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Local Chairman Reports on March of Dimes Progress

Children in the Knox City Schools gave \$113.35 to the March of Dimes this week, Mrs. Neil Perdue, community chairman, reported Wednesday. Of that total, \$83.77 was donated by pupils from the first through the eighth grades, the chairman said.

Collection cards, which would hold a maximum of 60 cents, were given to the children last week. Those who returned the cards filled were given "Fight Polio" balloons.

Mrs. Perdue announced that the Knox City Willing Workers Civic Club will be in charge of the March of Dimes drive among the local colored people. J. Todd, principal, McGee-Ward School,

is president of the club and Woody Morrison is business manager.

The Community Pancake Supper will be held at the school lunchroom Monday, Jan. 23. Serving hours will be from 6 to 8 p.m. The supper is being planned and arranged by the American Legion and the American Legion Auxiliary. Tickets are being sold for \$1 by members of the sponsoring organizations.

Mrs. L. A. Parker of Benjamin, county chairman, said Knox County has not been assigned a quota for the drive. "We've just been asked to raise all we can," she said.

Millions of dollars in March of Dimes funds are needed, Mrs. Parker said, "to aid thousands of polio patients for whom the Salk vaccine came too late." Some 68,000 patients all over the country are now on the rolls of the National Foundation, and many more will be stricken before the Salk vaccine is administered to all.

Funds are also needed to continue the National Foundation's work in scientific research. "That program has already produced the Salk vaccine, which is 60-90 per cent effective against the three types of virus known to cause polio," the chairman said.

The minimum need for the 1956 March of Dimes has been set at \$47,600.

Mrs. Perdue said the citizens of Knox City are expected to respond wholeheartedly to the March of Dimes again this year as they have always done in the past. Other community chairmen named by Mrs. Parker are:

Benjamin, Mrs. Jack Barker; Vera, Mrs. Harold Beck; Gilliland, Mrs. Arthur Horn; Truscott, Mrs. E. J. Jones; Rhineland, Mrs. C. J. Albus; Munday, Mrs. Johnny Pysen; and Goree, Mrs. Billie Hutchens.

Mrs. Sam E. Clonts Elected President of 1946 Study Club

Mrs. Sam Emory Clonts was elected president of the 1946 Study Club during the club's annual January business meeting, Tuesday, Jan. 3.

Other officers elected were: First vice-president, Mrs. George Wall; second vice-president, Mrs. Ed Smart; secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Les Cowan; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Paul Prater; parliamentarian, Mrs. Rip Collins; reporter, Mrs. Neil Perdue; historian, Mrs. Dan Steakley; and custodian, Mrs. Paul Hoge.

L. E. Groves, vocational agriculture adviser, and a group of his FFA boys gave a parliamentary drill.

Hostesses for the meeting were Mrs. Samuel Tankersley and Mrs. Hoge.

Haskell Nurseryman Speaks at Meeting of Local Garden Club

The Knox City Garden Club met Wednesday, Jan. 11, in the home of Mrs. S. M. Clonts. Co-hostesses were Mrs. T. S. Edwards and Mrs. A. S. Logan.

Guest speaker was H. M. Connor of Connor Nursery in Haskell, who gave members information and suggestions on how to have beautiful home grounds in this dry climate.

Several dried arrangements were on display and were discussed.

Members planned a short tree-planting ceremony at the Knox County Hospital grounds on Arbor Day, Jan. 20.

The meeting will begin at 2 p.m. Pecan trees will be planted and all club members were asked to bring a box of dirt from their own garden.

Members present for the meeting were Mrs. O. L. Jamison, Mrs. H. F. Jungman, Mrs. W. C. Hertel, Mrs. B. B. Campbell, Mrs. S. L. White, Mrs. Charley Hughes, Mrs. Anceal Waldrip, Miss Leslie Bolin, Mrs. L. W. Graham, Mrs. Guy Robinson, Mrs. Claud Reed, Mrs. Edwards and Mrs. Clonts.

VISITS SCHOOL LIBRARIES

Mrs. Phil Colehour, Knox County School Librarian, made a tour of high school libraries during the week-end.

SHE inspected libraries in Clyde, Abilene, Winters, Robert Lee, and two in San Angelo, getting ideas to be used in Knox City's school building program.

Mrs. Colehour spent Saturday night in San Angelo visiting her sister, Mrs. O. W. Smith, and Mr. Smith.

Open House Planned For New Soil Lab

Ceremonies marking the formal opening of the new Baylor County Soil Testing Laboratory, located in the City Hall at Seymour, are scheduled for 9 a.m. on January 13. Baylor County Agent Roy L. McClung is to be in charge of the lab with Mrs. Mary Boone serving as technician.

According to M. K. Thornton, extension agricultural chemist, the new facility is equipped to make the same soil tests as the State Laboratory at College Station. These include organic matter, available potash, phosphorus and lime, harmful salts, pH or soil reaction and available nitrogen is estimated from the organic matter. The fee for testing will be the same as that charged by the state lab, \$1.00.

Local finances made the laboratory possible. It was located at Seymour to better serve farmers and ranchmen in the area which covers some 15 to 20 counties. "It was the belief of those working for the establishment of the lab," says Thornton, "that soil testing should be the basis for programs which are aimed at soil improvement."

Taking part in the opening ceremonies, which will be held at the laboratory, will be Thornton, Director G. G. Gibson of the Texas Agricultural Extension Service, District-Extension Agent J. A. Scofield and local representatives who had a part in establishing the facility in Seymour.

Those interested in seeing another way in which science works for the farmer are given a special invitation to be present for the program and see the equipment which is required for soil testing work.

Greyhounds Win Over Benjamin in 1st District Game

In their first district basketball game of the season Tuesday night, the Knox City Greyhounds swamped the Benjamin Mustangs, 55-26, but the local girls bowed to the visitors, 36-48.

In the boys' game Bobby Day was high scorer with 14 points. High for the Mustangs was Johnny Hudson with 11.

Twins Glenda and Linda Cox scored 31 and 15 points, respectively, of the Benjamin girls' 48. High for Knox City was Sammie Darr with 15, followed by Florence Reeves with 12.

