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Graduation Ceremonies Open Here Sunday

Snooter Knows

A Little About Eeverything Not Much About Anything By JAMES E. KELLY (Opinions expressed in this column are the views of the writer and should be so interpreted).

THIS COLUMN IS NOT RESponsible for what happens after Sunday. Whatever the half dozreaders of it get out of the "pillage" that is in it, is written on Sunday. Unless the arm of the columnist gives way under the strain of typing the dope, or his brain cracks under the terrific strain it is put to, to think up enough dope to go in to it, the matter remains the same as it is written on Sunday. And then, and not only 'til then, will there be any shifting of one paragraph, or the lifting of one, be made to give room to chronicle the catastrophe that happened to the columnist. The stuff written for the column will remain in toto as written Sunday.

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Now, I'm getting somewhere. Up to, and including Sunday, many important things have happened in Texas. One among them, is that rain fell in the west Central section last Friday and Saturday. The country from Cisco to Fort Worth on the east, to Wichita Falls, Vernon, and Quanah on the north, was blessed with an abundant rainfall. Some of these points suffered crop damage by land washing and hail. At Ranger over five inches of rain fell flooding the town and tying up traffic on highway 80, hail smashing windows. In the Wichital Falls, Vernon and Quanah area, over five inches of rain fell, accompanied by wind and hail that damaged wheat, smashed glass store fronts, with tornado-like wind that stripped trees of leaves and limbs. Friday night in the Stanton sector, from the heavy "frog-throated" roar of thunder heard, the impression was left with the sleepless citizens, the rain god floating along in his watef wagon would open the endgate and drench the area. But a light sprinkle was his reward to a thirsty and parched land.

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Saturday morning arrived with re-enforcement of heavy clouds blowing in on the wings of a brisk cooling breeze that sent the temperature tumbling from a high of near 100 degrees to a cooling zephyr of around 48 degrees. As the day wore on, intermittent showers fell in the community, and these in and far between light showers continued through Saturday night and until well up to the time this pargraph is being written Sunday afternoon. The heavy rain clouds are still with us, scampering ahead of a brisk northeast wind, but if they have any water in them they are keeping it a sealed secret, permitting only enough water to seep throug to hardly bat a frog's eye . . . and only in far between times. In all of the two days, Saturday and Sunday, Old Sol did the best he could to bring the community rain. He relinquished his hold on the protracted drouth by hiding his face behind the low flung clouds, and still has it hid permitting a cool temperature to prevail in the place of the blazing hot one he let loose on the community the past two weeks. This department entertains fear Ol Sol will not remain in hiding much longer. Two days abandoning his hold on spreading his blazing hot face over the land destroying green vegetation, backed in his destructive warfare by howling sandstorms that have moved the the soi from the farm lands and the grass from the grazing lands, to the elements that control the distribution of rainwater on the country, and nothin' doin,' will arouse his anger, and any momemnt from now on out Ol Sol may be back in the saddle riding his "fiery steed" high, wide and handsome over the country. So, as I stated up at the top of this column, it is not responsible for not chronicling things that happened beyond this Sunday at 4 p . m. as this is the hour the column has closed down for the week. It may be raining cats and dogs by 5 p. m. , but too late and of too little importance to appear in this column.

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IF MY MEMORY SERVES ME right, the young man mentioned in the news clipping below, was born in Stanton. At any rate, the parents of the young man, Mr. and Mrs. Scott Roberston, were long time residents of Stanton, he was also, the young man's grandmother, Mrs. Ruby Robertson. Scott Robertson, his

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GRADUATION SPEAKERS



BARBARA HOLCOMBE
(Valedictorian)

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HARRIETT HIGGINS
(Salutatorian)

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A. ELLMORE JOHNSON
(Baccalaureate Speaker)

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DELBERT DOWNING
(Commencement Speaker)

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G. H. GOOLSBY
(Superintendent)



DIPLOMAS IN SIGHT—Here are 15 of the 19 members of the 1951-52 senior class of the Stanton high school. They are, left to right: back row, Ford Pierce, Wayne Burchett, Helen Russell, Esther Whitehead, Dorothy Mims, John Wayne Winter, Sue Standefer, C. L. Lunsford, Herma Lee Clements. Seated, left to right: Barbara Clearman, Harriett Higgins, Mary Lou House, Betty Snow, Shirley Miller and Barbara Holcombe. Not shown in the picture are Bill Bone, Jerry Kennemer, Loyd Mims and Billy Overby.

CITYWIDE CLEANUP DRIVE POSTPONED FOR ONE WEEK

Delay of one week in the start of the big cleanup drive in Stanton was voted here Tuesday night in a meeting of the city council and members of the Martin County Forum.

It originally was set for June 2-9. the postponement is needed, planners said, to give the drive chairmen more time to organize the campaign.

It is planned to seek the aid of the state health department.

Forum Sponsoring

Mayor Woodford Sale invited the Forum members to meet with the council for a discussion on the overall cleanup program. The Forum, headed by Mrs. Leo Turner, with a membership of more than twelve representatives of Stanton clubs and organizations, recently accepted the sponsorship of the citywide cleanup.

Assurance has already been obtained by Councilman A. W. Heckler, steering committee chairman, that representatives of the state health department will come here to assist in the planning and carrying out of the drive. Serving with Heckler on the committee are B. F. White and Councilman Alton Turner.

Forum members attending the Tuesday meeting besides Mrs. Turner were Stanley Wheeler, Mrs. Stanley Wheeler, Mrs. James Jones, Mrs. Ralph Hedrick and Garvis P. Ross.

All members of the council were present including Mayor Sale, and Councilmen Turner, Heckler, Bob Latimer, E. Price and Jack Bentley.

MONTH NEEDED

Mayor Woodford Sale has asked that the public refrain from using the park (for approximately a month) until the grass has had opportunity to start its growth.

Appointment of Gene Graham as park superintendent was announced Tuesday night at a meeting of the city council.

Still to be improved is the playground equipment and the tennis courts and rest rooms.

PARK REPAIR MAKES HEADWAY

Stanton's three-acre city park is fast taking on the appearance of a beauty spot — thanks to the assistance of the FFA and Future Homemakers classes at the school and other interested persons.

During the last several weeks, the ground has been watered extensively, plowed and levelled. Expense connected with the operation was borne by the city.

Improvements Listed

Future farmers classes directed by Instructor E. D. Steele, trimmed the trees, removed the sand from the base of the shrubs, cleaned the rest rooms and wading pools and aided in additional improvements.

Flowers and shrubbery will be planted by the members of Mary Frances Wilson's homemaking classes at the school when they are called upon.

Ed Robnett, implement dealer, donated the use of a tractor, fertilizer and grass drill Saturday for the seeding of bermuda.

