

STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights

by Vern Sanford

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AUSTIN, TEXAS. — If you drive a car, 1958 will be a good year to pay closer-than-ever-attention to how you drive it.

Under Gov. Price Daniel's "Texas plan" to reduce highway tragedies, the spotlight will be on individual driving practices as never before.

Speeders and drunken drivers will be prime targets.

Governor Daniel is heading a drive to mobilize all the state's resources to combat "the threat of public disaster. Annual loss of life, health and property in traffic accidents," he said, "is greater than the loss sustained in all our natural disasters combined."

Five-point "Texas plan" involves (1) cooperation between all safety and enforcement officials, (2) formation of local traffic safety councils, (3) public education to the problem, (4) road improvements at hazardous spots, and (5) more rigid enforcement and certainty of punishment for violation, especially drunken driving and speeding.

Last year 2,539 persons were killed in traffic and 122,000 were injured. Even so, 1957 ratio of fatalities to miles traveled was down — from 6.5 deaths per 100 million miles in 1956 to 6 deaths per 100 million miles in 1957.

Department of Public Safety Director Homer Garrison Jr., attributes the reduced rate to lower average speed. Texans saved 111 lives; he said by slowing down average speed by 1.6 miles per hour.

Goal for 1958 is more ambitious — to save 254 lives or one for each Texas county.

It's up to every Texan, said the governor, to "accept traffic safety as a do-it-yourself project."

TOWARD SAFER ROADS — An important arm of the anti-accident campaign is a \$43,000,000 program to rebuild some hazardous spots in the highway system.

Governor Daniel and State Highway Engineer DeWitt Greer formally launched this work by placing a "drive carefully" sign by a narrow bridge on a farm road near Austin. Scene of previous accidents, the bridge is to be widened.

State Highway Department allocated \$25,000,000 to the emergency safety construction fund, and \$18,000,000 will come from federal funds.

MONEY HUNT—Gloomy predictions abound as government and industry leaders look toward the state's 1959 financing problems.

A "conservative estimate" by Sen. William S. Fly, chairman of the Texas State Tax Study Commission, is that \$45,000,000 per year in new revenue will be needed just to maintain present state services.

Latest report by the Tax Commission calls the situation "a fiscal crisis of major proportions" and "not a temporary condition."

State and local taxes have tripled since World War II, says the report, but not fast enough to keep pace with spending needs. This is attributed to a sharp upsurge in population, especially in the under 18 and over 65 brackets. These ages require expensive services (schooling, pensions) but net little in taxes.

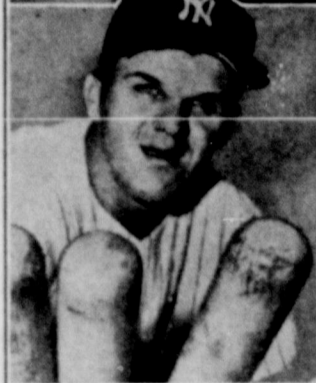
Oil industry spokesmen served notice that oil, even if it pulls out of its present slump, cannot produce nearly enough revenue to save the day.

Charles W. Alcorn, president of Texas Mid-Continent Oil and Gas Association, predicted a need for as much as \$65,000,000 a year in extra revenue. "Even if all imported crude oil were cut out from the U. S.," he said, "we would stand to gain only about \$20,000,000 a year."

MORE NEEDED — Further complicating the fiscal picture are statements, such as that of the State board of Corrections, that it will need more money

People, Spots In The News

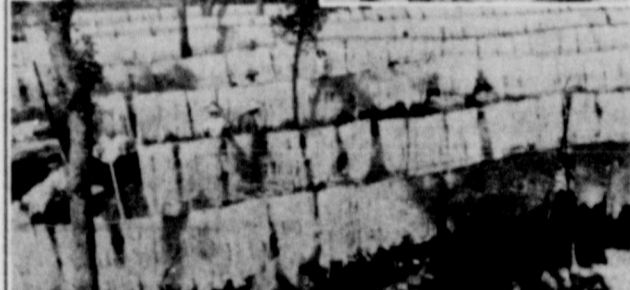
"SHINGLE" (of steel) being hung out by President Charles J. Haines marks new name, Chemetron Corporation, voted by directors of National Cylinder Gas Co. to signalize its roles in chemicals, metals, electronics



AX FOR SACKS, says Rhonda Fleming, who prefers gowns that do justice to what's in 'em, as for instance this one!



POWER incarnate this spring is Bill Skowron of Yankees, who sure looks it here, doesn't he?



WHATZIT? A noodle farm, in Formosa. No kidding, this is the drying area for those thin, cellophane-like noodles you get in Chinese restaurants. Made from mungo beans.

Benjamin News

BENJAMIN, April 28. — Mr. and Mrs. Coy Hunt of Borger spent the week-end with Mrs. Anna Hunt, Mrs. Minnie Hatfield returned with them to Borger, where she will make her home.

Mrs. Lillie Ryder accompanied Mrs. Fay James and son of Seymour to Wichita Falls Friday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Myers and family.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Crenshaw over the week end were Freddie Crenshaw and daughters, Jan and Dorothy, of Matador and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Lewis Crenshaw of Abilene.

Mrs. Wylie Joe Meinzer visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Deaton, in Guthrie Sunday.

