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Bond Election May 16th

Road bond elections were ordered to be held in three road districts in the county on May 16 by the County Commissioners' Court in session Wednesday morning. The \$213,000 road bond election in Road District One will be held at the Texhoma, Texas school building. Rennie Hamilton was named presiding judge of the election. The \$220,000 road bond election in Road District Three will be held in the Bob Burgess garage 16 miles southeast of Stratford. George Bradley was named presiding judge of the election in Road District Three. John Knight was named presiding judge of the election to be held at the courthouse in Stratford for the proposed \$210,000 road bond election for Road District Four.

A two-third majority vote is required for the proposed bond issues to carry. Each road district will hold its own separate election and if the issue carries with a two-third majority, each district will issue bonds and levy a tax for their liquidation.

Irwin Wiseman and Leo Smith appeared before the court to speak in favor of the road improvement program. Mr. Wiseman was interested in seeing the paving program launched in Road District Three. Leo Smith spoke in favor of the road improvement program in Road District Four.

The only objection to the entire paving program which was brought to the attention of the court was the fact that some residents of Stratford, who have paid for their own paving, thought landowners along the 1.6 mile of road connecting US 287 and 54 should pay their own paving bills. The court took the attitude that in view of the fact that citizens circulating the petition requesting the hearing had represented the 1.6 miles of road to the signers as a part of the proposed paving project, it would be using poor judgment to change the proposed paving program, and misrepresent the purpose of the proposed election.

The election May 16 in Road District Four will give voters an opportunity to approve or reject the proposed \$210,000 bond issue for the purpose of paving 13 miles or road. The blacktopping program in this district would include 11.4 miles of paving on the Beaver road north to the Oklahoma line, and 1.6 miles of road along the northern edge of the townsite which would connect US highways 54 and 287.

City Equipment Will Not Be Loaned

Due to the fact that a large majority of the citizens of Stratford never have occasion to use city owned machinery such as the truck, tractor and maintainer, the city council does not believe that this equipment should be loaned to the few citizens who would like to use it. The equipment is owned by all of the citizens of Stratford and an ordinance against loaning the equipment to individuals is on record in the ordinance book, according to an announcement made this week by Dan Foreman, city secretary.

THANK YOU

I wish to thank all my friends and relatives for the cards, letters, flowers, gifts, and personal visits during my stay in the hospital since my return home.

Walter Lee

Speech Classes Appear Friday

City Clean-Up Campaign Opens On April 20

A city clean-up campaign sponsored by the Stratford Volunteer Fire Department, will open Monday, April 20, and continue for two weeks. Stratford firemen will standby in the event trash needs to be burned which might create a fire hazard. Phone calls to either Leon Guthrie or Dan Foreman will arrange for this protective service.

Trash that cannot be burned, will be hauled away in a truck. Arrangements for the truck may be made through either Dan Foreman or Leon Guthrie.

The city has a mowing machine for mowing weeds on vacant lots. It will be necessary for the property owner to clear the lots of wire, cans and other debris which might damage the mowing. Arrangements for the mowing of the weeds may be made through Dan Foreman for \$1.00 a lot. This city service will be available all summer.

McDougal Rites Held Saturday In Dalhart

Funeral services for Tom McDougal, 59-year old father of Mrs. James Quisenberry, were conducted in the Walker Funeral Chapel in Dalhart Saturday morning by Rev. Howard Smith, pastor of the Dalhart Church of the Nazarene. Rev. Smith also conducted graveside services in Hedley where burial was made.

Mr. McDougal died Friday afternoon enroute to Coon Memorial Hospital after Police Chief Ben C. Leavell found him stricken with a heart attack in the yard at his home in Dalhart.

Mr. McDougal is survived by a son, Joe Gale McDougal of Dalhart, one daughter, Mrs. James Quisenberry of Stratford, and one granddaughter.

District One THDA Meeting At Wellington

Mrs. Oma Ellison, Mrs. Roscoe Dyess, Mrs. I. E. Edwards, Mrs. C. W. Wells, Mrs. Don Ellison, Mrs. Ruby Campbell, Mrs. Charles Durr and Mrs. J. E. Summerour attended the District 1 THDA meeting held in the Community Building at Wellington Thursday. Nineteen counties were represented by the 243 ladies present.

Miss Gladys Martin, state home demonstration agent, was the principal speaker. Forward Together with God, was the subject of her talk. Mrs. Oma Ellison and Mrs. J. E. Summerour of Dallam County served on the resolutions committee.

Speech classes taught by Mrs. Lee R. Musick and Mrs. Fred Mercer Jr. will be presented in the school auditorium Friday night in the presentation of two one-act plays. Stage curtains will open at 8:00 p. m.

Patsy Carriger, Glenda Green, Ann Caraway, Ann Brown and Ruth Naylor will appear in "Early Frost." Their presentation of the play recently at Stinnett won the cast of characters the honor of winning second place in the district one-act play contest.

Mrs. Mercer's class will present "No Greater Love," a one-act play on which they recently started practicing.

No admission will be charged for the entertainment presented in the school auditorium.

Mothers of the students in the two classes will serve a silver tea in the school cafeteria at the close of the program.

Miss Keener Is Bride Of Rex Palmer

Mary Kay Keener and Owen Rex Palmer were united in marriage in a single ring ceremony in Clayton, New Mexico Friday at 4:00 o'clock.

The bride's mother, Mrs. Raymond Keener, and the mother of the bridegroom, Mrs. Owen Palmer, accompanied the couple.

The newlyweds are making their home in Stratford.

Nine To Plant Safflower Plots

Nine Sherman County farmers have signed contracts to plant 135 acres to Safflower seed this year. Seed has been made available to them by the Farmers Oilseed Mills at \$10.75 a hundred pounds. Twenty pounds of seed per acre has been recommended for dry land farming and thirty pounds of seed has been recommended for seeding irrigated land. The grower pays an additional \$5.00 an acre on his seeded acreage for stock in the company which is obligated to construct a mill for processing the seed into oil.

