

Music And Fashions Feature Style Show Held By Music Club

More than 100 persons saw the style show, "Fashions Around the Clock," presented by the Stanton Music Club last Thursday night in the high school auditorium.

The commentary for the show was written and given by Mrs. Glenn Brown.

As a pre-show feature, the audience heard organ selections by Mrs. Don A. Atterberry of Midland. Mrs. Atterberry also provided music throughout the show. Her Hammond organ was brought to Stanton through courtesy of Wemple's of Midland. Special entertainment during

the evening was provided by a number of program participants.

The "Rhythm Band," under the direction of Mrs. O. B. Bryan and accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Carl Leonard, Jr., sang and played "Bimbo." This is a group of pre-school boys and girls.

Miss Joyce Howard presented the First Graders in a song, "Here Comes Peter Cottontail." The "Spinning Eights" from Big Spring did a favorite square dance.

Miss Mary Beth Ory of Stanton High School sang a solo, and the Bingham Dance Studio presented two numbers. Diana Dawson of Stanton dances with the group.

Thirty models took part in the presentation of styles and were selected to represent civic organizations in Stanton. They modeled the latest fashions, the various styles being furnished by Deavenport's, J. A. Wilson Dry Goods, The Family Store, and Sheila Dress Shop.

An added bit of fashion was presented in the nature of new hair styles as created by Atchison, Reed, and Sheila beauty shops.

Hall's Drug described their Lenei fragrances as "worn for fun and frolic," and the Helena Rubenstein consultation service was displayed by Stanton Walgreen Agency Drug.

The touch to complete each ensemble was demonstrated by flowers from Johnson's Flowers and Gifts.

Lamesa Organist Gives Recital For Stanton Music Club

On Wednesday, April 7, the Stanton Music Club had as guest artist Mrs. W. J. Beckham of Lamesa.

Members of the club and guests met at the Methodist Church at 4 p.m. for an organ recital by Mrs. Beckham. Mrs. Beckham is organist for the First Baptist Church of Lamesa and also has a program at 7:15 nightly on the Lamesa radio station.

Her program Wednesday afternoon included Easter music, excerpts from popular operas and light-opera, and the last portion of her richly-varied program took the listeners on an imaginary "rocket flight around the world, with one minute musical stops over various countries."

Mrs. Cecil Bridges, hostess, served sandwiches, cake and punch to club members and the guests, including Mrs. Beckham's daughter, Patricia, and members of the Girl Scouts.



MRS. JOHN WAYNE WHITE

Harriett Echols And John Wayne White Are United In Double-Ring Ceremony

Miss Harriett Echols, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Echols of Stanton, and John Wayne White, son of Mr. and Mrs. James White, also of Stanton, were united in marriage at 7 o'clock Friday evening, April 9, at the home of the bride's parents.

Eilmore Johnson, pastor of the Church of Christ, performed the double-ring ceremony.

The bride is a student in Stanton High School and the groom attended Stanton High School and is now employed with the Arrington Funeral Home.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. Her sister, Mrs. Jack White, was matron-of-honor, and Miss Virginia Ory was the bridesmaid.

Miss Elaine Hazlewood and Mary Beth Ory lighted the candles. Miss Ory sang "Because," accompanied by Miss Hazlewood, who also played the wedding march.

Hubert Gregg of Stanton was best man.

The ceremony was performed before a picture window in the living room, under an arch of ferns. On each side of the arch were baskets of salmon-pink gladiolus and tiered white candles.

The bride wore a street-length beige linen-sheath dress and matching jacket beaded in pearls. Her shoes and flower hat also were beige. Her bridal bouquet, a gift of the groom, was cymbidium orchids with white ribbon streamers on a white Bl-

ble. The Bible was a gift from her grandfather, A. C. Eidson.

After the wedding ceremony the couple was honored with a reception in the home of the bride's parents.

