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A Common Paper for Common People

Dusters To Play Pierce St. Green House Sunday Afternoon

Pierce St. Green House will be the Dusters second opponent in a Caprock League game here Sunday afternoon at Duster field. It has been understood that this team offers strong competition, so this should be a good baseball game. Game time is 3 o'clock and the Dusters would appreciate a larger crowd out to see them play this Sunday.

The game with Pampa was called off last Sunday due to cold weather. It would have been hard to say out in that strong cold wind with an overcoat, much less, try to play ball. There is always a good chance of injuries, too, when the weather is cold.

If you want to see a good ball game and get a good look at Clarendon's baseball talent, be sure to come out and watch them play.

FARM NEWS

from the County ASC Committee

DON'T FORGET

May 15, is the final date in Donley County to destroy all excess wheat acreage designated and used as green manure, cover crop, hay, pasture or silage if such acreage is not to be classified as "wheat acreage" under the wheat allotment program. Volunteer wheat must not be allowed to reach maturity and is also expected to be destroyed by the final date, May 15, 1954.

A field reporter will visit each farm that had wheat in excess of the allotment shortly after the 15th of May in order to see that all excess wheat has been destroyed.

KNOWINGLY OVER-PLANTED COTTON PRODUCERS NOT ELIGIBLE FOR ACP PAYMENT.

Any producer who knowingly overplants his cotton allotment in 1954 will not be eligible for any ACP payment under the 1954 Program.

1953 APPLICATIONS FOR PAYMENT:

Only a few 1953 ACP farm folders are left in the County Office waiting to be submitted to the State Office for Payment. As soon as all the necessary forms have been completed, our 1953 ACP file will be cleared out. If you are entitled to payment for practices carried out under the 1953 ACP program and have not yet received it, you should in the very near future.

G. A. GIRLS OF LELIA LAKE TO HOLD BAKE SALE

The G. A. girls of the Lelia Lake Baptist Church are having a bake sale in the M-System Grocery, Saturday, May 8th, for the purpose of raising money so that the girls might go to the Baptist Encampment in July. The girls ask that everyone buy a cake for Mother as this is a worthy cause.

COUNTY SINGING AT CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH SUNDAY

The Donley County Singing Convention will be held at the Calvary Baptist Church Sunday, May 9th at 2:30 o'clock. Everyone who enjoys good singing or loves to sing is invited to be present.

DANCE PUPILS TO APPEAR IN RECITAL

Neil Hess will present his dance pupils in a recital at the High School Auditorium Monday, May 17th at 8:00 P. M.

Pupils from Claude, Ashtola, Panhandle and Clarendon will be included in the program.

The public is cordially invited to attend. There will be no admission charge.

Evelyn Wood and Barbara Bannister visited the week end with Willetta Riney in Amarillo.

Mrs. G. W. Estlack visited Friday with her sister, Mrs. L. T. Whitlock, in Amarillo.

Winfred Self Wins Tractor Operators Contest

Winfred Self, son of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Self, was named county winner in the 1954 Texas County F.F.A. Tractor Operator's contest held here by Palmer Implement Co. Fourteen Future Farmers from this area participated in the contest. T. H. Seay, local V.A. teacher and Doyle Messer, Hedley V.A. teacher, were the judges.

Self will compete in one of ten district contests to be held before July 15, 1954. Locations will be announced in the near future. District winners will compete in a state contest at San Antonio on July 20, 1954, the day prior to the opening of the State F.F.A. convention there.

A new Ford Tractor will be awarded the state winner by the Ford Tractor dealers of Texas. Pete Darnell, manager of Palmer Implement Co. said Ford Tractor dealers in Texas are holding county FFA Operator's contests throughout the state.

High School Band In Guymon Parade

Students in the High School Band were in Guymon Saturday to take part in the annual Pioneer Day Parade, and other festivities. Approximately half of the number of bands expected did not arrive due to weather conditions. The Clarendon group received many compliments on their performance and was one of the few bands to play while marching, a fact which drew them much attention. The cold wind, mist, sleet, and rain made performing disagreeable but students put forth their best.

Supervising the group were J. H. Gain, Band Director, Mrs. Gain, Mrs. Johnny Blocker, Mrs. Dale Hill, Mrs. Paul Schull, and Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Estlack.

COLORED DRUM & BUGLE CORPS TO PARADE MAY 13

It was announced yesterday that the North Ward Colored Drum & Bugle Corps would parade on main street Thursday, May 13th at 11 o'clock. It was snowing when this group paraded on main street several weeks ago and a number of people were unable to see them perform. They wanted to make a repeat performance again before school was out, so J. H. Gain, local instructor gave his consent. If you haven't seen these Colored youngsters play and march, this will be an excellent opportunity. They do exceptionally well for the length of time they have been practicing.

NOTED ARTIST-PRIEST TO VISIT ST. MARY'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

Dom Gregory De Wit, O.S.B., internationally famous religious artist will visit St. Mary's Catholic Church next week where he will offer Masses at 7:30 a. m., May 13th and 14th. Milo Piz, young Swiss artist from Geneva, Switzerland and his assistant will accompany the noted artist-priest.

Father Gregory pursued studies in sacred art in academies in Munich, Brussels, Louvain, Rome, Paris and Sicily.

The artists will be guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jerome Stocking who will drive them to the art colonies at Taos and Santa Fe, New Mexico.

BAKE SALE SET FOR SATURDAY

The Kappa Sub Debs will hold a Bake Sale Saturday, May 8, from 9:00 a. m. to 12:00 noon at Junior's Food Market.

They invite you to shop with them for your cakes, pies, and cookies at a nominal cost.

COLLEGE BANQUET FRIDAY NIGHT

The annual College banquet will be held Friday evening at Mrs. Bromley's. This banquet is for all college students attending Clarendon Jr. College and also for the College faculty.

Cornell Bros. Buy Wilson's Texaco

Announcement is being made in this issue of the Leader of the purchase of Clyde Wilson's interests in the Texaco Service station located two blocks west of main street by the Cornell Brothers, Dude and Bill. The transaction was made effective May 1st.

At the present time Bill Cornell will operate the Texaco station and Dude Cornell will continue to operate the Sinclair station one block east of the stop light for the present time. Cornell Bros. have been in the service station business several years and have built up a reputation along this line.

Clyde Wilson, who has been in the Service Station business here the past 18 years, will operate a new Super Texaco station at Indio, California. Mr. Wilson completed his deal for the station this past week end and will leave for California next Monday to prepare for the opening of the station May 15th. Highways 60, 70 and 99 pass through Indio and this is also a main route to Los Angeles from the east. T. P. Lane will accompany Mr. Wilson to Indio to assist him in the operation of the station. Their families will follow at a later date.

Wilson, who has taken part in civic affairs and been a prominent promoter of sports, will be missed by his many friends here, but they all wish him well in his new venture in California.

SCHOOL TRANSFERS MUST BE MADE BY JUNE 1

Ruth Richerson, county school superintendent, announced this week that the deadline for transfers for the 1954-55 school term is June 1, 1954. In previous years, parents had until August 1st to make transfers from one district to another, but the rule has been changed to June 1st. Everyone is reminded to not neglect this important matter.

NOTICE TO YOUNG MEN WHO ARE INTERESTED AIR FORCE CADET PROGRAM

Capt. Walter E. Foster of Texas Aviation Cadet Selection Team No. 512 will be visiting Clarendon Junior College Monday, May 10th for the purpose of interviewing and testing young men from Clarendon and vicinity who are interested in the United States Air Force Aviation Cadet Program.

Young men who are graduating from school this spring and are between the ages of 19 and 26½, single, in good physical condition, and who have a desire to fly are urged to contact Capt. Foster while he is here.

Gov. Shivers Signs Bill Creating Water Dist.



Shown above is Governor Allan Shivers signing House Bill No. 88 creating the Greenbelt Municipal and Industrial Water District composed of Donley, Hall, Collingsworth, Childress, Cottle and Hardeman Counties. Seated is Gov. Shivers, left to right, Senator Andy Rogers of Childress, Senator George Moffitt of Chillicothe, Rep. Elbert Reeves of Matador, C. B. (Cap) Morris of Clarendon, President of the Association, Leon Reeves of Hedley, Clifford Johnson of Hedley, Secretary of the Association and Rep. Granger McElhaney of Wheeler. (See story on brief outline of purposes of Bill on page 8).

Dr. John L. Witt Named General Practitioner of The Year

Dr. John L. Witt of Groom was named Saturday, May 1st, by Osteopathic Physicians and Surgeons as their General Practitioner of the Year.

It was the first time the Texas Society of General Practitioners in Osteopathic Medicine and Surgery had bestowed such an honor. Dr. Witt was picked, explained President R. O. Brennan, "because he is the solid type doctor who is also a solid citizen in his community."

"Dr. Witt has practiced in the same community for nearly 20 years. He has delivered more than 1,200 babies. He does his own surgery and besides all that he is former mayor of Groom and is active in civic, fraternal and church work," said Brennan.

Witt is noted in the Groom area for giving that town its only hospital nine years ago. He serves around 1,500 families a year in the Groom, White Deer, Panhandle, Claude, Clarendon, and McLean area.

The honor "For Distinguished community service" was bestowed on Witt at a meeting of the state group of general practitioners in Ft. Worth the past week end.

Legion Auxiliary Takes Program To Veterans Hospital

Through the combined efforts of Mrs. Clyde Putman, president of the American Legion Auxiliary, R. E. Drennan, and members of the Auxiliary, students of Clarendon High School and Clarendon Junior College were responsible for the evening's entertainment at Veterans' Hospital Monday evening, May 3rd.

The group was allowed 45 minutes for the entire program which began at 7:00 p. m., and included singing, speeches and dancing numbers which had been worked up and presented in surrounding towns as a Public Relations Program boosting the Junior College. Facilities were provided allowing bed patients to listen to the program, with those who were able providing the audience.

While the program was in progress, Auxiliary members distributed cigarettes, chewing gum and refreshments to Hospital patients. Later students were treated to dinner by Auxiliary members.

FORMAL INSTALLATION OF SIMS P-T. A. OFFICERS

There will be formal installation of officers at the Sims P-T. A. meeting in the Jr. High Auditorium this (Thursday) afternoon at 3 o'clock.

Melade DeGaihs Wins State Tennis Honors

Melade DeGaihs, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. S. DeGaihs of this city, performed as a one-man team in the State Jr. College Tennis meet at College Station Monday and Tuesday and brought home top honors in the Tennis Singles event. His winnings also placed Clarendon Junior College 2nd in Tennis with 29 points for the State. He received a beautiful trophy and a first place medal. He and coach Don Loyd were the only two from Clarendon to make the trip.

DeGaihs defeated Griggson of Texarkana 6-0, 6-0; Welton Martin of Odessa 6-1, 6-0; Guy Ford of Amarillo 6-1, 6-0, and in the finals he defeated Don Russell of Amarillo 6-1, 6-0, 6-0. He only lost three games in all four matches which is a very good record for anyone.

DeGaihs won the right to play in the State meet by winning the West Zone singles April 21st at Plainview.

Rumor of Test Well To Be Drilled Soon

According to a short article on the Oil News page of the Sunday edition of the Amarillo News, Donley County has good prospects of another test well to be drilled soon. The article stated: "There is a fairly authentic report that Phillips will drill a granite test in the near future in Donley County just west of Clarendon, close to the Ozier test. The company has not yet announced a footage location.

A 6,000 acre block of land southwest of town was leased recently by Allen J. Bryan and transferred to Phillips Petroleum Company.

School Cafeteria Menu, May 10-14th

MONDAY
Salmon croquettes, catsup, scalloped potatoes, blackeyed peas, cole slaw, bread, milk, pudding.

TUESDAY
Barbecue beef, green beans, candied sweet potatoes, carrot-pineapple salad, hot rolls and butter, milk, fruit.

WEDNESDAY
Weiners, sourkraut, red beans, cream corn, lettuce salad, bread, milk, apple pie.

THURSDAY
Cheese, English peas, cream potatoes, spinach and boiled eggs, bread, milk, cake.