The crop is being contracted for the purchase price of \$62.00 a ton.

Building Swine Testing Station At West Texas

Swine producers are contributing to the establishment of a Swine Testing Station at West Texas State College. A \$5,000.00 40-unit building 12x320 feet, will be erected on the college farm north of Canyon. The West Texas Swine Improvement Association will construct the building and the swine testing station will be supervised by the animal husbandry department of West Texas State College.

Male hogs will be tested for food consumption and their ability to gain weight.

Arthur Judd is a director of the West Texas Swine Improvement Association.

Commissioners Approve District Probation Officer

J. C. Reese of Hereford will serve Sherman County and the other counties of the 69th Judicial District as a probation officer. District Judge Harry Schultz completed arrangements with the Commissioners' Court Monday morning for the services of the probation officer. The other counties of the district had previously approved the new officer. There are about 100 probationers in the district, Judge Schultz said.

Reese served as a state highway patrolman for 8 years. He served Deaf Smith County as a sheriff for six years and has been employed as a school teacher for 12 years.

Seniors Given Church Banquet Tuesday Night

Members of the 1959 Senior Class of Stratford High School were guests of honor Tuesday night at an "Underwater fantasy" banquet in Fellowship Hall of the First Christian Church with the Methodist and Christian Churches serving as co-hosts.

Following the invocation by Bruce Clark, minister of the First Christian Church, the banquet was served. The menu consisted of several unusually named foods: Neptune Nectar (tomato juice), Lifesaver Salad (pineapple with grated cheese), Dolphin Roast with brown dolphin, Roast beef and brown gravy), Sea Foam (mashed potatoes), Eryngo (green beans), Island Tidbits (assorted relishes), Buttered Sea Biscuits, Seaweed (iced tea), Coral Delight (Strawberry cake).

Frank Sutton, master of ceremonies, extended the welcome in behalf of the churches. James Cameron, J. D. Plunk, Karl Kirkwood, Elaine Cummings, Linda Coffman and Mrs. Ben Biddy appeared on the program.

The banquet room was decorated as an "Underwater fantasy" with tropical fish swimming around the walls. Oscar, the octopus, had escaped a net and was watching from a corner. Over the piano, a minnow seine held several fish captive. A beautiful piece of driftwood rested on the piano along with a small mermaid lamp. The centerpiece on the main table was an unusual arrangement of white Iris, blue Marguerite Daisies, and white candytuft with a turquoise sea horse and white floral fan. Turquoise candles lighted the tables that were decorated with a variety of shells, napkins, place cards and program covers were of a matching underwater design. Favors were real shells that served as nut cups.

Invited guests were Frankie Aduddell, Holly Harrington, Kay Jacobs, Mary Sue Taylor, Ann Brown, Ann Bradley, Patricia Newman, Ann Caraway, Patty Hamilton, Sue Ellen Flores, Dale Davis, Glenda Green, Sonja DeBord, Dorene Davis, Sharon Davis, Martha Stone, Bobby Burkhart, Joedale Reesing, James Spurlock, Kenneth Knight, Fred Sanders, Butch Cates, Jimmy Skillin, Cagle Kendrick, Wayne Plunk, Robert Ragsdale, Larry Goule, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Gribble, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Lamb, Mr. and Mrs.

Star In League Events

Stratford students won places of honor in the Interscholastic League Literary contests held in Spearman Saturday.

Patsy Carriger won first place in senior girls declamation.

Linda Brewster and Kaye Webb formed the spelling team to win first place in the senior spelling division.

Ruthie Kendrick and Carolee Baskin composed the typing team which placed second in the senior contest.

Elementary School Winners
In declamation, Kenneth Scott placed third in the boys division and Donna Moon placed third in the girls division in junior declamation.

Lanita Judd placed second in the spelling contest for girls of the seventh and eighth grades. Kenneth Scott placed second in the boys division of the spelling contest.

Charles Steel Is Winning Athletic Awards

Charles Steel, 12-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Steel, is establishing the record of being a promising athlete in Colorado Springs.

In baseball last summer Charles played for the Bums of the Young America League and was selected as utility man on the All-City Team of the Middleweight division. He played third base and served as relief pitcher. In one game he struck out 16 in six innings. In football, Steel played with the Bulldogs of the Middleweight division and made the All-City selection.

Charles Steel played basketball with the Vikings in the Pony League. His team won the city championship and represented Colorado Springs at the spring festival held at Boulder, Colorado. The team won the State YMCA championship, defeating a Denver negro team in the finals. During the season Charles averaged 17 points per game.

A committee composed of nine rival coaches unanimously selected Steel as the winner of the sportsmanship trophy, the highest award an athlete can hope to attain.

Mr. and Mrs. John Steel have sold their book store at Colorado Springs. Mr. Steel has moved to Johnson, Kansas where he is employed on the Vivian C. Glenn irrigation farm. Mrs. Steel and the boys will move to Kansas at the close of the school term.

Air conditioning was first used in a cotton mill in 1906.

R. W. Standefer Jr., Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Galloway, Rev. and Mrs. Charles Gates, Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Clark, and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Biddy.

Church of Christ Gospel Meeting Opens Sunday

A Gospel Meeting will open at the Church of Christ Sunday and extend through the following Sunday, April 19-26. Week day services will be held at 7:30 p. m. and Sunday evening services will open at 6:00 o'clock.

O. M. Curry, Goodwell, Oklahoma evangelist, will conduct the meeting.

Plan June Wedding For Miss Bachman

Mr. and Mrs. Henry J. Bachman announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Dorothy Lucille, to Richard Foster, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Foster of Happy. The wedding will take place in Stratford in the home of the parents of the bride-elect on June 6.

New Councilmen Take Oath Of Office

Three new city councilmen, K. L. Eller, M. H. Etheridge and John Knight, were sworn into office Thursday night of last week by Mayor W. O. Bryant. The other two councilmen are A. C. Pittman and Floyd Brannan.

