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As Seen in  
by RENE

"Knox City Day" at the Ft. Worth Fat Stock Show recently may not have amounted to much, but it was really "Knox City Night" at the Future Farmers of America's district banquet in Graham Monday night!

The evening's entertainment was furnished by the Dixieland Hot Shots—composed of Bobby, Donald and Lynelle Tankersley, Kay Dean Hester, Roy Cypert, Bobby Morris, Joe Lynn Cash and Glenda Givens, and directed by E. H. Tankersley Jr.

Singing or otherwise taking part on the program were Beverly James, Patricia Compton, Jimmy Tankersley, Lynelle, and Bobby Day.

And to top it off and make the night complete for the Knox City FFA boys, their chapter sweetheart, blonde Jan Stroder, was elected district sweetheart over eleven other candidates!

David Slaughter, who coached Knox City basketball and six-man football teams to several championships, received quite an honor Monday.

David, who has coached at Carrollton since leaving here, was named Dallas County basketball coach-of-the-year by the Texas Sports Writers Association, meeting in Dallas.

The honor was for 1956, when the Carrollton boys won 25 games, and lost only one.

Speaking of basketball, the season is almost over. But fans can still see some exciting contests. Mattson and Paint Creek will play for the Dist. 14-B title at Haskell Tuesday and Thursday nights of next week, and maybe Saturday night. . . . and then Knox City will play the winner for the bi-district championship.

Paint Creek has barely beaten Mattson twice this season. . . . but we have Coach Wm. Roy Baker's solemn word that his Mattson boys will win the play-off!

Now-a-days, about the time basketball games are going on we're usually reading bed-time stories. . . . but we know fans who can still go and enjoy these final games of the season.

## Carpenter Chairman Of Endowment Fund Board of Trustees

The board of trustees for the Knox City Cemetery Endowment Trust Fund met at the city hall Tuesday night.

E. R. Carpenter was elected permanent chairman of the board, and J. M. Averitt was elected secretary-treasurer.

Other trustees present at the meeting were, Ulric Lea, Chad Wilson, L. W. Graham, C. J. Reese, Charles Reese and Claud Reed.

The board's function will be to invest endowment funds and turn the earnings on the investments over to the cemetery committee, which will oversee upkeep of the cemetery.

Joe Reeder Jr., local attorney, will work out legal aspects of the plan, Averitt said Wednesday. The auditing committee will be composed of Barney Arnold, W. F. Shannon, and a third member to be named later.

## Infant Grandson Of Local Couple Dies at Kingsville

Graveside rites for Bruce Mack Sharp, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sharp, Jr., were held in Kingsville Friday, Feb. 8 at 3 p. m.

The baby was born in a Kingsville hospital Wednesday, Feb. 6 at 9:30 p. m. and died Friday at 5:30 a. m.

Mrs. Sharp is the former Mary Beth Waldrip, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Waldrip of Knox City. Mr. and Mrs. Waldrip went to Kingsville last Thursday morning. Mr. Waldrip returned Tuesday night, and Mrs. Waldrip will stay with her daughter for a while.



Charles Todd, left, of Truscott and Jackie Idol of Benjamin showed the grand and reserve champions, respectively, in the Junior Steer Show here Saturday. In the immediate background are Lee Smith of Knox City, breeder of the grand champion, Jay Pumphrey of Old Glory, judge for the show, Roy England, county agent, and Jack Idol, manager of the League Ranch, breeder of the reserve champion steer. Todd also showed the third-place animal in the show.

## Funeral Services Held at Haskell for Local Man's Sister

Funeral services for Mrs. John T. Therwhanger, 86, of Abilene, sister of T. E. Robbins of Knox City, were held at the First Methodist Church in Haskell Tuesday with Rev. J. B. Thompson, pastor, officiating.

Mrs. Therwhanger died Monday at 4 a. m. after an extended illness.

She was born Annie Lucille Robbins on Nov. 19, 1870 in Russellville, Ky. She married Mr. Therwhanger May 24, 1887. In 1891 the family moved to Haskell County, where Mr. Therwhanger was a builder and stock farmer. He helped erect the first Knox County Courthouse in Benjamin and the first building for the Haskell National Bank.

Mrs. Therwhanger had been living in Abilene since 1950 because of ill health.

Survivors include two sons, H. N. of San Angelo and G. B. of Weintert; three daughters, Mrs. M. E. Eisenhower of Abilene, Mrs. A. D. Odell of Abilene and Mrs. M. U. Lively of Orlando, Fla.; one brother, T. E. Robbins of Knox City; 19 grandchildren and a number of great-grandchildren.

Burial was in the Haskell Cemetery under the direction of Kiker-Warren Funeral Home of Abilene.

## Plans Being Made for Observance Of Public Schools Week Mar. 3-9

Plans for observance of Public Schools Week are underway and it is hoped by school officials that every parent of a school child will visit the school sometime during the week, Supt. Chas. E. Silk said Wednesday.

March 3-9 has been designated by Gov. Price Daniel and the State Board of Education as

## Jan Stroder Named District Sweetheart By Future Farmers

Jan Stroder was selected sweetheart of the Oil Belt district of Future Farmers of America at a banquet in Graham Monday night.

Miss Stroder, sweetheart of the local chapter and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Stroder, was presented a dozen red roses by Don Davis of Stephenville, area FFA president. Twelve chapter sweethearts competed for the honor.

The Dixieland Hot Shots, a local orchestra directed by E. H. Tankersley Jr., provided music for the banquet. Also on the program were Jimmy Tankersley, Beverly James, Lynelle Tankersley, Patricia Compton and Bobby Day, district vice-president, who gave the welcome address.

Others attending from Knox City were FFA boys Dwayne McNulty, Bill Bolin, Billy Lewis, S. E. Park and Doug Bradley, chapter adviser L. E. Groves, Mrs. Tankersley, Mrs. Groves, and Supt. and Mrs. Chas. E. Silk. Doug Bradley is president of the local chapter.

## Truscott 4-H Boy's Calf Best in Show Saturday

Charles Todd, Truscott 4-H Clubber, showed a 980-pound Hereford bred by Lee Smith of Knox City to the grand championship of the Knox County Junior Livestock Show held here Saturday.

Todd also won third place with a steer of his own breeding.

Reserve champion winner was shown by Jackie Idol of the Benjamin 4-H Club. The steer was bred by the League Ranch, which is managed by Jackie's father.