RAIN TOO LIGHT TO BREAK DROUTH

Rainfall, averaging approximately one-half of an inch, fell over most of Martin County last weekend.

Although the fall was slow and steady (no run off) most dryland farmers looking for more moisture before planting cotton. Cooler weather accompanied the rain.

Meanwhile, with the return of fair skies, watering continues on several hundred acres of irrigated cotton in the county, County Agent Ray Hastings reports.

JUDGE FRASER IS LIONS SPEAKER

A picture of a brighter tomorrow with the people of the United States on their own initiative putting an end to the days of irresponsibility was painted here Monday night by District Judge Alan R. Fraser of Alpine, in an address before the Stanton Lions Club. He spoke on the subject: "Let's Be People Again."

Asserting the American people are sickened of so much phonyism, he held that calamity howling was not the answer to it. "Regaining of our self-respect is," he said.

He termed it a stroke of destiny that the American people have or will have the opportunity to lead the world to rightness. Garvis P. Ross is the Lions Club program chairman.

FAMILY OF FIVE DIES IN CRASH

Wet pavement was blamed by investigating officers for the auto-crash ten miles east of Stanton Sunday morning which claimed the lives of a family of five, all of Stanton The mishap occurred on U. S. 80 about 10 a. m. during a heavy downpour.

The dead included Fidel Ceballos, 23, construction worker; his wife, Maria, 23; and the couple's three children, Delia, two; Fidel Jr., one; and Pablo 11, five months old. The family was returning to Stanton from Big Spring after spending Saturday night there in the home of relatives.

Driver of Truck Hurt

Charles Zinn, of Ervin, driver of the truck was hospitalized in Stanton with a fractured rib and other injuries. No charges were filed in the accident

Ceballos had farmed near Stanton for several years and had only recently taken a job with a Construction Company. His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pablo Ceballos, are long time residents of this area.

He is survived also by two brothers and five sisters, all of Stanton.

The dead woman is survived by her father, Brigido Ornelas, of Big Spring, and two sisters.

Services were held Monday afternoon in St. Joseph's Catholic Church in Stanton in charge of Father James Erickson, the pastor. Burial was in the Catholic cemetery, under the direction of the Arrington Funeral Home.

MARTIN OFFICIALS SEEK STATE HELP TO IMPROVE ROADS

Highway officials will be asked next week to build seven miles of hard surfaced road in the northwest part of Martin County as the first step in a planned hard-surface link up of that area with state highway 349.

County Judge James McMorries and members of the commissioners' court plan to leave here Sunday for the state capital for conferences on roads during the early part of next week. There is no hard surfaced outlet from this area to other parts of the county at this time.

Improvement is sought for the road starting at Dawson County line and continuing seven miles southwesterly. The state is expected to hard surface the road from the Dawson county line three miles north to Patricia.

Martin officials plan also to discuss with the state highway department the widening of U. S. 80 and improved roads in the Badgett, Flower Grove and Ackerly communities, McMorries said.

PROPERTY OWNED BY 4 COUNTIES TO BE AUCTIONED

Appointment of a commissioner to sell at public auction thirty-five acres of land in Big Spring owned jointly by Martin, Midland, Ector and Howard counties is the next step planned by the commissioners' courts of the four counties to dispose of the property.

There was no immediate estimate of what the counties expect to obtain from the sale of the land.

The commissioners, of course, reserve the right to accept or reject all bids.

The property was purchased a number of years ago as a source of gravel for use in improving U. S. 80. It is located near the new high school

VISITED IN INDIANA

Mrs. J. L. Scott and children returned home Sunday after two weeks' visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Wharton in Indianopolis, Ind.

19 SENIORS CANDIDATES FOR DIPLOMAS

Baccalaureate services at 8 p. m. Sunday in charge of A. Ellmore Johnson, Church of Christ minister, in the high school auditorium will be the opening graduation exercises for 19 members of the 1951-52 Stanton senior class. Johnson is also a member of the high school faculty.

The boys outnumber the girl candidates for diplomas by one member.

The roster includes Bill Bone, Wayne Burchett, Herma Lee clements, Jerry Kennemer, Loyd Mims, Billy Overby, Ford Pierce, Esther Whitehead, John Wayne Winters, and C. L. Lunsford.

Others Named

Barbara Clearman, Harriett Higgins, Barbara Holcombe, Mary Lou House, Shirley Miller, Dorothy Mims, Helen Russell, Betty Snow, and Sue Standefer.

Delbert Downing, Midland Chamber of Commerce manager, will deliver the commencement address at 8 p. m. Monday in the auditorium. There will also be addresses by Harriett Higgins, salutatorian, and Barbara Holcombe, valedictorian.

It is the smallest graduating class in several years due to the institution of the 12 year system in Texas schools 12 years ago.

Big Enrollment

Enrollment in the school last year set a new record wth more than six hundred registering.

The baccalaureate program is as follows:

Processional, Mrs. Edmund Tom; Invocation, the Rev. James E. Harrell, Methodist minister; Hymn—"Holy Holy Holy" by Bill Shearin; Song, class; Introduction of speaker, Superintendent G. H. Goolsby; Sermon, A. Ellmore Johnson; Benediction, Lloyd Hearn; and Recessional, Mrs. Tom.

Included on the commencement program is the Processional. Mrs. Edmund Tom; Invocation, Douglas Church; Class Song, "Long, Long Trail;" Salutatory, Harriett Higgins; Introduction of Speaker, G. H. Goolsby; Address, Delbert Downing; Valedictory, Barbara Holcombe; Presentation of seniors, M. R. Byrd; Awarding of diplomas, Ed Robnett; Merit Awards, M. H. Byrd; Concluding remarks, G. H. Goolsby; Benediction, Ellmore Johnson; and Recessional, Mrs. Edmund Tom.

CUB SCOUTS RECEIVE AWARDS

Climaxing the 1951-52 term of cub scouting, a barbecue, sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce, was held in the school gymnasium Tuesday night.

Awards were presented as follows: Ronnie Evans, two silver arrows; Terry Shanks, bear badge, one gold and one silver arrow; Bert Wiseley, one gold arrow; Lee Standefer, bear badge, one gold and two silver arrows; Bill Edwards, bear badge, one gold and three silver arrows; and Dwayne Thompson, bear badge, one gold and three silver arrows.

Gifts Presented

The boys in each den presented a gift to their den mother, and all of the boys, with the den mothers, gave the Cub Master, Ed Seago, a shirt and tie.