Fred Mercer Wins Science Appointment

Fred E. Mercer Jr. of Stratford has received two grants from the National Science Foundation for further study in the fields of science and mathematics. One grant is from Texas Technological College in Lubbock, and the other is from West Texas State College in Canyon. Since the grant from Canyon covers the entire summer session of twelve weeks, it has been chosen in preference to the one from Lubbock which covers a period of only six weeks. Work taken will count toward a Master's Degree.

Mr. and Mrs. Mercer will move to Canyon shortly before the first of June when they will enroll for summer courses.

Dr. W. D. Compton, institute director, states there were 43 winners of appointments among high school mathematics and science teachers.

Winners will attend the institute for 12 weeks, opening June 2 and continuing through West Texas summer term, which closes August 21. Each will receive a weekly grant of \$75.00, plus an allowance of \$15.00 a week for each dependent.

The institute's program will include classroom and laboratory work, field trips, and lectures by visiting scientists, and includes work in chemistry and physics and mathematics. Work during the first and second terms in mathematics includes "Survey of modern mathematics" and "Basic principles of electronic computers."

Offerings in chemistry for both terms include: "Principles of chemistry for teachers" and "Topics in chemistry for teachers." The work in physics is entitled "Fundamental physical concepts."

Decide Tennis Titles

Interscholastic League District 1-A tennis matches were played in Stratford Monday and Tuesday. It was the first year Stratford students had competed in the matches.

Senior Division
In the boys singles, Cagle Kendrick, Stratford, placed first with a 6-4 and 6-0 score. Leslie Rainey, Stinnett, placed second and Mitchell Clements of Spearman placed third.

In the girls tennis singles, Anita Holt of Spearman placed first with scores of 6-3 and 6-2. Ruthie Kendrick, Stratford, placed second.

Bob Hartman and Wesley Garnett of Spearman placed first in the boys doubles with scores of 6-0, 6-0, and Joedale Reesing and J. D. Plunk of Stratford won second place.

Spearman took first place in the girls doubles with Mary Vernon and Polly McClain winning with scores of 6-2 and 6-4. Donna Bomer and Sharon Gamble of Stratford placed second in the event.

Junior Division
Mike Garnett of Spearman won first place in the boy singles with scores of 6-4 and 6-2. Terry Richardson of Stinnett won second place.

Sandy Lathem of Spearman won first in the girls singles with scores of 6-0 and 6-2. Sheila Donelson of Stratford won second place in this event.

Wendell Parks and J. L. McGuire of Spearman won first place in the junior boys doubles with scores of 4-6, 6-2 and 7-5. Bob Seaman and Dean Roper of Stratford won second place.

Kay Caraway and Kay Spurlock won the junior girls doubles for Stratford with scores of 6-4 and 6-1. Spearman placed second in this event.

Grade School Events
Hob Hartman of Spearman won first place in the boys singles with a score of 6-3, and Gary Hudson of Stratford placed second.

Spearman won the boys doubles with Bill Blackburn and Barton Williamson turning in a 6-4 game. Joe Minkley and Dwayne Pittman of Stratford won second place in the contest.

Yvonne Gamble won the girls singles for Stratford with a 6-2 game. Spearman placed second in this event.

Spearman won first in the girls doubles. Retah Hacker and Sue Davis won with a 6-2 score. Donna Davis and Judy Steinberger won second place for Stratford.

First place winners in the events will have an opportunity to enter the contest in the regional meet to be held in Lubbock April 24 and 25.

EXPRESSION OF APPRECIATION

We want to express our appreciation and thanks to the Stratford Fire Department, to the Dalhart Fire Department and to all of our neighbors and friends who were so nice to help us in our fire Tuesday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Meek and Children.

John Quincy Adams was the only president's son ever to serve in the White House.

Town Talk

Sheldon Foster, Lubbock, was a guest in the home of his mother, Mrs. C. R. Foster, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Royal Pendleton returned home Friday from a visit with Mr. and Mrs. George Pendleton in Jacksboro, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Caraway and daughters spent the week

end visiting relatives in Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bidy visited their son, Bruce, in Goodwell Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Toomey and children and Mrs. Virgie Kimbrell and children, Sunray, were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Turner Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Briggs of Denver, Colorado were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Pronger and P. J. Pronger one day last week.

Mrs. V. W. Foreman and daughters were week end guests in the home of her step-mother, Mrs. C. B. Thomas, in Hereford.

Mrs. Mike Neal, Amarillo, spent the week end visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. Ruby Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Taylor visited in Canadian Sunday.

Jim Black was ill with influenza the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Hale of McLean were week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Sutton.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Kidwell of Weslaco were week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Kidwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Brown Ross attended the Panhandle Press Association convention in Amarillo Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sutton and Lynda were visitors in Amarillo Friday.

Mrs. H. L. McMahan visited her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Elwood Gillis, in Amarillo from Monday through Wednesday.

Mrs. W. E. Webb and her son, Bill Webb, of Enid, Oklahoma, are guests in the home of her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Webb. Two sisters of Mr. Webb, Mrs. Loretta Henderson and Mrs. Lucille

Phares and son, brought Mrs. Webb and Bill to Stratford Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wilson and sons of Gruver were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Webb Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Gibbs returned home recently from Weslaco, where they have been spending the winter.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Mahoney went to Altus, Oklahoma Tuesday to be with Mrs. Mahoney's father who was ill. They returned home Friday, bringing her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Barton, back with them. Her parents plan to remain until her father has recovered from his illness.

Mrs. Erma Parks returned Friday from visits with her sons and their families in Snyder and Breckenridge.