Eight animals were placed at the show, and cash prizes totaling \$110 were presented the winners by the Knox County Junior Livestock Association. The reserve champion and five other steers will be exhibited at the district show in Wichita Falls Feb. 20, 21 and 22, while Todd will enter both his steers and 11 Hampshire lambs in the Houston Fat Stock Show.

Showmanship honors at the show went to George Offutt, who showed the eighth place animal. The Knox County Farm Bureau presented young Offutt with a halter.

Judge for the show was Jay Pumphrey, Old Glory rancher. The animals were all of excellent quality and finish, Pumphrey said.

Roy England, county agent, expressed his thanks to everyone who contributed to the fund for Saturday's show and the annual Spring Livestock Show, which will be held in Knox City March 30.

## Auxiliary Meeting Postponed to Feb. 21

The regular meeting of the American Legion Auxiliary has been postponed from Tuesday night to Thursday night, Feb. 21, it was announced this week. The Tuesday night date conflicted with a talent show at the school auditorium.

George Houston, who spent some time last fall in Nicaragua, will show some color slides he made while there. All members were urged to attend, and the public was invited.

## CUB SCOUT BANQUET SET FOR FEBRUARY 21

The annual Blue and Gold banquet for Cub Scouts and their fathers will be held Thursday night, Feb. 21, Edd Smart, cubmaster, announced this week. The banquet will be held in the dining room of Roddy's Cafe beginning at 7 p. m.

On Wednesday during Public Schools Week, students will provide the program at the weekly meeting of the Lions Club. Both high school and elementary students will appear on the program.

School will be dismissed Friday, March 8, so teachers may attend the annual Oilbelt District Teachers meeting in Vernon.

Another activity being planned is a banquet for the board of education and the faculty. Guests will be wives of board members and husbands and wives of teachers. The affair will be held Monday night, March 4, with Dr. John McFarland, superintendent of Vernon schools, as principal speaker. His topic will be "Education, The Golden Key."

## SOPHS TO PICK UP PAPER

Members of the sophomore class said Wednesday they will resume picking up waste papers and magazines Saturday morning.

The class sells the paper to raise class funds.

## Legislature Will Be Asked to O.K. Organization of Water Authority

The incorporated towns of Baylor, Knox and Haskell counties (Seymour, Goree, Munday, Knox City, Rochester, Rule and Haskell) have initiated the organization of the North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority to create an abundant supply of potable water for the cities.

The Authority is to be established by a special act of the Legislature, and will include the towns named. No area outside the corporate limits of these towns will be included in the organization.

After the Legislature has set up the Authority, each town by a vote will determine whether or not it will stay in the organization. In the event any town votes not to become a part of the Authority, it is automatically

dropped from the program.

Plans call for building a lake on Miller's Creek, about 16 miles southeast of Munday. Engineers estimate that the lake will provide adequate water for a population of 60,000 people. A central filter and pumping plant will distribute water through a pipeline system to the towns in the Authority. The engineers report that income from water sales to the cities will pay about 80 per cent of the initial cost, and that after the system has been in operation about three years, it will be self-supporting from the sale of water.

**Similar Plans in Operation**  
Knox County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1,

at Benjamin, and Haskell County Water Control and Improvement District No. 1, at Weintert, have already been organized and are successfully operating in this area.

Colorado River Municipal Water Authority, serving Snyder, Colorado City, Big Spring and Odessa, is a project successfully operating along the same plan of the North Central Texas Municipal Water Authority.

West Central Texas Municipal Water District (Abilene, Anson, Albany and Breckenridge) is another authority now being perfected for the same purpose as the North Central Texas Authority. Wichita County has several water districts, as have many other counties throughout the state. A surface supply of water has become the only answer, according to engineers, for the water needs of Texas cities from the Panhandle to the Coastal Plains.

### Bill to Be Introduced

The permanent "Citizens Committee"—three citizens from each town—met in Munday Wednesday night and executed an agreement with Thornton & McMahon, Inc., of Dallas, and Wm. Edwards Co. of Ft. Worth to assist in the legal organization and financing of the Authority.

Freese and Nichols of Ft. Worth were retained as engineers.

Senator George Moffett of Chillicothe and Representative E. J. Cloud of Rule will be given copies of the special bill for simultaneous introduction in the Senate and House at an early date.

## 'Hounds to Play 14-B Winner for Bi-District Crown

The Knox City basketball boys swamped Megargel, 75-38, in their final district game of the season Tuesday night.

Bobby Driver was high point man of the game, while Jack Richardson made 26 for Megargel.

The local lads had already sacked up the District 13-B championship, remaining undefeated in district play. They will meet the winner of District 14-B in a bi-district game to determine which team goes to the regional contests.

The District 14-B championship will be decided by a two-out-of-three game series between Paint Creek and Mattson. The teams will play Tuesday and Thursday nights of next week, and on Saturday night if a third game is necessary. All games will be at Haskell.

Merkel, rated the best Class A team in the Abilene area, proved too much for the Knox City boys again Saturday night, when the two teams met for the second practice game.

Robert McLeod, Merkel's all-state candidate, scored 34 points in the game, while Bobby Driver of Knox City scored 24.

At Megargel Tuesday night, the Knox City girls lost, 36-49. High scorer of the game was Megargel's Sharon Lane with 23 points, while Beverly James led the losers with 18.