A Golden left last Thursday for South Carolina where he will attend to business.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brooks Hudson and daughter of Amarillo spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Hudson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brown spent the week end in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Brown and daughter. They also visited Mrs. Kitty Brashear and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Golden of Eastland visited Mr. and Mrs. Ed Nolan during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Prep Mulkey of Oklahoma City and Mrs. G. H. Beavers and Dr. Hubert Beavers of Ft. Worth visited friends and attended to business here over the week end.

Sheriff Homer T. Melton and J. B. Eubank accompanied D. V. Gilbert to Houston Sunday. Mr. Gilbert was to enter a hospital there for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Waldron and son of Monahans are visiting his mother, Mrs. Zena Waldron, and family.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ryder and family and Mrs. Anna Hunt Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Billie Anderson of South Carolina and Miss Hilda Anderson of Borger.

Mrs. Lee Patterson returned to Ft. Worth Saturday after spending last week at her home here.

Mrs. Pete Barnett visited her aunt, Mrs. Alice Dutton, in Knox City Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Dodd and children visited Mrs. Dodd's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Hall, in Crowell Sunday.

Week end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Glenn were Mr. and Mrs. G. K. Denman and daughter of Dumas.

O'Brien News

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Manly and girls of Oklaunion visited Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Elmore last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Murray and boys of Edmondson spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Grady Ellis.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Grant and children of Lubbock spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. Ogle Roberson of Seymour visited Mr. and Mrs. Dwight Griffin and girls Sunday.

Mrs. Sam Johnston was an Abilene visitor Monday.

Hershell Force and John Tom Johnston spent Sunday in Lubbock.

Ernest O'Neal left last Friday for the valley where he will be employed at a gin for the summer.

The Aletha Sanders circle of the Baptist W. M. S. met at the church Monday for a stewardship and community missions program. Those present for the meeting were Mrs. D. T. Elmore, Mrs. D. H. Thomas, Mrs. S. P. Keller, Mrs. Bill Johnston, Mrs. M. M. Griffin, Mrs. Elmo Stephens, Mrs. John Covey, Mrs. Jim Roberson, and Mrs. J. E. Stanfield.

The Adult II and III Training Union classes had a social at the church center Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Manly and daughters, Edith and Mrs. Roy, also visited Mr. and Mrs. Potete and Mr. Collins.

Mrs. Mart Harding and Emerson were the guests since it was their 23rd anniversary. Games were enjoyed.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy A. Bryson visited their friends.

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Truscott News

Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Soloman were Munday visitors last Monday.

Mrs. Seth Woods and daughter, Mrs. Mary McLaury, and small son of Guthrie spent Thursday visiting Mrs. Wood's sister, Mrs. H. A. Smith.

Mrs. Tommy G. Westbrook and daughter spent several days the past week visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tolleson, in Goodlett.

Mrs. Lottie Whitaker returned home Saturday from a visit with her brother, E. Y. Elliott and wife near Clyde.

Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Chowning and children of Electra spent a while Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Chowning, and Mary K.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Daniels of from the Legislature next year.

Chairman H. H. (Pete) Coffield said the Board will ask for \$8,000,000 in building funds and a \$1,500,000 increase in its operating budget.

State prisons are overflowing, says Mgr. O. B. Ellis, with more to come. Prison population (10,400) has doubled in the past seven years while population as a whole increased 24 per cent.

ANCHORS AWEIGH — After 115 years, Texas again has a Navy.

Governor Daniel has reactivated the Texas Navy and called on some 286,000 owners of powered craft to join up. Nucleus of the fleet will be the Texas Game and Fish Commission's 180 boats.

Their purpose will be to defend, if necessary, the 10½ miles of tidelands claimed by Texas and assist with civil defense in time of disaster.

A largely early response by boat owners and previously commissioned admirals "convinces me we're going to have the largest Navy in the world," said the governor.

Texas had a vigorous, if small, navy in the days of the revolution and Republic. It thwarted Mexican efforts to blockade the Texas coast and boldly raided Mexican ports. It ended its last expedition in 1843 and after annexation was incorporated into the U. S. Navy.

20,000 NEW JOBS — State Highway Commission will start taking bids next month on \$36,000,000 in "extra" road building projects made possible by the new federal aid bill.

Texas gets \$24,000,000 in federal funds, puts up \$12,000,000 in state money.

These extra projects will mean 20,000 new jobs in the state, says Commission Chairman Marshall Formby. Each million-dollar project brings an estimated \$1,000 a day from six months into the affected community, he said.

"Times have been so good since World War II," commented Formby, "that most people have forgotten the impact of a high-way dollar."

Brazos Valley Baseball League Will Open Sunday

The Brazos Valley Baseball League will open Sunday at 3 p. m. when the Munday All-Stars play Aspermont Semi-Pros, J. L. Walling said Tuesday.

The game will be played on the Munday field. Several Knox City boys play with the Munday All-Stars. Walling is manager.

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Music Pupils Are Presented in Recital

The first of a series of piano recitals by music pupils of Mrs. Mabel Benedict Pyeatt was presented Sunday, April 20. The second recital in the series, slated for last Sunday, was postponed because of a funeral.

Knox City pupils in the first recital were Gwen Angle, Gayle Campbell, Teresa White, Sue Egenbacher, Gail Cornett, Diane Thomas, Pam Waldrip, Libby Mitchell, Joe Reeder III, Jerrene Mincey, Mike Tankersley, Karen Lea White, Gary Campbell, Bill Cornett, Pat Shannon, Candy Carr, Paula Sue Myers, Ila Kay Hutchinson, Belle Burnett, Wanda Mincey, Carol Thomas and Jinx Reeder.

