

NEW TRANSFORMERS for the new REA substation which is being installed north-east of town have arrived. The transformer, above, is being unloaded from a flat car onto trucks which will take it to the substation location.



HEREFORD VOLLEY BALL TEAM are shown above just before one of their games. Shown above are from left: Lois Thomas, Ardella Ferich, Novalyn Wiggins, Davene Palmer, Helen Hanagan, Mary Frances Rogers, (number 6) and Peggy Tisdale. Photo by Mrs. Charlotte Calvert.

## Whitefaces Down Plainview Here in Volley Ball Games

By Shelby Whitfield

Hereford fought from behind in both the B and A games in volley ball Thursday night to take both titles.

The A team lost the first match 15-6 but took the next two 15-4, 15-8. The B team lost their first tilt 15-5 but also took the next matches 15-7, 15-7.

The games were played in Shirley gym.

The Plainview team looked like sure victors in the first matches but wilted under the consistent team work of Mrs. Charlotte Calvert's squads.

It was very evident that Plainview had the best material with McClanahan, Reece and Miller be-

ing tall spikers but their drivers missed the range too often and were into the net many times.

It was strictly a team victory for Hereford as all of the team girls are rather short but they would never say quit.

The Hereford sextette are well coached and surely had desire to win.

### Progressive News

V. E. Dodson and P. L. Carmichael attended a water meeting recently in Olton.

Ivey Thompson of Olton visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester English Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Ricketts called on Mr. and Mrs. A. Lowther and Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Witherspoon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Parsons attended the ball games in Lubbock Friday and Saturday.

Mrs. V. E. Dodson, Mrs. Jack Dean, Mrs. I. W. Scott and Mrs. Ira Ricketts attended a gift party and birthday dinner Monday in the home of Mrs. Jim Ricketts. The dinner was honoring Mrs. Ray Hershey, mother of Mrs. Jim Ricketts, who was celebrating her 78th birthday.

### Slight Damage In Car Smash

About \$51 damage was estimated in an accident Wednesday morning at 7:58 in the 100 block of East Fifth Street.

William H. Patton, who was driving a 1952 Plymouth station-wagon was backing off Fifth street and Lewis Clyde McIntosh, driving a 1948 Ford, was making a left turn onto Fifth from Main street and was straddling the middle line.

Damage to the Patton auto was set at \$1 and to the McIntosh car at \$50.

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Tenderleaf TEA BALLS

48 Count Box

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39c

WEINERS

1 Lb. Cello Pkg.

29<sup>c</sup>

Fresh

Pork Liver

lb.

29<sup>c</sup>

Beef, Lean

Short Ribs

lb.

29<sup>c</sup>

Small Cuts

Salt Pork

lb.

29<sup>c</sup>

Krafts Pimento Cream

Cheese

5 oz. Glass Ea.

29<sup>c</sup>

South Texas

Radishes 2 bu. 5<sup>c</sup>

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Potatoes 2 lb. 15<sup>c</sup>

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Green Beans lb. 26<sup>c</sup>

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100 Cnt. Per Bunch

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Giant Box

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WHITE KING

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Furniture Polish. Giant \$1.75 Size \$1.39

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### Hereford Couple Marks 57th Wedding Anniversary Sunday

Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Williams marked their 57th wedding anniversary Sunday with an open house held at their home.

Both are native Texans. She was Miss Alice Hamilton who was born and reared in Travis County. Mr. Williams was born in Hill County in 1875 and moved to Austin at the age of twenty, and it was there that he met his bride. They came to Deaf Smith County in 1925 from Eastland and operated a farm near Bootleg for twenty years before moving to Hereford.

The couple has seven children, seven grandchildren and three great-grandchildren. Four of the children attended the celebration honoring the couple Sunday. They were Jim A. Williams of Clovis, N. M.; Mrs. Buster Coffey, Pampa; Hobby Williams and Mrs. P. L. Burrell, both of Hereford.

Two daughters, Mrs. L. E. Ware of Littlefield and Mrs. D. E. Holder of Ranger, and a son, V. A. Williams of Amarillo, were unable to attend the anniversary affair.



### REA Adds Sub-Station Northeast To Handle Irrigation Well Load

A new REA substation will go into operation around April 15, according to Leo Forrest, manager.

The sub-station, which is located six and a half miles north of the present substation on the Amarillo highway, is being installed to try to furnish enough power for the many irrigation wells in the area, Forrest said.

The new plant will be 7500 KVA where the present one is only 3000 KVA.

The transmission line between the two substations is scheduled to be finished in the next 10 days.

At the present time the Southwestern Public Service station in Hereford is not able to furnish the power for the REA that will be needed to run the wells. However, plans are in the making for a new interchange bank in Hereford

which would double the capacity of the Hereford bank. The interchange should be completed in 1954 according to present plans.

### Next Voice...

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"Seeds of Destruction," a road show which ordinarily screens at extra prices, will be second in the free show series and will be presented on April 21. This film is based upon Communism vs. the Church.

"If you have not seen 'The Next Voice I Hear' you will certainly want to see it at our guest," Mr. Hardwick said. "If you have seen it, you are invited to see it again. Remember, everyone comes to the show free next Tuesday, and we hope you enjoy it."

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Draper and Mrs. E. M. Hix of Wellington returned from Lubbock Sunday afternoon after visiting with Mrs. Draper's cousin, Miss LaVerne Hayhurst, whose mother and brother were buried Friday.

Mrs. Blanche Wymore of Ardmore, Okla. is visiting her sister, Jenny Thompson.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Boardman spent the week-end in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Ken Keeton.

A walrus' whiskers are pieces of cartilage, and not hairs.

The Klondike gold rush took place in 1896.

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YARD AND GARDEN WORK Have new rototiller, pulverizer tractor. Phone 953-W, John W. Vines. B-11-14-13-p

### 8. HELP WANTED

WANTED: Dental Assistant. Must be High School graduate under 30 years of age. Apply in person at Dr. Barnett's office at Hereford Clinic Dr. J. W. Barnett. Phone 1610. B-8-29-36-tfc

### 10. NOTICE

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### 11. Business Services

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<b>Palmolive</b> 3 Reg. Bars Toilet Soap	23c	<b>VEL</b> AJAX 2 Cans Laundry Soap	74c 23c
<b>Palmolive</b> 2 Bath Bars Toilet Soap - 3 Reg. Bars	23c	<b>Crystal White</b> 3 Bars Toilet Soap - 2 Reg. Bars	23c
<b>Cashmere Bouquet</b> Toilet Soap - 2 Bath Bars	23c	<b>Vel Beauty Bar</b>	35c
<b>Daricraft MILK</b> Baby Food Cereal	3 Tall Cans	<b>GERBERS</b> Ocean Spray - Delicious with Chicken	Pkg. 17c
<b>CRANBERRY SAUCE</b> Colored Quarters Oleomargarine	Tall Can	<b>ALL SWEET</b>	23c 2 Lbs. 39c

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Additional Classifieds On  
Page Three

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meets each  
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**Veterans of Foreign Wars**  
Meets Every  
Thurs. 8 P.M.  
V. F. W. CLUB HOUSE

**Read The Classifieds**

Kiwanis Club  
Thurs. Noon  
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**NOTICE OF MEETING**  
ODD FELLOWS  
Each Monday Night  
REBEKAHS  
Each Tuesday Night

Stated meeting second Monday in each month. School of instruction each Thursday night.  
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MASONIC BULLETIN  
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<b>STARLAC, Dry Milk</b> 29c Bordens, Makes 3 Quarts	<b>PORK &amp; BEANS</b> 3 For 19c White Swan, 1 Lb. Can
<b>INSTANT Lge. Box</b> 21c Niagara Laundry Starch	<b>GRAPEFRUIT JUICE</b> 19c Val Tex 46 oz. Can
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By JIMMIE GILLENTE

(Editor's note: It seems that our guest columnist, Walter Winchell Close, is looking forward to being grandpop and, among other things, he has the investment bug, but bad. However, he did a bang-up job with the column — as you will see.)

By HAROLD CLOSE  
One never knows what is going to happen next, especially when Jimmie asks some one like me to write a bull column, I am going to see to it that Buz gets a hammer some morning and goes into Jimmie's bed room and wakes him up. He sure will then have a few more knots on his head.

I still enjoy dropping in the old store, now the McDowell Drug Store, just to see if all the old gang are still around. Sure enough, I can still find Louis Woodford and Bill Cocanougher and a few others still there, so I am happy. Quite a time after Charlotte and I sold out several kept asking Charlotte what we were going to do and particular they kept asking where we were going. On one occasion some one said "I suppose every one is telling you where to go," Charlotte remarked, "No I am telling them." Anyway, it was all in fun.

Forecast 1953  
Inflation will continue. Mutual Funds will become more popular.

Plenty of rain for April. Labor pay will go up too. Mutual Funds will become more popular. Buy now. Things won't get any cheaper.

Those who are afraid of the future just remember the 30's; we whipped them!  
Americanism will surely grow, faster.

Backseat driving has got to stop I am tired of being told that there is a stop sign two miles away.

To many of us, Alex Bateman is a very good friend and right now he is a very sick man, and may not ever recover. I suspect Alex gave away more than a lot of us will ever have; maybe not materially, but in friendship and many other ways. He certainly trusted everyone he knew as a friend as good or better than himself; maybe that was a mistake for him, but I believe that we all would be better off if more of us could have his philosophy.

With all the strides made in transportation, its very plain that man's next challenge is the conquest of space. Parking space that is in Hereford.

In my new business I get this question asked quite frequently WHAT about the future? when will we have the "inevitable deflation" or depression; won't we then go back to something like the pre-1929-1932? That question can be answered in the light of the profound changes that have been brought over the past 20 years. In the last 20 years the Welfare State has strengthened the floors and yanked the ceiling skyward. Wage rates are more dependent upon union demand and governmental decisions than the free play of competition. Credit and loan policies of banks are virtually set by governmental decisions and regulations, so our whole process of doing business is entirely different than it was 20 years ago. The whole thrust of government has shifted from an attempt to maintain a state of relative balance to one of further festering the material well-being of the citizen. This may be good, it may be bad. What is important is that business confronted with investment problems see clearly and realize what is going on. No Automobile, radio, or refrigerator manufacturer would think of attempting to make a 1929 model in 1953. Investment concepts of 1929 may be even more outmoded today, so without population increasing \$2 million a year and our ability to produce things, we can't have too much to worry about.

Who said the cost of living was going down, cigarets have gone up one or two cents, beef has gone down several cents — but who can smoke beef.

I was just reading in the wall street journal today that the tourist season will be the greatest and largest ever. You guys that want to go fishing, let's organize and get off to an early start, you know the ones who get there firstes might get the mostes. Just check with Jack Kirksey. He's got all the best holes located in Colorado, he says.

Hereford is still growing. We all know that, and more and more people are eating down town, out side of one or two places down town all or most of the restaurants are down on the highway. I don't see why someone doesn't put in a real nice cafeteria, maybe old Ike Crosthwait should think about going back into business.

I am going to get Clara to check Jimmie's spelling, too, and teach him how to spell (worthwhile). I can spell alright but this type-writer won't sometimes.

My chest is way out these days and I sure don't want Bill Davis, Cliff Acker, or Oscar Easley or John Pitman or any one else yapping to me about not being a Grandpa. As things stand right now I sure will be one July. Jim French and I should flip coins to see who will name it. Because I am sure it will be a boy. Sure will be nice to have something to spoil besides Charlotte. I think it's going to be real nice to be a grandpa but it's going to be hell to live with a Grandma.

I understand that Hereford and the Chamber of Commerce have a problem and that is regarding colored people wanting to live in Hereford and buy lots and build homes. From a Christian point of view, this should not be too hard to handle, but sometimes I think that it's very easy to be a good Christian as long as the responsibility does not hit too close to ones' self. Here might be a chance for Hereford to show the world it's Christian

Believe it or not?  
Perhaps Ripley overlooked this belief towards Race, Color or fact, but can you afford to? According to information released by the social Security Administration out of every 100 Americans now 65 or older: 34 are still working, 18 are supported by pensions, 22 by public assistance, 17 by private assistance; and ONLY 9 out of 100 find support as income from their own investments.

For Sunday we have drafted a new-comer, Neil Cooper. Neil heads from Canyon, McLean—and has a lot of bright ideas. Maybe he will solve some of our problems. Regardless, though, it won't be long before he appears on the city commission or school board, etc.

He's that kind of guy. He has all the makings of a good citizen.

