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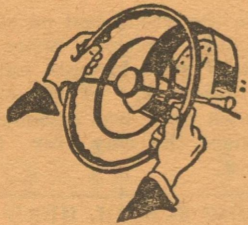
In one out of every two driver accidents resulting in deaths and injuries, speed is directly responsible for this carnage on the highways. Other lethal causes, such as cutting in and out, passing on curves and hills, driving off the roadway, are indirectly the result of quick bursts of speed.

And the speed death toll is climbing! Faster roads, super-powered cars urge drivers beyond their human limitations to a quicker and more frequent rendezvous with Death.

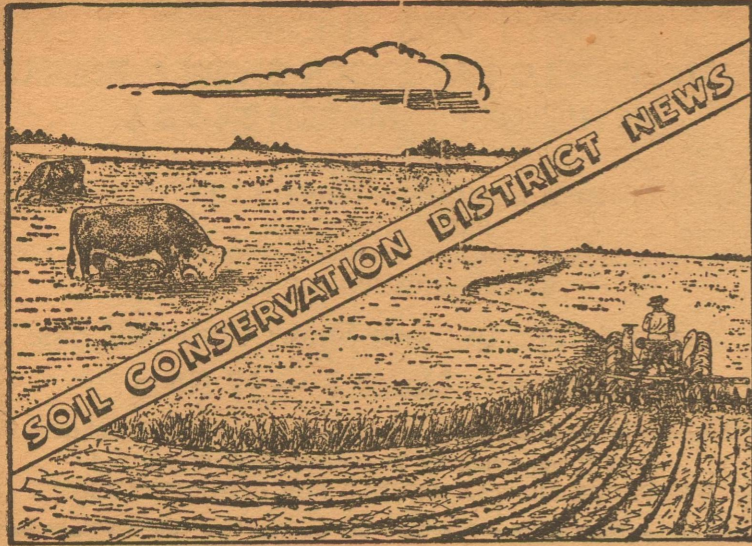
Rural highway fatalities due mainly to speed soared from 22,000 in 1949 to 28,200 in 1952 and over 31,000 in 1953. Those are the dead—and for every death count fifty injured, maimed, crippled for life.

Is this the price you and others are ready to pay for the momentary thrill and the ever-present danger of death from speed? It takes only a split second to change speed exhilaration into speed tragedy.

The decision is in your hands—be sane, be sensible, slow down and live!



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What is stubble mulch farming? What benefits can be derived from this system of treating crop residues? Can't I make as much money by grazing my stubble?

All of these are questions one often hears regarding the different methods of using or disposing of the residue left from a previous crop.

Stubble mulch farming is a system whereby the residues of crops are used as a mulch to conserve your moisture and soil. Instead of removing, destroying, or plowing under your residue you leave it on the surface of the soil. Thus your fields have a year around cover. Its major benefit is the cover which it provides your soil. Used this way, the residue, or stubble, greatly reduces erosion by both water and wind. The stubble mulch keeps wind from getting at the soil to blow it and prevents rainfall from packing the soil. As it decays it improves soil structure and fertility and thus enables the soil to absorb moisture more rapidly and hold more of it.

Stubble mulch farming is likely one of the most needed and most often neglected of conservation practices. Especially in areas of erratic rainfall and high winds it is absolutely a necessity in controlling wind erosion and holding moisture. In years that it is most needed, it is most neglected. During the dry years soil needs protection from winds and the scorching sun more than ever. It is at times like these with the ranges depleted and little other sources of feed that the crop residues are

grazed into the ground and the soil compacted more than ever before. Following years of this type of use, the soil is in poor condition to hold and absorb what moisture it does receive; let alone hold itself together in the face of strong winds.

The greatest benefit of stubble mulch farming is that of saving your soil from erosion while at the same time keeping it in top productive condition. Grazing your residues off may give temporary relief from feed costs but they will never offset the year after year lowering of crop production. It takes only a little close observation to see that the fields which "blew" most last year had the least production this year.

Terrace work among farmers of the Eldorado-Divide Soil Conservation District is continuing to move along. Contractors are at present building terraces for Bill McWhorter, Oran Enochs, and Milton Faught.

At the monthly meeting of the Board of Supervisors of the Eldorado-Divide Soil Conservation District, Ben Hext discussed the meeting of the State Association of Soil Conservation District Supervisors. John Royal of Menard was elected President of the State Association for the coming year.