Miss Yvonne Ory served punch and Mrs. Glen Earhart of Big Spring, sister of the bride, presided at the guest book.

About sixty persons attended the wedding and reception.

Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Egbert Echols of Barstow, Mr. and Mrs. Truett De Vaney of Odessa, Mrs. Rose Eidson and Miss Ova Webb of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Glen Earhart of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. George McGregor of Coahoma, Mrs. Roy Wilson of Big Spring, Mrs. Alice Ivey of Sweetwater, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Dojon and Ann and Nane Brothers of Roscoe.

After a short wedding trip the couple will be at home in Stanton.

Stanton Study Club Hears Discussion On 'Family Economics'

"Family Economics" was discussed by Mrs. Mildred Eiland at the Stanton Study Club meeting Thursday, April 8, at the Belvue Motel.

The basis for her talk was material furnished by management specialists of the extension department of Texas A & M College. Mrs. Eiland said the need for information of this type is emphasized by the realization that young people do not get much training in finance.

In discussing ways to save money, Mrs. Eiland exhibited a chart she had worked out concerning meals for four for one day. This chart showed that meals prepared wholly at home require 5.5 hours to prepare and cost \$4.90; meals bought partially prepared require 3.1 hours of time and cost \$5.80; and meals ready-prepared require 1.6 hours and cost \$6.70.

Main points covered in Mrs. Eiland's talk were making money, how to spend it, budgeting, wills.

Mrs. A. E. Murr was hostess and served refreshments to Mrs. L. H. Alexander, Mrs. George Dawson, Mrs. B. F. Smith, Mrs. S. W. Wheeler, Mrs. R. B. Whitaker, and Mrs. Eiland.

Music Club To Hear Piano-Organ Recital

The Stanton Music Club will close a year of enjoyable programs on April 21, with a piano-and-organ recital by Misses Jody and Rebecca Smith of Andrews. The program will be given at 4 p.m. in the First Methodist Church.

The young artists, aged 9 and 11 respectively, reportedly exhibit a musical proficiency which puts them in the child prodigy class.

The public is invited to the recital.

-: Personal -:

Mrs. H. A. Houston, Mrs. Edmund Tom and Mrs. S. M. Wilkinson were in San Angelo on business last Thursday.

Mr. Roy Crimm of Franklin, La., visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wilkinson over the weekend.

Mrs. T. W. Haynte will visit her daughter, Ermine, in Dallas next Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Collins were in Ft. Stockton, Balmorhea, and Pecos on business over the weekend.

Mrs. Ben Nutter of Odessa visited with her daughter, Mrs. J. C. Mott and family Saturday.

Mrs. Morgan Hall and Mrs. Ernest Ross visited in Lubbock last week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Keen and family of Odessa visited Mrs. Keen's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Atcheson, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. June Graham visited Mr. and Mrs. R. Y. Saddler in Brownfield over the weekend. The Saddlers recently moved to Brownfield from Lubbock.

Mrs. S. W. Wheeler and son, Jimmy, and Frances Gray went to El Paso last Saturday. They drove back two new Buicks for the Wheeler Motor Company.

Mrs. Bob Cox visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Hall, over the weekend.

Mr. Ezell Sammons of Palestine is visiting his sister, Mrs. Roy Martin, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Clements, former residents of this community, who have been operat-

ing a tourist court and motel in Coodale, Colo., have returned to Stanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Vutech and Jan of Hobbs, N.M., visited with Mrs. Wesley Williams, Sr., last Saturday.

Walter Graves, Billy Avery, J. T. Mimms, and Wilburn Kilpatrick have just returned from a week's fishing trip near Eagle Pass.

BURNAM'S HAVE VISITORS FROM EL PASO AND IRAN

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Burnam had as their guests this weekend Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Laws and Miss Mary Sue Wright of El Paso, and Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Burnam, Jr., and family of Iran. Mr. Laws is Mrs. Clayton Burnam's brother.