# CHIP SHOTS

By Bud Posey

A bunch of golfers, who retired from the game of golf last fall are beginning to show up at the local course again. Among this group we see the "Ole City Champ" Don Martin, who shot a nice even par 36 last Saturday, March 7, 1953; Jim Garner, from the local school system; John McCleskey, the cotton gin manager; Francis Hardwick, the theatre manager; Raylan Evans and Bruce Wooddell. Golfers, who work until 6 p.m. also came out during last week's mild

weather about 6 and rushed around to get in six or seven holes before dark. Among these were: Sam Prather, Ray Hardy, Loyd Neill, and Dale Tinnin. Better watch this boy, Sam Prather, who works for Dale Tinnin at Hereford Parts company. He has the ability and with a little practice, he is surely going to make J. M. Posey, Stan Barrett, Don Martin, Frank Cogdell, Urlin Streu, J.A. Pitman, Dr. Channer, Dr. Lingeneffer and some of the other better golfers hustle to beat him this summer.

Wayne Phillips, the long hitting artist, from McCaslin Lumber

company has a new set of these Kenneth Smith woods that are so popular and believe me, he can knock that ball out of sight with them. I thought I was a fairly long knocker, but recently while playing with old Phillips, I was 30 to 50 yards behind him on every drive.

Earl Stagner has a new set of woods, Spaulding Top Flite woods, thanks to the fine set of books he keeps for Stagner, Davis, Phillips, Anderson and Nunn.

Several ladies have been playing lately. Some of these were: Lucille Poscy, Helen Ann McWhorter, Sybil Nell Gilbreath, Mrs. Teresa Lamm and daughter, Mrs. Maynard Buck, and Rowena Poscy.

We expect to have a lot of ladies this summer on the course and will have a regular ladies' day every week. Remember ladies, if you don't take up golf this summer you will probably sit at home and

be a "golf widow."  
We have a new young fellow, 63 years of age, working at the course now. His name is Ernest Pellam and he has been busy planting trees around the tee boxes and putting green so that, we will have some shade to sit under while we wait for the golfers in front of us to move on so we can shoot our next shot.

Our spring and summer stock of golf bags, golf clubs, caps, club covers and balls are beginning to arrive in order to trade or to sell new golfers and old a little equipment. We also have some good used clubs for sale and nice new junior sets for the kiddies 8 to 14 years old.

We have a new board of directors elected a week ago. Earl Hendricks is the president for another year, Bill Waldrep is our new vice-president; N. M. Cogdell is secretary for another year; Stan

Barrett is new grounds and green chairman; Urlin Streu is still the club house chairman; Dale Tinnin, the new tournament chairman; Harold Close, the publicity chairman and W. W. Gilbreath, admission chairman again for another year.

Retiring directors were: Dr. J.H. Channer, Deward Roberson, Raylan Evans and Dub Reeves. I know the new board will accomplish just as much and more than the old board. It was certainly a pleasure to work under the old board and receive the cooperation that they gave me.

The state of Venus de Milo can be seen at the Louvre in Paris.

Calamity Jane's real name was Jang Burke.

John Adams was America's first minister to England.

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# Deaf Smith Played Important Role In History

(Editor's note)

History records that 3 million acres of Northwest Texas were traded for the present Capitol Building of Texas. Few people today, however, stop to realize that a fair portion of this tract came out of Deaf Smith County — and that many of the old timers they see about the streets of Hereford once worked on the famous XIT ranch. C. R. Smith, for instance, was foreman of the Escarbada division. The following article, appeared in the Kansas City Star in 1937, and was made available to The Brand by Bob Higgins, another Hereford man who worked for XIT.)

out of the shifting scene. The final story isn't finished, for beef prices still vary for the ranchers, drought has harassed the farmers and affects the townspeople, oil has enriched part of the Panhandle and is being sought in the remaining ranch acres, and agricultural irrigation is in an experimental stage.

At any rate, the XIT as a cattle syndicate makes one of the colorful stories of the West, and not a very old story at that. It began only a little more than fifty years ago. It is well-known contemporary economic history and tableau. Huge Texas still is building.

The Longhorn state was land poor, when, in the late '70s its legislature voted to swap almost a third of its Panhandle for the building of a much-needed capitol at Austin. Few of the solons "down in the skillet" of the then 30-year-old state knew much about its northwest corner. The western third of the "handle" was generally regarded as arid, a high plateau never touched by plow or fence, and, only a few years before, the "veldt" of the buffalo and nomadic Indian.

Antelope and coyotes ranged the sage brush, mesquite and the grama, buffalo and bunch grass plains. In 1841 the first white man, Coronado, traveled there, seeking the myth of Quivira, city of gold, for his Spanish king. About two and one-half centuries later France claimed the area, and after the Louisiana Purchase Spain reasserted its claim to territory including the present Panhandle. Later, American settlers helped fight the border war that ended in the establishment of Texas territory and, in 1848, of Texas state.

**Mexicans Bring the Longhorns**  
Meanwhile Mexican settlers with longhorn Spanish cattle had made a pastoral land of the pre-Panhandle. These rancheros had named the region Los Llanos Estacados (the Staked Plains), to be safely traversed in dry seasons only by following routes staked by early traders and hunters between watering places as much as fifty miles apart.

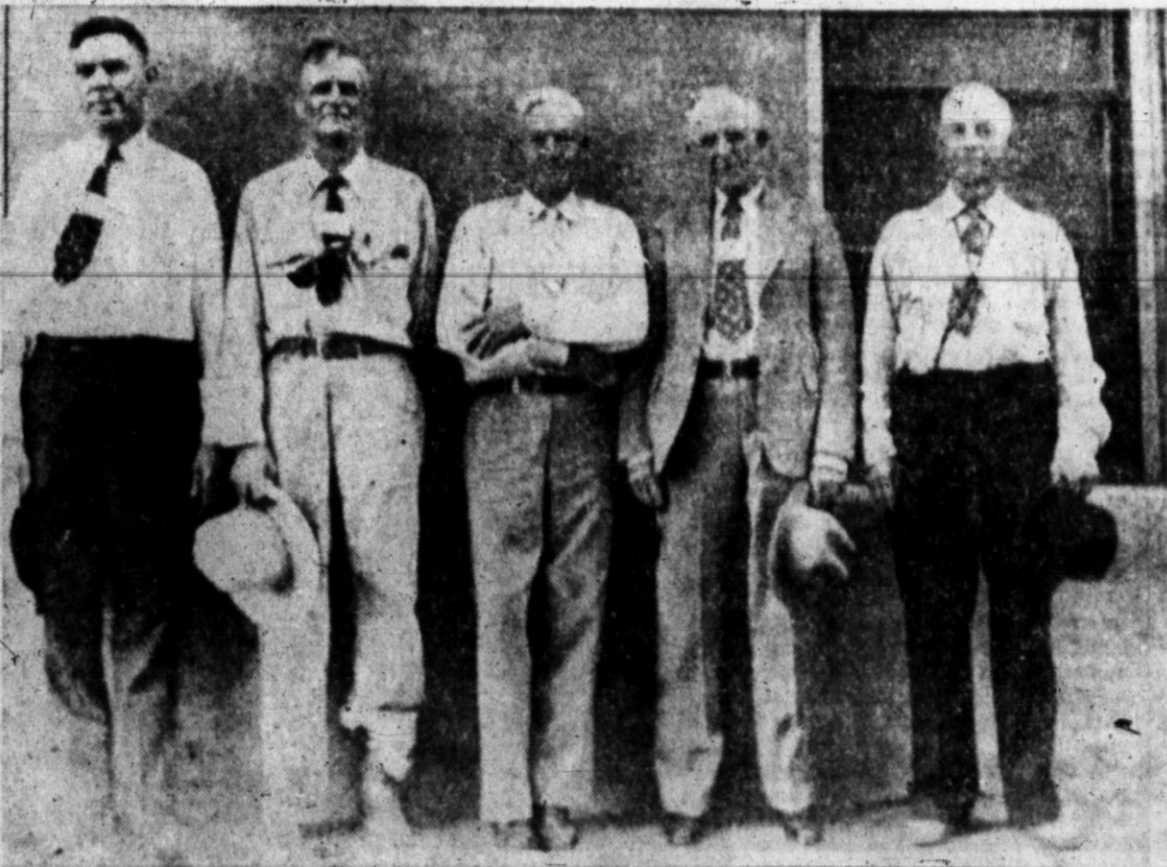
DALHART, TEX., Aug. 15, 1937 — In a nutshell, this is the story of the famed XIT ranch, which Texas swapped for a state capitol building.

Late in the '80s a 3-million-acre strip of Northwest Texas developed into the biggest cow ranch and fenced range in the world. For fifteen years it annually grazed, sorted and "graded up" longhorn herds averaging 150,000 head, and kept its acreage staff of 150 cowboys. Early in the 1900's, it began selling huge parcels of its land to ranchers, and in later years sold farms of 1,000 acres or more to thousands of settlers. By 1912, it had ceased being a cattle ranch. Now the ranch has about 400,000 acres and continues their liquidation.

These are the rough figures, and merely suggest the wealth of human drama, the romance of the range, which was celebrated by the Panhandle community here last week at the 2-day reunion of former XIT cowboys.

Economically considered, only one sure thing remains after all the fascinating angles of the XIT venture are told. That is the Panhandle itself, and the sun, wind and rain that still service it. The same stars under which the XIT punchers watched the herds on its vast plains years ago, still shine of nights on the changing grasslands. Nature alone has remained a fairly constant factor.

**As the Drama Continues**  
All the things money and men did to the ranch have had variable results. Who won and lost — the ranch capitalists, the state of Texas, the cowboys who handled the cattle, the railroads that penetrated the area, the towns that flourished beside the steel tracks, the civilization built out of a new country — is hard to determine permanently.



FORMER XIT DIVISION Foremen: C. R. Smith of Hereford, Ray Tisdale of Coleman, Ely Moore, Iorie, N. M., J. F. Yearwood, Georgelown and Gene Elliston, Dalhart.

be developed.

Young Texas peopled settlers and money, however, and eastern and British capital was willing to risk investment on the expanding frontier. Two Illinois brothers, John V. Farwell and Senator Charles B. Farwell, who had done well in the wholesale dry goods business in Chicago, being predecessors and once partners in the Marshall Field & Co. firm were the chief capitalists behind the offer to build a capitol in exchange for a chunk of Texas public lands. Associated with them were Col. A. C. Babcock of Canton, Ill., and Col. Abner Taylor of Chicago.

Here it may be said that out of the swap Texas got a 3 1/2 million-dollar capitol of native red granite, taller than the capitol at Washington and second only to it in floor size among American statehouses. It was not the only Texas swap. By other land sales the state established its public school system, state university and a generous homestead policy.

The ranch cost the capitalists about \$1.07 an acre, which J. E. Yettis Haley, young author of "The XIT

Ranch of Texas," says was a good deal for about Texas and the Farwell troupe. Haley, now manager of an Arizona ranch, has written the only complete story of XIT's cattle days and the life of its cowboys, and much of this account is based on it.

**British Aided Americans**

For financing the capitol construction and stocking the ranch the Farwells formed the Capitol Freehold Land and Investment company, a trust syndicate, which enrolled among its directors an English earl, a marquis, a lord, a member of the British parliament and several London and Scottish bankers, as well as several New York bankers. Ownership and management were always in American hands, but, understandably enough, the XIT became known as an English ranch — a distinction that had its drawbacks. According to Samuel H. Roberts, present XIT land commissioner at Dalhart, the ranch's long fight against cattle thefts was not helped by the common report that this beef empire was "a foreign corporation." It developed that the nemesis of profits to the XIT were continued cattle losses, and the unwieldy nature of the great strip 210 miles long and averaging about twenty-five miles wide.

Last week a historical fete at the Dalhart celebration was named "Ten Counties in Texas," the popularly accepted meaning of the brand XIT. True, the ranch did include all or parts of ten counties. But the brand was not intended to suggest that by its originator, Al Blocker, who in 1885 delivered the first herd of cattle to the new ranch from Southern Texas. The "Ten In Texas" since read from the initials was just a pat coincidence.

"All that Blocker was thinking about," Author Haley says, "was a brand easy to put on (with a single straight bar held at different angles), and hard for rustlers to alter by burning over."

The XIT was also known for years as the "Capitol reservation," and cowboys spoke of hiring out to the "syndicate." After the capitol deal was agreed upon, Colonel Babcock set out in the spring of 1882 to inspect the ranch lands, none of which he or the Farwells ever had seen. Then began one of the oddest legal incidents in XIT

annals, one which did not reach a conclusion until almost forty years later.

