

PARKINSON'S LAW

Something which the London Economist has dubbed Parkinson's Law is operating in this country. It seems almost as hard to get away from as the law of gravity, and its consequences are something to reckon with.

Parkinson's Law, as defined by the Economist, is that British government employees multiply by about five per cent annually without a proportionate increase in their total work output. Although the rate of gain in this country is only about 3.2 per cent, the law basically applies.

According to the National Bureau of Economic Research, the total labor force in this country rose about 125 per cent between 1900 and 1950, whereas the number of government employees jumped almost 500 per cent during the same period. In 1900, one employee out of every 25 worked for federal, state or local government. Now the figure is one out of every eight. By the end of last January, the executive branch of the federal government employed 2,375,000 persons.

All this is a source of considerable alarm to the First National City Bank of New York. Its statisticians figure that if "these trends are projected into the future, one finds that in the year 2069 we will all be working for the government." Statistics being what they are, this is not likely to come to pass. Nevertheless, it might be well to start making some amendments in Parkinson's Law.

UNKNOWN MUSCLES

The season of stooping and hauling is upon us, and the discovery of unknown muscles proceeds apace. Perhaps "unknown muscle" is a misnomer, since every last muscle in the human body has been captured and named by the physiologists. What we have in mind are the muscles which, after hibernating all winter, have suddenly made themselves painfully evident.

After a session of gardening, or a bout with storm windows and screens, these muscles begin to issue sharp reminders of their presence. The reminders are not made a bit more welcome by the fact that they issue from all the old familiar places.

All the same, the twinges—even the blisters on hands unaccustomed to the heft of garden tools—are rather pleasant in a painful sort of way. They signalize the season of outdoor activity, and it is good to drop into bed at night tired from something besides too much conversation or too much television.

After awhile the unknown muscles, having had their say as individualists, will get back into harness and work with the rest of the team. We mention this to reassure the fellow who was wondering between groans last night why he agreed to grub out that old stump in the corner of the backyard.

WISE BELGIAN MOVE

A region supposedly inhabited chiefly by savages is to receive a beginning in self-government. Belgium has enacted a law which will establish city government in the Congo. Rural agencies, corresponding to county governments, are the subject of another statute, now being drawn up. The African populations is also to be taken into the civil service, which has heretofore been entirely manned by whites.

Under the new city plan a burgomaster or mayor will be appointed by the Belgian government. At first most will be whites, but it is aimed to pick Negroes as soon as they show their fitness. There will also be ward councils, of whom one-third will be appointed, one-third elected, and the remaining third chosen by the first two. All males will be allowed to vote from the start, but some higher qualifications will be demanded for candidates.

This is a sound educational program which should eventually lead to complete self-government. Belgium is to be congratulated on its wisdom.

INDEPENDENT VOTE

The Arizona senator who says Walter Reuther is using the labor union movement to give him political power may be mistaken or not, but the fact remains that whether this can be accomplished is something labor union members decide for themselves on election day.

If past experience means anything, they resent having anyone attempt to dictate how or for whom their ballots are cast. They prize their independence as voters as one of the foremost prerogatives of their citizenship.

DEBUNKING THE ANT

"Go to the ant, thou sluggard, consider her ways and be wise." This traditional advice may not be so sound after all, says Dr. R. G. Wheeler of the University of North Dakota, "for ants aren't all they are cracked up to be."

If the ant, as popularly supposed, a model of industry? It looks like it when we disturb an anthill and see a prodigious amount of scurrying about. That, says Wheeler, "is merely because there are so many ants, and they all took alike."

Actually investigators have found that the male ant spends a lot of time in loafing, and the female ant in primping so as to look beautiful. That sounds very much like ordinary people, rather than models of behavior.

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EXTRACTING ALL FEELING



STRENGTH FOR THE WEEK

Bryan Ross-Westview Baptist Church

In this day when there is so much trouble on every hand there is a real need for the message found in Psalms 34:7. The verse goes like this, "The angel of the Lord encampeth round about them that fear him, and delivereth them." Considering the condition of the world, the many floods, the tornadoes, and all of the other things that are prevalent today, we are in need of divine power.

The historical background for our scripture is quite interesting. Darius set up a new administration in his kingdom, but Daniel continued in financial control. His high reputation was by experience of his wisdom, integrity, and self-renouncing devotion to the public good. The king intended to yet increase his power.

As we read the story we see that this alarmed the presidents and princes. So a Plot was planned against Daniel. Darius, being the weak man that he was, made it easy for this plan to be put into operation. Their plan was that no man, Not god even, shall be approached for a month in the language of petition.

Daniel proved himself a man of "excellent spirit," having a spirit of self-control, a spirit of genuine religion and a spirit of unflinching faith in God. Children are thrilled by the marvelous story of Daniel. From this background we may learn some lessons about Daniel that may be applied to our lives today. It is quite evident that Daniel's prayerfulness was the secret of his power. Someone has said that Daniel learned that you can see further on your knees than you can on your tiptoes.

The world is now in need of Daniel's prayerful spirit. The Bible teaches that the prayers of a righteous man availeth much. There isn't a situation or difficulty facing our world that could not be resolved by the prayers of God's people. Daniel was a great leader because he was a man of prayer.

There is another thing that we note in the scripture passage and

that is this: he was faced with some terrible difficulties. He was commanded not to pray for thirty days. He had to make a great decision. He would protect his life by ceasing to pray, or he would continue to pray and leave his future in the hands of God.

He knew what he must do—just as he had always done. We must continue to pray no matter what the difficulties may be in life.

Considering the things facing Daniel, we are interested in noting his decision. What would a man do when he knew that if he carried it out that his life would be in danger? The king says that he must not pray. Daniel knew that God said that he should pray. We are thankful that Daniel did not hesitate a single moment. Even more than that he did not even alter his accustomed habit of prayer in a single particular. He didn't even try to hide the fact that he was going to obey God rather than man. He could have done his praying at night in secret, but he did not choose to be a secret disciple of God.

It is worthy of note now to see the deliverance of Daniel. The evil that threatened him did come as predicted. We rejoice in the faithfulness of Daniel, but we also rejoice in the faithfulness of God. God gave him a wonderful deliverance. His own heart was cheered. The spirit of all Israel was raised. The name of God was made known across the land.

Oh, for more men and women with the spirit of Daniel. Expect tests, but go through with them. Learn constancy in religion. Learn the blessings of prayer. We will gain "strength for the week" if we will follow the example of Daniel.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Faulkner returned home Sunday after a weeks visit in Denver, Colorado, with their son, Luther Faulkner Jr., Mrs. Faulkner and children.

Mr. and Mrs. P. T. Gentry spent Sunday in Lockney visiting with Mrs. Gentry's sister, Mrs. Ida Ferrier, and with Mr. Gentry's mother, Mrs. Nora Gentry.

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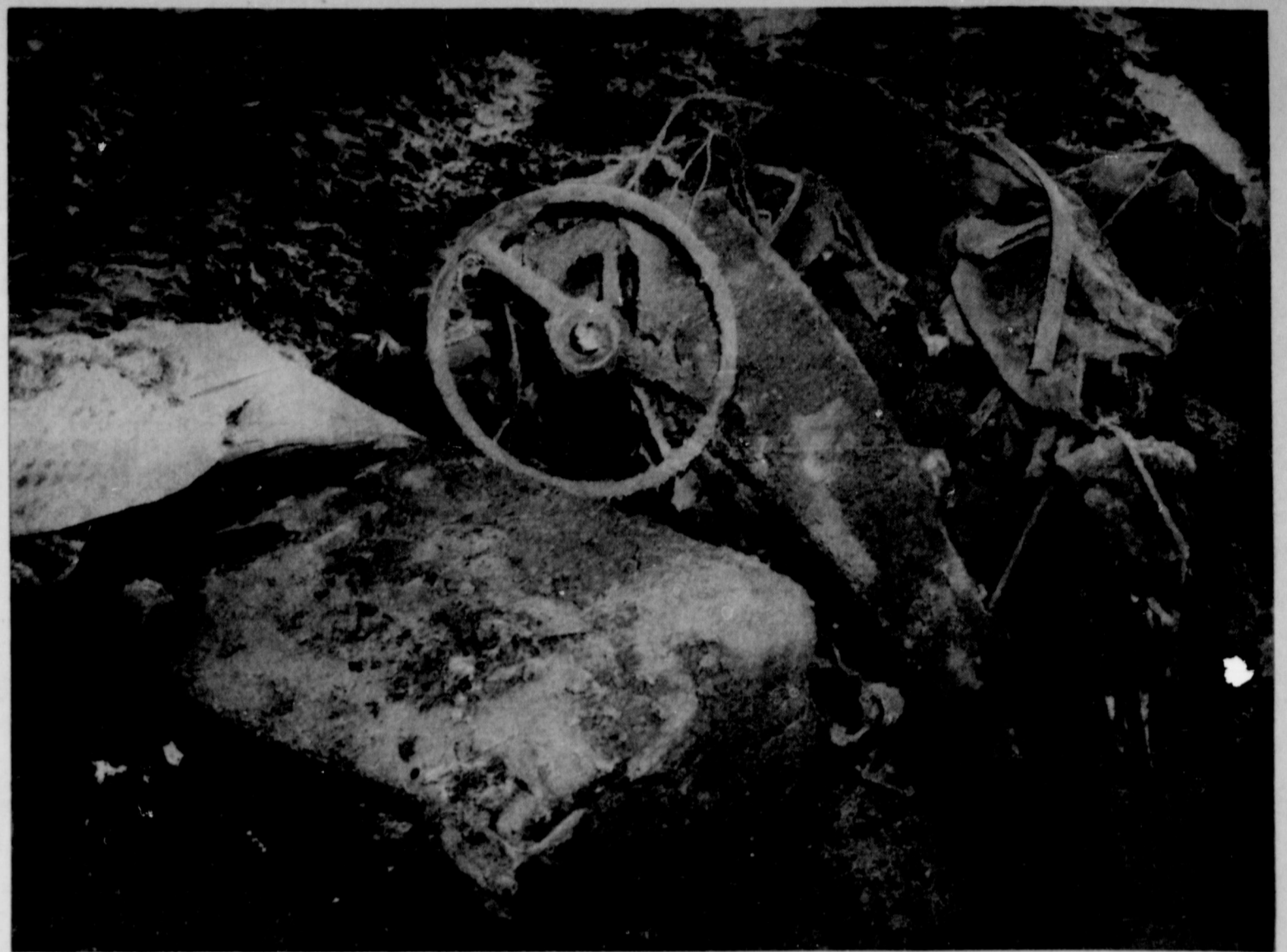
ere's Visible Evidence of What a Tornado Can Do



LIFE-SAVER—This storm cellar proved a life saver for about 20 persons Friday afternoon. Located on the Fred Klesel farm, the Klesels and several of their neighbors took shelter there when the tornado came their way. The Klesel

home was practically demolished, and buildings around it disappeared. Only one of the five cars in the yard remained when the twister had passed.