FRIDAY
Hamburgers, lima beans, lettuce, onions, pickles, potato chips, buns, milk, muffins.

SENIOR CLASS NIGHT SET FOR MAY 13

The Senior Class night will be held next Thursday evening, May 13th at 8 p. m. in the College Auditorium. The program is incomplete at this time but will be announced next week. This is the big night for the Senior Class and also an enjoyable event for parents and friends.

W. W. TAYLOR NAMED VICE PRESIDENT OF FIRST NATIONAL BANK

W. W. Taylor was made Vice-President and Cashier of the First National Bank at the last regular monthly meeting of the bank's Board of Directors.

Mr. Taylor went to work for the First National Bank August 16, 1916 and has been cashier of the bank since that time until his recent promotion.

FORMER RESIDENT DIES IN WASHINGTON

Word was received here recently of the death of Frank Barton, resident of Donley County for many years. Mr. and Mrs. Barton moved to Washington about a year ago to be near a son, Russell, and were living at Elder Wood Manor at the time of his death. No definite information as to services and burial is known but it is thought that burial was at Seattle.

May Fete To Be Presented Friday Evening

A May Fete program will be performed as a one-man team in the State Jr. College Gymnasium in observance of National Music Week, observed throughout the nation Monday thru Saturday.

Approximately 250 students of Public School Music under the direction of Mrs. Velma Weaver will present the musicale, representing the third, fourth, fifth and sixth grades. The program will be varied and there will be no admission charge. The public is extended a cordial invitation to attend.

Opening the program, third grade students will appear in a rhythm band number, play several rhythm games and sing several songs. Fourth grade students will wind the May Poles and sing spring songs.

All numbers prepared by the fifth grade will be along the Spanish theme with the group appearing in costume. They will sing one song in Spanish, other Spanish songs but in the American language, and present one folk game.

Sixth graders will sing seven songs—religious, seasonal, and folk. Climaxing the evenings entertainment, the Pledge to the Flag will be given and "The Star Spangled Banner" sung with the audience being invited to participate.

Part of County Receives Good Rain

A blustery cloud moving out of the southeast last Thursday afternoon dropped good moisture on parts of the west and north portions of the county with better than two inches being reported in places. The cloud started spilling its moisture as it approached town. The total here was measured at 20 inch but the rain and hail got heavier as it moved westward. Around an inch and a half fell between Martin and Ashtola with Ashtola reporting .85. The cloud ran into a cold front moving in from the north about Ashtola and moved north toward Jericho and then back eastward. Sam Dale reported 1½ inches at Goldston, but the fall was much heavier to the north. Creeks went on a rampage, stock tanks were filled and the Country Club lake was almost filled after stock tanks upstream started running over. Hail stones as large as hen eggs fell in different localities along the path of the cloud with most areas reporting hail of some degree. Farmers in the area were pleased to see lister ridges and terraces full of water once more.

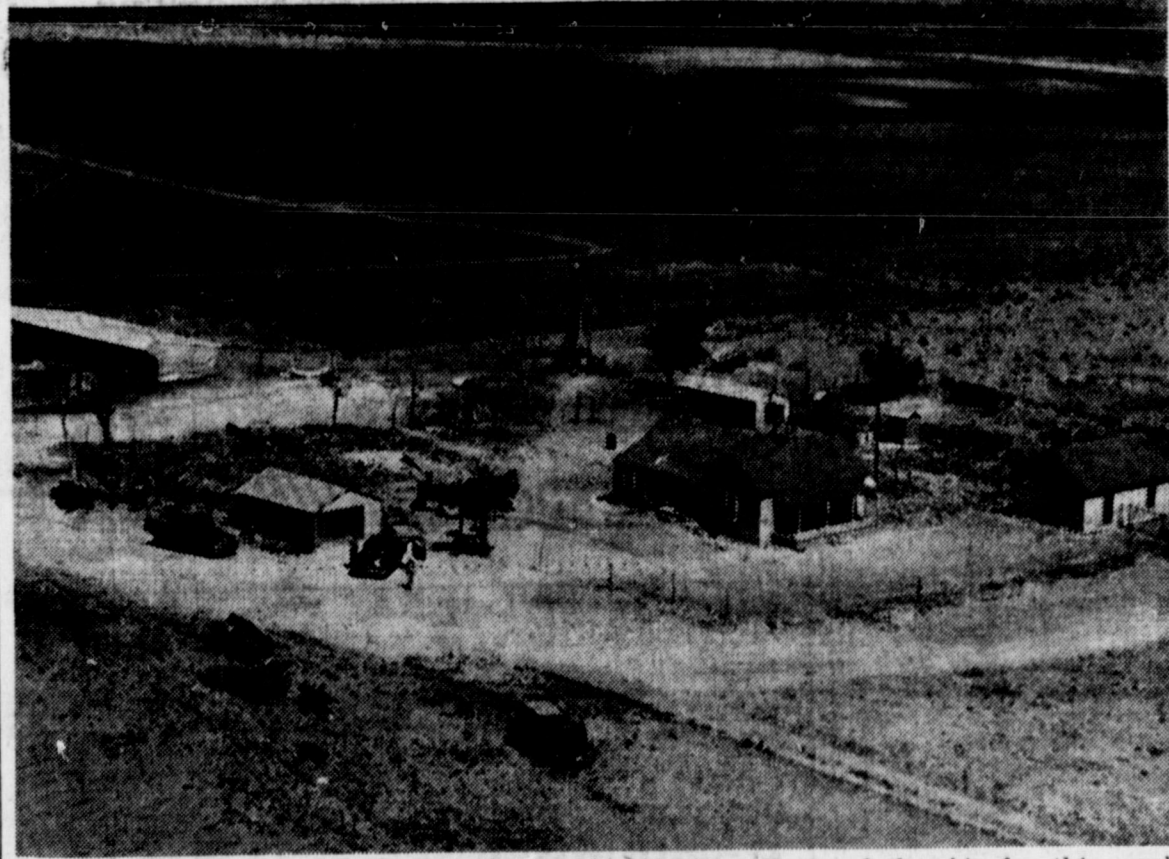
County Commissioner Hubert Rhoades reported considerable damage to county roads in his precinct and George Preston reported a great deal of damage to bridges, etc. on the new road across from Goldston to Spade Flat. The precipitation south of Alanreed was reported close to an inch.

Dollar Days Event Draws Large Crowd

From the number of shoppers that were in town Friday and Saturday and according to reports from merchants participating in Clarendon's Dollar Days those two days, this event was a great success. Merchants participating in the Dollar Days reported that their prices were cut to where they made very little money, but the volume and the idea of showing people that they can save money here at home, was well worth the effort.

Prices of merchandise advertised in the Leader last week, attracted shoppers from a fifty mile radius of Clarendon. These people were well pleased with both the merchandise and the price, along with the friendly attitude of local merchants.

Everyone can be looking forward to a greater Dollar Days event at the end of this month.



MYSTERY FARM NO. 38—This is the Leader Mystery Farm of the Air for this week. Rules governing this guessing contest and prizes are as follows: 1st in town and first living and receiving their mail in country to identify the mystery farm will receive a one year subscription to the Leader. The fifth to identify the farm, both town & rural will receive a free ticket to the Mulkey Theatre. The owner or tenant identifying his farm at the Leader office will receive a mounted picture free. Hours for making identification are 8 to 12 and 1 to 5 starting Thursday morning. Last weeks Mystery Farm is identified on another page of this week's issue of the Leader.

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GOLDSTON NEWS

Mrs. Roy Roberson

Mrs. H. C. Smith of Clarendon spent Wednesday night with Mrs. Edgar Talley and family. Pat Roberson spent Friday night with Jerry and David McBrayer. M and Mrs. Ray Godbey and Jerry visited Sunday in Wellington.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Moss and girls and Sue Talley visited in Amarillo Sunday. Sue Talley spent Saturday night with Irene Moss.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson and Pat played 42 with Mr. and Mrs. Ray Godbey and Jerry Wednesday night.

Howard Talley visited Saturday with Pat Roberson.

Mr. Doyle Ray Littlefield left Thursday for the Army.

Mr. and Mrs. Duane Littlefield gave Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Ray Littlefield a farewell party Tuesday night. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Eldridge James and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Littlefield and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Ray Littlefield, Mr. J. F. Jackson and girls, Bobby Phillely, Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hatley, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson and Pat, Mr. and Mrs. V. Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Odel McBrayer and family, Mrs. Clyde Davis and baby, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Reid and Bertha Mae, and Mr. and Mrs. Lois Putman and girls, and the hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Duane

Littlefield and baby. Everyone enjoyed the refreshments of ice cream and cake and played 42. Waylen Newman of Clarendon spent Saturday night and Sunday with Weldon Talley.

Mr. J. F. Jackson and girls visited awhile Saturday eve with Mr. and Mrs. V. Littlefield.

Mr. J. F. Jackson and girls visited Sunday morning with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hatley.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Bier of Altus, Okla. visited through the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dale.

Mr. J. F. Jackson and girls took dinner Sunday with Mrs. Ashcraft and Emma.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Littlefield and family of Tulsa took supper Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. V. Littlefield and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Littlefield and boy visited until bedtime with the V. Littlefields.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson visited with Mr. and Mrs. D. Smith and Minnie Sunday eve.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Ashcraft and family and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Ashcraft and baby visited Sunday eve with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Scoggins.

Pat Roberson visited Sunday eve with Howard and Carl Mack Talley.

Mr. and Mrs. Odel McBrayer and family and Pat Roberson visited Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Moffitt and children to celebrate David McBrayer and the little Moffitt boy's birthdays.

Mrs. D. B. Perdue who has been visiting with her daughter Mrs. Edgar Talley left Friday eve

to visit in Amarillo. Mrs. Roy Stewart and boys visited awhile Sunday eve with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Eicheberger.

Parent - Teacher Talk

Formal installment of the officers for the coming year will be the highlight of this afternoon's final meeting of the Sims P.-T.A. at the Junior High Auditorium at 3 o'clock.

The program, a Demonstration of teaching methods, will be presented by the third grades.

Mrs. Bray Cook, next year's vice-president, will give a brief report on the recent session of Texas Congress of Parents and Teachers, District 8, at Pampa. Mrs. Cook, who was present for the entire session, attended the Workshop on Program and Project.

Mrs. T. M. Caldwell, Jr., who will be installed as president this afternoon, attended the Workshop on Parliamentary Procedure, Legislation, Budget and Finance, Membership, and Evaluation. Mrs. Cockerell and Mrs. Hermes-meyer, both of whom will be officers next year, attended the workshop with Mrs. Caldwell.

Mrs. Bill Greene attended the Workshop on Character and Spiritual Education and Mrs. Shelby Bell the one on Civil Defense.

The Sims P.-T. A. Yearbook placed third in the district at the Congress in Pampa. Yearbooks were judged on program outline, theme for the year, and thoroughness of coverage. This was the first time in years that the Clarendon group has received special mention at the Congress.

Looking back on the year's achievements, the group takes pride in announcing the way in which it spent the money earned at the October Carnival. Mrs. Opal Messer, retiring treasurer, drew up the following summary of expenditures:

To Mrs. L. D. Aten, cafeteria supervisor, \$10.00 for travel expense to attend the luncheon school in Lubbock last summer; \$120.00 to the educational film fund; \$60.00 to the art department

for materials and supplies; \$50.00 for a used set of encyclopedia for the Elizabeth Stevens building; \$15.00 to the North Ward Drum & Bugle Corps; \$120.00 to the Band Parents for the uniform fund; \$106.84 for a set of encyclopedia for the Junior High; \$20.00 to the music department; and \$200.00 given to the ten teachers in the Elizabeth Stevens building for use in their respective rooms.

This makes an impressive total of \$626.84 spread through the eight grades to the benefit of every child in the two schools.

Arrangements have already been made to pay traveling expenses for Mrs. Aten and Mrs. Hattie Palmer to attend the luncheon school to be held in Lubbock again this summer.