Out-of-town pupils on the program were Nelda Covey, Betty Ruth Middlebrook, Jim Edd Adkins, Diane Underwood, Gail Rowan and Mary Mathis, all of O'Brien, and Marsha Shaver of Rochester.

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Seniors Honored By Baptist WMS With Annual Banquet

The Woman's Missionary Society of the First Baptist Church honored the Knox City seniors with a banquet Monday night, April 28. The banquet was held in the educational building.

Sea Fantasy was the theme carried out in decorations. Schools of deep sea fish, made from construction paper and glittered, were arranged on the walls of the room. A fish net was draped along the west wall. Tables were laid in white with runners of pastel green. Ceramic and pottery fish were placed on the runners.

Shades of pink and green, with touches of gold, were used in the place cards, programs, and napkins. A real seashell, filled with pastel colored mints, was at each setting. At the front of the room, a mermaid guarded a gold chest filled with "precious stones and silver." Joan Lain, wearing a glittered costume, was the mermaid, and she sang "I'm Forever Blowing Bubbles."

Rev. Billy Frazier gave the invocation. Mrs. Jim Ross, president of WMS, welcomed the guests and Bobby Day, president of the class, gave the response.

Mrs. J. M. Bradberry played appropriate piano selections during dinner. Special music was provided by a group of students from Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene. Speaker was James Tidenberg of H-SU. Following a group song, Supt. Chas. E. Silk gave the benediction.

Committee chairmen for the banquet were:

Invitations, Mrs. Jack Fisher; decorations, Mrs. Carl Shelton; table decorations, Mrs. George Wall; program, Mrs. Hazel Long; foods, Mrs. Abe Watson, serving, Y. W. A.; and clean-up, Miss Carol Finley.

Engagement of O'Brien Girl Told

Mr. and Mrs. Vaughn Brooks of O'Brien have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Barbara Jean, to William Doyle Dodson of Knox City.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Dodson are parents of the prospective bridegroom.

The bride-elect attends O'Brien High School. Dodson is a graduate of Knox City High School, and is now employed with the Lone Star Gas Co. The wedding date is May 24.



Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Joachim, of Houston, are announcing the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Marian Celeste to Billy Morris Denton of Houston, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. S. Denton of Knox City, June 14, 8:00 o'clock at the Riverside Baptist Church, Houston.

Marian is a freshman at the University of Houston and Billy is employed at the Lone Star Bagging Co., Houston.

Columbian Club Meets at Truscott

The home of Mrs. J. M. Chowning of Truscott was the meeting place of the Columbian Club of Crowell on Wednesday, April 16. The Club met for an International Tea, in which the leader, Mrs. W. R. Womack, stated that "There is a destiny which makes us all brothers; none goes his way alone."

Mrs. Kariten Brink, president of the club presided over the business session. Mrs. W. A. Mussetter led the devotional and roll call was answered with a current event.

The next meeting was called off because of the County Federation meeting which fell on the same day, April 29. The speaker for the day will be Mrs. Robert Lindsey, district president of T. F. W. C.

The hostess served refreshments to thirteen members.

Bobby Lou Dodd was dismissed from Gaston Hospital in Dallas Monday after undergoing an appendectomy last Friday. She will come to Knox City Friday night to spend a week here with her sisters.

Knox C of C Officers Attend Convention

Gerald Averitt, president of the Knox City Chamber of Commerce, and George Houston, secretary, attended a convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce in Ft. Worth early this week.

The two-day convention was held at Hotel Texas.

Chief speaker at the membership banquet Tuesday night was Thurman Sensing of Nashville, Tenn., executive vice president of the Southern States Industrial Council.

Sensing spoke out strongly against a centralized federal government, which, he said, can destroy America. He warned against three signs of the times — big national debt, big spending, and an increasing reliance of the people on the government to take care of them.

The WTCC board of directors reelected Berl Godfrey of Ft. Worth as president. Resolutions passed by the board were:

1. Endorsement of a bill by Representative Frank Ikard making it mandatory for the president to restrict oil imports at the same ratio that existed between imports and domestic production in 1954.

2. Opposed a bill advocated by the president to extend unemployment compensation benefits an additional 13 weeks for those persons whose benefits have expired.

3. Opposed enlargement of an act providing for long-term loans to municipalities and public agencies as an anti-recession measure.

Miss Morgan to Wed Abilene Man

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Morgan of Monday have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Carlene, to Jerry Gribble of Abilene.

The wedding date has been set for Sunday, June 1, at 4 o'clock in the afternoon in the Gillespie Baptist Church.

The bride-elect is a 1956 graduate of Munday High School. She was employed at Jones Drug Store in Knox City last summer during her summer vacation from McMurry College, Abilene, where she is a student.

The prospective bridegroom is a 1955 graduate of Abilene High School. He is also a student at McMurry.

Friends of the couple were invited to attend the wedding.

Honor Graduates Named at Benjamin

Supt. Ray Skidmore of Benjamin announced Tuesday that Glenda Cox and Billy Trainham are valedictorian and salutatorian of the 1958 graduating class. Glenda's average is 92.59. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Cox. Billy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Trainham, is second high with an average of 89.59.