Ed Seago, expressed has appreciation for the donations made for the barbeque by Banner Creamery of Big Spring, who donated five gallons of ice cream, Coca Colo Bottling Company of Big Spring, who gave three cases of cokes, Baldridges Bread Company, who furnished the bread, Jim Webb Grocery, for a case of drinks, Dave Foreman's Grocery, for a case of drinks, Friendly Food Store, for potato chips and Hall Pharmacy, for cones for the ice cream.

The next cub scout meeting will be held the first week of school. All the boys and pa who are interested in ing are urged to go some

MORRIS WILDCAT DRILLS PAST 6,991 FEET IN SHALE

By JAMES C. WATSON

Plymouth Oil Company No. 1 W. R. Morris, Southeast Martin County wildcat, is a total depth of 6,991 feet in shale.

It has seven-inch casing cemented at 6,986 feet. The rotary drilling rig has been moved off and a cable tool machine is to be moved in to drill the plug on the casing and drill ahead into the Spraberry.

Operator expects to enter the Spraberry in a few feet and it will take at least a week or ten days to drill far enough into it to determine whether or not it will make a producer from that formation.

Location is 660 feet from west and 1,980 feet from south lines of section 7, block 35, T-1-S, T&P survey.

It is one and one-half miles northeast of the town of Stanton.

Tom D. Fowler of Midland and associates No. 1 Tant Lindsey, Southwest Martin County wildcat, is at total depth of 4,330 feet in Grayburg.

The 5 1/2-inch casing is cemented at 4,045 feet. Operator had swabbed the open hole and recovered one barrel of oil per hour, swabbing naturally.

The section at 4,045-4, 330 feet has now been treated with 5,000 gallons of acid and operator is swabbing to clean out and test.

Location is 660 feet from north and west lines of the southwest quarter of section 16, block 38, T-1-N, T&P survey.

It is 14 miles west and slightly north of Stanton and approximately the same distance northeast of Midland.

Humble Oil & Refining Company No. 1 J. W. Blocker and others, Central-South Martin County wildcat, seven miles west and slightly north of Stanton, has perforated at 8,700-8,780 feet in the upper Dean sand and is swabbing to test after washing perforated section with 500 gallons of mud acid.

Before the acid treatment, operator swabbed two hours and recovered a total of four and one-half barrels of fluid.

Breakdown on the fluid was 91 per cent new oil and nine per cent water.

Recovery was 23 barrels of new oil and 2.4 barrels of water, swabbing during 24 hours on perforations had been washed with 500 gallons of mud acid and fractured with 3,000 gallons.

If the perforations in the upper Dean at 8,700-8,780 feet can be made to develop any sort of production, the project probably will be completed as a small pumper from both the perforated intervals in the Dean formation.

Location is 660 feet from north and west lines of section 10, block 37, T-1-S, T&P survey. It is three miles northeast of Germania.

DeKalb Agricultural Association, Inc., No. 1 Kitta Belle (Mrs. Richard H.) Knox, scheduled 12,500-foot wildcat in Northwest Martin County, is at a total depth of 9,457 feet and has taken a drillstem test from 9,285 feet to 9,457 feet.

Tool was open two hours and there was a good blow of air throughout the test. Recovery was 90 feet of oil and gas cut mud. Operator is now preparing to Hydrafac.

It is 11 miles north of Tarzan and 660 feet from north and 2,-777.7 feet from west lines of leag ue 253, Ward County School Land survey.

Argo Oil Corporation is drilling in new hole at 10,721 feet in lower Pennsylvanian lime and shale on its No. 1 Brown, failure in North-Central Martin County. Operator is to go on to test the Ellenburger. That formation is expected around 12,000 feet.

The project was plugg d on total depth of 10,606 feet in November, 1951. The project was re-entered in December of the

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FARMERS ADVISED TO PLANT GRAIN SORGHUMS ON BAD LAND

By A. W. YOUNG

Head of Department or Agronomy Texas Technological College.

Farmers of the South High Plains should seriously consider both the present and future of their farming before planting cotton on their sandy land farms where considerable wind erosion has occurred during the past few months.

In 1933 and 1936 a serious dust bowl developed in the Panhandle counties of Texas. The events leading to this development were primarily brought about by several successive years with below average rainfall in the area. With the low moisture conditions prevailing for three or more years over the area, the wheat crop repeatedly failed and no vegetative cover was produced. The bare soil became more susceptible each year to to the erossive section of the wind. By 1935 and 1936 great areas of the Panhandle counties had turned to near desert conditions with all the top soil blown out in some areas, and the sand piled into dunes as much as seventy feet high. Dr. Charles J. Whitfield was assigned the job of bringing this area under control. Many mechanical services were tried for leveling and stabilizing the blowing sand. Few of these mechanical schemes offered any permanent control.

Blowing Soil

Vegetative control by growing a sorghum cover crop during summer months when rainfall occurred was the most successful means found to hold the blowing soil. The growth requirements of the sorghum plant are such that the crop can be sown in late May or June, when the heaviest rainfall normally occurs. And in addition, the crop can make sufficient vegetative growth, even on limited rainfall, to provide a cover which will prevent serious erosion the following winter and spring.

Farmers in the Southern High Plains and in the northeast part of the Rolling Plains of Texas should consider the possibilities of what may follow in late 1952 and early 1953 if they fail to get sufficient vegetative cover to stabilize their soils during the 1952 growing season. If the 1950 and 1951 rainfall pattern is repeated over much of this area for 1952, only the sorghum crops can be expected to provide cover for the soil to prevent even more severe erosion during the spring of 1953.

Financially, a farmer might be farther ahead ten years from now if he grows a grain sorghum in 1952, than if he attempts to grow cotton and fails to make a crop.

Points Listed

1. A sorghum crop requires a smaller number of pounds of water to produce a pound of dry matter than is required by a cotton crop. Thus a sorghum crop will produce more crop residue than cotton on the same amount of rainfall.

2. Grain sorghums are more efficient users of soil waters than cotton because of the fibrous and more intensive root system. This root system on the sorghum plant does a better job of holding the soil than is done by cotton plant roots.

Protection Against Wind Erosion

3. If insufficient rain falls to mature a crop, the grain sorghum can still be counted upon to produce a vegetative cover to aid in holding the soil from wind erosion.

4. If sufficient rain falls to mature a 1/4 bale cotton crop which might gross about $40.00 per acre income in lint, and about $14.00 worth of cotton seed at oil mill prices for the past year, the same amount of rain will be expected to produce about 1000 pounds of sorghum grain per acre, which at the 1952 support price of $2.38 per hundred pound will provide a gross return of $23.00 per acre. The cost of cotton production per acre is normally much higher than the cost of production for grain sorghum. Cotton, in addition to costing three to four dollars per acre for seed, several dollars per acre for hoeing, with one or more spray or dust applications for insect control at three to four dollars per acre, is more expensive to harvest and gin than is the harvesting of the sorghum crop. Thus the net return per acre on grain sorghum may be nearly as great as for the cotton crop, and a profitable yield of grain sorghums is more certain than a profitable yield of cotton when moisture conditions are questionable.