(SLATONITE STAFF PHOTO)



WANNA TAKE A RIDE?—This Ford car was a sedan . . . before it was "taken in" by Friday's twister. Not much of it was left when it was found about a half mile from where

it was before the tornado hit. The motor was still there, but no body was anywhere to be seen.

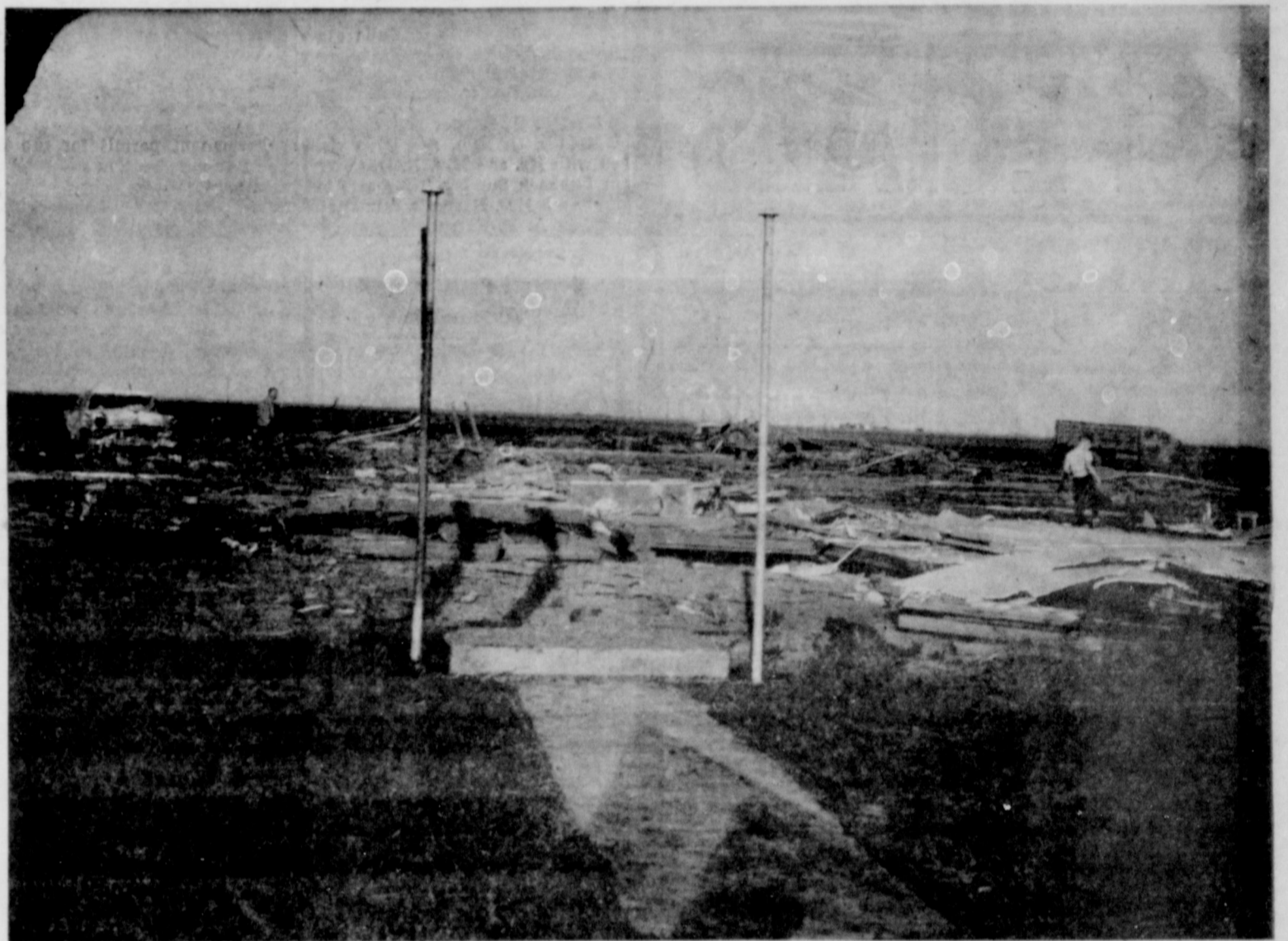
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WISTED, BROKEN TREES were a common sight around houses that were hit by the tornado. Several farm animals,

including the horse pictured here, were killed or badly injured at the Fred Klesel farm.

(SLATONITE STAFF PHOTO)



AND IN THE TWINKLING OF AN EYE—it was gone. What remains of the Weldon Meador home is just a bunch of debris, and the two posts which supported the front stoop.

The car, which was covered with mud, and terribly battered, can be seen at the left.

(SLATONITE STAFF PHOTO)



A TREE, A HOUSE—and all jumbled together as a result of just two or three minutes in the throes of a tornado. Some

17 persons were in a storm cellar for protection when the tornado hit the Roland Rhoads home.

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WHAT'S LEFT OF A PICKUP—Just the chassis, no motor, no body . . . where are they? Scattered for miles in the path of the tornado, probably pulverized so that they couldn't

be recognized. This pickup is one of five cars that were at the Fred Klesel farm while their occupants were in the shelter of the storm cellar. Two of the cars couldn't be found.

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B. B. Mosley from Dallas is visiting with his brother, Bill Mosley, and family this week.

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Three persons were jailed this week end for use of abusive language, and seven for drunkenness. Three traffic tickets were issued, all for driving without an operator's license.

Vandals tore a lavatory from the wall in one of the restrooms at the Slaton Clubhouse during the night Thursday, May 23. A window was broken out, and the water and drain pipes damaged.

Four dog calls were received by local police during the past week. Fender skirts were stolen from a car parked at the High School for graduation exercises last week.

Mrs. C. R. Richardson and Mrs. C. Henry Green returned Monday after a weeks visit in Belle Plaine, Kansas, where they visited with their daughter and sister, Mrs. F. L. Cochran, Mr. Cochran and Jerry. They also attended the graduation exercise for Jerry.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Garrigues spent Sunday in Lamesa visiting with their daughter, Mrs. J. D. McPhaul, Mr. McPhaul, and son, Tracy Crawford, who is home from Baylor University for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Marriott spent the week end in Ruidoso, N. M.



CONTEST WINNER—Miss Neutie Nan Watson placed third in a hair styling contest held Monday at the Lubbock Hotel, for students of the Jessie Lee Hair Design Institute. Her model was Marilyn Boyce. Miss Watson was presented a trophy, red roses, and a corsage. The contest was held for students, in connection with an open contest for professional hair stylists. She will graduate from the institute in August.

W. H. Sanders has been in Mercy Hospital since last Wednesday. One of his sons, Wallace Sanders, and his family, from Denver, Colorado, and two daughters, Mrs. Roy Osborn, of San Bernardino, Calif. and Mrs. Bill Hutto of Tulsa came in to visit with their father over the week end.

Mrs. J. G. Harper and children, Meredith, Carolyn, and Glen visited with Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Carroll in Lubbock Sunday. They also visited with Mrs. Harper's grandmother, Mrs. A. M. Carroll.

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Pep Squad Girls To Order Sweaters

Girls who plan to be in the Slaton High School pep squad next year, and do not have sweaters, will need to order them by July 1, according to Mrs. Audean Nowell, pep squad sponsor.

Mrs. Nowell can be contacted at 610 S. 7th street.

Red Sox, Braves Win First of Season's Games

With Pony League play underway this week, the Red Sox defeated the Tigers 9-6, and the Braves defeated the Cubs 5-4 in a double-header.

Opening play Monday was postponed because of rain.

For the Red Sox, who defeated the Tigers in a five inning game, J. White, J. Williamson, M. Bain and Fudge got hits. Lolo Diaz and J. Clack marked up the two hits for the Tigers.

In the second game, the score was tied up 4-4 at the end of the 5th inning, and again at the end of the sixth. G. Ward got the lone hit for the Braves, with G. Caldwell and J. Harlan getting hits for the Cubs.

Buffalo Lakes Permanent Permit Granted Monday

Permanent permit for the Buffalo Lakes Recreation and Improvement Project was approved by the Board of Water Engineers in a hearing Monday.

Plans call for one large lake at the present site for boating, fishing and water skiing, and the creation of a landscaped park adjoining the lake area for camping and picnicking.

Cost of the project, with an estimated completion date of February 1959, will be about \$1,860,000.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Fondy spent from Tuesday to Thursday of this week in Belen, New Mexico, visiting with Mr. Fondy's brother, Louis, Mrs. Fondy and children.

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NEW MANAGER—Ed Williams, former bookkeeper at Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co. has been named manager of the local yard. He has been a resident of Slaton since about 1950, and employed by Higginbotham Bartlett for nearly four years.



MOVES TO PECOS—Gordon Davis, former manager of Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co. here has been transferred to Pecos as manager of the Higginbotham-Bartlett Lumber Co. there. Davis had been manager of the local lumber yard about five years.

Memorial Day Service Held by American Legion

Members of Luther Powers Post of the American Legion, along with members of their auxiliary and local Boy Scouts, held a memorial service at Englewood Cemetery Thursday, May 30, Memorial Day.

The Rev. Claude Wingo was in charge of the service. Following the service, American flags were placed on veterans' graves.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Perry and Richard are spending this week end in Dublin with relatives and friends. Richard will be a member of the wedding party when Miss Gay Ann Harbin becomes the bride of James Cowan Friday evening at First Methodist Church.

Guests in the home of Mrs. F. M. McAnear Saturday were her son, Herbert McAnear, and children, Wendel, Larry, and Donna. They are from Big Spring. Mrs. Janie Hunt of Haskell and Mrs. Iva Woodson of Snyder, cousins of Mrs. McAnear, spent Sunday with her.

Methodist Youth To Elect Officers At Conference

New officers will be elected when the Northwest Texas Conference Methodist youth meet at First Methodist Church, Plainview, Friday and Saturday, June 7 and 8. The Rev. Hugh Daniel of New Home will be featured speaker.

Registration will be held from 4 to 5 p. m. Friday, followed by a picnic and fellowship period in the Seventh Street park at 5:30 p. m.

Opening program will be held in the sanctuary of First Methodist Church at 8 p. m. with the Rev. Daniel speaking. The program will begin with informal singing, a welcome from the pastor, Dr. Howard Crawford, a skit, hymn singing led by Bob McDonald, music director of the host church, and a prayer by the Plainview district superintendent, Dr. Luther Kirk. Delegates from the Slaton Methodist Youth Fellowship who will attend include James Vardy, Suzanne Neill, Russell Cummings, and Dorothy Heaton, and their sponsor, Richard Perry.