PVT. CLEVE W. LANE, Jr. TRAINING AT FORT BLISS

FORT BLISS, TEXAS — Pvt. Cleve W. Lane, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. Cleve W. Lane, Clarendon, Texas, recently began eight weeks of basic training in the Antiaircraft Artillery Replacement Training Center at Ft. Bliss, Texas.

The first eight weeks of basic training are spent on fundamental infantry subjects like army drill, rifle, machine gun, and bazooka marksmanship, and familiarization with army technical subjects. This first phase of training is climaxed with a one week maneuver in the field.

Upon completion of the first eight week cycle, he will either be assigned for further training at Ft. Bliss in the techniques of antiaircraft artillery or he will be transferred to another training center for schooling in some other army skill.

Should he remain at Ft. Bliss, his second eight weeks will see him learn the uses of various electronic equipment employed by the AAA-RTC. He will also

be expertly trained in the firing of light and medium antiaircraft artillery at low flying and high altitude aerial targets on the one-and-one-half million acre Ft. Bliss ranges.

GABIE BETTS BURTON LIBRARY NOTES

By May L. Prewitt

This week we are happy to announce the arrival of five "Pre-Primers" for some of our young readers. These children are often disappointed that our shelf of First Grade Books are too difficult for most of them. The lists that are mailed me from the publishing houses are not of their reading level, usually. Most of these are suggested by reading instructors from New York University, Columbia and various Eastern schools.

We have been more than two months securing a copy of "A Permanent Garden" by Norman Taylor. I had ordered this to give in memory of Dr. B. L. Jenkins. This book came this week, and is apparently one that will be very useful.

We are low on light fiction and historical novels, but our cash is scarce. Our total membership and fines was less than two dollars. April is usual ya poor month for finances, and some of the clubs who have helped us before have not responded this year as there are so many places to use their funds.

Dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Cross and family Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. G. McAnear and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Todd, Mr. and Mrs. D. T. Smallwood, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Riley, Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hendrix and son, Mrs. Bessie Dunlap and Tommy, and Mrs. Bessie Lane.

WASHINGTON AND "SMALL BUSINESS"
 BY C. WILSON HARDER

Here is a problem you will hear more about, especially as unemployment becomes more acute at this time of the year.

Various states and cities now have tax laws which are upsetting the normal flow of goods and business.

In fact, some business men claim national can expect aggravated unemployment problems three months of every year.

Various states and cities have a legal right to levy taxes, it is also basic premise of Constitution that states cannot restrict commerce. And that appears to be the effect of these taxes.

These laws are working an especial hardship on independent wholesale distributors. Factory owner distributing branches can presumably absorb the inventory taxes and apply their losses against the company's overall income tax. However, independents do not have this escape.

There is another paradox. Often the distributor or retailer is paying a tax on goods he does not actually own.

The traditional theory of taxation is that people pay taxes on property they own. But in the distribution business, the inventory tax, is often a tax on a debt, because frequently warehouses are stocked on borrowed money. Thus, there has been added to the taxing of income, and property owned, a tax on what is owed.

This is not a national tax. It is primarily a matter of local concern, although with evidence mounting that these local taxes obstruct trade, it may become a matter of Congressional concern.

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STRAWBERRIES	Stokely's Frozen—10 oz. Pkg.	29c
6 COKES FREE	Plus Deposit with \$5.00 Cash Order	
TOMATOES	Solid Packed, 303 size—4 Cans	98c
1/2 PRICE SALE	NEW BLUE DETERGENT Super Suds 2 Large Size 53c	
CHEESE	Longhorn—1 Pound	49c
SLAB BACON	1 Pound	75c
LUNCH MEATS	1 Pound	45c
PORK CHOPS	1 Pound	60c
HAMBURGER	1 Pound	35c
Golden Sweet CORN	Cream Style, 303 Size—5 Cans	98c
Sugar	5 lbs. PURE CANE	49c
AJAX	2 Cans	25c
Crisco	3 lbs.	89c
SPUDS	White, Celo Bag—5 lbs.	35c
TOMATOES	Celo Pkg.	25c
GRAPEFRUIT	3 for	25c
RADISHES	Bunch	5c
OLEO	Grayson—1 Pound	23c

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MARTIN NEWS

Mrs. W. H. Morrow

They was a large crowd out for Church and Sunday school Sunday.

The young folks had a party and weiner roast at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bert DeBord Thursday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Land visited Wayland Fitzgerald and family Thursday.

Mrs. Bill Land, Mrs. Pete Land went with Mrs. Zola Donald to Shamrock Thursday night and visited the Lodge.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Butman, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Land visited Mr. and Mrs. Glen Williams, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Moreland and went to Mr. and Mrs. Mosley's 50th Anniversary Sunday eve.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bulman visited Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Higgins Thursday night and played 42.

Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Tims visited Mr. and Mrs. Kidd Friday night and played 42.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Parsons visited Miss Della Wood Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cannon attended Mr. and Mrs. Mosley's 50th Anniversary at Hedley Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Jerry Williams of Amarillo visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Kidd Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Morrow of Amarillo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morrow over the week end.

Miss Della Wood spent Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Wood of Clarendon.

Mrs. C. J. Talley is spending the week with her son and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Aubry Talley at

Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bulman, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Land, Mr. and Mrs. Kidd visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morrow Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Williams of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Brinkley Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. Frank Cannon and boys visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Harrison Monday.

Mrs. Frank Cannon and boys visited Mrs. T. H. Harmonson Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Frank Cannon attended the Dairy Association at Canyon Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eimer McCay of Parnell visited Mr. and Mrs. Odell Osburn Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. Harmonson and family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Higgins visited Mr. and Mrs. Hott's Friday night and played 42.

Mr. and Mrs. Oren Lee Hill and children and Mr. and Mrs. Red Hill and children were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waldrop Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waldrop and children visited Saturday night in the Oren Lee Hill home.

Mrs. Raymond Waldrop, Mrs. Oren Lee Hill, Miss Louie Marshall and Mrs. Bill Marshall, Mrs. Charlie Hearn quilted Thursday afternoon for Mrs. Guy Sibley.

The Martin W.M.S. quilted Wednesday afternoon. There were nine ladies present.

Clyde Tims, Bob Cole, Ross Hill spent Sunday in the Christie home.

Mr. L. L. Waldrop spent Friday night in the Raymond Waldrop home.

Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Hill spent the week end in Turkey with her sister.

LELIA LAKE NEWS

Mrs. H. R. King

Mrs. Will Kennedy left Friday to visit relatives near Austin. She was accompanied by Mrs. Dorothy Bagwell of Claude.

Mrs. B. L. Knowles of Clarendon spent Wednesday night with Mrs. Jesse White and children.

Randall Butler, formerly of Amarillo, came Friday to spend the weekend with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Butler.

Mr. and Mrs. Arlie Wood and children had business in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Martin and boys of Blackwell spent Tuesday with her mother, Mrs. Jesse White.

Mrs. Freddie Hutson and children left Friday to spend several days with Mr. and Mrs. John Hutson of Bonham.

Mrs. Oscar Roberts and Richard Roberts of Amarillo spent the weekend here with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Longan of Amarillo spent Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Bowling. Carson Bowling accompanied them home for the weekend.

Miss Bonnie Hughes, Bob Carr and Ralph Ayers, all of Canyon, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Ayers.

Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Seago drove to Amarillo Friday evening, to meet their daughter, Mrs. Gene Moore of Tahoka. Mrs. Moore spent the weekend.

Mrs. Joe Robert Leathers spent Wednesday in Canyon visiting relatives.

Jesse White, who underwent surgery and spent several weeks in the Veteran's Hospital in Amarillo, was able to return home Thursday.

Misses Shirley Aten and Betty Maddox of Clarendon went to Amarillo and Canyon Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. King went to Silverton Sunday to visit Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Tims. Mrs. Tims and baby accompanied them home for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Hill and baby of Wichita, Kansas spent the weekend here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Boner Howard and daughters of Amarillo spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Knox.

Earl Shields and Carol Stepp returned Friday night from spending several days in Dalhart with Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Shields.

Mr. and Mrs. Make Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Bob Watkins, all of Wichita Falls, spent the weekend here with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Benny Hill spent several days in Lubbock last week with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Neighbors and children of Pampa visited his mother and friends here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Vance Gray and children of Ashtola visited Mr. and Mrs. George Johnson Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Reynolds of Clovis, New Mexico visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. G. Knox Sunday.

Mrs. Murphy Brock honored her husband, Murphy Brock, Will Mace and J. B. McDaniel with a dinner in her home, last Thursday evening. The honorees all had birthdays. Those to enjoy the delicious fried chicken dinner and games of 42 were: Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brock, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stewart, all of Clarendon, Mrs. McInroe of Idalou, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. McDaniel, Mrs. Charlie Myer, Murphy Brock, Mr. and Mrs. Nolie Simmons, Mr. and Mrs. H. R. King, Will Mace, and the hostess, Mrs. Brock.

Mr. and Mrs. A. N. Meader and three children from Plains spent Tuesday night with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brandon. Mr. and Mrs. John White spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. F. White and Jack. Mr. and Mrs. John Brandon of Plainview spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brandon. Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Graham shopped in Amarillo Monday. Carol Evans and Glenda Wilson appeared on a program at Claude Friday night.

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ASHTOLA NEWS

Mrs. Doyce Graham

Mr. and Mrs. Burk DeBord visited the John Hills at Hedley Monday.

Mrs. H. E. Tolleson spent Wednesday with her daughter, Mrs. Cleve Ingram at Amarillo.

This community wishes to express sympathy to George Gresham upon the death of his brother, C. E. Gresham who died of injuries received in an automobile accident. The funeral was in Childress.

Shirley Wilson of Amarillo spent the weekend with her parents, the W. H. Wilsons.

Mr. and Mrs. Hall Hardin have a new Oldsmobile. Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brandon spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Mahaffey.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Lane Jr. and family visited in the J. B. Lane home Saturday night and Sunday.

David Lane went with Mr. Seay and a group of boys to Bryan as a judging team over

This farm home was identified by twelve persons last week as the Inmon farm located three miles west of Jericho. Mrs. Inmon's free glossy picture will be waiting for her when she comes to town.

This farm consists of one section of land with 400 acres in cultivation. Mrs. Inmon took over active management of the farm after her husband, Clay Inmon passed away last year. She raises wheat and beef cattle. Mrs. Inmon has been a resident of the Jericho community for a long number of years. She has two sons, Ernest and Cecil Inmon.

the week end. Mrs. Word is in Canyon this week with her mother.

FLOYD H. HENSON SERVING ABOARD AIRCRAFT CARRIER MEDITERRANEAN AREA

Floyd H. Henson, radioman third class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. G. Henson of Route 1, Clarendon, Texas, is serving aboard the attack aircraft carrier USS Midway here.

The Midway, a unit of the Sixth Fleet, is the flagship of the Commander of Carrier Division Four. She has participated in two combined exercises with NATO allies Greece and Turkey since her arrival last January.

Mrs. C. L. McCrary who has been ill the past several weeks is not able to be at home yet but is improving at the home of her daughter in Amarillo. She is looking forward to being home soon.

Lu McClellan and Guy Lynn Tatum are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Lu McClellan at Edinburg, Texas.

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Society

Mrs. G. W. Estlack, Society Editor
Phone 418

Seago - Hill

Miss Sue Seago and Benny Hill were quietly married in the First Baptist Church at Wellington, Saturday afternoon, with Bro. Chester O'Brien officiating. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Hill, parents of the groom, Mrs. Gene Moore, sister of the bride, and Nelson Seago, father of the bride.

Mrs. Benny Hill wore a navy blue and white dress with a navy blue redingote, and navy blue and white accessories. She carried a white Bible.

Mrs. Hill is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Seago of Lelia Lake. She is a Junior in the high school.

Mr. Hill is the son of Mr. and Mrs. O. O. Hill of Ashtola. He is a Senior in high school.

The young couple will make their home in Lelia Lake until school is out.

ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Red Stephens announce the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter Florence to Glynn Hall, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hall of Clarendon.

The wedding will be an event of June 1st.

