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College Bulldogs To Play First Home Game Friday Night

The Clarendon College Bulldogs will play their first home game here next Monday night, Nov. 29th against the Sayre Junior College team from Sayre, Okla. Game time will be 3 p. m.

The Bulldogs hold a clean record over the Sayre team in games played in the past three years, but the Sayre team has always offered plenty of opposition and always brings along that ambition to defeat the Bulldogs.

The Bulldogs have played only one game so far this season and that was against Wayland. They lost the game by a close margin of 77-72. The Bulldogs have the makings of a top-notch team this year and Coach Don Loyd is looking forward to a good season record.

If you want to see a good fast basketball game, be sure and be at the college gym next Monday night, for these college teams really put on a show that is worth your time, and your support will give them more incentive to put forth their best. The Bulldogs had a large following last year and the number of Bulldog fans is expected to grow considerably this year as more people are learning more about the game and the type of competitive teams coach Loyd is producing.

Mrs. J. H. Clark Buried Here Friday

Final rites for Mrs. Mary Addie Clark were said at 10 a. m. Friday at the Hampton-Vaughan-Merick Funeral Home in Wichita Falls with Dr. Stephen P. Jones, associate pastor of the First Methodist Church officiating.

Graveside rites were held here with Rev. Ernest Phillips officiating and burial was in Citizens Cemetery with the Murphy Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Mrs. Clark, 83, wife of the late J. H. Clark, died Thursday morning at the home of a daughter, Mrs. John R. Kennedy in Wichita Falls where she had been making her home since 1947. She was a member of the Methodist Church. The Clark's were pioneers of Donley County and made their home in Clarendon for a long number of years.

Survivors include three daughters, Mrs. John R. Kennedy, Wichita Falls, Mrs. W. V. Winslow of Temple and Mrs. Joe Radey of Fort Worth; two sons, C. R. Clark of Dallas and J. C. Clark of Lubbock; one sister, Mrs. W. L. Crane of Amarillo; seven grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Grandsons served as pallbearers.

College Girls To Play First Home Game December 2nd

The Clarendon College girls basketball team will play their first home game here at the college gym Thursday, December 2nd. Their opponents for this game will be the Cactus All-Stars, a team which met and defeated many of the leading teams of this section last year. The Cactus team is made up of former high school and college stars.

This will be the second game of the season for the Clarendon girls. They were defeated last Saturday night by the Wayland College Flying Queens. They looked very good in this first game and show promise of being one of the leading teams in the nation.

In addition to this being the College girls first home game, it will be the first game to be played in the local gym by a Clarendon College girls basketball team.

Very few colleges offer girls basketball, so Clarendon fans are fortunate to have a sport event that the majority of large colleges and universities do not have. Come out for this game and let these girls know you are supporting them and appreciate their efforts.

Lelia Lake Splits Games With Samnorwood

Lelia Lake boys basketball team defeated the Samnorwood squad at Lelia Lake, Friday night, November 19th for the first time in the history of the competition between the two schools. The game was one of the best seen at Lelia Lake in years and ended 38 to 37 in favor of the Bluebirds. Boyd White was high point man for Lelia Lake, but the entire team composed of White, Don Rumpy, Bobby Jones, John Wayne Stepp, and Roddy Seago showed to good advantage and to the satisfaction of the home fans who crowded the Bluebird gym. White, Jones, and Rumpy were especially effective in controlling the rebounds.

The Lelia Lake girls lost their touch in the second half after leading 23 to 17 at the intermission, and lost their game 33 to 27. Bobby Floyd was high point individual for Lelia Lake, and Janice Christal turned in a stellar defensive game. Other starting players for Lelia Lake were Earline and Pearlina Stavenhagen, Carolyn Monk, and Shirley Todd.

Lelia Lake To Play Claude Friday Night

The Lelia Lake boys and girls teams will play the Claude boys and girls squads at Lelia Lake Friday night. The games will start at 7:30 P. M. Since Lelia Lake defeated Samnorwood last week, the games are expected to draw a much larger than usual crowd. The Claude Girls' team has won the state title or has been runnerup for the title each of the past four years, but Samnorwood has been a strong contender also each year. Because of their strong showing against the Samnorwood teams, the Lelia Lake Bluebirds are given a strong chance of upsetting the Claude teams.

The Lelia Lake boys team is composed of Boyd White, John Wayne Stepp, Roddy Seago, Don Rumpy, and Bobby Jones. Top reserves are Dale Ayers, Corky Patterson, L. B. Phelan, Ike Noble, Leo Luttrell, Tommy Bridges, and Paul White. According to Coach Stavenhagen all are in top shape except Ike Noble who will be out indefinitely with a broken arm received in a recent game with Hedley. The girls team is composed of Earline and Pearlina Stavenhagen, Bobbie Floyd, Carolyn Monk, Janice Christal, Shirley Todd, Christine Shields, Marilyn Ayers, Marilee Smith, Eulonda Goad, and Billy Wilkerson.

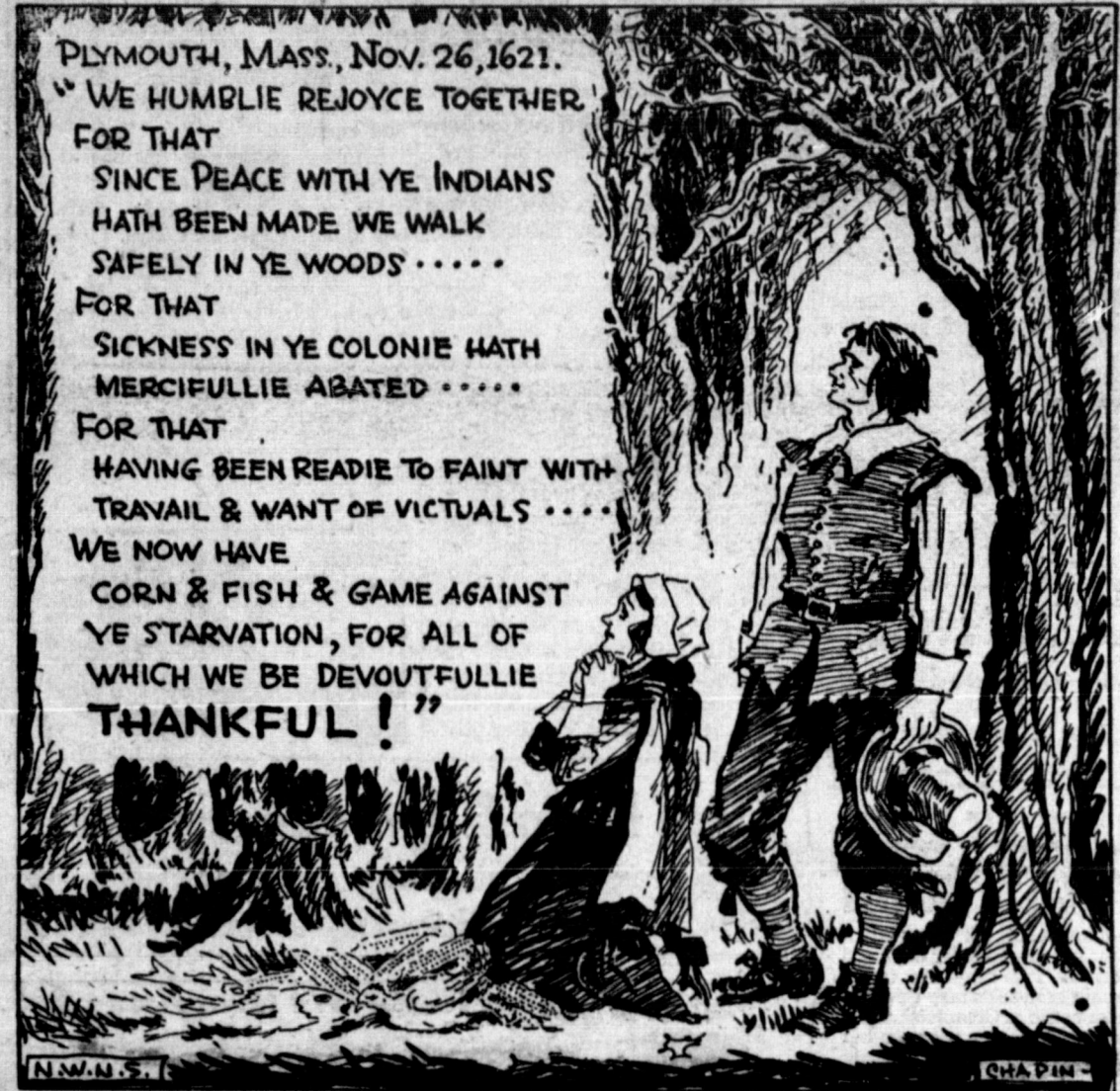
Beef Outlook for 1955 About The Same

Very little change in price and production is the beef outlook for 1955 says county agent H. M. Breedlove. This is the information received from the economist of the Extension Service.

Beef production is on a downswing and fewer animals are expected on farms in January of 1955 compared with last year. The downward trend is a critical factor in formulating the '55 outlook and it is hard to tell just how long this will continue. The financial status of the cattlemen and the drought and low prices hold the big answer. Total cattle slaughter in 1955 is expected to equal 1954 and calf slaughter is expected to be a little larger. The price spread between high and low grade animals may broaden. Demands for meat products for next year will be about the same as this year. The consumption of beef however is expected to drop to about 78 pounds per capita; it has currently been 79 pounds.

These reports from the Extension economist gives an idea that the market for 1955 might be something similar to that of this past year depending a great deal on weather conditions.

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Lelia Lake FFA Wins Honors In District FFA Meet

Members of the First Year Chapter of the Lelia Lake High School participated in the Greenbelt District F.F.A. Contests held at Memphis, Saturday, Memphis, Paducah, Childress, Estelline, Carey, Wellington, Lakeview, Turkey, Quail, Samnorwood, Clarendon and Lelia Lake participated in the event. This is the first year that Vocational Agriculture has been offered at Lelia Lake and these were the first contests in which the new F.F.A. Chapter had ever participated.

The Junior Chapter conducting team consisting of Roddy Seago, Don Rumpy, L. B. Phelan, Corky Patterson, Wayne Aten, and Leo Luttrell placed second in their contest. The F.F.A. quiz team consisting of Aven Hook, L. B. Phelan, and Wayne Aten placed fourth, and the Junior farm demonstration team consisting of Paul White, Ike Noble, Grady Wilkinson, and Genoa Goad placed third. The senior teams of the chapter were unable to enter their contests due to the illness of the chapter president, Dale Ayers.

The group was well pleased with their showing and expect to offer much stronger competition in the future as a result of their experience.