At the meeting of the National Association of Soil Conservation District Supervisors in San Diego, California, Nolan Fugua of Oklahoma was elected National President. He replaces Walter Davis of League City, Texas, who served as President of the National Association five years.

Mrs. Yates Is Hostess Honoring Mrs. Bownds

Mrs. Earl Yates was hostess at a farewell coffee, honoring Mrs. R. A. Bownds, Saturday morning at her home.

Guests included Mrs. Richard Thurman, Mrs. Lee Jennings, Mrs. Charles Mapes, Mrs. Dawkins, and Mrs. L. D. Mund.

Mr. and Mrs. Bownds and Karen left Sunday to make their home in El Campo. Mr. Bownds is a Halliburton employee.

COSTUME PARTY HONORS MISS FERN PARRENT

Mrs. Herbert Kreig was hostess to a costume birthday party honoring Fern Parrent, Monday night at her home.

Loretta Dossett and Juanice Williams won the prizes.

Cokes and cookies were served to eight guests and the honoree.

Mrs. Lydia Thorpe had as week end guests her grandsons Bunky and Ray Tolliver of Sonora, who accompanied her to Eldorado Friday evening.

Mrs. Edgar Spencer and Mrs. J. D. Ashmore attended a OES school of instruction in San Angelo, Saturday.

Ben Hext and George Cales attended a Shell Company dinner at Colorado City last Monday night.

Mrs. W. G. Godwin spent the weekend in San Angelo with her sister.

Grete Mund Carlisle Is Shower Honoree

Women of the Church honored Mrs. Tad Carlisle with a gift tea February 19 from 3 to 4:30 p.m. at the Presbyterian Church.

In the receiving line were the honoree; her mother, Mrs. Arthur Mund; and her sister, Mrs. D-Eon Priest.

Mrs. Paul Page presided over the register.

Mrs. Albert Stanford and Mrs. Arthur Mund Jr. of San Angelo served white cake, decorated with pink and yellow roses, and coffee and tea from a table covered with a white cloth and centered with an arrangement of pink carnations and yellow glads flanked by yellow tapers and set with the silver coffee and tea service.

Marilyn Mowrey and Connie Sue Speck each gave a reading. Mickie and Terry Phelps sang accompanied by their mother, Mrs. Roy Phelps.

Mrs. Wilson Page and Mrs. Jas. Page alternated at the piano during the tea hour.

About 50 guests called. Those from out-of-town were Mrs. Arthur Mund, Mrs. Arthur Mund Jr., Mrs. D-Eon Priest all of San Angelo.

Mrs. Carlisle, the former Gretchen Mund, is a senior at San Marcos and her husband is serving with the armed forces over seas.

Mrs. R. D. Allen and Butch of Van Court spent the weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jerroll Sanders.

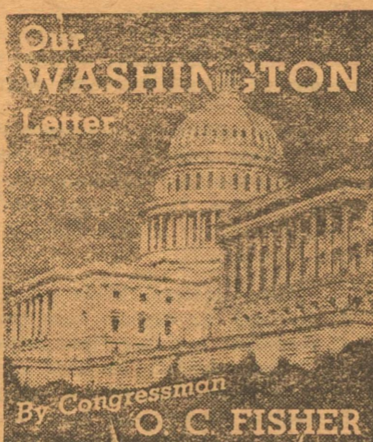
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The cut-off date of February 15 for applications to purchase government feed under the drought program, is subject to change "if acute drought conditions continue in any area".

Kenneth L. Scott, USDA's director of the program, has assured me that there is no intention to cause undue hardships by halting the program in areas where critical conditions continue. He also reminds that applications approved by February 15 can be delivered later, up to mid-April.

The hay program will continue to March 31. The railroad's 50% reduction in rates on hay going into the disaster areas expires on Feb. 15, but the Government's share (half the actual cost of transporting hay up to \$10 per ton) will continue on all deliveries up to the end of March.

Counties desiring continuation of the feed program should act through county committees, then the State committee. The latter will make recommendations to Mr. Scott's office where final action will be taken.

WATER, a detailed treatment of all its problems, is the title of a recent publication put out by Texas Society of Professional Engineers, with main office in the Nash Building, Austin. Tracing the fall and final disposal of our limited rainfall, the author reminds us that the average rainfall in Texas produces 362 million acre-feet. Of this amount, 9% is direct runoff to streams and 1.5% is water that soaks into the ground and later returns as spring flow to streams. The remaining 89% is consumed by plant life, evaporation from soils, under-

ground reservoirs and domestic use.