Saturday will feature promotional work for the conference youth and business. New conference officers will be elected, and publicity for summer activities will be given through skits. Reports will be given from Charles Lutrick of Lubbock, conference board of education executive secretary, and Barbara Somerville, Lubbock, conference youth director.

Lunch will be served at the church at 12 noon. Mrs. Hal W. Kirehoff, president of the host church Women's Society of Christian Service, is chairman of arrangements for meals and rooms for the youth, who will be entertained in homes on Friday night. McDonald is working with the local youth committees concerning other arrangements.

Guests in the home of Mrs. E. E. Wilson Saturday, were Mrs. Wilson's sister, Mrs. Bertha Reeder, from Dallas and her niece, Mrs. Ruby Prater, from Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Goodgoin and children of Lubbock spent Saturday evening visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Evans.

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Warrant Officer and Mrs. Claude L. Ward and Steve left Monday for New York where they will sail June 3 for France. Ward, who is with the U. S. Army, will be stationed in France for three years. They have been visiting with Mrs. Ward's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Sexton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Walther and family, former residents of Slaton, have sailed from Tripoli, North Africa, where they have been stationed with the U. S. Air Force. They are to arrive in Slaton on June 28, and will spend their furlough with relatives here. They will be stationed at Clovis, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer D. Maddox and children of Lubbock spent Saturday with Mrs. Maddox's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Allred. Sunday guests in the Allred home were their daughter, Mrs. Donald Basinger, Mr. Basinger and son of Southland; their sons, James V. and Mrs. Allred of Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wicker and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nowlin and children went on a fishing trip last Thursday to Possum Kingdom but were run out Saturday by high waters. They reported that the water was up to their waists crossing in some low places and very luckily they got out of it.

Beverly, Charlotte, and Elaine Bland spent Sunday, and Monday with their aunt, Mrs. D. P. Bland, at Stanton.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Womack of Olton visited in the home of Mrs. W. C. Church Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Hunter Tolbert of Lubbock spent Sunday visiting with Mrs. Tolbert's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Atkin.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin James and family of Vernon spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. James' sister, Mrs. Howard Armstrong, and Mr. Armstrong.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Ayers spent Sunday afternoon visiting in Lubbock with Mrs. Ayers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Thraillkill, and her aunt, Mrs. M. G. Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Arnold went to Tahoka Friday evening after the tornado to see if Mrs. Arnold's parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Benson, were all right.

Mrs. T. C. Campbell of Winters came last Wednesday for a visit with her son, Jim D. and Mrs. Campbell. Mr. Campbell has been sick. Mr. T. C. Campbell came Sunday night and both he and Mrs. Campbell left Tuesday.

Utah, Colorado, Arizona and New Mexico join at one point.

Slaton Men In Service

POHAKULOA, HAWAII (AHTNC)—Army PFC Charles A. Coleman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude C. Coleman, Wilson, Tex., is participating in a three-week field training exercise (May 21-June 7) with the 25th Division's 21st Infantry at Pohakuloa, Hawaii.

Coleman is a clerk in the infantry's Company B. He entered the Army in February 1956 and received basic training at Fort Chaffee, Ark. The 19-year-old soldier was graduated from Wilson High School in 1955.

Mrs. Ettie Mathis, owner of the Slaton Dress Shop, is on a buying spree in Dallas this week, attending the "Back to School and Fall" Market Week.

Mrs. W. E. Burns of Slaton was released from the San Angelo Hospital and is staying with her son, Earnest L. Stroud in San Angelo. She would like to hear from her friends. Her address is 1051 N. Van Buren St., San Angelo, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Bollinger delivered the clothes collected from the Slaton people to Silverton, Saturday, and some to Olton Sunday. They visited with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Patterson, while they were in Olton.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Meador, Mrs. Marinell De Vries, and Mrs. Jesse Brasfield visited with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Rankin in Ralls Friday evening.

The Rev. and Mrs. Trossel and daughters of Lubbock were among the visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Blaylock Sunday afternoon. The Blaylocks' daughter, Mrs. I. W. Holloway, and daughter of Levelland also visited with them Sunday.

Class in Sewing Short-cuts Will Begin June 6

An adult class in short-cuts in sewing will meet at 2 p. m. Thursday, June 6, at the High School, according to Mrs. Ima Dora Haile, homemaking teacher.

Any person who wishes to enroll in the class should call Mrs. Haile at VA8-4326.

Time for the class meeting will be decided at the first meeting of the group.

No charge will be made for the class, which is sponsored by the local school.

L. J. Baxley and son, Jacky of Mineral Wells visited Mr. Baxley's mother, Mrs. C. E. Geer, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Baker and family spent Sunday with Mrs. Baker's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Young, at Tahoka.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Medart of Amarillo visited with Mrs. Medart's father, J. N. Carroll; her sisters, Mrs. Fred Blair and Mrs. Barney Wilson Sunday.

Mrs. A. J. Baker and her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Stavenhagen of California, who are visiting with her, spent Sunday with another son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Baker, of the Wilson community.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Glascock Sunday were their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Odie Glascock and Randy of Snyder, and Mr. Glascock's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Glascock and Tommy of Hale Center.

Week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Chambers were Mr. Chambers' uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Woolen, of Lubbock.

Week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Clark were their daughters, Hazel, of Amarillo, and Mrs. Truman Ford, Mr. Ford and children of San Angelo. Mr. and Mrs. Ford were here because of the illness of Mr. Ford's father.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe McClure and children of Denver, Colorado, spent from Saturday morning to Sunday evening with Mrs. McClure's aunt, Mrs. F. E. Chapple, Mr. Chapple and children.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Banks and Joe of Sweetwater spent Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. R. W. Coffee, Mr. Coffee and boys.

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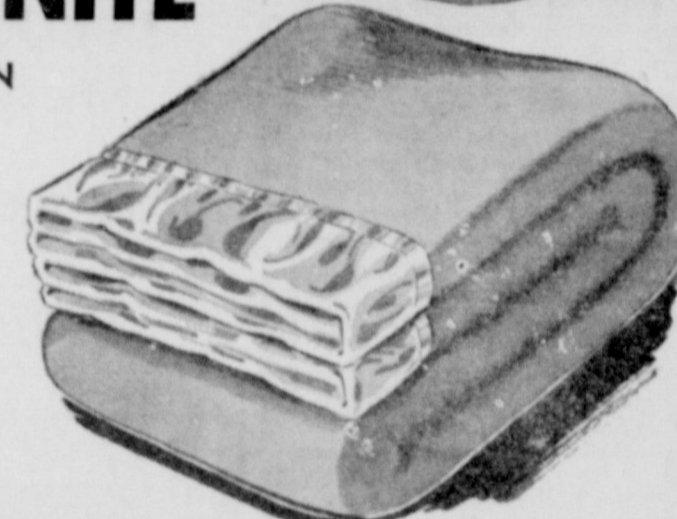
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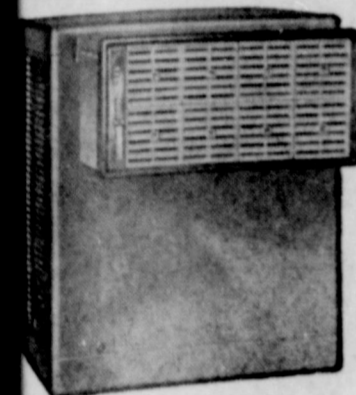
Mr. and Mrs. Dee Perdue spent the week end in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Roberts.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Brown returned Friday from a two week vacation. They visited Los Angeles and San Francisco, Calif.; Reno, Nev., and Houston. They reported that they saw many interesting sights in California and Nevada.

Mr. and Mrs. Deima Hodge met Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Butler Jr., of Cactus, at Conchas Lake where they all fished Monday and Tuesday of last week.



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Thanks Expressed By Silverton Mayor for Aid

Spencer Long, Mayor of the City of Silverton, expressed his appreciation, along with that of the people of Silverton, to Slaton residents who aided that city following their tornado disaster about three weeks ago.

The letter, addressed to The Slatonite, follows:

"On behalf of the people of Silverton, please allow me the privilege to express through your letters to the editor column, or by any other means which you may provide, our profound appreciation to the wonderful people of your city who have so graciously aided this community following our tragic tornado.

"Your generosity has been overwhelming, and we give heartfelt thanks to everyone who participated in our aid.

"We trust that it will never become necessary that we return your kind acts because of such a calamity as visited our community three weeks ago."

Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Patterson visited with Mr. Patterson's brothers, R. G., at Lamasa and G. S. Patterson at Brownfield. They also visited with Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Gordon at Ropes.

Guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gilliland were their son, Duane, Mrs. Gilliland and Ricky, Mrs. Gilliland's sister, Mrs. Don Adair, and children, all of Lubbock; and her niece, Mrs. Audrey West, of Sudan.

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TOPSY-TURVY—Cars, barns, houses, all were topsy turvy after being struck Friday afternoon by the vicious tornado that crossed farmland south and southeast of Slaton. About a hundred people took shelter in storm cellars from the funnel which turned this car upside down at the Roland Rhoads farm.

Summer Homemaking Program Begins Tuesday; 41 Girls Enrolled for Study

Slaton High School's summer homemaking program will get underway at 9:30 a. m. Tuesday, June 4, according to Mrs. Ima Dora Haile, local homemaking teacher.

Two workshops are scheduled in June, Mrs. Haile said. Nursery school will be held June 5, 6, 7, 10, and 11. Only children between the ages of two and one-half and six will be enrolled.

Holley, Gail Huser, Lynn Hurst, Lucille Lewis, June Lytle, Linda McCarver, Pauline Martin, Maxine Moore, Beverly Myers, Lupe Parra, Sonja Queen, Pat Schilling, Della Scoggins, Irene Tomlinson, Lettie Traweck, Wanda Wells, Eunice Wiley, Donna Wilke, and Kay Wilson.

All members of the workshop are to report to the homemaking

department at 9:30 a. m. Tuesday, Mrs. Haile said.

Handcraft School
Second workshop will be a handcraft school held the week of June 24-28. Included in those enrolled are Ophelia Bloxom, Linda Buxkemper, Betty Clark, Loretta Gerngross, Gail Huser, Lynn Hurst, Shirley Kitten, June Lytle, Linda McCarver, Sonja Queen, Pat Schilling, Della Scoggins, Martha Strube, Irene Tomlinson, Lettie Traweck, and Eunice Wiley.

Students enrolled in the summer program who did not choose either workshop are Carolyn

Grace Lutheran Bible School Begins Monday

The annual Daily Vacation Bible School will be conducted by Grace Lutheran Church for two weeks, June 3-14. Daily sessions Monday through Friday will begin at 8:30 a. m. and close at 11:00 a. m. The main theme of the courses of study will be "Our Lord's Prayer" Bible-centered lesson materials will also include visual helps for children from ages 2 to 14 years.