In the tournament at Stamford last weekend the Knox City boys lost to Haskell in the first game, then went on to win the consolation championship by defeating Throckmorton and Roscoe. Bobby Driver of Knox City was named on the all-tournament team, Coach Paul Prater said.

Tomorrow (Friday) night the local teams will be hosts to Vera for district games. Next Tuesday night, Jan. 17, they will play Megargee at Megargee.

Coach Prater reported that a near capacity crowd was on hand for the Knox City-Benjamin game. He expressed his appreciation to the fans for their support.

Mrs. Cape Resigns School Position

Mrs. Charley Cape, teacher in the local school for 10½ years, will move to Memphis, Texas, Jan. 21, she said Wednesday. Her husband recently was named work unit conservator of the Memphis Soil Conservation District. He held a similar position here with the Wichita-Brazos District.

The Capes came to Knox City 12½ years ago. She taught in the O'Brien School the first year they lived here and did not teach during the 1951-52 school year. For the past two years she has been school secretary.

Mrs. Chester Abbott, a graduate of East Central State College in Ada, Okla., began duties this week as school secretary and eighth grade history teacher, to replace Mrs. Cape. Mrs. Abbott moved to Knox City 2½ years ago. Her husband is with Service Pipeline Company.

BIRTH ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Averitt of Crane have announced the arrival of another son.

The boy was born in an Odessa hospital Sunday, Jan. 8, at 1:40 p.m. He weighed nine pounds and has been named Kyle. Kyle has two older brothers, Joe, 4, and Kip, 15 months.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Joe Averitt of Knox City.

Funeral Services Held Tuesday for Mrs. J. F. Darr

Funeral services for Mrs. John Darr were held at the First Baptist Church Tuesday, Jan. 10, at 3:30 p.m., with the Rev. Billy Frazier, pastor of the church, officiating, assisted by the Rev. S. E. Stephenson of Goree.

Mrs. Darr died of a heart attack in a Wichita Falls hospital Monday, Jan. 9, about 7 a.m.

She was born Etta Grey Lee Nov. 19, 1880, in Ashland, Miss. She married Mr. Darr in Hill County July 14, 1901. They came to this area in 1920, settling in the Grace Community west of Knox City. The family moved to Knox City when Mr. Darr retired from farming in 1933. Mrs. Darr had been a member of the local Baptist Church since 1925.

Interment was in the Knox City Cemetery under direction of Warren Funeral Home.

Survivors are the husband; four sons, Carl Darr of Paducah, Alvin Darr of Crane, Leslie Darr of Abilene, and Capt. Wayne Darr of Yuma, Ariz.; four daughters, Mrs. Hallie Thompson of Ozona, Cora Darr Gaines of Ft. Worth, Ruth Darr of Midland, and Mrs. Marie Dodson of Seguin; a sister, Mrs. John Fuller of Covington; two brothers, Robert Edward Lee of Dallas and Charles Lee of Elcaon, Calif.; and five granddaughters.

One son, Hugh, died July 5, 1942, in a Japanese prison camp. Three children died in infancy.

State President to Speak at Weinert Brotherhood Meeting

Fred C. Hughes, president of the Texas Brotherhood, will be principal speaker at the regular meeting of the Haskell-Knox Association Brotherhood meeting Monday night, Jan. 16.

Host church will be the First Baptist Church in Weinert.

E. H. Tankersley of Knox City and C. D. Allen of Haskell will open the meeting at 7 p.m. with a song service.

The evening meal will be served at 7:15. Allen will bring the devotional following the meal and songs. After a short business meeting and the recognition of visitors, Henry Morgan of Abilene will sing, "When I Get to the End of the Way."

Outstanding guests who have indicated their plans to attend the meeting are W. A. Stephenson of Abilene, vice-president of the state Brotherhood, and Clifford Leedy of Abilene, president of District 17.

All men in the area were urged to attend.

City Hall to Be Closed Half Day On Saturdays

A new work schedule has been arranged for city employees, Mayor Barney Arnold announced this week, and the city hall will be closed on Saturday afternoons.

Officer Alvin Roberts will be the only city employee on duty on Saturday afternoons, Mayor Arnold said.

Knox City School Bonds To Be Sold to State

Members of the Knox City School Board met with Clarence Hendrix of the Wm. N. Edwards Investment Co. in Ft. Worth at their regular meeting Monday night.

Hendrix is acting as fiscal agent for the school following the recent \$200,000 school bond election.

Members approved resolutions and authorized the sale of bonds to the state permanent school fund, through the State Board of Education. Interest rate will be 3 per cent and 3.25 per cent, con-

siderably less than the board was offered from an outside firm, Supt. Chas. E. Silk said.

Proceedings for the bond election are being worked out by Hendrix and checked by the attorney general. After approval by the attorney general they will be certified by the state. "Everything is moving along faster than we first thought," the superintendent said.

Board members accepted the resignation of Mrs. Clarence Goodson, who has worked in the lunchroom 4½ years. Appointed to take her place was Mrs. L. V. Worley.

The resignation of Mrs. Charley Cape was also accepted. Mrs. Cape, school secretary and 8th grade teacher, has taken a position in the Memphis, Texas, schools and will move there soon. The board appointed Mrs. Chester Abbott to replace her.

Mrs. Abbott is a graduate of East Central State College, Ada, Okla., where she had a double major in business administration and math and a minor in Social Science.

Melton Announces For Re-Election to Sheriff's Office

Knox County Sheriff Homer T. Melton announced this week that he will be a candidate for reelection, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

"I am asking re-election on the basis of my qualifications and my record," Sheriff Melton said. "During my time in office I have always done my best to be a fair and impartial officer, enforcing the law fairly and justly to all alike. If re-elected I will continue to discharge my duties in that manner."

Sheriff Melton will make as active a campaign as the duties of his office will permit, and will see as many voters as possible before the first primary in July. In the meantime, he asks Knox Countians to consider his qualifications and regard, and will appreciate their support in the election.