GOOD NEIGHBORS CLUB

The Good Neighbors Club met April 30 in the home of Ruby Jordan. Work was done on one quilt.

Those to enjoy the day and dinner were guests: Mrs. John Hatley, Roberta Pittman and Gladys Hahn and members: Pearl Terry, Eula Butler, Mava Anderson, Dawsie Sullivan, Bennie Crabtree, Bessie Helton, and the hostess, Ruby Jordan.

The next meeting will be with Dawsie Sullivan, May 14.

—Reporter.

APPROACHING MARRIAGE ANNOUNCED

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Underdown are announcing the approaching marriage of their daughter, Lola Mae, to A/Ic Hollis Wayne Carroll of Klamath, California. Hollis is the son of Mrs. Mary Carroll of Amarillo.

Vows will be read Monday evening, May 17, at 6 o'clock in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Underdown, 4013 Cline Road, Amarillo, Texas.

BIRTHDAY DINNER

Monday evening, last, Mrs. T. G. Wiley of 302 W. 45th, Amarillo, entertained with a lovely birthday dinner in honor of her mother, Mrs. C. E. Underdown.

The evening's entertainment began with all of Mrs. Underdown's grandchildren singing "Happy Birthday," then each one presented her with his or her gift.

A buffet dinner was served to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Adkins, Carol and Brenda; Mr. and Mrs. Leo Underdown and Cindy; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Lewis, Don and Dona; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Underdown and Mike; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Underdown, Lola Mae and Lorna D. and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. T. G. Wiley, Carl Wayne and Robbi.

MYSTIC WEAVERS CLUB

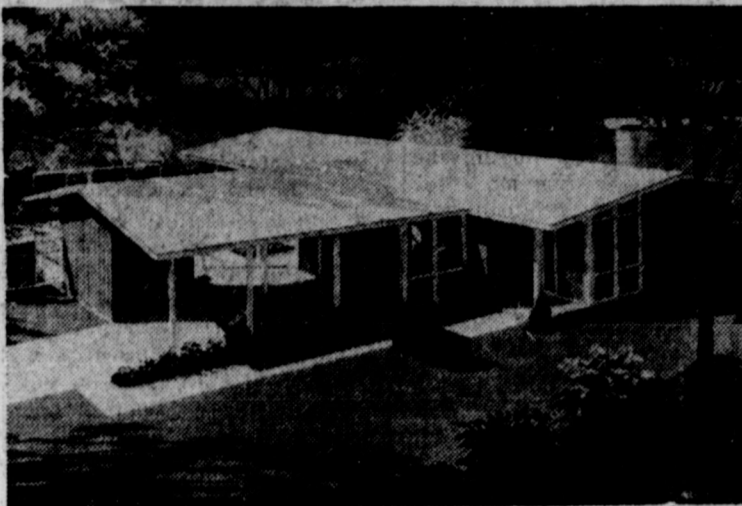
The Mystic Weavers Club of Lelia Lake met April 28th with Mrs. H. R. King.

Our visitors were Mrs. Edd Mahaffey, Mrs. Sam Roberts, Mrs. Dewey and Mrs. McEnroe. Thirteen members answered roll call. Everyone enjoyed the covered dish lunch. One quilt was finished and other hand work done.

The next meeting will be May 12th with Mrs. Murphy Brock with an all day meeting.

—Reporter.

Holiday House



FIRST PRIZE in a new national "Homemaker's Holiday" contest is this \$25,000 contemporary ranch-type home. It features a new type of informal family living room that includes a fabulous "holiday" kitchen and dining, laundry and recreation space all in one large L-shaped area. In addition there are three bedrooms, bath and lavatory, large formal living room with fireplace and built-in woodbox, carpet and workroom separated from the rest of the house by a covered breezeway, and an enclosed garden court. Kelvinator-equipped kitchen features a novel work-saving arrangement that includes refrigerator, freezer and clean-up "work centers," and an electric range and breakfast bar combined in a centrally-located "island."

1926 BOOK CLUB

Mrs. Clyde Hudson and Mrs. Frank White, Jr. were hostesses to the Book Club, Tuesday, in Patching Club House at 4:00 p. m. The club rooms were made gay with garden flowers. Each one talking part on the program was given a lovely cut flower by the hostesses.

The club read the Collect in unison, followed with a prayer by Mrs. E. S. Ballew. A musical program was then given. Mrs. W. C. Thornberry as program leader gave a short summary on "Music Week" from a recent editorial in the Amarillo Daily News, emphasizing the fact that our lives and character are greatly influenced by music; to have better citizens we must encourage better music.

She then introduced the guest artists and 2 club members who illustrated the better type of music in the following renditions: "Liebestraum" by Liszt, "Claire de Lune" by Debussy, and "Rustles of Spring" by Sinding played on the piano by Janice Christal; "By the Waters of Minnetonka" and "Indian Love Call" played on the violin by Rebecca

King, accompanied at the piano by Harold Clampitt; a vocal duo, "I See the Moon" by Ruby Mann and Shirley Barker accompanied by Shirley; a musical reading "Moving in the Best Society" by Carrie Jacobs Bond, reader Mrs. Loyd Johnson, accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Rayburn Smith.

Members present were Mesdames E. S. Ballew, Homer Bones, L. N. Cox, M. C. Goodner, Loyd C. Johnson, Alvin Landers, Curtis Mears, Frank Phelan, Sr., Rayburn Smith, W. C. Thornberry, J. R. Porter, L. T. Shelton, Regan Bryan, and Misses Loyd Richerson and Lucile Polk.

Refreshments of cake topped with whipped cream, and iced orange punch were served by Mrs. Hudson and Mrs. White.

STUDENTS PRESENT RECITAL

Saturday afternoon, May 1, at 4:30 p. m. in the home of Mrs. L. E. Yankee, Miss Mantie Graves presented a group of elementary, intermediate, and advanced intermediate students in a piano recital.

This is the second such recital Miss Graves' pupils have present-

ed since the first of the year. The object of these recitals is to show the parents just what each child is doing in his every day lessons and to show the progress he has made. Each student played several solos and some played duets. Sue Yankee played two violin solos.

This group of students were Melissa McCully, Bobby Moss, Karen Knorpp, Sue Yankee, Sarah Antrobus, and Evelyn Chamberlain. Refreshments were served to approximately 18 pupils and guests.

TEXAS MU GAMMA CHAPTER HOLD BANQUET AT DONLEY COFFEE SHOP APRIL 30th

Members of Texas Mu Gamma Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi and their husbands celebrated the founding of Beta Sigma Phi by Walter W. Ross in 1931, with a steak supper and dance at the Donley Coffee Shop on the night of April 30. The banquet began with all members and their husbands repeating the opening ritual. Beta Sigma Phi Grace was led by Lois Schollenberger. Jennie Aten welcomed the pledges, guests and husbands. The history of the Sorority's year was given by Bert Garland. Freida Gray read the Beta Sigma Phi Poem. A message from Mr. Walter W. Ross, Founder, was read by Ann Reeves. The Toast was given by Frankie Henson. Mrs. C. B. Morris led the Founders Day Pledge and then presented Lois Schollenberger as the Girl of the Year. Lois was given a certificate by the Sorority as a token of their appreciation in her willingness to work and her unending cooperation in everything the Sorority has undertaken.

After the delicious dinner the group went to the Teen Canteen for dancing and games. Those attending and enjoying the evening were: Ann Reeves, and Messrs. and Mesdames C. B. Morris, George Schollenberger, Haskell Phelps, L. D. Aten, Jr., Bert Garland, Joe Bownds, Skinny Putman, Jake Lamberth, Redell Henson, Jack Gray, James Gain, H. L. Riley, Mike McCully, Curtis Mears, Tommy Gattis, Jack Ballew, and Mrs. Duane Naylor, Mrs. LaVerne Horton and Mr. Cecil Culver, Jr.

"Coming Out" Party



Many an up-to-date homemaker has been holding a "coming out" party of late — her laundry is coming out of the basement into a bright, cheery kitchen. Nowadays, a divided kitchen-laundry combination is a basic requirement for the efficient homemaker. New automatic washers and matching gas or electric clothes dryers with their modern design and styling, like the Whirlpool models above, are handsome additions to any kitchen.

Gleaming white enamel finish and raised attractive illuminated control panels of these models complement any kitchen color scheme. Their counter-high flat tops are actually extensions of adjacent work areas. Adjustable legs raise or lower the units to

the exact height of adjoining sink or counter level, and flush-to-wall installation guarantees a snug, made-to-order fit. Unit tops are finished in porcelain enamel, too, making them rust, mar and stain resistant.

Not only is the kitchen-laundry an addition of beauty, but it is also a tremendous step and time-saver for today's busy homemaker. The continual running up and down stairs, in and out of doors, and back and forth underneath the clothesline is no longer necessary.

It all adds up to the fact that with the laundry "coming out" of the basement, the homemaker is "coming out" with a more beautiful kitchen, less work and more leisure time.

F.H.A. PARTY AT CLAUDE

Members of the Clarendon F.H.A. Chapter were guests of the Claude F.H.A. Chapter at a Tacky Party, given in the High School Gymnasium Tuesday evening.

The group played games, enjoyed a scavenger hunt, and participated in a Beauty Contest. Linda Lamberth won the prize in the Beauty Contest for Clarendon. The group winning the Scavenger Hunt was presented a box of candy.

Refreshments of punch, cookies, and sandwiches were served buffet style by the Claude girls, their supervisor, and several mothers.

Approximately 18 girls, Miss Loyd Richerson, Mrs. J. G. McAnear, Mrs. T. H. Gattis, Mrs.

George Schollenberger, and Mrs. Jack Eddings attended from Clarendon.

The girls wish to thank the Claude girls and their supervisor, Miss Rumpy, for such an entertaining evening.

BLANCHE GROVES CIRCLE

The Blanche Groves Circle of WMU met with Mrs. Lola Barns, April 28th with 9 members and one visitor present. Mrs. Grover Heath, chairman, opened the meeting; prayer by Mrs. Kate Vinson, Mrs. Crockett Taylor taught a very interesting lesson. We were dismissed in prayer by Mrs. A. J. Sibley.

The next meeting will be with Inez Skinner May 12th.

—Reporter.

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GOLDSTON QUILTING CLUB

The Club met Thursday morning with Connie Talley and Nora Smith. A lovely dinner was served to about half of the members.

Those present were Nina Dale, Sallie Hatley, Ola McBrayer, Maazie Eichelberger, Adgar Williams, Grandma Perdue, Mae Pearl McDonald, Irene Stewart, Joy Roberson, Blanche Gray, Connie Talley, hostess and Nora Smith, co-hostess.

One quilt was finished and another almost finished. Those receiving Pollyannas were Mazie Eichelberger, Gertrude Reid, Mae Pearl McDonald, Joy Roberson.

Next meeting will be Thursday May 6th with Joy Roberson. All members please wear aprons to club for exchange. —Reporter.

GOODNIGHT HOME-MAKERS CLUB MEETS FOR FAMILY DINNER

The Goodnight Home-makers Club met in the Community Hall for a family dinner party April 27th at 7:30 o'clock.

Hostesses Mrs. Steve Donald and Mrs. Don Harlan served a delicious dinner to approximately seventy-five members, their families and guests.

Following the meal, Mrs. Newton Harrel from Claude showed pictures made on their "Round the World Trip." Especially fascinating were the scenes of their hunting trip in Niarobi. We were sorry that Mr. Harrel could not be with us also, but due to an accident while working cattle he was unable to attend. Accompanying Mrs. Harrel were her mother, Mrs. N. A. Crosson and Mrs. Clarence Thompson from Canyon.

We of the Goodnight community truly appreciate the opportunity to see these pictures.

Other guests attending were:

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Head, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Seeds, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Cox, Miss Lucile Polk, and Mrs. Goodner from Clarendon; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Miller, Butch and Judy from Claude; Miss Mavis Hudson and Miss Jessie Wells from Amarillo; Mr. George Keeter and his mother from Groom; and Mr. Lester Keeter from Boulder, Colo. —Reporter.