In other words, most of our water gets away from us. Preventing that surface waste, conserving more of our underground supply, and coordinating all efforts to hold the rainfall, as near as possible to where it falls, is one of the most pressing problems facing Texans today.

Texans in Washington last week included a group interested in various phases of our domestic wool industry. On Thursday a hearing was held on the question of disposal of the government's 100 million pound stockpile of wool acquired under the loan program. This accumulation is expected to increase to a total of about 140 million pounds by April. The growers are anxious that it be disposed of as soon as possible, in an orderly way, and it is hoped the military will be able to absorb a portion of this.

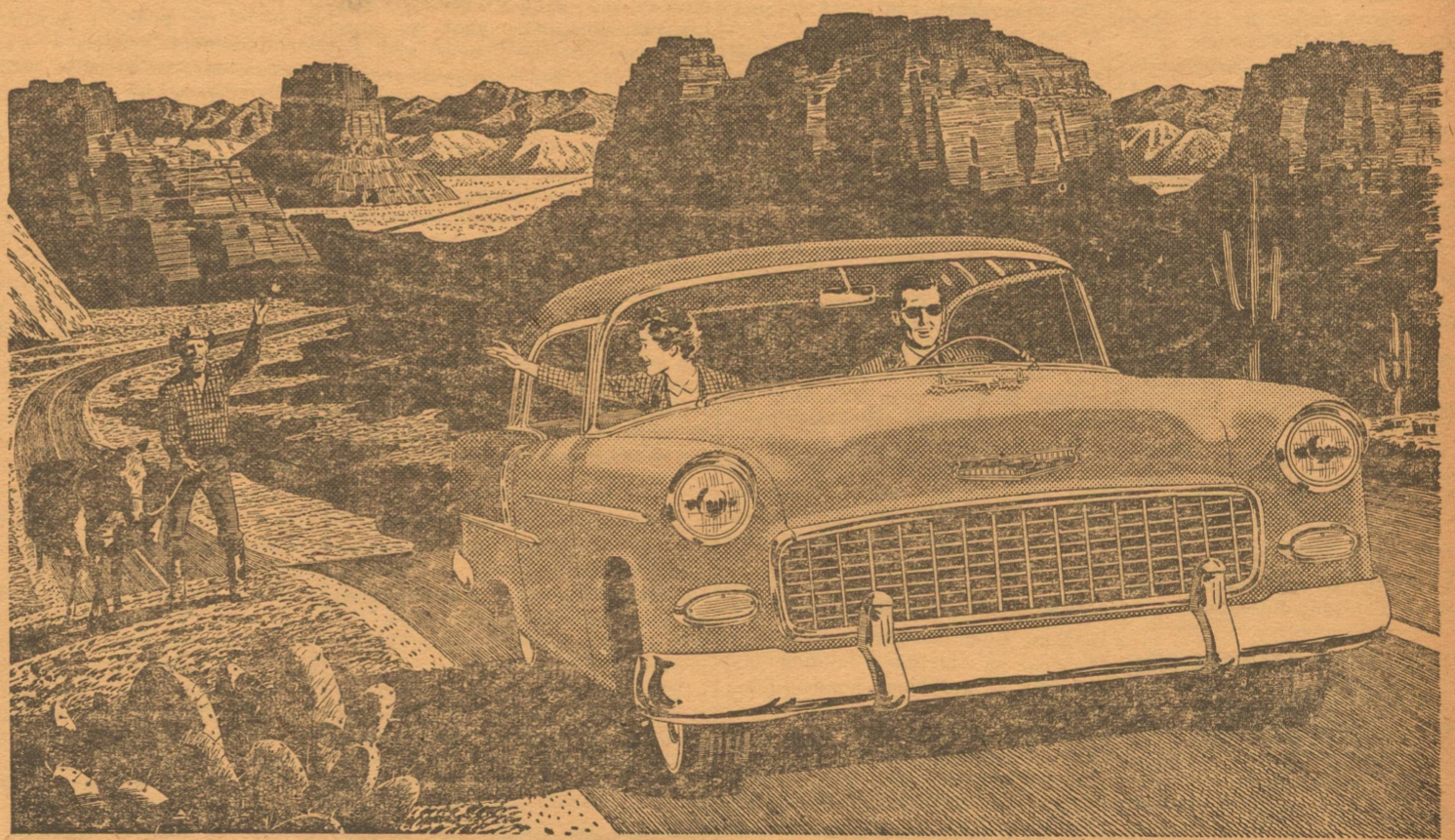
Testifying for growers were several spokesmen, including Penrose Metcalfe, chairman of a group representing the National Wool Growers Association. Also participating in the hearing was