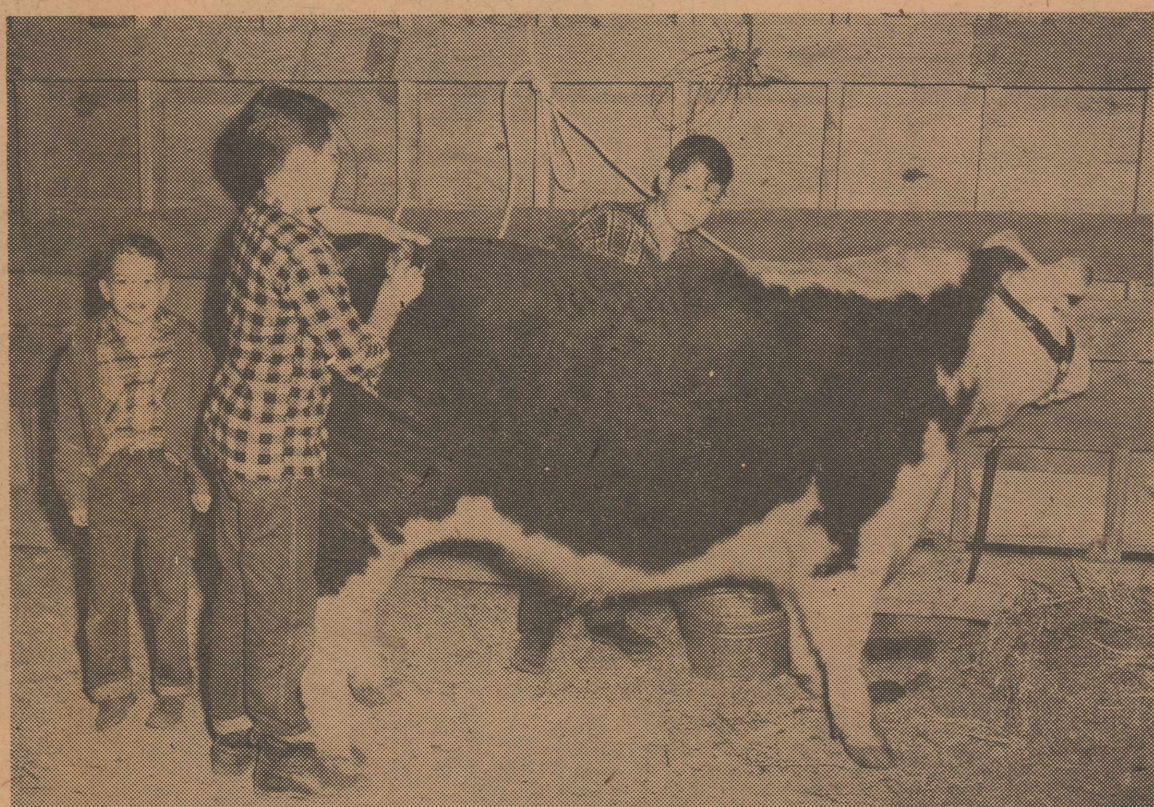
## Local Woman's Sister Dies in Dallas Feb. 12

Funeral services for Mrs. Brooks Roe, 36, of Dallas, sister of Mrs. L. V. Dodd of Knox City, were to be held at 10 o'clock this morning in Dallas.

Mrs. Roe died in the Methodist Hospital Tuesday, Feb. 12 following a lengthy illness. Mrs. Dodd had been at her sister's bedside the past week.

## The Weather

Observations by Horace Finley				
Daily Temperatures				
Date	Max	Min	Rain	
7	63	48	0.71	
8	74	52		
9	85	59		
10	70	46		
11	68	46		
12	67	45		
13	70	50		
Rain this week	0.71			
Rain this year	1.61			
Total this date 1956	1.13			



Wayland Jackson (behind calf) had the help of his brothers in "priming" his 4-H Club steer for Saturday's show here. The boys are sons of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Jackson of Goree. Wayland's steer placed fourth in the field of eight exhibited in the show.

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## Future Homemakers To Honor Mothers At Banquet Tonight

Members of the Knox City chapter, Future Homemakers of America, will honor their mothers at a Mother-Daughter banquet in the school lunchroom tonight (Thursday) beginning at 7 o'clock.

Decorations will be in the Valentine motif. A dinner of barbecued ham, baked potatoes, English pea salad, relish sticks, rolls, butter, cherry pudding and iced tea will be served.

Peggy Jones will give the invocation. Following dinner Patsy Denton, president of the chapter, will conduct the opening ceremony. Beverly James, chapter secretary, will call the roll and read the minutes of the last meeting.

Others on the program will be Doris Ann Bales, Glenna Voss, Glenda Givens, Patsy Robinson, Lynelle Tankersley, Renella Mansfield and Kay Dean Hester.

Mrs. Nancy Jo Murphy, home-making teacher at Seymour, will be the speaker, using as her subject "Glamour a la Atlantic City."

The Senior girls planned the program. The Junior girls are in charge of wall decorations and the serving of the food. The food will be prepared by the Sophomore girls, and the Freshman girls are in charge of table arrangements and table decorations.

Mrs. Chas. E. Silk is chapter adviser.

## CARD OF THANKS

With deepest gratitude we extend this word of thanks to friends for the flowers, cards, letters and telegrams following the death of our baby and grandbaby. Words cannot adequately express our sincere appreciation. Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Sharp Jr. Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Waldrup

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The valentine motif was used in the table decorations, with the centerpiece of red carnations and hearts. On the buffet

were matching candelabra containing red candles.

Mrs. E. H. Tankersley Jr. and Mrs. Jesse James assisted in the serving.

Guests were Mrs. Ottis Cash, June Cox, Glenna Voss, Glenda Givens, Patsy Robinson, Charlotte Cornett, Patsy Denton, Jan Stroder and Patricia Compton.

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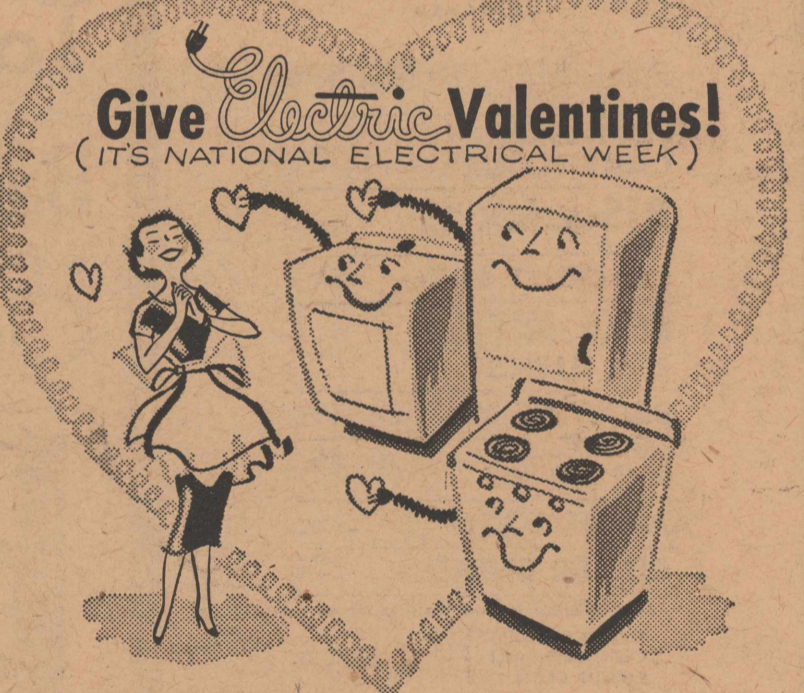
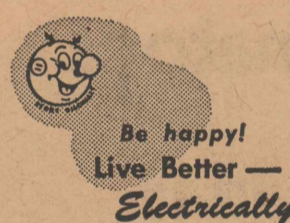
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### Graham to Head Local Committee for Public Schools Week

L. W. Graham has been appointed local chairman of the Texas Citizens' Committee on Public Schools Week. It was announced this week. The 1957 observance will be March 4 through March 9.