The colonel traveled in a 4-mile ambulance, with a riding crew of 10 men. He aimed to find the northwest corner of the state and start south from it, measuring distance by revolutions of a tagged wagon wheel. Thus he hoped to be able to tell when he had gone 210 miles south, to that extremity of the unsurveyed ranch.

None of the crew had penetrated the district before, and at times the outfit lost in the vast expanses set its course by the stars. The colonel was very impatient, but there was nothing he could do. He had brought along a trunk full of canned meat, chicken, cheese and crackers and for weeks disdained the camp fare of sour dough biscuits, beans and coffee prepared for the crew by a Mexican cook. He had his meals served alone at a table in a tent set up for him at stops.

When the outfit finally reached what was marked in a 1859 survey as the corner of the state, a check proved the survey mark was about three miles east of a meridian line set as the west boundary. The colonel naturally decided he would use the meridian line, since it would make the ranch substantially larger than if the 1859 survey mark were used. This raised a legal point which was disputed by adjoining New Mexico for years. The ranch went ahead and fenced on the meridian, but not until 1911, after intervention of John Farwell with President Taft, did Congress finally decree that the meridian boundary was indisputably correct.

Incidentally, before that 3-month inspection trip ended Colonel Babcock was eating sourdough biscuits with the rest of the outfit, and liking them. The outdoor life had improved his appetite and health.

**Like Fencing Two States**

The colonel reported that grasses in some of the creek draws were "belly high to a horse," and that the vast area in general was fit for cattle grazing. He recommended fencing to keep away drifting herds on the open range, and to save the expense of many-line caps of aurdian cowboys. That was the biggest fencing job ever recommended, equivalent to the inclosing of both Rhode Island and Delaware, with many cross fences as well.

Early in 1885 the syndicate established a headquarters camp at Buffalo Springs, near the northeast corner of the domain. Surface water was most plentiful in that part of the long ranch, bisected east-west by the Canadian river, a red stream bed with many quick-



THE ABOVE MAP shows location of the vast XIT holdings in Texas.

sands. Cattle were first brought to the north area and fencing went ahead. XIT hands swung both lariats and barbed wire rolls.

As tens of thousands of longhorns were trailed from southern points in 1885-87 for sale to the new ranch, scores of cowboys from the trail crews were hired as XIT hands. George Findlay of Chicago became business manager at the ranch-office, assisted by W. S. Mabry and for a period, by Walter de S. Maud, an Englishman, who varied the strangeness of this life on the range with occasional highballs and crap saloons at old Tascosa, nearby towing town, long since faded when the railroad passed it by.

A primary business of Col. B. H. (Barbeque) Campbell, who hailed from Wichita, Kans. and was the first range manager of the XIT, and of Berry Nations, the first foreman, was the supervision of branding of the new herds. Al Blocker, when he delivered the first herd, favored roping the cows out of it in preparation for branding, and he was a marvel with the loop, "never missing a throw." But "Barbeque" decided a faster process was to fill a special chute with as many as 20 cows.

"Four of five men handled branding irons," Haley describes, "and following each was a man with a pole about five feet long. He thrust one end of this under a bar of the chute on the opposite side, and with the lever thus formed drew down across the cow's neck to keep her from jumping about when the hot iron was applied."

The branders shouted "Hot iron" when the bar end didn't sear the hide, and a Mexican tending the fire brought one at a trot. Wood for the branding fires was cottonwood and pine branches brought from creek draws as far as forty miles away.

An Annual Round-up of All Cattle

Meanwhile Ruck Tanner, the first wagon boss, began organizing the systematic annual roundups of branded cows turned loose on the range. In a roundup all the cattle on a fenced division were brought together. New calves were weaned from their mothers and branded, bull calves were made steers, and older steers fit for sale or transfer were cut out. Cowboys with good "cutting" horses, adept at separating a particular cow from the herd, were important cogs in the ranch machinery.

A big problem in the early building of the isolated XIT was the freighting in of supplies. The nearest rail points were more than 100 miles away. Barbed wire, cedar posts, and a thousand and one pieces of hefty equipment that the huge ranch increasingly needed were brought in by ox or mule teams from distant Dodge City, Kans. or Springer, N. M.

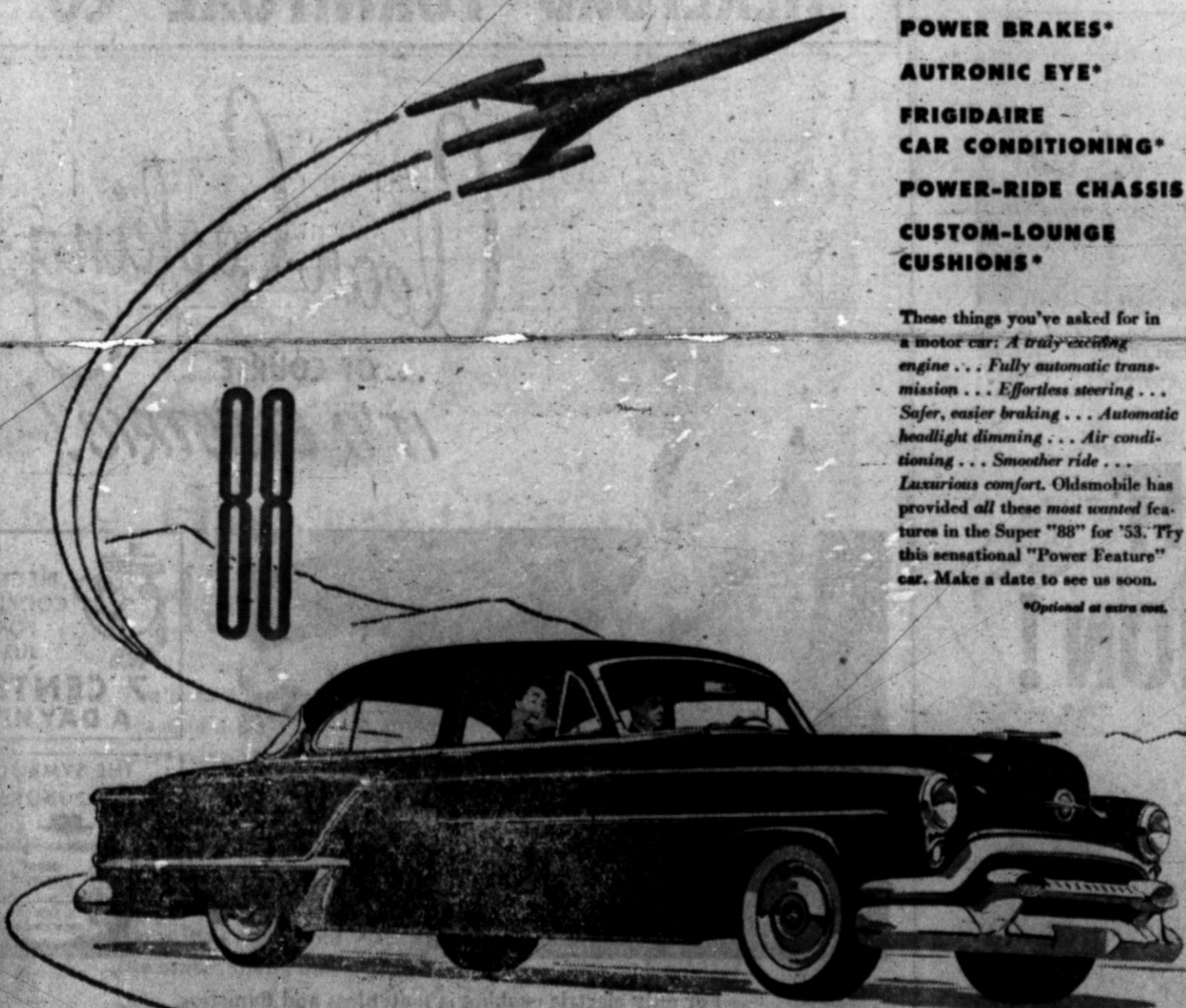
The fence supplies alone cost the ranch \$181,000 and in addition hundreds of windmills were bought to pump water in the drier areas utilized as the herds increased. Bunk houses, storerooms, barns and corrals required lumber, and the freighters were busy as bees. In 1887 they struck for higher wages, but the XIT broke the strike with the aid of a drought. Settlers in Jones county on the east, trying to make a living by farming, were hard hit, and when they heard of the freighters' strike they swarmed to the nearest rail points with their two horse wagons and applied for jobs as XIT haulers.

By 1900 the ranch had spent 1/2 million dollars on 335 windmills and 100 dams, supplementing the streams, flat lakes and water holes for the thirsty cattle. In the late '90s the ranch had put up 1,500 miles of fence. Communication was a vital factor between the distant points of the ranch. A north-south telephone line was the same as one between Kansas City and St. Louis (gray), and the top wires of many fences were used as telephone lines for years. These lines necessarily were kept in constant repair. The XIT also experimented briefly with electrically charged fence wires, calculated to shock steers and rustlers who attempted to break through.

In the early fencing many bands of wild mustangs and antelopes were inclosed and caught. Wolf hunting went on all the time, most of the lobos and their cubs being shot in their dens by 6-shooting cowboys.

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# Deaf Smith...

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1888 Hereford, Durham and Polled Angus bulls already were being imported from Missouri, Iowa and Illinois to improve the herds. The whitefaced but still long-horned cattle that were the first cross of Herefords and long horns soon dotted the range.

Within the ranch administration, however, trouble had developed even as losses from rustlers increased. Discipline under "Barbecue" Campbell was lax, and soon it was rumored outlaws were fraternizing surreptitiously with some of the ranch hands. The Farwells sent an agent to investigate. He reported that several of the cowboys hired by Campbell were notorious rustlers themselves.

While the investigation still was on, Campbell departed hastily from the ranch in a buckboard, and Col. A. C. Boyce, former Texas Ranger and Civil War fighter, was employed as general ranch manager. A forceful, able man, he continued as the ranch's manager for 18 years. Under him the XIT waged its long fight for law enforcement.

Despite its fences, rustlers preyed upon the XIT herds at scores of distant points. Brand burning was one of their ways of evading the law after thefts, but their usual form of theft was "mavericking" or stealing large unbranded calves.

"Mother cows and their calves," Haley writes, "upon becoming separated, back-track for miles to reach the spot at which each last saw the other. The rustler was forced to wean the calves he stole before he applied his brand, or they would stray from the rustler's herd and return to their mothers. A calf that showed up on the home range switching its tail over a former brand told a more vivid story than human tongue and often precipitated shootings and funerals."

### Tricks of the Rustlers

To wean the calves hurriedly, rustlers sometimes burned them between the toes with a hot iron, making their feet too sore for them to walk. Or the muscles of an unbranded calf's eyelids might be cut so that they drooped and kept the calf from seeking its mother. After several days of "bawling its head off," the calf would nose for grass food and soon be weaned. The eyelid muscles would heal, but the lids thereafter drooped slightly. Rustlers also used the even more brutal practice of splitting the calf's tongue so it would not nurse.

When "cooksie," the cook, yelled "chuckaway" or "come and get it" the hands sat down to meals that were plentiful and good as judged by meal standards on the range. Hot sour dough biscuits, beef potatoes, beans, lick and a desert of stewed dried fruit were typical.



ROTARY ABROAD -- John Hurd (left), president of the Laredo (Texas) Rotary Club, is shown here receiving the thanks of Francisco Castano, president of the Rotary Club of Monterrey (Mexico) for a Laredo club banner presented to the Monterrey club at an international meeting in the northern Mexican industrial city. (AP Photo).

The cook was king, and a good humored cook who did his work well was a great asset to a wagon outfit.

Each outfit had its remuda, or herd of eight to ten horses for each cowboy in his strenuous daily riding. Thus a hundred horses or more might form the remuda of a sizeable outfit. The horses were grazed and handled under supervision of the wrangler or "horse pestler" often a tenderfoot who also helped the cook gather wood and harness the wagon team.

At night a U-shaped rope corral of cowboys lariats was staked around the horses. Punchers riding "nightherd" used in their vigils a quiet, tractable, "cleartoothed" horse trained to jog around the herd with faithful regularity and go after any cow that attempted to escape from it. Good night horses, like good cutting and roping horses, were highly prized by the XIT.