R. W. Hodge of Del Rio, Fred Earwood of Sonora, Walter Pfleger of Eden and J. B. McCord of Coleman.

Also on the wool agenda for the week was a hearing by the Department of Agriculture on a proposed plan for advertising and promotion of wool and lamb, under Sec. 708 of the National Wool Act, enacted last year. Under this plan a referendum may be held to obtain grower approval of a slight deduction from incentive payments to raise funds for the purpose. The Texans took part in the discussions of a plan that has been formulated and submitted to the Secretary of Agriculture.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Graves returned home last weekend after a visit in McCamey with Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Graves and in Roswell, New Mexico, with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bradley and baby.

Mrs. Forrest Runge and Jim attended the Fat Stock Show at San Antonio last weekend; they also visited her sister, Mrs. A. W. Brisbin, at Austin and another sister, Mrs. Sam Holliday at Helotes. They returned home Sunday.



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Methodist News

The Methodist Church is seeking to increase Church and Sunday School attendance. All members are urged to attend at least one service of worship every week. Bring a friend with you.

A group of young people from the Methodist Church, and guests, accompanied by their counsellor, Miss Joan Fudge and pastor, Rev. Doyle Morton, attended the San Angelo District Youth Rally Sunday afternoon at San Angelo.

Young people attending were Dale West, Mary Tisdale, Myrta Ann Topliffe, Ann Ballew, and Jimmie Dell Williams.

Elected to office were Ray Jordan of Art, pres., Jo Ann Cunningham of Junction, vice-pres., Mantha Kenley of San Angelo, sec., and Cox Wheeler of Rankin, treasurer. Rev. Morton had part on the program in the Senior and older youth group.

Bishop Frank Smith was the principal speaker at an assembly. Among those in the audience were Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Newport and Jean, and Mr. and Mrs. Lige Christman of this city, in addition to the Eldorado young people and sponsors.

The First Methodist Church is cooperating with the Methodist Churches of Sonora and Ozona in a three day Training School to be

held in Sonora, February 28, March 1 and 2. Leaders in their fields will be teaching the three courses offered. Courses are: (1) "The Work of the Local Church", taught by the Rev. Donald E. Redmond; (2) "The Educational Work of the Small Church", taught by the Rev. Seaborn M. Kiker; (3) "The Methodist Discipline", taught by the Rev. R. F. Curl. Classes will begin at 7:30 p.m. and close at 9:30. Members who are interested in how and why the Church does certain things are urged to attend.

Presbyterian News

Calendar For The Week

Sunday — Sunday School, 9:45; Morning Worship, 11:00; Youth Fellowship hold worship services in Sonora, 5:00; Evening Worship, 7:00.

Monday — Women of the Church General Meeting, 3:15;

Wednesday — Crusaders, 4:00; Choir Rehearsal, 4:00; Church Planning Committee, 5:00; Family Night, 6:30.

Thursday — Boys Club Meeting, 7:00.

Friday — Youth Fellowship Rally in Fort Worth, 6:00.

On Wednesday night, March 2, the congregation will observe the regular monthly Family night. Supper will be the first thing on the program and following that will be a varied program of interest. A part of it will be on World Missions and conducted by Mrs. Joe Edens. Another part will be fun.

The Presbyterian Youth Fellowship will again conduct a Worship Program in the Club room of the Fire Hall in Sonora for all who are interested in attending. The entire program will be by the young people but it will be for youth and all who are interested.

For the first time in several years the Presbyterian Church will hold a series of evangelistic meetings from March 13 thru March 20. The special speaker for the occasion is to be the Rev. Thomas E. Cook, assistant pastor of the Ridgelea Presbyterian Church of Fort Worth. The Rev. Cook is a native of Washington, D. C. and had training in several schools but completed his graduate work in Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary. He was received into Mid-Texas Presbytery last year and is an excellent speaker. We look forward to his coming and cordially invite all who are interested to come and hear him.

The Presbyterian Men's Club enjoyed a delicious Chili Supper Monday night prepared by Marvin McAngus and served by McAngus, Bill Oglesby and others.

