourth grade teachers are Mrs. Mildred Ottinger, beginning her third year, and Mrs. Tommie Quisenberry, beginning her third year with the school.

Fifth grade teachers are Mrs. Lavonne Hudson, beginning her fourth year, and C. L. Teague, beginning his third year with the school.

Sixth grade teachers are Mrs. Margaret Reed, beginning her second year, and Mrs. Mary Smith, beginning her second year.

Seventh grade teachers are Mrs. Pauline Teague, beginning her third year, and James Quisenberry, beginning his second year. Quisenberry will also serve as grade school boys football coach and as the grade girls basketball coach.

Mrs. Hazel Cameron is an eighth grade teacher, having been with the school for five years. James A. Stavenhagen will begin his service with the school by teaching the eighth grade, serving as assistant grade football coach and boy's basketball coach.

Mrs. Lorraine Mehner will open her third year with the school in teaching public school music. Hugh Stewart will open his eleventh year with the school as principal of the elementary school.

H. T. Galloway will open his third year with the school as principal of the high school.

M. P. Bateman will open his third year with the school teaching history and as head football coach and girl's basketball coach.

Carroll Bribble will open his first year with the school teaching social studies and serving as assistant football coach and as boy's B basketball coach.

John E. George will open his first year with the school teaching science, and serving as head boy's basketball coach, and boy's B football coach.

Fred Mercer will teach mathematics and sciences. It is his third year with the school.

Barnett Corley will start his second year with the school teaching mathematics.

Mrs. Betty Mercer will open her third year with the school, teaching freshman and sophomore English, and as librarian.

Mrs. Claudia Seibold will return for her third year, teaching junior and senior English.

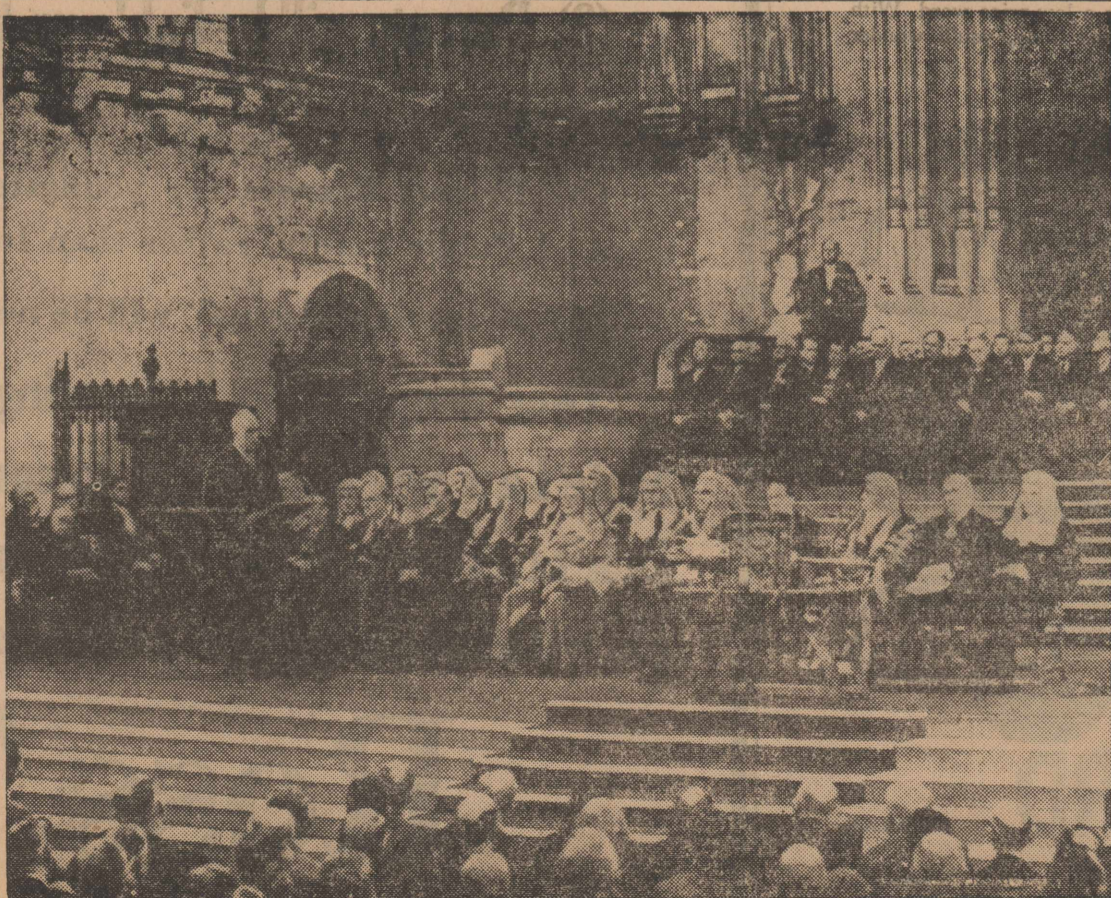
Mrs. Lee Musick will teach commercial work. It will be her third year with the school.

George Dick will begin his third year with the school as band director and choral leader.

Duard Lamb will teach vocational agriculture. It will be his eighth year with the school.

John B. Griffin will start his first year with the school teaching industrial arts and leather craft.

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BARRISTERS ALL . . . U. S. Chief Justice Earl Warren (standing, left) addresses 5,000 delegates to American Bar Assn. convention in Westminster Hall, London. British Lord Chancellor Kilmuir delivered welcoming address.