The fall round-ups, not as big as in the spring, saw the beef cows cut into a separate herd and trailed to Channing, Texas, for shipment to Kansas City or Chicago. The last duty of the wagon outfits in the fall was to gather the bulls into a separate bull pasture from which the animals were not released until the next June.

Perhaps late in November or early in December the chuck wagon drew into headquarters and the cowboys usually took a week

off and went to Tascosa or a nearer town. There some of them indulged in cards, drinks and dance hall celebrating. Others did not. Many of these generous, happy men played Santa Claus at Christmas to a settler's children living in a dugout.

The XIT also maintained for several years a fattening ranch near Miles City, Mont. for its Texas reared steers. Trailing thousands of these steers from the XIT to Montana across rivers, the open range and on occasion through some settler's acres, and with stampedes and snows to fight, was the most strenuous job of the XIT hand. He usually was paid \$35 a month (for a total of \$10 more a month for a total of \$45) at this 18-hour-a-day task, and when it was through and he started back to Texas he sang:

Oh, I am a Texas Cowboy,  
Far away from home,  
If I ever get back to Texas,  
I never more will roam.

For 10 years the sizeable Escarbada division of the ranch employed an antirustling crew composed of Ira Aten, Wood Saunders, and Capt. W. J. McDonald, former Texas Rangers. They rode the line fences with rifles and 6-shooters, and strangers seen lurking near the ranch boundaries sometimes were shot at first and questioned afterward, if they had not already fled. According to Aten, windows at the Escarbada ranchhouse were

painted a dark green to afford less opportunity for night shots from resentful rustlers or other enemies of the XIT.

Yet it is significant that in 28 years of more or less continual fighting for order, only one of its cowboys was killed. This occurred in 1908 when John Armstrong, who succeeded Aten as foreman of the Escarbada, was shot off his horse by a man he had accused of altering a brand. A 9-year prison sentence was given the slayer.

**The Cowboy's Life**  
As many as seven months a year, from May to December, scores of XIT cowboys lived with the herds out in the open, eating from chuck wagons and sleeping under the stars. Hats and boots were pillows and "hot rolls" or blankets, kept most of the chill of the night from their bones.

Wherever the chuck wagon stopped was home. Its rear box, the lid of which dropped down to form a table top, held tin plates, cups, cutlery and shelves with cans of coffee, sugar, salt, soda and "lick" (molasses.) In the bed of the wagon large amounts of flour, bacon, beans, dried fruit and beef were kept.

"A fresh beef was killed when needed, usually in the late afternoon," Haley describes, "and was quartered and hung alongside the wagon or the spokes of the wheels. The cool night chilled the meat and next morning it was wrapped in a tarpaulin or slickers and put in the bottom of the wagon. Bed rolls then were thrown in upon it to help shut out the noon day heat, and thus the meat would usually keep fresh for several days. Usually by the third day it was eaten, and another beef was killed."

"The pace upon the Texas to Montana trail was limited to fifteen miles a day, so that the cattle might be allowed to graze to prevent loss of weight," Walter Farwell, son of C. E. Farwell, has written in reminiscence.

"Riding along at this slow pace week after week, keeping up the stragglers from behind, always enveloped in a cloud of dust kicked up by the herd, was a grueling test of endurance for the cowboys. Their appearance at the end of their clothes in tatters, unshaven and with weeks of accumulated dirt, would have disgraced the worst of Coxes' Army."

After being paid off they sometimes shot up a town and wrecked a barroom or two before starting back to Texas. Who can blame them?"

As settlement and fences increased cross-state trailing was barred. The last herd was trailed up to Montana from the XIT in 1897 in charge of "Scandious John" McCannless, trail boss.

In 1901 the XIT began breaking up its huge acreage. More than a million acres were sold in 1901-02 to big ranchers, including the late W. E. Haisell of Kansas City. The



TEXAS STATE SOCIETY HONORS OFFICIALS -- Mrs. Oveta Culp Hobby, Federal Security Administrator, and Navy Secretary Robert B. Anderson (center, rear) posed with Sen. Lyndon Johnson (left) and Rep. Olin Teague at a dinner of the Texas State Society in Washington Feb. 27 held in honor of the two Texans in the Eisenhower administration. Johnson was elected president of the society, succeeding Teague. (AP Wirephoto).

Matador ranch paid \$2.40 an acre for almost 200,000 acres. In 1906 the late George G. Wright of Kansas City with associates, bought 177,000 XIT acres at from \$5 to \$6 an acre. These sales were preliminary to the later sales of smaller tracts by the XIT to thousands of farmers.

Through good and bad weather and cattle prices, through rustlers, law suits and a thousand problems the XIT cut its way in the 25 years it was the world's biggest cattle ranch. It paid off its original investors, and then began its liquidation policy forced by the times.

"The XIT investors would have been better off if they had lent their money to conservative banks at low interest, Mr. Roberts believes.

Still Texas might have had to pay more for a capitol under such course and law and order might have been years slower in establishment in the Panhandle. The liquidating XIT company, according to James D. Hamlin, its present

## Camp Fire Group Makes Plans For Banquet Mar. 10

The Wakita Camp Fire Group met at the Camp Fire Hut March 10, 1953 at four o'clock.

At the meeting a skit was discussed that will be put on at the Camp Fire Banquet, March 19, at the Jim Hill Hotel for parents and any one interested in Camp Fire. Tickets were issued to be sold for the banquet. Bob Wear will be the guest speaker.

The group worked on handcraft which was making things for the skit.

The officers had their pictures made out by an irrigation well to represent the birthday theme, "Down to Earth."

Those present were: Sharon Arrington, Eugenia Alexander, Jane Bookout, DeBuck, Ann Caraway, Jo Ann Capell, Linda Hair, Leoda King, Carolyn Kerby, Melba Gay Lawrence, Mary Lynn Morrison, Carol Ann Newell, Betty Paetzold, Dolly Paetzold, Dolly Do Prowell, Nona Marie Strange, Donna Witherspoon, Virginia Witherspoon, Lovilla Finley, Mrs. H. H. Caraway, and Mrs. F. L. Alexander. Kay Caraway and Betty Snead were guests.

settlers, and now is considering irrigation possibilities in its north holdings and an unusually deep tract of land now under way in an irrigation project.

The town of Farwell reminds of the syndicate founders and distant relatives of the brothers live at Dalhart and other cities on the former acreage of the ranch. Two sons of John Farwell, Arthur L. Farwell and John V. Farwell, Jr. live in Chicago and Walter Farwell a son of the former Illinois senator, lives at Syosett, N. Y.

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# Friona News

By Mrs. E. R. Day, Sr.

Vivian Correne, wife of Lester B. Dean, died Saturday March 7, at 7:45 at the age of 32 years and one day. She was taken to the Parmer County Hospital early Saturday morning suffering from a stroke.

Survivors include: her husband, three daughters, Phyllis, age 13; LaVon, age 12; and Sherry, age 6; her mother, three brothers, and two sisters.

She was born at Pyrer, Texas on March 6, 1921.

Funeral services were held at the Church of Christ at Sundown. Stanley Lockhart of Friona assisted by Davis of Sundown were in charge of the services.

Burial was in the Levelland cemetery.

The Deans moved to Friona from Sundown about a year ago. Announcement has been made of the double wedding in Portales last Saturday in which four Friona young people were married.

Miss Betty Koeling, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Koeling, be-

came the bride of Ernest Kykendall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kykendall.

Miss Pearl Palmateer, daughter of Mrs. T. D. Light, married Otis Brown.

Those accompanying the couples to Portales were: Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Kykendall, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Koeling, Mrs. T. D. Light, Allor Fay and Ralph Palmateer, and Raymond Brown. The couples are at home in Friona.

Since the past week has been Texas Public school week several Friona business men have been teaching the various classes in the public schools.

The Friona Girl Scouts will begin their annual cookie sale next week. The price is 40 cents per box.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Stowers were in Lubbock Wednesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Anderson returned home Friday from Houston where they visited with their daughter and family, the J. J. Castalows.

Mrs. Treva Reece and Ted of Canyon visited Saturday night and Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Drake of Friona. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Drake returned. Mrs. Reece to Canyon Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Ester Braton and two children are new residents of Friona. They are living in the Jim Gunn house. They are farming near Friona.

Roy Jones of Ft. Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Howard of Sundown were guests last week in the Henry Lewis home.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Lillard and family and Mrs. J. M. Watson were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Bates and family recently. The Bates now live at Sunray.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Kessler and family of Jal, N. M. visited over the week-end with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Kessler of Friona and her parents, Mr. and Mrs. England of Bovina. They also visited an uncle, Bob Kessler, who is very ill in the Parmer County Hospital.

The Friona school has been presented with school safety signs. They have been placed in the walkways of the school ground and to the east of the campus.

Mrs. Neva Rayborn and Billie of Amarillo spent Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Drake and family of Friona.

Mr. and Mrs. Dave Mosely of Friona left Thursday for Hot Springs, Ark. where Mrs. Mosely plans to take some baths. They plan to visit the J. W. Alexander and C. C. London families, former residents of Friona before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Martin of Lamar, Colo. are here visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baxter.

Johnny Parker went to Springfield, Mo. the first of the week and drove back a new pick-up for the Parmer County Implement company.

Jim Armstrong of Corpus Christi



MR. B OF WTS -- That means "Mr. Basketball of West Texas State," by name Troy Burrus, 6 foot 7 center, who scored 450 points this season, running his 3-year total to 1,032 for a better than 20 points a game average. Burrus is called the greatest basketeer in West Texas State's 43 year history. (AP Photo.)

left Wednesday for his home there after a short visit here at the bedside of his brother, T. B. Armstrong.

The Methodist church has announced the spring revival which will begin on March 15 and continue through March 25. Rev. H. Dwight Seago, pastor of the Aldersgate church in Abilene will preach. Rev. David W. Binkley of Anson will direct the singing.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Shields of Amarillo are visiting their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. K. Kendrick. Little Donna, who has been visiting his grandparents returned home.

Oscar Baxter, Glenn Green and O. T. Patterson were attending business in Amarillo Friday.

Mrs. A. W. Perkins of Transdale, Okla. returned to her home after spending the past month with her children, Mrs. Eugene Gunn and Cass Perkins and families. She also visited some of her children in Bovina.

Mr. and Mrs. N. M. Cruse and Kay of Pierre, S. D. formerly of Friona, were visiting friends here Thursday. They were on their way to Dallas to visit his mother who is ill in a hospital there. They have been visiting a son, Glenn Cruse and family in Hereford.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Baxter Sunday were

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Baxter of Clovis, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Baxter and daughters of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Marten of Lamar, Colo., Mr. and Mrs. Miles Robbins and Phyllis and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Baxter and family and Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Renner of Friona.

Miss Glenn Mae Pope visited Sunday with Joyce Hadley.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Robbins and Phyllis left Thursday for Weatherford, Okla. to visit his mother, Mrs. Robbins, who is ill. They returned to their home in Friona Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Tim Magness of Lubbock were visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Magness and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Guinn.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Shirley and family were Sunday dinner guests with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. M.M. Shirley.

Mr. and Mrs. Miles Robbins and family are driving a new Oldsmobile.

Laura Lee Moyer spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. M. M. Shirley.

The Modern Study club made a trip to Whiteface to visit Girlstons recently. They reported a very interesting trip.

Those making the trip were: Mesdames Howard Ford, Rene Sneed, A. L. Black, Martin Fulcher, Henry Lewis, Nelson Welch, George Jones, Bill Stewart, Ralph Miller, Guy Latta, Ernest Osborn, Wesley Foster, S. H. Osborn, Harold Lillard, J. T. Gee and one guest, Mrs. Cleola Kirk.

Saturday the FHA girls from the Friona high school went to Lubbock for an area meeting. There were 40 girls from Friona attending. Gay Cass of Friona was elected area reporter.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McFarland were in Tucumcari over the week-end visiting with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Hines McFarland.

J. M. Watson and Nelson Welch returned home last week from a fishing trip to Devils Lake.

On Monday night the Friona Junior and Senior classes were guests at a banquet given by the Baptist church. This is an annual affair. The theme was "Hitch Your Wagon to a Star." The guest speaker was Rev. H. Brambette of Canyon.

Other new babies arriving in the Parmer County hospital last week were a son to Mr. and Mrs. Bol Merrell, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Wayne B. Stark, Jr., a son to Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Meason, a son to Mr. and Mrs. W. F. McEan, a daughter to Mr. and Mrs. Richard Perkins and a son to Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Davis.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Adkinson of Amarillo were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Kendrick Tuesday.