T. C. Carter Seeks Second Term as County Commissioner

T. C. Carter, now serving his first term as County Commissioner, Precinct No. 1, this week authorized the Herald to announce his candidacy for re-election, subject to the action of the Democratic primaries.

"It has been a pleasure to serve as your commissioner, and I want to thank the people of this precinct for their fine cooperation," Mr. Carter said. "I have tried to render efficient service and help to direct the affairs of our county in the manner that would please you. And I have at all times endeavored to discharge the duties of the office in keeping with my oath of office and the law."

"During my term of office, I have bought two new dump trucks, a TD-18 Tractor and dozer, and the financial condition of the precinct is as good as it was when I took office."

"I believe that the experience I have gained has better qualified me for the office. If you feel that the record I have made merits a second term in office, I will appreciate your vote and influence in the coming primary. If elected, I will give the very best service of which I am capable."

J. B. Eubank, Jr. Is Candidate for Pre. 3 Commissioner

J. B. Eubank, Jr., of Truscott, former Knox County Judge, announced this week that he will be a candidate for County Commissioner, Precinct No. 3, which includes the Gilliland and Truscott communities.

"During the time between now and the first primary election," Mr. Eubank said, "I will attempt to see all of the citizens of the precinct in person, to make a positive solicitation for your vote and influence, and at that time to try to answer any questions that you might have with regard to my candidacy."

In the meantime, he added, he will appreciate the consideration of every voter in the precinct.

Telephone Strike In Area Ended

General Telephone Company of the Southwest employees at Haskell and elsewhere in the area were back on their jobs this week after a six-day strike throughout the Company's five-state territory ended with the signing of a new contract between General and the Communications Workers of America last Friday, Jan. 6.

The new contract, which will be in force 15 months, includes the following major changes over the old contract:

1. Wage increases totaling \$175,000 annually which, when added to the wage adjustment granted in November, 1955, result in an hourly increase per employee equivalent to the wage increases received throughout the telephone industry.

2. Different plant areas for wage schedules were established. The number of traffic and commercial areas for wage schedule purposes were reduced.

3. Increase in the board and lodging allowance for unlocated construction personnel of \$1 per week.

4. Increases from 75 per cent to 100 per cent in on-the-job injury benefits.

A company spokesman said the new contract is substantially the same as that which was offered by the company prior to the strike. He estimated employees not working lost \$25,000 per day in wages during the strike.

The strike started at midnight December 31 when the former Union-Company contract was terminated by the union. It was the first authorized company-wide strike in the history of the company.

The Weather

Observations by Horace Finley

Daily Temperatures				
Date	Max	Min	Rain	
5	79	43		
6	70	39		
7	55	30		
8	52	21		
9	56	27		
10	59	27		
11	58	22		
Rain this week				0.00
Rain this year				0.00
Rain this date 1955				0.53



March of Dimes this year in Knox City at least—is strictly pressure. Other than the "March of Dimes" on the night of Jan. 30 there will be no door-to-door solicitation, and no committee will twist your arm for a substantial donation.

But that doesn't mean that funds aren't still needed in the fight against polio, and there are plenty of opportunities for you to contribute.

Coin cards and boxes have been placed in the business houses, and members of the Lions Club have for sale little blue crutches. You can get a crutch at your own price—ten dollars, one dollar, or even less.

Then there's the big community pancake supper coming up January 23. Tickets are on sale for \$1 each, and that entitles you to eat all you can hold. Bacon, pancake mix and other ingredients are being furnished by wholesalers (at the suggestion of some local merchants) and the American Legion and Legion Auxiliary will do the fixing. . . . and ALL proceeds will go to the M. O. D.

So get your crutch from a Lion, buy tickets to the pancake supper and give liberally as you can. Knox City has always been proud of leading the county in the March of Dimes, and we hope this year is no exception.

Basketball Coach Paul Prater is mighty happy about the support Greyhounds are getting. His Gate receipts at the first district game Tuesday night, he says, were larger than at any regular game last season! He says the fans keep coming.

Mr. Mansfield came in with a fish story the other day. . . . Believe it or Not fish story.

Fishing in his tank one day last week Mr. Mansfield discovered that the fish weren't biting . . . but nevertheless he reeled in a 15-inch channel cat.

Seems the fish had two hooks in his mouth, and in reeling in his line Mr. Mansfield's hook had snagged the short pieces of line attached to the hooks already in the fish's mouth!

Well, just any way to get 'em in the pan!

Ed Cloud to Seek Second Term as State Representative

E. J. (Ed) Cloud of Rule announced this week that he will be a candidate for a second term as State Representative, 83rd Legislative District.

The 83rd district is composed of Haskell, Knox, Baylor and Throckmorton Counties.

During his first term in the legislature, Mr. Cloud has served on several important committees, including the Banks and Banking, Education, and Military committees.

Mr. Cloud will make an active canvass of the district between now and the Democratic primary, and will make a formal statement in the columns of this newspaper at a later date. In the meantime, he said, he will appreciate the consideration and support of every voter in the district.

HOMEMAKING GIRLS TO SERVE MEXICAN SUPPER

The second year Homemaking Club of Knox City High School will prepare and serve a Mexican supper for members of the 1946 Club Monday night, Jan. 16, at 6 p.m. E. Silk, homemaking teacher, said Wednesday.

The supper will be held in the school lunchroom. Menu for the evening will be enchiladas, fritas, Spanish rice, green salad, crackers, and lime sherbet.

All members of the club were urged by the president, Mrs. C. G. Markward, to be at the luncheon by 6 p.m.

FILM TO BE SHOWN AT AUXILIARY MEETING

A film, "America the Beautiful," will be shown at a meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary Tuesday night, Jan. 17, Mrs. Ruby Robinson said this morning.

The meeting was invited to attend by Mrs. Robinson at 7 p.m.

Farm and Ranch Notes

By W. J. BRYAN
County Agent

Plans are coming along good for Knox County Junior Livestock Show which will be held Saturday, January 21, 1956.