Mrs. Tim Flores went to Amarillo Monday for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ellis Jr., Billy and Mike, Mrs. Arthur R. Ellis and daughters, Beth and

Sue, of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Stump and children, LuDene, Bobbie, Troy Lee and Ronnie Lynn of Texhoma, were guests in the home of Mrs. W. D. Ellis over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Butler left Monday for Helena, Arkansas where they will visit their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Van Dowda and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry E. Taylor, Portales, New Mexico and their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Watson and children of Spearman were guests in the home of Mrs. G. L. Taylor Sunday.

Mrs. Elma McDaniel left for Houston Tuesday evening for her regular medical check-up.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Allen visited Mrs. Allen's nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Thorpe and daughters,

one two years old, and three week old twins, in Vega Sunday.

Mrs. A. E. Pronger went to Wichita Falls Tuesday for a visit with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Salisbury

and sons of Vici, Oklahoma were guests last week end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bennett.

Prince Albert, consort of Britain's Queen Victoria, died of typhoid fever in 1861.

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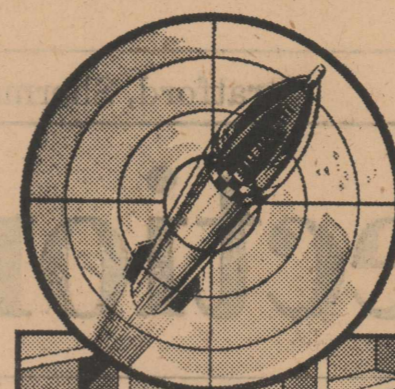
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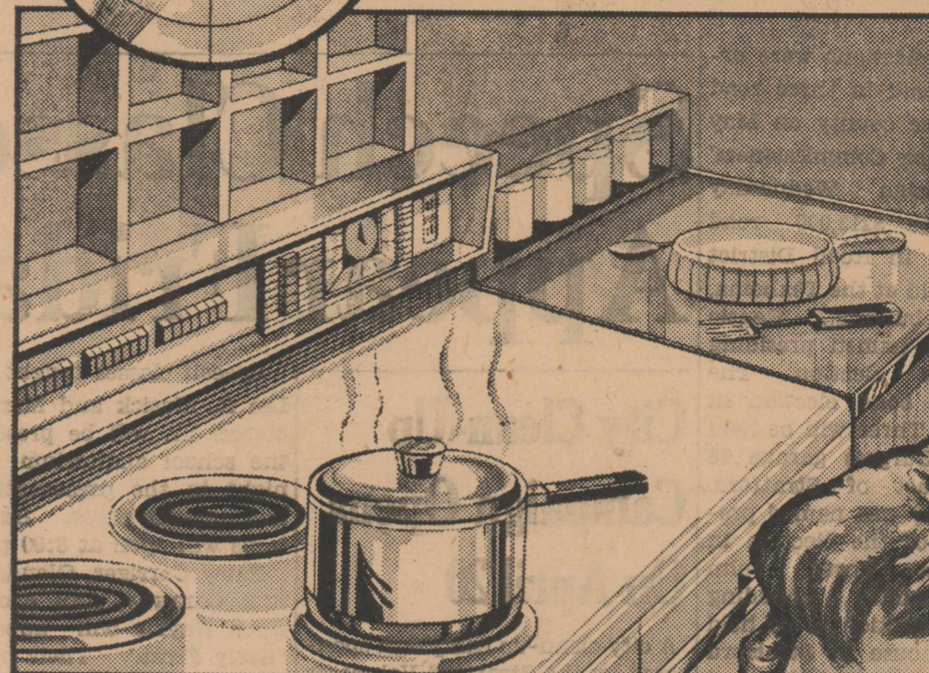
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Dodge Coronet	21.01	Ford Thunderbird	19.13	Mercury Montclair	18.78	Oldsmobile "88"	18.10
Plymouth Belvedere	20.98	Chrysler Saratoga	19.07	Buick Le Sabre	18.68	Edsel Corsair	17.90
Ford "300" Custom	19.66	DeSoto Firedome	19.06	Pontiac Catalina	18.66	Buick Invicta	17.87
Chrysler Windsor	19.64	Cadillac "62"	19.04	Buick Electra	18.58	Oldsmobile "98"	17.54
Ford "300" Custom	19.44	Ford Thunderbird	18.99	Pontiac Star Chief	18.56	Lincoln	17.27
Ford "500"	19.23	Mercury Monterey	18.90	Pontiac Catalina	18.31	Pontiac Bonneville	16.94
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						Oldsmobile Super "88"	16.77

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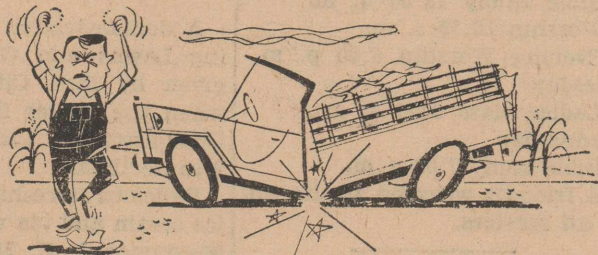
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Gamma Xi Chapter Meets At Sunray

The Gamma Xi Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma International held its regular monthly meeting recently in the Sunray High School Homemaking Department with members from Sunray serving as hostesses. The highlight of the meeting was a tea honoring graduating senior girls who plan to enter the teaching profession. Members and their guests attended from Dalhart, Hartley, Dumas,

Stratford and the host school. Members attending from Stratford were Mesdames Blanche Strother, C. L. Cameron, Clyde Hudson, and Fred E. Mercer. Mrs. Hudson is the newest member as she was initiated in formal ceremonies Saturday preceding the tea. Guests attending from Stratford were Misses Ann Caraway, Frankie Aduddell, Holly Harrington, Patricia Newman and Kay Jacobs. One of the girls attending the tea will be awarded a scholarship to the school of her choice. Her identity will be revealed on commencement night. The 1958 recipient was Ann Douglas of Sunray.

don't be caught short at harvest time



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Surprise Party For Glenn Webb Friday Night

Glenn Webb was surprised with a birthday party in his home Friday night when Mr. and Mrs. H. L. McDonald, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Riggs and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Baker visited the home, with a birthday cake and coffee. Mrs. Webb assisted her husband with the cutting of the cake and A. L. Baker poured coffee.