Mayor and Mrs. John R. Chadler of Albuquerque spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Stewart. The special

occasion for the visit was the christening of the youngest grandchild, Gary Wayne. The two older grandchildren take turns visiting with their grandparents. Melovie is spending this week with the Stewarts.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Schuidt and Mrs. W. T. Redfern are due here the last of the week to be with their father, T. B. Armstrong, who is still in the hospital.

Poster Wyley of San Jon, N. M. was a visitor in Friona Friday attending business and visiting his mother, Mrs. Alta Wyley and his brother, Duane, and family.

Last Tuesday night Floyd Reeves gave a very interesting talk on the history of Friona. The meeting was the Masonic lodge meeting and was held in the high school auditorium.

The Friona school has now got measles, mumps and chickenpox among the students.

Mr. and Mrs. Elvie Jennings have announced the arrival of their son, who has been named Frederick Tipton. The Jennings have three daughters.

Mrs. E. R. Day was a guest in the home of Mrs. Hart and girls Sunday.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Alta Wyley Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wyley and Debra, Mr. and Mrs. Duane Wyley and Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Baxter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Bertram Jack and children spent the week-end with her father, W. E. Miller and sister, Berl Miller, of Floydada. They also attended the wedding of her brother, Arbra Miller Sunday in Floydada.

Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Averett and Mrs. Melvina Screvner of Tucumcari spent Saturday night with their daughter and sister, Mrs. Duane Wyley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Jack and Gay Wyley of Friona, Rebecca and Truddy of Floydada were Sunday dinner guests with the L. D. Chiles.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Houser attended the funeral of Mrs. Housers' grandmother Sunday at Kress.

Mrs. M. M. Shirley and Mrs. Cordie Potts and family visited Mrs. Potts' mother, Mrs. Charles Schlenker Saturday afternoon. She was very ill last week.

G. E. Hartman of Dove Creek, Colo. is visiting his daughter and her husband, Mr. and Mrs. Orval Houser in Friona.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Baxter and son, Kenneth and Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Baxter of Clovis visited their mother, Mrs. J. W. Baxter, who is in the Parmer County Hospital.

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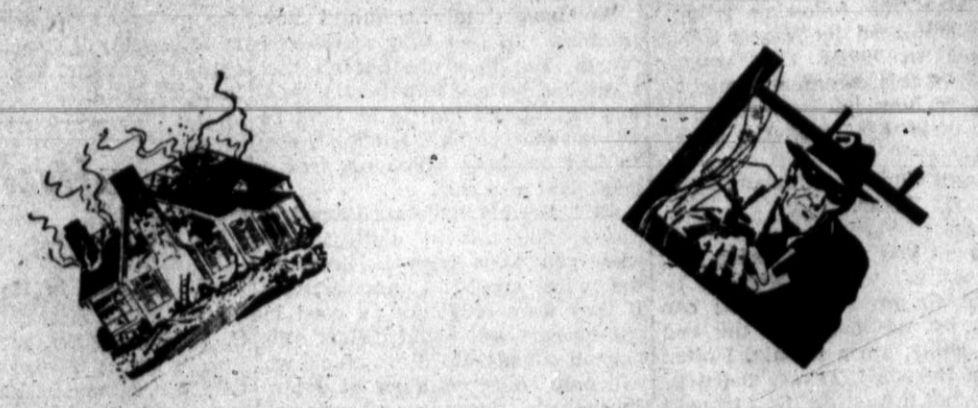


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# Dawn News

By Bertha Frye

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Bentley left last Thursday for Burk Burnett where they attended the funeral of his brother, J. H. Bentley. They returned home Sunday.

Sunday visitors in the Clifford Stewart home were: Mr. and Mrs. Dale Allen and baby Dimmitt and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hamblin of Wayside.

Mrs. H. S. Fuller and Mrs. Zed Stewart attended Home Demonstration council at Hereford Monday.

The Dawn Music club met Tuesday with Mrs. Norman Miller.

Mrs. Reece Stewart and Mrs. Roy T. Stewart honored their sister Mrs. J. B. Caraway with a birthday dinner last Monday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Ray T. Stewart. Present were the J. B. Caraway family, the Reece Stewarts and the Ray T. Stewarts families.

Young Doyle Joe Fuller is ill with the chicken pox.

The Dawn Home Demonstration club met Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Melvin Gill with eight members and two guests present.

The next meeting will be on Tuesday, March 17 in the home of Mrs. Palmer Norton.

Mrs. E. C. Gaylor, Mrs. Melvin Gill and Terry returned from a visit at Ardmore, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Gayle Neal returned

from a trip to California.

Paul Rodgers celebrated his fifth birthday Saturday Feb. 28. Helping him celebrate were: Jon David Miller, Buddie Stewart, Rosemary Stewart, Jon Rodgers. They enjoyed games, balloons, and refreshments of ice cream and cake.

Among those attending the luncheon of the North Hereford Home Demonstration club in the home of Mrs. Hodges last Thursday were: Mrs. Zed Stewart, Mrs. Palmer Norton, Mrs. H. S. Fuller, Miss Lula Botsford, Mrs. J. M. Caraways, Mrs. Melvin Gill, Mrs. Larry Loeberwald, Mrs. Lloyd Bentley, Mrs. Walter Galley.

Alice Ann Caraway celebrated her fourth birthday with a party Saturday given by her mother. Those present were: Doyle Joe Fuller, George Ray Fuller, Terry Gill, Nan Neal, Linda, Rosemary and Robert Caraway and the honoree.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Stewart of Canyon honored their son, Ray T. with a birthday dinner Saturday night. Present for the occasion were: Mr. and Mrs. Clifford Stewart, Dorothea and Buddie, Mr. and Mrs. Reece Stewart and Rosemary, Mr. and Mrs. Zed Stewart, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Caraway, Robert and Alice Ann, Mr. and Mrs. Ray T. Stewart and Linda and the host and hostess.

More than 1,000 persons from Washington, D. C. and a third of the nation's states visited the Walter Porter farm near Terrell on February 26 for the observance of the 50 Anniversary of the beginning of farm demonstration work. This farm was the site of the first demonstration.

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## "Texas Day" and "Friendship Week" Observed By Summerfield Club

A combined program observing "Texas Day" and "Friendship Week" was featured at the Summerfield Study Club meet held in the home of Mrs. Forbus Blake-more.

Mrs. J. R. Euler reviewed the book "Giant" by Edna Ferber. In introducing the program Mrs. Euler said the author has not pretended to deal with the whole state, but that she has shown the state to be filled with rowdy and uncouth men and women whose vulgarity runs second only to the flash wealth that maintains it. "Miss Ferber's Texas is not the Texas known and loved by the people, for she has not presented a true picture, leaving the reader to infer that Texas oil, cotton, cattle and wheat millionaires are not worthy of the great state that it is," she said.

Mrs. L. L. Cannon gave "Texas in the News" mentioning Texans who have made news and telling something of the people who have made Texas great, revealing not only the fortitude but the honor of the people as a whole.

Special guests were: Mesdames H. G. Behrends, George DeLozier, Jack Streun and Ray Bodkin of

the Rance Club, and Mrs. L. L. Latham and Mrs. Henry Kuper.

Members present were Mesdames: Lee Curry, Guy Waiser, J. R. Euler, Mack Noland, L. L. Cannon, Chas. Noland, Earl Lance, Ky Lawrence, K. W. Neill, L. J. Councilman, Carl Lee and the hostesses who included Mesdames Blakemore, Ray Johnson and L. H. Lookingbill.

At the conclusion of the program refreshments were served from a "Texas Day" table centered with a large Texas map arranged with red carnations and Texas flags.

Mrs. Guy Waiser, president of the club, poured assisted by Mrs. L. H. Lookingbill and Mrs. Ray Johnson.

## Dimmitt News

By Mrs. R. D. Rogers

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Wright, Donald and Dorothy talked with their son and brother, A. E. Dewey Lee Wright, Jr. Wednesday morning. He is stationed sixty miles northeast of London and has been away from home for 15 months.

Fellowship class of the First Methodist church enjoyed a covered dish social in fellowship hall Monday night. Co-host and hostesses were: Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Bell, Mr. and Mrs. George Bagwell and Mr. and Mrs. Louie Allen. There were 26 people present.

Home from Texas Tech for the week-end were: Glenn Lust, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Vern East; and Lois Cleavenger, visiting Mr. and Mrs. Norman Cleavenger.

Douglas Dennis visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Dennis a few days last week. Douglas is attending Baylor university.

All circles of the women's Missionary Union met Monday for Bible study. Rex Roy met with Mrs. Howard Scroggins; Franklin Swanner with Mrs. Glen Youts, Vada Waldron with Mrs. Elmer Dixon, Van Earl Hughes with Mrs. E. L. Ivey, Irene Anderson with Mrs. Andy Nelson.

Mr. and Mrs. Maple Daniel of Oklahoma City have been visiting with his sisters, Mrs. A. G. Bell and Mrs. W. H. Russell, and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Willie Daniel, and other relatives here. They were enroute home after a several months stay in California.

## Letters To The Editor

**She Like's Em**

I read your article in The Brand Sunday concerning the school-cafeteria meals.

I have eaten at Shirley School with my son on an average of once a month almost since the beginning of school, and I have found the meals are very good. My husband and I ate lunch there just last Wednesday and they served hamburgers. They were delicious. However, for a grown man maybe it wasn't enough, but for small children the meal was ample.

My son has eaten almost every day since he started to school four years ago, and the only thing he has ever complained of is the fish, and that isn't bad.

I am happy that we have such clean places for our children to eat and we at least can go and see for ourselves how the food is prepared.

We are for the cafeteria's 100 percent and thankful for the wonderful school system which we have.

The Lawrence McGees  
132 Ave. E.  
Hereford, Texas.

**Dear Editor:**

**She Don't Like 'Em**

I am an ex-cafeteria worker. I do agree with Mr. Gillentine about the food at the cafeteria. But having worked there I know the blame is not altogether the cooks. A large part of it is the dieticians fault as she tells the cooks how to prepare most of the food and they do as she tells them. If they do otherwise they are apt to lose their jobs.

I think we have some cooks at the cafeteria who would do much better if they were left alone and could prepare the food as they know it should be. Believe me the cooks have had no bed of roses. I have been there, part of the time and I know what they have to contend with to hold their jobs.

If you have noticed the menus are always about the same, but are just moved around to different days.

We also notice the lunch room prices have been raised twice in the last three terms. I am sure there are quite a few parents who would be more than willing to pay this price if their children were getting food that they could eat and that was prepared even half right.

It is putting a lot of parents to lots of extra trouble as well as expense by having to fix lunches for school children or going after them for lunch through all kinds of

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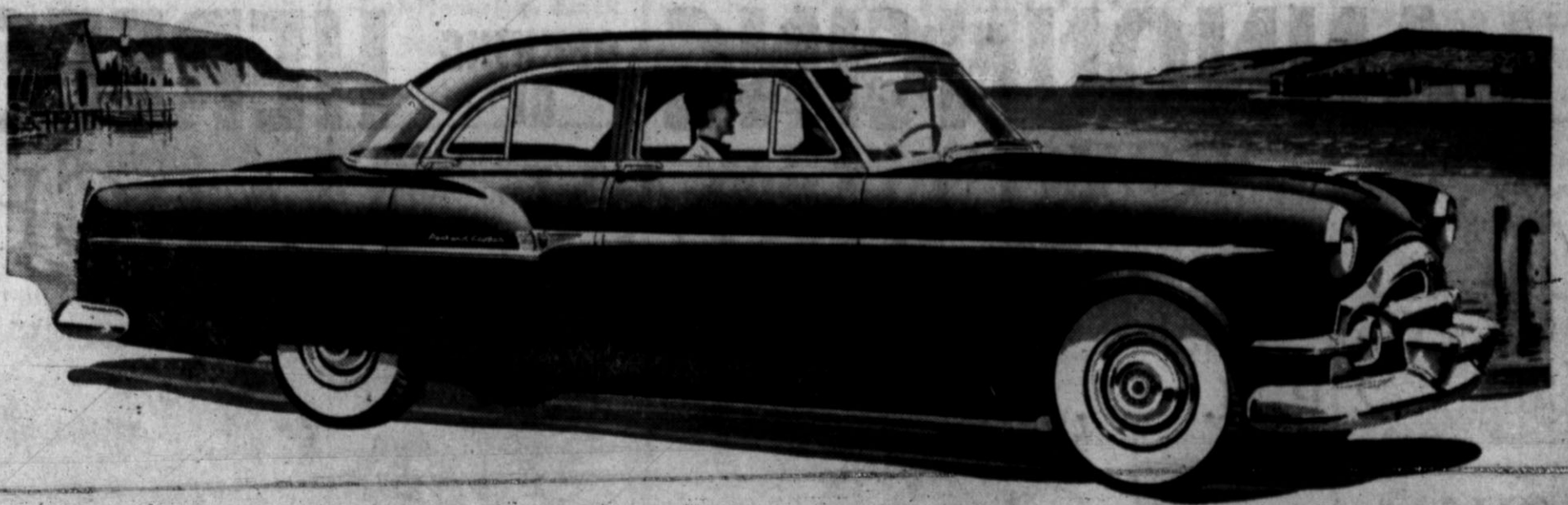
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### Letter To The Editor

Editor,  
Hereford Brand  
Dear Sir:

We were reading your "Bull Column" in the Sunday Brand beefing about the Shirley School cafeteria. I then decided to write your paper about our feelings concerning another of Hereford's sore thumbs. One which, right at the present, is being talked about and opinions given pro and con.