The general superintendent of the School is Mrs. W. H. Walter, with the following teachers and helpers serving the respective departments: Nursery I Miss Joan Schneider, Mrs. Nadine Clark; Nursery II, Miss Willie Mae Walter, Mrs. W. H. Walter.

Primary I, Mrs. Edmund Wilke, Mrs. James Riney, Primary II, Mrs. Fred Kjesel, Mrs. Willie Schneider.

Junior I, Mrs. Leo Stolle, Mrs. Willie Becker; Junior II, Mrs. Walter Stolle, Mrs. R. L. Camden.

Intermediate, Pastor H. F. Treptow.

Misses Beatrice Kjesel and Kathy Mueller will serve as recreation supervisors. Miss Carol Stolle will serve as organist for the school.

All children of the community are invited to attend, according to the Rev. Henry F. Treptow, pastor of Grace Church.

The Slaton Slatonite Friday, May 31, 1957

John W. Cullar, who is with the U. S. Army in New Jersey, spent the week end with his brother, Ray Cullar, and family.

Mrs. S. O. Henry, Nan and Ronnie are spending a month in Ocean Side, Calif. with Mrs. Henry's son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Everett Hodge.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Hickman spent Sunday in Odessa visiting with Mr. Hickman's sister, Mrs. W. F. Robinson.

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Pentecostal Bible School Begins Monday, June 3

Vacation Bible School will get underway Monday at the Pentecostal Holiness Church, 105 W. Knox, according to the Rev. L. E. Jackson, pastor.

The Bible course, "Jesus Calls," will be taught. The school will be held from 9 until 11:30 a. m. Monday through Friday.

Songs and choruses will be taught, along with stories and games.

Rev. Jackson said all children were welcome to attend.

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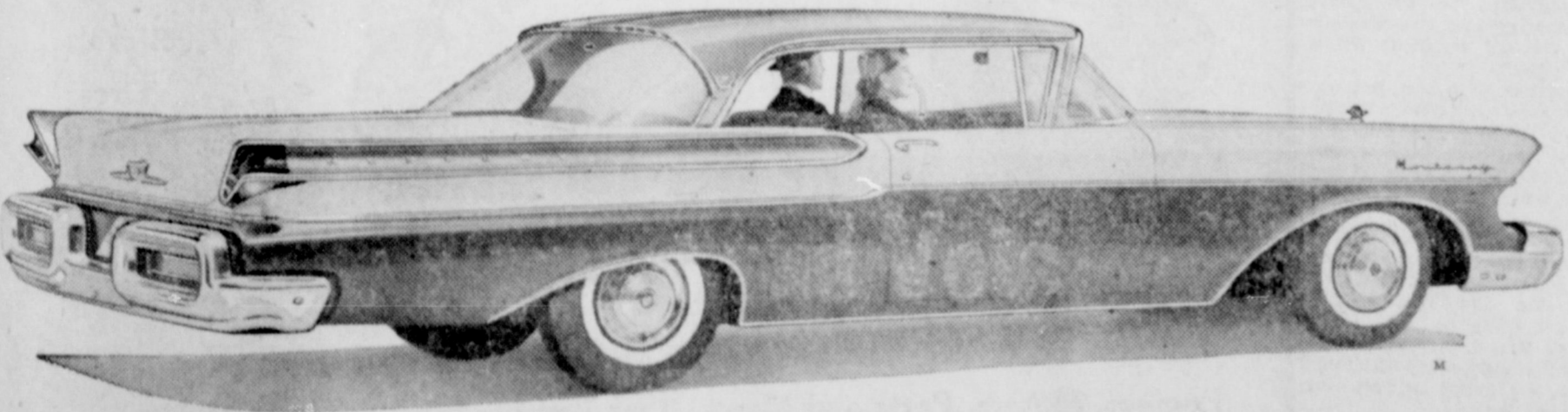
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Born May 21 to Mr. and Mrs. Ned Steverson, Route 1, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a boy, weighing 7 lbs. and 1 oz.

Born May 22 to Mr. and Mrs. Henry Luna, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a girl, weighing 6 lbs. and 1 oz.

Born May 22 to Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Duncan, Route 2, Lubbock, in Mercy Hospital, a boy, weighing 7 lbs. and 7 oz.

Born May 25 to Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Johnson, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a girl, weighing 7 lbs. and 4 1/2 oz.

Born May 26 to Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Wilcox, 1250 S. 14th, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a girl, weighing 8 lbs. and 14 1/2 oz.

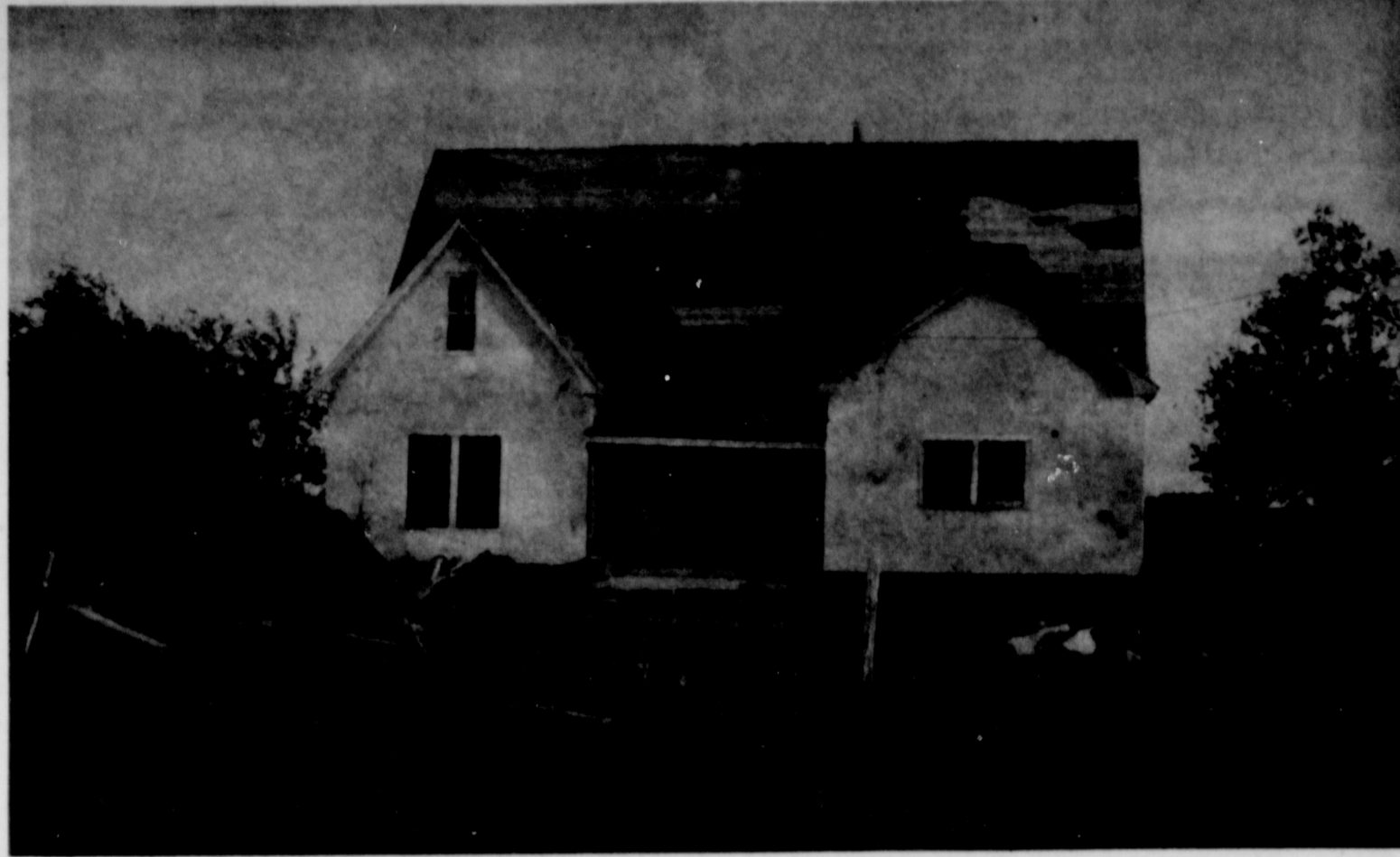
Born May 26 to Mr. and Mrs. Cleto Quirino, Gen. Del., Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a girl, weighing 6 lbs. and 9 oz.

Born May 26 to Mr. and Mrs. Felix Maldonado, Slaton, in Mercy Hospital, a boy, weighing 6 lbs. and 11 oz.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Melver of Honey Grove and Mr. and Mrs. James Hill of Big Spring spent from Thursday to Sunday evening with Mrs. Melver and Mrs. Hill's parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Garland. They all went to Lubbock Thursday to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Wilson. Mrs. Wilson is a sister to Mrs. Hill and Mrs. Melver.

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STRIPPED OF ITS SHINGLES—the E. N. Pickens home still stands after having most of its shingles taken off by the tornado. Buildings on all sides of the house were destroyed by Friday's tornado, but the house withstood its fury. (SLATONITE STAFF PHOTO)

WILSON NEWS

The people of the Wilson community were struck with horror last Friday when the heavens were darkened with the most vicious tornado the community has ever seen. Those that were in the direct path were saved from a doom too terrible to think about by taking cover in cellars. Their neighbors for miles around sought refuge in the heart of mother earth, too, as they ran for their or their neighbors' cellars. To most of us it was the first real twister ever seen. The families who lost their homes have our deepest sympathy but how thankful we are that there were no lives lost.

Graduation exercises for Junior High students were held in the Wilson High School auditorium Friday night, May 24. The salutatory address was given by Nancy Wuenche and the valedictory by Glenda Young. Doris Lamb gave the class colors and Judy Bishop discussed the class flower. Londa Wilkinson played a piano solo.

Members of the graduating class included Thurman Bartley, Jackie Bishop, Judy Bishop, Harland Brown, Jeanette Buckemper, Curtis Christopher, Bobby Crowson, Margaret Crowson, Durwood Eakin, Charles Earwood, Verda Mae Fields, La Vada Galneau, Jean Hagler, Catherine Hughes, Doris Lamb, Arnell Lehman, Rodney Maeker, Darlene Menzer, Mike Moerbe, Don Morton, Edwin Reed, Beatrice Smalley, Mike Spears, Linda Wilkinson, Jo Carolyn Williamson, Nancy Wuenche and Glenda Young.

Rodney Maeker was named All Round boy. Most All Round girl

was Jane Schenider. Bobby Crowson and Doris Jean Lamb received the athletic awards.