In a letter to Graham, John McKee, state chairman of the Texas Citizens' Committee on PSW, said, "Your appointment as chairman is very important, and only through your efforts will we be successful in attracting the citizens of your local community to attend the public schools during this observance. It is so important to the American concept of free education to have all of the citizens understand your local problems, if you have any."

Graham said a group of school children would present a program at the regular noon meeting of the Lions Club during the week.

### Practice Scheduled For Talent Show

Everyone who plans to be in the Brazos Valley Talent Show was asked to be at the school auditorium Monday night, Feb. 18, for rehearsal, members of the Junior class, sponsors of the show, said Wednesday. The entertainment acts will be practiced and arranged as to order of appearance on the stage, the sponsors said.

The Talent Show will be held Tuesday night, Feb. 19 in the auditorium. Admission will be 25 and 50 cents.

Also on the program will be an old fiddlers' contest. Trophies will be awarded first and second place winners in the talent division and to first place winner in the fiddling contest. Judges will be from neighboring towns.

"Plan to be at rehearsal Monday night," Beverly James, program chairman, said. "We will begin at 7 o'clock and plan to finish early if everyone is on time."



Shown grooming the Black Angus steer she exhibited in the Knox County Junior Steer Show here Saturday is Mary Ann Reneau, Munday 4-H Club girl. Mary Ann, daughter of Dr. and Mrs. J. B. Reneau Jr., is the only girl in the county with a club calf project. The animal was bred by Clyde Taylor of Munday.

### Firemen Enjoy Dinner and Program

The annual steak supper for members of the Knox County Volunteer Fire Department and their wives and guests was held in the dining room of Roddy's Cafe Thursday night, Feb. 7.

Doyle Graham, master of ceremonies, introduced four high school girls who entertained the group. Patricia Compton, Beverly James and Lynelle Tankersley sang several popular songs, with Lynelle at the piano. Glenda Givens sang two numbers accompanied by Mrs. Kenneth Myers. Patricia also gave a humorous reading, "My Pet Flea."

Following the program Graham turned the meeting over to the new president of the department, Alton Fitzgerald, who recognized guests who were present. They included two retired firemen and their wives, Mr. and Mrs. Sam White and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Averitt; city aldermen and their wives, Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Angle and Mr. and Mrs. Otis Cash; city clerk Wesley Garrison and Mrs. Garrison; and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Branch.

The new president succeeds Jesse James. Other officers are Edd Smart, vice-president; A. T. Holcomb, chief; Doug Meinzer, assistant chief; Kenneth Lawson, secretary; and Jimmy Deek, mascot.

### ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF SON

Mr. and Mrs. Ken Clonts of Houston have announced the arrival of another son. The baby was born Sunday, Feb. 3, in a Houston hospital. He has been named John Curtis.

Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Clonts of Knox City.

Mrs. J. W. Carver returned Wednesday night from Santa Ana, Calif., where she had spent the past month with her daughter, Mrs. L. E. Nance, and Mr. Nance. Inez Carver and Ewell Vance went after Mrs. Carver and visited relatives in California several days.

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### Parks-Urbanczyk Wedding Announced

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin A. (Bud) Urbanczyk are making their home in the Rhineland Community since their marriage Jan. 11. The ceremony was performed in St. Joseph Catholic Church, Rhineland, with John Walbe, O.S.B., officiating.

The couple's only attendants were Mrs. Jerry Wilson of Lubbock, sister of the bridegroom, and Albert Schumacher, cousin of the bridegroom.

The bride is the former Peggy Parks, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee A. Parks of Munday. Mrs. A. B. Urbanczyk is the mother of the bridegroom.

The new Mrs. Urbanczyk is a 1955 graduate of Munday High School, and is a sophomore student at Midwestern University, Wichita Falls.

### School Lunchroom Menus Announced

Menus at the Knox City school lunchroom for the week beginning Feb. 18 will be as follows:

Monday: Wieners stuffed with cheese, cream style corn, vegetable salad, apple delight, whole wheat bread, butter, milk.

Tuesday: Hamburger patties, creamed English peas, vegetable salad, congealed fruit salad, buns, milk.

Wednesday: Meat loaf with tomato sauce, black eyed peas, cabbage slaw, stewed fruit, rolls, butter, milk.

Thursday: Chicken fried steak, gravy, mashed potatoes, carrot-apple-raisin salad, sliced bread, filled Graham crackers, milk.

Friday: Pinto beans with ham, French fries, buttered cabbage, fresh apple, cornbread, butter, milk.

### Roswell Girl to Wed Former Knox Citian



Announcement was made recently of the engagement of Lotie Beth Hedgcox of Roswell, N. M., to Lt. Lloyd Leslie Davis, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Davis of Ruidoso, N. M., former Knox City residents.

The bride-elect is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Hedgcox.

News of the engagement was revealed at a tea in the Hedgcox home. Guests were presented at the tea table with small white cards bearing miniature silver wedding bells and inscribed with the names of the betrothed couple.

The bride-elect graduated from Roswell High School and is a student at the University of New Mexico in Albuquerque where she will graduate in June with a Bachelor of Arts degree in Languages. She is a member of Delta Delta Delta, national social sorority, and is serving her chapter as president this year.

Lt. Davis graduated from Lubbock High School. He attended New Mexico Military Institute and graduated with the class of 1955. After receiving his Bachelor of Science degree he attended the University of Texas School of Law in Austin. At present he is stationed in Germany with the United States Armed Forces.

Mrs. Jack Melvin and Mrs. A. D. Hodges of O'Brien spent Monday and Tuesday in Austin visiting their mother and sister.

### Hospital News

Patients in the Knox County Hospital Monday, Feb. 11, were:

Eli Williamson, Knox City; Mrs. A. B. Gallia, Knox City; Vernon Davis, Knox City; Miss Cora Belle Kuykendall, Benjamin; J. C. Angle, Knox City; Baby Kenneth Reneau, Munday; Mrs. Bill Thomas, Knox City; William Waldrep, Abilene; Mrs. G. D. Jones, Goree.