Following the supper Coach Frank Baker kept the whole group highly interested in the Holy Land as he recounted his stay there in 1945. He displayed many pictures, souvenirs and maps as he told about his experiences and impressions of what he saw. Since there was more to be said than time would permit and questions that had still to be answered, it was determined that he would be asked to tell his story again.

The Presbyterian Boys Club will be guests of the Men's Club on March 21st.

One member of the Club who could not be present was considered in prayer and kindly thought as well as conversation—he is A. G. "Mack" McCormack.

Thought For The Week

Ministerial Alliance

Exclusively Yours

"Provide things honest in the sight of all men", Romans 12:17b. Honesty is one of the old time virtues that many have put aside. Many have made allowances depending on the situation or the circumstances or even in view of the financial return. We are faced with what seems to be outright dishonesty in many places of high responsibility. It tends toward a moral breakdown in every profession when in even one there is dishonesty.

Aside from being dishonest with each other, perhaps one of the most common areas of dishonesty lies in not being honest with ourselves. Do you honestly face yourself, or do you try to avoid your self???? As long as people are dishonest in this respect they will be dishonest with others.

The first undertaking then must be self. When self is contained and guided by honesty, then honesty will pervade other areas of life. No person has ever been able to control self aside from the help afforded to him through Christ Jesus. Christ gives the power to control through faith, that faith being in Him.

Do you need such power? Then the power can be yours through Him. It is offered as Exclusively Yours. —Rev. J. C. Hancock.

Mary Robinson, a student in Shannon school for nurses, spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lester.

FIRST BAPTIST BROTHERHOOD HAS BANQUET

Fifty two members and guests were present Monday night at the annual Brotherhood banquet at the First Baptist Church.

Dinner was served by the WMU under the direction of their president, Mrs. Carroll Ratliff.

Mrs. John Stigler had charge of table decorations and the church sextette furnished music.

Taylor Henley, pastor of Immanuel Baptist Church of San Angelo, was the guest speaker.

Next month the Brotherhood will hold their father and son banquet.

METHODIST CIRCLES MEET

The Pioneer Circle met Monday afternoon at the Methodist Church. Mrs. Luke Thompson Sr. gave the lesson. There were ten members present.

All circles will meet in a regular monthly meeting March 1 at the church.

GA's MEET

The G A girls held their regular meeting Monday afternoon at the First Baptist Church. The twelve members, one visitor, and two leaders held a discussion on Cuba.

Cong. Methodist

Rev. O. D. Cox, Pastor

Sunday School ----- 10:00 a.m.
Preaching ----- 11:00 a.m.
Young People Meeting ----- 6:00 p.m.
Evening Services ----- 7:00 p.m.
Wednesday Services -- 7:00 p.m.

Fundamental Baptist

Sunday School ----- 10 a.m.
Morning Worship ----- 11 a.m.
Young People ----- 6:30 p.m.
Evening Services ----- 7:30 p.m.
Youth Fellowship (Fri) -- 7 p.m.

Rock Church of Christ

Everyone is cordially invited to attend all services. Come let us worship and study together. Sunday Morning Bible Study 9:45 Preaching and Worship --- 10:45 Young People's Class ----- 6:00 Evening Preaching, Worship 7:00 Ladies' Class (Mon. evening) 3:30

CHILDREN ARE HONORED ON THEIR BIRTHDAYS

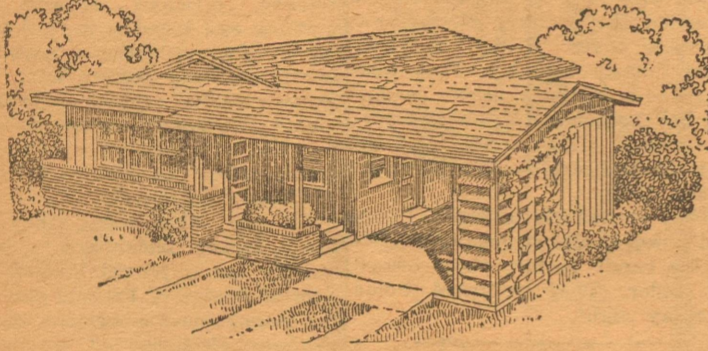
Mrs. Joe Wagley and Mrs. Ray Bruton served birthday cake and ice cream to Mrs. Hall's second grade students last Thursday. The occasion was the 8th birthday of Jodie Wagley and Betsy Bruton.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Yates spent the weekend in San Angelo where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Harold Yates and Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Yates.