Nancy Wuenche, Glenda Young, Vondal Renne and Jerry Hutcheson were on the honor roll for the year.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Stavenhagen and Janet of Montebello, Calif., are visiting Mrs. Stavenhagen's mother, Mrs. A. J. Baker, of Slaton and her brothers, Wilson and George, and their families in Wilson.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Gardner of Swenson were week end guests of their son, Clifton, and Mrs. Gardner.

Mr. and Mrs. George Holden of Big Spring were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lichey last week. The Holdens came for Mary Lou's graduation.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Smith of New Home visited with Mr. and Mrs. Roger Blakney one evening last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Crooks of Petty visited with Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Moore Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Heck were guests of Mrs. Heck's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Brock, of Lubbock Sunday.

John Heck was admitted to West Texas Hospital in Lubbock last week for surgery. He is doing nicely, Mrs. Heck reports.

John Ford was admitted to Mercy Hospital in Slaton last Thursday after suffering a heart attack.

Mr. and Mrs. Theo Campbell had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Sales and children of New Deal. Mr. and Mrs. Sales are former teachers in the Wilson High School where he was football coach and Mrs. Sales was head of the Homemaking Department.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Gryder and Harry and Mrs. Orval Gryder's mother, Mrs. Shoefuris, all of Lubbock, were guests in the Carl Gryder home Wednesday and attended graduation exercises.

Mrs. Onas Ray, Peggy and Nelda of Slaton attended graduation exercises Wednesday evening when Mrs. Ray's nephews, Dan Lamb and Eugene Gryder, graduated.

Miss Carol Slate of Dallas has been a house guest of Mary Lou Lichey for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Baxley visited Sunday with Mrs. Baxley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. White, of Abernathy.

Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Junior Campbell and children and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Campbell and son were recent guests of Mrs. H. J. Campbell's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dave Anderson of Merkel.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Lichey and daughter of Beaumont arrived Sunday for several days visit with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Lichey and Mary Lou.

Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Cookston of Levelland visited Sunday with their daughter, Mrs. Harry Hewlett, and Mr. Hewlett Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Milliken of Wolforth visited Mrs. Milliken's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Williamson and Eva and Mrs. George Williamson and family Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Craft of Posey visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Petty.

Mrs. E. O. Montgomery and her daughter, Sheryl, and Mrs. Howell Morgan of Lubbock spent the week end in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Keischnick and children of Lubbock visited Mrs. Keischnick's father, E. O. Montgomery, Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Moore visited with relatives in Olton Sunday.

The people of Wilson wish to extend a hearty welcome to two new families who have moved into our community. They are Mr. and Mrs. Jim Traweck and Mr. and Mrs. Everest Dworaczky. The Trawecks came from Lubbock and the

Dworaczky came from Slaton. Both women will be employed with the Wilson State Bank. Mrs. Dworaczky started work last week and Mrs. Traweck will begin July 1.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Clary and Carolyn visited with Mr. Clary's sister in Hobbs, New Mex. last Sunday.

D. A. Brown and Travis and Bill Klos left Friday for Falcon Lake to spend the week fishing.

Dale Price and Grover Watkins left Friday for Possum Kingdom to spend the week fishing.

Mrs. D. A. Brown visited with her sister in Big Spring Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Smith and son of Odessa spent Sunday with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thad Smith.

Rev. George Heinemeir left the first of the week for Austin where he will attend a church meeting. He was accompanied by his family as far as Taylor where they will visit with relatives and friends.

The Walter League of St. Paul Lutheran Church had a social in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Moerbe Sunday night.

Fred Davidson of Plainview spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Pearl Davidson.

Harold Lee and Rex Swann, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Garland Swann of Plains, spent the week visiting

their aunt Mrs. Jack Blevins, and Mr. Blevins.

Miss Shirley Hewlett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hewlett, who has been a student at Hardin-Simmons, and Judy Blankenship, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Blankenship, also a student at Hardin-Simmons, returned home Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Crosby have recently returned from Shiner where they have been visiting Mrs. Crosby's father, Mr. Troutwine.

Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Kolodziejczyk of Odessa visited the past week in the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dennis Kolodziejczyk, and his brother, Joe and family, and his sister, Mrs. S. H. Verkamp who is seriously ill at her home.

Church-Brewer Nuptial Read
The Church of Christ of Slaton was the scene of the marriage of Miss Melba Joe Clem and Lester G. Brewer, Saturday May 25. The double ring ceremony was read by Bro. C. L. Newcomb.

The bride was dressed in a navy blue suit and carried white accessories. She was attended by her sister, Mrs. Jimmie Brown, as matron of honor.

Mr. Brewer, who was attended by Jimmie Brown as best man, is with the Air Force stationed at Ardmore, Okla.

Church School Attendance
Marked at 1,646 on May 24

Attendance at church schools in Slaton Sunday, May 26, 1957, totaled 1,646 in the 14 churches which reported.

Churches reporting and their attendance was as follows:

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| First Christian | 63 |
| Church of God | 49 |
| First Methodist | 230 |
| First Baptist | 383 |
| Church of the Nazarene | 60 |
| Westview Baptist | 192 |
| First Presbyterian | 87 |
| Grace Lutheran | 101 |

Church of Christ
First Baptist Mission
Assembly of God
Pentecostal Holiness
Bible Baptist
Missionary Baptist

Miss Fonda Patterson of Union spent Monday and Tuesday with Ann Haddock.

Mrs. Marvin Harris and her children, Shera and Glenn, spent last week visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Jackson, and other relatives in Carlsbad, N. M.

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Taken from Files of June 1, 1956

Wedding vows were exchanged Wednesday evening, May 30, in the First Methodist Church by Miss Betty Jo Fondy, daughter of Joe Fondy, and William Buford Brown Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. William Buford Brown of Sylvester. Mr. and Mrs. George McCracken of Tahoka have announced the marriage of their daughter, Gloria Frances Best, to Floyd Charles (Butch) Hargrave, ADAN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Hargrave of Slaton.

Slaton was well on its way to gaining two new schools and a new church this week as construction of the buildings was moving right along. Largest among the building projects was the auditorium for the First Baptist Church which is expected to be completed in time for use by the congregation by Christmas.

Brickwork and steel work was almost finished on the new parochial school at St. Joseph's Catholic Church, according to the Rev. Msgr. T. D. O'Brien.

Workmen had completed foundation work at the new Evans High School which is under construction in the city.

Slaton's City Commissioners voted to call in a bond expert from Dallas to study a recommendation made by a citizen's committee for a \$300,000 bond issue in the city.

Pfc. Chester S. Fondy, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Fondy, recently returned to his base at Schawbsch Hall, Germany, after a leave on which he traveled some 3500 miles. Army Pvt. Stanley P. Nesbitt, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Nesbitt, Route 2, Slaton, Tex., is receiving advanced infantry training in the 4th Armored Division at Fort Hood, Tex.

The Westview Baptist Church observed open house at its new auditorium and classroom building at 830 S. 15th St. Sunday afternoon.

Members of the Southland High School met recently at their school for a one-day celebration climaxed in the evening by the crowning of a school king and queen.

Over 130 residents and businessmen attended one of the one-hour sessions during the two-day Community Clinic Monday and Tuesday at the Slaton High School Auditorium.

Taken from Files of May 30, 1952

Forrest Davis, Slaton Water and Sanitary Department Superintendent, said this week that a number of property owners have not made connection with the sewer system in accordance with the city laws that require homes within 100 feet of a sewer line to connect with it.

Sgt. Roy Carpenter of the 45th Division from Oklahoma, the famed Thunderbird Division, arrived in Slaton Saturday night. He has been in Korea and Japan for the past 14 months.

Receipts from Saturday's sale of

Buddy Poppies was \$160.00. Approximately 1,000 poppies were sold in Slaton. Buddy Poppy Day was sponsored by the Slaton V. F. W. Post.

The success of Slaton's city wide cleanup campaign scheduled Wednesday, June 4, will depend chiefly upon the cooperation of individuals in cleaning up their own premises and vacant lots, it was emphasized this week by Dr. Glen B. Payne, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce health and sanitation committee.

Congressman Lindley Beekworth of Upshur County, Gladewater, Texas, was in Slaton last week on behalf of his candidacy for the United States Senate.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mosley, 1035 S. 11th St., Slaton, announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Miss Patsy Jo Mosley, to Jake Wendel.

William R. Sanner, CTI, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Sanner, will be home in the latter part of June. He has been in the Aleutians for the past 18 months.

Cpl. and Mrs. Alvin Kitten and Cpl. Joe Kitten from Fort Sill, Oklahoma, were in Slaton last week end. Alvin and Joe will be on furlough next week.

SFC Welker McDonald, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bert McDonald, is home on a 30 day furlough after spending 9 1/2 months in Korea.

Cpl. Davey L. Kenney, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Kenney, has been home on a 10 day leave.

Taken from Files of May 30, 1947

John Berkley and Ed Haddock, owners of the building site on the west side of the square where the building burned last Winter, announced this week that they have contracted to build a modern store building on the property, to be occupied by the C. R. Anthony Stores.

The new booster pump recently installed near the Ray C. Ayers and Son Grain Elevator, is delivering better than 200 gallons of water per minute.

Mr. R. C. Goodwin, formerly elementary principal in the Slaton Schools, and his family are leaving Slaton about June 1.

Miss Jolene Tate, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe W. Tate, leaves May 31 to enter Mary Hardin-Baylor at Belton, Texas.

Miss Dolly Payton, daughter of J. W. Payton, left May 24 for Austin, Minnesota, where she plans to enter training to be a nurse.

The Rev. and Mrs. H. E. Summar spent Thursday and Friday visiting with friends and relatives in Amarillo and Borger.

Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Alcorn of Muleshoe spent Saturday and Mrs. Raymond Dunn and Franice Ray of Lubbock spent Sunday with Mr. Alcorn and Mr. Dunn's parents. Mr. and Mrs. O. N. Alcorn.



Happy Birthday

June 1: Mrs. Fredric de Vries, Cheryl Kay Splawn, Vincint Schilling, Mrs. M. L. Turnbow, J. E. Donaldson, Mrs. June Spikes, Joe Schwertner, Herman F. Pricer, Vera Clary, Mrs. Travis Mann, Sharon Smith.

June 2: Dwayne Allen Walters, Gail Huser, Vicki Lee Roche, Wanda Martin Brown.

June 3: Mrs. Arthur Kahlich, Irby G. Smith, Pam Stansell.

June 4: Earl Lancaster, Mrs. James R. Burton, S. D. Burton, A. D. Adams, Leo Stolle.

June 5: Earl Foerster, Mrs. Sherman Brashears Sr., Dana Lou Heaton, Lois Merrell.

June 6: Mrs. Robert Hall Davis, Clyde Schilling, Suzanne Neill, Junior Garman, Nan Saage, DeEtta Buxkemper, Pat Davis.