Baccalaureate services will be held in the school gymnasium Sunday night, May 11, at 8. Speaker will be Rev. K. E. Woolley, pastor of the Benjamin Baptist Church.

Commencement exercises will be at 8 p. m. Friday, May 16. Rev. Karel Desgrange, minister of the Benjamin First Christian Church, will be speaker.

The commencement program will be as follows:

Professional and recessional, Carol Headrick; invocation, Merick McGaughey, "Come Thou Almighty King, choir; salutatorian's address, Billy Trainham; "Now is the Hour," choir; introduction of speaker, Sammy Pierce; speaker, Rev. Desgrange; class history, Linda Cox; class will, Charles Griffith; valedictorian's address, Glenda Cox; address of senior class president, Jim Bateman; presentation of awards, Bill Green; presentation of class, Supt. Skidmore; presentation of diplomas, T. R. Ressel.

Class members are Jim Bateman, Karson Bivins, Glenda and Linda Cox, Charles Griffith, Myrtle Jones, Jack Idol, Jr., Galen Kilgore, Sue Leaverton, Weldon Patterson, Frank and Sammy Pierce, Billy and Bobby Trainham, Jerry Benson, and Buddy Conner, an adult who is completing his high school work.

Honor Members Of Graduating Class Are Announced

Beverly James and Jan Stroder are highest ranking students of the 1958 graduating class, it was announced this week by E. A. Youngblood, high school principal.

Beverly, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. M. James, is valedictorian with a four-year average of 91.75. Jan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stroder, has a four-year average of 91.22.

Joe Lynn Cash is highest ranking boy. The son of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Cash, Joe's average for the past four years is 90.63.

Scholarships are available to the valedictorian and salutatorian and/or the highest ranking boy and girl. All three students will receive a scholarship.

Other members of the graduating class are:

Stella Acosta, Douglas Bradley, John Ed Culp, Bobby Day, Jimmy Dutton, Tim Edwards, Jimmy Finley, Billy Gilpin, Glenda Givens, Jerry Johnson, Effie Lewis, Shag Lewis, Jimmy Mahan, Alice McCarty, Jimmy McNulty, Richard Melvin, R. L. Moon, Bobby Morris, Bobby Posey, Patsy Robinson Bateman, Lynelle Tankersley, Glenna Voss, and Joey Watkins.

Mrs. Errol S. Bloxham was dismissed from Hendrick Memorial Hospital in Abilene last Saturday. She had received medical treatment there for a week.

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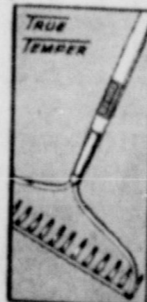
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Twirlers Win Honors In TIL Contests

Two first places were awarded the Knox City School Band in twirling at the Interscholastic League band contests held in Wichita Falls recently. W. J. Morris, band director, said.

Glenda Givens, drum major, won a first rating in the high school division, and her younger sister, Jackie, took a first in the junior high school division.

The band won first on inspection and a second rating in marching.

Mrs. Bobby Tankersley, Mrs. Gary White and Lynelle Tankersley spent Tuesday in Wichita Falls.

Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Jones were her brother, Joe Spikes, and Mrs. Spikes of Lamesa.

Savings Bond Ahead of La

"During the month of March were sold in Knox City \$79,470 in Savings Bonds," said W. E. Braly, man.

Savings Bonds for March were \$11.7% above sales in 1957.

"Keeping America militarily prepared is nominally sound concern of every citizen," stated Mr. Braly.

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Pound
39¢

Boss Brand
FRANKS pkg. 29¢
Ballard's
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Uncle Ben from Benjamin says:

DEAR MISTER EDITOR:

Great landmarks was falling fast in the nation last week. Smith Brothers cough drops went from a nickel to a dime. That was the last stronghold of the American nickel. The year gold was discovered in California these brothers put their beards together and set the price of their new cough remedy at a nickel.

Buffalo roamed the prairies, the Civil War come and went, railroads was built, Dan McGrew was shot, more and bigger wars come and went, telephones, televisions, jets, electric razors, but the Smith Brothers held fast. Last week up in upstate New York the directors had a meeting and decided it couldn't go on forever. It was a sad day.

About the same time, in downstate New York, Sophie Tucker, known everywhere as "the last of the red hot mamas," announced her retirement. Another old landmark had fell.

Then in Washington, President Ike stated again he was holding steady for that five-cent postage stamp on mail out of town. Congressman Barratt of Illinois suggested that the first series of these new stamps ought to carry a picture of two pirates. I would suggest that the second series have a picture of Jessie James with his horse and a gun.

But while things seemed to be falling apart everywhere, there was one ray of hope. Up in West Sand Lake, N. Y., the West Sand Lake Association for Protection Against Horse Thieves held its 109th annual meeting. Now there's a group of fellers that's got the proper determination. If we had more like 'em Smith Bros cough drops would still be a nickel and Sophie Tucker would be announcing her plans for 1970.

Well, I set down when Congress convened and wrote my Congressman a letter. I told him, in a nutshell, that I wanted

more farm relief and less taxes. I finally got a letter back from him yesterday. It was a masterpiece in business, ifness, and noweverness. He promised a little tax reduction but mixed the promise in with a little business, and the ifness and howeverness completely outweighed the less taxness. Them fellers can write more and say less than anybody this side of eternity or on the other side of infinity.