Patients dismissed from the hospital since Monday, Feb. 4, were:

S. L. Favor, Knox City; Mrs. Josefa Catano, O'Brien; Joe Lane, Munday; Mrs. C. M. Walsworth, O'Brien; Mrs. Eli Williamson, Knox City; W. F. Bufkin, Benjamin; E. S. Beene, Knox City; Mrs. J. P. Cook and baby, Benjamin; Roy Reynolds, Knox City; T. J. Sparks, O'Brien; Mrs. Ross Mac Oliver, Knox City; T. J. Sparks, O'Brien; Mrs. Elvin Nichols and baby, Vera; Russell Beach, Vera; Mrs. L. M. Williams, Knox City; Tommy Glover, Munday; Mrs. Stanley Glover, Benjamin; Mrs. J. C. Angle, Knox City; Lewis Floyd, Knox City; Norvell Wright, Knox City; Jimmy Ray Sartin, Olney.

Births: Mr. and Mrs. Elvin Nichols, Vera, a son.

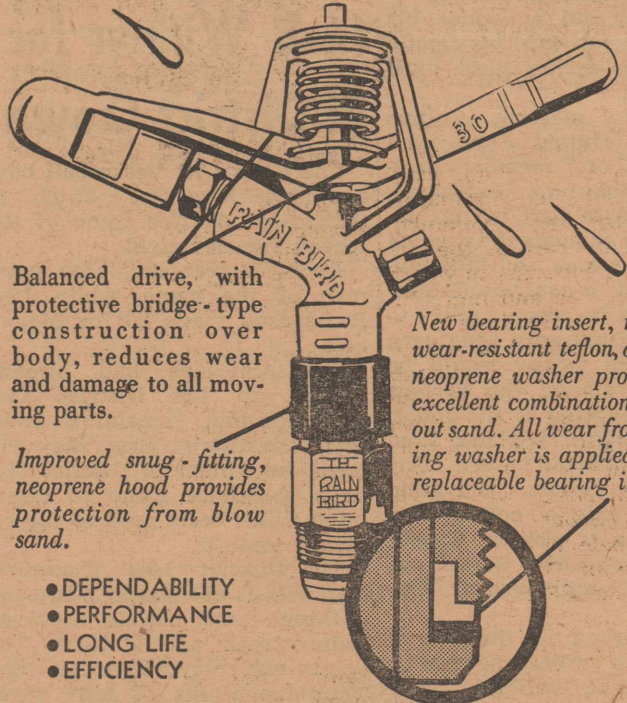
Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Cook, Benjamin, a son.

Miss Mabel Edwards of Midland spent the week end with her parents, Dr. and Mrs. R. C. Edwards.

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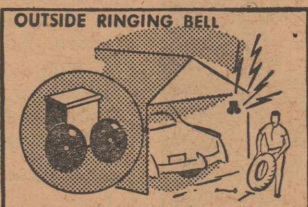
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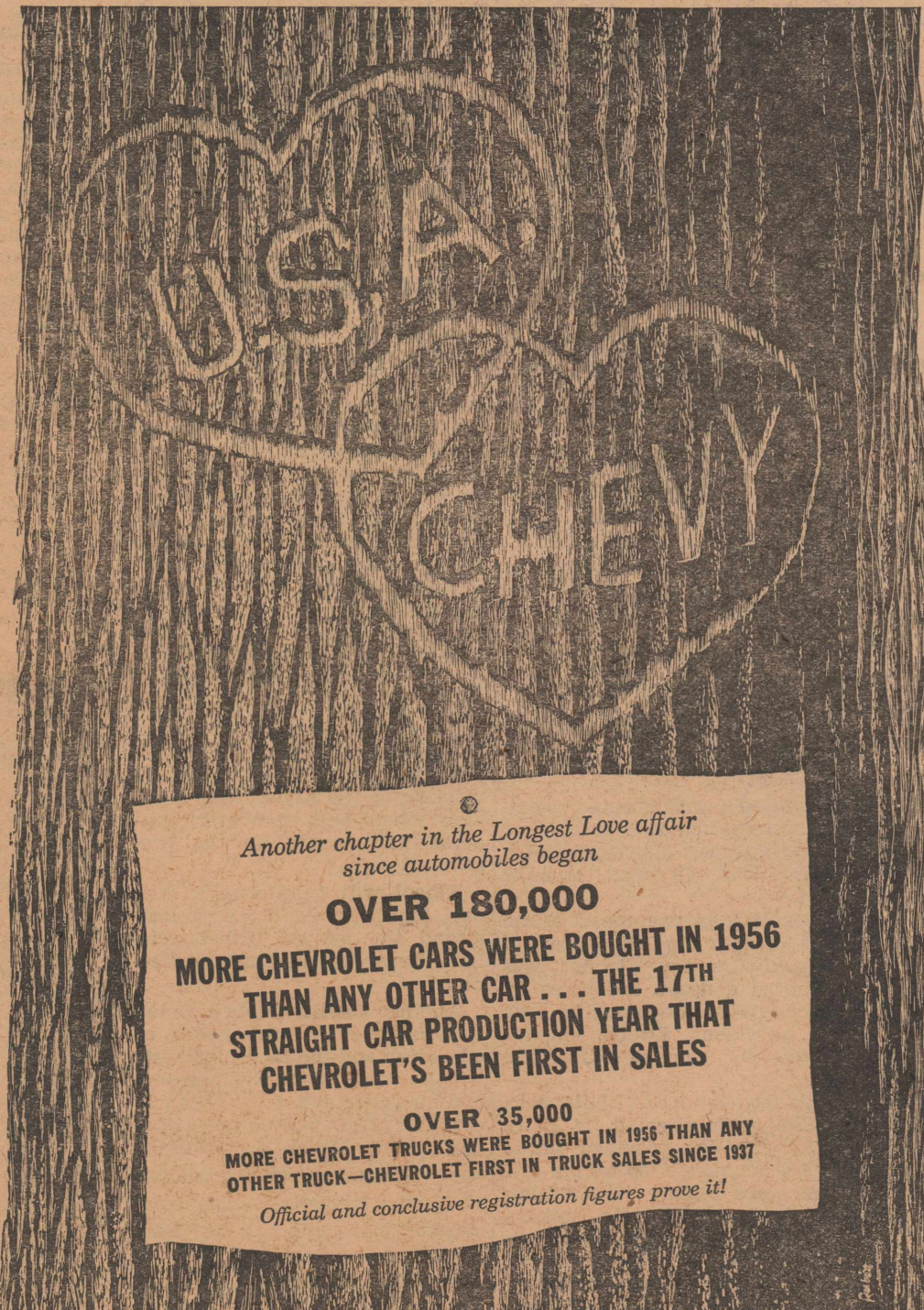
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The lesson, "Home Missions in the U.S.A.," was taught by Mrs. W. E. Lovelace.