# Town Talk

Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Harrison visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Felix Flannagan in Texhoma Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Albert and Raymond Albert are vacationing this week in Truth or Consequences, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. John Knight

have returned home from a vacation in Farmington, New Mexico and other locations in the mountains.

Mrs. Horace Sneed and Kathy are spending this week with relatives in Lubbock, Texas. They plan to return Saturday night.

A. E. Lowe and daughter, Helen, visited relatives recently in Crawfordsville, Indiana. Mr. Lowe returned home last week, leaving Helen there to seek employment.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Keener and children visited their son and brother, Mr. and Mrs. Sherrydon Keener and little son, in Lovington, New Mexico from Friday to Monday, returning to Red River, where they spent Monday night, continuing on home Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Blades and little son, Orval Lee, and Orval Blades, returned Sunday from a two weeks vacation with relatives in Makwa, Saskatchewan, Canada. Lewis Blades of Dalhart accompanied them on the trip.

H. L. McMahan and Earl Riffe played in the gold tournament in Amarillo Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Boney of Corpus Christi, Texas are

guests in the home of his mother, Mrs. Lelah Boney.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Dovel of Tulla, Texas were guests in the home of Mrs. E. Hill last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Waylon Brown returned home Thursday from a vacation in Colorado Springs, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Larry Seaman and children returned Thursday of last week from a visit with

relatives in California.

Mrs. Jack Seig of Wichita, Kansas was a guest in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Kehoe of Brownfield, Texas were guests in the homes of Miss Minnie Laura Jackson and other relatives last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Stewart, William and John Charles spent

Friday night and Saturday morning in Pampa with his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Pendleton and children of Pueblo, Colorado were week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Royal Pendleton.

Little Miss Lynda Sutton went to Dumas Thursday of last week for an overnight visit with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Snodgrass.

## NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT

### PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 5, 1957.

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 37 proposing an amendment to Subsection (a) of Section 62, Article XVI of the Constitution of Texas, relating to establishment of a retirement, disability and death compensation fund for officers and employees of the State.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. That Subsection (a) of Section 62, Article XVI of the Constitution of the State of Texas be amended so as to read hereafter as follows:

"Section 62. (a) The Legislature shall have the authority to levy taxes to provide a State Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund for the officers and employees of the State, and may make such other inclusions, exclusions, or classifications of officers and employees of this State as it deems advisable. The Legislature may also include officers and employees of judicial districts of the State who are or have been compensated in whole or in part directly or indirectly by the State, and may make such other reasonable inclusions, exclusions, or classification of officers and employees of judicial districts of this State as it deems advisable. Persons participating in a retirement system created pursuant to Section 48-a of Article III of this Constitution shall not be eligible to participate in the Fund authorized in this Subsection, and persons participating in a retirement system created pursuant to Section 48-a of Article III of this Constitution shall not be eligible to participate in the Fund authorized in this Subsection except as permitted by Section 48-a of Article III of this Constitution. Provided, however, any officer or employee of a county as provided for in Article XVI, Section 62, Subsection (b) of this Constitution, shall not be eligible to participate in the Fund authorized in this Subsection, except as otherwise provided herein. The amount contributed by the State to such Fund shall equal the amount paid for the same purpose from the income of each such person, and shall not exceed at any time five per centum (5%) of the compensation paid to each such person by the State.

"All funds provided from the compensation of such person or by the State of Texas for such Retirement, Disability and Death Compensation Fund, as are received by the Treasury of the State of Texas, shall be invested in bonds of the United States, or in bonds issued by any agency of the United States Government, the payment of the principal of and interest on which is guaranteed by the United States; or in such other securities as are now or hereafter may be permitted by law as investments for the Permanent University Fund or for the Permanent School Fund of this State, under the same limitations and restrictions imposed by the Constitution for investment of those funds and subject to such regulations as the Legislature may provide. However, a sufficient amount of said Fund shall be kept on hand to meet the immediate payment of the amount likely to become due each year out of said Fund, such amount of funds to be kept on hand to be determined by the agency which may be provided by law to administer said Fund.

"Should the Legislature enact enabling laws in anticipation of the adoption of this Amendment, such legislation shall not be invalid by reason of its anticipatory character."

Sec. 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors of this State at a special election to be held throughout the State on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1957, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment amending Subsection (a) of Section 62, Article XVI of the State Constitution, relating to establishment of a retirement, disability and death compensation fund for officers and employees of the State."

"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment amending Subsection (a) of Section 62, Article XVI of the State Constitution, relating to establishment of a retirement, disability and death compensation fund for officers and employees of the State."

Sec. 3. The Governor of the State of Texas is hereby directed to issue the necessary proclamation for said special election and this Amendment shall be published and the election held as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown Ross spent last week end with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Philip C. Johnson, in Leadville, Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pittman and son, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Plunk and children and Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Steinberger and children left Saturday morning for a vacation at Lake City, Colorado.

Mrs. R. A. Brooks and Grace returned Sunday from an extended visit with another of Mrs. Brooks' daughters, Mrs. Dow Brewer and family, in Del Rio, Texas. They returned with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Brooks of Sunray, who had been visiting relatives in Rio Hondo, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Van B. Boston are vacationing at Ojo Caliente, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Diehl and Dick, Jr., were Amarillo visitors Saturday.