But I think the soil bank program is safe for another two years. I see where Ike got \$2009.60 for not farming 46 acres on his Gettysburg plantation. That's the first time Ike's ever got his hands on some good farm relief money, and it's a mighty catching disease.

Yours truly,
Uncle Ben

Proof Required With Application for Social Security

Businessmen, including self-employed farmers, who are retiring soon can speed up social security payments by having the necessary documents at hand.

When filing a claim for social security, certain proofs are required. A self-employed individual should have an extra copy of Income Tax Form 1040, and Schedule C, or F, depending upon his business activity. Where partnership Form 1065 was filed, a copy of that form also will be required. These forms will be kept with his file in the Social Security Administration. Usually forms for only one year are needed—the last one before the year you file a claim for old age benefits. Also be prepared to show your cancelled check, money order receipt, or other evidence showing payment of social security taxes for that year.

A representative of the social security office in Wichita Falls, Texas will be in Knox City at the Old City Hall on May 21, 1955. Anyone desiring information or assistance in social security matters is invited to meet with the representative.

ATTEND DINNER MEETING OF GOREE STUDY CLUB

Mrs. Joe Roy Smith and Mrs. C. J. Reese were in Goree Friday night to attend a dinner meeting of the Goree Study Club.

Honor guest and speaker was Mrs. A. J. House, president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs. Her topic was "Abundant Living Through Service." The dinner was held in the home of Mrs. Orb Coffman.

Mrs. Reese is president of the Knox City Study Club and Mrs. Smith is president-elect.

Bear-ly Told



PLAYFULLY NUZZLING SMOKEY THE BEAR, this young miss is learning about forest fire prevention from one of America's most famous bears. By turning a small handle on his back, Smokey delivers a recorded fire-prevention message. Nation-wide symbol of the forest fire prevention program of the U.S. Forest Service and State Forestry Departments, Smokey has been used for seven years to create public awareness of the destruction caused by forest fires. Last year alone, about \$8 million in time and space were contributed by American industry, as well as the press, radio, and television to promote Smokey and forest conservation.

National H-D Week Set for May 4-10

COLLEGE STATION. —Texas home demonstration club women—over 36,000 of them—will be among the 6½ million homemakers throughout the nation who will observe National Home Demonstration Week May 4-10, according to Maurine Hearn, state home demonstration leader of the Agricultural Extension Service. "Today's Home Builds Tomorrow's World" is again serving as the national theme of the week.

During the week, most of the 2,000 Texas home demonstration clubs plan special activities to highlight their programs. Special exhibits, community programs, feature stories, radio and television programs, and tours are planned to inform other homemakers and families of the purposes of home demonstration work and show its contribution to family and community life.

The home demonstration program is planned by homemakers and carried on cooperatively by the Extension Service of the U. S. Department of Agriculture, the land-grant colleges and county governments. New research in formation in all phases of homemaking is brought to women and families through specialists, home demonstration agents and local leaders. Programs and demonstrations in foods and nutrition, housing and home improvement, home management, health and safety, recreation, family life, clothing, consumer buying and public affairs are developed to fit local needs and interests. Home demonstration club members also conduct special programs in civil defense and encourage and assist with local 4-H Club programs.

Get acquainted with the home demonstration club program in your own county. Visit your local county extension office and take part in the special activities planned for National Home Demonstration Week May 4-10.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Hoge were in Marlin Sunday to be with her father, Floyd Wilbanks, who is hospitalized with a heart ailment. They spent Saturday night in Temple with his sister, Mrs. Dan Steakley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Rollie Pray of Ft. Worth came in Monday for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. C. E. Williams, and family.

8th Graders Feted At Annual Banquet

The Woman's Club represented a Gypsy Camp when members of the eighth grade were entertained with an annual banquet Friday night, April 24.

Mothers of class members honor the class each year. Mrs. E. F. Branton and Mrs. George Wynn are teachers of the class. A three-foot picket fence was placed around the walls of the room and covered with cedar and ground ivy, interspersed with gourds. Stars, made from styrofoam and silver glittered toothpicks, hung from the ceiling where blue lights were reflected.

Featured decoration was an improvised campfire, complete with spit and caldrons, in one corner.

The long tables were laid in white with an "open road" scene running the length of the tables. On the road were miniature covered wagons, horses, and campfires, with dolls dressed as gypsies following the wagons and sitting around the campfires. The same decorations, on a larger scale, were used on the head table. Illumination was provided by red and green candles. Plate favors were noise makers and small lanterns filled with red hot.

Mothers, dressed in gypsy costumes, served the ham dinner. Charles Reeves gave the invocation.

Parents Are Guests At FFA Banquet

Members of the Knox City chapter, Future Farmers of America, were hosts to their parents at the chapter's annual banquet Friday night.

Guest speaker was Creath Davis, Comanche FFA member and vice president of the state FFA. The speaker was introduced by Bobby Day.

Douglas Bradley, chapter president, presided over the meeting and conducted the opening ceremony with other chapter officers. Vice-President Jerry Johnston, Secretary Laval Verhalen, Treasurer Donald Johnson, Reporter R. L. Moon, Sentinel Fred Carver, and L. E. Groves, chapter adviser. Doyle Gene Graham gave the invocation.

Made honorary members of the chapter, as farmers helping to advance vocational agriculture, were Lynn Tankersley, Odell Carver and Bud Moon.