Refreshments were served to nine members and two visitors.

The Jewel Lunsford circle met in the home of Mrs. H. R. Beauchamp. Mrs. O. W. Caussey gave a very interesting mission lesson, and Mrs. Beauchamp conducted a business session.

Mrs. C. J. Reese was hostess to the Jane Robertson circle. Mrs.

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Geo. T. Hardberger gave the devotional and Mrs. H. E. Wall gave the lesson. Present were eleven members and one visitor, Mrs. C. Bohannon of Tahoka.

The Blanche Groves circle met at the church with Mrs. E. A. Youngblood in charge. Mrs. Horace Finley presented the lesson to five members.

The Helen Parks circle met with Mrs. C. J. Reese. Mrs. Rose Harper gave the devotional and Mrs. Russell Boyd gave the mission study. Seven members were present. Mrs. Harley Reeves dismissed the meeting with prayer.

The Ruby Wheat circle met in the home of Mrs. Bob Bailey. Mrs. Ben Knight was in charge of the business session and Mrs. A. G. Goldston gave the lesson. Seven members and one visitor, Mrs. Mitchell, were present.

**ANNOUNCE BIRTH OF SON**

S-Sgt. and Mrs. James W. Harris of Vacaville, Calif., have announced the birth of a son. The baby was born at the Travis Air Force Base Hospital Jan. 30 at 3:46 a. m. He weighed eight pounds, seven ounces and has been named John Richard.

Mrs. Harris is the former Jennie Belle Culp, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Culp of Knox City. Paternal grandmother is Mrs. Zellar Harris of Fresno, Calif.

Mrs. Culp is spending a few weeks with her daughter and family.

Sgt. Harris will receive his discharge from the Air Force on March 15.

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**Truscott News**

Mr. and Mrs. Wilson Myers and family of California spent several days visiting his brother, Bud Myers, and family. They were here because of the illness of her father, Jim Weathered, who is in the Foard County Hospital.

Elmo Todd has recently been dismissed from the Quannah Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Comegery of Winters and Mrs. Clifford Ohr Sr. of Abilene spent several days visiting old friends here.

Mrs. G. A. Abbott of San Angelo spent several days here last week visiting her mother, Mrs. George Solomon, and her son, Sammy Abbott. Her father, George Solomon, was ill in the Quannah Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Newt Bryant of O'Brien spent Wednesday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Bryant.

Billy Caddell of Texas Tech, Lubbock, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Farris Caddell.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee J. Stout and family of Wichita Falls spent the week end with his mother, Mrs. Lottie Whitaker.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Cox of Iowa Park spent the week end visiting her sister, Mrs. Florence Good, and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. A. Caram and children and Mrs. Pete Quintana and family, all of Ft. Worth, spent the week visiting Ralph Caram and family and other relatives and friends.

Cecil Chowning of Electra is spending some time in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. V. Chowning. He is working in the oil field near Knox City.

Mrs. A. P. Smartt and Mrs. Farris Caddell were Vernon visitors recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Guyann Hickman of Paris spent several days last week visiting their daughters, Mrs. N. L. Looney and Mrs. Walter Carl Taylor Jr., and their families.

Roy Daniels was in Wichita Falls Wednesday to receive medical treatment. He was accompanied by his son, R. C. Daniel, and family of Crowell.

Mr. and Mrs. Wylie W. Walker of Truscott and their granddaughter, Helen Louise Walker of Hart, spent several days visiting their daughter, Mrs. Ernest Tapp, in Willow, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Tolleson and girls of Idalou spent one day recently visiting his sister, Mrs. Tommy G. Westbrook, and family.

Miss Climmy Pogue of Lubbock brought her mother, Mrs. George Pogue, home Saturday after she had spent some time visiting in Lubbock.

Mrs. E. J. Jones, chairman for the March of Dimes in the Truscott community, reports that \$69.02 was collected in the drive. She expressed her thanks to all who contributed.

Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Tarpley left Sunday for a visit with their daughter, Mrs. Doc Abbott, in San Angelo.

Week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Cash were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Cash and boys of Gilliland, Mr. and Mrs. Marcus Bryant and sons of Weatherford and Alton Cash and family of Bomarton.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Smith spent Sunday visiting her sister, Mrs. V. W. Browning, and husband in Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Eubank and children of Denver City spent several days last week vis-

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**Narcotics, Liquor, Women, Gambling: They're All Part of the Duval Story**

By-FREDERICK HODGSON

SAN DIEGO, TEX.—No self-respecting boss-run barony is complete without its quota of syndicated sin. And Duval County, Texas, is no exception.

For the moment "the heat is on" and the gambling wheels are stilled, night sin-spots like El Ranchito are closed, most of the women of easy virtue are in exile and traffic in illegal liquor and narcotics is very much under wraps.

One disgruntled deputy sheriff, raging at the Rangers who put him out of business, moved his house of prostitution, lock, stock and women, all the way to Houston.

The Rangers, armed with injunctions obtained by the Attorney General's office, simply padlocked the town.

"It was just like the good old days of prohibition," said Captain Alfred Allee, regarded by his fellows and by his superiors in Austin as one of the greatest Rangers of them all.

The merchants of sin fumed and fretted, appealed to the courts for injunctions of their own, tried every trick that wily lawyers could dream up, it was no soap. The places stayed closed and the gambling apparatus, the wheels and the dice and the tables, stayed carted away.

Quite naturally Captain Allee, Attorney General John Ben Shepperd, and all the others who had declared war on the Duchy of Duval and on its up-to-then undisputed ruler, Boss Parr, were roundly cursed by the purveyors of iniquity. The machine went even further.

This writer has a long document before him right now, a document revealing plans for the "liquidation" of Ranger Captain Allee and Ranger Joe Bridge.

If these killings had been carried out, they would not have been the first political murders in that seething section of deep South Texas. Several years before Lawyer Jacob Floyd and District Judge Sam Reams had been marked for death. The pistoleros got their signals mixed and killed Floyd's son by mistake. The life of the Attorney General has been threatened three times.

The gambling, the women and the illegal liquor may have departed from Duval, for the time being at least, but the narcotics picture isn't so pretty.

Should you happen to be driving along the Benavides road, Highway 59 to Laredo, or along Highway 44 through Freer, you may hear the engine of a hedge-hopping airplane. It won't land so long as your car or any other car, except very special ones known to the pilot, is in the vicinity.

Once your car is out of sight the plane will touch down on the highway and its cargo will be quickly transferred to an automobile and the plane immediately takes off, flying low. This transfer always takes place in the early morning.