All The Breeches That Are Loaded Aren't On Guns

This little incident will serve as a warning to Stanton washateria owners.

A man at Orange left his trousers at a washateria for cleaning and forgot to remove from the pocket several .22 caliber bullets. By the same token, attendants at the washateria failed to search the pockets of the trousers for loose articles.

All went well until the trousers were hung out on the line to dry. The cartridges exploded, resulting in a blaze among other clothes and calling out the fire department. The pants were shot.

A married man seldom makes a fool of himself—without finding out about it.

Committees Plan Annual Hospital Charity Event

Members of committees to make arrangements for the annual Martin County Memorial Hospital Charity Ball met Monday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Wilkinson.

The Ball is scheduled for 8:30 p.m., Friday, May 7, at the American Legion Hall in Stanton.

All program details have not been worked out, nor the orchestra selected, but tentative plans call for a variety talent show, drawings for door prizes, and an auction. These will be followed by dancing from 10:30 p.m. to 1:30 a.m.

Committee members who attended the meeting included Mrs. Edmund Tom, Mrs. Elmer Dyer, Mrs. W. F. Priddy, Mrs. Lila Flanagan, Mrs. Pauline McDonald, Mrs. June Reid, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Houston, Mrs. J. D. Poe, Mrs. Bill Counts, Mrs. Finley Rhodes, Mrs. Mildred Eiland, Jim Tom, H. G. Mann, and Mr. and Mrs. Wilkinson.

Methodist WSCS Meets, Sees Film

The members of the Women's Society of Christian Service of the Methodist Church met Monday at the REA building.

A film, "Our Nearest Neighbors," was a special feature of the program in the current study, "Within These Borders," a study of Latin American people.

Mrs. James Jones led the discussion of the problems faced by many of these people. She was assisted by Mrs. Calvin Jones and Mrs. O. B. Bryan.



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VICTORY RIDE—Mickey Owen, former catcher for the Brooklyn Dodgers, gets a victory ride through the Sixto Escobar Stadium in San Juan, Puerto Rico. Owen recently piloted his Puerto Rican team to victory in the Caribbean World Series against Panama, Cuba and Venezuela.

Scholarships Are Offered To 4-H Contest Winners

Eight 1954 national 4-H awards programs, in which a total of 60 college scholarships valued at \$18,000 will be awarded to the highest rating winners, have been accepted by the State Extension Service.

The programs, number \$300 national scholarships, and award donors are: achievement, 12, Ford Motor Company; canning, 6, Kerr Glass; farm and home electric, 6, Westinghouse Educational Foundation; food preparation, 8, Keivinator; girls' record, 6, Montgomery-Ward; health, 6, Kellogg Company; home improvement, 8, Sears-Roebuck Foundation; and safety, 8, General Motors.

County awards in the programs have been increased to four gold-filled medals of honor, with the exception of food preparation and girls' record, which offer one each.

State awards remain the same as in 1953. Each boy and girl winner in the 4-H achievement program will receive a set of two miniature statues, and state winners in the other seven programs will be awarded an all-expense trip to the annual Club Congress in Chicago. The number of sectional trips to the Chicago congress offered in the achievement activity has been increased from 16 to 24.

Each state winner in the above programs will be awarded a certificate of honor, as well as four 4-H Clubs in each county in the Safety program.

Rattlers Must Be Living On Air In Martin County

Can it be so that rattlesnakes have nine lives, too? They must have.

They already have weathered four years without food, since the drought has made the jackrabbits fold up and pushed the birds on to greener pastures.

Be that as it may, the rattlesnakes are doing pretty well in numbers squirming about Martin County. Recently *The Reporter* carried a picture of 32 snakes that had been killed in the Flower Grove neighborhood.

And the other day W. C. Holcomb, of Ackery Route 1, visited *The Reporter* office to renew his subscription and subscribe for his son-in-law, O. F. Davis, of the same neighborhood.