LILLIE HUNDLEY CIRCLE

The Lillie Hundley Circle met Wednesday afternoon, April 28, in the home of Mrs. A. T. Cole with seven members present.

Rather than the usual devotional, individual prayers were offered for the revival. After singing a hymn, the fourth chapter of "Sacrifice and Song" was studied. Mrs. Cole was assisted in the study by Mrs. James Moore, Mrs. Truett Behrens, Mrs. Claude Darden and Mrs. Bill Preacher.

The next meeting will be held Wednesday afternoon, May 11, at 3 o'clock in the home of Mrs. R. R. Dawkins.

HUDGINS QUILTING CLUB

The Hudgins Quilting Club met Tuesday, April 27 with Ruth Lindley. One quilt was finished.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Roxie Cosper, May Perdue, Belle Smallwood, Martiel Webb, Floree Webb, Mary Lee Noble, Ruby Parker, Pauline Koontz, Cora Elliott and the hostess Ruth Lindley and two visitors, Phyllis Richey and Syble Koen.

The next meeting will be Tuesday, May 11th with Cora Elliott. —Reporter.

Jim McKee of Arlington, Texas visited the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. McKee.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN OF THE CHURCH

The Presbyterian Women of the Church held their general meeting, April 28, in the home of Mrs. Ed Dishman with Mrs. Nova McClure co-hostess.

Miss Mable Mongole, president, opened the meeting with a devotional, with Mrs. McClure giving the opening prayer. Roll call was answered by 16 members and was followed by the reading of the minutes.

During the business session a motion was made that we have a Family Fellowship Night Supper. It will be held at 7:30 p. m., Wednesday, May 5th. Mrs. Wm. A. Cockerell announced that Mrs. Charles Blackburn would be in charge of refreshments for the Vacation Bible School, and volunteers can contact her if they wish to help.

"World Christian Youth Blazes New Trails" was the discussion given by Mrs. M. W. Cook. Mrs. J. Gordon Stewart supplied records for a religious music program.

The meeting closed with scripture verses using the first letter of the hostesses' names. Refreshments were served by the hostesses. —Reporter.

F. H. A. HAYRIDE

Future Homemakers and their guests enjoyed a Hayride Friday evening, April 30. The group met at the school and were taken to Red River by Broadus Spivey.

Some enjoyed games of baseball while others went exploring. About dark, all gathered back at the trailer for supper. After eating the group returned home reporting a very good time.

Members present were Gayle Lemons, Rosey Morrow, Mary Ida Gattis, Joan Lane, Carol Lane, Lillie Barker, Ruth Ann King, Rebecca King, Harlene Smith, Lucy Richardson, Paula Skelton, Jeanie McAneer, and Joyce Crutchfield. The girls were happy to have six guests present also.

Week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Underdown were Mr. and Mrs. Sam Fammie and Mrs. Carrie Adkins of Carnegie, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Jess Waddle and son, Cary, of Okmulgee, Okla., and Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Underdown and Mike of Amarillo.

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Political Announcements

Political announcements appearing in this column are subject to the action of the Democratic primary in July. All announcement fees must be paid in advance.

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100th Judicial District:
ALLEN HARP

County Judge:
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MRS. MELVIN W. COOK

Sheriff, Assessor & Collector:
TRUETT BEHRENS

County & District Clerk:
HELEN CHURCHMAN
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County Commissioner:
Precinct No. 1
HUBERT RHOADES

Precinct No. 2
EDD MOORING

Precinct No. 3
F. M. MURRAY
F. L. (Tige) HILL

Precinct No. 4
GEORGE PRESTON
JESS FINLEY
H. W. (Shorty) BURR

Constable Precinct No. 2:
R. C. (Bob) HILL
C. HUFFMAN

Justice of the Peace:
Precinct No. 2
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Know Gradings Of Lumber And Save Yourself Money

Neophyte handymen and do-it-yourselfers are usually dismayed and confused by lumberyard jargon, and end up buying the wrong lumber for the job they have in mind. More often than not, they select higher-priced lumber than they need.

Lumber is graded according to quality and classified as common or select. To buy select lumber when common will do is to throw away money, and it may amount to several dollars, if any sizable quantity is purchased.

For instance, if you were to build shelves for the kitchen, and planned to paint them, it would be foolish to buy top-grade finishing wood for the job. Lower-grade wood, with sound knots and minor defects, will serve the purpose just as well when painted.

A slightly better grade of lumber may be required if a clear finish is to be applied. Lumber clear on one side and imperfect on the other will do nicely in some cases.

A good idea is to pick through the lumber carefully. It's often possible to save money by buying a quantity of low-grade lumber, then use only the clear portions between imperfections. Don't hesitate to consult your lumber dealer. Tell him how you plan to use the wood. He will be glad to save you money, because he knows then you'll be back with more business. And retail lumber dealers are relying more and more on the "do-it-yourself" trade.

Select woods are graded A, B, C and D. A and B softwoods, the two highest grades, are known in lumberyard parlance as B & Better, or 1 & 2 Clear. In hardwoods they may be called FAS (first and seconds) or 1s & 2s. In general, the higher select grades are for natural finishes and the lower, C and D, for paint-finishes. But there are exceptions to this. Even occasional top-grade common woods can be found good enough to take a natural finish.

Common grades are usually designated by numbers 1 through 5, the latter being the lowest grade. They are for general utility and construction purposes.

B & Better select grading permits minute pitch pockets, slight splits, small knots and other minor irregularities. It is for highest-quality woodwork, trim and cabinetwork.

Stain and additional small defects are allowed on C-grade select lumber, next lowest in price and quality. It is less likely to merit a transparent finish.

The D grade may have additional defects, including small knots, rough edges, planer skip, etc. It is popular for use on projects in power - tool - equipped workshops.

Common grades follow much the same pattern. Numbers 1 and 2 are good, all-around utility woods. Defects are progressively greater through the other grades. Number 5 has the most imperfections, and it's unlikely that the home handyman would find much use for it.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Lemons of Memphis visited Sunday in Clarendon with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Cross and Annette. Mr. and Mrs. Zeno Lemons and family of Memphis also visited during the day. Mr. and Mrs. Cross have recently moved here from Amarillo.

Mrs. Geo. Bain of Sunray visited last week with Mrs. J. D. Wood, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hodges, and other relatives.

Real Cool Trucks

One of the headaches of trucking is the delivery of perishable goods such as ice cream, meat, milk, frozen foods and flowers. These must be kept constantly at low temperatures, but truck refrigerating systems generally operate only when the truck is in motion.

General Electric has now developed and field tested an around-the-clock electrical system for cooling trucks. The system operates independently whether the truck is running or idling. If the motor is shut off it will operate on standard house current by means of an extension cord.

The new system operates off the truck crankshaft and requires no battery power. Also, because it operates on high voltages, no extra motors or transformers are required when stand-by power is used. The system uses fewer and lighter components, making larger payloads possible.

Preventing Insect Damage Through Research

Texas Dept. of Agriculture Killing insects is a lot like a marriage proposal. A little thought beforehand may prevent a pack of grief afterwards.

A fellow rarely has the chance to repeat his pre-marital mistakes. But fortunately, we can profit from our previous errors in insect control. And Texas Department of Agriculture entomologists are under pressure now for some quick answers to our pest problems.

Biological control is very promising. Milky disease has reduced the ravages of the Japanese beetle in the U. S. but we are always looking for ways to breed and distribute more natural enemies of destructive insects. Such research involves a world-wide search for insect predators, parasites and diseases of the pests we

want to control.

The more we know about the causes of the rise and fall in numbers of an insect, the better we can forecast and prevent these epidemics and the resultant damage. It is essential that our techniques of survey and identification be rapid, sure and inexpensive.

Timer losses caused by insects surpass those due to fire in many parts of Texas. Some year, our national loss from the cotton boll weevil exceeds 500 million dollars. Other insects that have caused losses exceeding 100 million dollars in a single year include grasshoppers, cattle grubs, corn earworms, greenbugs, bollworms and European corn borers.

In the past 10 years, more than a score of new organic-type insecticides have been tested and marketed. There are hundreds more awaiting further study. Results, thus far, of entomological research have been a big factor in increasing crop yields, yet the

above losses demonstrate the need to discover even better control procedures.

Results of research, when applied on farm, ranch, forest, and in the home, will prevent waste and suffering by controlling more than 600 major destructive insects as well as the pests that transmit diseases of plants, livestock and man.

We need research—and plenty of it.

M/Sgt. James Owens of Ft. Sill, Okla. is spending a 20 day furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Owens and other relatives.

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RECEIVES PROMOTION

Word has been received by Mr. and Mrs. K. K. Day that their son, 2nd Lt. Weldon Day has been promoted to 1st Lieutenant. Lt. Day is stationed at Tague, Korea with the 30th Weather Squadron.



JOHN BEN SHEPPERD

Texas Attorney General John Ben Shepperd formally filed for re-election to a second term last week, subject to action of the Democratic primary.

In his announcement Shepperd pledged continuing war by his office on "Crime, Communism and Corruption."

"We feel our quick action in checking the drive by the Communist Party to take over key Texas ports and our fight in Duval County to uncover and halt the theft of public funds both have won approval of the people."

Shepperd, who was elected Attorney General in 1952, after serving two years as Secretary of State, is 38 years of age and a native of Gladewater, Texas.

In his race for Attorney General two years ago, Shepperd received 80% of the votes. In his home county, Gregg, and in Travis county where he now lives, he received more votes than ever had been cast for an Attorney General in the history of either county. As yet, he is unopposed for re-election.

During his first year in the Attorney General's office, Shepperd led important actions for the state such as defense of the Tidelands Act, made proposals to ease the Texas drought areas, and successfully blocked a communist threat to Texas ports and oil and industrial centers.

In February he became the first state official to take definite action against Duval County irregularities when his office began an intensive probe of school district and county records.

Last summer Shepperd exposed a mail-order cigarette tax swindle operating in Texas. His office has stopped hundreds of out-of-state corporations from doing business in Texas without permits, and completed a large number of anti-trust actions.

During 1955 his office won 97% of its cases—1199 out of 1232 tried or appealed. In the same year his office recovered through judgments, fines and forfeitures, enough money to operate the Attorney General's office for 25 years.

As an economy measure Shepperd reorganized the Attorney General's department when he took office. In 1953 he reduced his office's telephone bill by more than half, travel expenses 25%,

issued an opinion cutting his own salary \$2,000, and submitted a budget request so low that his office was given more than it asked for. At the year's end he returned \$25,000 in unused money to the Treasury.

Shepperd serves on 34 boards and commissions of the state government including the State Banking Board, School and Veterans' Land Boards, State Tax Board, and State Elections Board. He is present southern regional chairman of the National Association of Attorneys General.

Shepperd has incorporated measures in his administration to synchronize and improve law enforcement. He sends out a monthly newsletter to all Texas law enforcement officers, has compiled and distributed a peace officer's handbook, and holds annual conferences for law enforcement officials.

Shepperd is a graduate of the University of Texas School of Law and holds two honorary Doctor of Law degrees, from North Texas State College and Chapman Christian College of California. He served three years in the U. S. Army during World War II.

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Attorney General Shepperd was the organizer and first secretary of the Texas Economy Commission. He is former president of the Sabine River Watershed Association, former member of the State Board of Education, and former chairman of the Texas Election Laws Committee.

He is a member of the Lion's Club, the American Legion, and is a lifetime member of the P-T-A. He has served on the board of the Christian Churches for the past ten years.

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He is married to the former Mamie Strieber of Yorktown and they have two sons, Skippy and Johnny, and twin daughters, Suzanne and Marianne.

"American Farmer Does Not Have To Apologize In Asking For Price Supports"

"The American farmer does not have to apologize to anyone in asking for price supports of at least 90 per cent of parity, which will assure him a fair price for the commodities which he produces," Ken Kendrick of Stratford, Texas, vice-president of the National Association of Wheat Growers, told the annual meeting of the Association in Wichita, Kansas, Thursday, Feb. 4th.