Mr. Groves presented the annual chapter awards. They were Farm Safety Award, Bobby Day; Farm Mechanic, Donald Johnson; Soil and Water Management, Billy Joe Large; Public Speaking Ability, J. Tom Graham; Highest Average in Judging Dairy Cattle, Arnold Casillas; Best Knowledge and Use of Electricity, Doyle Gene Graham; Tractor Operating, Laval Verhalen; and Star Chapter Farmer, Jerry Johnston.

The DeKalb Award, to the outstanding senior in vocational agriculture, went to Doug Bradley by vote of all chapter members.

Program, presented by class members, was as follows:

The Call of the Wild, David Denton; Whippoorwill and the Yodeling Parakeet, Gypsy Chorus; Around the Campfire, Ronald Voss; Serenade of the Bells, Gypsy Love Song, Princesses; Our Gypsy Kings and Queens, Darolyn Stephens; Just Like a Gypsy and La Golondrina, chorus.

Pot O' Hot Gypsy Stew, Pal Pyramus; Gypsy Life, Jackie Givens; Gypsy lore, Ronald Bruce, Fandango and In a Little Gypsy Tea Room, chorus; Yip-pee for the Gippy Gyps, Joe Tidwell; Where My Caravan Rested, Charlotte Perdue, Nellie Reyes, Sue Shelton, Donna Verhalen, Kathy Lowrey, and Doris Marlon; Wagon Wheels and On the Open Road, Romany Tribe; The Gypsy Trail, Rose O' the Gypsies; and Twilight on the Trail, Gypsy band.

Jewel Lunsford WMS Circle Meets

The Jewel Lunsford Circle of the Baptist Woman's Missionary Society met Monday in the home of Mrs. Rose Harper.

Following the opening song, "Trust and Obey", Mrs. Horace Finley led the opening prayer. Mrs. Harper gave the scripture reading from the 7th chapter of

Acts, and was leader Bible lesson on Stephen. Eight members were present for the meeting. Church was offered by Beauchamp.

Mrs. J. G. Hawkins missed from Henderson Hospital in Abilene. She underwent surgery a day of last week.

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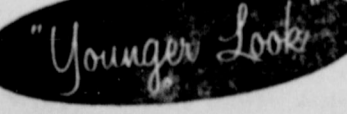
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FOR SALE: Used 3-piece bedroom suite, \$35. George Piller, O'Brien. fc22

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Political Announcements

The Herald is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to action of the Democratic primaries. All listings are made on advertising basis, cash in advance.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE: 83rd Legislative Dist.

DONNELL DICKSON of Baylor County
ED J. CLOUD (Re-Election)
LEROY RESSELL of Knox County

FOR COUNTY JUDGE:

L. A. (Louis) PARKER (Re-Election)

FOR DISTRICT CLERK:

A. E. PROPPS (Re-Election)

FOR COUNTY CLERK:

MRS. ZENA WALDRON (Re-Election)

COUNTY SUPERINTENDENT:

M. D. McGAUGHEY (Re-Election)

FOR COUNTY TREASURER:

W. F. SNODY (Re-Election)

FOR COMMISSIONER: Precinct No. 2

W. W. TRAINHAM (Re-Election)

ARTIST McGREER

FOR JUSTICE OF THE PEACE: Precinct No. 5

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Employment

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Hospital News

Patients dismissed from the Knox County Hospital since April 27 were:

Mrs. Don Thompson, Benjamin; Mrs. Frank Glover, Benjamin; F. H. Propps, Gilliland; Mrs. Merrick McLaughy, Benjamin; L. G. Sanders, O'Brien; Louise Merchant, Knox City; Willie Flores, Knox City; Mrs. Earnest Sessions, Knox City; J. M. Bryant, Knox City; Mrs. Waymon Tidwell, Munday; Mrs. E. W. Stephens, Munday; Mrs. Anastasia Rodrigues, Knox City; Mrs. Kathrine Kueler, Munday; O. D. Patrick, Goree; Mrs. Vaughn Brooks, O'Brien; Harold Griffin, Munday; Cora Kuykendall, Benjamin; W. F. Snody, Benjamin; Mrs. Kay Frizzell, Knox City; Mrs. Clyde Burnett, Benjamin; John Losaya, O'Brien; Jonila Harris, Goree.

Patients in the hospital Monday were:

Mrs. A. L. Logan, O'Brien; Mr. W. L. Moore, Goree; Mrs. Maggie Cagle, Knox City; Jim Huntsman, Knox City; W. N. Bishop, Knox City; Mrs. J. H. Wolf, Rochester; Mrs. Mary Rodrigues, Knox City; Walter Lewis, Knox City; Johnny McGuire, Rochester; J. W. Frazier, Aspermont.

Births:
Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Session, a daughter.
Mr. and Mrs. Anastasio Rodriguez, a son.
Deaths:
Ralph weeks.
J. W. (Pappy) Smith.

Leroy Ressell, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Ressell, has just returned from a trip to Montreal, Canada. While there he visited Miss Mary Edwards, who had just returned from London, England, her home.