Among the Sick

Mrs. Paul E. Smith was brought home Monday from Northwest Texas Hospital where she recently underwent surgery.

Walter Lee, who underwent surgery April 7 in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo, returned home Monday. Mrs. Lee

New Arrival

Mrs. C. R. Foster announces the arrival of a great granddaughter, Rochelle Ann Clark, who was born April 14 in El Paso. The little newcomer is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Clark of El Paso, and the granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. John P. Foster and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Clark, all of El Paso.

was in Amarillo with her husband while he was there, and other members of the family were with him most of the time.

Corum Dortch is a patient in an Excelsior Springs, Missouri hospital. He left for Excelsior Springs Tuesday of last week.

Hose Flores underwent surgery this morning in Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo.

Rev. Charles R. Gates is a patient in a Pampa hospital.

Bride Honored With Shower

Mrs. Stanley Folsom, the former Lora Ann Schafer, was honored with a bridal shower recently at the country home of Mrs. Glenn Craig.

The refreshment table was centered with an arrangement of hyacinths and grape hyacinths surrounded with vari-colored Easter eggs on a bed of pink grass. Refreshments of lime punch and cakes, iced in white and decorated with tiny candy eggs on a nest of green coconut, were served.

Hostesses were Mesdames Glenn Craig, Paul Craig, Ralph Renner, Curly Cook, Chick Lavake, Garrett Harland, Bill Fitzgerald, Mansel Roach, Richard Butts and Dale Hamilton.

Mrs. G. L. Taylor Is Embroidery Club Hostess

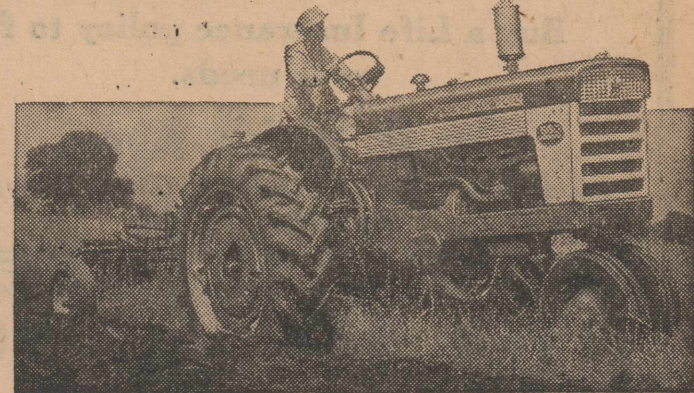
The Embroidery Club met in the home of Mrs. G. L. Taylor at 12:30 Thursday of last week for a covered dish luncheon. Each guest enjoyed the meal and the conversation that accompanies such gatherings. "42" was played during the afternoon.

Those present included: Mrs. Bessie Mitchell, a guest, and the following members, Mesdames Roy Allen, E. W. Butler, J. G. Cummings, W. P. Cummings, M.

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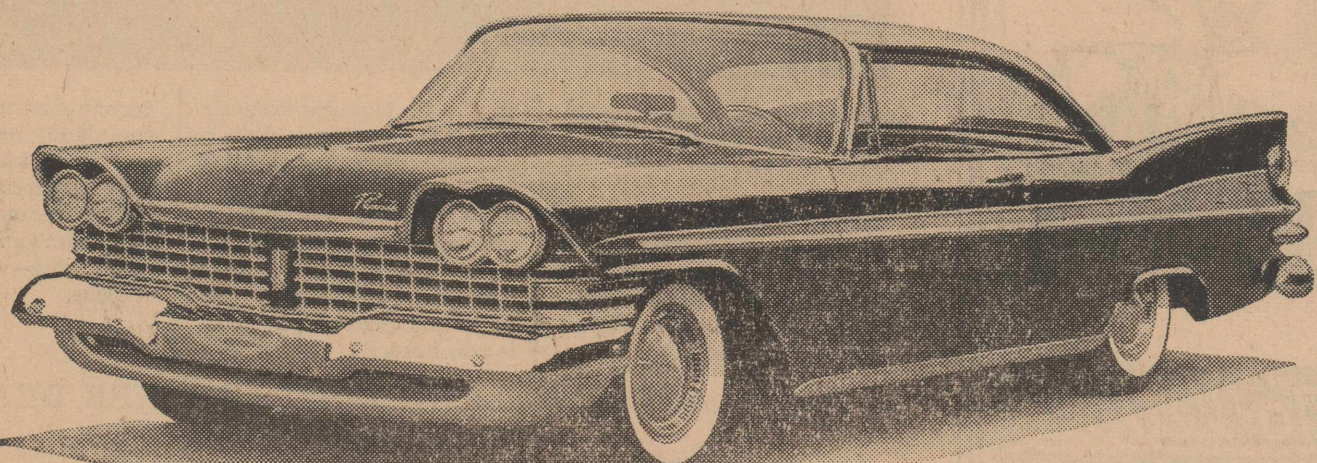
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The Priscilla Club met in the lovely new home of Mrs. Roy

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LOST: Four yearling steers branded Quarter Circle on left jaw and connected J Lazy S on left shoulder. — Frank Judd. 15-4tc

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PLENTY of Sweet Pepper and Tomato Plants. — Sigsbee Brannan, Phone 5061. 16-4tc

SUMMER PLAYMATES for sale. Two snowy AKC female Samoyeds, ages one and three years. — P. C. Johnson, Stratford, Phone 3251 or 3331. 14-1tc

FOR SALE: Due to ill health, must sell my home at 704 Chestnut. DDW 16-1tc

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for the meeting.