5. If the farmer plants cotton and misses a crop in 1952, because of lack of moisture, the acre value of his land will be further reduced because of the continued wind erosion which occurs in the absence of adequate vegetative cover on the lighter textured soils.

Accumulation of Sand

6. Land once eroded by severe wind action requires several years to return to its original productivity. In severely eroded areas where larger quantities of top soil have been blown away, or where deep accumulations of the sand have come to rest, it may require a quarter of a century to get the land back to where it has its original permeability for water, stability against eroson, and a fertility condition which will support a high production of crops. In some instances, the erosion is already so severe that the land cannot be returned to its original productive condition during the lifetime of the present owner.

7. If the farmers in wind eroded areas of the Southern High Plains and the Northern part of the Rolling Plains do not have good soil moisture to a depth of about three feet at planting time for cotton, they should not take a chance on this crop. The probability of their making a successful cotton crop is too great to gamble with the chance of further permanently damaging their soil by wind erosion during next spring.

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Make reservations now for Sunday dinner at Motel Belvue Restaurant. Cooled by Frigidaire. Call 9513.

Bloat Control Important With Spring Pasture

Once a locomotive engineer became annoyed at hearing the steam safety valve pop off . . . . tied it down and sat on it.

You too, may be 'tying down a safety valve" if you pasture cattle on young, lush legumes without adequate coarse forage or dry roughage, livestock authorities point out.

Blue Blooded Aristocrats

Even among blue blooded aristocrats of the cattle heardbooks, belching is not only socially acceptable but a real necessity. Gas formation is a constant byproduct of the work of microorganisms which live in the cow's paunch and help her digest feed. Bloat occurs only when that gas is trapped in the paunch and is not relieved by belching.

Many factors related to bloating may not yet be understood. But, nutrition scientists agree that feeding a course roughage with sharp edges "tickles" the lining of the paunch and stimulates belching. Dangerous, acute bloat does not occur as long as cattle are belching freely. This is why it is always a good management practice to be sure that cattle are filled well on dry roughage before starting legume grazing, and to feed at least small amounts of dry roughage as long as the legumes are soft and fast growing.

Cotton Growing Areas

Any palatable dry roughage available is usually quite satisfactory. Most feeders in cotton-growing areas prefer cottonseed hulls because they are easy to feed without waste and appear eo be especially well adapted to preventing bloat because of their many sharp irregular edges and their capacity for water absorption. Also, hulls are easily mixed with cottonseed meal.

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Mrs. Frank Greenwald of San Antonio spent last weekend with her mother, Mrs. W. G. Morrow.

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Read the Stanton Reporter.

TAGGED FISH CAUGHT TWICE

AUSTIN — An indolent white bass, with a penchant for being caught by women anglers, has spiced the Lake Texoma research program.

According to Aquatic Biologist Ed Bonn, stationed at Denison, the fish was netted and tagged December 20 last year. It was caught by Mrs. Howard Shires of Pottsboro on March 1 in precisely the same spot it had been released.

Mrs. Shires, after recording the tag data for a report to Biologist Bonn, turned the fish loose. On April 17, it was caught again at the same place, this time by Mrs. J. F. Roberts of Pottsboro, who also threw the specimen back after making notes on its tag snumber, location of the catch and so forth.

No Change In Location

Another cooperative white bass was caught the same day it was tagged and released on February 20. It had made no change in location.

All of the three fish were caught on minnows.

Most of the 13 tagged fish caught todate showed little movement but one, Number 1099, which was tagged and released January 24 and caught March 15, had covered twelve miles.

Bonn attributes lack of movement to the fact that about 90 per cent of the marked fish are yearlings and do not have the size or the urge to spawn.

One fisherman, Howard Jones, caught two tagged fish. Others were reported by Tony Miller of Valley View; Mrs. T. O. Teddlie of Sherman; R.A. Staton of Denison; and Jim Howell of Ardmore.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jack Laird, of Quemado, visited last Friday in Stanton with their son, Alonzo Franklin Cozby Junior Laird.

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Mr. and Mrs. June Graham spent last weekend in Lubbock with Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sadler.

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ASHLEY-ROBERTSON MARRIAGE PERFORMED IN CHURCH OF CHRIST CEREMONY HERE

Miss Jimmie Pearl Ashley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Ashley of Stanton and Melvin Robertson, of Stanton, son of Mr and Mrs. J. R. Robertson of Floydada, were maried at 7:30 p. m. Friday, in the Church of Christ here. A. Ellmore Johnson, minister, officiated at the double ring ceremony.

Miss Dorothy Mims served the bride as maid of honor. Terrell Pinkston was best man.

For her wedding, the bride chose a white street length dress, with white accessories. She carried red roses on a white Bible. The maid of honor wore a white dress with brown accessories.

Mrs. Ashley wore a navy and white dress with red accessories.

The couple left immediately after the ceremony on a short wedding trip. They returned to Stanton Monday night, where they will make their home.

Robertson is assistant high school athletic coach.

Those attending the wedding were Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Ashley and Dora Jane, of Stanton, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Robertson and Mack of Floydada, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Ashley and Elaine, Mrs. S. A. Ashley and Mrs. A. E. Johnson and children.

WSCS HOLDS MEETING

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met Monday morning in the home of Mrs. James Jones for their social meeting and pledge service.

Nineteen members attended.

W. C. Cox of Abilene visited last week with his sister, Mrs. John Atchison, Sr.

MAJOR HOWARD VISITS HERE

Major and Mrs. Pat Howard spent a few days this week in the homes of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Howard and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rayford. Howard has been stationed at Sacramento, Calif., and is enroute to Tampa, Fla. Mrs. Howard remained here for a visit with her parents.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. James Jones were her mother, Mrs. J. R. Nichols of Franklin and their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Forrest of Big Spring.

SERGEANT HONORED WITH PARTY

S/fc. James F. Sims was honored with a farewell party Friday night, in the home of his mother, Mrs. Minnie E. Sims.

Refreshments of cake and cokes were served to Ross Fisher, Modine Graves, Donald Kartes, Eula Hildreth, Edward Kartes, Roberta Sims, Lonnie Laird, Ida Peters, the honoree, and Mrs. Sims.

S/fc. James F. Sims left Saturday for Fort Sam Houston, at San Antonio, where he is to report for reassignment. Sims has been home on a thirty day furlough from the Army.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Brothers were Mrs. Hershall Howard and Clark Mayo of Midland, Dave Wiswell, Mrs. M. C. Brothers, and Mrs. Marguerite Hauber and Daphne.