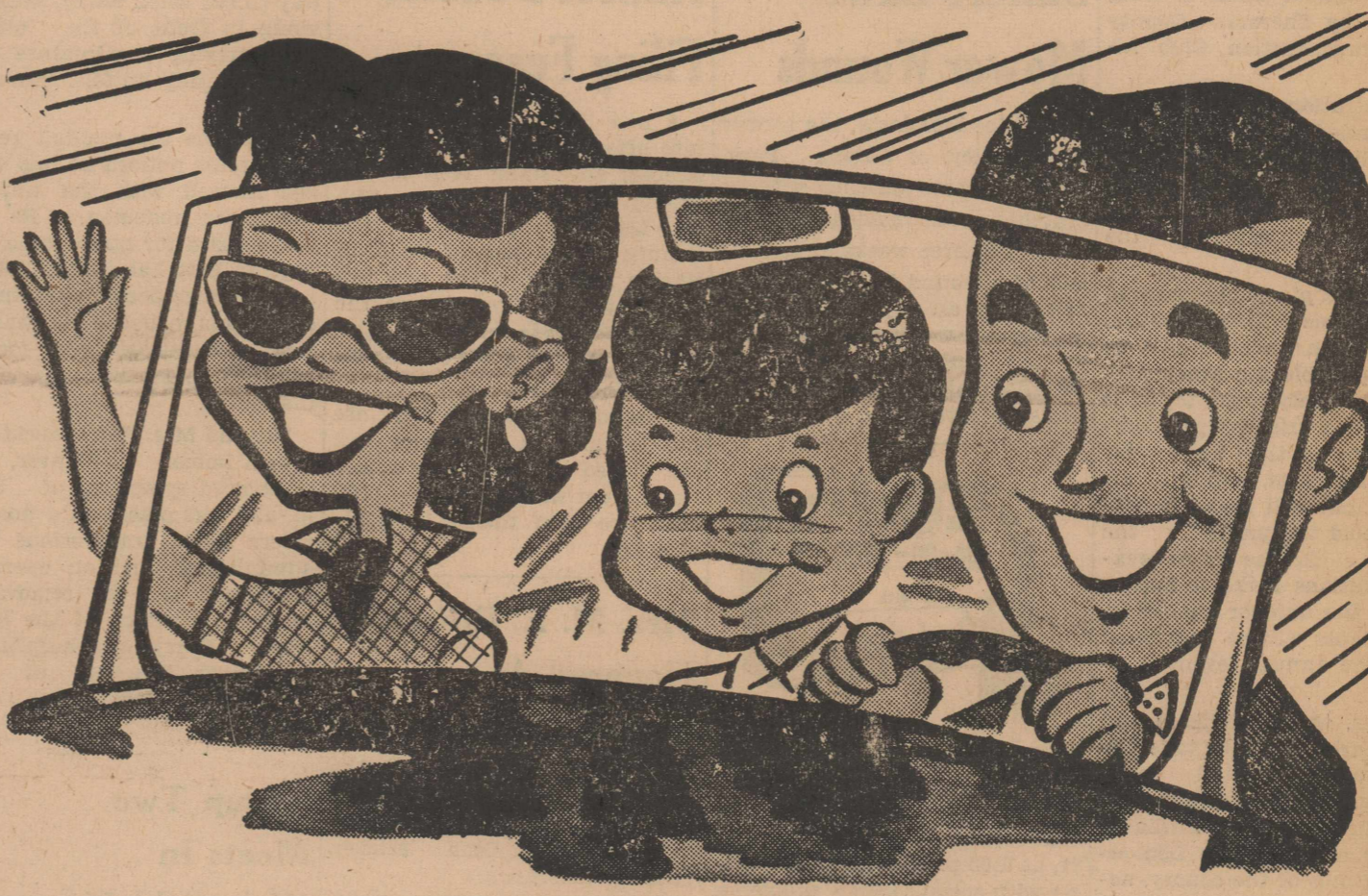
Mrs. Asp and granddaughter of Oklahoma City, Oklahoma are guests in the home of her niece, Mrs. Bill Garrison, and Mr. Garrison.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Wright, Dennison, Texas, and M. T. Wright and son, James, of Wichita Falls, are visiting this week with Mrs. W. D. Ellis of Stratford, and Mrs. H. T. Ferguson of Texhoma, sisters of the Wright brothers.

Mrs. Bud Coats and Mr. and Mrs. Steve Coats and daughter, Barbara Sue, of Emory, Texas are guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Coats. They will return home today, stopping in Amarillo for a visit with relatives.

DiAnna Gore of Cactus, and Lynda Sutton have been guests this week in the home of their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lasley.

# Be Happy Legal Licensed Drivers



## New Texas Teenage Driver's License Laws Become Effective

### August 23

- (1) Youngsters 14 and over can be fined \$100 for speeding, DWI or driving without a license.
- (2) Parents will be liable up to \$300 for property damage by minor children.
- (3) Drivers licenses for youngsters under 16 will be harder to get. Department of Public Safety, rather than local county judge, will have say-so.
- (4) A special "license" will be needed for driving motor bikes and scooters.

Your cooperation in meeting the requirements of the new Texas State Law will enable you to continue as happy careful drivers. Don't cause yourself needless embarrassment by neglecting to comply with the state law my office is obligated to enforce.