School Lunchroom Menus Announced

Menus at the Knox City School lunchroom for the week beginning May 5 will be as follows:

Mon: Barbecued Wieners, potato salad, spinach, stewed fruit, rolls, butter, milk.
Tues: Bologna and cheese sandwiches, navy beans, vegetable salad, pineapple chiffon squares, milk.
Wed: Chicken and noodles, english peas, fruit jello, rolls, butter, peanut butter cookies, milk.
Thurs: Rolled roast slices, gravy, mashed potatoes, cabbage slaw, sliced bread, pineapple cake, milk.
Fri: Tuna salad, baked corn, green beans, cheese toast, chocolate pudding, milk.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barton of Lamesa visited his grandmother, Mrs. E. W. Stephens, and his uncle, C. W. Stephens, Saturday.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our deepest thanks to all those who were so kind and thoughtful during the illness and after the death of our loved one. We are grateful to the doctors and nurses at the hospital, and for the floral offering, the food and the many other wonderful acts of kindness.

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MARKETING QUOTAS FOR 1959 WHEAT PROCLAIMED

COLLEGE STATION.—Secretary of Agriculture Ezra T. Benson has proclaimed marketing quotas on the 1959 crop of wheat; proclaimed a national wheat acreage allotment of 55 million acres, the minimum permitted by law; set June 20 as the date for a grower referendum in which growers will approve or disapprove quotas and announced that the minimum national average support price for 1959 production will be determined before the June 20 referendum.

This is the sixth successive proclamation on marketing quotas, and required because the present wheat supply is 57 percent above the marketing quota level. It is also the fifth consecutive year that the 55 million acre minimum allotment has been applicable.

Texas share of the national allotment for 1959 has been set at 4,099,094 acres. The 1958 allotment was 4,164,302 acres.

If marketing quotas are approved by wheat producers in the June 20 referendum, the national average support price available to eligible growers in the commercial area Texas is in this area will not be less than the minimum support to be announced later. Individual farm marketing quotas will be the normal or actual production, which ever is larger, from the

farm acreage allotment. Growers in the commercial area who plant within their allotments will be eligible for price supports on their entire production. Those who exceed their farm allotments will be subject to marketing quota penalties if they have more than 15 acres of wheat for harvest or have not signed applications for exemption under the feed wheat provision permitting 30 acres or less to be used exclusively for feed on the farm.

If marketing quotas are disapproved, there will be no restrictions on wheat marketing. Acreage allotments will remain in effect as a condition of eligibility for price support at the 50 percent of parity rate. In the referendum for 1958 crop wheat, 86.2 percent of the farmers voting favored quotas.

Benjamin Seniors To Visit Mexico

The Benjamin seniors will leave by private cars Saturday morning for Matamoros, Mexico.

Enroute they will tour Houston, Galveston, and Corpus Christi. After a visit in Matamoros, they will stop in San Antonio and Austin before their return home.

Accompanying the group of fifteen seniors will be their sponsors, Supt. and Mrs. Ray Skidmore.

They plan to leave at 4 a. m. Saturday, May 3 and return Sunday, May 11.

Seniors On Trip To New Orleans

Twenty-six Knox City seniors and their sponsors, Supt. and Mrs. Chas. E. Silk, and class parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. M. James, left early Wednesday morning for New Orleans, La.

A schedule of the trip was announced Tuesday by Supt. Silk. They were to arrive in Baton Rouge about 6 p. m. Wednesday, and will spend the night in Heidelberg Hotel. No planned group activity was planned for Wednesday night.

This morning they were to leave the hotel at 9 for a tour through the capitol and Louisiana State University. They were to arrive in New Orleans around noon today. After lunch at A & G Cafeteria, they were to check in at LaSalle Hotel. At 2 p. m. today a sight-seeing trip by chartered bus was to include the city park, cemetery, and Lake Ponchartrain. Seniors will have an opportunity to eat dinner at the famous restaurant, Antoinnes, tonight, then visit two famous clubs, Twin Doors and Pat O'Briens.

Friday morning they will make a walking tour of French Quarters. In the afternoon they will go by bus to Audobon Park, the zoo, Tulane University, Sugar Bowl, and perhaps Huey P. Long Bridge. Friday night a boat trip on the Mississippi is scheduled.

Saturday morning the students will have some free time for shopping, resting, or packing to leave for Shreveport at 11 a. m. Saturday night the group will stay in Alamo Plaza Hotel Courts. Sunday morning at 9 they will leave Shreveport for home and expect to arrive in Knox City between 4 and 6 p. m. The Silk's daughter, Charlice, accompanied the group.

Positions Open in Highway Patrol

Texas Highway Patrolmen Arthur Mason and Tommy Woods of Haskell announced today that examinations will be given next month for positions with the Texas Department of Public Safety.

Young Texans interested in a career in law enforcement may compete in State wide examinations for the positions of Highway Patrolman, Driver License Patrolman, License and Weight Patrolman and Motor Vehicle Inspection Patrolman. May 10th is the deadline for submitting applications to the Department Headquarters in Austin.

"Job security, paid vacations, sick leave and retirement are only a few of the benefits you will enjoy as a State Law Enforcement Officer. Any young man between 21 and 35, a high school graduate and in good physical condition can contact us at the Highway Office in Haskell for applications," the Patrolmen said.

Achievement Tests Given at O'Brien

Rudy Matura scored the highest average grade of all O'Brien High School students in the California Achievement tests completed this week at the school. Rudy is a senior student.

Junior Hester, a sophomore student, ranked highest in the reading test; Jerry Rowan, a freshman, was highest in the mathematics test; and Sarah Taylor, another freshman, was tops in language. Supt. Elvin Mathis reported.