Time To Write Santa Letters

Christmas is only a month away and it's time all you youngsters get busy and write those letters to Santa. Address them to Santa in care of the Donley County Leader office and they will be published in the Leader in time for Santa to see your list before Christmas Eve.

Due to the number of letters we receive each year it is necessary to set a deadline for the letters to reach our office. This deadline will be December 10th. All letters received by that time will definitely be published but there will be no guarantee on any received after that date as type setting time and space will be the determining factor when we reach the last minute rush period.

We have already received a number of Santa letters to date and some of them are from distant places from youngsters who definitely want their letters to reach Santa in plenty of time. You mothers and dads sit down right now and help the little fellows fix up their lists and mail or bring them to the Leader office.

SIXTH GRADE SCIENCE GROUP MAKES FIELD TRIP

Twenty-three members of the sixth grade science class, accompanied by their instructor, Mrs. J. R. Gillham, and Mrs. Lawrence Heckman, Mrs. A. C. Carter, and Mrs. H. C. Maden, made a field trip to the Will Chamberlain farm Wednesday afternoon, November 17th. Mr. Chamberlain who represents the American Museum Society in this region spent a busy hour with the young students of natural history.

A thorough explanation was given concerning the fossil beds in Donley County, including how to get specimens from the various quarries located in this territory and how to prepare the various items and send them on to the museum. Various types of fossils were shown the students and a briefing was given them on the various types of items that had been found in the county in the past. Mr. Chamberlain explained the finding of tropical woods remains and also items that proved that the territory was once covered with ice. The group enjoyed their lesson very much and appreciate Mr. Chamberlain's courtesy in making the explanation to them.

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Two-Point Program Will Help Xmas Mail Delivery

Postmaster J. C. Estlack today announced a two-point program designed to insure delivery of all Christmas cards and gift packages by December 25.

"I've found," he explained, "it's not enough to slap up posters all over town saying, 'Shop Early, Mail Early.' That's the main idea of course, but I'd like to be more specific."

Specifically, then, the Postmaster first urged business firms to mail their regular correspondence before 4:00 p. m. throughout the Christmas season. They can help even more, he added, by withholding all circular and catalogue mail until after the critical period, Dec. 15-25.

"This will leave elbow room at the Post Office to process the tremendous volume of holiday mail we'll be handling. I'm quite sure it will exceed the all-time record," the Postmaster warned.

Point 2, consequently, requires the public's cooperation. Begin by checking your Christmas card list this week. Each address should include the full name, street and number, city, zone and state.

After this, visit the Post Office to order the stamps you'll need. Lay in a supply of heavy wrapping paper and strong cord as well. Then there will still be a week left for leisurely Christmas shopping—one New Year's resolution you can keep!

Graveside Services Held Here Monday For J. L. Davis

Graveside services for John L. Davis were conducted Monday morning in Citizens Cemetery with Rev. I. E. Biggs officiating.

Mr. Davis who was 101 years old, died Friday in Enid, Okla., where he had lived since 1945. He moved from Clarendon in 1912. While making his home here, he operated a saddle shop and was engaged in the insurance and real estate business. He was a brother of the late W. K. Davis. He was a member of the Methodist Church.

He is survived by two sons, J. W. Davis, El Monte, Calif., and Jacob W. Davis, Hesperia, Calif.; seven daughters, Mrs. Molly Williams, Long Beach, Calif., Mrs. Viola Coffee, Compton, Calif., Mrs. Mattie Paustell, Bakersfield, Calif., Mrs. Elizabeth Wilson, Alameda, and Mrs. L. B. Perryman, Mrs. Will Rosson and Mrs. Ara Gibson, all of Enid.

Services were under the direction of Murphy Funeral Home.

DRY HOLE IS VERDICT; DEEP TEST WELL HITS GRANITE

College Girls Lose Opening Game

The Clarendon College girls opened the 1954-55 basketball season last Saturday night by losing to the Wayland College Flying Queens 35-52. This is the first year of basketball for the Clarendon College girls and the game with Wayland was a very good and hard fought game as they were within ten points of the Queens going into the final quarter.

The Flying Queens won the national championship last year and did not lose a girl from the team this year. Their experience in national competition was a determining factor in the game as they hit 35% of their shots from the field while Clarendon hit only 28%. The local girls missed 17 free throws while the Queens missed only 6.

The starting line-up for Clarendon was: Barbara Head, Jo Farmer, Jean Farmer, at forwards and Lorene Welchel, Dianne Templeton and Peggy Tate at guards. Other girls seeing action were Shirley Brown and Janis Oldham. Janice Grabbe, Vanita Davis, Shirley Brown, Sue Pritchard, Wanda Kennard and Cherri Orcutt are members of the squad and made the trip to Wayland.

The Flying Queens will play the Clarendon girls in Clarendon Friday night, December 10th. If you want to see girls basketball at its best, make your plans now to see this game.

Jr. Hi Colt Hopefuls For Cage Team

With 21 boys out for a chance at the ten starting berths on the Clarendon Colts Basketball team, practice is getting underway fast with some very good possibilities. With five returnees from last year's starting ten, Keith Scholtenbarger, Carl Talley, John Tom Morrow, Bill Durham, and Jimmy Swinney look like they may get the nod to carry the load for this season. New comers to the ranks, Melvin Housden, Kenneth Housden, Don Hudgins, Darrel Lefew, Fred King, James Morgan, Sammy Wells, Milton Mann, and several seventh graders, are showing good promise.

The Colts will be operating in The Eastern Panhandle League; composed of Shamrock, Keller, Alameda, McLean, Lefors and Clarendon. These teams will play a double round robin affair to determine the district winner. Their first conference game will be December 9th at Shamrock. The following is the remainder of their schedule:

Dec. 16—Kellerville at Clarendon.
Jan. 6—Lefors at Clarendon, 6 P. M.
Jan. 13—Clarendon at McLean
Jan. 17—Alameda at Clarendon
Jan. 27—Shamrock at Clarendon.
Feb. 3—Kellerville at Kellerville.
Feb. 10—Lefors at Lefors
Feb. 17—McLean at Clarendon
Feb. 24—Alameda at Alameda

This is the schedule for both the boys and girls of Junior High. Both teams will participate in this league.

Services Held Wednesday For Mrs. W. H. Lair

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the First Christian Church in Hedley for Mrs. Josephine Lair with Rev. Tom Posey officiating.

Mrs. Lair, 71, died Monday morning in the Groom hospital. She had been a resident of Donley County for 20 years since the family moved here from Claude. She was a member of the First Christian Church at Hedley.

Mrs. Lair is survived by her husband; a daughter, Mrs. A. R. Morrison, Amarillo; a son, Paul H. Lair, Clarendon; a step-daughter, Mrs. Effie Judd, Dallas; two stepsons, T. B. Lair, Clarendon; Charlie Lair, Hildon, Okla.; a sister, Mrs. Mollie Roberson, Jane, Mo.; two brothers, John Judd, Plano; Selvey Judd, Fort Worth; eight grandchildren and four great grandchildren.

Pallbearers were E. V. Quattlebaum, Walter C. Scott, Ned Grimsley, Royce Hall, Edwin Eanes and Tommy Bain.

Burial was in Rowe Cemetery, Hedley with the Murphy Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Pirates Defeat Bronchos 19-6 In Last Game

The Clarendon Bronchos fought a losing battle here in Broncho stadium last Friday night, being defeated 19-6 in their last game of the season.

The Bronchos received the long end of the bad breaks and the Pirates seemed to capitalize on the breaks of the game which accounted for part of their score. The Pirates held the upper hand in the first and last quarters with the Bronchos outplaying the visitors in the second and third periods.

The Pirates pushed over their first tally in the first quarter and that was all in the scoring department until the third quarter when Max Johnson plunged over from the three to make the score 7-6 at this point of the game. Lefors scored their next tally on a 43 yard pass play early in the fourth period and added another a few minutes later on an intercepted Bronco pass which went 55 yards to pay dirt.

The Bronchos wound up the season with a 6 won, 4 lost record and ended up with 8th place in the top ten Class A teams of the Panhandle.

The McLean Tigers, winner of the district, will play Dimmitt for bi-district honors this afternoon at Buffalo Stadium at Canyon. Game time will be 2:30. The Memphis Cyclones played the Tigers to a 13-13 deadlock last Friday night but McLean won the game with two more first downs than the Cyclones.

NEWS COPY WELCOMED

The holiday season brings forth visiting and a round of entertainments. If you visit friends or relatives, or friends and relatives visit you; if your family is privileged in having a reunion or you have a party thru the holiday season and you would like an account in the paper please turn in the news. Don't wait to be called! It is impossible to call everyone in the directory. It only takes a few minutes of your time and is painless. We are hoping to hear from you. Phone 418.

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LELIA LAKE NEWS

Mrs. H. R. King

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Mooring and sons left Friday to spend several weeks in California sightsee-

ing and visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Leathers and children visited relatives in Amarillo Sunday.

Homer Bowling left Friday to visit his son, Alfred Bowling and family in Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Dink Miller had

business in Amarillo Tuesday. Mrs. Webb left for Dallas last Wednesday where she went for a medical check-up.

Mrs. D. E. Leathers and Mrs. Quinn Aten visited relatives in Memphis Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Williams and children left Saturday for their home in Harlingen after a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Neubauer and daughter of Amarillo spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Holland and other relatives.

Miss Mary Ella Williams returned to her home in New York City Thursday after a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Williams. Mr. and Mrs. Williams took her to Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Christian and baby left for their home in Lubbock the latter part of the week, after being called here by the death of her father, Barney Brown. Mrs. Brown accompanied them home for an indefinite visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Shields and boys of Wheeler spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. J. W. Shields and other relatives. Mrs. Ferral Floyd and Mollie, Jackie Richey, Mrs. Eddie Floyd and Mrs. Willard Knox shopped and visited relatives in Amarillo Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Poole, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Butler and Mrs.

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Marilyn Hill attended the Thanks giving banquet for Shriners in Amarillo Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Shields and daughter of Dalhart spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Olen Usrey and his mother, Mrs. J. W. Shields.

Mr. and Mrs. Ford Martin and children of Borger spent Friday night and Saturday in the Jess White home.

Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Stephens and children visited relatives in Quail Sunday.

Miss Janice Christal spent Monday and Tuesday in Amarillo with Mr. and Mrs. Millard Word.

HUDGINS NEWS

Mrs. Henry Mann

Mrs. Wilson visited her daughter, Mrs. Harry Dodson at Carlsbad, N. M. over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Self visited Mr. and Mrs. Oren Hott Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mann visited Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Mann Sunday night.