Clancy Ellen Baldrige of San Angelo was a business caller in Eldorado Thursday. She is one of the partners in Trimble Travel Service.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Roberts of Littlefield spent the weekend here with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Nixon.

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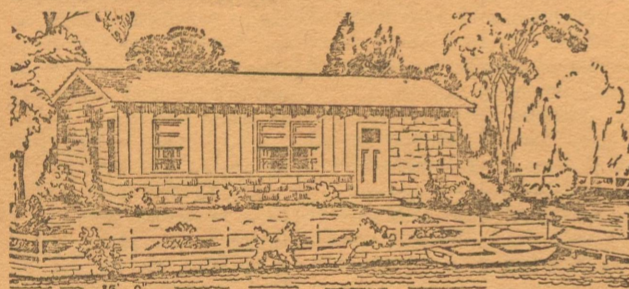


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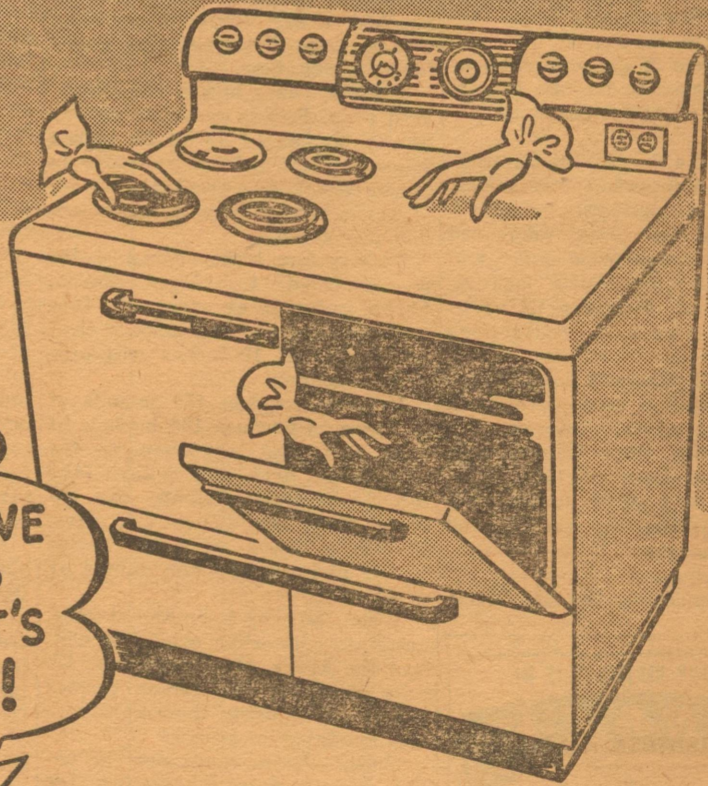
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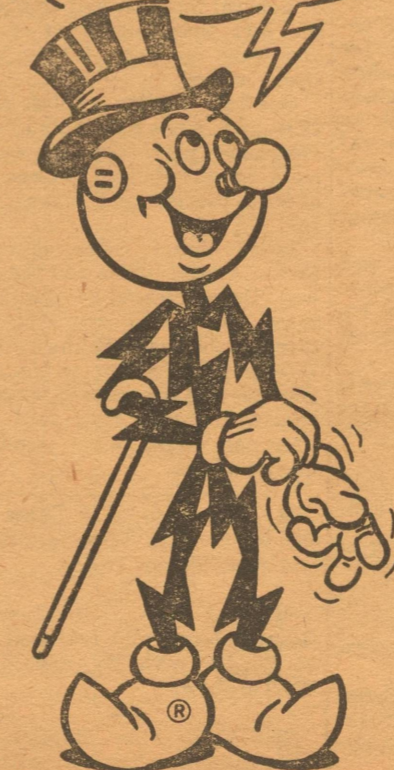
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News From Our Neighbors

Youth To Costa Rica

A Conway, Ark. youth who is a former resident of Menard will tour Costa Rica for six months beginning in May under the International Farm Youth Exchange.

He is Dale Hayhurst, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Hayhurst, who lived in Menard county from 1935 to 1947. The 20-year-old boy won local, state and national approval for a tour of Costa Rican farms in a program which recently sponsored a 22-year-old French girl's visit to farms in Faulkner county, Ark. where the Hayhursts reside. —Menard News.