Kendrick was the first speaker on the Association's program. His ideas were approved by the Association in their annual election Friday, when Kendrick was elected president for the coming year.

The Wheat Growers also backed Kendrick in a number of resolutions including one favoring a national wheat program of domestic parity or some variation of the certificate plan. Other resolutions asserted the lower price of wheat proposed would not materially reduce acreage, called for a long-range soil building program, asked that farmers assume the responsibility for excess wheat over the national reserve and recommended that the department of agriculture announce acreage and marketing quotas at the earliest possible time to allow farmers time to make their plans. Kendrick, in his speech, object-

ed strenuously to the widely accepted misconception that the nation is subsidizing only the American farmer. Pointing out that business and industry have had a comparatively high protective tariff for the past 150 years, Kendrick said that until the last 20 years, the farmer has had no protection in the market place.

Kendrick also attacked the philosophy of what he called "sliding scale" supports for agriculture. He said, "If this program is carried out - - - within a three- or four-year period, the price of wheat will be cut at least one-third." He pointed out that if costs of labor, machinery, food and other items are not reduced equally, the farmer will be forced to raise more wheat to meet his expenses, and thereby increase the surplus of wheat.

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Brief Outline of Purposes of Bill Creating Green Belt Municipal And Industrial Water Authority

The purpose of this law is to create an entity clothed with the power to provide a source of supply of water for seven cities, namely: Clarendon, Hedley, Wellington, Memphis, Paducah Childress and Quanah. None of these cities at present have a dependable supply of water and none of them have the financial resource to provide an adequate source of supply. By combining themselves into an entity such as the proposed Authority, it is possible for them jointly through this means to provide and finance a source of supply that would be adequate for all of them.

In accordance with preliminary plans, prepared by recognized engineers, it is proposed that the Authority should construct a reservoir on the Salt Fork of the Red River which runs southeasterly through Donley and Collingsworth Counties, both of which counties would be represented in the Authority by the cities of Clarendon and Wellington, respectively. The exact location of the proposed reservoir has not finally been determined, but it is indicated that it will be located in Donley County fairly close to the Collingsworth County western boundary line. It is the opinion of the engineers that surface supply of water is the only feasible and adequate source of water that should be provided for the member cities. It is not the purpose of the Authority to undertake to develop underground water supply. The Bill prohibits the Authority from seeking an

underground water supply beyond the counties within which are situated the member cities. Most of the proposed member cities now obtain their water from underground sources. The Authority's supply would supercede for distribution purposes the present underground supply of each of the member cities. However, as a standby, or for peaking purposes, it contemplates that the present wells of the member cities would be maintained in a state of readiness to supply the peak or standby needs. Otherwise the Authority does not contemplate the use of any other underground water.

The Authority is to be governed by a Board of Directors consisting of seven members with each component city naming through its governing body a person to represent it on such Board of Directors.

The Bill contemplates later annexation of additional cities or other territory under certain conditions set forth in the Bill. A great part of the present Bill sets forth the machinery and conditions under which territory later may be annexed to the Authority. However, these provisions are somewhat standard at this time, having been provided previously in the law creating the Colorado Municipal Water District and the North Texas Municipal Water District.

The reservoir and transmission lines contemplated to be constructed by the Authority are to be financed through the issuance

of bonds by the Authority. The Bill permits the issuance of revenue bonds, tax bonds or a combination of the two. It is provided, however, that no bonds payable wholly or partly from taxes can be issued without a vote of the qualified, property-taxpaying voters residing within the limits of the Authority. Such bonds when issued must be approved by the Attorney General and registered by the Comptroller of Public Accounts. Any revenue bonds authorized by the Authority will be secured by water purchase contracts made with each of the member cities. Such contracts must be voted by the qualified property taxpaying voters of each such city. The income realized from such contracts will be pledged to the payment of any revenue bonds issued by the Authority.

Although the Bill creates the Authority and names the member cities, the Authority will not actually spring into being until the creation has been confirmed at an election held within each of the member cities. If the voters of any member city vote unfavorably upon the creation of the Authority, such city automatically will be eliminated from the Authority. It is further provided that in the event the Authority proposes to issue tax bonds to provide such facilities that prior to the election on such tax bonds, a summary of the improvements to be made with the proceeds thereof must be published so as to give each member city an opportunity to determine whether such proposed improvements include facilities to provide water for such city. If it is determined that no improvements are planned for any such city, such city then may seek to withdraw from the Authority and the machinery

Flowers For Mother's Day



Paddy McCrary, 7, pins a Mother's Day corsage on her mother, Jinx Falkenburg. The corsage, designed by Alyn Wayne, flower stylist of the Florists' Telegraph Delivery Association whose members wire flowers throughout the world, is a joint gift from Paddy and his five-year-old brother Kevin, Jinx, and her husband, Tex McCrary, known as "Tex and Jinx" on NBC radio and television, form one of the best known husband and wife shows on the air.

is provided whereby that withdrawal may be accomplished.

It is expressly provided in the Bill that the Authority may not enter into a contract with the Federal Government or any of its agencies whereby under any condition title to any of its properties could pass to the Federal Government or under which contract the Authority might delegate or surrender any of its powers as a sovereign entity and

political subdivision of the State of Texas.

The Authority has the power to acquire its necessary right-of-way and reservoir sites by purchase, gift or by condemnation. The power of eminent domain conferred upon the Authority is not greater or less than the power conferred upon such defined entities created under the General Law.

Amarillo Parishioners Journey Here Sunday To St. Mary's Catholic Church

The first pilgrimage of the Catholic Marian Year got underway here Sunday, May 2nd when 40 Amarillo parishioners journeyed to St. Mary's Catholic Church, Shrine to Our Lady of the Panhandle.

It was an impressive parade of faithful parishioners promoted and sponsored by St. Anthony's Household of Martha in the city of Amarillo, and the Shrine was packed to capacity.

Those making the journey from Amarillo included Mesdames Bonnie King, Audrey Miles, Elgin Boulware, Sam R. Carter, E. H. Baker, Fred Probst, Hattie Wallace, John Furbach, Helen Onlor, L. N. Hassell, Zita Keller, John Gulde, R. B. Brands, J. S. Edwards, Mary Brown, Julia Cooke Smith; Misses Hilda Stanning, Marguerite Robrecht, Elizabeth Rickwartz, Theresa Robrecht, Marie Brouillette, Lillian Skoog, Meda Gerber, Alline Rossar, Marie Donnell, Helen Patton, Katherine Clark, Louis Weller, Jannette Clark, Charlene Clark and Elmire Tesson. Others were Sam R. Carter, K. E. Mazarwek, Carl Jaster, Leo B. Jaster, John Gulde and J. S. Edwards.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Roberts Sunday were Mrs. Geo. Bain of Sunray, Mrs. J. D. Wood, and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hodges.

Mrs. A. H. Kelley of Stephenville was a visitor last week in the home of her sister, Mrs. Ola Long here, and with Bud Long on the JA Ranch.

Twelve Identify Mystery Farm No. 37

There was a total of twelve that identified the Leader Mystery Farm of the Air No. 37 last week. This one was a bit harder to identify than the picture published the previous week. Jim Palmer on the city list and Mrs. A. P. Brown on the rural list, were the winners of the free subscription to the Leader. Winners of the free movie tickets to the Mulkey Theatre were Mrs. Henry Mann on the rural list and F. A. Fitzgerald on the city list.

Those making correct identification were: City—Jim Palmer, Billy Phillips, Bill Land, Mrs. Troy Guy, F. A. Fitzgerald and R. C. Bingham. Rural—Mrs. A. P. Brown, Mrs. J. H. Helton, Mrs. N. E. Dill, O. L. McBrayer, Mrs. Henry Mann and Truett Koen.

REUNION HELD

Those to enjoy the week end in the home of Mrs. W. E. Gregory were Mr. and Mrs. Bill Meador and son, Bobby, Mrs. Dovie Meador, all of Pasadena, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. Therman Lewis, of Fontana, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Leon Foster of Hudgins; Mr. and Mrs. Buford Holland and family of Hedley; Mr. and Mrs. Barney Baten and LaQuita of Memphis; Weldon Gregory and Dalton Howard of Amarillo; and Mr. and Mrs. George Castleberry of Clarendon.

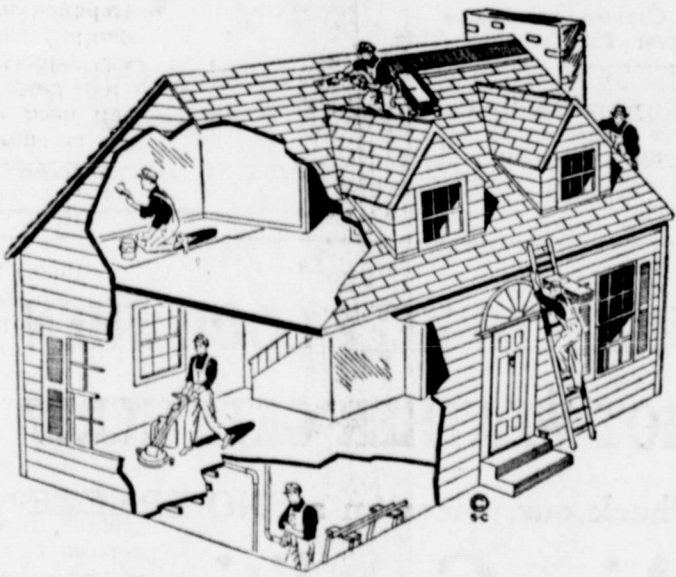
Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Estlack visited a short time Saturday afternoon with her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wheeler in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Brooks at Guymon, Okla.

Mrs. James Smith was a guest in the home of Mrs. J. D. Wood and Evelyn Tuesday evening.

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This is the time of year when Mama gets plenty busy. What with doing the regular housework and working in the yard and garden which takes up about half of her time. Then, she has that annual job of trying to inspire me into helping with the job. This takes all the balance of her time. She must use arguments, examples, and outright threats to even partially succeed. I just wonder if this is a common problem with all married

women. Anyway, it is that time of year and Mrs. Raymond Darrow of Shamrock, Texas sends us the following little poem which tells her experience with the garden. It is called;

HOW MY GARDEN GROWS
A bug for each pea
A worm for each plant;
Tho' I'm busy as a bee,
My vegetables—just ant'.

Rep. Walter Rogers was back in Texas when the recent series of rains began and wouldn't mind at all taking some of the credit for bringing this good luck to the Panhandle. Anyhow, he tells about hearing the following discussion regarding our good rains. Said one fellow, "Why the folks are even smiling again."

Said t'other feller, "My goodness sakes alive, the Panhandle folks were always smiling. This rain just washed the dust off so that folks could see it."

Maybe some of us could hardly boast a smile but the courage and plain old grit of the folks in this area has been something for any people to be proud. One crop failure on top of another. Buying cattle feed on top of falling prices in the cattle market. First folks dipped deeper and deeper into their savings. Then further and further into their credit. Yet, there was a bare minimum of complaining. Let's be thankful, and pray; looking forward with hope for a bountiful harvest.

The E. L. Bruce Co. sends out the following definition of A Cow in one of their trade letters.

THE COW
The cow is a female quadruped with an alto voice and a countenance in which there is no guile. She collaborates with the pump in the production of a liquid called milk, provides the filler for hash, and at last is skinned by those she has benefitted (As mortals commonly are). The young cow is called a calf and is used in the manufacture of chicken salad.

The cow's tail is mounted aft and has a universal joint. It is used to disturb marauding flies, and the tassel on the end has unique education value. Persons who milk cows and come often in contact with the tassel have vocabularies of peculiar and impressive force.

The cow has two stomachs. The one on the ground floor is used as a warehouse and has no other function. When this one is filled the cow retires to a quiet place where the ill manners will occasion no comment and devotes herself to belching. The raw material thus conveyed for the second time to the interior of her face is pulverized and delivered to the auxiliary stomach. This is converted into cows.

The cow has no upper plate. All her teeth are parked in the lower part of her face. This arrangement is perfected by an efficiency expert to keep her from gumming things up. As a result she bites up and gums down.