Winfred, Linda, Norma Self and Barbara Koontz visited in the Elliott home Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Allen and children visited Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Mann Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mann, Ruby and Frances visited her father, Mr. R. A. Bayne at Memphis Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Darby are visiting at Sherman over the week end.

Mrs. Marshall Harp and Mrs. Sidney Harp called on Mrs. Gil-

bert Mann Sunday. Mr. and Mrs. Garth Carter and Johnny visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Carter and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mann.

Jiggs Mann visited at Lubbock over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barker and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mooring and boy left for a ten day trip to Rodeo, Calif. Friday.

R. A. Bayne visited his daughters Ethel and Eunice Mann Wednesday and Thursday.

Viola Powell and Jr. visited Mrs. A. C. Carter Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Elliott and family and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Tims and daughter visited at Borger Sunday. Wanda stayed to visit a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmet Bryson visited the Gilbert Manns Monday evening.

Shirley Barker of Amarillo is visiting at home this week.

Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Satterwhite and Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Mann visited at Plainview Sunday. While there they visited Johnny who is in the Polio clinic. Johnny is improving wonderfully.

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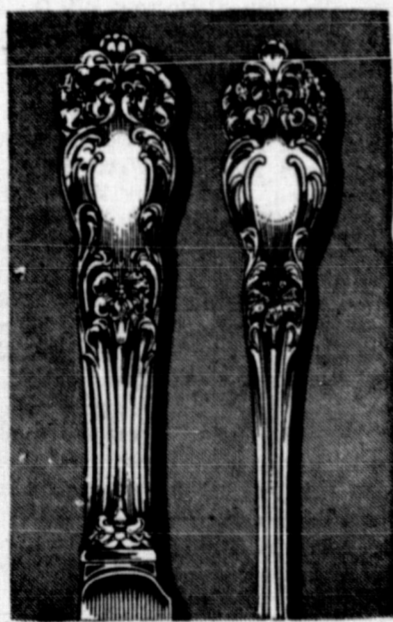
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MARTIN NEWS
Mrs. W. H. Morrow

There were 40 in Sunday school and church Sunday. There were a lot absent.

Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bulman went to Lubbock Friday eve and came home Sunday eve.

Mrs. Pete Land visited her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Dale McGough at Littlefield from Friday until Sunday eve.

Mrs. O. L. Hill visited in Whit-harrl with friends and relatives from Friday until Sunday.

Mrs. Adcock, Mr. and Mrs. Dane Ray Howerton and sons all of Groom spent Wednesday with Mrs. Earl Barker.

Mr. Geo. Bulman went to Lubbock Monday for medical treatment.

Mrs. C. J. Talley and Mrs. Edd Waters visited Mrs. Frank Cannon Tuesday eve.

Mrs. Edd Waters of Masterson spent from Monday until Wednesday with her mother, Mrs. C.

J. Talley. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Morrow and Mike came by and visited Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Morrow Sunday eve. They were going home. They had been at Mineral Wells visiting.

Mr. and Mrs. Maurice Risley of Clarendon visited Mr. and Mrs. Frank Cannon Sunday eve.

Mr. H. A. Harrison spent Saturday night in the Frank Cannon home.

Mrs. C. J. Talley and Mrs. Edd Waters visited in the Morrow home Tuesday night.

Mrs. Richard Cannon visited Mr. and Mrs. Geo. Bulman Sunday eve.

Mr. Pete Land is going to Amarillo for Federal Court this week.

Mrs. Earl Barker visited Mrs. C. J. Talley Saturday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Warren of Clarendon visited Mrs. C. J. Talley and Mr. Chester Talley Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Higgins were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ira Self Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Higgins

visited Mr. and Mrs. Hott Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waldrop and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Pittman and Duane at Stratford Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Waldrop and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Guy Sibley Wednesday night.

Those that visited Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Kidd Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Williams from Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Kidd and Larry Wayne, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Kidd from Clarendon.

ASHTOLA NEWS

Mrs. Doyce Graham

Mrs. Millard Word went to Canyon for her mother, Mrs. Ingham, last week. Mrs. Ingham is not very well. We hope she is soon feeling fine again.

Grandma Perdue is now visiting in the Edgar Talley home at Goldston. I visited with her one day last week, and she is fine, and said tell everyone hello.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Reid spent Sunday at Phillips with the J. F. Whites. They took Nell and Jack home after a few days visit here.

Mrs. Doyce Graham and Mike spent Wednesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Barker.

The Ben Lovells have a new TV, so have the Loyd Reids.

Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hinders have a new car, and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Wallace have a new pickup.

The Needle Club entertained with family night Thursday in the auditorium. Mrs. Vance Gray was leader of the program. Mrs.

Millard Word brought some Thanksgiving thoughts, then Mrs. Slaton Mahaffey read the 100 Psalm and gave a short devotional followed by a prayer by Mrs. Doyce Graham. The group enjoyed singing hymns. The grown-ups adjourned to the club room for games of progressive 42 while Mrs. Word and Mrs. Bob Crawford supervised the children in various games, contests, and a spelling bee. At the end of the evenings entertainment, coffee, cocoa, and pie were served. Mrs. Slaton Mahaffey was hostess. All reported a good time.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Marshall and Buford visited Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Marshall at Borger Sunday.

Eli Yates, boiler tender 3/c petty officer and Joe Evans, radio-man 2/c petty officer driving from Charleston, S. C. to southern California visited Mr. and Mrs. Kermit Evans and family over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Willard Cook and Dean of Meade, Kansas spent the week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Poovey. Mr. and Mrs. Evert Miller of Phillips spent Sunday with them.

Mrs. Gertrude Morris visited in the H. A. Green home Sunday.

Patricia Green stayed Friday night with grandmother Morris in Clarendon.

Mr. and Mrs. Dane Perdue and daughters visited Mr. and Mrs. Edd Mahaffey and boys Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. S. Mahaffey and Mrs. Della Mahaffey visited Boys Ranch Sunday.

Mrs. Della Mahaffey is spend-

ing some time with the H. S. Mahaffes.

Della Jackson spent Saturday night with Joan Lane, and Joan spent Sunday with her.

Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Cole of Amarillo and Mrs. T. E. Payton and three children of Odessa spent Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Brandon.

Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Marshall spent Monday night in the Willard Marshall home.

GOLDSTON NEWS

Mrs. Roy Roberson

Weldon Talley of Canyon spent the week end with his folks, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Talley and family.

Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hatley and Mr. Loyd Littlefield sit up until mid-night with Mr. V. Littlefield who is pretty sick, Sunday night.

Mrs. Johnny Kennedy and girls Mrs. Jeff Talley and Mrs. Jeff Talley's father, Mr. Williams, all of Clarendon visited Thursday night with Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Talley and family and Grandma Perdue.

Kenneth Littlefield of Happy visited Sunday eve with Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Hatley.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Dale spent the week end in Altus, Okla. with their daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Bier.

Mrs. Roy Brock and Mrs. Ray Holland and baby visited Wednesday eve with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stewart and boys.

Mr. and Mrs. Mann Littlefield of Happy spent Sunday with Mr.

and Mrs. V. Littlefield and Mrs. Oma Moorehead.

Mrs. Major Hudson of Clarendon spent the week end with her father, Mr. J. R. Dale.

Mrs. Fontayne Elmore of Clarendon visited Tuesday eve with Mr. and Mrs. Dick Eichelberger.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Stewart and boys visited Saturday night with Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Moss and Shirley.

Gene McBrayer spent Saturday night with Weldon Talley.

Minnie Roberson visited with Mrs. Edgar Talley, Grandma Perdue and Sue Talley Wednesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Peggram and girls of Pampa, Mr. and Mrs. Evert Malone and Mr. and Mrs. Skinny Peggram and children spent the week end with their mother, Mrs. Jim Peggram.

Mrs. Clyde Peggram and baby visited Sunday eve with Mrs. M. W. Hatley.

Mr. J. F. Jackson and girls took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Tom Scoggins.

Mrs. Dick Eichelberger visited Monday eve with Mr. and Mrs. V. Littlefield and Mrs. Oma Moorehead.

Rogena Littlefield spent Friday night with Mrs. M. W. Hatley.

Mr. Ed Mooring and daughter of Clarendon took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Brownie Dick-

enson and babies.

Mrs. W. B. Dickenson of Olton who has been staying with Mr. and Mrs. Brownie Dickenson and helping take care of her new granddaughter left Sunday for her home.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson, Pat and Minnie took dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Hott of Chamberlain community.

Pat Roberson spent Friday night with Carl and Howard Talley.

Kieth Covington of Clarendon spent Friday night with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Roberson and Minnie.

Mrs. Roy Roberson visited Wednesday morning with Mrs. Duane Littlefield and babies.

Kenneth Littlefield spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Duane Littlefield and baby.

Mr. and Mrs. Barrett and son and their daughter and baby, all of Okla. and Mrs. Sye Clark of Fritch spent Monday night and Tuesday with Mr. and Mrs. Duane Littlefield and baby.

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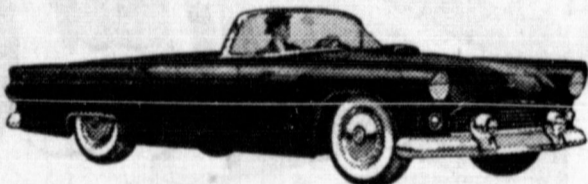


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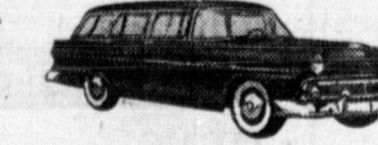


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BRIDAL SHOWER HONORS MISS FITZGERALD

Miss Mary Lou Fitzgerald, bride-elect of Dan Whitsell, was honored the afternoon of November 17th with a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. E. A. Tipton. Hostesses were Mesdames Bob Kidd, Bill Adams, Henry Mann, Clyde Barker, E. A. Tipton, Bert Wells, Trust Behrens, Gene Bulman, Bill Land, Roy Crutchfield, Carl Pittman, H. G. Bobbitt, and T. Allred.

Entertaining rooms were decorated to carry out a pink and white color scheme. The refreshment table was covered with a lace cloth over an underskirt of pink and was centered with a miniature bride and groom surrounded with orange blossoms. Favors were pink and white sprinkling cans in miniature. Punch and cake tinted in the bride-elect's chosen colors were served.

Those attending were Mesdames Pete Land, Richard Maxey, Ruth Kay, Calvin Naylor, A. L. Whitsell, Johnnie Blocker, L. M. Putman, Bruce Gettys, Tommy Hodnett, Troy Guy, Jack Clifford, Everett Johnson, Emma Ayers, Bill Allen, A. J. Emmons, Bill Montgomery, Pat Myers, Misses Ruby Mann and Stella Tipton.