DOWN MEMORY LANE

From Files of May 22, 1942

The Stanton P-T. A. is conducting a Summer Round-Up of all the children who are entering school for the first time this fall. the Summer Round-Up is a health activity sponsored by the National Congress of Parents and Teachers thur its local units to arouse the interest of parents in improving the health of children.

Jack Bentley and Miss Marjorie Blackerby were married Thursday of last week in San Antonio.

A three-quarter inch rain, accompanied by considerable hail, fell in the Stanton sector this week. Mighty fine on growing crops and range lands.

Teachers of five Martin county rural schools met Thursday night of last week in the ofice of County Supt. B. F. White and graded the schools for permanent standardization.

Water-well machine has been moved to Magnolia Petroleum Company No. 1 Earl Powell new 7,700 foot wildcat test seven and one-half miles north of Stanton.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey L. Baker were their children, Mr. and Mrs. Laymon Baker and Dailee of Midland and Ben Baker of Flower Grove.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Munn of Odessa recently visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Blocker.

PERSONALS

Spencer Blocker and Harrell Holder were home last weekend from Texas Tech College at Lubbock.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Blocker were Mr. and Mrs. Russell Sadler and Mr. and Mrs. Johnson of Lubbock.

Mrs. Velma Stewart of Galveston is visiting her sisters, Mrs. Loie Lyerla and Mrs. W. E. Hazelwood.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kaderli and Mrs. Minnie Sims and Roberta attended the dedication of Webb Air Base in Big Spring Sunday.

Miss Ida Joyner is at home after spending several days last week in a Lubbock hospital where she underwent surgery.

Spending several days last week with Mr. and Mrs. Jaul Jones were Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Edmundson of Anthony, N. M.

Kenneth Henson was home last Thursday night from San Angelo Junior College. His brother, Jimmie Henson, returned to San Angelo with him Friday, for the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Bloomer visited Sunday in Odessa with their daughter, Mrs. Beth O'Connor.

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bridges visited Sunday in Big Spring with Mr. and Mrs. Bascom Bridges.

Mrs. Virgil Brothers and Mrs. Almond Angel visited last Wednesday in Odessa, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Woody Fitzgerald.

Mrs. J. T. Davis spent last weekend in Midland with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Holbrook.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Reed of Big Spring visited last weekend in Stanton, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Edwards.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Ervin and Debbie spent last weekend in Abilene, with Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Mashburn.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Clements and Mrs. Bill Ethridge attended the dedication of Webb Air Base at Big Spring Sunday.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mrs. S. A. Ashley were Mrs. Viola Owens and Betty Fatherree, both of San Angelo.

From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh



Attention Ladies!

Cakes lined up—each with a number. Judges looking, breaking off pieces, tasting. The winner? Number 4—a cake with a wonderful, glossy chocolate frosting.

This was at the Women's Club last night. Then Duke Thomas stepped up—*his* cake was Number 4! Seems his missus was laid up, so Duke took over—and won!

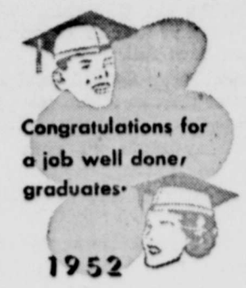
Here's Duke's prize-winning frosting recipe:

Melt 3 squares unsweetened chocolate in double boiler. Remove from heat, add 1½ cups sifted confectioner's sugar and 2½ tbs. hot water and blend. Add 3 egg yolks, one at a time, beating well after each. Add 4 tbs. butter, beating thoroughly after each tbs. Fills and frosts 8-inch, 2-layer cake.

From where I sit, we all have different abilities and tastes... and these differences are sometimes surprising. Duke bakes prize-winning cakes. My wife, for example, can beat most any man at checkers. Same when it comes to beverages—you may like coffee or tea while I prefer a refreshing glass of beer. But let's not have any "half-baked" ideas that people are all the same—or *should* be.

Joe Marsh

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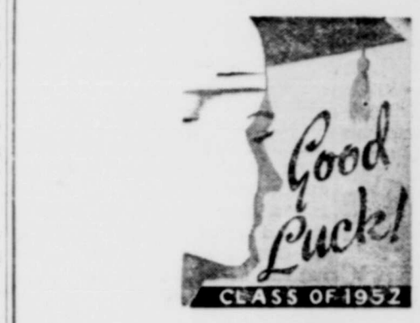
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brother, Alton, Robertson, mechanical superintendent of the Midland Reporter-Telegram, and their mother, Mrs. Robertson, published The Stanton Reporter way back yonder, when the shop was located in a frame building where the City Drug Store is now. Scott Robertson was workin on The Reporter when I took over the newspaper in 1929. But let's get to the meat of the storry I know that many of Stanton friends of the Scott Robertsons will enjoy reading. The following was clipped from a column appearing in the Mitchell County (Loraine) News:

"George Robertson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Scott Robertson of Lamesa, and grandson of Mrs. Ruby Robertson, Loraine, won recognition recently in a State-wide Convention of Trade and Industry Clubs in Fort Worth. George is a member of the Lamesa high school Trade and Industry club. He is employed by the Lamesa Printing Company and is supervised by his father, also an employee of the company. He won first place for his operation of a hand operated press, used in job printing. He received a bronze key chain fob, an award certification, a blue ribbon and award of merit certification suitable for framing. He will soon have completed 2,000 hours of work as a printer."

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THE OTHER AFTERNOON AS I trolled into my accustomed haunts to appease my appetite calling for a cup of coffee, I was halted, as I was about to take my seat, by a good friend of mine to sit down beside him and drink a cup of coffee, but I had an other appointment to fill. My friend was from Big Spring, and holds down the top position in the eyes of the legal fraternity in this district. Not wishing the public to hear the reason for his being in Stanton, my friend whispered in my ear: "I'm over here to have my car washed and greased." You know the water situation in Big Spring reached that critical stage that the city had to pass an ordinance placing a ban on using water for washing cars, water yards, and about every other item that requires the use of water.

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I'm about to wear this word "FORTUNATE," threadbare, having used it so much in items bearing on how "Fortunate" were the people of Stanton who live in a town blessed with an abundance of water to use for any kind of purpose. If you are entertaining the thought of thought of moving away from Stanton, better think twice. If you move out you may starve for a drink of water.

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Martin County's water resources is soon to be called upon to provide many million gallons of water daily to be piped out to relieve the water-famined areas many miles outside the boundary lines of the county. I might suggest that if any of you boys in West Texas living two or three hundred miles in any direction from Martin County your towns are desperately in need of water, run a pipe line to the underground water reservoir in Martin County and hook on. Nothing can be done about it.