# Ross Turner

SHERIFF, SHERMAN COUNTY, TEXAS

**Cars Washed**

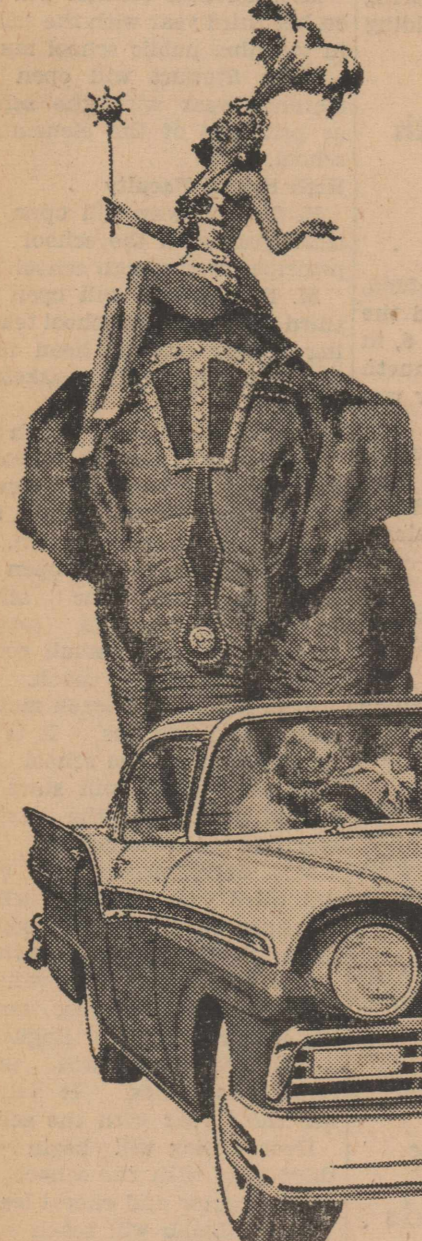
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# Stratford Motor Co.

**Mrs. J. P. Cameron  
Is Embroidery  
Club Hostess**

Mrs. J. P. Cameron was a charming hostess to the Embroidery Club at her country home Thursday of last week. The afternoon was spent visiting, looking at her fine garden, and tak-

ing pictures in the tall corn.

Production of coal in America in 1956 was 500,000,000 tons, or enough bituminous to build a wall around the nation 22 feet high and 10 feet thick.

Cards are a collector's item for William Penn of Ealing, England. He has more than 1,000 packs of cards, each with 20 to 100 cards—reputedly one of the world's largest private collections of antique and interesting cards.

**Dr. Guy D. Clayton  
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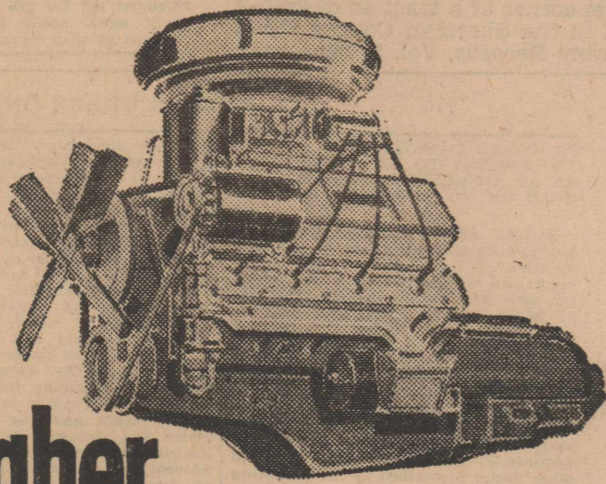
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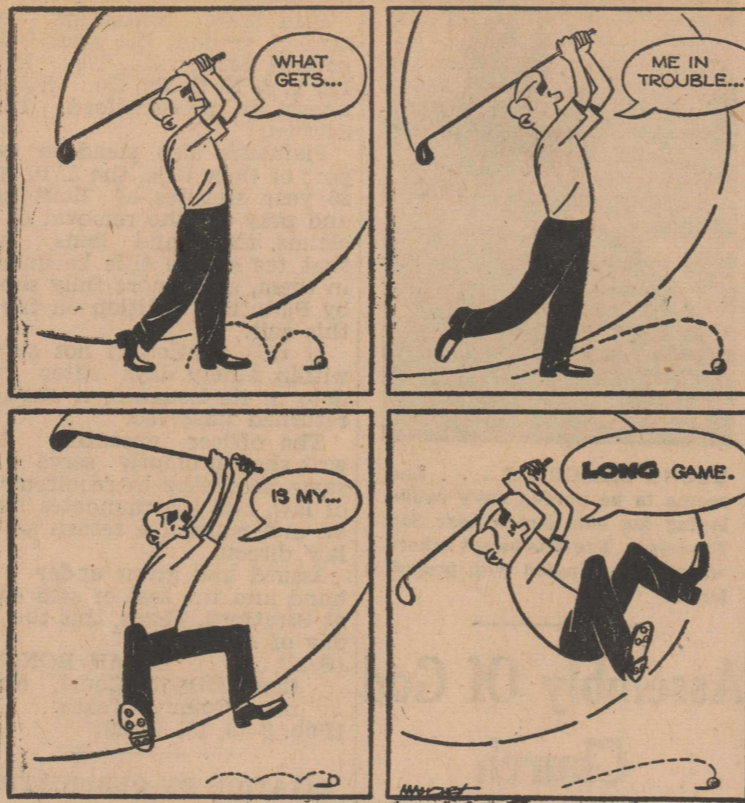
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**THE BAFFLES** By Mahoney



AN AURA of foreboding hangs over Washington, the Federal City. The annual influx of visitors and tourists, particularly the thousands of school children who flock to the city just before the summer vacation, take the sight-seeing tours and see the world's most beautiful city... snow white, classic government buildings, historic shrines, wide, clean tree-lined streets, beautiful parks, rank with flowers and blooming shrubs, a kaleidoscope of color.