June 7: Mrs. Francis Perry, Mrs. Weldon Martin, Milton Pwonka, Joyce Schroeder, James Wylie Rodgers, Tommy David Stell, Luther Jones, Beverly Ann Myers.

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Mr. and Mrs. Adolf Neiman and their grandson, Stevie, and Mrs. Orvil Neiman all of Andrews spent Monday with Mr. and Mrs. Truett Bownds. Mrs. Adolf Neiman is Mr. Bownds' aunt.

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BY HUGO

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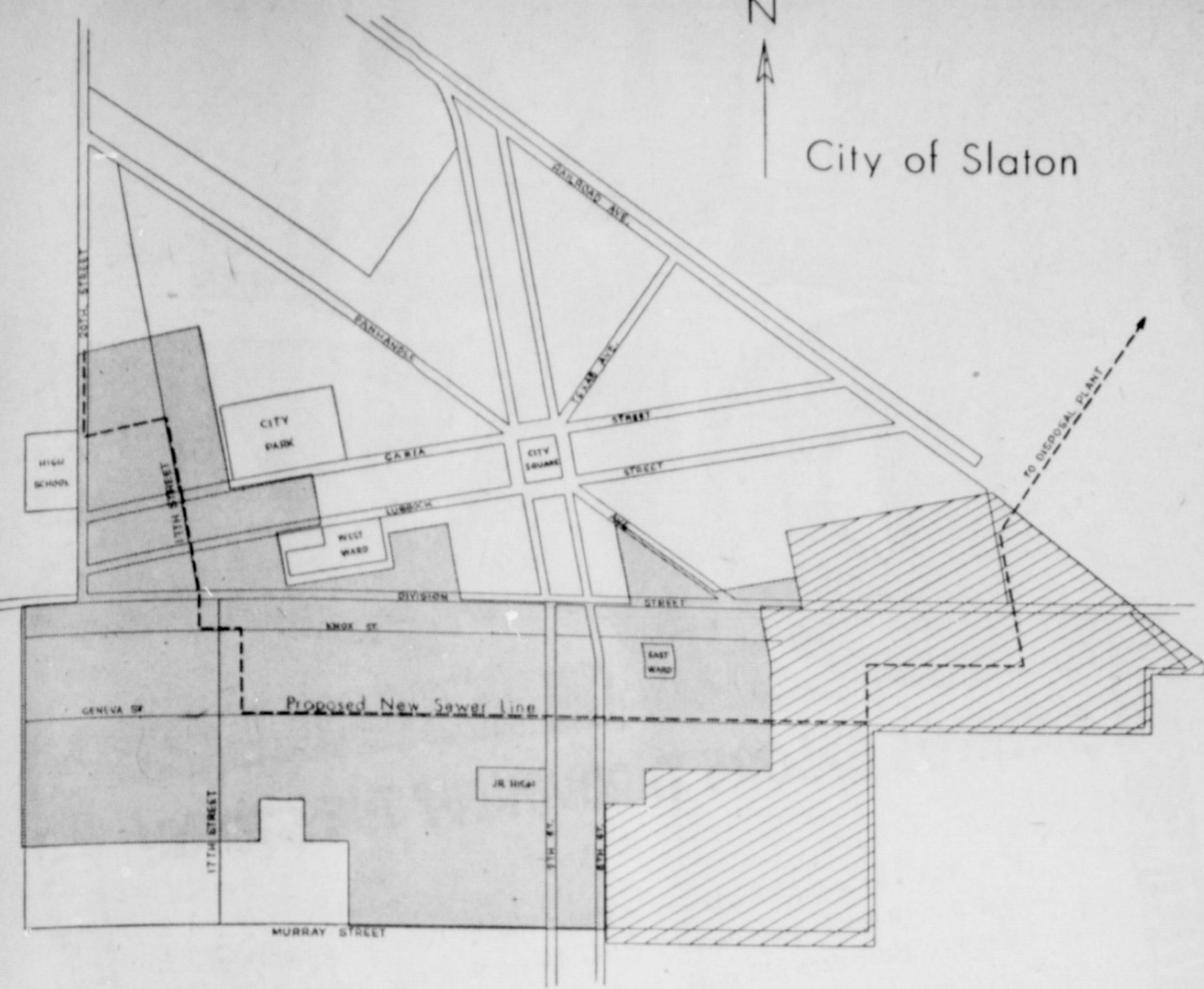
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- Against the issuance of \$35,000.00 water system bonds and the levy of a tax in payment thereof

Proposition No. 2

- For . . . the issuance of \$115,000.00 sewer system bonds and the levy of a tax in payment thereof
- Against the issuance of \$115,000.00 sewer system bonds and the levy of a tax in payment thereof

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Hunt's No. 300 Can

FRUIT COCKTAIL 5 cans \$1.

Libby's, 46-Oz. Can

TOMATO JUICE 4 cans \$1.

YOUR CHOICE \$1.

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| Pard, 16-Oz. Can DOG FOOD | 7 cans \$1 |
| Deep Brown, Libby's, 14 Ozs. BEANS | 8 cans \$1 |
| With Pork, Marshall, No. 300 BEANS | 12 cans \$1 |
| Spanish, Brown Beauty RICE, No. 300 Cans | 6 for \$1 |
| Lucky Strike Chunk Style Tuna, No. 1/2 Can 4 for \$1 | |
| Grape, Church's, 24 Ozs. JUICE | 3 bottles \$1 |
| Dole, No. 1 1/4 Flat Can Sliced PINEAPPLE | 5 cans \$1 |
| Hunt's, California, Solid Pack, No. 300 Can TOMATOES | 7 cans \$1 |

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| Cinch, Assorted Box CAKE MIX | 23c |
| Green, Rosedale, No. 303 Cans BEANS | 2 cans 29c |
| Kounty Kist, No. 303 Can PEAS | 15c |
| Morton's, 1/4-Lb. Box TEA | 29c |
| 6 Pkgs. KOOL AID | 25c |
| Brer Rabbit, Maple Flavored SYRUP, 10c Off Label, Net Price | 29c |
| Pioneer, Box PANCAKE MIX | 19c |

YOUR CHOICE \$1.

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| Hunt's Halves or Slices, No. 300 Can PEACHES | 5 cans \$1 |
| Libby's Fancy County Gentleman, Cream Style No. 303 Can CORN | 7 cans \$1 |
| Marshall, Tall Can MILK | 8 cans \$1 |
| Par, Pure Peach or Apricot, 20-Oz. Tumblers PRESERVES | 3 for \$1 |

BOLOGNA PORK ROAST

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| Sliced, E & R All Meat 3 lbs. | \$1. |
| Fresh, Lean GROUND BEEF | 39c |
| 4-Fishermen, 1-Lb. Pkgs. COD FISH | 3 lbs. \$1 |
| Nu-Tast, 2-Lb. Box CHEESE SPREAD | 3 for \$1 |
| SKINLESS FRANKS E & R Brand | 69c |
| SLICED BACON Wilson's Crispbite | 3-lb. bag 95c lb. 49c |
| U. S. Good Beef, Lb. LOIN STEAK | 79c |
| U. S. Good Beef, Lb. CHUCK ROAST | 43c |
| U. S. Good Beef, Lb. BEEF RIBS | 19c |

BANANAS 12 1/2 c

Golden Fruit lb.

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| LETTUCE, Large Firm Heads | lb. 10c |
| TURNIPS AND TOPS, Fresh | large bunch 10c |
| NEW POTATOES, Fresh Red | lb. 7 1/2c |
| ORANGES, Florida, Full of Juice | lb. 10c |
| RADISHES, Large Bunches | each 5c |
| California, Kentucky Wonder, Lb. GREEN BEANS | 19c |
| DEODORANT, Ban, 98c Size, Plus Tax | 79c |
| SHAMPOO, Lustre Cream, \$2.00 Size | \$1.59 |
| TOILET SOAP, Lux White, Reg. Bars | 3 for 25c |

Fresh Pact Frozen, 10-Oz. Pkgs.

STRAWBERRIES 29c

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| Polar, 10 Oz. Pkgs. Frozen CAULIFLOWER | 17c |
| Libby's, 10-Oz. Pkgs., Frozen PEAS | 2 for 29c |
| BEEF, CHICKEN OR TURKEY PIES Swanson Frozen | 8-oz. pkg. 25c |
| FROZEN PEACHES Polar | 10-oz. pkg. 15c |
| Underwood's, 16-Oz. Pkg. BARBECUE | 79c |
| Frozen, Jean's, 24-Count Bag ROLLS | 39c |

Lucky Leaf, Apple, No. 2 Can
PIE FILLING, 5c Off Can Net Price 3 cans \$1

Libby's, Fancy Whole Blue Lake, No. 303 Can GREEN BEANS 4 cans \$1

Van Camp's, 12-Oz. Can BEENIE WEENIES 4 for \$1

Blackeyed, Campfire, No. 300 Can

PEAS .. 12 cans \$1

Baker's, 12-Oz. Pkgs. CHOCOLATE CHIPS 3 for \$1

Gerber's BABY FOOD 3 cans \$1

Popsrite, White or Yellow, 10-Oz. Can POPCORN 15c

Plymouth, Vinylite, 50 Ft. Fully Guaranteed GARDEN HOSE, Reg. \$3.98 for \$1.98

Johnson's Hard Gloss, 20c Off Label GLO COAT, 1/2 Gal. Net Price \$1.98

Waldorf TISSUE 4 rolls 35c



Helene Curtis, \$1.25 Size, Plus Tax

SPRAY NET 89c

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The Slaton Slatonite

Society Clubs

Slaton Slatonite

Friday, May 31, 1957



FUTURE HOMEMAKER INSTALLATION—Barbara Wilke, president, is shown as she presided over the Future Homemaker installation ceremonies held Tuesday, May 21, in the high school auditorium. (PHOTO BY KERTAN)

Future Homemakers Install Officers, Confer Degrees, Review Activities

Installation of new officers for the Slaton Future Homemakers of America Chapter took place May 21 in the High School Auditorium. The new officer installed her successors and incoming officers were: President, Barbara Wilke; 1st Vice President, Sandra Long; 2nd Vice President, Marilyn Boyce; 3rd Vice President, Sandra Shirley Kitten; Secretary, Louise Moore; Treasurer, Louise Moore; Public Relations, Dorothy Venita Green; Chairman, Barbara Johnson as co-chairman; Parliamentarian, Sharon Smith; Historian, Linda Kathy Smith; Sergeant-at-Arms, Eunice Wiley; Peggy Wiley; Venita Green, Pam Wilke.

The newly created office of vice president, in charge of the chapter, has as its chairman, Barbara Childress, Katherine Smith and Eunice Wiley.

The program of work for the year was reviewed by Barbara Wilke, outgoing president of the chapter, and Sandra Childress, president of the Little Sisters chapter.