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By VERN SANFORD
Texa Press Association
AUSTIN—Texas politics started with a rush as Governor Allan Shivers broke a log jam by announcing that he would ask the voters for an unprecedented third term.

Actually, Shivers is now in his third term; he took over as the state's chief executive upon the death of Governor Beauford Jester in July, 1949.

When his present term is ended, he will have served longer than any other governor — five years and five months.

Looming as Shivers' chief opposition were Ralph Yarborough, Austin attorney who ran for governor in 1952; and Reuben Senterfitt of San Saba, speaker of the House of Representatives.

Both held up their formal announcements for several days after Shivers made his intentions known.

Yarborough is a loyalist Democrat who will ask for the support of those voters who went along with Adlai Stevenson in the last presidential race.

Senterfitt is a conservative who differed with Shivers over several issues during the last special session of the Legislature.

Officially entered in the governor's race was J. J. Holmes, an Austin contractor.

Congressman Lloyd Bentsen, who recently announced that he would not try for re-election, had been considered a potential candidate for governor if Shivers did not run, said he would seek no political office this year.

Others who had been considered as possible gubernatorial material dropped out of the picture prior to Shivers' announcement.

Lieutenant Governor Ben Ramsey, Agricultural Commissioner John C. White, and Attorney General John Ben Shepperd will ask for another term in their present offices.

Opposition Develops
As Ramsey entered his race for a third term, he had two opponents.

Representative George T. Hinson of Mineola filed for a place on the ballot and said he would make an active campaign. He favors increased taxes on natural gas pipelines.

C. T. Johnson, Austin insurance man, is also a candidate who

has been traveling over the state and meeting the voters. Senator A. M. Akin of Paris, who had been discussed as a possible contender in the Lieutenant Governor's Race announced that instead he would run for re-election to the Senate.

Water Is Topic
Water conservation was a prime subject for the political speakers.

That problem is one of the state's biggest, and influenced him in deciding whether to run for governor again, Shivers told reporters.

He said that in his opinion Texas has sufficient water if the supply is conserved, adding:

"Texas can solve its own water problems. It ought to be done in large part on the local and state level."

Backing for Shivers came from Guy C. Jackson, president of the Texas Water Conservation Association.

Jackson said he believes that the governor "plans to go all out

with his usual energy to see that the next session of the legislature dedicates itself to an intense, patriotic study and ultimate solution of our water situation. . ."

Yarborough, speaking at Hempstead, said that the answer to the water problem "is action, not a continual bickering between the State and Federal Government." He added:

"The State Government is wasting its energy and killing time by continuing to call the Federal Government names."

C. T. Johnson, as part of his platform, proposed the construction of 100,000 small dams in Northwest Texas to hold rainfall.

He also recommended a canal to connect 10 Texas rivers and provide an interchange of water to balance irregular flow.

Senator Lyndon B. Johnson also urged thousands of small dams in the upland areas of Texas for water storage and protection against floods.

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Sunday School—9:45 A. M.
Sunday School Superintendent
Dr. J. Gordon Stewart
1st. Assistant Superintendent,
H. Lee Shaller
2nd Assistant Superintendent,
Lee Bell

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Harold Fowler, Supply Minister
Bible School—9:45
W. L. Clampitt, Supt.
Morning Worship—10:50.
K.Y.B. Club—6:30.

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N. Y. P. S.—6:45 P. M.
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Evening—7:00 P. M.

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Virgil Cosper, Director
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WEDNESDAY
Prayer Meeting—7:30 P. M.

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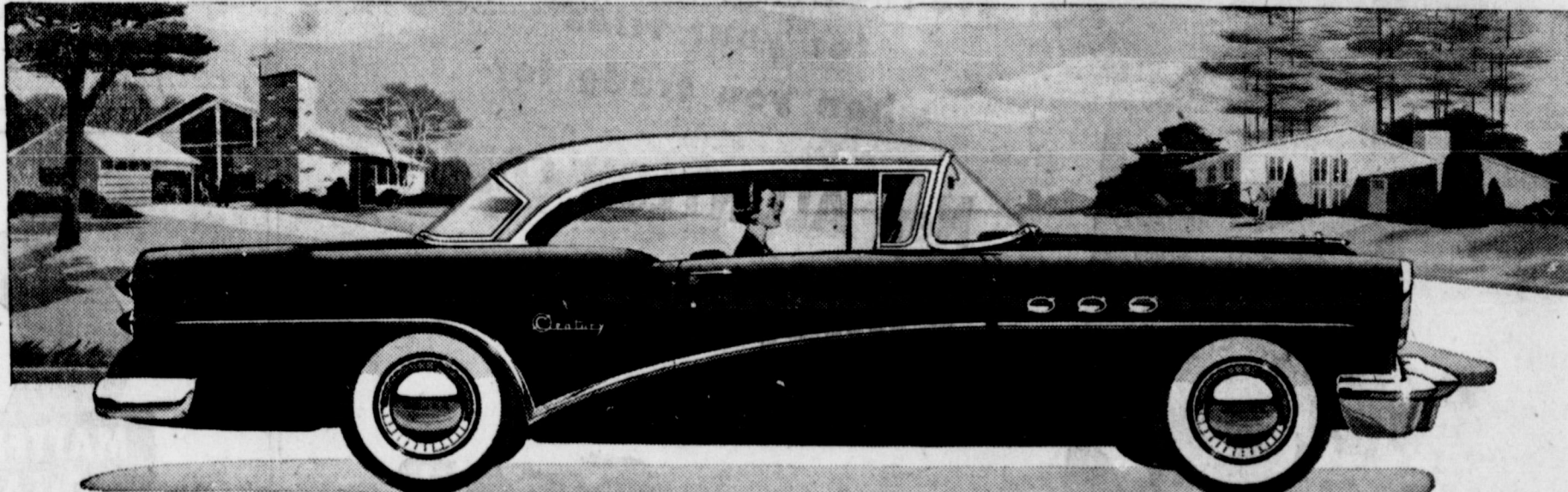
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4:15—Nina Hankins G. A.
4:15—Mildred Crabtree G. A.
6:30—Jojola R. A.
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7:30—Mid-week Prayer Service
THURSDAY
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GARDEN HINTS

By DR. GEORGE ELLE
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How many times have you read or heard gardening advice such as this:

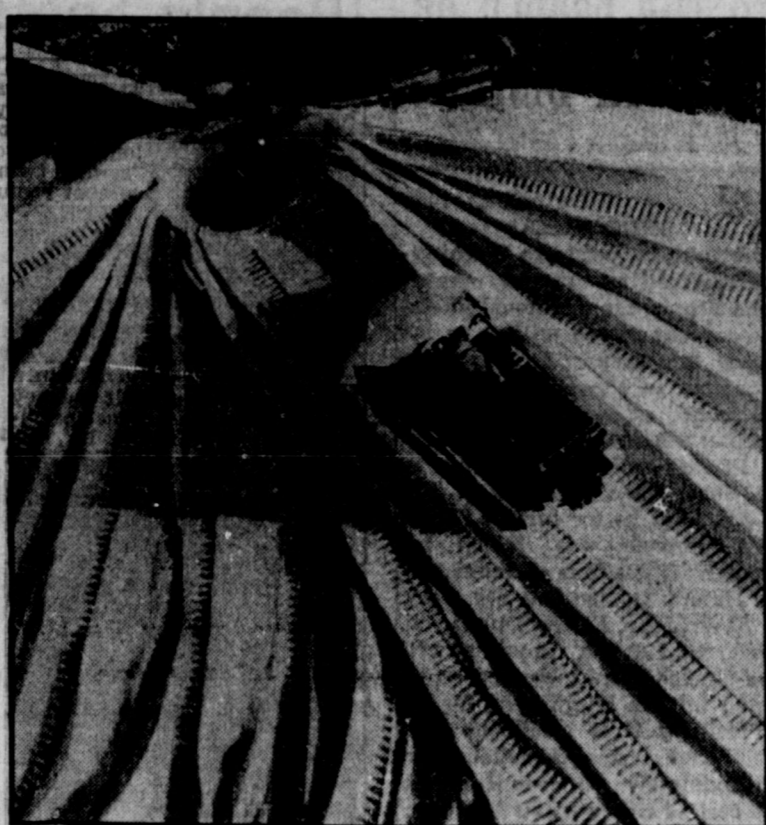
"Cultivate deep. This will force the roots of the plants deeper into the soil."

The apparent logic of this statement has duped home and commercial vegetable growers by droves. They know that, as individuals, we can be brought to do something we otherwise would not do if we are deprived or threatened, and they assume that the plant has our capacity to reason.

What happens to the plant when we shove the cultivator blades too deep into the soil?

Deep rooting is of utmost importance, but most vegetables are basically shallow-rooted crops. For most, 80 per cent of the root system is in the top six inches of the soil and as high as 40 to 50 per cent in the top three inches!

A three-inch cultivation, therefore, can prune away one-half of the feeding roots and result in an immediate stunting of the plant



UP THE HILL TO YOUR TABLE—Cutting a swath along the rise a caterpillar tractor pushes salt to the loading pit in Baumberg, Calif. The salt pile is the result of sea water's being pumped into a diked area and evaporated.

rooted plants?

Good soil preparation is essential—plenty of organic matter, plowed deep, is valuable—but the most important way is through irrigation.

Roots grow where there is water, and they will not grow through dry soil to reach water. The "chronic sprinkler," who sprinkles the surface only, prevents deep rooting. Roots will grow in the top few inches he wets, but they stop when they reach the dry area below.

The water must reach the entire root zone area. When plants are young, this area is a foot or so deep. Mature root and leafy crops (carrots, lettuce, mustard) need water to a depth of two feet. Crops which grow all season (tomato, squash, cantaloupe) need water two and one-half to three feet—more if the soil is sandy.

Therefore remember: "When you soak—soak for deep penetration of water and for deep root penetration."

HUDGINS NEWS

Mrs. Carl Barker

Mrs. Harvey Shaw and Mrs. Ira Self shopped in Memphis Wednesday.

A. H. Bowlin returned home after a few weeks visit with his son, Alfred and family of Fort Worth.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hott Friday night were Bro. Wells and wife Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Higgins and Mr. and Mrs. I. J. Self.

Mr. and Mrs. Othel Elliott of Martin visited Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Elliott Sunday.

Harvey Shaw had business in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Perdue visited Mr. and Mrs. Tims of Ashtola Sunday.

Kay Smith was a supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Self Sun.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barker and Mrs. P. M. Marshall visited relatives and shopped in Amarillo

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Senator Lyndon B. Johnson has been informed by the Rural Electrification Administration that Texas has received more loans and more money from the REA for the rural telephone program than any other state.

Twenty-five loans, totaling \$18,029,218, have been made by REA for the Texas part of the rural telephone program since it was started in 1950. Subscribers to be served in Texas under loans made to date total 34,462.

Senator Johnson said that, throughout the nation, 252 borrowers have received \$182,477,218 to serve 366,325 subscribers under the program.

"The bringing of new and improved telephone service to farms and other rural places is a very

important part of the overall REA program," Senator Johnson said. "I am glad that Texas is in the forefront in extending telephone service to rural areas. Many of our farmers are now receiving telephone service for the first time, and many others are getting better service than they have ever had before."

The Texas Senator said REA Administrator Ancher Nelson has announced that during the present fiscal year, ending June 30, telephone loans will total about \$74,000,000.

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from which it may not recover for weeks.

It has been proved, time and time again, that the only important effect of deep cultivation and the resultant root pruning, is poor plant growth and poor yield.