Holcomb said that one Sunday not long ago he and his two brothers, E. B. and F. E. Holcomb, were kicking over rocks and exploring miniature caves on their Sulfur Draw place and routed out from their den and killed 67 rattlesnakes.

Holcomb reported that in the past year he and his brothers have killed about 250 of the reptiles and it wasn't a good year for rattlesnakes, either.



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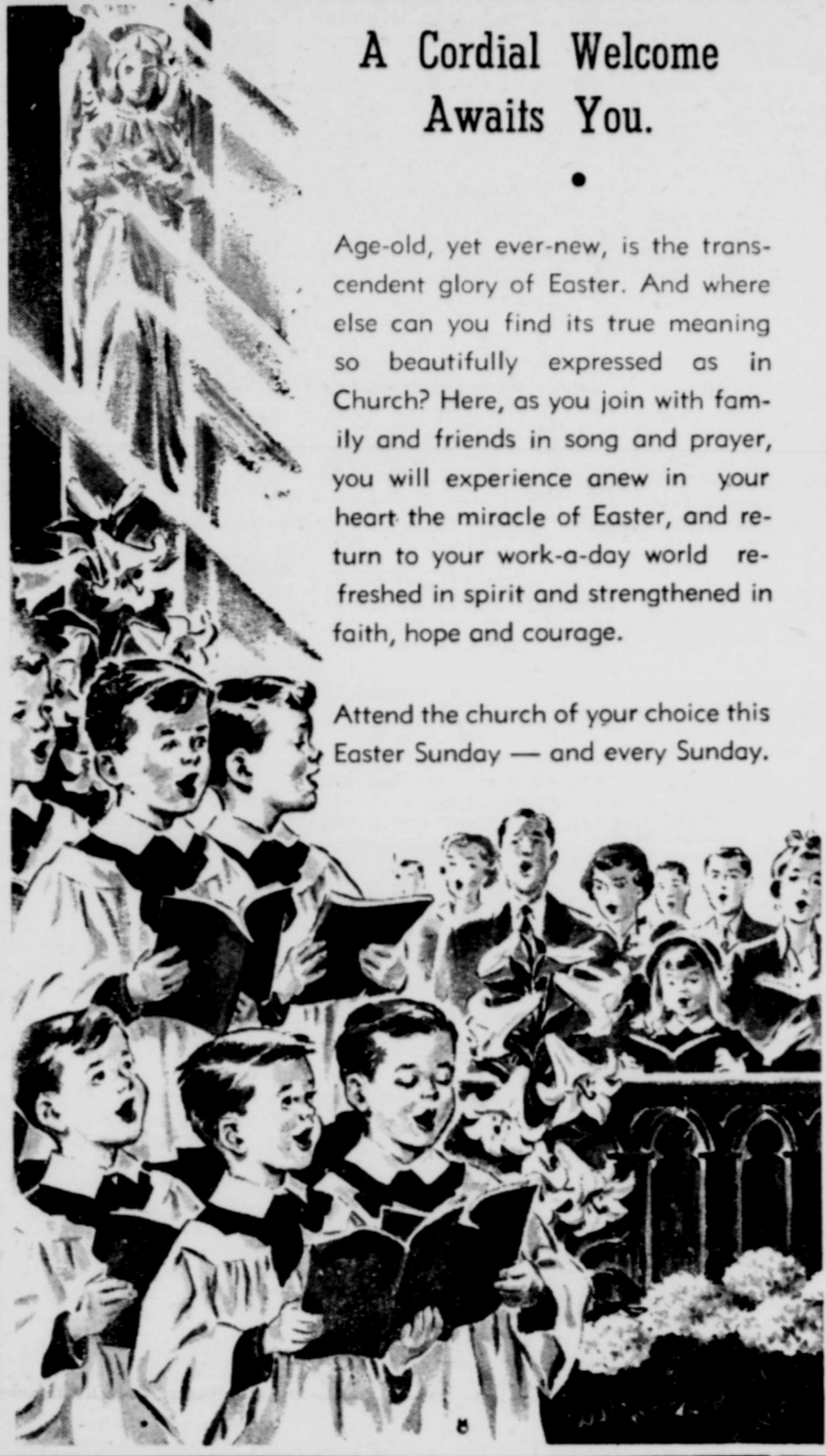
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Easter Sunday—Service will consist of the Mass of the Resurrection, beginning at 8:30 a.m. Special hymns have been arranged by the choir. An egg-hunt is scheduled for the youngsters after the services. The public is cordially invited.