Several who were unable to attend sent gifts.

LELIA LAKE P.T.A.

The Lelia Lake P.T.A. met in regular meeting Monday night, Nov. 22. Miss Ruth Richerson made a very interesting talk. Mrs. Stepp, Miss Thelma Moss, Carolyn Monk and Marilee Smith sang several songs, and Miss Letha Moss played the piano. Everyone joined in group singing.

Refreshments were served by the Homemaking girls. The next meeting will be the fourth Monday night in December. Everyone is invited to come.—Reporter.

RUBINSTEIN MUSIC CLUB

The Rubinstein Music Club met Wednesday, Nov. 17th, 4:00 to 5:00 P. M. in Miss Larsen's studio. President, Janiece Christal, presided. After singing the Federation Hymn, the president led the group in the Federation Collect. Each member answered roll call by giving the number of half-steps in the different music intervals.

Musical contest games were played by the club members and prizes awarded to the winners by Miss Larsen.

Members present were Janiece Christal, Kay Lane, Shirley Wiedman, Beth Gillham, Bonnie Ellen Rodgers, Marcia and Connie McMurry, Claudine Todd, Patti Lane, and sponsors, Miss Lillie Larsen and Miss Jewel. One visitor, Mrs. Thad Rodgers, was also present.

After adjournment, Mrs. Rodgers and Miss Ellis surprised the group with lovely refreshments of pumpkin meringue pie, hot tea, and tiny pumpkin mints. The refreshments were served from a table covered with a cloth decorated with the Thanksgiving motif.

The members wish to express thanks to Mrs. Rodgers and Miss Ellis for a most enjoyable social hour and refreshments.

—Reporter.

NEEDLE CLUB

The Needle Club met Thursday in the home of Mrs. Harvey Shaw as hostess. The evening was spent visiting and planning the Christmas tree for the next meeting.

Refreshments were served to Mrs. Gilbert Mann, Mrs. Amel Carter, Mrs. Ross Darby, Mrs. Ira Self, Mrs. Carl Barker and Mrs. Henry Mann and hostess, Mrs. Harvey Shaw.

Next club meeting will meet Dec. 9th in the home of Mrs. Carl Barker as hostess.—Reporter.

F. H. A. NEWS

F. H. A. girls met in the Homemaking Department of Clarendon High School Tuesday night for a business meeting and program.

After singing the Club song and repeating the F.H.A. Creed it was voted that each member send two Christmas cards to the Children's Home for the Blind to be used by children there.

Jackie Estlack introduced Mrs. H. W. Truitt who presented a very interesting program on "Interior Decorating." Mrs. Truitt had materials at hand demonstrating the mixing, matching, and contrasting of colors. A round table discussion with all taking part closed the program. We would like to thank Mrs. Truitt for giving us this interesting evening.

Refreshments of Cokes and cookies were served to two guests: Mrs. H. W. Truitt and Mrs. Sullivan; the sponsor, Miss June Christian, and approximately fifteen members.

—Reporter.

PRESBYTERIAN WOMEN OF THE CHURCH

Presbyterian Women of the Church met Wednesday afternoon, November 17, in the home of Mrs. Curtis Mears with ten members and one visitor present.

During the business session a report was heard from the nominating committee. The following officers were elected: Vice-president, Mrs. Ed Dishman; Secretary, Mrs. Floyd Lumpkin; Treasurer, Mrs. Carroll Knorpp; Church Extension, Mrs. Curtis Mears; Annuities and Relief, Mrs. M. W. Cook; Stewardship, Mrs. Bill Montgomery; and Spiritual Growth, Mrs. Lee Bell.

Mrs. Millard Word presented the program: "I Saw the Church in Japan."

CHAMBERLAIN CLUB

The Chamberlain Club held its last meeting with Mrs. Wilson. A good number was present. Quilting was the program for the afternoon.

Our next meeting will be held at Vivian Allens on Dec. 2nd. This will be our Christmas party for Pollyannas. Everyone please be there.

—Reporter.

GOLDSTON QUILTING CLUB

The Club met Thursday, November 18th with Sallie Hatley. Eleven members and one visitor were present. One quilt was nearly finished.

Those present were Maisie Eichelberger, Nina Dale, Sarah Pegram, Gertrude Reid, Nora Smith, Blanche Gray, Katie Scoggins, Adgar Williams, Roberta Littlefield and Rogena, Billie Ashcraft and Fern, Sophie Williams and Edwin, and the visitor Oma Morehead. Lovely refreshments were served by the hostess Sallie Hatley.

Next quilting will be all day meeting at Oddie Moss' home, Thursday, Dec. 2nd.—Reporter.

H. D. CLUB

The Senior Home Demonstration Club met Friday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Ella McDowell. The meeting was opened with the reading of Club Collect by Mrs. Bertha Benson. The business session was presided over by the president, Mrs. W. L. Jordan. A demonstration of Cake decoration was presented by Mrs. W. L. Jordan assisted by Mrs. Ella McDowell. The cake with coffee and tea was served by the hostess, Mrs. Ella McDowell to Mesdames O. C. Watson, G. A. Anderson, Wm. Payne, Joe Terry, R. C. Bingham, Clyde Butler, Lena Antrobus, Claude Darden, W. L. Jordan, Bertha Benson, and one guest, Mrs. J. H. Howze.

The next meeting will be the annual Christmas dinner and party to be held the third Friday in December in the home of Mrs. Clyde Butler.

SOPHOMORE CLASS MEETING

The Sophomore Class of Clarendon High School met in Room 20, Tuesday morning. Plans were completed for a class party to be Tuesday night at 7:30. The food committee was appointed including Nedra Hodge, chairman; Jeanie McAnear was appointed chairman of the decorating committee.

It was voted that each member be allowed to invite one guest to the party.

The Sophomore assembly program will be December 3rd.

—Reporter.

MARTIN QUILTING CLUB

This Club met all day Thursday at the school house with Melba Risley. Two quilts were finished. Lunch was served at noon to members, Blanch Higgins, Lela Bulman, Montie Kidd, Eunice Land, Margaret Waldrop, Linnie Cauthen, Flossie Reynolds, Lois Stevens, Dorothy Sullivan, Glenis Harmonson, and three visitors Pearl Terry, H. M. Reid, Lois Hutchin, and the hostess, Melba Risley.

The next quilting will be with Dorothy Sullivan at the school house, Dec. 2nd.—Reporter.

THE LION'S TALE

By Carl Allmond

Last Tuesday's meeting should have made the front page. Boss Lion McCully was out of town, and to the surprise of the whole club, two Lionesses took over. Every one thought that Mrs. Frank Phelan Jr. and Mrs. Bob Moss were going to be on the program. Instead, Mrs. Phelan rang the bell and called us to order (if there is such a thing) and Mrs. Moss led the singing. Both handled the situation admirably, and we couldn't help telling McCully that the scenery was much better at the head table.

Bill Lowe won our "Oscar" for asking why we failed to show up in last week's paper. That question will always be treasured, as he was the first to mention missing us. Of course, if he read all these articles, he would have known. We gave fair warning that we would be attending "Madame Butterfly" — and we did! That was one time we left, and arrived, on time.

We think we owe it to our sex to report on seeing an opera, a la amateur. First, you must have your car serviced; of course, you have had your tickets for a month. Since we arrived early, there was plenty of time to eat (no hamburgers on such an occasion as this). Just as we slowed down to fifty miles per hour, a peculiar noise appeared in the motor; enough speed to coast to the nearest garage—water pump out. Not a bad evening, if you can get home by one o'clock, and we did.

We admire Wes Izzard more than ever, since he remarked that he went to see how the orchestra members act. This bunch was so busy, they just did have time to clean the horns, he said. Well, we know that there are a lot of squares in the auditorium ceiling. We caught a fellow Lion from Amarillo counting them, but when we compared counts, each of us had counted the same section. If we could have got together after the performance, we would have known just how many squares in the entire ceiling. Coming back home, we found out how good the show was, and we are glad we went! It was the birthday of our Mother-in-law, and her trip; it was worth all of it for the nice letter and cake we received in return.

For our program Tuesday, Chuck Morris of the Amarillo Plate Glass Co., was introduced by Lion Drennan. Mr. Morris discussed the making and cutting of glass. His talk was informative, and was appreciated by the members.

Tuesday's guests were: Walter White of Laramie, Wyoming, Jim Clepper of Lubbock, and Noble T. Poindexter of Austin, Texas.

If we observe Thanksgiving in the traditional manner by attend-

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Pfc. Billy C. Scott, based at Ft. Lewis Washington and a member of the 44th Division for the past fifteen months, has been transferred to the Second Division. This was brought about by the return to Fort Lewis of the Second Division party after four years in Korea. This division fought at Bloody Ridge, Heartbreak Ridge, Iron Triangle, Old Baldy and others.

Pfc. Scott is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Scott who live north of Lelia Lake.

ATTEND LUBBOCK MEET

Miss Geraldine Rampy, Home Economics teacher in the White Deer Schools, and her mother, Mrs. M. C. Rampy, and little Miss Marcia Alexander of Silverton visited the week end with relatives in Lubbock. Miss Rampy attended the Area I In Service Training Conference for Home Ec Teachers held there Friday evening and Saturday.

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James F. Melton, acting director of the governor's economic advisory commission, says that Texas' gain in manufacturing and employees, from 1947 to 1952, ranked among the nation's highest—but that the tourist trade fell off sharply.

Melton says Texas is losing 800,000 visitors a year.

The state's economy expert estimates the state's loss of potential income as 77 million dollars for the past two years alone.

He blames the states constitutional proviso which prohibits Texas from advertising for tourist business.

Shivers' Hat

Parents of children in Austin's Pease School will have a chance November 19 to bid on the Panama hat worn by Governor Allan Shivers during the gubernatorial campaign.

Shivers donated the hat, a tie, and some aprons, for the school's annual harvest festival.

Final Election Returns

Final reports from the Texas Election Bureau show that Governor Shivers rolled to a 521,373 to 61,007 victory over Republican opponent Tod R. Crockett.

Senator Lyndon B. Johnson received 491,228 votes to Republican Carlos Watson's 85,079.

Mystery Blasts

Central Texas residents read of another "mystery blast" last week. This time it was at Granger. But as in the previous seven cases no cause could be found.

First blast of the series came in September in Austin.

Cause of the blasts has been attributed to everything from jet planes breaking the sound barrier to small boys playing with dynamite.

Inductions vs Separations

More Texans left the service last month than entered. Separations numbered 5,365 while inductions totaled 4,691, including six Texas doctors.