The show will be held in Munday this year. Jack Bourlan, one of the top livestock judges of the state, will be on hand to place the classes. Mr. Bourlan is with Swift & Company of Fort Worth.

The show is expected to be one of the largest held in the county with about 185 head of lambs, 22 head of nurse fed beef steers and 15 head of fat barrows.

As many of you know, the first County Soils Testing Laboratory in the state has been established at Seymour. With the coming of irrigation and a more wide-spread use of commercial fertilizers I think this laboratory can be of great service to farmers and ranchers in our county. The soils test can't tell us when it is going

to rain, but it can tell us the exact amounts of soil nutrients we have and how much fertilizer is needed to produce a good crop under average conditions. This will greatly help to take the guess-work out of fertilizing.

Open house is being held at the laboratory on Friday, January 13, starting at 9 a.m. I think it would be of interest to all farmers to see just how the soil samples are run. Everyone is invited to attend this open house anytime Friday.

I would like very much for a carload or two of you to go with me to the opening. I plan to leave the courthouse about 8:30 a.m. and I would like for anyone interested in going to meet with me at that time.

FORMER RESIDENT TAKES PART IN ARMY EXERCISES

Pvt. Joe W. Swearingen, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Swearingen of Jayton, recently took part in cold weather exercises held by the 9th Infantry Division, 47th Regiment, in Germany.

The exercises were to train soldiers in the methods of survival in sub-zero temperatures.

The 20-year-old soldier is a former resident of Knox City and attended the Knox City schools. He entered the Army in February, 1955, and arrived overseas last August.

Charley Keek went to Ft. Worth Tuesday to be with his brother, Ernest, who was to undergo surgery Wednesday.

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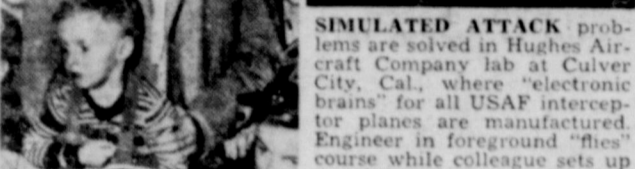
People, Spots In The News



EZRA Benson, Secretary of Agriculture, nibbles carrot from "Vegetable Queen" Beverly Bishop at Washington banquet.



JOE Murphy Jr., 2, lets his balloon float in front of Dad's face at toy window, with Moussey effect!



SIMULATED ATTACK problems are solved in Hughes Aircraft Company lab at Culver City, Cal., where "electronic brains" for all USAF intercept planes are manufactured. Engineer in foreground "flies" course while colleague sets up "conditions."



WHO DAT?—Couple of airmen at Wold-Chamberlain field, Minneapolis, chat in their new super-cold-weather parkas. They arrived just as thermometer hit seven below!

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to express our heartfelt thanks to all of you who have been so kind to us during our recent bereavement.

May God's richest blessings be with each of you.
lp The Kay Children.

Mr. and Mrs. Ken T. Edwards of Brownwood are here visiting his parents, Dr. and Mrs. T. S. Edwards.

HIGH PLAINS FARMERS OWN 1,800 MILE WATER PIPE LINE

COLLEGE STATION.—Irrigation farmers in the High Plains area of Texas are doing something about conserving water and making its use more efficient. The result is better crops.

According to a report just released by Extension Irrigation Engineer R. V. Thurmond, farmers in the Plains area have installed since 1948 a total of 9,618,082 feet of concrete pipe on their farms and ranches. Putting it another way, Thurmond says this pipe, if placed in one continuous line, would make one whale of a project. It would extend for 1,822 miles and would range in size from 12 to 18 inches in diameter. Quite an engineering feat is his way of describing the work done.

Thurmond says it's a demonstration which shows that farmers are doing something on their own to conserve and get the most efficient use from the water pumped for irrigation on their farms. The installation of an underground concrete pipe irrigation system means the elimination of water losses from ditch seepage and evaporation. Evaporation losses alone in the area range from 70 to 80 inches annually. It does away with the weed problem on ditches; makes for easier and more complete cultivation of all areas; permits tying together two or more wells which cuts labor costs and of major importance, it permits better water distributing over the entire farm.

The engineer says four commercial companies are doing the work and are to be complimented on the thorough job which they have done. They overlook no details in planning and installing the system for the farmer.

The first system was installed in 1948 and by January 1954, 4,391,218 feet of underground concrete pipe were in use. Since 1954, approximately 1,000 additional miles of installations have been made. It is expensive, says Thurmond, but its lasting qualities are very good and the savings in water, labor and better water distribution make it a paying proposition.

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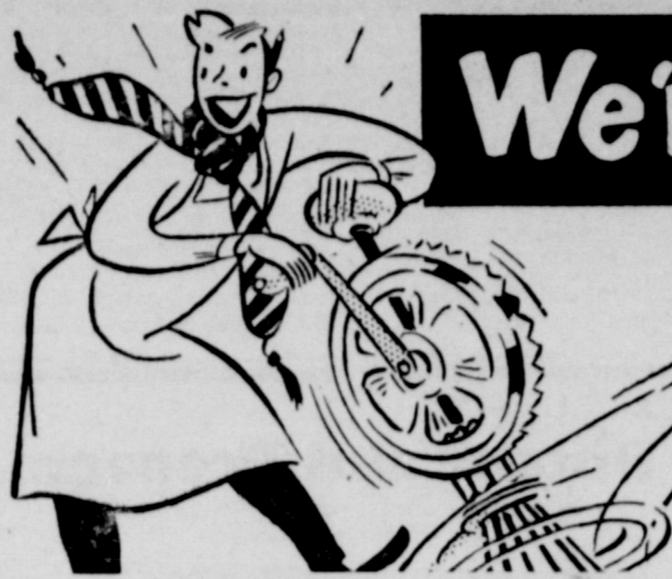
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QUART

39c

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SWEET PICKIN'S
Broccoli Cuts BOX **15c**