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The year in jeweled colors, with the member presenting that gem dressed in the same color. Those who assisted in the presentation were Donna Wilke, blue sapphire; Norma Jean Bednarz, ruby; Sandra Long, garnet; Kathy Buxkemper, diamond; Louise Moore, topaz; Shirley Kitten, pearl; June Johnson, emerald; and Irene Tomlinson, amethyst.

Honorary Membership
Marilyn Boyce, degree chairman, assisted by Kay Sain, vice president; Linda Smith, historian, and Shirley Kitten, secretary, presented honorary membership to Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Wilke and Mrs. Jim Sain.

Junior and chapter degrees of achievement were conferred upon 51 members. Those receiving chapter degrees included Linda Buxkemper, Betty Jean Clark, Dixie Clark, Evelyn Cox, Loretta Gergross, Betty Haliburton, Gail Huser, Shirley Kitten, Linda McCarver, Martha McCormick, Katherine Smith and Eunice Wiley.

Junior Degrees were received by Irene Arguello, Cherie Arrants, Norma Jean Bednarz, Ophelia Bloxom, Sharon Boyd, Geneva Burrow, Kathleen Buxkemper, Barbara Childress, Jennie Lee Christman, Jan Cooper, Wilke and Kay Wilson. Suzanne Cooper, Paulette Dow-

ell, Carolyn Etter, Judy Fahrenbruck, Peggy Gentry, LaNelle Heinrich, Karen Henry, Nan Hen-

ry, Lola Hopkins, Lynn Hurst, Betty Lou Johnson, Dorothy Kitchens, Kay Meyers.
Maxine Moore, Beverly Myers, Suzanne Neill, Marilyn Nelson, Carmen Perez, Sonja Sue Queen, Pat Schilling, Martha Ann Strube, Irene Tomlinson, Lettie Traweck, Sandra Wells, Wanda Wells, Donna



JUNIOR DEGREES were awarded this group of girls at the installation ceremonies for Future Homemakers held recently at Slaton High School. (PHOTO BY KERTAN)



CHAPTER HOMEMAKING DEGREES were the highlight for this group of girls at installation ceremonies held by the Slaton chapter of Future Homemakers of America. (PHOTO BY KERTAN)

Brownie Troop 97 Has Skating Party

A skating party was enjoyed by members of Brownie Troop 97 at the Weaver Roller Rink Saturday, May 25.

Those attending were Sharon Wimmer, Laverne Schwertner,

Kathryn Kitten, Joyce Kitten, Charmaine Heinrich, Mary Lou Gergross, Cindy Steffens and two visitors, Doris Kitten and Joan Blair. The group was accompanied by Mrs. Tony Steffens and Miss Judy Kitten.

Jaycee-Ettes See Film, Slides at Meeting Thursday

The Jaycee-Ettes met Thursday, May 23 at the V. F. W. Hall. Further plans were discussed for the concession stand at Tiger Stadium June 15.

Glen Akin showed a film on the Koshare Indian Dancers of La Junta, Colorado. Mrs. Otis Rogers showed slides on the recent banquet held for the Jaycee and Jaycee-Ettes.

The Jaycee-Ettes were presented

a camera from Teague Drug Store. Brownies and coffee were served to Mesdames Don Kendrick, Webster Williams, Bobby Edmondson, Bob Conner, Joe Lester, Glen Akin, Rogers, Bennie Moeller, Paul Melton, a new member, Mrs. Sonny Shackelford, and one guest, Mrs. Clarence Voigt, and Glen Akin.

The next meeting, which will be on June 26, will be a swimming party followed by a picnic in the back yard of Mrs. Bob Conner's Home.

Mrs. Clifford Lettie of Abilene, Mrs. Alice Fry and Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Hart of Spur are visiting in the Jack Myers home this week.

Ray Lenox Honored at Stork Shower Wednesday

A stork shower was given in honor of Mrs. Ray Lenox Wednesday, May 22, in the home of Mrs. Edith.

Refreshments of Cokes and cut-cakes were served from a table with a pale blue cloth. Mrs. Edith and Mrs. Calvin Willis presided at the table.

Gifts were Mesdames Smith, and J. G. Harper Jr. Each honoree a separate gift.

Lemon Home Scene Of Lottie Moon Circle Meeting

Mrs. L. O. Lemon was hostess to the Lottie Moon Circle of the First Baptist Church Wednesday, May 22, in her home.

Ten members were present to study "Home Missions, U. S. A." Mrs. Don Morrison was the study leader.

Mrs. Fannie Patterson presided over the business session.

The next meeting will be June 12, in the home of Mrs. J. A. Douglas with the Bible study.

Tea Shower Honors Mrs. Billy Meeks

Mrs. Billy Meeks, formerly Miss Jonell Lamb, was honored Thursday afternoon, May 23, with a miscellaneous tea shower in the home of Mrs. Martin Collins.

The table was laid with a white lace cloth centered with blue majestic daisies. Mrs. Tom McCain and Mrs. Ed Haddock served blue punch and angel squares topped with white wedding bells.

Mrs. Lora Wicker registered the guests.

Hostesses were Mesdames Collins, McCain, Haddock, Wicker, Verl Woodfin, J. F. Richey, Bill Mosley, E. L. Norris, Charlie Walton, Curtis Dowell, L. T. Kinser, Leonard Foster, Malcolm Limmer, Royce Goad, Rose Adams and Carter Shaw. They presented the honoree with an electric toaster.

Mr. and Mrs. Thurman Bartlett of Friona spent Sunday with Mrs. Bartlett's mother, Mrs. Toy Melton.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Coleman and children of Morton visited with Mr. and Mrs. Sed Meadors Sunday.

Remember . . .

Sunday, June 16

Father's Day

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Civic, Culture Club Installs Officers At Last Meeting

Installation of officers for the coming year was on the agenda at the meeting of the Civic and Culture Club last Wednesday at 1 p. m. A luncheon was held in the home of Mrs. S. H. Adams, marking the closing of the club year.

Each retiring officer presented her successor. Those retiring are: Mrs. H. G. Sanders, president; Mrs. A. L. Robertson, vice president; Mrs. R. C. Hall, recording secretary; Mrs. M. L. German, corresponding secretary; Mrs. W. R. Lovett, treasurer. Incoming officers are: Mrs. Francis Perry, president; Mrs. Fred Schmidt, vice president; Mrs. M. L. German, recording secretary; Mrs. H. E. Anderson, corresponding secretary; and Mrs. W. R. Wilson, treasurer.

Rosebuds centered the quartet tables, covered with cut work linen cloths. A menu consisting of cheese balls, chicken salad in patie shells, ribbon salad on lettuce, toasted buns, coffee and lime sherbet and cookies was served.

Choice morsels from the year's study "Relax and Live" were given by Mrs. Wilson.

Those present were: Mesdames Anderson, German, Hall, Lovett, Perry, Robertson, Sanders, Schmidt, Wilson, A. C. Burk, J. D. Barry, Martin Collins, Bessie Donald, J. A. Elliott, R. H. Todd, Clarence Wylie, Fred Stephens, M. A. Pember, Allan Wallace and W. V. Leet of St. Paul, Minn.

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Wiley-Allred Vows Read



Mrs. James V. Allred

Miss Fay Nell Wiley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wiley, and James V. Allred, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Allred, exchanged wedding vows in Westview Baptist Church at 8 p. m. Friday, May 24. The Rev. Bryan Ross, pastor, performed the single ring ceremony.

The bride wore a white flocked nylon dress with a fitted bodice and a full skirt. She wore pink accessories.

The bride is a 1957 graduate of Slaton High School. The groom attended Slaton School and is employed in Lubbock as a plumber.

The couple will make their home in Lubbock.

Pete Guest and Roy Wayne McGeehee, both of ACC in Abilene, Billy Roy Williams, of Ardmore Air Force Base, Oklahoma, and Dean Williams, from the U. S. Naval base at San Diego, California, visited in the Roy Williams home over the week end.

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Mrs. Jack Myers, her sister, Mrs. Cox, and Mrs. Ned Myers visited with A3C Ned Myers at Amarillo Air Force Base over the week end.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. Birdie Meyer this week are two of her granddaughters, Patsy and Barbara Nelson, from Odessa.

AOU 3/C Wayne Quisenberry, who is stationed at Whidbey Island, Washington with the U. S. Navy, is spending a 15 day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otho Quisenberry. He is attached to the Patrol Squadron II.

IT PAYS

Home Furniture Co. have their contract customers fully covered with insurance. Two of the tornado victims were our customers, and every item of home furnishings which were bought from us are covered with a "full replacement policy" without adjustment for depreciation.

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PATH OF DESTRUCTION—Friday's tornado cut a path of destruction over farm homes and farm land, and left it strewn with debris like that pictured above. Slaton police tracked the tornado, staying about 300 yards from the funnel, in order to be able to give adequate warning to Slaton residents should the funnel have turned toward the town. (SLATONITE STAFF PHOTO)



WORSE THAN A JIGSAW PUZZLE—Unscrambling the debris will be a much tougher job than trying to put a jigsaw puzzle together. Windmill towers, butane tanks, tractors, everything you can think of was jumbled up when the Fred Kiesel farm was struck by the tornado Friday. Cleanup operations were underway within hours after the twister hit. Many townspeople went to the aid of their farmer friends and worked trying to find lost articles and unscramble messes such as this. (SLATONITE STAFF PHOTO)