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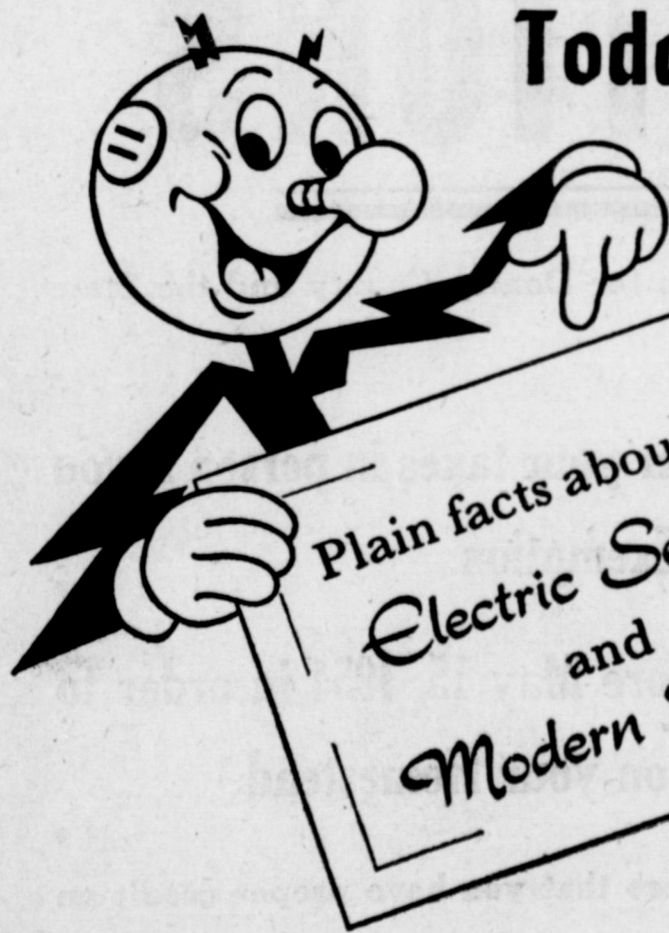
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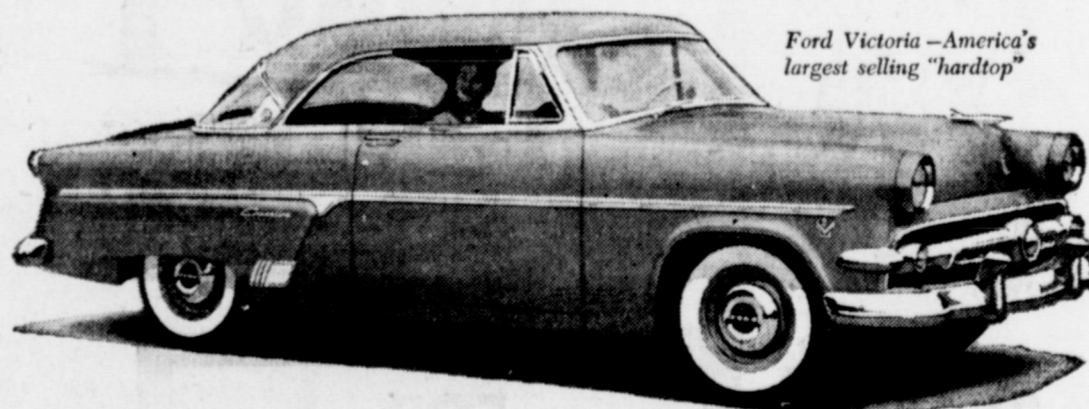
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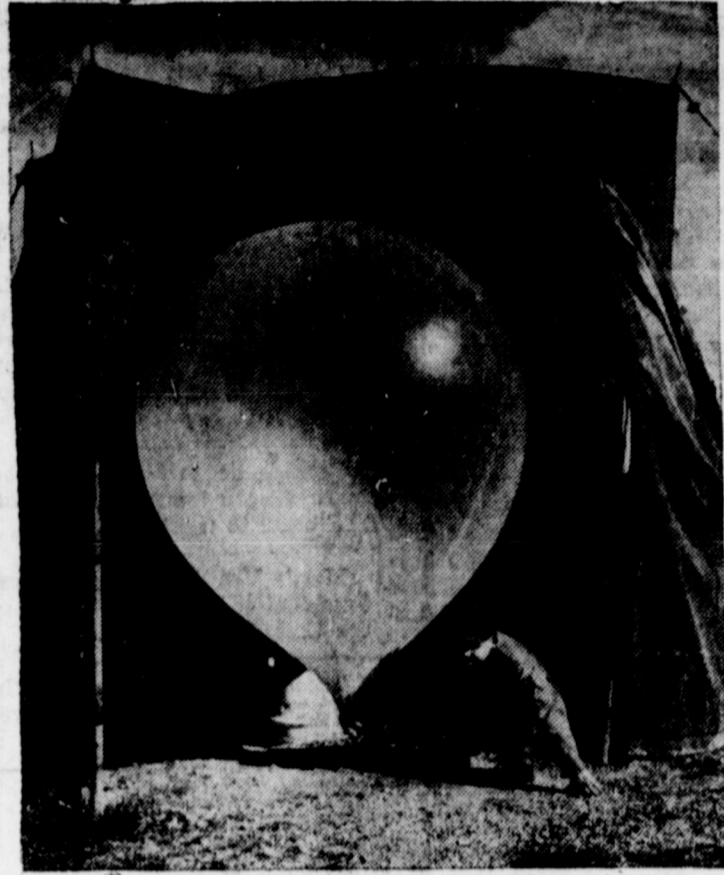
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It's hard to believe that TV Tom Thumb (Charles Sherwood Stratton) was born in 1838 after seeing some of the programs produced.



PEACE THE GOAL:

Again last week, I sat in on a conference of the utmost gravity to all of us. Congressional leaders of both parties met with Secretary of State Dulles just after his return from his journey to England and France—just before he left on another journey that would take him finally to Geneva. The subject of discussion was Indo-China.

WHAT ARE THE ISSUES?

It is impossible to exaggerate the seriousness of the situation. The issues can be stated in a few words: Indo-China is a rich prize. It is the richest source of tungsten still available to the free world. Tungsten is vital to our defenses.

Beneath the soil of Indo-China are rich deposits of tin and manganese. No military machine can operate without those metals.

Even more important than these physical resources is Indo-China's strategic location.

If this country should be captured by the communists, they would be in a commanding position to take over the entire continent of Asia—the world's most populous land mass.

That would be a heavy blow to freedom.

THE NATIONAL GOOD:

As I looked around at the faces of the men gathered at the conference and listened to their solemn words I had no doubt that every man present was thinking, above all else, of the good of America.

There was no political sniping, for every man recognized that the grave issues under discussion transcend all political considerations.

There was, I firmly believe, a solemn intention on the part of each man present to weigh his words carefully—to consider the whole grave problem from every angle—and to act, finally, in the best interests of all the people of America.

FIGHT FOR FREEDOM

The French Foreign Legion, which has been fighting in Indo-China, has been magnificent. So have the officers in command on the scene. But - - and this is a BIG but - -

There has been little support on the French home front for the war. (Many of the Legionnaires are professional German soldiers.)

The French have refused to grant full independence to the people of Indo-China.

Many Asians feel they have no choice between French imperialism and Chinese imperialism. They are apathetic.

The French might well take a lesson from our own Texas history. At the battle of San Jacinto, Texans routed the forces of Mexico—although Texans were outnumbered two to one. They were fighting for freedom. That fact more than made up for the numerical odds.

MANY QUESTIONS:

I feel very strongly that any of the questions to be settled in connection with Indo-China are as numerous as they are serious.

I do not know what action will be taken.

I feel very strongly that any action, whatever its nature, must proceed with the full knowledge and consent of the American people.

Like all other Americans, I hope and pray there will be no decision which takes our fellow-Americans through the valley of the shadow of death.

FAITH:

In a letter I received the other day from a Texas woman, there was this striking thought:

"I know the times are troubled. I know the questions you are called upon to help settle are of the greatest seriousness. But I know this as well: I know that Christianity and democracy are stronger than communism and atheism."

How true that is. How well advised all of us would be to keep its truth steadfastly in mind. It is a belief that can serve as a guidepost to lead us away from the threat of war and tyranny.

In high altitudes the llama is used as a beast of burden.

TO THE PEOPLE OF THE 18TH DISTRICT

By Congressman Walter Rogers

April 22, 1954

INDOCHINA

Not quite a year ago Washington received an urgent appeal from France for additional aid in the amount of 385 million to increase the tempo of Communist resistance in the Indochina war. We talked at that time about reading the so-called "riot act" to France and saying, "This is all. Show some results with this or don't ask us for further help." This approach was vetoed by Foreign Operations Administrator Harold Stassen and Secretary of State John Foster Dulles, on the ground that a great power like France should not be subjected to such humiliating terms.

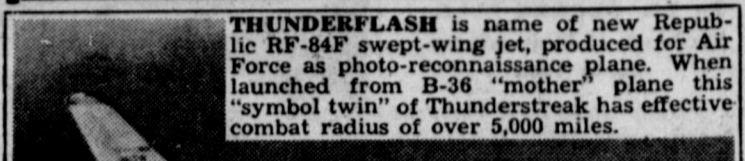
Presently it is estimated that the United States has taken over approximately three-fourths of the cost of this war. At the time this country was asked for the 385 million, the Congress was not given a true picture of events and developments in that area. We now discover that they were a great deal more serious than suspected. We also begin to hear talk about American boys going in to save the day. Many feel that the softening up process is working and that it will be announced in the near future that American manpower will go in.

If this is done, it will not meet with the approval of Americans generally. The United States absorbed substantially all the cost of Korea, and furnished a high percentage of outside manpower. John Q. Citizen will find it hard to understand why we are called upon to pay the freight, furnish the goods and the manpower for another war following on the heels of Korea.

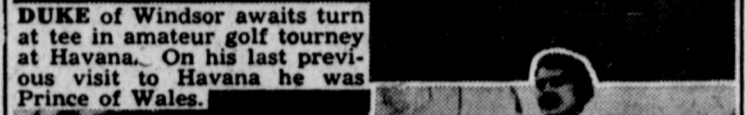
THE CRIME RATE INCREASE

Crime is outstripping rate of population growth 4 to 1. This statement by the FBI should alarm every person in this country. The figures used to support this statement did not include mediocre and minor traffic violations. They included only crime

People, Spots In The News



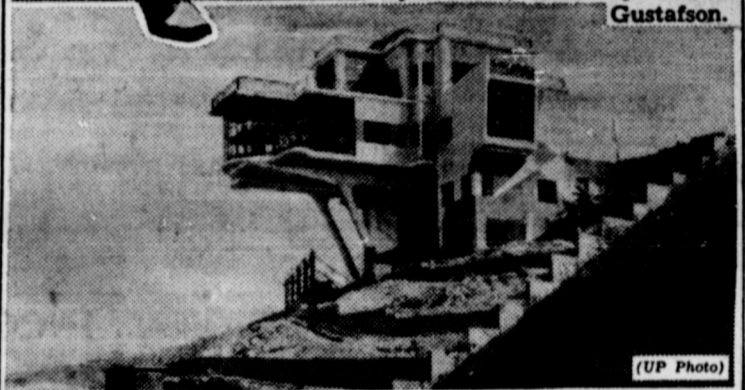
THUNDERFLASH is name of new Republic RF-84F swept-wing jet, produced for Air Force as photo-reconnaissance plane. When launched from B-36 "mother" plane this "symbol twin" of Thunderstreak has effective combat radius of over 5,000 miles.



DUKE of Windsor awaits turn at tee in amateur golf tourney at Havana. On his last previous visit to Havana he was Prince of Wales.



POLYNESIAN print features this white-on-brown cotton dress, highlight of Florida style show, worn by Corine Gustafson.



OWNER of this spectacular \$275,000-plus house in Caracas, Venezuela, is Monreglio Oreste, who came from Italy only six years ago and started small catering business which grew into a "big grocery chain." A Caracas architect designed this lantern-jawed castle.

of a serious nature. Robberies led the list with burglaries, theft and aggravated assault following closely. The greatest increase in arrests was among those under 18—it rose 7.9 per cent. It was estimated that 4,000,000 persons were arrested. The United States needs to do a lot of work on its own moral fibre. There can never be a complete victory over Communism unless we can retain our own moral character as a nation.

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Tax Assessor and Collector, Donley County, Texas