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HERE'S A BOY SEEING THINGS close to home, that in reality is removed from the local territory three or four hundred miles. The item was clipped from Sunday's Dallas Morning News:

The TROUP BANNER swears it saw a sign on the outskirts of a neighboring city that read: "2,500 friendly people and a few old soreheads welcome you."

Troup is a few miles out from Tyler, in East Texas, and Stanton is out here where West Texas begins, and it's here where the sign is located that the Troup Banner "swears he saw a sign on the outskirts of a neighboring city," etc.

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HERE POPS UP THAT PARKING meter business again. Not original with me—I've had my "day in court." This time the city of Crocket is having its inning with the parking meter question. The city had the meters installed in 1948, at which time, so the charge goes by the opposition, the city said it would call an election to decide if the system be retained or done away with. The revenue from the meters have been providing the city a sum of $1,500 per month. The opposition claims the city laid down on calling any election and now the opposition is howling for one to be called to see if the majority wants to keep the meters or tear them out. The opposition is very bold in their statement reporting the majority voters want to do away with the system.In this day and time of high taxes and most small towns hardup to provide enough money to finance the operation of the city government, looks to this column if Crockett defeats the measure of keeping the meters, it will be an act of "killing the goose that layed the golden egg."



Final plans for WELCOME WEEK at Humble service stations in this area, May 23-30, are being made by, l. to r., Zolus Motley, divisio nsales promotion manager; Travis Roberts, agent; and Jack Kimbrough, district sales manager. During WELCOME WEEK, station manager swill thank motorists for their friendshi pand for the privilege of being good neighbors.

RALPH CATON ENGAGEMENT TO WACO GIRL ANNOUNCED

The engagement of Miss Mary Holdar of Waco and Ralph W. Caton of Stanton, was anounced at a tea given recently in the home of the bride-elect's mother, Mrs. Marjorie R. Holdar, of Waco.

Miss Holdar is a graduate of Waco High School and is attending Baylor University where she will receive her BBA degree in May.

Caton, the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Caton, of Stanton, is also a Waco High School graduate, and received his LLB degree from Baylor in 1951, and is now practicing law in Stanton.

Attending the tea from Stanton was Mrs. W. O. Caton, mother of the groom-to-be.

The wedding will take place June 21 in the First Presbyterian Church of Waco, with Dr. Thomas Gallaher oficiating.

MOTORISTS WARNED TO GET VEHICLES INSPECTED NOW

Austin, Texas — "Get your vehicle inspected and avoid the delay and inconvenience of having to wait in line," said Chief G. W. Busby, Motor Vehicle Inspection Division, Department of Public Safety, Austin, Texas.

The 2700 official inspection stations licensed in Texas so far are inspecting some 50,000 cars per week and in order to inspect all the cars in this State by the deadline, September 6th, the number of cars inspected per week will have to be doubled.

No Further Extension

There can be no further extension of the deadline and operators of vehicles not inspected on September 7th will be subject to arrest. The law provides a fine of not to exceed $200 for any person guilty of operating a vehicle after September 7th when such vehicle has not been inspected and approved.

More and more stations are being licensed in Texas daily and the operators of these stations are waiting to faithfully and honestly inspect your car at your earliest convenience. Take your car to the inspection station of your choice and get your approval certificate while there is plenty of time and no waiting.

When you get your approval certificate on your car, you will take pride in knowing that your car is safe to operate and that you are helping to contribute to a safer Texas.

Read's Announce Birth Of Born Cheer Leader

The new arrival at Coach Charles Read's house may never be able to share half back honors with her brother, Allen, now two years old—but she has a gridiron job planned for her, nevertheless. She'll be the cheerleader in 1966.

A baby daughter was born to the Reads Tuesday night in a Big Spring hospital. With her grid position decided, the Reads named their seven pound, five ounce youngster, Robbie Dell.

CAPT. L. E. GATES ILL WITH POLIO BROOKS HOSPITAL

Captain Leroy E. Gates, 309 St. Bonaface St., Stanton, was flown to Brooks General Hospital, San Antonio, Texas last week for medical treatment. After clinical tests were made, it was found that Capt. Gates was suffering from polio.

Capt. Gates was stationed at Webb Air Force Base, Big Spring, Texas and held the office of Field Maintenance Officer. His home is in Fortuna, Calif.

Capt. Gates Served in the Pacific Theatre during World War II and flew 28 misions over Japan. He was recalled to service in 1951 and assigned to duty in Korea where he completed 55 missions. He returned to the United States in December 1951 and has been stationed at the Big Spring base since that time.

Capt. Gates holds the Bronze Star Medal, Purple Heart, Air Medal with two Oak Leaf Clusters, and has been recommended for the Distinguished Flying Cross.

The Captain's wife, Beverly, and their two sons, Larry 5½ and Glen 3½ are in San Antonio attending the Capt.

Mrs. Gates sends expressions of thanks to her many Stanton friends for their willingness and eagerness to help in her time of need. She invites her friends to write. She can be reached at Brooks General Hospital, San Antonio, Texas.

LEGION, AUXILIARY ASKED TO ATTEND INSTRUCTIONS

American Legion and auxiliary members of Stoeger-Estes post 429 were urged this week to attend a school of instruction at the Big Spring Veteran's Hospital at 7 p. m. Wednesday. Local participation is welcome in the work program and entertainment at the hospital.

JOB, SCHOOL, MARRIAGE PLANNED BY 1952 GRADS

Employment, at least for the summer, ranks first among the plans of the 19 students graduating from the Stanton High School this year.

Seven announced definite plans to enter college next September.

One girl graduate has her future all mapped out. She's getting married. Several others (all girls) mentioned marriage as a possibility in a poll conducted this week.

Here are the replies:

Billy Overby, "I'm going to help my father farm—if it rains."

Bill Bone, "Work during the summer and go to college next fall."

Herman Lee Clements, "Work this summer and to Texas University next fall."

Helen Russell, "Will work this summer if I can find a good job. Plan to go to Baylor next fall."

Dorothy Mims, "I plan to work."

Mary Lou House, "Get Married."

John Wayne Winters, "Work in store."

Loyd Mims, "Plan to farm."

Betty Snow, "Work at Big Spring.

Barbara Clearman, "Work at Big Spring until I get married."

Ford Pierce, "Go to Spartan College."

Barbara Holcombe, "Work this summer and go to college next fal."

Harriett Higgins, "Vacation this summer and enter school of nursing."

Sue Standefer, "College this fall."

Shirley Miller, "Work until I'm 18, then— — —

Jerry Kennemer, "Work."

Wayne Burchett, "Farm."

Esther Whitehead, "Work."