Thousands of convention visitors—for Washington is today one of the leading convention cities—visit the Halls of Congress, romance over the beautiful embassies and churches of all the denominations of the world—the great Cathedrals and institutions of learning; the museums and art galleries, the maelstrom of people from every nation and clime; hotels are full, streets are full, traffic is terrific... all visitors.

These people don't see the real Washington, the Citizens who live here, have their homes and families here, pay taxes, pay the high est prices, go to and from work here, go to school here; they don't see the slums, the blighted areas, the areas that are slowly but irrevocably becoming new slums—they don't hear the mutterings, the open rebellion, the clash of opinions; they don't see the schools, vandalized, but integrated; they don't read the reports of health-center clinics that there have been 190 pregnancies among teen-age girls from Sept. 1956 to April 1957; that 178 are among negro girls, 12 among white and that 129 of these were in junior high schools, 53 in high schools,

and 8 in elementary schools. They don't see the worried looks of home-owners as thousands choose to sell their homes at bargain prices and move to the suburbs; the value of property in these neighborhoods invariably goes down and soon will be reflected in the tax duplicates; they don't see the harassed City Commissioners, plagued by losses in tax revenues and at the same time the encroachments of the Federal government for more services, building more buildings, taking more property from the tax rolls for which there is not adequate compensation in appropriations from the Congress.

For Washington is a city where civil rights, about which there is such a hullabaloo in the Congress today, are unknown. It is a city of "taxation without representation," wholly at the mercy of a transient Congress. Taxpayers can't vote here.

With population of the city proper, in the district of Columbia now crowding the million mark, the metropolitan area including the adjacent communities in Virginia and Maryland over 1,500,000, and still growing. Sincere efforts to eradicate slum areas under the Urban Renewal Federal program are hamstrung by Congress and a multiple of governing bodies over which the Board of Commissioners have no control; Citizens watch other areas day-by-day irrevocably becoming more slum areas. But all a visitor has to do is drive out 13th street in Washington to see it happening. For Sale signs litter the once fashionable 16th St. and it will not be long until the same pattern will show up there.

**Church of Christ**  
(L. L. Thornton, Minister)

Sunday  
Bible Classes 10:00 a. m.  
Worship 10:55 a. m.  
Young Peoples Classes 5:15 p. m.  
Evening Worship 6:00 p. m.  
Tuesday  
Bible Classes 9:30 a. m.  
Wednesday  
Bible Classes 8:00 p. m.  
You are always welcome at the services of the Church of Christ.

**Methodist Church**  
(Rev. Charles R. Gates, Pastor)

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.  
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.  
M. Y. F. 6:00 p. m.  
Junior additional session 6:00 p. m.  
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.  
Wesleyan Guild meets fourth Monday night of each month at 8:00 p. m.  
W. S. C. S. Circles meet Wednesdays.  
Official Board meeting second Tuesday of each month.

Our word, "dollar," comes from the German "daler" or "thaler," first used in 1519.

**YOUR brain budget**

1. Metheglin is (a) a flower; (b) a tree; (c) a beverage.
2. Pelota is (a) a game; (b) an animal; (c) a palace.
3. Saveloy refers to (a) a town in Spain; (b) pork sausage; (c) fencing.

ANSWERS:  
1. Game  
2. Beverage  
3. Sausage

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These are the things that cause bad accidents. Safety experts and students of human behavior say we could eliminate the causes of many such accidents merely by thinking of the fellow in the other car as a friendly human being instead of as a foe bent on our own destruction. They remind us that the truly mature person feels a sense of kinship with every other person. They also remind us that when we feel friendly toward someone our acts bear us out. They are friendly, courteous and reasonable, too. And finally, that a courteous action usually begets a courteous response.

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A HUNDRED and one years ago, August 10, 1856, not a human being was left on Last Island, Derniere Isle, off the coast of Louisiana. For a great storm had roared out of the Gulf, followed by a tidal wave, and swept the island clean and left it to the sole habitation of gulls and pelicans. The large hotel and all that made summer resort for South Louisiana a hundred years ago were swept away. But it may be doubted that the century-old disaster that wrote Finis on Derniere Isle and rise to legends that have survived the years was really as appalling as the black ruin wrought the latter part of June by Hurricane Audrey upon the courthouse town of Cameron and a great section of the low-lying Gulf coast of Louisiana. Five hundred lives were lost and untold wealth was swept away.

Stories of terrible Audrey, like that of the hurricane that left Last Island an uninhabited strip of sand, may well survive for a century. And the years will not fail to remember the outgoing sympathy of men and women, from the President of the Nation to the humblest giver of time and material things to bury the many dead, to comfort the sorrowing, and to relieve the distress of those whose homes are gone and whose future has few rays of hope. Jesus declares that good things done for his brethren are counted as done for him.

It is not definitely known who invented gunpowder or where or when it originated.



# Town Talk

Mr. and Mrs. Gall Wright and children left Thursday night for a vacation in Colorado.