Awards will be given the four students at commencement exercises.

The high school, as a whole, fell below the standard score, Supt. Mathis said. However, the fact that the freshman and sophomore classes were above the standard score surprised the superintendent and teachers.

The tests will be given to the elementary students.

Pole Vault Star Gets McMurry Scholarship

Herschel Force, former O'Brien athlete, has accepted an athletic scholarship to McMurry College in Abilene, the college track coach announced this week.

Herschel, the 19-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Force of O'Brien, attended Texas Tech last fall. In 1956, while a junior at O'Brien, he set a state record of 12-8 in Class B pole vault competition. He won second in the event as a sophomore in 1955, and tied for first his senior year.

He is also a promising high jumper—he has cleared 6-3—and low hurdler.

Pep Squad Members To Sell Baked Goods

The Pep Squad will sponsor a bake sale, scheduled for May 17. Orders for any kind of dessert may be turned in to one of the cheerleaders, Charlotte Cornett, Patricia Denton Allred, Pat Westmoreland, or Doris Bales, or to Mrs. Ottis Cash, sponsor.

Proceeds from the sale will go to help send the cheerleaders to a cheerleaders' school this summer.

The baked goods will be delivered May 17. Co-cheerleaders were elected Tuesday. Named were Jeanette Colson, Brenda Swanner, Judy Smith, and Dorothy Jackson.

Dist. 18-B Volleyball Tournament Held

In the District 18-B interscholastic league girls volleyball tournament last Thursday night at Rochester, O'Brien won second to Woodson.

In the boys tournament Tuesday night at Mattson, Coach Bill Baker's boys defeated Weinert 16-14, 15-11 in the finals. O'Brien lost to Woodson in the first round of play.

The grade school tournament will be played at Rochester Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Russell, Leroy and Wayne visited Mrs. Russell's sister, Mrs. C. J. Russell, and family in Carlsbad, N. M., recently.

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We are truly grateful for the flowers, cards, and letters sent us while we were hospitalized at Hendrick Memorial Hospital. Such thoughtfulness has meant much to us.

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Specialist Offers Tips on Preventing Soil Compaction

COLLEGE STATION.—Excessive use of heavy machinery in farming operations tends to pack certain types of soil into unproductive hardpans or to form hardlayers of soil just below plow depth, says Jack Barton, extension soil and water conservation specialist. This condition cuts the soil's ability to absorb water at the surface as well as slows the permeation into the subsoil. Too, adds Barton, in some cases normal root development of planted crops is restricted.

Once soils become compacted, the hard layers must be broken by subsoiling, deep tillage or plan roots. But prevention is still the best way to deal with the problem, says Barton.

He says machine operations should be delayed if the soil is wet. Damage is frequently done shortly after rainy spells when farmers become alarmed about the lateness of the season or vigorous growth or weeds in cultivated crops. The soil's resistance to compaction can be increased by adding to its organic matter content through rotation with grass or pasture plants. Too, cover crops can be grown in off seasons and turned under as green manure before cultivated crops are planted.

Barton suggests developing a minimum tillage system for the farm. That is, tilling the soil as little as possible. This, he says, requires judgment on the part of the operator but points out that local county agents can offer advice about practices adapted to the area.

For those who already have compacted soil, research is developing machinery and other means to meet the problem more effectively, under varying conditions. More attention to this problem is needed, says Barton, if we are to avoid permanent and serious injury to some of our best soils.

M-U Band to Play Concert Here May 5

The Midwestern University Band of Wichita Falls will play a concert at the local school auditorium Monday, May 5, Supt. Chas. E. Silk said Tuesday.

The concert will begin at 2:30 p. m. The public was invited to attend.

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ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. Morris Jenkins of Knox City are the parents of a son, born in the Haskell County Hospital Monday, April 28, at 6:30 p. m.

The boy weighed six pounds and nine ounces. He has been named Richard Lynn.

Mrs. Jenkins is the former Mary Helen Dodd, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Dood of Shallowater, formerly of Knox City. Mrs. Dodd spent Tuesday with her daughters.

Mrs. R. E. Carr and daughter, Ann, of Fort Worth spent the week end here with Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Carr and Candy.

Roy Wayne Cypert, attending Draughton College in Wichita Falls, week end with his father and Mrs. Verlin Cypert.

C. W. Stephens returned Saturday from Ft. Worth where he had spent two weeks receiving treatment. The family said his health is much improved.

Mrs. J. P. Durbin returned to her home in an extended visit with her daughter, Mrs. W. J. Durbin.

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May 6 and 7
Charlton Heston, Janet Leigh and Orson Wells in
Touch of Evil

THURSDAY AND FRIDAY
May 8 and 9
John Derek and Elaine Stewart in
HIGH HELL

Pre-School Children To Attend Classes Friday Afternoon

Pre-school children will go through a regular procedure of work on a small scale when they attend "pre-school" activities at the Knox City Elementary School tomorrow (Friday). Mrs. E. F. Branton, principal, said.

The pre-school will begin at 1 p. m. Mrs. Branton urged parents to bring their boys and girls who will be six years of age by Sept 1 to the school that day. Purpose of the special day is to give the beginners a sample of what to expect when they go to school the first day.

Refreshments will be served in the classroom instead of in the lunchroom, since the lunchroom will be moved into the old high school building before school starts in September.

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