Services for the Spanish-speaking will begin at 10 o'clock. A High Mass of the Angels will be sung by the choir.

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Elder I. W. Thornton of Fairfield
Pastor

4th Saturday:

8 p. m. Conference Service

2nd & 4th Sundays:

11 a. m. Worship Service

No Easter services scheduled.

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Courtney School
Dr. W. R. Dale, Pastor

First & Third Sundays:

10:30 a. m. Singing Service

11 a. m. Morning Worship

CHURCH OF CHRIST
Corner St. Anna & Convent
Ellmore Johnson, Pastor

Sunday:

10:30 a. m. Morning Worship

7:30 p. m. Evening Worship

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9:45 a. m. Sunday School

11 a. m. Morning Worship

7 p. m. Training Union

8 p. m. Evening Worship

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Rev. Hugh H. Hunt, Pastor

Sunday:

11 a. m. Reception of Members and Baptism of Infants.

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7:30 p. m. Religious film, "The Hidden Heart." There is no admission charge.

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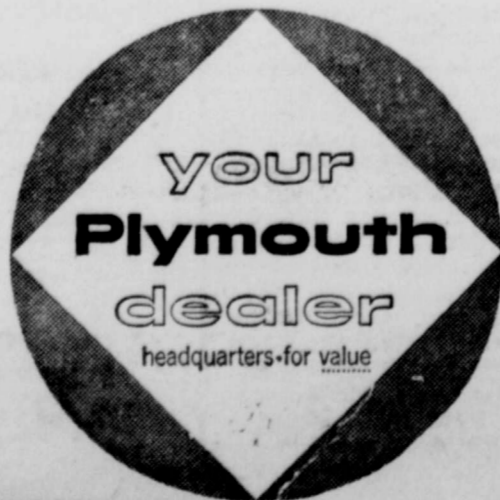
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WEST TEXAS PRESS COMMENTS

Breckenridge's city commission, chamber of commerce and other interested citizens are making plans to build a dam at the junction of Big Sandy and Hubbard Creek, eight miles northwest of Breckenridge.

This from the editorial column of Roy Craig in his Stamford American:

"What with the price of coffee continuing its upward, spiral, the Dublin Development Club, a civic group, has ordered no coffee served at its luncheons."

Editor Charlie Roberts, who writes his "Drifting Sands" column in the Andrews County News, attended the West Texas Chamber of Commerce convention last week in San Angelo.

That's all in fun. But Roberts did succeed in getting the West Texas Water Resources Committee to endorse Rep. George Mahon's bill proposing that Congress authorize the Reclamation Bureau to spend 8 1/2 million dollars in diverting the flood waters of the Missouri into a canal to serve the Middle West and the high plains of Texas.

And rightfully so should Andrews feel jubilant. A water well was brought in last week for the Andrews Independent School District and is making 1,000 gallons daily.

The Alpine Avalanche reported last week that the First National Bank of that city celebrated its 50th anniversary. It was established in 1904.

W. D. Smithers of Alpine is the originator of the photo lamp

shade, making the first shade April 9, 1937. Since that time Smithers estimates over 136,000 colored pictures have been used in the manufacture of the shades.

At the recent city election held in Hamlin, Willard Jones editor of the Hamlin Herald, was elected mayor. Right in the midst of the election, The Herald moved its plant to a new location.