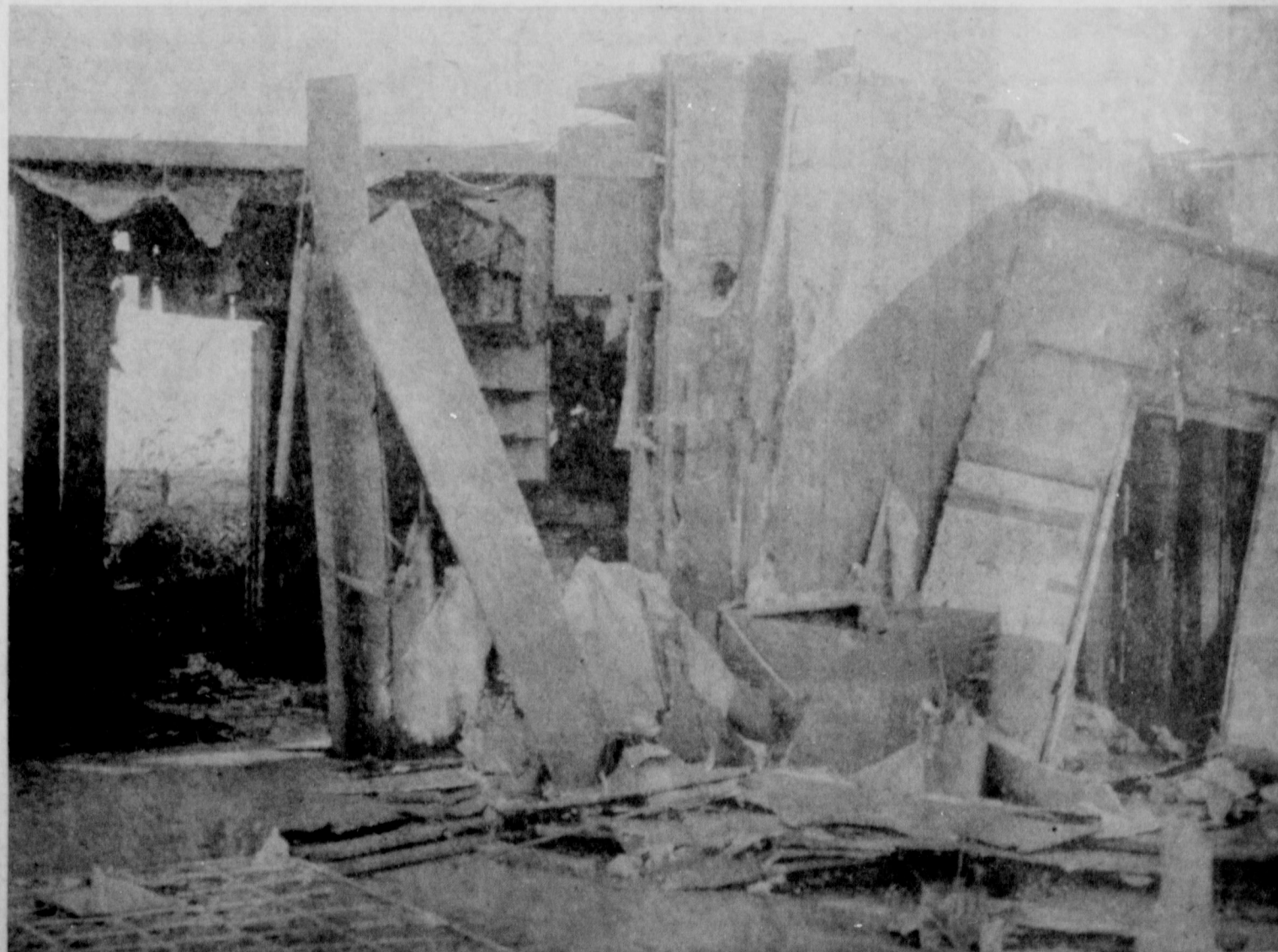
SOME CLOTHES, SOME CANS, AND A SANTA MASK—Tornadoes can do terrible damage, taking away everything in a home. And that's what happened near Slaton. Entire houses, and their contents—refrigerators, washing machines, deep freezers, clothing—disappeared into the funnel. Many items haven't been found. (SLATONITE STAFF PHOTO)



TWISTED WOOD, TWISTED METAL go together to make up the debris scattered in yards, and over fields in the wake of Friday's tornado. This fence, along with the trees are jumbled up with tin roofing at the E. N. Pickens farm. Neighbors and friends went to the aid of stricken farmers over the week end, by helping pick up debris, giving shelter to the victims. Members of the Slaton Rangers patrolled the area to prevent looting from the destroyed homes and farms. (SLATONITE STAFF PHOTO)



SOUTHWEST CORNER PROTECTION—Freakish as it might sound, the southwest corner of houses that weren't completely destroyed were about the only parts that remained. Civil Defense authorities advise it is safest to take shelter in the southwest corner of a house, under a bed, if you are unable to take shelter in a storm cellar. (SLATONITE STAFF PHOTO)



JUST NOTHING LEFT—Wallpaper was stripped from the walls, furniture was sucked up into the funnel, the majority of the house was just gone. Somehow, through a freak of tornados, this southwest corner was left standing. Tornado warnings in this area are given by local police, who are in constant touch with the U. S. Weather Bureau, in addition to having their own patrolmen in the tornado area tracking the funnels. (SLATONITE STAFF PHOTO)

Southland News



JUST SPLINTERS—Telephone and power poles were torn and twisted until only splinters remained as a result of the powerful winds in the tornado which lashed farmlands south of Slaton Friday afternoon. Telephone service to the south was restored by about 10 p. m. Friday. Both telephone and electric power workmen were on the job very shortly after the tornado destroyed the lines.

Dorothy Heaton Will Head Local MYF Organization

Dorothy Heaton was elected president of the Methodist Youth Fellowship Sunday. Named to serve with her were Richard Edwards, vice president; and Peggy Ray, secretary-treasurer.

James Vardy and Mike Davis will serve as co-chairmen of the publicity committee. Tammie Karen McCall will be publicity assistant.

Bill Clark was named Faith area chairman, with Donna Wilke named to serve as assistant. Witness area chairman will be Russell Cummings. Paulette Dowell will be assistant.

Officers will take office on June 2.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Wright and children of Carlsbad, N. M., spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Henry Preston recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Dick Benton and Lynn of Plainview spent the week end with Mr. Benton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Benton.

Guests Sunday in the Ed Benton home were Mrs. Benton's cousin, Hayden Williams, and Mrs. Williams of Draw.

The Rev. and Mrs. Silas Dixon are attending the annual conference of the Methodist Church in Amarillo this week.

The Southland seniors accompanied by Supt. Callaway, Mrs. Alva Allbright and Mrs. Leonard Anderson, left last Saturday on their senior trip. They plan to visit Grand Canyon and other points of interest in Colorado. Graduation exercises will be held June 3, at 8 p. m.

The ladies of the WMU met at the church Monday afternoon for their community mission. Mrs. R. H. Haliburton was leader. Three boxes of used clothing were packed for the Baptist orphanage.

Mrs. B. A. Shelton passed away in the hospital Monday evening. Mrs. Shelton had been in ill health for a number of years.

Ross Dunn, a student at McMurry College, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dillard Dunn, before leaving for El Paso where he will be employed for the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Randall Cook and children of Loveland visited Mrs. Cook's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Ward, and Carolyn, Sunday.

The Quilting Club met with Mrs. C. A. Haire last Wednesday and spent the day quilting. Guests besides the regular members were Mrs. Howton Haire and Mrs. Charlie Dabbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Russell of Post were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Davidson and Louise.

Mrs. Don Pennell received word of the drowning of a cousin, Bert Dugger, at Corpus Christi last Sunday. Mr. Dugger and a daughter were in a boat which overturned. The daughter managed to get out of the water but Dugger's body had not been found late Monday. They are former residents of Lubbock and Mr. Dugger had worked in Southland with Mr. Pennell.

Mr. and Mrs. Neff Turner and Mrs. Turner's mother, Mrs. Walter Roberson and her sister, Mrs. Pearl Davies, of Abernathy visited in the Ed Milliken home last Sunday afternoon. The Roberson family were early settlers in this community.

After a weeks visit with relatives in Grandview, Arlington, Fort Worth and Austin, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Lester returned home last Thursday.

Mothers of the members of the senior class entertained with a dinner in the home of Mrs. Alva Allbright last Thursday evening. Pictures of the class were taken.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. L. Gary and sons of Roswell, New Mex., visited Mrs. Gary's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Morris, last Friday. They were en route to Plainview for their daughter, Lou Ella, who has been a student at Wayland College.

Travis Dabbs flew in from Ellington Field last Friday and he and Mrs. Dabbs moved to Ellington Field where they will make their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Kidd and children of Slaton and Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Dabbs and children were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sam Martin last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Powell and son, Danny, left Wednesday for Boulder, Colo., where two of their sons, Bob and Jim, attend the University of Colorado. Mr. and Mrs. Powell plan to be gone about a week.

Treats for Your Table



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SUGAR Imperial Cane 10-lb. bag 98c
MILK Crusader 1/2 gallon 41c
Tomato Juice All Gold No. 2 Cans 3 for 39c
PRESERVES Dude Ranch Strawberry 20-oz. jar 39c

Kraft Grape Drink, 46-Oz. Cans, 3 for 89c
 Kraft Orange Drink, 3 46-Oz. Cans .. 89c
 All Gold SPINACH, No. 2 can 12 1/2c
 Milford's White Cream Style CORN, 303 can 12 1/2c

FREE

MEATS! Delicious and Tender!
 BACON Wilson's Corn King lb. 53c
 Squares, Whole or Sliced BACON lb. 39c
 Pinkney's Jumbo Pak WIENERS, 3 lbs. 99c
 Swift's Allsweet OLEO lb. 29c
 Swift's Brookfield CHEESE, 2-lb. box 69c

12 Bottle Carton Of Coca Cola With Every Purchase Of \$10.00

Fruits & Vegetables
 California White Rose Potatoes, lb. 6c
 GREEN ONIONS, bunch 5c
 RADISHES, Crisp Tender, bunch 5c
 CUCUMBER, Long Green, lb. 7 1/2c
 SQUASH, Yellow Summer, lb. 7 1/2c
 California Gold CANTALOUPEs, lb. 12 1/2c

FROZEN FOODS
 Donald Duck Orange Juice, 6-Oz. Cans, 2 for 29c
 STRAWBERRIES, Essex Brand, 10-oz. pkg. 17 1/2c
 BIRDSEYE GREEN PEAS, 10-oz. pkg. 19c
 Birdseye CHOPPED BROCCOLI, 10-oz. pkg. 19c
 JEAN'S FROZEN ROLLS, 24 Count 39c

Del Monte CATSUP, 14-oz. bottle 23c
 Sour or Dill Betty Brand PICKLES, qt. 29c
 Delsey TOILET TISSUE, 2 rolls 25c
 Chicken of the Sea Green Label TUNA 33c

Fruit Cocktail All Gold No. 2 1/2 Cans 3 for \$1.
Pineapple All Gold Sliced No. 2 Cans 3 for \$1.
KLEENEX 400 Count 25c

Honey Boy SALMON DINNER, tall can 12 1/2c
 White House APPLE SAUCE, 303 can 19c
 We Give and Redeem T. V. Stamps
 Del Monte Grapefruit Juice, 46-oz. can 29c
 Eagle Brand MILK, can 29c
 Milky Way CANDY, 10c Bars, 3 for 25c
 Ass't. Flavors KOOL AID, 6 for 25c
 Sunshine Macaroon COOKIES, lb. pkg. 39c

Mellorine Swift's Honey Cup Mellorine 1/2 gal. 59c
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 The Finest in Foods

1/2 Price Sale 1/2
 ONE TABLE MATERIALS
 DANIEL GREEN HOUSE SHOES
 (Some Discontinued Numbers)
 Ladies' and Children's
1 RACK READY-TO-WEAR
 SPRING SUITS
 By Fashionbilt
 Men's Nylon Mesh Shoes
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