Mrs. Tom Gibbons, Amarilly Gibbons and Mrs. Allen Gibbons of Amarillo, visited Tom Gibbons and Mrs. Dick Diehl over the week end.

Mrs. Bessie Cutter, Covington, Oklahoma, and son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Chris Boepple, visited recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Las-

ley. Mr. Lasley and Mrs. Cutter are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Grimes and Mrs. T. D. Chisum returned Saturday from a visit to Ojo Caliente, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Turner, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Turner and Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Turner attended a family reunion in Ada, Oklahoma last week.

Teddy Oakley, Amarillo, visited his mother, Mrs. Woody Gay and Mr. Gay last week end.

Miss Hazel Harris of Dalhart visited friends in Stratford Wednesday of last week.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Lowe last week end were their daughter, Mrs. Sherman Holt, Jr., and children, and a friend and her baby, all of Houston, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Burden and baby, Amarillo; and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Johnson of Canyon. Mrs. Burden and Mrs. Johnson are also daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Lowe.

Rev. and Mrs. Troy Plunk and daughter, Marilyn, of Winstboro, Texas visited in the homes of his brothers, V. A., Leonard and Lester Plunk, the latter part of last week.

Mrs. Dick Diehl received a letter from her niece, Serena Mae Kelp, who visited here recently from her home in Whittier, California, in which she stated that she is a model for the U. S. Rubber Shoe Company. Serena Mae attends a modeling night school three nights a week, and will model shoes for eight days at the Pan American Auditorium. Her picture will appear in "Dig," a teenage magazine.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Willey had as guests Saturday afternoon, Mr. Willey's niece, Mrs. Rex McRea, Mr. McRea and son, Gary, who had been looking after farming interests at Gruver, and were enroute to their home in Truth or Consequences, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sutton and other relatives were pleasantly surprised Monday night by the unexpected arrival of their daughter, Mrs. James Dailey and her three children of Fort Wayne, Indiana, who plan to remain for about two weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Woolsey took their children to Canon City, Colorado Friday night for a visit with relatives. Earl Woolsey, father of Dick Woolsey, returned home with them Saturday for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Brannan and children returned Thursday of last week from Bayfield, Colorado where they had visited since Sunday in the home of Dee's uncle.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates attended an Eastern Star meeting in Amarillo Saturday night.

Mrs. Mary Sears and children visited relatives in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Adams and Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Adams of Plainview, Texas attended the Alumni meeting Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry T. Brown and daughters, Emily, Cynthia and Mary Carolyn, were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Cook. Mr. Brown is a brother of Mrs. Cook.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Palmer left Wednesday morning for Washington, D. C., where they

will visit their daughter, Ernestine Palmer and Juanita Beall.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin McRae are vacationing in the mountains of Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Foster of Lubbock, Texas were guests in the home of his mother, Mrs. C. R. Foster, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bidy and Bruce left last week for a visit with Benny Bidy and friends in Washington, D. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Parker of Amarillo visited with relatives over the week end attended the alumni meeting Saturday night.

Mrs. Ruby Palmer, Mrs. Ruth Green and Fred returned Saturday night from Colorado Springs, Colorado where they had been vacationing the past two weeks. Fred played in the Colorado Springs Golf Tournament which began July 29 and closed August 4.

Mr. and Mrs. R. V. Diehl and son, Dennis and their uncles, Herman Fuchs and John Miller, of Spring Green, Wisconsin, are visiting in the home of R. V.'s father and family, the Dick Diehls.

Raymond Kirkwood, Canyon, and Miss Sarah Maddox of Amarillo, visited over the week end in the home of Raymond's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Kirkwood.

Mrs. Marvin Seaman and Tommy, and her mother, of Perryton, returned last week end from a visit in Flagstaff, Arizona.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Willey had as guests from Sunday evening to noon Monday, Mr. Willey's brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Willey, of Santa Ana, California. They had been visiting her mother in Elk City, Oklahoma, and were enroute to their home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Steel are enjoying a vacation in Glorieta, New Mexico this week.

Mrs. Sallie V. McAdams and grandchildren, Rowena and Randy McAdams, visited Mr. and Mrs. Don Williams in Romero Sunday.

Mrs. J. W. Hodges, who visited recently with relatives in Corsicana, Texas, returned home Tuesday of last week bringing one of her sisters, Miss Letha Slawson of Turkey, Texas home with her. Mrs. Hodges, Miss Slawson and two other sisters were together in Corsicana, with one sister of Plainview, unable to be with them.

Randy Williams, young son of Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Williams returned Sunday with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Shipp, of Cactus, from a visit with his uncle and aunt and cousins, Mr. and Mrs. Lamoine Palmer and children of Clayton, New Mexico. Randy had visited in Clayton for a week, and Mr. and Mrs. Shipp spent the week end with their daughter, Mrs. Palmer and family.



GRASS stains can usually be removed from clothing if they're newly made by sponging with ammonia and water. Wash in suds and let dry in the sun. Chewing gum can be problematical when you get it on clothes. Hold an ice cube underneath the gum, then over it and get it frozen solid. Scrape off. Dog hair will come off upholstery.

**THIS WEEK'S RECIPE**  
**Crusty Tomato Halves**  
 (Serves 6)  
 6 medium-sized tomatoes  
 2 tablespoons softened butter  
 1/4 cup fine bread crumbs  
 1/4 cup grated Cheddar cheese  
 1 teaspoon prepared mustard  
 1/2 teaspoon salt  
 1/2 teaspoon pepper  
 2 tablespoons bacon drippings  
 Rinse and cut tomatoes in halves. Spread with butter blended with mustard. Mix together remaining ingredients and top tomatoes with the crumb mixture. Broil 3 inches from source of heat for 7 to 10 minutes.

stered pieces with a great deal of ease if you rub moistened chamolice over the furniture.