Those present were Mesdames Velma Wyatt, Mary Belle Morris, Ada Mae Browder and Nancy, Blanche Parks, Wanda Ferguson, Betty Craig, Sybil Boney and the hostess, Francis Browder, R. A. and Ione.

"Parade Of Homes" Tour Will Be Held April 24

Visits will be made in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Bachman, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Quinn, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wohlford, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Hill, Mr. and Mrs. LaVerne Gaylord, Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Hester, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Sutton on the "Parade of Homes" tour which will be sponsored by the Star Home Demonstration Club on Friday, April 24. Other homes may be added to the list. The guided tour will leave from the First Methodist Church at 2:00 p. m.

Cars for transportation will be furnished and the fee for the tour will be 50c.

SAFETY MAY SAVE TIME

Recent rains have improved agricultural prospects and will also cause a step-up in the tempo of farm and ranch activities. "Haste can make waste," reminds the Texas Farm and Ranch Safety Council, and suggests that all possible care be exercised so that human and other assets don't become waste due to an accident.

CONTRACTOR'S NOTICE OF TEXAS HIGHWAY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals for constructing 401.582 miles of District 4 Seal Coat From Texline to FM 1879, From 7 Mi. SE Texline to New Mex. Line, From 13 Mi. NW Dalhart to NW 9.5 Mi., From Dalhart to NW 18 Mi., From 7th St. Dalhart to US 54., From Channing to Hartley., From Romero to Channing., From US 287 to Spruce St., From FM 289 to S 4 Mi., From US 287 to Hansford C/L., From FM 1573 to Moore C/L., From US 287 to Sherman C/L., From Eater to Surrency, From SH 152 to N City Limits Dumas, From FM 289 to Oklahoma State Line, From FM 278 to SH 15., From SH 15 to FM 760., From SH 15 S Stinnett to E&S to County Road., From Canadian River Bridge to near Stinnett., From E City Limits Perryton to Lipscomb C/L., From Perryton to E 5.2 Mi., From Roberts C/L to US 83., From 15 Mi. N. of Gray C/L to Ochiltree C/L., From Gray C/L to N 15 Mi., From Gray C/L to Miami., From FM 743 to Hemphill C/L., From FM 43 to Roberts C/L., From FM 1268 to Wheeler C/L., From US 87 to Oklahoma State Line, From SH 152 at Laketon to Roberts C/L., From near E City Limits Pampa to Roberts C/L., From Alcock St. in Pampa to Roberts C/L., From RM 1321 to Coltexo., From SH 273 E Lefors to E 2.4 Mi., From SH 273 to N. 1.5 Mi., From 0.6 Mi. W. Main St. Alamored to Donley C/L., From Jct. FM 1342 to SH 15., From 5 Mi. W. Pampa to N. W. & N to Rd. Crossing., From US 66 N to US 60 at Lee Switch., From Jct. FM 234 to 5.9 Mi. E., From FM 1151 4.5 Mi. W. Armstrong C/L to Potter., From Amarillo to SH 217., From US 60 & 87 to end Curb & Gutter., From US 60 & 87 4.4 Mi. SW Amarillo to W 3.6 Mi., From Hereford to E & S 4.6 Mi., From SH 136 to Carson C/L., From Potter C/L to US 60 on Highway numbers FM 296, US 87, US 385, FM 767, US 54, FM 2232, FM 1573, FM 119 FM 281, FM 2203, FM 1262, FM 2277, SH 15, FM 377, SH 70, FM 748, FM 1268, FM 48, FM 277, FM 2124, RM 1474, RM 1321, RM 2571, US 66, FM 2161, FM 2272, FM 2394, FM 1541, FM 2186, FM 1259, FM 245, and FM 683 & 245, Covered by C 790-1-11, C 40-1-18, C 40-2-10, C 40-3-25, C 41-2-5, C 1108-1-6, C 238-5-7, C 2222-2-2, C 1489-1-4, C 727-3-5, C 727-1-11, C 794-4-4, C 2000-1-4, C 1338-1-5, C 794-5-5, C 794-7-4, C 2127-1-3, C 358-1-48, C 355-3-15, C 790-8-5, C 490-3-5, C 490-4-13, C 490-5-8, C 797-2-3, C 798-2-5, C 798-3-5, C 439-2-3, C 798-4-7, C 1999-1-3, C 797-3-3, C 169-7-20, C 490-1-4, C 2491-1-1, C 1361-2-1, C 1361-2-2, C 275-11-25, C 753-2-7, C 1894 1-2, C 1894-2-2, C 1893-1-2, C 2493-2-1, C 1480-2-4, C 1480-2-5, C 2494-2-1, C 1243-2-4, C 664-1-4 & C 664-2-5 in Dallam, Hartley, Sherman, Moore, Hansford, Hutchinson, Ochiltree, Roberts, Hemphill, Gray, Carson, Armstrong, Randall, Deaf Smith, and Potter Counties, will be received at the Highway Department, Austin, Until 9:00 A. M., April 18, 1959, and then publicly opened and read.

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Evening Worship 6:00 p. m.

Tuesday

Ladies class 9:30 a. m.

Wednesday

Bible study 7:00 p. m.
A friendly welcome awaits you at all services.

Catholic Chapel

(Rev. James W. Sonderman, Mission Pastor, Phone Dalhart 235)

Sundays

Confession 8:15 a. m.
Catechism 8:15 a. m.
Mass 9:00 a. m.

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.

Intermediate Fellowship 6:00 p. m.

Junior additional session 6:00 p. m.

Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.

Wesleyan Guild meets second Wednesday of each month at 7:30 p. m.

W. S. C. S. Circles meet Wednesdays.

Official Board meeting first Wednesday of each month.

Assembly Of God Church

(Rev. J. O. Brown, Pastor)

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 service 8:00 p. m.

The public is invited to all services.

FIRST

Christian Church

(B. R. Clark, Minister)

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.

Morning worship 10:45 a. m.

Youth groups 6:00 p. m.

Evening Worship 7:00 p. m.

