

O'BRIEN NEWS

Mrs. George Morgan and girls of Lubbock are spending a few days with her mother and grandfather. Mrs. S. P. Keller and Mr. Turner.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnston and Ronnie and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Walsworth spent a few days last week in Wichita Falls with Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Johnston and girls and Mr. and Mrs. B. G. Johnston and family.

Mrs. Joe Barton and Jan of Santa Rosa, N. M., are spending this week with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Barnard and family.

W. D. Johnston, who is a student in Decatur Baptist College, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Johnston.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Barnard and family and Mrs. George Thomas spent Sunday in Altus, Okla., with Mr. and Mrs. Denny Gibbons.

Mrs. Bill Johnston and Dwayne spent the week end in Lubbock with Mrs. Johnston's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Anderson Austin.

Mrs. A. C. Rogers and daughter of Amarillo spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. W. I.

Pierson and Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Pierson and son.

The Boy Scouts and their leaders were in Abilene Monday night to attend a Scout Rally. Boys attending were Jerry Carver, Jerry Hodges, John Tom Johnston, Jackie Cox, Jerry Covey, Jack Matura, Vernon Donaldson and Harmon Meixner, and sponsors were Paul Dean Gothard, John Covey and A. A. Cox.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Brothers and family of Ft. Worth spent the week end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Brothers and Mr. and Mrs. Jackson.

Benjamin Seniors To Be Honored With Banquet

Tonight (Thursday) the annual Junior-Senior Banquet will be held in the Study Hall of the Benjamin school.

The banquet room will be decorated in the May Day Festival theme, and decorations will include a large Maypole and a wishing well. Other decorations will be suggestive of a May garden or springtime.

All toasts and speeches have been planned to harmonize with the theme being carried out. Green and white colors will predominate and nut cups, napkins, place cards and program booklets are all imprinted in the May motif.

About forty students and teachers are expected to attend the affair.

Edward L. Kirk is sponsor of the Junior class, and Supt. S. E. Reed is sponsor of the Seniors.

GLORIFYING THE TEXAS BLUEBONNETS



THE TEXAS BLUEBONNET PHOTO FIESTA at Marlin, Texas, will be the center for photofans of the southwest to take part in two days of field trips into vast areas here of Texas' official wild flower—the bluebonnet! Photographers gather for this annual event to record the pictorial beauty of the bluebonnets and pretty models like Doris Rogers add charm to the scenes when the flowers are in full bloom.

FORMER RESIDENT'S HUSBAND ATTENDING UNIQUE CLASS

Capt. Richard R. Thomas, USAF, flying safety officer at CAP-USAF headquarters command, Bolling Air Force Base, Washington, D. C., is a member of the only college class of its kind in the world—a course in aircraft accident prevention at the University of Southern California.

Capt. Thomas' wife is the former Mary Smith of Knox City.

Twenty U. S. Air Force flight safety officers were specially selected for the six-weeks program. They will be followed by 340 other officers at regular intervals during the next three years.

All the men in the first class are pilots and veterans of World War II, and several have been in combat in Korea.

The officers attend daily lectures in aeronautical engineering, aviation physiology and psychology that will enable them to teach flying safety when they return to their bases and make scientific investigations of crashes to help prevent similar accidents.

Capt. Thomas is a veteran of World War II during which he flew 40 combat missions in a B-24 bomber. He won the Distinguished Flying Cross and the

Air Medal with seven clusters. He recently spent 30 months on Okinawa with the Air Rescue Service in support of Korean operations. Mrs. Thomas joined him on Okinawa.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank each and everyone for their kind words of sympathy and their gifts and good deeds that have been said and done for me since my home was destroyed by the tornado. Also my thanks to Mrs. Hammons for sharing her home with me, and may God bless each and every one of my dear friends that have helped me to keep on keeping on when the way seemed so dark and lonely.