The cargo is heroin and marijuana. Sometimes the shipment includes diamonds and gold.

It is said by those who should know that 90 percent of all the illicit narcotics coming into the

United States is brought across the border from Mexico, most of it coming through Texas and through San Diego. And only a small proportion of the total amount of dope brought into Texas, and from here spread all over America, is ever seized.

I checked with the United States Air Force. South Texas is 180 degrees out of phase to the radar screen, concentrated as it is to spot planes coming in from the Atlantic or from the Pacific. Unless I've been badly misinformed, the Mexican border is wide open to any airplane, Russian or smuggler. Besides, a plane coming almost at ground level would be safe from radar in any case.

Previous articles in this series have pointed out that this utterly fantastic county is a product of its isolated geography, its history and its people. But history fades and people change. So in Duval. Democracy is raw, red meat, nourishing stuff on which a man, or a people, can grow strong. In Duval the people are feeding full.

George B. Parr is fighting, and fighting desperately, for his political life and for his physical liberty. There's something magnificent and awesome about a good fighter, even when he's on the opposite side.

According to Attorney General John Ben Shepperd, to District Attorney Sam Burris, to Lawyer Jacob Floyd of Alice, and to half a hundred other Parr opponents I've talked to, the Duke of Duval is fighting his last big fight. The Duke, they say, is through, finished, licked.

According to one of Parr's top attorneys, dapper Luther Jones of Corpus Christi, Shepperd, Burris et al are dripping wet. They couldn't be more wrong. So says Jones.

"Look at it this way," said Jones to me. "This is an election year and the politics are making hay. All this will blow over. These civil suits and indictments are pure politics and once the shouting is over they'll be allowed to die very quietly. You're a stranger to this part of Texas or you'd know all of this has happened before."

As Luther Jones talked my mind went back to long ago when I was just breaking into newspaper work on the old "Chicago Evening American." In those days Al Capone was running the rackets. I once met the King of the Racketeers and a right charming fellow he was. Nobody ever pinned a murder rap on Al. He went to Alcatraz for income tax evasion.

In New York I've met Frank Costello, he of the television hands that Senator Kefauyer made so famous. Talking to him at the Vesuvio Restaurant on West 48th Street, one of his favorite haunts, you'd never think he'd ever heard of a slot machine or a gaming table. Charming fellow. Lovely fellow. He's in jail.

"And all this business about political killings in Duval," Jones went on. "They've been trying to pin a killing on Parr for years. Don't you think he'd have been charged with murder long ago if they could've got something on him?"

Jones, who is nothing if not frank, admits without any quibbles that his client is no saint. He depicts George B. Parr as a man who gets what he wants when he wants it and who isn't overly squeamish about methods. And Jones had admitted as much in open court, many times.

The well-dressed little lawyer, who presumably knows what is going on inside the Parr machine, has some interesting ideas about the future of Duval.

Should George B. Parr lose his battle, even be sent to prison, this does not mean the end of the Parr dynasty. Another Parr, the Duke's nephew, Archer Parr II, is ready to take over.

Should this switch happen, Duval history would be repeating itself. George Parr deposed his father just twenty years ago.

Archer Parr is a personable young man, 35, a Marine veteran, a family man, educated, and well schooled in the rough and tumble of Duval politics. He has served as sheriff until his uncle.

George B. Parr "did time" in Federal prison, in El Reno, Oklahoma, back in 1936. The charge was cheating on his income tax. When he got back home to San Diego he was greeted as a hero, as a man who had suffered persecution for the sake of his people. He was met by a brass band and by dancing in the streets.

But he returned to find that wire cutters had been at work on the Parr political fences, that his father, Senator Archie Parr, the then reigning Duke of Duval, was unable to ride the range as of old.

George took over the power in Duval. His father went into exile, to live at the Nueces Hotel in Corpus Christi until his death.

Again George Parr is under indictment for income tax cheating, and again his followers say he is being persecuted for their sake. Should he again be convicted, on the tax charge or any one of a number of other Federal or State charges now pending against him, including a charge of using the mails to defraud, anything can happen in the county of Duval.

However, Luther Jones to the contrary, there is a vast difference between the Duval of 1936 and the Duval of 1956. (As a matter of fact, there is a vast difference between the Duval of 1954 and 1956, which will be the subject of the two final articles in this series.)

Twenty years ago the Parr power was solid as the Rocky Mountains, and seemingly as permanent. Men in Austin and Washington fawned upon the Duke, courted his favors, jumped when he crooked his little finger.

Parr could, and did, deliver 100 to 1 majorities in any election. He could loftily ignore the mundane doings of ordinary politics. He was the puissant prince, after the fashion of the Middle Ages.

But Parr has been projected, head over heels, into the unsympathetic new world of the mid-Twentieth Century. The alchemy of his time has changed his county. George B. Parr was born just 500 years too late.

Actually, it was more than alchemy that changed Parr's county. The last two articles of this series will deal with what radical changes can be made in a boss-ruled county when one Attorney General gets it into his head that feudalism has got to go.

iting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Eubank, and other relatives and friends.

Mrs. T. C. Watson and son, Wayne, of Knox City spent Sunday visiting her mother, Mrs. A. Hayhie, and other relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Bates visited relatives in Seymour Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Pitts of

Altus, Okla., spent one day recently visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Eubank.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmo Glascock and family of Dallas and R. B. Glidewell Jr. of Ft. Worth visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Glidewell, and other relatives and friends here during the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Corder and

son, James, spent Saturday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Newt Bryant and girls near O'Brien.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Dobbs and son were called to Gainesville Thursday because of the serious illness of her mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Bud Myers and children spent Sunday visiting relatives and friends in Blair and Altus, Okla.

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**BENJAMIN, Feb. 11.** — Recent visitors of Mrs. Anna Hunt were her son, Albert Hunt of Los Angeles, Calif., and her daughter, Mrs. Eula Jennings of Paris, Calif.

Hester Hall visited his son, Glenn, in El Paso over the week end.

Mrs. J. W. Herndon of Knox City, Mrs. Charlie Peters and daughter of Abilene and Mrs. Wencil Herndon and baby of Ralls visited Mrs. Bertie Littlepage and other friends Saturday.

Airman L. J. Johnson Jr. of Abilene attended to business here Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Williams of Oklahoma City spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Brown and Mrs. Rebecca Kilcrease.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Clayton were in Wichita Falls on business Thursday.

Mrs. Jewel Stark of Ft. Worth visited relatives and friends here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Clayton and granddaughters were in Abilene Thursday on business.