Narcotics Big Business

Black market narcotics have been called "big business" in Texas by the Department of Public Safety.

TDPS report 20 big bootleg dealers and hundreds of peddlers as operating in the state.

"We believe that most of the Texas narcotics come across the Rio Grande and through coastal ports," said Chief W. E. Naylor of the department's narcotic section.

Drink To Death

Records in the Texas Department of Public Safety reveal that drinking drivers were involved in 49 per cent of all fatal accidents last year.

New Head For State Home

James A. Lands of Austin has been named acting superintendent of the Waco State Home for Dependent and Neglected Children.

Announcing the appointment was John H. Winters, executive director of the State Department of Public Welfare, who had removed former superintendent Ben S. Peek on grounds that the home's children could be better served by a change.

Mental Care

An 11-point improvement program has been outlined by the State Hospital Board, for the care of mentally retarded children and adults.

Improvements, in general, will follow recommendations made to the board by the Texas Research League.

In its report, the League listed 5,865 mentally retarded persons as presently in need of state facilities—over half of whom are not in these special schools.

Also recommended by the League was a 5,000 bed increase over the present 3,000 bed system.

Housing Act Aids Building

Passage of the 1954 Housing Act has resulted in a flood of new applications for loans and has thrown the Southwest Texas FHA office four weeks behind in its work.

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Director C. T. Macleod of the FHA's San Antonio headquarters, stated that he hoped the jam could be cleared by January 1.

More than 1,000 applications, seeking new or additional construction, have poured in, he said. The law permits maximum loans ranging from \$20,000 to \$25,000 for home construction.

Income Tax Forms

Federal Income Tax forms for taxpayers in the Internal Revenue Service's southwest region office will be easier to read and decipher this year.

For instance, the well-known Form 1040A, formerly of one-sheet size, is now bank-check sized. Other forms will have color added as does the instruction booklet, printed in eye-pleasing tints.

TO THE PEOPLE OF THE 18TH DISTRICT

By Congressman Walter Rogers

THE QUEEN MOTHER'S VISIT

The British Embassy on November 9th was the scene of one of the world's leading social events. The Queen Mother of England was honored by a reception. Approximately 2,000 guests were present to greet the Queen Mother. The main entrance to the Embassy is on Massachusetts Avenue, where entry on such occasions can be gained only by complete and proper identification of one's self. It makes little difference that you may be well acquainted with the person stationed at the entrance to require the identification, the invitation issued must be presented by the person named therein. I am afraid my wife might have been a little put out with me as I had forgotten just which pocket I had put mine in. I am going to advocate that some manufacturer produce a man's suit with just one pocket. It would save lots of hunting.

After entering the Embassy, the guests were directed through the beautiful rooms and hallways and into the reception hall, where the Queen Mother stood between Sir Roger Makins, the British Ambassador, and his lovely wife. Many of you have seen colored pictures of the Queen Mother and have noticed the beautiful blue in her eyes. I can assure you that they are more beautiful in real life than in the colored pictures. The Queen Mother is a lovely, gracious person, and I wish all of you could meet her. After the introduction, the guests were escorted into the garden. This may seem rather odd for this time of year. Let me explain it. The garden is covered with a heavy tarpaulin laid on the ground similar to that laid on a baseball field or football field to prevent it from getting wet. Then a huge tent is erected, and decorations and tables are provided. The tent is heated by strategically located heating units, and actually you do not realize that you are being entertained in a temporary structure. The reception was attended by representatives of governments all over the world, and you could hear almost any language being spoken, from the clipped English of the true Britisher to the Japanese, which I can make neither heads nor tails of, and back to the Texas drawl, which is always present, no matter whether the party be large or small.

Speaking of the Japanese
Senator Grady Hazlewood and his lovely wife, Andrene, honored us with a visit the other day. It was late in the afternoon, and they wanted to make a hurried visit to the National Cathedral. Since it closes pretty early, we got into my car and were making a dash for it so that they might get in before closing time. We were going down Rock Creek Drive when we heard the wailing of sirens that continued to grow closer and closer. I thought it was an ambulance, but when I looked in my rear view mirror, I could

see two policemen with flashing red lights waving everyone to the side of the road. We pulled over to keep from being run down and also to clear the way for what appeared to be an emergency. Much to our surprise, the car that was being led by the officers had an American flag on one fender and a Rising Star flag on the other. It was Shigeru Yoshida, the Prime Minister of Japan. Soon after this, we were again blocked by this same car coming up on Massachusetts Avenue and going to the Japanese Embassy. It did seem rather strange that all of this fanfare was taking place in honor of a Japanese who only a few short years ago was probably the most hated man in the Capital City. In any event, I got Grady and Andrene to the National Cathedral, and hope they had a good time. I did not get to see them again before they had to leave. It was certainly nice to have them here to get in a good visit.

Thirty-six years ago, on the 11th of November, the then President of the United States made the following statement:

"To conquer with arms is to make only a temporary conquest; to conquer the world by earning its esteem is to make a permanent conquest."

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Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Estlack and Danalene spent the week end visiting their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Sams and children at Welch, and another daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Benny Edens and son at Colorado City.

Mrs. F. A. Fitzgerald left Sunday to visit her mother, Mrs. E. L. Strange, and brother, George, at Hereford. She is expected home Friday.

E. H. Estlack of Austin, Texas arrived Saturday to visit a few days with his father, J. C. Estlack, and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Antrobus and Sarah, also Mrs. Lena Antrobus will leave Thursday morning, today, to spend the Thanksgiving week end in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. Tren Stargel and Mr. and Mrs. Gale Ledbetter and Gary in Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Emmons and Butch were guests Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerry LaGrone in Amarillo.

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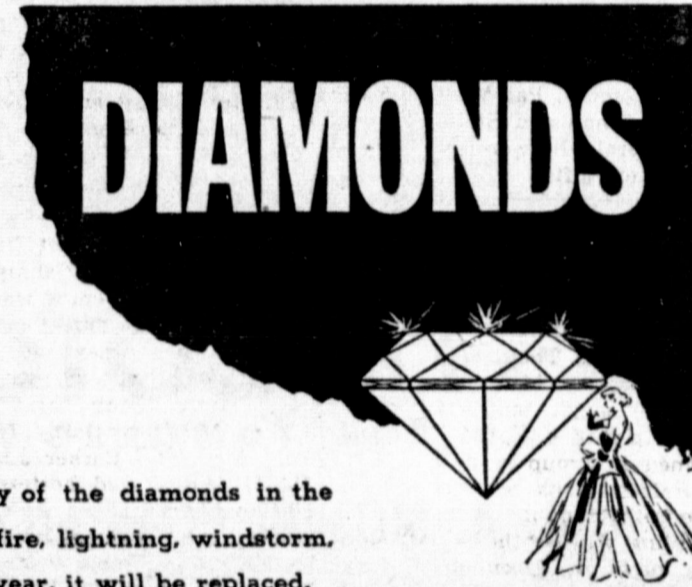
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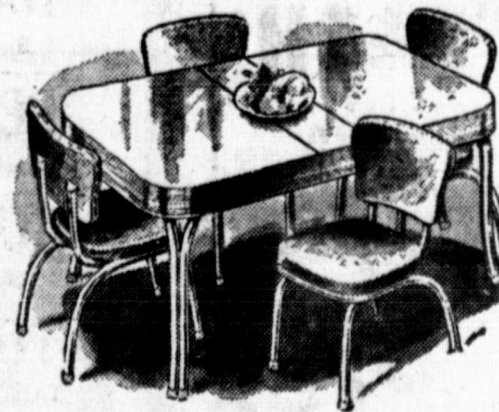
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PTA Meets In Regular Session

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thinking.

The Seventh Grade students presented a skit from Texas History. This skit, with properties and characterizations was entirely original and prepared and presented without faculty direction. The audience appreciated this offering, and we offer commendation to the students for their efforts.

The business meeting opened with the nomination and election of Mrs. L. E. Yankie to serve as secretary in place of Mrs. W. A. Cockerell, who has moved away.

The unit then voted to cooperate with the Ministerial Alliance and other organizations in Clarendon in a campaign to banish low grade and obscene publications on the newstands. Mrs. Lloyd Johnson's room won the attendance award. The unit has received their Texas Congress Charter, and Mrs. Caldwell exhibited it to the group. The Charter will hang in the principal's office in the Junior High Building.

Mrs. Bray Cook, Program Chairman, introduced the educational portion of the program by presenting the members of a panel on the subject of "We the People—Establish Justice." Mr. Joe Spann, moderator, opened the discussion by asking "What is our individual concept of democracy?" He then called on Mr. Bill Lowe for his concept of "Government of the People." Mr. Lowe stressed the meaning of "of" to be possession and brought to our recollection that the early settlers came to this land because the governments in Europe possessed them, rather than the citizen possessing the government. The discussion then went to Mr. Jack Gray who stressed the fact that government BY the people effected a responsibility of the people to have the kind of Government they want by electing the kind of officials that they want. Miss Ruth Richerson concluded the discussion with an excellent synopsis of Government FOR the people. She told us that government of the people is defined in the Bill of Rights. We have freedom in all things and they are such a part of our life that we think nothing of the freedoms we do have.

A spirited question and answer

period with the audience participating followed the formal panel discussion and many pertinent and thought-provoking ideas were brought out. The consensus appeared to be that the people in general take their government for granted and do not partake of enough individual responsibility for its operation, beginning at a local level.

The Parent Teacher Association takes this opportunity to express appreciation to these busy people who appeared on our program to bring us this most edifying program. It was most apparent that they had put in much time and thought on their messages.

The meeting adjourned until Friday evening, December 17th, when the first and second grades will bring to the public their annual Christmas program.

—Reporter.

GABIE BETTS BURTON LIBRARY NOTES

By May L. Prewitt

We have been checking the list of new books that are listed for Libraries. The children's section has a wide range in variety—biographies, adventures, animal stories, fiction science, etc. These books are rather expensive—\$2.75 and \$3.00. In the series read by the girls and boys they are not so expensive, usually \$1.00 and

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FARM NEWS

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1955 ACP PROGRAM

On Friday, November 19th, the County and Community Committee along with representatives of Soil Conservation, Farmers Home Administration, the County Agent, and the members of the SCS Board of Supervisors met to select the Practices that will be

used to the most advantage in Donley County. A lot of time and thought was given to the selection of the following Practices on which Cost-Share may be earned through the 1955 year.

1. Initial establishment of a permanent vegetative cover for soil protection or as a needed land-use adjustment.
2. Establishment of additional acreage of vegetative cover in crop rotation to retard erosion and to improve soil structure, permeability, or water-holding capacity.