BEANS SWEET PICKIN'S CUT GREEN BOX **15c**

Orange Juice PICTSWEET CAN **15c**

Catfish BONELESS POUND **59c**

Perch Fish BONELESS POUND **49c**



BACON WILSON'S CORN KING TRA-PAK POUND **35c**

PICNIC HAMS DELITE READY TO EAT POUND **25c**

LIVER FRESH PORK POUND **15c**

BISCUITS BORDEN'S CAN **10c**

PORK CHOPS POUND **35c**

SAUSAGE DELITE 1 LB. CELLO. ROLL **15c**

PORK ROAST FRESH SHOULDER POUND **29c**

OLEO SWEET SIXTEEN POUND **17c**

STEAK SHORT CUT RIB POUND **39c**

T-BONE STEAKS POUND **49c**

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TRUSCOTT NEWS

TRUSCOTT, Jan. 11.—Mrs. Roy Daniels was a Vernon visitor one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Blevins spent a while Saturday visiting their son, Lee Blevins, and family in Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Tarpley spent several days this past week visiting their daughter, Mrs. Doc Abbott, and daughter Linda in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Blevins recently took Mrs. Blevins' sisters, Mrs. C. Stowers of Harriman, Tenn., and Mrs. Jim Choate of Margaret, to the home of Mrs. Choate, after they had spent several days visiting there.

Mr. and Mrs. Jackie Brown and daughter, Ruth Ann, of Electra spent Thursday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brown, and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whitaker spent Thursday night visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Devotie Hord and son in Spur.

Mrs. Ruby Hickman, Mrs. J. R. Brown, Mrs. W. O. Corder, Mrs. J. G. Adcock and Miss Mary K. Chowning attended the all-day covered dish luncheon of the Knox County Home Demonstration Council in Benjamin Friday.

Mrs. Jack Hickman, president of the Truscott Home Demonstration Club, announced that the first club meeting of the year will be Thursday, January 12, at the Community Center. All members are urged to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Macais of Hobbs, N.M., and Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Caram and family of Fort Worth spent last weekend visiting Charlie's sister, Mrs. Pete Quintana, and family and others here.

Mr. and Mrs. Farris Caddell and son, Walter, Jr., of Munday spent last weekend visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Farris Caddell.

Mrs. R. N. Cowden and Mrs. Calvin Boone of Wichita Falls spent several days this past week visiting their mother, Mrs. A. P. Smartt, and others here.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Quintana and children, Jimmy and Linda, spent the weekend visiting her mother, Mrs. A. Caram, and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Caram and family, Dan Caram and family, and Louis Caram and family in Fort Worth.

Mrs. Ed Nolan and Mrs. Pat Stephens of Benjamin, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Golden of Ft. Sill, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Dean Nolan of Guthrie spent Sunday visiting Mrs. Nolan's parents, Mr. and Mrs. A.

C. Trimble.

Mr. and Mrs. Tonie Olivera of Del Rio have announced the birth of a daughter, Saturday, Jan. 7. The announcement was received here by her sister, Mrs. Pete Quintana. Mrs. Olivera is the former Margaret Caram, former resident of this community.

Mr. and Mrs. Bryant Jones and family of Amarillo and Mr. and Mrs. Ted Wedison and children of Abernathy recently visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Jones and others here.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Blevins and daughter, Lee Ann, of Vernon spent last Sunday visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Blevins, and others here.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Carroll of Crowell spent a while here Tuesday visiting their daughter, Mrs. Marion Chowning, Jr., and family.

Doris Spivey of Abilene spent last Monday here visiting her father, Bill Stoker, and others here.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Corder and son, James, recently visited his sister, Mrs. Henry Phillips, and family in Stinnett.

Buster Laquey has recently returned to Louisiana after visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Laquey, and others here.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Jannings and children, Linda and Ann, of Hale Center spent last weekend visiting friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Haynie and children of Cisco spent last weekend visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Horace Haynie, and others here. Their daughter, Donna, re-

turned home with them after spending several days here visiting here grandparents and others.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Haynie spent last Sunday afternoon visiting their son, Warren Haynie, and family in Vivian.

Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Morton were Breckenridge visitors Sunday. Rev. Morton conducted a funeral there.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Glidwell of Truscott and their daughter, Mrs. Elmo Glasscock, and family of Dallas recently visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Onie Brummitt and family in Borger.

Rev. and Mrs. H. C. Ellis and children, Judy and Larry, recently returned home from a visit with relatives in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Smith recently visited her sister, Mrs. Seth

Woods, and husband near Guthrie. Mrs. W. W. Clark is in the hospital in Quanah at the time of this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. George Riethmayer of Margaret and their daughter, Ann, who attends Midwestern University in Wichita Falls spent last Sunday afternoon visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Chowning and Mary K.

Mrs. C. M. Guyan and Mrs. Oscar Solomon were Quanah visitors Wednesday.

Mrs. Alton Leach and daughter, Susie, of Plainview spent several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. N. Reed.

Patrol Captain Releases Accident Figures for County

Captain K. B. Hallmark, Jr., commanding officer of the Wichita Falls District of the Highway Patrol, released Knox County's Rural Traffic Accident Summary for December, 1955.

The Highway Patrol investigated a total of two accidents with the following breakdown: Two property damage, no person injury, and no fatal accidents.

Captain Hallmark reported a total property damage of \$525 with no persons injured and none

killed. This is a decrease of one accident and one death for the same period of 1954.

Patrolmen of the District contacted a total of 2126 traffic law violations during the month of December. Captain Hallmark reported that 826 of these were arrested while 1300 were warned for

violation of the state traffic laws. Speed was the leading arrest, with improper passing and no operator's license third.