Mrs. Mary Foster and Mrs. Hattie Golden were in Crowell Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Trainham

and Mrs. W. M. Hertel visited Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Jones in Jacksboro Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. V. A. Miller and family of Carlsbad, N. M., spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orb Russell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Swamer and girls of Arlington spent the week end with her mother, Mrs. Myrtle Meinzer. Sunday guests in the Meinzer home were Walter Buck Meinzer and daughter, Rhonda, of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Doug Meinzer and girls of Knox City.

Mrs. Gene House has returned home after spending several days in Memphis, Tenn.

Week end guests of Mrs. Myrtle Kuykendall and Cora Bell were Mr. and Mrs. Shorty Nelson of Archer City.

Visiting Mrs. Anna Hunt last week were John Hunt of Archer City and Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Hunt of Borger.

Mrs. W. A. Glenn visited her daughter, Mrs. Bill Pyatt, in Ft. Worth over the week end. She will also visit her mother in Arkansas before returning home.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Smith and children visited her grandfather, J. W. Malone, in Sweetwater over the week end.

Richard B. Gillettine of Graham visited Mr. and Mrs. N. B. Gillettine last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Watts and sons of Stamford visited Rev. and Mrs. K. E. Woolley Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Doug Benham attended to business in Stephenville Friday.

Guests in the home of Mrs. W. A. Barnett Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Homer Howard of Goree and Mrs. Alice Dutton of Knox City.

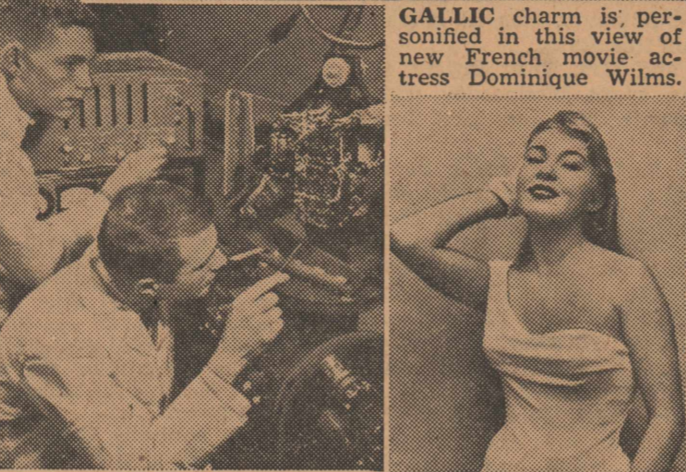
Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Pierce and children of Seymour are visiting his father, Bill Pierce.

Mrs. Marlin Hester of Plainview visited Knox City relatives during the week end.

John Darr spent the week end in Paducah with his son, Carl, and Mrs. Darr.

### People, Spots In The News

**FLYING FRENCH** jads Alain Calmat and Alain Giletti are caught in mid-air training for ice-skating title meet. Giletti (right) has been champ since 1951, when he was 12!



**GALLIC charm** is personified in this view of new French movie actress Dominique Wilms.

**GUIDANCE** system for steering earth satellite "upstairs" and into earth-circling orbit is checked by Minneapolis-Honeywell evaluation engineer.



**KEEPERS OF THE PEACE** are these soldiers of eight different nations in the U.N. Emergency Force in Egypt, shown with United Nations flag in background. Left to right: Norway, Colombia, Yugoslavia, Finland, India, Denmark, Sweden and Canada.

### O'Brien News

Mr. and Mrs. John Hayes and family and Mr. and Mrs. Ranzy Herring visited relatives in Odessa last week end.

Mrs. Eddie Adkins and Mrs. Floyd Middlebrook were hostesses for a birthday supper honoring their husbands in the Adkins home last week. Mrs. Middlebrook baked the three-tiered birthday cake. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tankersley, Mr. and Mrs. Sammy Tankersley and daughter and Mr. and Mrs. Buddy Tankersley, all of Knox City, and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Middlebrook and family of O'Brien.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Reeves Jr. Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. George Burnett and daughters of Chillicothe, Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Reeves and boys of Gilliland, Mr. and Mrs. Frank McAuley Jr. of Knox City and Mr. and Mrs. Cyle Carver and family of O'Brien.

Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Barnett of Vernon visited Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Johnston over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. John Burnett of Chillicothe visited Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Carney Sunday.

Mrs. Jackie Tabor and children of Ft. Worth are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest O'Neal.

Mrs. H. A. Barnard spent the week end in Abilene with her daughter, Mrs. Odis Frazier, and family. Mrs. D. H. Thomas, who had been visiting there, returned home with her.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Roberts and son of Ft. Worth and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Proffitt and son of Abilene spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Johnston and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cox spent last week end on the Plains and in New Mexico.

Mrs. Grady Ellis was in Dallas over the week end to be with T. J. Sparks, who was in Baylor Hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Mickey Johnston of Henrietta visited Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Johnston this week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stanfield attended funeral services in Fieldton this week for Mr. Stanfield's brother.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Barnard spent the week end in San Angelo with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Barnard and son.

Young people from this community attending the association Sweetheart Banquet at the Baptist Church in Munday last Friday night were Jerry and Lowell Rowan, Jerry Covey, Danny Walsworth, Sammy Grindstaff, John Tom Johnston, Buddy Williams, Royce Manning, Anne O'Neal, Joan Emerson, Linda Carver, Bonnie Poe, Sandra Ellis, Ruby Brothers, Pat LaDuke Kay Ford, Doris Kay, Joyce Denton and Barbara Brooks. Also attending were Rev. and Mrs. Mart Hardin and Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Clark, counselors. Doris Kay and Lowell Rowan were king and queen candidates from O'Brien.

The Aletha Sanders circle of the Baptist WMS met at the church Monday afternoon for mission study. Mrs. J. L. Grindstaff gave the first three chap-

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roll call with subjects assigned at a previous meeting.

Mrs. Parker reported that it had been arranged for the club to serve lunch at the next meeting of the board of directors of the water district.

The club elected Mrs. Roy England living room demonstrator, and accepted the resignation of Mrs. Grace Snailum as secretary and treasurer. Mrs. J. W. Melton was elected to that office.

Miss S. C. Kinsey, county home demonstration agent, addressed the club on "How to Feed Your Family for Less," giving impressive illustrations as she said, "Wise buying, careful storing, clever planning and imaginative cooking can produce meals well balanced, furnishing the nutrients required for the health of the family."

As a demonstration, Miss Kinsey prepared "hamburger corn pone," which was served, along with soft drinks and cookies, by the hostess.

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