Mid-week Bible Study and prayer 7:00 p. m.

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Baptist Church

(M. E. Upchurch, Pastor)

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.

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Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.

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Mrs. Ellison Is Better Homes Club Hostess

A demonstration on "Fertilizing Lawns and Gardens," was given by Mrs. Clifford Ellison when the Better Homes Home Demonstration Club met April 9 in her home. Delicious refreshments of cake, ice cream and tea were served to Mesdames J. H. Miller, Marvin Kimball, Alex Coats, H. L. McDonald, Curtis Harris, Al Hacker, A. L. Baker, and G. C. Hartkins Jr.

The next meeting will be April 23 in the home of Mrs. Bob Emerson.

College Group Conducts Church Services

Fifteen young people of the Presbyterian Youth Center of Canyon conducted morning and evening services at the First Christian Church Sunday. They were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Judd.

The West Texas students represented eight towns. Bruce Clark, minister of the First Christian Church, and Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Buckles attended the state convention of the church in Austin last week. They returned home Sunday night.

Fishing In Arkansas

V. W. Foreman, N. W. Hudson, Owen Hudson, H. L. McMahan, M. L. Mitts and A. C. Pittman

are on a fishing trip in Arkansas this week.

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Study Club Federation Day Tea Given Friday
 The Federation Day Tea of the Prospectus Study Club was given Friday in the Fellowship Hall of the First Methodist Church. Special guests were the Xi Epsilon Iota and Nu Beta Chapters of the Beta Sigma Phi Sorority. Greeting the guests were Mrs. Billy Cummings, Mrs. B. L. Smith, Mrs. Walter Vincent and Mrs. Paul Chesmer. The guest book, "Pearls of Wisdom", made by Mrs. Chesmer, was on a small table covered with a pale green cloth and decorated with a milk-glass candlestick and a small arrangement of spring flowers. Name cards of pastel colors were made like old-fashioned school slates, with small artificial flowers and the theme "Relight the Study Lamp" on it.
 Mrs. C. C. Plunk, club president, welcomed all the guests and members present, then turned the program to Mrs. Bill Allen, chairman. A trio of boys, Karl Kirkwood, Jimmy Cameron, J. D. Plunk, accompanied by Mrs. V. A. Plunk, sang a beautiful arrangement of "Sleep, Kentucky Babe."
 Mrs. James P. Cornette, wife of the president of West Texas State College, Canyon, was the speaker of the afternoon. She presented a most interesting talk on the "Light from Today's Schools." She stated that she wanted nothing more for her granddaughter than she had wanted for her own child, but that now she knew what was more important. First, being a good christian, a good citizen, and to have an early taste of success that comes from effort on her part and to realize that consistent effort pays off. It is never a mistake to expect the best. She wants her to respect all of her teachers and love the ones who deserve loving; but also to have some that

all of her life she will go back to in her thoughts. Most parents and grandparents want essentially the same things. Some of the charges that have been made against our schools, especially since sputnik, were then discussed. Many articles in magazines and newspapers have attacked our schools. From the Saturday Review, "1958 may go down in history as the year when many Americans first expressed dissatisfaction with two things they had been proudest of; their automobiles and their schools." It has been suggested that our school system be changed or at least modify it in keeping with the Russian or English systems of education. Schools represent societies. You cannot compare educational systems. You would have to compare total societies with their

aims and purposes. We educate youth to lead their own lives. They train theirs to do what they want them to do. In other words we educate our youth; totalitarian powers train theirs. Only about 1/10th to 1/3rd of the youth in European countries are encouraged to continue their education above the 10th grade. We try to give all children of all people a chance, not just a select few. Of course, we all know that everything isn't rosy. The improvement of education here in America will require all the time, money and attention that we can find to put into it. But this effort of improvement should be done on the basis of facts, and on the basis of real accomplishments and potentials (Continued on Page 6)

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Shamrock Oil and Gas No. 1 Lanners in section 25 of Block 3, is drilling below 2,350 feet.

Actuary, which now denotes an insurance mathematician, originally referred to Roman news reporters who recorded the "acts of the day."

Trustees Re-Elect Officers

Trustees of the Stratford Independent School District met Thursday night of last week for reorganization of the board. Former officers were re-elected. Kenneth Kendrick is president, and Leon Guthrie is secretary of the Board of Trustees. Other members of the board include: B. L. (Chuck) Smith, Ernest Cummings, W. L. Pendleton, Homer L. Halle and Joy D. Smith.

OES Members

Attend Amarillo School Of Instruction

Mrs. F. L. Yates, district deputy grandmatron of district two of the grand chapter of Texas Order of the Eastern Star, assisted in holding five schools in instruction last week. Schools were held at Wichita Falls, El Paso, Spur, Perryton and Amarillo.

Stratford OES members attending the school included: Mr. and Mrs. Russell Beall, Mrs. Doris Anne Vincent, Mrs. Dick Woolsey, Mrs. Jim Taylor, Mrs. Sallie V. McAdams, Mrs. Fred McDaniel, Mrs. Jimmy Jackson, Mrs. W. O. Bryant, Mrs. F. B. Mullins, Mrs. Melvin Phillips, Mrs. F. L. Yates, Mrs. Randy McAdams of Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. David Sweeney of Dalhart, Mrs. Alma Rogers of Dalhart, and Mrs. H. J. Lurette Jr. of Amarillo.

New Residents In Stratford

Among the new residents moving to Stratford are: Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Floyd, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Lucius, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Ronnie Moore, Mr. and Mrs. Elred Moore, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Terry and Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Turner.

Study Club—

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of our own system of today, and not with nostalgia about the 19th century of unrealistic comparisons with Europe.

Mrs. Cornette was presented a lovely blue Dutch Iris corsage, tied with gold ribbon and the book "Leaves of Gold."