Yesterday around noon we got into our car, our whole family consisting of three small boys, and went looking for our Springer Spaniel dog! He had been gone all day Saturday, coming in home around dark and playing with our boys some and sleeping under our house during the night. But he left then early Sunday morning before we got up, rather late, I admit. We thought he might very rightly have been picked up and put in the so-called "dog-pound." My husband works on the new city barn which is being constructed near the city wells and has been seeing quite a lot of the "dog-pound" lately. The "THING" is located just east of the barn site, but you'll really have to hunt for it to see it and unless you know what it looked like you wouldn't recognize it. I'd been hearing all of these tales of how it looked but had never gotten a chance to go see it until Sunday. As we neared the "THING" my blood really boiled to 250, sure enough. Yes, I'm quite chicken-hearted, alright, but anyone who has a heart of other than pure stone will feel the same if they see it. It measures about 8 feet by 10 feet and is constructed on the bare earth down there on the wind-swept side of the hill. Who ever built it just went here and there, picking up anything they could find to nail up. And by the time they got to the roof, their source of supply was completely diminished.

Oh, it has a roof of 3-4 inch chicken wire men stretched over a 2 x 2 frame end to end. No one took the trouble to provide the two lone occupants with water of any kind. And there was one huge bone, minus the meat, plus a few dry, dirt covered dog cubes scattered around the dirt floor. They had been in a cardboard box alright, but, naturally two healthy, playful pups are not going to leave a box standing upright when that's the only thing inside to put their paws upon.

Now, I'm not saying we should not have a dog pound. No, sirree! That's not the purpose of this letter



**COVER AND MOISTURE CONDITIONS WESTERN GULF REGION MARCH 1, 1953**  
U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE SOIL CONSERVATION SERVICE FORT WORTH, TEXAS

**SOUTHWEST'S WORST DROUGHT CHARACTER --** A government expert says drought conditions still strangle half of Texas and most of Oklahoma. The blighted areas are West Texas, part of North and South Texas and all of Oklahoma except some southeastern and north central sections. (AP Photo).

at all. I'm a firm supporter of people keeping their property where it belongs and not on the neighbors. On the other hand, I don't believe in being in-humane about it, either. We got our big, spoiled, dog, when he was five months old, from out of a sure enough dog-pound, but it was certainly not a dirty, filthy one such as Hereford now has. And the "care-taker" at the pound told us that they very seldom had to put any dogs to sleep after a period of time because there were always people coming there looking for dogs as pets. But I can readily see why no one would want a dog from our "THING," because they would be so dirty they couldn't touch them.

Now, we have a panel-truck which the city commission bought to pick up the dogs with, but no decent place to deposit them. Also, they do not really work at it, or that 8x10 place wouldn't hold all the dogs. When someone keeps his dog tied or penned and his neighbors do not, what good does it do? The licensed dogs drift around with the mongrels, so what's the need of spending hard cash for licenses

and vaccinations when they are "all" running loose?

Yes, they have a clean-up week and send a health inspector around our businesses and force us to clean up or close up. We pay to have our trash hauled away every week, but still we have this sore thumb upon us. We, as individuals, are warned and re-warned to build pens for our children's pets, regardless of the cost but yet the city as a whole does not do what it warns us to do. They should practice what they preach and build the city a pound which could be kept clean and then keep it that way. Then above and beyond that, send the dog truck around every day, not just upon a request from an enraged citizen. Because only then will this situation be licked. Most citizens probably feel as I do, "Well, I don't want to report these dogs to the cops and be the cause of some child losing his dog, because I love dogs and I have boys who love them, too."

So, let's get behind the city commission and force this issue to a head one way or another. We have a beautiful little city and I'm

proud of it, the wonderful parks and now street lights and also the nice new city barn which is also being built. But this city is not a poor city and we should be able to point with pride to every city project. What about it, Hereford? Are we going to have the migratory laborers carry back to their respective states the facts of such a sore thumb? If people love their dogs they will license them and care for them; if not, they should be put out of the way "sensibly," not "shot" in the door of this "THING" in the presence of all the other dogs and the over-flow running all over the pound. Flies will soon be here to make it a real nice, clean place!

Hoping to get some heated response and also some real constructive actions, I remain a very sincere citizen.

Yours truly,  
Mrs. Delbert Ruland  
306 C St., Hereford.

Equip the garden shelf now with the supplies which will be needed later for combating insect pests in the flower and home garden.

### Clifford Kerr At Moody Air School

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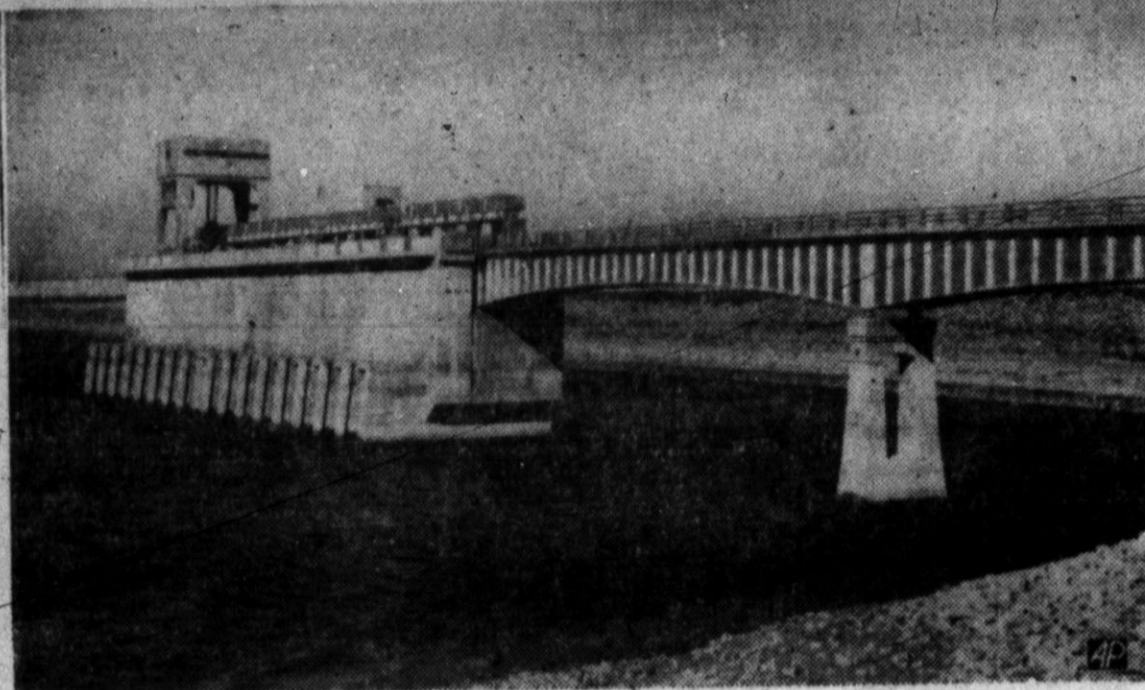
CONG. WALTER ROGERS SAYS:

### Tidelands Question Still Faces Opposition In Washington Circles

"Past Is Prologue": There is a story in Washington about a visitor who was on his first trip to Washington. He was in a taxicab and was viewing with great pride and admiration the many beautiful government buildings. As they passed the imposing edifice that houses the National Archives he noticed the following inscription carved over the entrance: "Past Is Prologue." He asked the cab driver what this inscription meant. The cab driver thought a minute and then replied, "It means 'You ain't seen nothing yet.'"

The exchange between the cab driver and the passenger is supposed to have occurred shortly after the building was opened in 1835. It seems to me that history has proven that the cab driver was somewhat of a philosopher. The story often comes to my mind when new and untried legislative proposals appear before the Congress. As all of you know, some of these pass and some fail, but there is always the possibility so well expressed by the cab driver, "You ain't seen nothing yet." It is a sound prediction of the future expressed in plain understandable, although questionable, English. Let us all hope that the things we have not seen yet will be of great benefit to mankind and produce the everlasting peace for which we continually search. It is so easy to predict and so difficult to be correct. This is because God endowed us with the power of speech but in His wisdom did not endow us with the power to see into the future. I often think that a man would have a very small grocery bill if he could live on the words he has to eat.

**THE TIDELANDS:** I was somewhat amazed at the position taken by Attorney General Brownell before the House Judiciary Committee concerning the tidelands. The proposal that Mr. Brownell offered to settle this controversy is probably one of the worst that has come forward yet. What his proposal does is simply to make the coastal states tenants at sufferance of the Federal Government; it actually underwrites and supports the decision of the Supreme Court through which Texas and the other states lost basic title. The Supreme Court decision did not say that the states did not have title to these offshore lands, but it did say that the sovereign power of the Federal Government was of such stature that it included all rights concerning these lands. Boiled down, this simply meant that if the coastal states ever had any title, the Federal Government



**TEXOMA WATER LEVEL 15 FEET BELOW NORMAL** - The prolonged drought has dropped the level at Lake Texoma 15 feet below normal, as this picture taken at the intake structure shows. The bottom of the power pool is at an elevation of 590 feet and when the level is down that far power cannot be generated. For Denison to draw water from the lake the level must be above 602. It now is 601.84. Normal is 617 feet. Denison has not taken water from Lake Texoma since mid-December. (AP Wirephoto).

### Jumbo News

By Mrs. Bill Simpson

Mr. and Mrs. H. Sullivan of Snyder and Mr. and Mrs. Bates and D Ann of Sweetwater are now living where the Ray Hollums recently lived.

They are well underway with the work on their new dairy barn. There will be a community meeting at the Jumbo community house Thursday night, March 12. Everyone is urged to attend and bring their progress reports completely filled out.

Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Burke have sold their place. At present they are storing their furniture and equipment at their sons home near Lubbock. They're planning an extended vacation to Corpus Christi.

The Summerfield community players are going to present 3 one-act plays Friday night, March 13, at Jumbo community house at 8 o'clock. Admission will be 60 and 35 cents.

Mrs. Joe Boozers brother, Dick Evans and family of Hurlock visited over the weekend in the Joe Boozers home.

Among those attending the girls regional basketball tourney in Canyon Friday night were: Mr. and Mrs. U. L. Lesly, and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. Finis Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Simpson, Sr., Mr. and Mrs. Joe Boozers, Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Simpson, Jr., and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Simpson. The Dimmitt girls lost to Panhandle 46-52.

Mr. and Mrs. Chester Arms and family of Hart visited in the M. L. Simpson, Jr. home Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goodpasture went to Vernon Sunday morning. They received word Saturday night that her mother, Mrs. Wyllie Sweetman was ill.

Clyde Penrod and son of Abilene visited in the Joe Boozers home Saturday.

Friends and neighbors of the H. E. Burkes gathered at Jumbo community house Saturday night for a farewell party.

The group played "42" with the Burkes "winning" several gifts.

Those attending were: Mr. and Mrs. U. L. Lesly and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Lamb, Mr. and Mrs. Addison Hunter and family, Mr. and Mrs. George Pope and family, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Smith and Ray, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Clowdus and Bartow, Mr. and Mrs. Emory Smith, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Goodpasture, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Barden, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Gray and W. L. Foy Clowdus and the honorees, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Burke.

Word was received here Friday of the death of Mrs. Bill Simpson's grandmother, Mrs. E. Y. Hartman of Phoenix, Ariz.