Brass pipes and fixtures can be polished to brilliance if you rub a cut piece of lemon over them. Rinse off with hot water and then polish until they shine.

Clothes are much easier to iron if your board is well padded and the cover stretched taut over it. Have the cover damp when you place it on the board for best results.

Never iron over buttons, hooks, snaps or fasteners. These will scratch the bottom of the iron. Zippers should always be closed before ironing.

Toss your plastic clothes line in warm water and suds either in the tub or washing machine to clean it easily. Rinse before using.

A baby's first steps are usually uncertain and he may be reluctant to practice his new-found skill as often as he should. Toys that he can push or pull encourage him to walk and at the same time help him gain needed steadiness.

## Among the Sick

M. Dortch was admitted to Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo Wednesday of last

week, and underwent surgery Monday. He is reported to be doing as well as can be expected. Mrs. Dortch, their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Cummings, have been in Amarillo with him most of the time since he entered the hospital.

Elbert Williams was in Amarillo Thursday and Friday for examination and treatment for a back injury. Mrs. Williams was in Amarillo with her husband.

Mrs. Travis Brooks of Cactus underwent surgery Tuesday

morning in Dumas Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Earl Albert who was admitted to the Osteopathic Hospital in Amarillo the first of last week for treatment, is still not well enough to be released.

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## Found

FOUND: Small bicycle, found in rear of Ranger Motel. Owner may identify and claim same at Sheriff's office by paying for adv. — Adrian Preston. 33-4tc

## For Sale

FOR SALE: Steel grain bin, 2,800 bushel capacity; Floor Furnace, 75 BTU, Phone 2791, or see H. J. Bachman. 30-2tc & 33-2tc

FOR SALE: Two bedroom brick modern home, 22x30 foot stucco building on back of lot, 507 South Main. — Earl C. Garoutte. 8-tfc

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FOR SALE: Modern Brick Home on pavement. — Minnie Laura Jackson. 28-tfc

FOR SALE: Former Ivan Bammes home. Guaranteed clear title. Priced to sell. See or call Earl Phelps, Phone 4061. 29-tfc

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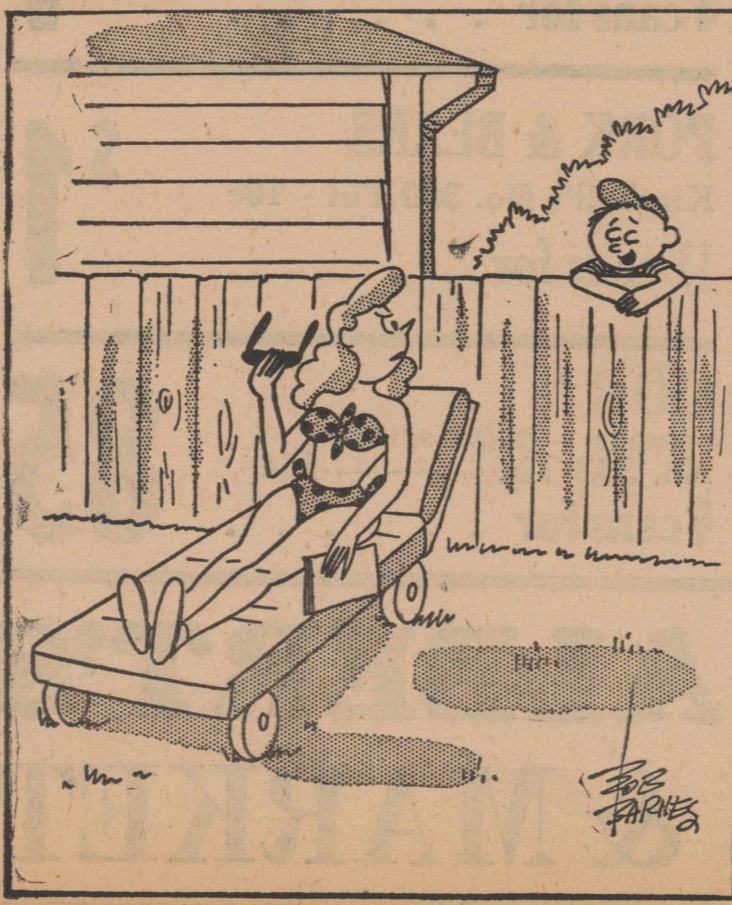
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# '58 Soil Bank Program

General provisions of the Soil Bank's 1958 Acreage Reserve program, including its application to the winter wheat crop which will be planted this fall, were announced August 2 by Acting Secretary of Agriculture

True D. Morse following Congressional action authorizing continuance of the program for the coming year.

The Acreage Reserve is that part of the Soil Bank under which farmers agree to reduce their acreage of "basic" crops below their established acreage allotments. It was in effect on a limited basis in 1956, and for the full 1957 crop year. The Conservation Reserve, the other Soil Bank program, calls for shifting general cropland to conservation uses under contracts running for 3 or more years.