Paving Vote Asked

After a two day session the Upton County Commissioners Court voted Tuesday afternoon to call an election on the proposed \$496,000 bond for paving projects in the county for Saturday April 2.

A petition bearing 109 names asking for the election was presented to the Commissioners on January 28th. The Court delayed action until February 14. On February 8, representatives of the major oil companies, in a meeting at the McCamey Chamber of Commerce, voiced their objection to the proposed \$496,000 paving bond issue. On February 10, the directors of the McCamey Chamber of Commerce voted to take neutral stand on the issue.

A supplementary order was issued by the court Tuesday also allotting \$256,000 for improvements in the McCamey area and \$240,000 in the area of Rankin. The streets in the two towns being "constituted as integral parts of the county road system." The order further stated that any funds remaining would be used for improvements of other roads in the county. —McCamey News.

Pandale Road Studied

Progress is being made in acquiring right-of-way in preparation for fencing and replacing waterings so that construction by the state can proceed at an early date on the paving of approximately 17 miles of the Pandale road from Highway 290 intersection southwest. — Ozona Stockman.

Flood Control Studied

Ozona will be holding its collective breath today and Friday while a group of engineers from the Soil Conservation Service makes a final appraisal and determination as to whether or not the Johnson Draw watershed will qualify for assistance under U. S. Public Law 566 for a flood control project. — Ozona Stockman.

Telephone Company To Sue

Denied a rate increase in September of last year, General Telephone Company last Saturday took initial steps with filing for an injunction to prevent enforcement of a city ordinance on the rate hike rejection.

Suit has been filed in 119th District Court, with hearing date set for March 3.

The telephone company's petition contends an operation loss of \$671.87 for the year ending Sept. 30, 1954.

Rate increases asked by the company are 100% in most cases.

(Eden has no dial service—proposed new rate—one party business, \$10.50—one party residence, \$5.25.)—Eden Echo.

More Wells For Coke

Coke County had 221 new oil wells completed in 1954, bringing the total number of producers to 762.

They are expected to increase the county's taxing valuation by five or six million dollars, according to Harry Pickett, Dallas evaluation engineer, who met briefly with the county commissioners Monday. —Robert Lee Observer.

Courthouse Started

Work started Monday on the construction of Coke County's new courthouse. A. Z. Sturges is the superintendent in charge of the project. Suggs Construction Co. of Big Spring was awarded the contract Feb. 2 on their low bid of \$270,818. A bond issue of \$300,000 was voted last fall for the new courthouse. —Robert Lee Observer

Women On Jury

Six women have been drawn on the panel of 56 petit jurors called next Monday for duty during the third week of District Court in Coke County.

It will be the first time in his-

tory that women will see jury service in Coke County, and was made possible by a new amendment to the state constitution which makes women eligible as jurors.—Robert Lee Observer.

Creek Survey Made

A crew of SCS men were in Bronte Tuesday making a preliminary survey on damming creeks above Bronte and by so doing, remove the danger of another flood like we had less than two years ago.

Their comments were not too encouraging so far as getting 100 per cent federal help on the project, but at least when they complete their work, we will know what needs to be done. We think it certainly worth while to consider this project jointly from the standpoint of flood control and irrigation. A little water these last few years would have done wonders on these dry Coke County farms. —Bronte Enterprise.

Water Supply studied

The United States Geological Survey is making a detailed study of the ground-water resources in the Alpine region. This study is financed cooperatively by Brewster County, the Texas State Board of Water Engineers and the United States Geological Survey.

Field operations include a canvass of all existing wells for the purpose of showing on a map the slope and shape of the water table in the Alpine region. Geological mapping and study of well logs and sample drill cuttings also will be done in order to determine the conditions which control ground-water recharge, movement and discharge. —Alpine Avalanche.

Church Is Dedicated

This coming Sunday promises to be a red letter day for the Big Lake First Methodist Church. Its five-year-old modern brick house of worship, recently cleared of debt, will be dedicated at that time. A full day is planned, beginning with the Sunday School hour when a record attendance is expected.

Featured speaker for the occasion will be Bishop A. Frank Smith of the San Antonio and Houston area. He will lead in the dedication service which will follow his sermon scheduled for three o'clock in the afternoon. —Big Lake Wildcat.

Telephone Official Moves

Euston Woullard, district manager for the General Telephone Co. of the Southwest, will move this month to Del Rio, where he will become supervisor of the Del Rio district.