Those attending the funeral in

### Bud To Blossom Club Hears Talk On Perennials, Basic of Plants

Bud to Blossom Club enjoyed a lesson on perennials at a meeting of the club held in the home of Mrs. Lloyd Sharp Friday afternoon. Mrs. W. Glenn Williams, vice-president, presided over the business session when further plans for the Seventh District, TFWC convention to be held in Hereford in April, were discussed.

Mrs. W. H. Patton presented the program on the timely subject of "Perennials" urging care in selection and groupings of plants. She said in part: "Perennials are the backbone of the garden for they are the plants which will remain in your garden year after year, in contrast with the annuals which grow from seed and disappear when frost arrives."

Mrs. Don T. Martin made the arrangement for the day featuring yellow jonquils and pussy-willow.

Members attending were Mesdames: Preston Hagens, Irving Alexander, R. A. Daniel, J. R. Kross Sunday afternoon included: Mr. and Mrs. Elwyn Hartman of Arney, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Houser of Friona, Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Hartman, Hereford, and Mr. G.C. Hartman of Dove Creek, Colo. and Mrs. Bill Simpson of Jumbo.

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Sift: 1 1/2 cup flour  
2 teaspoons baking powder  
Pinch of salt  
Add: The flour mixture to egg mixture and add 1 teaspoon vanilla-beat until smooth.  
Spread on a well greased floured cookie pan in about 1/4 inch layer.  
Top with:  
Beat 2 egg whites until stiff  
Add 1 cup brown sugar  
1/2 box or can of coconut or any kind of nuts (about 1 cup)  
Spread this on the dough and bake in a slow oven (250-275 degrees F.) about 30 min.  
Let's Eat This For One Day

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Orange Juice  
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Whole Wheat Toast  
Butter or Margarine  
Blackberry Jam  
Milk Coffee

##### Dinner

Cheese Souffle  
Buttered Carrots  
Escalloped Potatoes  
Tossed Green Salad  
Muffins Butter or Margarine  
Ice Cream Yum-Yum Cookies  
Tea

##### Supper

Hamburgers  
Fresh Onions Pickles  
Celery Curls  
Canned Pears Cookies  
Milk

##### Timely Tips

1. Cheese, oranges, Irish potatoes, eggs, and beef are a few of the plentiful foods for March. They are all used in above day's menu to help keep the grocery bill down.  
2. The Yum-Yum cookies are good to serve at a party or club meeting.

**Lloyd Manjeot Arrives Wednesday**

Lt. Lloyd Manjeot arrived home Wednesday after serving 14 months in Korea. He has served in the Quartermaster Salvage and Quartermaster Motor departments and it was during that time that he was promoted from 2nd to 1st Lieutenant. He also received the Bronze Star while serving with the 24th Infantry Division.

Following his furlough home he was serving in Headquarters Supply with the 24th Infantry Battalion and was one of the honor guests at a regimental dinner before leaving Korea.

After his furlough here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Manjeot, he expects state duty.

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### Legal Notice

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Defendant, Greeting:  
You are hereby commanded to appear and file written answer before the Honorable District Court of Deaf Smith County at the Court House thereof, in Hereford,

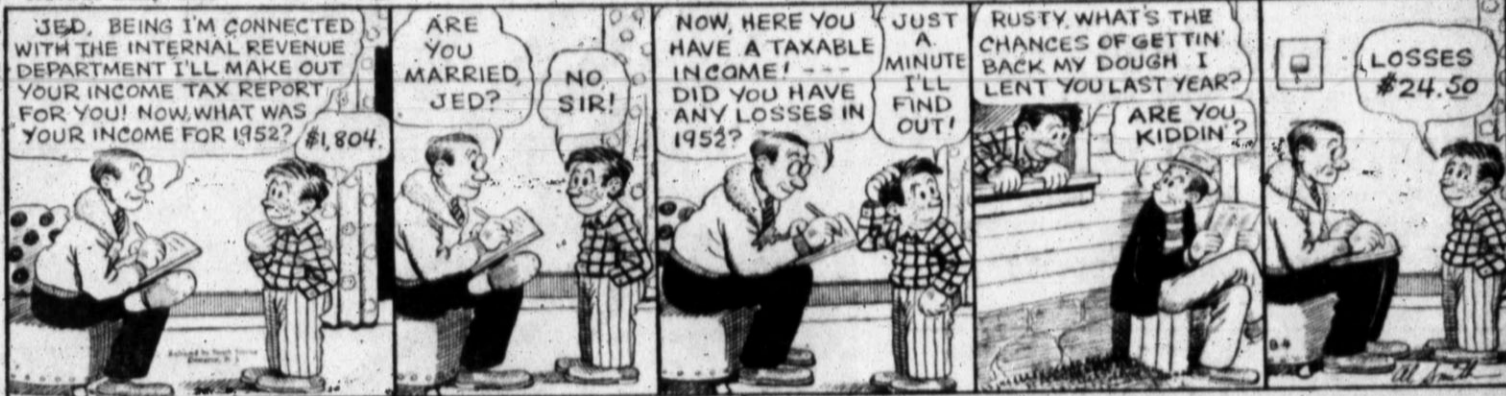
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Texas, at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 6 day of April A. D. 1953, then and there to answer Plaintiff's Petition filed in said Court, on the 23 day of February A. D. 1953, in this cause numbered 3541 on the docket of said court and styled Theresa Gideon Plaintiff, vs. Harold W. Gideon Defendant.  
A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: for divorce on the grounds of men-

tal cruelty as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.  
The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.  
Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Hereford, Texas this 23 day of February A. D. 1953.  
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Our good friend Leo Forrest has been doing a little boss swapping lately. Leo traded his home place out southeast of town to Ranza Boggess of Friona for a place in Missouri. Now Leo is a native of this country and we are sure those hills in Missouri looked good to him when he went back there to look at the place. But we just want to point out to Leo that 1/4 of the people out here came from those hills—we all learned better years ago.  
Got this letter the other day—sorta confuses us:  
Dear Sir:  
My Mother thinks that since this is my 30th birthday I ought to get a job and make a man of myself, but I had rather be a Real Estate Agent. Could you advise me.  
Very truly yours,  
John James  
I'm sorry to say I had no answer for him.  
We visited the new church at Hart last week. All solid masonry and will seat 400 people. This is

one of the nicest church buildings we have seen. Just like going out on a construction job here in Hereford. Everyone working in the building is from Hereford. J. M. Thomson is the Contractor.  
Betcha the City of Hart comes out with a paving program soon. There are sure a lot of new homes there that have been built in the last few years.  
Our town is busy laying new sewer, water and gas lines to Jack France's new subdivision, Brawley's out by the new Baptist church the old Miller estate property up on Star Street, and out on the South side of Harrison Highway in the Dickey sub-division. Pete Engle is also sub-dividing his property.  
The Farm Bureau is hunting a new location. Call Bessie Cardwell.  
Out Black way we see that Caldwell and Tatum have their section loaded to the gills with cattle. Never saw so many in so small a space.  
Mr. and Mrs. Bert Boomer and children were in Clarendon to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Taylor, Sunday.  
John David Owen of Amarillo was in Hereford Sunday to see his mother, Mrs. G. P. Owen, who underwent surgery last week.  
Mrs. John Powers of Lubbock spent the past week-end with her foster daughter, Mrs. Banks, and the new baby.

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The second service is held at 11 o'clock.  
Sunday school is held each Sunday morning at 10 o'clock.  
Meeting for the young people's time on Sunday evening is at 6:45 and the evening worship is held at 7:30.  
The Hereford Church of Christ radio broadcast is heard daily at 9:30 over KPAN.  
The nationwide broadcast by the Church of Christ is each Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock.

**Christian Science**  
Christian Science services are held each Sunday morning at 11 a.m. in the Star Theatre. All are invited to attend.  
The lesson-sermon for Sunday, March 15, will be: "Substance." The golden text will be: Ecclesiastes 3:14.

**Church of Nazarene**  
Sunday school hour is at 10 o'clock Sunday morning.  
Each Sunday morning worship services are held at the Church of the Nazarene at 11 o'clock.  
Youth services start at 6:45.  
The Sunday night services are conducted at 7:45.  
Prayer-meeting on Wednesday night at 7:45 p.m.  
Rev. Jess Rains is pastor of the Church of the Nazarene which is located at Fourth and Jackson.

**St. Anthony's Catholic**  
Sunday Mass at 6:30, 8 & 10 a.m.  
Daily Mass at 7 a.m. at the new church and 8:15 at the old church.  
Holy Hour at 8 Thursday.  
Confessions:  
Thursday from 8:30 to 9:30 p.m.  
Saturday from 5 to 6 p.m. and 8 to 9 p.m.

**Immanuel Lutheran**  
Divine Worship is conducted each Sunday morning at 11 o'clock at the Immanuel Lutheran church. Sunday school and Adult Bible class is at 10 a.m.  
A special Lenten service is held each Wednesday night at 8 p.m.  
Be sure to hear "Moments With God" Saturday on KPAN at 11 a.m.  
The Immanuel Lutheran church is located at Park Avenue and B Street.  
The young people's society meets each first and third Sunday evening at 7 o'clock.

**First Methodist**  
Sunday school is at 9:45 a.m. at the First Methodist church with the morning preaching service at 10:55 o'clock. The MFY Groups will meet at 6:45 p.m. The evening preaching hour is 7:30 o'clock.  
Tuesday at 3 o'clock, the Win One class will meet in Ward hall.  
Wednesday at 9:30 the Dorcas circle will meet in Ward hall. At 3 o'clock the Little Fox circle will meet in Ward hall and the Emma Wheeler circle will meet with Mrs. T. E. Seigler, Sr., 500 East 5th.  
At 7 o'clock Wednesday evening the choir will meet for rehearsal. At 7:30 prayer meeting will be held in Ward hall. At 7:30 the Men's Fellowship will meet for a covered dish supper in Fellowship hall. At 7:30 the Friendship class will meet with Mrs. S. S. Williams at 139 Avenue B.  
Thursday at 2:30, the Happy Helpers will meet in the Primary room.  
At 2:30 March 13, the Mary-Marta class will meet with Mrs. C.R. Logan, 315 East 4th.

**St. Thomas Episcopal**  
The Sunday morning worship service will be held at 11 o'clock at the St. Thomas Episcopal church.  
The Woman's Auxiliary will meet for the regular session on March 18 at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. Doc Kirby. Mrs. Bill Waldrop will be in charge of the program.

**First Baptist**  
A revival is in progress at the First Baptist church and will continue through March 15.  
Services are held at 7 o'clock each morning and at 7:30 each evening.  
A baptismal service will be held Sunday evening at the First Baptist church.  
Dr. D. D. Sumrall of Dallas is the evangelist for the services and Vidal Jones of Vernon is the song leader.  
Sunday school at the First Baptist church is held at 9:45 and the morning worship services are held at 10:50.  
Sunday evening the training union will be held at 6:15 followed by the evening worship services at 7:30.  
Officers and teachers meet at 6:30 Wednesday evening. Prayer meeting is held at 7:30. At 8:15 choir practice is held.  
The church is located on the corner of Fifth and Main Street. R. H. Cagle is pastor; Bob Lawrence, educational and music director and Shirley Sharp, secretary.

**First Christian**  
The Sunday school classes meet at 9:45 at the First Christian church and the morning worship service is held at 10:55 a.m.  
The youth groups meet on Sunday evening at 6 p.m. followed by evening worship at 7 p.m.

**Seventh Day Adventist**  
"The organization of the Church of Christ" will be the study for the March 14 meeting of the Seventh Day Adventist church.  
The memory verse will be: 1 Corinthians 12:13.  
The study help will be chapter 11 of "The Bible the Spirit of Prophecy and the Church."  
Bible texts for study will be: Exodus 18:21, Acts 6:3; and 1 Timothy 3:1-4, 6, 7.  
The church is located at Third and Lawton.  
Sabbath school is held at 10 a.m. and the worship service is conducted at 11 a.m.

**Assembly of God**  
A revival is in progress at the Assembly of God church. Evangelist Hershel Murphy and wife are in charge of the services.  
Evangelist Murphy is also the singer for the revival.  
The services are held each evening at 7:30.  
Each Sunday morning Sunday school is held at 9:45 and the morning preaching is at 11 o'clock.  
Young people's and Junior children's church meets on Sunday night at 6:30.  
Each Sunday morning at 8:45 over KPAN the Assembly of God church has a radio program.  
Prayer meeting will be held at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday night.  
The WMC meets on Thursday afternoon at 2 p.m.