Thanks again for everything.
Ada Clark 1p

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JUDGE WILLIAMS SPEAKER AT AUXILIARY MEETING

The American Legion Auxiliary met Monday night in the home of Mrs. E. R. Carpenter.

Judge Lewis M. Williams was guest speaker. Program subject was "Child Welfare." Mrs. Alton Fitzgerald was in charge of the program.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. C. S. Woodward Tuesday night, May 5.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Whitten and Jolly Bill visited Mr. and Mrs. Monty Whitten and family in Austin over the week end.

STREAMS in Desert Places
By Oselie Stephens

The word tells us that safety and salvation are to be found only in Jehovah, the Lord God. The great prophet Isaiah tells us some wonderful things about our God. As we study and believe these truths that God spoke through the prophets we strangely feel the wooing of the spirit, directing us to draw near to God. If we draw near unto Him He will draw near unto us, helping us to take His word as a fact—believe it with all our hearts. "For thus sayeth the Lord that created the heavens; God himself that formed the earth and made it; he hath established it, he created it not in vain, he formed it to be inhabited; I am the Lord and there is none else. I have not spoken in secret, in a dark place of the earth; I said not unto the seed of Jacob, Seek ye in vain; I the Lord speak righteousness, I declare things that are right." (Isa. 18 and 19).

When we seek God, it is not in vain. He hears. He answers personally. He never fails, and there is no other God beside Him. Listen to His words, "Look unto me, and be ye saved, all the ends of the earth; for I am God and there is none else. I have sworn by myself, the word is gone out of my mouth in righteousness, and shall not return, that unto me every knee shall bow, every tongue shall swear." (Isa. 45:22-23).

I say unto you, as did the Prophet of old, "Seek ye Him while He may be found, call upon Him while He is near." Be obedient to Him and the blessing of God will stream into your innermost being.

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ef Roast Pound 39c	
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Beef Stew with Vegetables AUSTEX, No. 300 can **33c**

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WHITE HOUSE - 24 OZ. JAR **Apple Butter** **25c**

Catsup DEL MONTE 14 OZ. BOTTLE **15c**

VEGETOLE 3 LB. CARTON **Shortening** **39c**

Orange-Ade HI-C 46 OZ. CAN **23c**

CHUM **Salmon** TALL CAN **39c**

CORN DIAMOND LARGE CAN **2 for 25c**

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Pastry Pie Crust Mix **25c**

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Benjamin News

Mrs. Von R. Terry, Reporter

Miss Helen Straley spent last week with her father, Burl Straley, in Brownwood.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Hertel and daughter visited friends and transacted business in Morenci, Ariz., last week.

C. E. Johnson of Knox City visited Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Johnson and family Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ryder, Sr., visited Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Ryder and children in Weatherford last week.

Mrs. Myrtle Meinzer transacted business in Crowell Friday.

In Wichita Falls on business last week were Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Hertel, Mrs. Walter Hertel, Mrs. Bill Bob Glenn, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Hertel, Walter Snody, T. W. Templeton, Mr. and Mrs. D. V. Gilbert and girls, and Mr. and Mrs. Von R. Terry.

Mrs. Hooker and children of Knox City visited Mrs. Myrtle Meinzer last week.

Royce Stephens of Ft. Worth is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stephens.

Mr. and Mrs. Joel Morrow visited relatives in Ft. Worth Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Terrell Taylor and family of Lubbock spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. J. A. McCanlies, and other relatives and friends.

P. W. Laird of Munday visited friends here one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Alexander and son spent the week end with their daughter, Mrs. Chas. Strong, and family in Midland.

Douglas Benham and children spent the week end with relatives in Seymour.

Mr. and Mrs. Orb Russell spent the week end in Flagler, Colo., visiting Mr. and Mrs. Verlyn Miller and family and Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Meinzer and son.