C. L. Lunsford, "Will work as truck driver, farmer or mechanic."

GOOLSBY HONORED AT FACULTY PARTY

G. H. Goolsby, retiring Superintendent of Stanton Schools, was given an ice cream supper Tuesday night in the school cafeteria by the school faculty.

Ellmore Johnson, representing the faculty, presented Mr. Goolsby with a rod and reel and Lewis Carlile gave him a piece of luggage from the school board. Mrs. Goolsby received a set of hand painted dishes.

Cake and ice cream were served to members of the school board and faculty, and their families.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Batton, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Byrd, Mrs. A.C. Fleming, Miss Julia Graves, Mrs. O'Bera Gray, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Haislip, Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Hearn, Miss Genevera Middleton, Mr. and Mrs. E. P. White, Mr. and Mrs. Ellmore Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Orren, Mr. and Mrs. E. D Steele, Mr. and Mrs. Wesley I. Mattonen, Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Spiller, Miss Mary Frances Wilson, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Robnett, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Long, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Mashburn, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Carlile, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Phillips, and Mr. and Mrs. Lee Weatherall and Mr. and Mrs. Goolsby.

STRICTLY FRESH

FRENCH Communist leader Maurice Thorez has been "recuperating" in Russia for almost two years now. The Kremlin boys must have a special "five year plan" for poor Maurice.

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A Chicago woman had the habit of going to different dentists, and as they worked on her molars she picked their pockets. It takes intensive drilling to make a good pickpocket.

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THE BEESWAX MOORE FAMILY, with their dogs, mule, car and other props will add comedy and confusion to the fast moving World Championship Rodeo at Midland, June 4, 5, 6, 7 & 8.

18TH ANNUAL MIDLAND RODEO STARTS JUNE 4

MIDLAND — Again it's time in West Texas and plans practically are complete for the staging of the 18th Annual World Championship Midland Rodeo, June 4-8.

A colorful parade scheduled at 4 p. m., Wednesday, June 4, will open the big area celebration. Hundreds of mounted riders, beautifully decorated floats, motorized units, and high school bands will feature the opening day parade.

Then at 8 o'clock that night in the all-steel arena at the Midland Fair Park on East Highway 80, the first of five-night rodeo performances will be unrealed.

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It will be Western entertainment at its very best as the nation's top cowhands contest the rough and tough rodeo stock for purses and prizes totaling more than $9,000. Thrills and spills galore are in store for the grandstand spectators at each performance, of Midland Rodeo.

Sponsored by Midland Fair, Inc., the show again this year will be produced by Everett Cilborn, general manager of Gene Autry and Associates' Lightning C Ranch at Dublin, Texas.

The 1952 edition of Midland Rodeo also will feature more and better specialty acts than ever before, assuring patrons of a well-rounded entertainment, program. Beeswax Moore and Family, the top novelty act in the rodeo world today, will be seen at each of the five shows.

Midland Rodeo is designed and presented for the entertainment and enjoyment of residents of the vast Permian Basin Empire, and again this year record crowds are expected on June 4, 5, 6, 7, and 8.

Dan Greens Observe 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Green celebrated their 50th wedding anniversary Sunday with a dinner in their home.

Those attending were their children, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Houghton and Ray of Roby, Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Cloninger of Fort Worth, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Green and Ed of Lamesa, and Mr. and Mrs. Leo Green and Danny of Midland.

Stanton Office Building Projec t Approved By N.P.A.

Eighty commercial, religious, entertainment and municipal construction projects with an estimated cost of $17 million dollars were okayed for Texas by the National Production Authority during the month of April, A. C. Jackson, District Manager of the U. S. Department of Commerce, National Production Authority in Lubbock, announced today.

Building projects approved in this district included: Southwestern Public Service Company, Amarillo electric service building, $178,749; City of Amarillo, municipal building; office building, Amarillo, $25,000; YMCA building, Amarillo, $676,110; Hotel Levelland, Levelland, hotel, $175,000; First Methodist Church, Brownfield, church and Sunday school building, $251,800; First National Bank, O'Donnell, bank $55,000; Citizens National Bank, Crosbyton, bank, $76,100; Stanton Midland National Farm Loan Assn., Stanton, office building, $21,069; and Griffith Theatre Co., Tulia, drive-in theatre, $55,000, (no allotment).

Martin County Memorial Hospital

Admissions

Sharon Marsalsis, H. V. Sikes, Mrs. John Croper, Mrs. Coates Bentley, Mrs. Paul Douglas, Stella Parum, Mrs. G. I. Madison, Sr., Mrs. H. A. Tracy, Mrs. Cliff Hazlewood, Jr., Mrs. O. C. Hart, Mrs. James Messer, Mrs. Poncina Charles Zinn, Mrs. Odie Harris, Mrs. O. C. Hart, and Mrs. W. W. McKnight.

Dismissals

Sharon Maralsis, Mrs. John Croper, Mrs. Coates Bentley and baby, Stella Parum, Mrs. G. I. Madison, Sr., and baby girl, Mrs. H.A. Tracy, Mrs. Cliff Hazlewood, Jr., and baby girl, Mrs. O. C. Hart Mrs. James Messer and baby boy, Mrs. Poncina, Charles Zinn, Mrs. O. C. Hart, H. V. Sikes.

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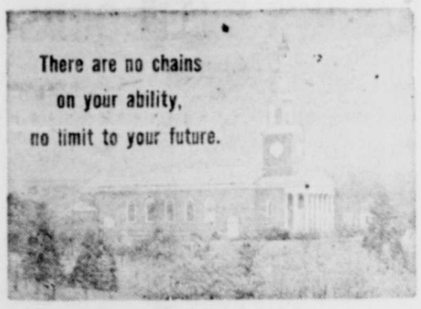
FOR SALE: Sam Little native Mebane cottonseed. Number one yield in Big Spring and Lubbock Experimental Stations variety test in 1951. See Woodford Sale.

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CARD OF THANKS: We wish to thank the many friends who helped during the illness of our beloved father, P. E. Forrester. We especially thank Dr. Dean who was so faithful to the end. Drs. Dillon and Friedwald and all the nurses who were so patient, kind and helpful. To those who sent food to the home and helped in any way, we sincerely thank you and pray that God will bless you and comfort you all.

Mrs. Nelle Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Forrester, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Pinkerton, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Davis, grandchildren and great-grandchildren.





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RESPONSIBLE RUMORS ARE HEADACHES

For many years, stories have been making the rounds about wonderful discoveries which have been suppressed and buried in the deepest depth of the deep freeze by "selfish" commercial interests. It's impossible to know how many people believe these stories, but the number is probably substantial. And they are something of a headache to the industries involved, which become the targets of undeserved ill-will.