And to think of Eddie Warren, publisher of the Post Dispatch, raring back in his editorial chair, with a four-year drouth on, topping his column with this: "The Women, God Love Em! In the race to the altar some girls cover more laps than others."

Philanthropy, you say? Could be. Or could it, coming from a newspaperman?

If philanthropy comes from serving a community in its top office without pay, then Doug Meador, editor of the Matador Tribune is a philanthropist.

He has served with his little city six years as mayor without pay. He says, "It is a distinct honor to be elected by and serve the citizens of the community in which I was born."

The five churches of Big Lake—Methodist, Baptist, Assembly of God, Presbyterian and Christian are joining to hold community Easter Sunrise Services. The services will be observed in the football stadium.

Dr. James Woodin Laurie, president of Trinity University of San Antonio, will be the guest speaker.

The Mitchell County News is in its new home, and Editor King says he plans to hold an open house a little later.

The cornerstone of the old courthouse in Big Spring, which was laid by the members of the Big Spring Staked Plains lodge in 1908, has been opened. The metal box contained two copies of The Big Spring Herald, published by Hayden and Jordan in 1908; a copy of the Enterprise, published in Big Spring in 1908; a copy of The Dallas Morning News issued in 1908; and a few coins and cards.

The Callahan Sheriff's Posse is getting everything in readiness for their rodeo April 29-30 and May 1.

Munday voted park improvement bonds last week. The proposition carried by a large vote.

This was one election in which all the kids in Munday and the surrounding vicinity were greatly interested. The result of the election meant they would or they wouldn't get a swimming pool.

They got it by a vote of 338 for and 22 against, according to The Munday Times.

VAVRAS HAVE VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Kehlenbrink and son, David Bernard, of Bryan visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Martin Vavra over the weekend.

Mrs. Vavra and son, Dennis, returned with the Kehlenbrinks for a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will F. Schram, and with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Vavra, also of Bryan.

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The average automobile generates enough heat to warm a six-room house. The car would burn up within an hour if it weren't for the cooling system.

Funeral Services Held For Jerry Ann Shepperd

The many Stanton and Courtney friends of Mr. and Mrs. Riggs Shepperd, former residents, will regret to learn of the death of their 7-year-old daughter, Jerry Ann, at the family home in Washington, D.C.

REA operations at Merkel and then went to Washington, D.C., with the organization.

A single filament of silk is stronger than a filament of steel.

Funeral services for the child were held last Friday morning at Merkel, with the Rev. Hugh H. Hunt, pastor of First Methodist Church, Stanton, assisting. O. B. Bryan of Stanton was one of the pallbearers.

The Shepperds formerly lived at Courtney, where Mr. Shepperd was school superintendent.

Late Shepperd was associated with C. F. Gray and O. B. Bryan in the establishment of the Rural Electrification Administration in this area.

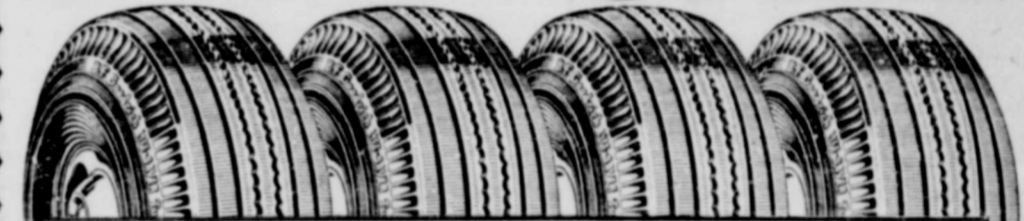
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Stanton Captures District Track Title In Forsan Competition

Coach Melvin Robertson's old Hicks, with Gordon Stone of Stanton Buffaloes won the District 93-B track and field meet at Forsan Friday, April 9, with 51 points. Stiff competition prevailed throughout the entire meet.