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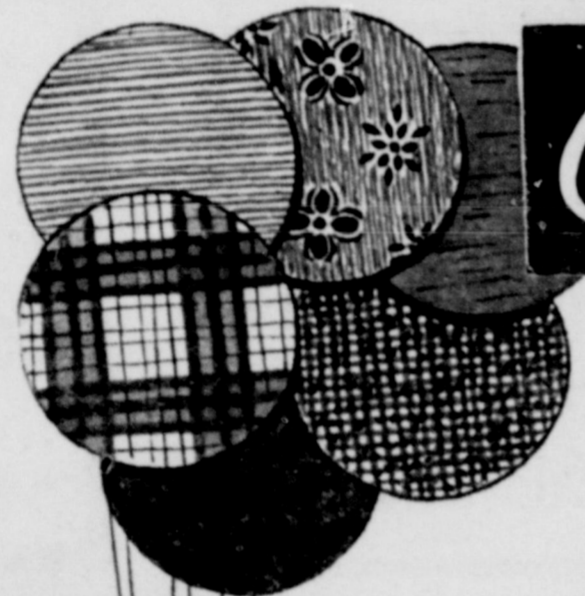
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Goggans - Jackson Vows Exchanged In Fort Worth

Miss Charlotte Goggans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Goggans of Fort Worth, and James Jackson, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Jackson of Knox City, were mar-

ried Friday, Jan. 6, at 6 p.m. at the White Settlement Baptist Church in Fort Worth.

The double ring ceremony was performed by the Rev. B. Hamilton, minister of the church. Tommy Ragand sang "Because" and "The Wedding Prayer" with Mrs. Lonny Bangs, organist, as accompanist.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She wore a white satin ballerina length dress, fashioned with a fitted bodice and a full skirt. Her elbow length veil was attached to a crown of seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of white carnations, tied with white satin ribbon, atop a white Bible.

Only attendant of the bride was Miss Jeneal Wooley. She wore a ballerina length dress of blue lace over taffeta, designed with a fitted bodice and a full skirt. She wore a wrist corsage of white carnations.

Arts Payne of Hillsboro was best man. Adrian West and R. E. Brothers acted as ushers.

The reception which followed was held in the church Fellowship Hall. Assisting with hostess duties were Mrs. Alan Ray, Miss Greta Huntman, and Wanda Maynard.

The new Mrs. Jackson is attending White Settlement High School. The bridegroom is a 1954

July to November Farm Exports Up

COLLEGE STATION.—Exports of agricultural commodities from the United States during the July-November 1955 period are estimated at \$1,300,000,000, a gain of 4 per cent over the same period for 1954.

According to the U. S. Department of Agriculture, farm exports in November are estimated at about \$275,000,000, or 11 per cent greater than the monthly average in the first quarter of the current fiscal year but 18 per cent less

graduate of Knox City High School and is now employed at Convoir in Fort Worth. The couple is at home at 8905 Jay St.

Attending the wedding from Knox City were the bridegroom's parents and his sisters, Dorothy and Betty.

than for November of 1954. The chief differences between November 1955 and the corresponding month a year earlier were the declines in exports of cotton and vegetable oils and oilseed while increases were made by grains and feeds. Exports of livestock products, tobacco and fruits and vegetables did not change significantly.

Cotton exports, although aided by sales of foreign currencies, still were less than half as great in the 1955 July-November period as in the corresponding months of 1954. There was a slight increase in wheat and flour exports, and feed grain shipments abroad continued to advance.

Sales to Japan for that country's currency stimulated rice exports in the July-November period. Soybean exports were much higher than a year earlier, and favorable prices encouraged lard shipments abroad.

REA Borrowers Use More Current With Prices Down

COLLEGE STATION.—For the first time in the history of the 20-year-old REA program, the average cost of power to residential consumers, including farm and non-farm, dropped over three cents per kilowatt-hour. In a year-end summary of the REA, a U. S. Department of Agriculture report shows that the sale of electric energy went up 16 per cent and the cost to consumers dropped 5 per cent during 1955.

The REA-financed system sold an estimated 19 billion kilowatt-hours of electricity. Their generation of power was up 21 per cent and purchases of wholesale power were up 13 per cent.

At the year's end there were 1,026 borrowers with systems in operation. They were serving 4,244,000 rural consumers.

Ancher Nelsen, REA administrator, said the borrowers, largely farmer-owned electric cooperatives, were never in better financial condition. In 1955 revenues from operations amounted to \$453 million, an 11 per cent increase over 1954. Net margins from operations amounted to \$61.8 million, a 41 per cent increase. Too, Nelsen reported a drop of 25 per cent in the number of borrowers whose current operations might be considered financially unsatisfactory, from 194 in June 1954 to 143 in

June 1955. In 1955 the systems paid \$11.1 million in principal and interest on their 2 per cent loans and continued their excellent repayment record. In 1955 the borrower also increased their advance repayment of borrowed money by \$13.1 million. Payments on principal ahead of schedule now amount to \$91.8 million. Loans over the life of the program now total \$3.1 billion. Of this amount \$2.6 billion has been advanced to the borrowers.

W. M. S. CIRCLE MEETS

The Jaie Short Circle of the Baptist W. M. S., of the Need more community, met in the home of Mrs. Joe Williams Monday afternoon at 2 p.m.

Mrs. Paris Keller gave a very interesting lesson on the Lord's Prayer.

Refreshments were served to six members and one visitor.

Earl Hutchinson, who is in the navy and stationed in Norfolk, Va., is here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Salem Hutchinson.



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The Junior Girls' Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church met in a regular meeting January 2. The following officers and committee chairmen were elected:
President, Earlene Lewis; vice-president, Nellie Reyes; secretary-treasurer, Annette Warren; program, Anita Poteet; stewardship, Carol Collins; social and room, Wynette Tankersley.
Membership, Kay Reeves and Beatrice Reyes; community missions, Lee Collins; publicity, Carroll Tankersley; mission study, Cheryl Melvin; music, Claudia Reed; forward steps, Frances War-

ren; and library, Judy Meinzer.
Carroll Tankersley presided during the business and Wynette Tankersley read the minutes. After the hymn, "We've a Story to Tell to the Nations," led by Carol Collins, the watchword and allegiance were given.
Claudia Reed led in prayer before the program, "Freely Give," which was a lesson on stewardship. Annette Warren dismissed with prayer. Refreshments were served to the following:
Carroll Tankersley, Wynette Tankersley, Annette Warren, Earlene Lewis, Anita Poteet, Carol and Lee Collins, Beatrice Reyes, Kay Reyes, Cheryl Melvin, Judy Meinzer, Frances Warren and Claudia Reed.
Visitors present were Phyllis Tankersley and Linda Reed and leaders were Mrs. Lynn Tankersley and Mrs. Claud Reed.