Mr. and Mrs. James Grady Hudson and girls of Lubbock spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady

Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. Val Jennings and family of Ft. Worth visited their parents, Mrs. F. M. Jennings and Mrs. Stella Headrick,

over the week end.

Bryson Laird of Wichita Falls visited friends here over the week end.

Misses Louise Isbell, Ruth Johnson, Mary Jane Melton and Doris Jennings, all of Wichita Falls, visited their parents here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Shipman were in Flagler, Colo., last week, attending to business and

visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Qualls and children of Abilene spent Saturday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Qualls.

Mrs. Mattie Taylor of Seymour visited relatives here last week.

Miss Jean Galloway of Spur, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Watkins of Muleshoe and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Melton, Jr., of Ralls visited

relatives here last week and attended funeral services for their grandmother and great-grandmother, Mrs. Griffin.

R. D. Hamilton of San Diego, Calif., visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hamilton and other relatives and friends here last week. Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hamilton returned home with him for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ferguson, Roy and Ernest, of Ft. Worth were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Ryder, Sr., Monday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Wade House visited Mrs. Brooks in the home of Mrs. Bill Clarke in Truscott Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Ryder, Sr., attended funeral services for Mr. Chowning in Truscott Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Ryder have moved to Whitesboro, Texas, where he has accepted employment.

Mrs. Alice Dutton of Knox City spent Sunday in the home of her sister, Mrs. W. A. Barnett, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Barnett and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Murry Rodgers and daughter in Clairmont Sunday.

Mrs. Wynelle Porter and girls and Miss Omilene Barnett visited Mr. and Mrs. Tom Porter in Seymour recently.

Mrs. R. E. Carr and daughter, Anna V., of Ft. Worth spent the week end here with their son and brother, Eddie Carr, and family.

Nation's Leaders Sign Up For United States Savings Bonds



President Dwight D. Eisenhower signed a Bond-A-Month authorization card for Savings Bonds saleswoman, Mary Pickford during her recent visit to the Nation's Capital. They are shown above with Mrs. Eisenhower, who is the Honorary National Chairman of the Women's Advisory Committee for Savings Bonds.

Following the example of the President, House Speaker Joseph W. Martin, Jr. also signed up with Miss Pickford for the regular purchase of Savings Bonds.

Miss Pickford serves as Associate National Chairman of the committee which is currently conducting a Women's Crusade for Security, a campaign to increase sales of United States Savings Bonds through the systematic Bond-A-Month Plan.



Annual Fair Scheduled Experiments

Friday, May 1, will be the day of the Experiment for the day according to the program of the Fair.

The program of the Fair will be made up of station projects, mesquite conservation, and work being done in the station.