The popular 100-yard dash was won by Norman Blocker of Stanton in a neat 10.2 seconds. In the 220-yard dash Forsan took first, Norman Blocker second, and Bobby Carlile of Stanton third.

A hotly contested 440-yard dash was won by Forsan's Har-

rick second and Jimmy Wheeler of Stanton third.

The Buffaloes also took the high hurdles, with Reggie Myrick the winner, Owens of Coahoma second, and Conrad McKaskle of Stanton third.

A fast 880-yard run was won by Mike Baulch of Stanton, Johnny Baum of Forsan second, and Sammy Yates of Stanton third.

The mile run was taken by Archie Butler of Stanton, with Courtney Clements second and Bill Burns fourth.

Stanton again proved strongest in the sprint relay. Leon Dulin, Reggie Myrick, Bobby Carlile and Norman Blocker won over Coahoma with a time of 48.3.

The mile relay was taken by Forsan but Stanton placed second.

In the high jump, Stanton's Norman Blocker tied with Olesby of Forsan with a leap of 5 feet, 10 inches.

The Stanton Buffaloes closed out their victory with a third-place win in the shot put. Glenn Greenlee tossed the steel ball a distance of 38 feet and 10 inches.

Final score: Stanton 51, Forsan 38 1/2 and Coahoma 31.

Coach Robertson said Tuesday that winners of the first three places in each event, except the relays, will compete in the regional meet at Odessa, April 22, 23, 24.

Martin County Jail Is Without Inmates

The Martin County Jail stood empty Tuesday afternoon after sheriff's officers from Taylor County came and took away the last, lone prisoner behind its bars.

The prisoner was Billy J. Berkley, 21, who pleaded guilty here last Friday on charges of passing a forged instrument and was sentenced by District Judge Charlie Sullivan to two years in the state penitentiary.

Berkley allegedly passed a forged instrument in the amount of \$24.30 last December 5 at Friendly Food Store No. 1 in Stanton.

Sheriff Dan Saunders said the prisoner, who already had received two 2-year terms at Borger for similar offenses, was taken to Abilene to face yet another charge of the same type.



HOMEMAKERS STUDY MEATS—Members of Mrs. June Graham's Homemaking I class at Stanton High School last week visited the Cap Rock Refrigeration Co.-Op to see a demonstration on cutting beef by Hubert Jones. Members saw methods of killing, dressing, chilling and curing of beef and pork when shown through the Cap Rock plant. All 22 of the class members attended, but the only ones shown in the picture are, left to right, Willie Dee Lawson, Loveta Hull, Irma Mae Nelson, Joyce Kelly and Jane Blizzard.

Girls Volleyball Team Ends Conference Play

The Stanton girls volleyball team ended conference play at Forsan Friday night with 18-30 loss to the Forsan team. Stanton led 7 to 0 and 16 to 8 as the first half ended, but in the second half it was a different story.

Forsan came out strong and racked up several points. Coach Robert Knox said three questionable decisions also occurred during last half of the game.

The season's record now stands at 4 games won and 4 lost for the girls. Two of the losses was to Forsan High School and were played on the Forsan court.

This was the final game appearance for Shirley Shoemaker, Joyce Davenport, Joyce Burchett, and Ginger Randolph. Several juniors will be around next season to vie for these vacant positions on the team.

The record the team compiled this year was against stiff competition.

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sure, and certainly hasn't broken its effects already.

"Even with good rains for three more years, some farmers still will be considerably in the hole, which means the loans are needed now as much as ever."

Some Much Help

He added that some farmers are in bad enough shape, with equipment broken down and no credit for seed and other supplies, that they will not be able to put in crops—even with plenty of rain—unless they can secure financial help.

About 50 farmers, merchants, and businessmen attended a meeting last Friday night in Stanton to discuss the situation in Martin County.

At that time, a general discussion of economic conditions in the county was held as well as a discussion of measures needed to provide relief for those in actual distress.