Woullard succeeds Don Hunsaker, Jr., who is resigning to enter the insurance business. Woullard, who have lived here since last spring, will be succeeded by Ted Maxwell of San Angelo. —Devils River News.

Bond Election Called

A \$75,000 bond election for the erection of a community center here will be held about a month from today, the exact date to be announced next week.

The announcement was made by County Judge G. A. Wynn at the regular meeting of the Commissioners Court Monday. —Devils River News.

Rate Increase Refused

For the second time in recent months Southwestern States Telephone Company applied for a raise in rates to the City Council and for the second time their request was refused at the regular Council meeting Monday night.

After much discussion, during which it was suggested that the Telephone Company perhaps, should offer a rate reduction, considering the drought times, J. D. Blackburn moved that the request for a raise of approximately 50% not be granted at this time. Bill Geddis seconded the motion. — Junction Eagle.

Old Desk Sold

One of Pecos County's significant historical items, reminiscent of turbulent early days, was sold Monday by the Commissioners Court for \$1, but lest taxpayers get an idea the Court is giving things away, it should be stated that:

The buyer is the Fort Stockton Historical Society, and the item is the old wood desk at which A. J. Royal died after he was shot by an unknown assailant more than half a century ago. —Fort Stockton Pioneer.

Mr. and Mrs. Lum Burk left Wednesday by plane for Miami, Fla., to visit their daughter Mrs. Jim McWhirter and family.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Keys attended church in San Angelo last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Newlin spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. O. C. James at Big Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Thigpen visited in San Angelo last Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. Earl Thigpen, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Austin and Mrs. Ora Thigpen.

Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Carroll spent Sunday at Priddy.

Kathy Jo Rogge of Sonora visited three days last week with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Bryant. Her parents Mr. and Mrs. Sid Rogge, came for her Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Richard Cheatham visited Mr. and Mrs. Millard Smith in San Angelo Sunday.

Mrs. Rutha Boyer is spending the week in San Angelo with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Belcher and children.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Hallmark visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Monroe, in Quamada last weekend. Late Sunday afternoon Mr. Monroe became ill and was taken to a Del Rio hospital where he remained for treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. Don McCormick and Donna Beth and Mrs. J. E. Tisdale visited in Big Lake Sunday and attended the dedication of the new Methodist Church there.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Morgan of Del Rio visited last weekend with Mr. and Mrs. R. N. McDonald.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert McGinnes spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Brooks, at Tennyson.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Moore and Sonny attended the stock show in San Antonio. While there they visited Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Moore and Mr. and Mrs. John Michanski.

Mrs. Joe H. Moore is much improved and plans to return home soon. She is in a Dallas hospital. Joe H. has returned to his work in San Antonio after spending a few days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Moore.

Guests in the G. E. Jocoy home include Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Dooley of Tatum, New Mexico, who spent the weekend and Mrs. J. A. Weborn and children of Snyder who are visiting this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Gibson of Seminole spent the weekend here with Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Carrell and Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Gibson.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Ashmore visited in Brady Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Kennerly and family.

Jack Shugart, Claude Meador, and Jack Meador have returned from a fishing trip to Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Ringle spent the weekend in Ballinger with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Reese.

O. Sudduth and Billy Arnel and Ollie Neil attended the stock show at San Antonio last weekend. Mrs. Sudduth visited her mother, Mrs. W. A. Spencer, and her aunt, Mrs. C. A. Spencer, at Harper.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Turnbow visited Sunday in Abilene with Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Turnbow and children.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Whiteley and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Carroll and Vicki visited in Brady last Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whiteley.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bruton and children spent the weekend in Brady with her parents Mr. and Mrs. B. L. Hughes. Other guests were her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Naantz of Dallas.

Guests in the home of Mrs. Mattie Bruton and Mary Bruton last Wednesday and Thursday were Mrs. Estelle Ballew and son of Hillsboro, Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Bruton of Grandview, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bruton of San Angelo, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Bruton, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Bruton, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Bruton, and Mr. and Mrs. James Alexander all of Eldorado.

Mrs. Paul Nixon is visiting in Sonora with her granddaughter, Betty Patrick, while her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Patrick, are in San Antonio.

Mrs. Lottie Bolt of Junction spent the weekend with Mrs. V. G. Tisdale.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Eden of Buchanan Lake spent the night with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Eden last Wednesday.

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