3. Initial establishment of field strip cropping to protect soil from wind or water erosion.
4. Initial improvement of an established permanent vegetation cover for soil or watershed protection.
5. Controlling competitive shrubs to permit growth of adequate desirable vegetative cover for soil protection on range or pasture land.
6. Constructing wells for livestock water as a means of protecting established vegetative cover.
7. Constructing or sealing dams, ditches, or ponds for livestock water as a means of protecting established vegetative cover.
8. Initial establishment of permanent sod waterways to dispose of excess water without causing erosion.
9. Constructing terraces to detain or control the flow of water and check soil erosion.
10. Constructing diversion terraces to intercept runoff and divert excess water to protected outlets.
11. Constructing erosion control, detention, or sediment retention dams to prevent or heal gully or to retard or reduce runoff of water.
12. Reorganizing farm irrigation systems to conserve water and prevent erosion.
13. Establishment of additional acreage of summer legumes for summer protection from erosion.
14. Initiation of stubble mulching into the farming system and expansion of stubble mulching to improve soil permeability and to protect soil from wind and water erosion.
15. Bringing adequate amounts of clod-forming subsoil to the surface on sandy cropland subject to wind erosion to protect soil from blowing.

At the present time we do not have our special County Conservation Practices worked out. As soon as they are set up, they will be listed in News Letters and the local paper.

Cost-Share will be approved for practices on a monthly sign-up periods. The sign-up time will be announced later.

Farm Program To Be Recommended To AFB Federation

A national farm program designed to eliminate surpluses and discriminatory acreage controls will be recommended to the American Farm Bureau Federation, according to Henry Moore of Hedley, Texas, president of the Donley County Farm Bureau.

The plan was approved at the Texas Farm Bureau's convention Nov. 10 in Galveston, Mr. Moore said. It will be up for consideration by the AFBF at its national convention Dec. 12-16 in New York City.

Under the Texas plan, acreage control would be set up on the basis of a farm's total tillable acreage. The present law places control on the individual commodities. According to the plan, the percentage of acres to be retired from production would be determined by the over-all over-production of all agricultural commodities in this country.

The percentage of acres responsible for surpluses would be taken out of commercial production. According to President Moore this has been found to average from 5 to 15 per cent of the nation's total cultivated acreage. If the percentage amounted to 10 per cent, then each farmer would be required to divert 10 per cent of his tillable acreage

from production, he explained. A farmer would have to comply with this provision in order to be eligible for price supports. Good soil conservation practices would also be required for the idle acres. This would be encouraged by soil conservation payments.

Under the plan, a system of price supports would be instituted to encourage the shifting of production from crops in surplus supply to crops in short supply, Mr. Moore said.

The Texas Farm Bureau believes that its plan, if administered fairly, would enable farmers to earn full parity for their crops with a maximum of freedom in their operations. Since the government would be concerned with policing only a small percentage of acres on each farm, the cost to the tax payers would be much less than for the present farm program.

PROSPECTIVE CUB SCOUTS INVITED TO MEETING

Cub Scout Pack No. 37 will hold their regular meeting Tuesday evening, Nov. 30th at 7:30 p. m. in the basement of the Donley Hotel. All boys, prospective Cub Scouts, between the ages of 8 through 10 are invited and urged to attend this meeting and bring their parents with them. At the present time there are around 60 boys in the local troop and leaders wish to increase this number as much as possible.

J. G. McAnear and G. W. Bradshaw joined a group of fishermen from Phillips and Oklahoma Saturday morning and will spend this week fishing at Guaymas, Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Whitlock and Larry of Amarillo visited relatives here Thursday evening.

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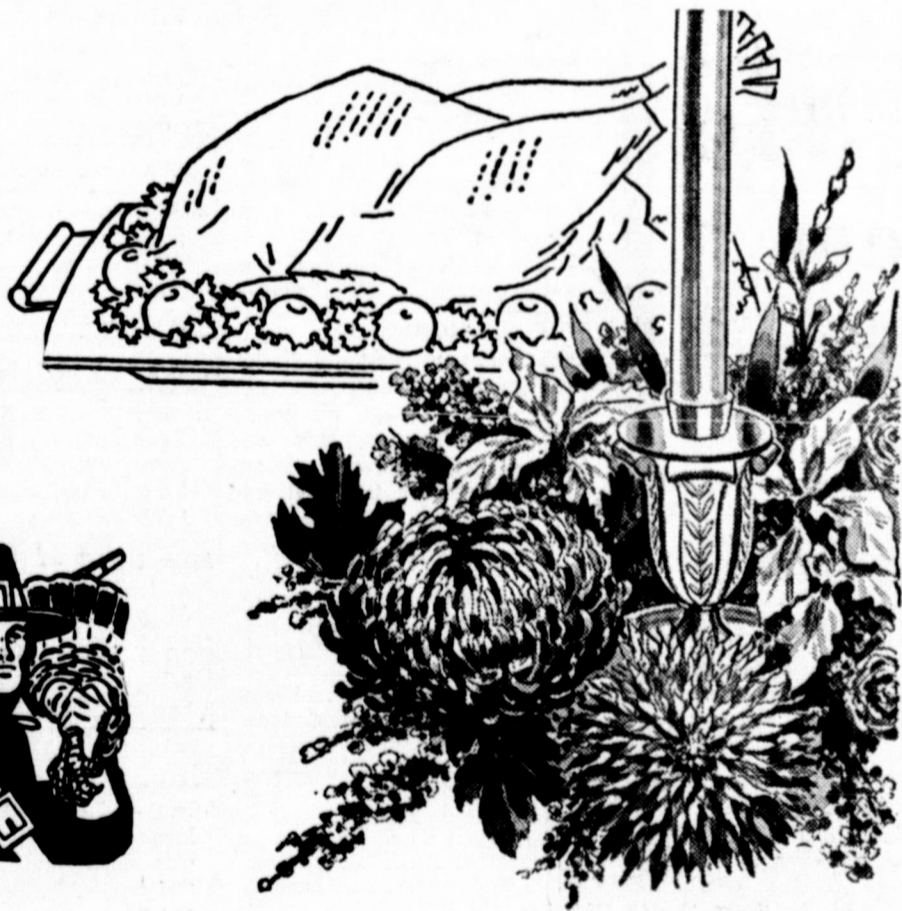
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by Uncle Zeb

My guess would be that the world's dullest subject right now would be Sen. McCarthy. Won't the newspapers ever decide that we have had enough. If we understand what the censor would add up to if passed, this is it: "What the Senate would call Senator a bad little boy," but there would be nothing further. Anyway, at the present trend of things he may come out with a pat on the back; that is if the political mail can be loaded in his behalf. Reckon how much it is costing the taxpayers every day they fritter around? It's disgusting to say the least.

If you didn't read our story in this month's Southwestern Crop & Stock about Clark Bumpers of Shamrock, please go back and do so this very day. We believe you will get a real blessing from his own testimony about his Christian experiences since the day some three years ago when he was suddenly confronted with the verdict that he had only a short time to live. If you failed to see a copy of this magazine let us know and we will see that you get to read the story. If we succeeded in getting down on paper the story as he told it to us you

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can not help being encouraged by this man's experiences with the problem of life and death.

Congressman Walter Rogers tells us that thirty-six years ago on the 11th of November the then president of the United States made the following statement: "To conquer with arms is to make only a temporary conquest; to conquer the world by earning its esteem is to make a permanent conquest."

This truth has been proven many times since then.

By official count 92.3 percent of the farms now have electricity. This figure shows a 15 percent gain since the 1950 census. In Connecticut 99.9 percent of the farmers have "Juice." Truly this little man called Reddy Killowat has changed the "How you do" of things around the farm. He pumps the water, milks the cows, runs the refrigerator, and a dozen other jobs. Most older farmers

can remember the days when the kerosene lanterns was standard equipment for the early and late country boys, but you would have to travel a long ways to find some one who longed for the "Good Ole Days." Now, just flip a switch and the whole countryside lights up. We'll never forget those kerosene lanterns; you could see only one thing for certain, that was the lantern itself.

If the editor will forgive us we will include another poem. This

one from the good friend who has been so kind in helping us out lately.

WHEN I HAVE TIME
(Anon)
When I have time, so many things I'll do
To make life happier and more fair
For those whose lives are crowded now with care
I'll help to lift them from their low despair,
When I have time,
When I have time, the friend I

love so well
Shall know no more these weary toiling days,
I'll lead his feet in pleasant paths always,
And cheer his heart with words of sweetest praise,
When I have time.

When you have time, the friend you hold so dear
May be beyond the reach of all your sweet intent;
May never know that you so kindly meant,

To fill his life with sweet content,
When you have time.

Now is the time, An Friend, no longer wait
To scatter loving deeds and words of cheer
To those around whose lives are now so dear,
They may not meet you in the coming year,
Now is the time.

MISS INELLE COX NAMED TO REPRESENT WTSC IN 1954-55 EDITION OF "WHO'S WHO" IN COLLEGES & UNIVERSITIES

CANYON—Miss Inelle Cox of Clarendon is one of 32 West Texas State College students named to represent the college in the 1954-55 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges and Universities." They were honored in a special assembly Thursday.