Political Overtones

While the meeting at times took on political overtones, as when McMorries, who presided, referred to Gov. Allan Shivers as "our Republican governor," a general airing of the problem was had, and the session concluded with most of those present signing a petition requesting the governor to take measures substantially as outlined in McMorries' resolution.

Asked Tuesday afternoon by The Reporter why suit for aid was being directed more pointedly at the governor rather than Representatives and Senators in Washington, whence any funds actually must come, McMorries said:

"There are two perfectly good reasons.

"One is that the authority for invoking Public Law 875 clearly lies with the governor, as a matter of law.

"And the other is that he (Gov. Shivers) worked for the Republicans in the last presidential race and has more influence with the present administration than folks like (Rep.) George Mahon or (Sen.) Lyndon Johnson, who supported the Democratic party."

Lenorah Man Puts Rain Gauge Away At Wrong Time

It can hardly be said this is one of the "freaks" of the Sunday night rain, but it might be pointed out as something of a "freak" performance that had to do with the rain.

The Reporter's informant, one of Lenorah's prominent merchants, said that during the drouth a farmer residing within the Lenorah city limits, had moved a fence from around his yard. To accomplish the deed, this citizen had to remove his rain gauge from a post that supported the fence.

Having looked for four years for rain that never came, the farmer decided he wouldn't have any more use for the gauge, so he stored it.

No sooner was it done than the Lenorahan's farm was visited Sunday night by a 1.83-inch rain.

Now, if Bud Jones wants to know how much it rains, he has to go across the street to Grover Springer's store and ask him.

Musical Program Set For School Assembly

Mrs. Don A. Gaddis has announced that eight violin pupils of Mrs. Leland Croft of Odessa will give a musical program at Stanton School assembly at 8:45 a.m., Wednesday, April 21.

The public is invited to attend.

If you want the wife to pay attention of what you say, just address your remarks to another woman.

ATTEND GARDEN SHOW

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ringhofer attended a garden show sponsored by the Midland Garden Club Tuesday. The theme of the show was "Easter Parade."

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than 18 inches of sand on the surface, and where there is sand on top of caliche or caliche is found on the surface.

Some Land Okay

"The only land we can approve for deep-breaking," Vavra said, "is land where the plow will turn up enough clay to hold the top soil. Obviously erosion would only be helped, not hindered, where the sand is so deep that plowing only churns it up."

He added that all soil which can be approved for deep-breaking must be coarse or moderately coarse. Soil of medium texture is not included in the specifications.

Vavra concluded his statement with these remarks:

"The Soil Conservation Service does not like to make a farmer angry by telling him his soil is not suitable for deep-breaking with ASC assistance, but our duty is plainly conservation, and we have no choice in the matter."

"Proper conservation practices will pay off in the long run, and it is regrettable that more farmers will not realize this rather than going after immediate profits each year, regardless of erosion consequences."

"Conservation practices, where properly carried out, have proved their own value, and we know that conservation is really a case where the bird in the bush is worth two in the hand."

Eight Graders Enjoy Banquet And Program

The Stanton Eighth Graders were treated to a banquet last week in the IOOF hall in Stanton.

A May Day theme was carried out in the decorations.

After the address of welcome by Delton Chesser, toastmaster, Garland Polson gave the invocation for the group and Miss Joyce Howard sang the "Lord's Prayer," accompanied by Miss Ima Joy Williamson at the piano.

Dinner was followed by another song, "Stranger in Paradise," by Miss Howard.

The Class Will was read by Jeanene Gibsan, followed by Shirley Nowlin who read the Class Prophecy. Jan Nichols and Janelle Jones sang "After Graduation Day," accompanied by Miss Williamson.

Mrs. Hila Weathers discussed "Teenagers' Future," after which Supt. O. W. Winstead spoke briefly to the class.

The banquet was concluded by the singing of the class song, "Are Ye Able."

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