O'Brien News

O'BRIEN, Jan. 10. — Mr. and Mrs. Ted Waller and son and Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Johnston of Wichita Falls spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. R. I. Walsworth.
Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Johnston spent Tuesday in Abilene.
Mrs. Earnest O'Neal spent a few days with her daughter, Mrs. Jackie Tabor, and family in Fort Worth.

Mrs. H. A. Barnard spent several days this week in Abilene with her daughter, Mrs. Odie Frazier, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray V. Stark and daughters were in Austin last week.

Mrs. D. S. Gothard and Mrs. W. W. Hines attended the McMurry and TWC football game in Abilene Tuesday night.

The Jewel Lunsford Circle of the Baptist WMS, met in the home of Mrs. Bill Johnston Monday afternoon for Bible study. Mrs. R. M. Johnston gave the study. Those present were Mrs. C. M. Walsworth, Mrs. J. E. Stanfield, Mrs. D. T. Elmore, Mrs. Jim Roberson, Mrs. J. L. Grindstaff, Sr., Mrs. Earnest O'Neal, Mrs. E. C. King and Mrs. M. M. Griffin.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Bouchee of Ackery spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Barnard, Sr.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Force were in Abilene Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl J. Marshall of Hale Center spent the weekend with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Stephens and Mr. and Mrs. Guy Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Murray and son of Plainview spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Ellis, and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Derwin Lancaster spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Manning. The couple is living in Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Jones and family of Guyman, Okla., spent several days with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones.

Mr. and Mrs. J. S. McBeth of Hale Center, former Knox City residents, visited friends here Wednesday.

HERE TO ATTEND FUNERAL FOR MRS. JOHN DARR

Among the out-of-town relatives and friends who were in Knox City Tuesday to attend funeral services for Mrs. John Darr were:

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Snow of Abilene, J. W. Clary of Paducah, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Scott, Earl Scott, Wesley Scott and Billy Fuller, all of Ft. Worth.

L. D. Fuller of Covington, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Darr of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Freeman of Matador, Mr. and Mrs. Q. Canon, Bill Heatley, Carroll Robertson, Ted Grayum, Wylie Boyle, C. L. Wright, all of Paducah, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Lightfoot, Reba Lightfoot Treadwell, and Mrs. Henry Lightfoot, all of Lubbock.

J. F. Powell of Paducah, Mrs. Dewey Darden of Lubbock, Mrs. Bob Scott of Ft. Worth, Walter Darr of Ft. Worth, Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Watkins of Arlington, Mrs. Lewis A. Smith of Ft. Worth, and Mr. and Mrs. Irving Lee Bush, Jr., of Wichita Falls.

SCHOOL LUNCHROOM MENU

Menus at the Knox City School lunchroom for the week beginning Monday, Jan. 16, will be as follows:

Monday: Open barbecue sandwiches, buttered potatoes, cabbage, green pepper-onion salad, fruit cobbler, milk.

Tuesday: Meat balls and spaghetti in tomato sauce, spinach, vegetables, salad, stewed fruit, rolls, butter, milk.

Wednesday: Beef and vegetable soup, toasted sandwiches, tossed salad, pineapple-rice pudding, milk.

Thursday: Frito pie, green beans, carrot sticks, fruit jello, whole wheat bread, butter, milk.

Friday: Flaked fish salad, creamed English peas, cole slaw, hot biscuits, butter, milk.

Mrs. O. T. McElroy is a patient in Baylor Hospital undergoing extensive medical examinations. She was transferred from the Knox County Hospital to the Dallas hospital last Saturday. In Dallas with her are her husband and son, O. T., Jr., and daughter, Mrs. Oliver King.

Delta Kappa Gamma Meets at Old Glory

"Teaching Can Be Fun" was the program theme presented to members of Beta Chi Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma Saturday.
The meeting was held in Old Glory. The program was under the direction of Mrs. Artie Mae Burkett of Haskell and presented by pupils from the Weinert, Haskell and Aspermont schools.

Attending from Knox City were Mrs. E. F. Branton, Mrs. B. B. Campbell, Mrs. E. R. Carpenter, Mrs. Ulric Lea and Mrs. Ottis Cash.



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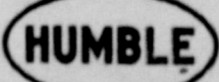
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By M. C. Stone, Correspondent

WICHITA, Jan. 8.—Guests last week of Mr. and Mrs. Joel ... and Frank were her par ... and Mrs. E. L. Morgan ...
and Mrs. Charles Jones of ... were weekend guests ... and Mrs. Walter Trainham ...
and Mrs. Bill Cummings ...

and daughter of Guymon, Okla., spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Young, and Butch.
Olga Bivins, Katherine Hertel, and Doris Stone were in Wichita Falls last Tuesday.
Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Dave Crenshaw and Billy were Mr. and Mrs. Freddie Crenshaw and family of Matador.
Pfc. Billy Ray Golden and Mrs. Golden of Fort Sill, Okla., spent last weekend with their parents.
Vernon Benson, Dutch Benson

and Rufus Benson were in Wichita Falls on business Saturday.
Merick McGaughy was in Austin during the weekend attending a school Administrator's Advisory Conference.
Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Benson of Seymour spent Sunday afternoon with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Benson, and family.
Mrs. Leon Bivins was in Houston Friday and Saturday to attend the funeral of her brother, Grover G. Goodrich, who died in a Houston hospital.
Mr. and Mrs. Bryce Dobbs of Dallas spent Sunday with Mrs. T. B. Dobbs and Dorothy.
Weekend guests of Mr. and Mrs. Willard Kilgore included Mr. and Mrs. Bill Morgan of Megargel, Floyd and Glenn Draper and Mrs. Woody Roberts, all of Goree.
Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Tipton and Polly visited Sammy Tipton in Guthrie Saturday.

Mrs. E. L. Howard of Whitharrel is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. John Dutton.