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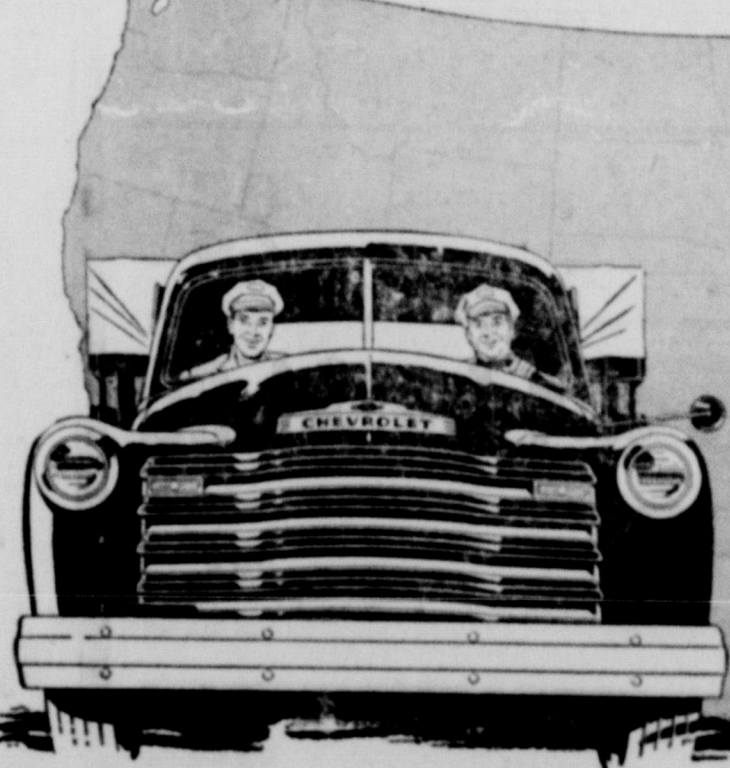
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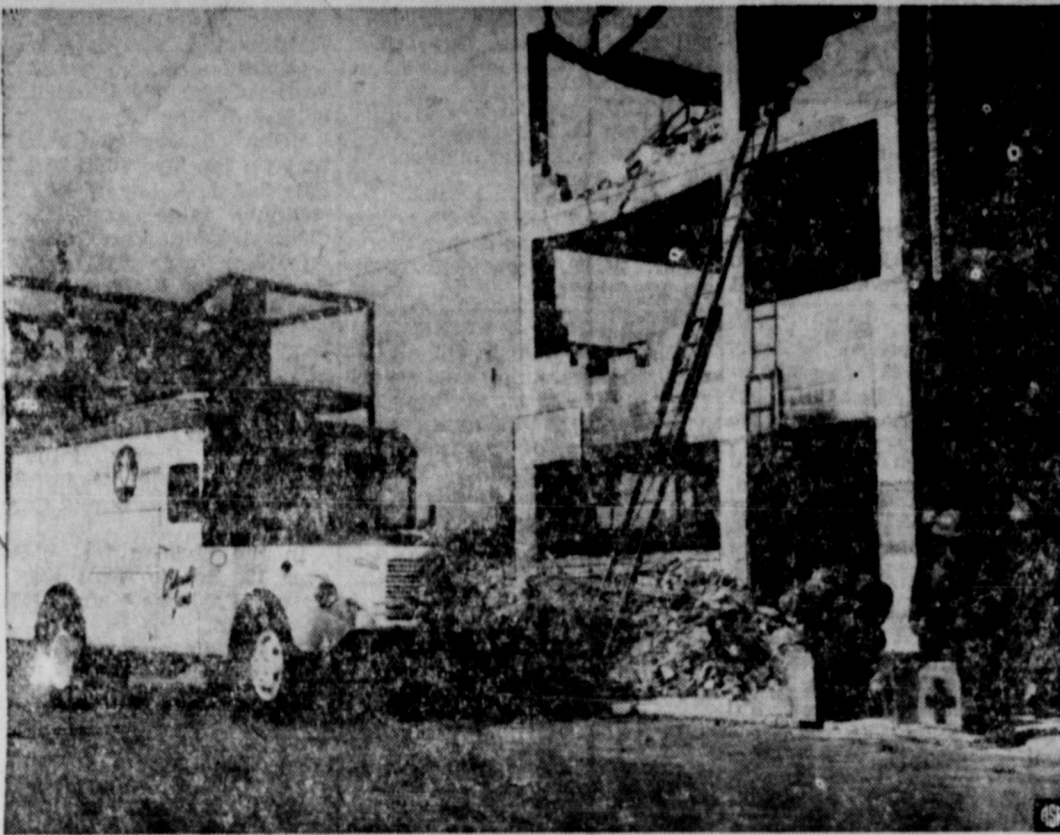
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DESIGNATED CONSERVATION WEEK
 Allan Shivers, in an issued recently, May 3-9 as Soil Conservation District Week in Texas.