Changes in Acreage Reserve provisions for 1958, as compared with previous years, include the following:

1. Establishment of a total crop acreage figure for each farm, to be based primarily on past production history and known as the "Soil Bank base," with the requirement that total harvested acreage in 1958 be held below the "base" by the equivalent of the number of acres placed in the Soil Bank. (This "Soil Bank base" provision has been in effect for the Conservation Reserve since the beginning of that program. For 1958, it will apply to farms taking part in either or both of the Soil Bank programs.)

2. A limit of \$3,000 on the total of 1958 Acreage Reserve payments which can be made to any one producer, as required by legislative action.

### Soil Bank Base

Crops making up the "Soil Bank base" will, in general, be all crops produced for harvest on a farm, except hay crops. In addition to the six "basic" crops, they will include among others, such crops as the grains, annual grasses cut for seed, oil seeds, cowpeas, potatoes, commercial vegetables, field and canning peas and beans.

The Soil Bank base for individual farms will be established by county ASC committees primarily on the basis of the average acreage of land devoted to Soil Bank base crops during the past two years, 1956 and 1957. Where a farm already has a "base" established under the Conservation Reserve program, that base will apply.

In the Acreage Reserve agreement, participating farmers will agree to limit their harvest of Soil Bank base crops. The limit, called the "permitted acreage," will be determined by subtracting the number of acres in the Acreage Reserve from the total in the Soil Bank base. (Provisions of the Conservation Reserve program also call for reductions below the Soil Bank base. If both programs are in effect on a farm, the required reduction in harvested acres, below the Soil Bank base, will be the total of acres in the Acreage Reserve and the Conservation Reserve for that year.)

Harvesting more total acreage from a farm than the "permitted acreage" will make the producer subject to a civil penalty, in addition to the loss of Acreage Reserve payment. The civil penalty is 50 per cent of the payment which would have been made for compliance with all provisions of the program. (This is the same civil penalty which

applies if the producer permits grazing of the Acreage Reserve, takes a crop from it that year, or harvests more acres of the "Acreage Reserve" crop than the difference between the farm allotment and the Acreage Reserve.)

## 61 Home From Baptist Camp In Colorado

Forty-eight boys and thirteen men of the Trans-Canadian Baptist Association attended the Royal Ambassador camp at Monument Lake, Colorado August 5, 6 and 7. Seven of the twelve churches in the association were represented.

Besides Bible study, work on their ranks, and handicraft, the campers enjoyed boating, hiking and fishing. The boys especially enjoyed boating on beautiful Monument Lake.

Those attending from Stratford were: Pat Donelson, Duane Pittman, Dwayne DeBord, Buddy Riggs, Mike Peterson, Johnny Steel, Charles Steel, Cone Donelson and John Steel.

## City Teachers—

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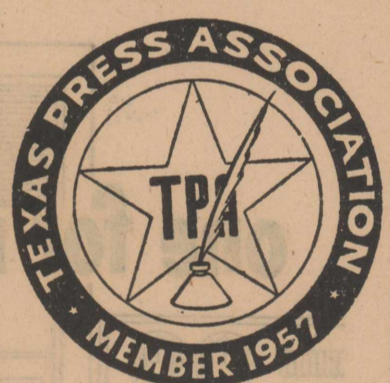
Mrs. Aleatha Clarke will teach vocational homemaking. It will be her first year with the school.

R. W. Standefer, Jr., will open his sixth year with the school as superintendent.

**School Personnel**  
Mrs. Waylon Brown will serve the school as secretary and switchboard operator. Hollis Harrington is business manager and tax collector. Mrs. Houston Cates, Mrs. A. E. Lowe and Mrs. Lee Worley will operate the school cafeteria. Ben Biddy has resigned as head bus maintenance man. He will be replaced by Virgil Plunk. Plunk will be replaced by Claude Wil-

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llams as custodian. Alfred Bammes will replace Gene Sadler as custodian. Bammes and Williams will work with the third custodian, Rufus Farris.

Farm operations will prevent several seasoned bus drivers from taking over their duties this year. All the drivers have not been secured.

### Student Requirements

All first grade students entering school for the first time will be required to present their birth certificates, a certificate of polio vaccination, and a certificate of smallpox vaccination or the evidence of a scar.

Students will attend school Thursday and Friday, August 29 and 30, enjoy the labor day holiday, and resume classes on Tuesday, September 3.

Excalibur was the name of the famous mystic sword of King Arthur.

## New Arrival

Mr. and Mrs. Donald Vincent of Dalhart are parents of a five pound fourteen and a half ounce son, Samuel Clark, who was born at 8:29 a. m. July 31, in Coon Memorial Hospital in Dalhart. Maternal grandparents of the newcomer are Mr. and Mrs. Russell Beall of Stratford, and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Roy Vincent of Hartley. Maternal great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Cox of Dalhart and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mayfield of Dumas. "Little Sam" also has a paternal great grandmother, Mrs. Lamkin of Guymon, Oklahoma.

The first motor driven elevator was exhibited at the New York World's Fair in 1853.

## Kerrick News

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Harbour and Donna returned recently from Galveston and Houston, where they visited their son, Dean Harbour and family. While in Houston, Mrs. Harbour, as a delegate of Dallam County, attended the Texas Home Demonstration Association convention. Enroute, they visited

friends at College Station and Mr. Harbour's relatives in Sweetwater. Their last three and one-half days were spent in Marlin, Texas, where Mrs. Harbour went through the Bule Clinic.

W. W. Harbour, whose home is in Mineral Wells, managed the Kerrick Land & Cattle Company while his son and family were away.

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