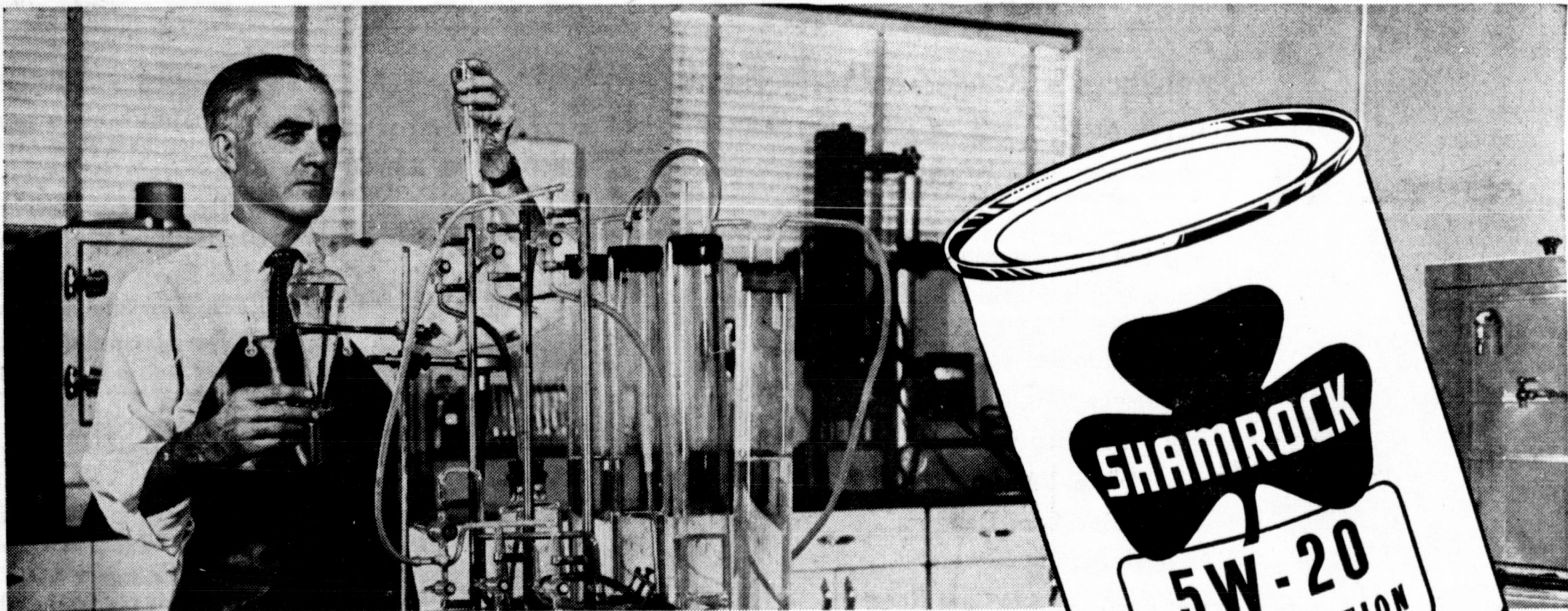
The group was selected by the student honors committee, headed by Dr. Ima Barlow, professor of history, from among nominations submitted by all campus clubs and organizations and each academic department. Representatives are chosen on scholarship, campus participation, and leadership.

Miss Cox, a senior English major, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Cox of Clarendon. She has been secretary and president of Delta Zeta Chi sorority, and is president of the Donley County Club, and is a member of Alpha Chi, Buffalo Gals, Inter-Club Council, and the advisory Council.

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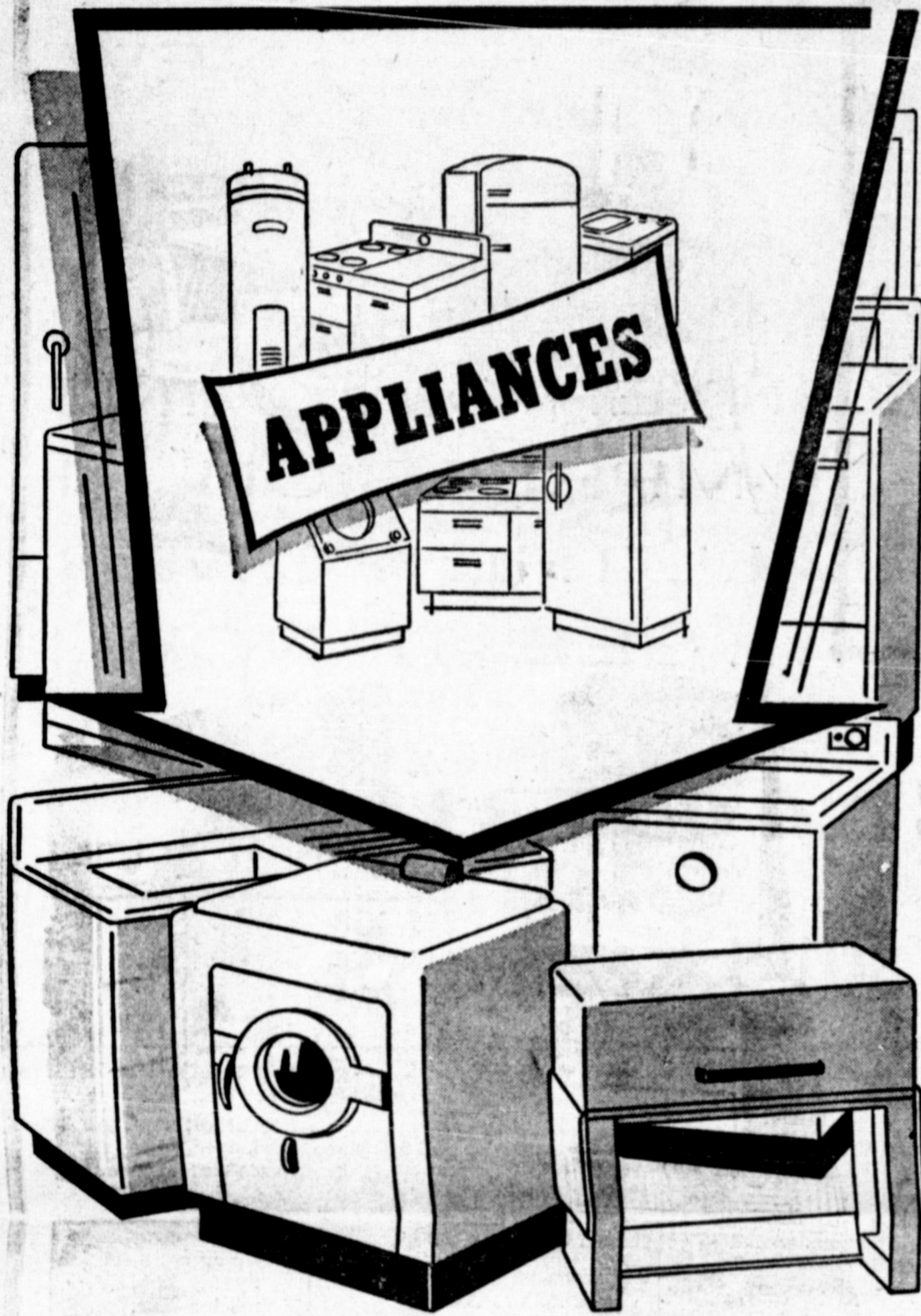
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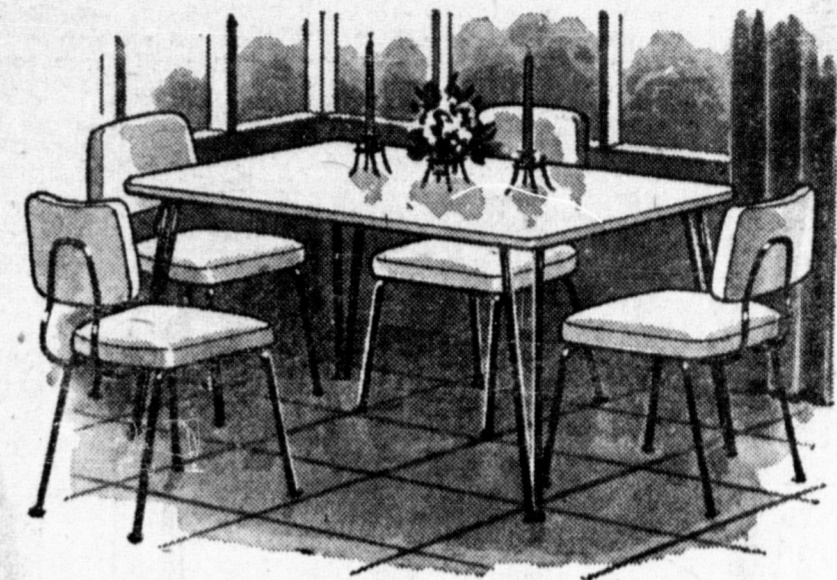
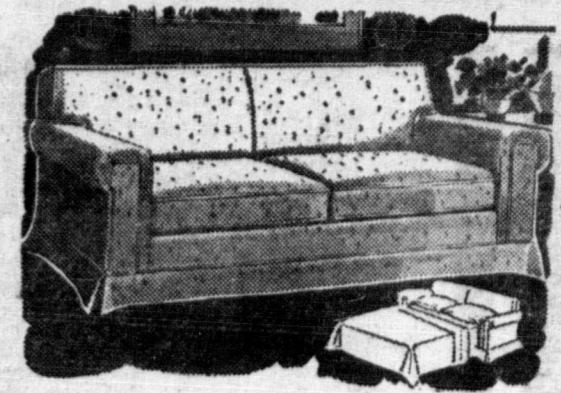
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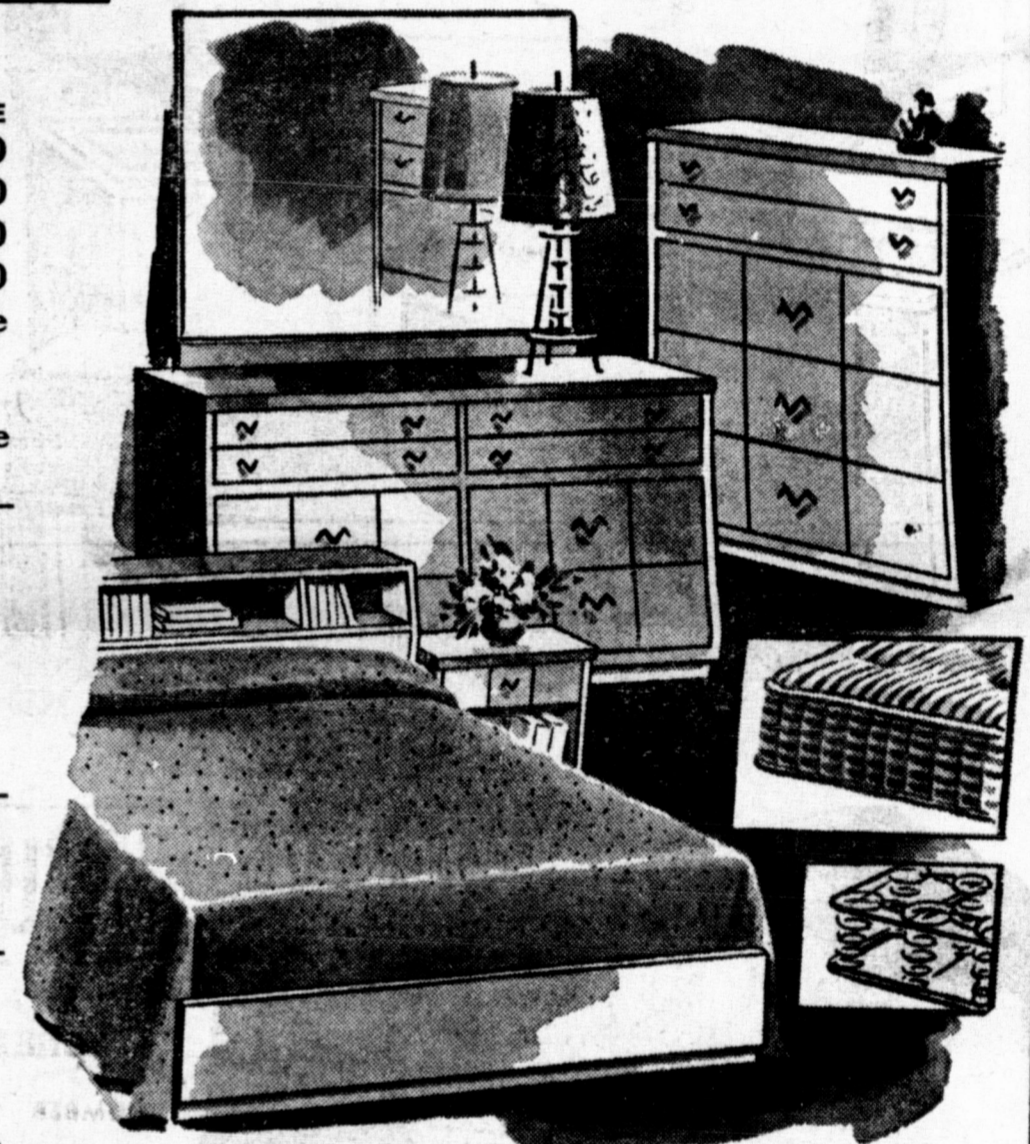
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A TRIBUTE TO BOB MCGOWAN