Pouring at the refreshment table were Mrs. Plunk and Mrs. Hartland Caraway, general chairman for the tea and incoming president. The table was covered with a beautiful white organdy cloth over pale green. An old-fashioned table lamp was flanked by spring bouquets of

Nearly half the emigrants coming to the United States in 1905 were Italian.

flowering almond, hyacinths, forsythia, and jonquils. A ruler, compass, and arithmetic equations and chemistry formulas on wide ribbons, carried out the theme. Refreshments of lime sherbet punch, coffee, hors d'oeuvres, and cookies were served.

Additional committees for the day were: refreshments, Mrs. Carroll Wisdom, Mrs. Bill Pendleton, Mrst. A. E. Pronger Jr., Mrs. Bill Reed, and Mrs. Bill Frizzell; favors, Mrs. William Glenn Hart, Mrs. E. R. Bell, Mrs. Rex Hudson and Mrs. Arthur Lee Ross.

Guests and members present were: Mesdames Katie Allen, Oline Caraway, Alice Jeffcoat, Bettye Lasley, Geneva Wisdom, Virgie Biddy, Vida Gaylord, Lela Moon, Juanita Donelson, Marylou McDaniel, Virginia Lamb,

Dorothy Ross, Flo Hudson, Helen Buckles, Joan Bell, Teri Flores, Elizabeth Zimmer, Bobby Cummings, Helen Taylor, Ida Gaylord, Jimmie Pronger, Dean Smith, Hattie Chesmer, Mary Woodford Wisdom, Margaret Reed, and Shirley Plunk.

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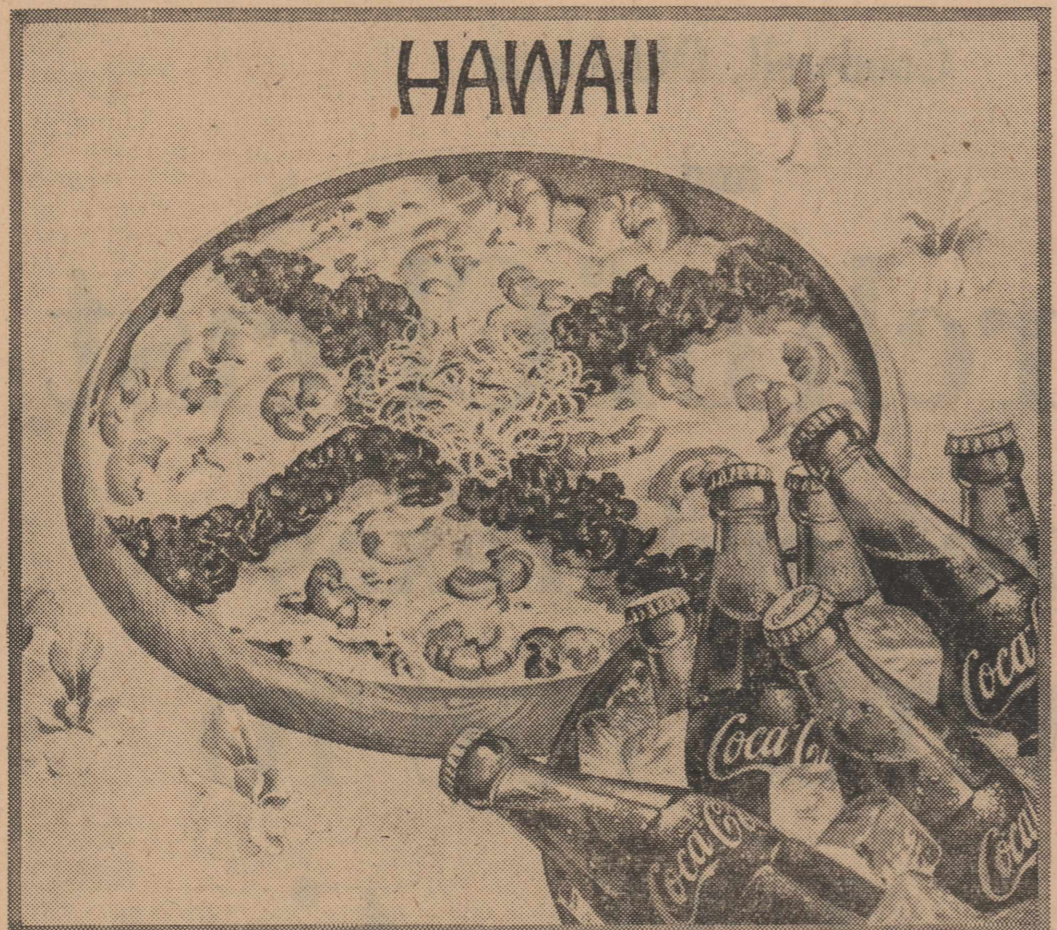
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DELICIOUS DISHES FROM ABROAD—SERVED WITH COCA-COLA, WORLD FAVORITE!



HAWAII—Aloha Casserole (Shrimp and spinach casserole). To 2 cans condensed cream of mushroom soup add 1 cup sour cream, 1 cup sliced mushrooms, 1/2 cup grated Parmesan cheese, 1/2 tsp. dry mustard. Heat, stir in 2 cups cooked shrimp. Layer in serving dish with 1 lb. cooked spinach. Garnish with toasted coconut. Serves 6. Really special served with the cold crisp taste of Coke, that so deeply satisfies.

- **MEXICO—Chili con Carne Mexicali (Chili beans with corn).** Mix 1 can chili con carne with 2 cups whole kernel corn, 1 cup water, sliced ripe olives. Alternate with corn chips in greased casserole. Bake in 350° oven 30 min. Delicious with Coca-Cola. Its cheerful lift makes the whole meal more fun.
- **SWEDEN—Smorgasbord Sandwich (Boiled beef sandwich).** On buttered bread, put a slice of boiled beef, top with tomato slices, shredded horseradish, pickle relish. It's just made to go along with ice-cold Coca-Cola. Best-loved sparkling drink in all the world, enjoyed over 58 million times a day!

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