**Avenue Baptist**  
A revival is in progress at the Avenue Baptist church. Rev. C. J. McCarty, evangelist of the Calvary Baptist church in Lubbock is in charge of the services which will continue through Sunday, March 22.  
Weldon Lewis is assisting as gospel singer during the meeting.  
The morning services are held each day at 10 o'clock and the evening services are held at 8 o'clock each evening.  
Each Sunday morning at the Avenue Baptist Church Sunday school is held at 9:45. The morning worship services are held at 11 o'clock.  
Training union is held each Sunday evening at 6:45 o'clock.  
The Avenue Baptist church has evening worship services on Sunday evening at 8 p.m.  
Mid-week prayer services at 7:30 p.m. on Wednesday night.  
W. M. U. meets Friday at 2:30 p.m.

**First Presbyterian**  
Sunday school is held at 9:45 each Sunday morning at the First Presbyterian church.  
It is followed by morning worship at 11 o'clock.

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**Bessie Patterson, Roberta Campbell Address HD Group**

Two guest speakers were on the program for the meeting of the Home Demonstration club reporters Monday afternoon.

Bessie Patterson talked to the group on sending news to local and regional papers.

Roberta Campbell told the group about the type of news that should be sent to the Messenger, CHDA magazine.

A round-table discussion followed the talks.

During the business session Mrs. Otto Olson presided and Mrs. E. M. Cox served as secretary.

Those attending were: Mesdames: Elmer Patterson, Taft McGee, Progressive; R. C. Childers, Cultural, J. M. Townsend, Westway; C. F. Hornfeld, Bippus; H.L. Ward, Wyche; John Draper, South Hereford; Roberta Campbell; R.A. Fullwood, North Hereford; E. M. Cox, West Hereford; and Otto Olson, North Hereford.

**Wedding To Be In Vega Church**

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Paschel of Hereford, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Theresa to Daniel Acker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Acker, of Nazareth.

The wedding vows are to be exchanged at a Nuptial Mass, May 5, in the Immaculate Conception Church of Vega, with Reverend Jerome Hancock officiating.

Miss Paschel is a graduate of Vega High School. She also attended St. Vincent's Academy, Albuquerque, N. M. for three years.

Following that, she was graduated from the Parks School of Business of Denver, Colo.

Mr. Acker is a graduate of Nazareth High School. He was recently discharged from the Army after spending seven months in Italy.

**Tag Team Main Wrestling Event**

A tag team match is on the docket for the main event of the Lions Wrestling matches Saturday night.

The match will feature Dizzy Davis and Judo Jack Terry against Bob Cummings and Frankie Hart.

Dizzy Davis, who hails from Houston, will take on Hereford's Bob Cummings in a preliminary one fall-20 minute bout.

Judo Jack Terry of Santa Monica Calif. will be matched against Frankie Hart of Ontario, Canada in another one-fall 20 minute affair at the beginning of the evening.

**Rance Club Meets**

Mrs. Robin Vann gave a demonstration on furniture upholstery at the regular meeting of the Rance Home Demonstration club Friday afternoon when the group met with Mrs. Roy Dotkin.

Those present were: Mesdames A. F. Blakemore, F. M. Woolbright, J. C. Clearman, George DeLozier, Clifton Harper, L. J. Counselman, H. G. Behrends, L. M. Hamm, Jack Streun and the hostess, Mrs. Horace Ewin was a visitor.

**Courthouse Records**

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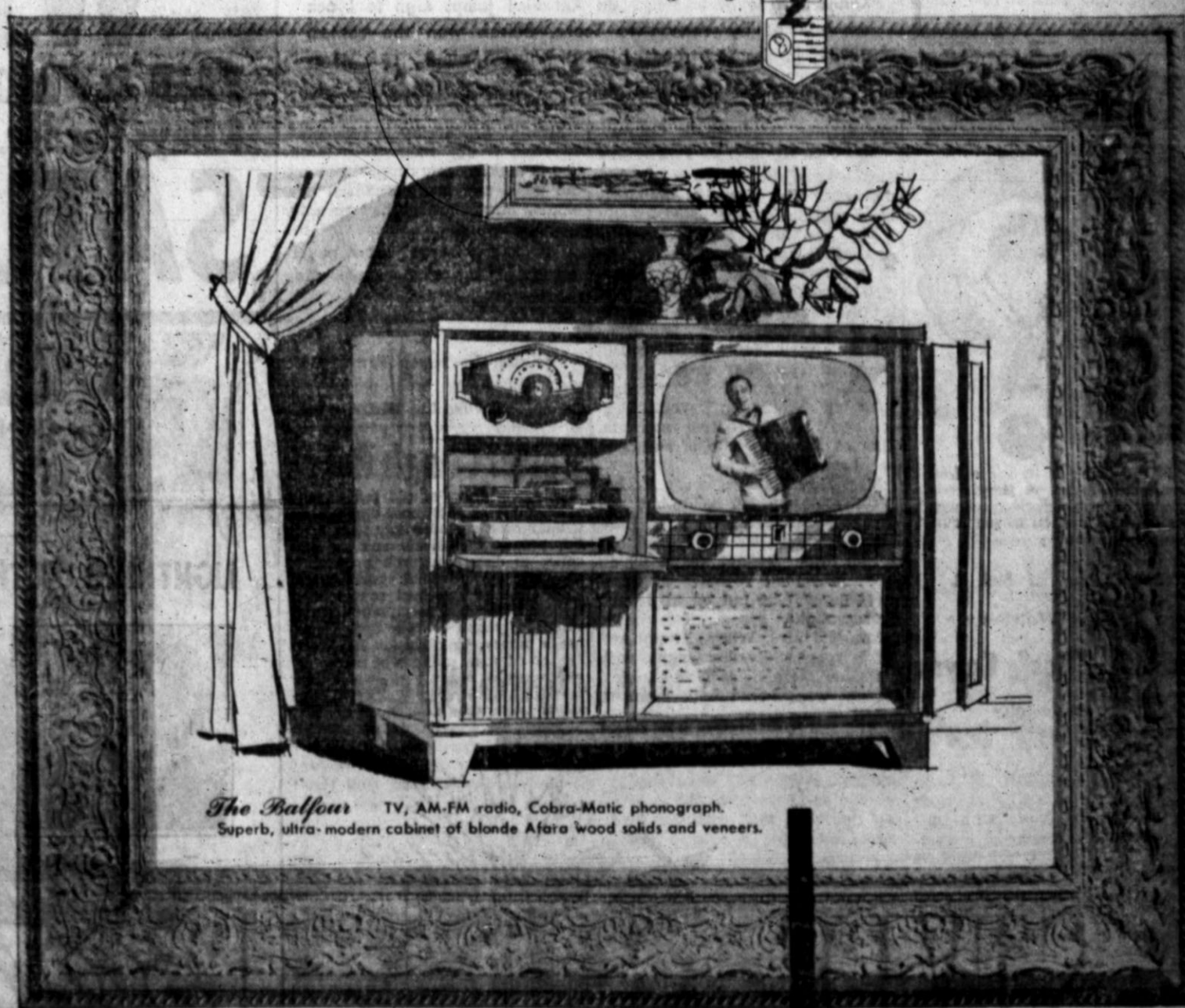
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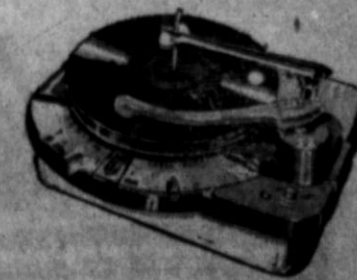
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# Summerfield NEWS

By Bobbie Walsler

Ann Lookingbill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Lookingbill, was honored with a surprise birthday party Saturday night given by her friends at the home of her parents. Those attending were: Dean Paul Gery McQuigg, Rex Cowart and Melvin Lomenick of Hereford, Sue Osborn and Gene Purcell of Westway; Bob Noland, Bill and Jim Lookingbill, Gloria and Carol Walsler, Nan Longbottom and Wayne and Bobbie Walsler.

Joe Streun, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Streun were among the basketball boys who attended the States games in Austin over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Herrington of Lubbock spent Saturday in the home of Mrs. Herrington's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lance, Mr. and Mrs. Reese Dawson and Reese, Jr. Herringtons and returned Sunday, returned to Lubbock with the

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Wright attended the basketball games of the Dimmitt girls Friday night in Canyon. The Wrights went on to Amarillo and spent the night and attended some business Saturday.

Freddy Lookingbill and Jamie Clearman spent Saturday night with Donald Walsler, honoring Don's birthday.

The farmers were glad to see the rain which fell Sunday. Reports were about 1/4 inch was received.

Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Councilman spent Saturday night in Amarillo with their daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Hatcher Sunday. The Councilmans went to Conway and spent the day visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Gripp. The Councilmans

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UP IN THE AIR - This is a sample of the strenuous action in the State Schoolboy Basketball Tournament at Austin. Kenneth Hale of Edison (San Antonio) jumps high to block an attempt by Vernon to Score. Edison won the contest 58-39, in the first round play of Class Triple-A. (AP Wire-photo).

are former residents of Conway.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Powell and family have moved north of Summerfield. The Powells formerly lived on the Turner place.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Curry of Amarillo were visitors in the Lee Curry home Thursday. The Currys also visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cayson Jopes of Friona.

Mrs. Vivian Major and Mrs. Bill Jones of Hereford were visiting friends in Summerfield Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. John Dawson, Darrell and Pat, are visiting their son, Charles Dawson, who is stationed in Missouri.

Mrs. Ray Johnson spent Friday in Lubbock with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Hansen.

The three one-act plays which were presented recently at Summerfield will be put on at Jumbo Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Wiley, Nancy and Mike spent Saturday night with his sister, Mrs. J. A. Noland. Mrs. Noland went home with them to spend a few days.

Mrs. C. S. Barclay is redecorating her living room this week. She is making new drapes, redoing the walls and has purchased new blinds. Mrs. Barclay has recently redecorated her kitchen in the colors of brown and yellow, papering the ceiling in a corresponding paper.

The San Francisco fire of 1906 was caused by breaking of gas mains following the earthquake.

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## Northwest Hereford News

By Mrs. R. C. Childers  
Mr. and Mrs. Bill Cappel have moved into the little house on the old Art Lewis place and he is employed by Cliff Potter. The Cappels formerly lived on the S. J. Barclay farm.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvis Southward spent last week-end in Altus, Okla. where they took Mr. Southward's mother, Mrs. J. R. Southward. They returned on Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl DeHart and Kenneth made a combined business and pleasure trip to Canyon Saturday. While there they visited in the Muncy Seay home.

Mrs. Art Lewis accompanied the F.H.A. girls group to Lubbock Saturday of which Georgia and Bonnie Lewis are members. They returned about 7:30 Saturday night.

Mrs. Leona Packard's house is to be moved to Hereford this week. She hopes to get it plumbed and ready to move into by the last of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Phillips were callers in the R. C. Childers home Monday afternoon. Mr. Phillips is connected with the Hereford State Bank.

Curtis Barclay and V. C. Hopson were in Clovis on business Tuesday.

Miss Velma Cook and her mother were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Childers Friday afternoon. Miss Cook is a teacher at Shirley School and is a former resident of Sundown Texas, where the recent tragedy occurred.

She and her mother were special friends of the Richard McChristians. The death of Mr. McChristial was a great shock to them. Miss Cook and her mother had visited in the McChristial home two weeks before his death.

O. B. Southern was a caller in the R. C. Childers home Friday afternoon.

The total Red Cross donations for the Northwest Hereford territory was \$75.00 as reported by the chairman Mrs. R. C. Childers, after checking with Corrinne Jennings and the work sheets of Mrs. Grady Parsons and Mrs. John Henderson co-workers with Mrs. Childers. The three workers covered 96 square miles, canvassing a total of 85 houses. More donations are promised and a number of call-backs are yet to be made.

The rain that fell Sunday was welcomed especially by the wheat farmers in this vicinity. The wheat was already beginning to green up Monday morning. It made all the farmers feel better even though the moisture content was light. Approximately half an inch of moisture was derived from the ten hour fall.

Mrs. R. C. Childers attended the reporters meeting Monday afternoon in the District Court Room at 2:30, where Mrs. Otto Olson who is chairman presided. Mrs. Elmer Patterson and Miss Roberta Campbell were guest speakers.

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# WEATHER REPORT!

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## SATURDAY, MARCH 21st

FREE SHOW  
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WEDDING ANNIVERSARIES  
Anniversaries from Thursday, March 12 - Saturday, March 14.  
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