By Mrs. M. H. Hays
Amarillo, Texas

In every small town there seems always to be one person who knows more than anyone else about his friends in the community - more about their health and their happiness, more about their dreams and their disappointments.

Sometimes he is the local minister to whom folks bring their heartaches - but ministers come and go; sometimes he may be the family doctor, to whom townpeople bring only their aches; but in Clarendon, for close to fifty years, he was the village barber, a man who saw people in their every day life, with a week-to-week regularity, and often came

to know more about them than they knew about themselves. He was "Uncle Bob" McGowan, whose busy scissors and quiet words are stilled at last.

For "Uncle Bob" not only trimmed every local head, young and old alike, with a steady hand, but the few minutes each person spent in his barber chair were enriched by the warm feeling of encouragement, praise or understanding that invariably came from the steady heart of this kindly man.

With his remarkable insight into human character, he seemed to know exactly what each situation demanded. If a year-old curly-top climbed hesitantly into the chair for his first man-size haircut, "Uncle Bob" produced the lollipop and the gentle smile and touch that turned the moment from despair to pleasure.

And when a fellow with a face as long as his hair walked into the shop, he was joshed into a frame of mind better fitting his improved appearance by the time "Uncle Bob" had finished.

There was a never-ending supply of typical barbershop wit and fun in the stories the barber passed among his patrons, but no story was ever personal, no humor ever tinged with malice or gossip.

So long had "Uncle Bob" looked after the good-grooming of his fellow-citizens that, when he retired in 1945 and went to Phoenix, Arizona to live with his daughter, he numbered among his customers two and three generations of the same families. Not only was he a part of the town; it had long since become a part of him.

Outside the barber shop, Bob McGowan led a devoted Christian life. He and his beloved wife for a half century, "Aunt Jenny", who preceded him in death by nine years, were both charter members of the Clarendon

Church of Christ. He was the last surviving charter member of this church.

Of the many fortunate ones who counted "Uncle Bob" as a friend, only a few were lucky enough to claim him as a close neighbor. But to him, not only was every neighbor a friend, but every friend was a neighbor, and as such he addressed them. Often times his "neighbors" were the farmers who drove into town just on alternate Saturday afternoons for a "hair-trimmin'" and a

little "shop talk" with Bob.

The McGowan residence, always a comfortable and homely sort of place, with flowers blooming in the garden and the aroma of hot cake in the kitchen, was never either pretentious or big. But in it, as in their expansive hearts, the McGowans found enough room at different times for a good many homeless children and young people who needed what he called "a spell of loving". And when these girls and boys went away from the pro-

TECTIVE walls of the McGowan home, it was to take the comforting protection of a father's guidance with them.

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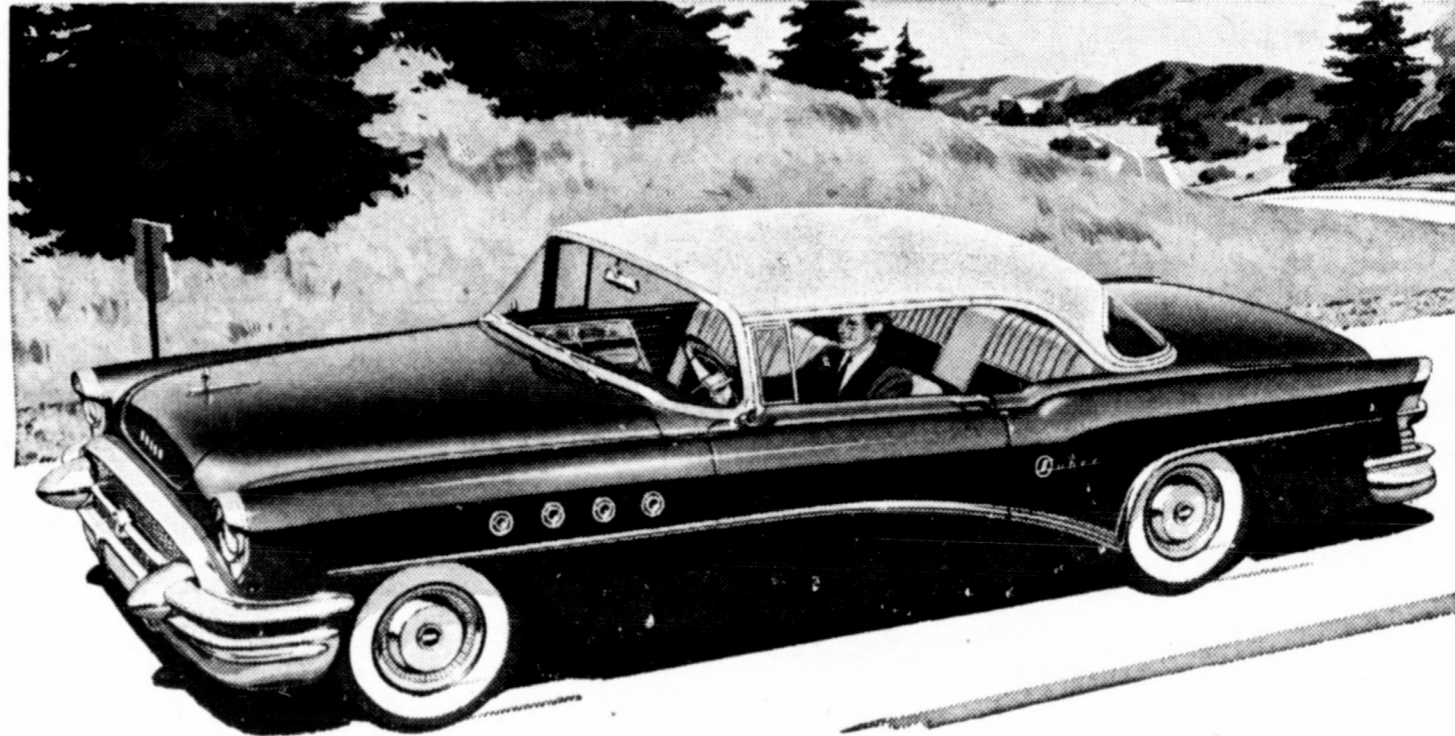
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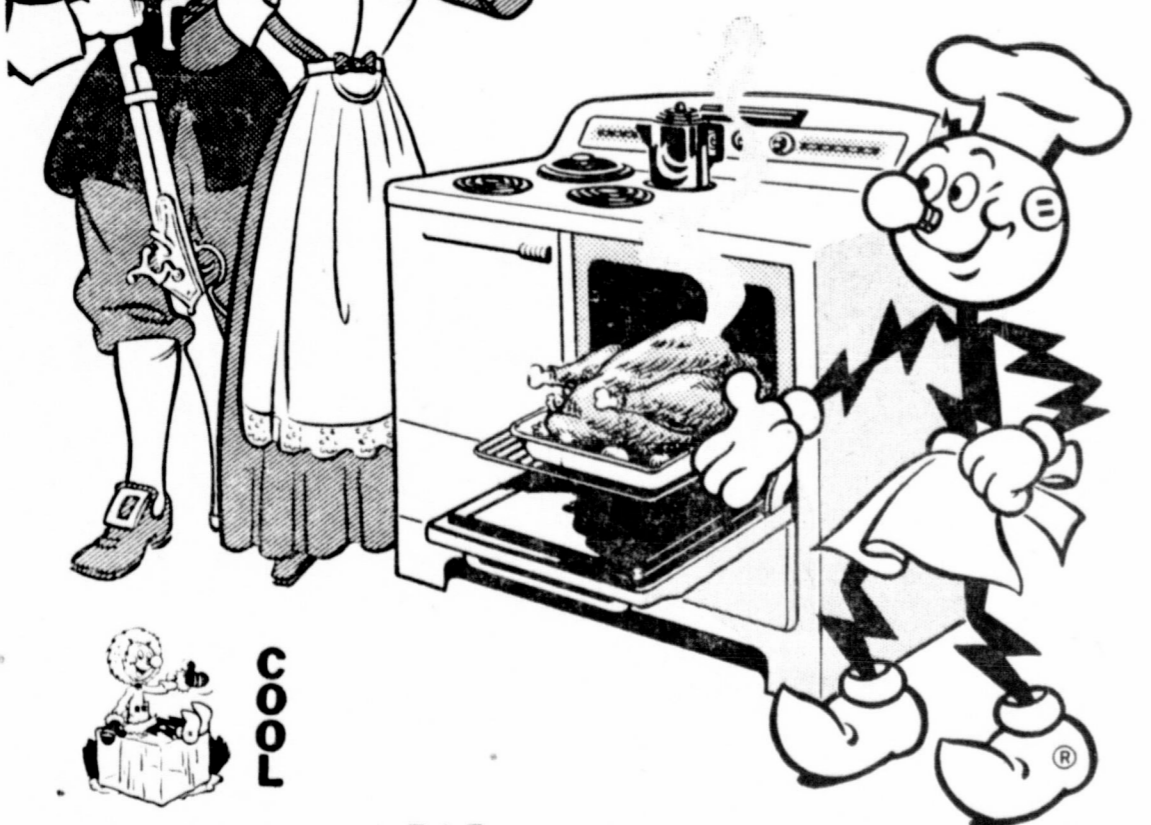
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