Farmers Must Pay Social Security Tax Before April 15, 1956

Self-employed farmers and ranchers can become eligible for insurance benefits under the social security law by mid-1956 if they have earned as much as \$400 from farming in both calendar years 1955 and 1956. A. B. Wooten, extension economist, reminds Texas farm operators.

Along with this goes the responsibility to report earnings from farming and pay the 3 per cent social security tax not later than April 15, 1956. The Social Security Administration has suggested that payments be made as early as possible after January 1.

The form for making a report and remitting the required tax for social security insurance (Schedule SE) comes with the Federal Income Tax Return, Form 1040. If your net earnings from farming were as much as \$400 in 1955, you are obliged to fill out and file this return and pay the social security tax, according to Wooten, even if you do not owe any Federal income tax for 1955.

Older farmers—those 65 or over—can retire after mid 1956 and start getting monthly old-age insurance payments if they have met the earnings requirements and paid their tax. Other farmers, regardless of age, will acquire family protection in the form of monthly payments to surviving dependents in the event of their death, provided they meet the same requirements.

In either case, the payment of the social security tax must accompany your income tax declaration or return. This responsibility is required by law.

Further information on social security taxes may be obtained at your nearest Internal Revenue Service office or from the local county agent. Information about benefits can be obtained from your social security district office. If you do not know where these offices are, your postmaster can tell you, says Wooten.

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By Ozeile Stephens

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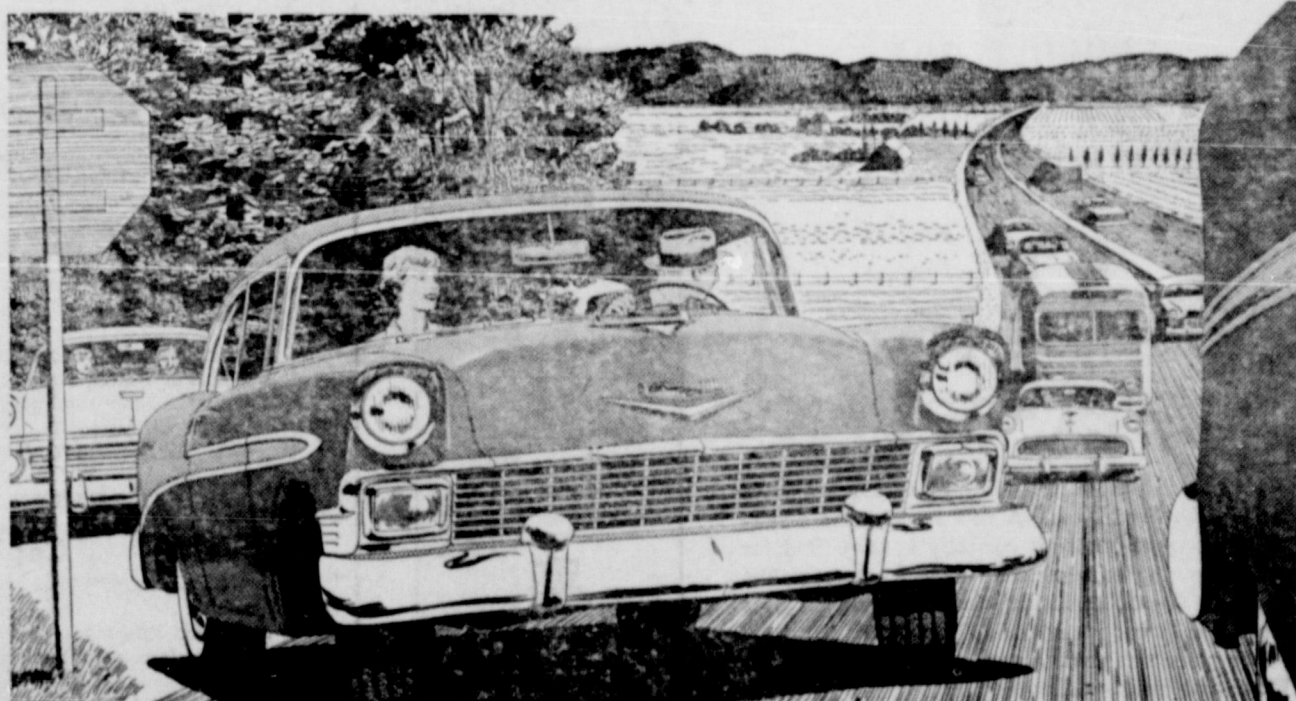
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Mrs. Mattie Leola Finley, Guardian of the Estate of Wilbert Lee Finley, a minor, having filed in our County Court her Final Account of the condition of the Estate of said Wilbert Lee Finley, numbered 737 on the Probate Docket of Knox County, together with an application to be discharged from said Guardianship. You are hereby commanded, that by publication of this Writ one time and said publication shall be not less than ten days before the return day hereof, in a newspaper printed in the County of Knox, you give due notice to all persons interested in the Account for Final Settlement of said Estate, to appear and contest the same if they see proper so to do, on Monday, the 23rd day of January, A.D. 1956, at the Court House of said County, in Benjamin, Texas, when said Account and Application will be acted upon by said Court.

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Assets	
Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	\$ 793,991.84
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	380,000.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	26,734.00
Corporate Stocks (Federal Reserve Bank)	3,000.00
Loans and discounts (Incl. \$38,149.08 overdrafts)	1,833,923.25
Bank premises owned \$48,750.00, furniture and fixtures \$13,500.00	62,250.00
TOTAL ASSETS	\$3,099,899.09
Liabilities	
Demand deposits of individuals, etc.	\$2,718,821.82
Deposits of United States Government	14,226.53
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	158,176.82
Other Deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	34,273.97
TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$2,925,499.14
TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$2,925,499.14
Capital Accounts	
Capital (Common Stock)	\$ 50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided Profits	59,399.95
Reserves (and retirement account)	15,000.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	174,399.95
TOTAL LIABILITIES and Capital Accounts	\$3,099,899.09
Memoranda	
Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes	\$ 175,000.00
I, G. W. Coats, Cashier of the above-named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.	
G. W. COATS	
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