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The governor's proclamation read as follows:
 "Each year thousands of acres of our soil suffer from wind and water erosion, vast areas of our range and timber land become more depleted and large quantities of our water resources are lost, all to the detriment of Texans.
 "The rich soils and abundant water supplies of this great State of Texas were created to benefit mankind through the material blessings of food and fiber. During the past thirteen years 166 soil conservation districts, covering approximately 95 per cent of the land area of Texas, have been organized under State Law to combat soil and water losses. These soil conservation districts and the Texas landowners who operate

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them, assisted by the many organizations concerned with the conservation of our soil and water resources, are proving that known conservation techniques and practices will stabilize our soil, conserve our water and render each acre of land more productive.
 "Soil and water conservation is bringing economic benefit to all Texans, and it is fitting that all groups and individuals, whether government, civic or private, should assist in this program and its observance.
 "Therefore I, as Governor of the State of Texas, do hereby designate the period of May 3-9, 1953 as Soil Conservation District Week.
 Allan Shivers"

KNOX CITY STUDY CLUB MEETS SATURDAY

The Knox City Study Club met Saturday, April 25, at The Woman's Club. Mrs. E. F. Branton, first vice-president, called the meeting to order and asked members to stand and pledge allegiance to the flag. A song of Texas songs followed, with Miss Mary Hitchcock at the piano.
 Mrs. C. C. Hoge, club secretary, read the minutes of the last meeting. During the business meeting which followed, the club voted to send a donation to the Wichita Falls, to be applied on the project of air conditioning the recreation rooms of the State

Hospital.
 Mrs. J. M. Averitt and Mrs. Abe Watson, members of the finance committee, presented plans to the club for the club breakfast for members and guests. The breakfast will be held at the club house at 8:00 o'clock May 9, and any member may bring a guest. All members were asked to notify Mrs. Averitt if they are to attend, and to state the number of guests they plan to bring.
 Mrs. L. N. Bridges, Sr., who has been president during this year, tendered her resignation due to the illness of her husband. Members expressed their thanks to Mrs. Bridges for her efficiency as president and leader of the club. Mrs. J. M. Bradberry was selected by the executive committee to fill Mrs. Bridges' place and to be the club president for the next two years.
 Mrs. S. M. Clonts was in charge of the program for the afternoon. Mrs. T. S. Edwards gave an interesting paper on Famous Texas Homes as a substitute for Mr. Arlie Williams. Mrs. Phil Colhour gave an instructive and interesting discussion on Texas Birds and conducted a round table discussion on the subject. Mrs. Ernie Wilson gave an informative talk on Stars Over Texas.
 Mrs. E. F. Branton presented

each club member with a package of pictures, maps and material put out by the Game and Fish Commission of Texas. Members discussed different subjects to be included on the programs for the ensuing year.
 Mrs. Branton expressed her appreciation for the use of the club house which was recently used for both school banquets for a nominal fee.

WESLEYAN SERVICE GUILD MEETS WEDNESDAY, APRIL 22

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the Methodist Church met at the church April 22, with Mrs. J. C. McGee, president, calling the meeting to order.
 During the business session, the members decided to attend the district Guild meeting which will be held in Stamford May 13. That date falls on the regular meeting night of the local organization. Speaker for meeting will be Mrs. Landrum, an outstanding leader in Guild work.
 The group elected the following officers for the coming year:
 President, Mrs. McGee; vice president, Mrs. W. W. Hines;

recording secretary, Mrs. Paul Hoge; promotion secretary, Mrs. Doyle Graham; treasurer, Mrs. Cordelia Woodward.
 Following the business meeting, the Guild Hymn was sung and the devotional given by Mrs. J. T. Gilpin. Mrs. Rosa Wilson offered the opening prayer.
 A skit on program planning was done by Mrs. Neil Logan, Mrs. Myrtle White, Mrs. P. K. Jones, Mrs. Paul Hoge and Mrs. Doyle Graham. The closing prayer was given by Mrs. Graham and refreshments of cup cakes and punch were served by the hostesses, Mrs. McGee and Mrs. Logan. Eleven members were present.

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