Some time ago Roger William Riis published an article in in Science News Letter, called Phantom Inventions, in which he dealt with these stories. All of them, he observed, have four common characteristics, '(1) they are never firsthand; (2) the hero is a poor but brilliant inventor; (3) the villian is a mighty corporation; (4) they are untrue."

Some of the stories, untrue as they are, are ingenius and fascinating. One of the oldest tells of a pill or a powder which when mixed with water provides a motor fuel as good as gasoline at practically no cost. This tremendous discovery, the tale runs, was at once bought up by the oil companies and consigned to oblivion. It's obvious that if a man actually could produce such a compound he would gain wealth beyond the dreams of avarice by the simple expedient of selling it to the public—but that fact is conveniently overlooked.

Still another tells of an amazing carburetor which will give 50 miles or so to the gallon of gas. Again, i tis alleged, the oil companies grabbed the patent and made sure the device will never be marketed. No one has ever been able to find this patent in the patent-office files, which are open to the public—but that fact is also overlooked in the telling.

An amusing variant of this has been making the rounds lately. It seems a man bought a new car in the low-price bracket. When it was brought in for servicing the dealer asked how he liked it. The owner was all enthusiasm—it was the finest running machine he'd ever had and, on top of that, it got 50 miles to the gallon. The dealer turned pale, lifted the car's hood and peered into the engine compartment. He turned back to the owner and, obviously in a state of worried excitement, said that he'd trade the highest priced car manufactured for the machine. The owner refused, and a still higher offer was made. Finally, in desperation the dealer explained. The car the man had bought, he said, was an experimental model which had been shipped from the factory in error. The company had been scouring the nation for it, and would pay anything to get it back. There the story ends. The fact is, of course, that experimental cars are not even produced in the same plants as standard models, and it would be impossible for one of them to be included in the regular shipments to dealers.

Still another tall tale deals with a razor blade which will last forever, and which was bought by a leading razor company for millions and suppressed. The razor people made a strenuous effort to trace this story to its source, but were unsuccessful. They said they'd never seen such a blade, but they'd certainly like to.

Official bodies have investigated charges that astonishingly valuable patents were being abused or suppressed. Anyone who wished to was free to testify. But all that was ever unearthed was rumor—never a fact.

AMERICAN AS APPLE PIE

"De we realize that in this country we are evolving a form of capitalism which is as distinctively American as apple pie?" said the president of the New York Stock Exchange in a recent address. "For within the framework of our democracy, ownership of the tools of production has gradually spread until today the owners of industry are numbered in the millions. Capitalism for the few has given way to capitalism for the privileged millions. . .

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He told the story of Czech engineer who made a dramatic escape from Communist oppression and is now employed by an American toy company. The engineer visited the exchange and marned with amazement that he was free to buy shares in the company. the man was cheered from the floor of the exchange. and in responce said, "I am very surprised and happy to know I can become a part of this. The Communists told us these people were our enemies and here they are cheering for us."

It is the American destiny to become a nation of capitalists. That means a nation in which economic freedom will be forever preserved, and all the other great freedoms with it.

Bible Comment:

Good King Brings About Religious Reforms in Judah

ONE of the mysteries of life is why good men should sometimes have evil sons, and conversely why bad men have good sons. Both phenomena are illustrated in the history of the kings of Judah.

Hezekiah was a relatively good king, but his reign was followed by that of his son, Mannasseh, who was corrupt and evil. He not only shed innocent blood, but he sought to overthrow the religion of Israel and replace it with idolatry.

His son, Amon, proved no better, becoming king at the age of 22. He ruled for two years and was slain by his own servants. Then came the good son of a bad father.

Those who slew Amon were themselves slain by those who took Josiah, Amon's son, then a boy of eight, and made him king. He ruled for 31 years, and must have been under good influences from the first, for as boy and man he was great and strong.

Good and well-intentioned men are often lacking in initiative and forcefulness in action, but King Josiah was aggressive and competent in his goodness. He vigorously attacked the idolatrous places and practices, threw down and destroyed the altars of iniquity, and restored the Temple as the place of true worship.

It was in this restoration of the Temple that the "Book of the Law," the book of Deuteronomy in our Bible, was discovered. It became the occasion for an impressive dedicatory service in which king and people made a covenant to obey its precepts and serve the one God.

Centuries later Jesus proclaimed the spiritual nature of the true God, whose worship is in spirit and in truth and is not confined to temples, mountains or other professedly holy places. But the effect of the reforms under Josiah was to purify religion of its abuses. In its emphasis on the holy place it destroyed the unholy places; and unholiness, whether in place or in [illegible] to the denial of essential goodness and of all true worship.

Food will cook as quickly in gently boiling water as in rapidly boiling water.

A Tough Row to Hoe



Test Your Intelligence

Score 10 points for each correct answer in the first six questions:

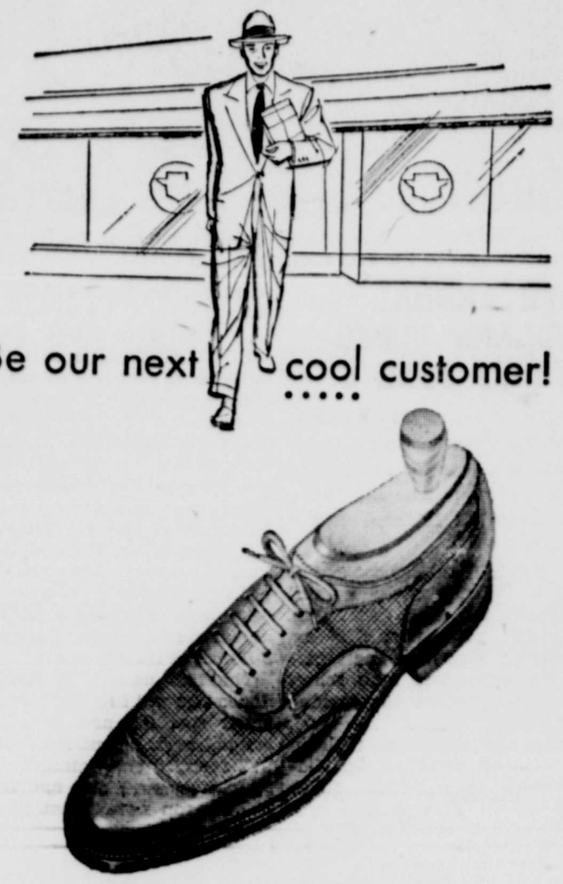
1. A. M. A. stands for:
   —Arnold-Morse Act —American Medical Association
   —American Moral Administration —Anno Mundi Attorney
2. The character "Puck" appears in a play by:
   —Anderson —Shaw —Tennyson —Shakespeare
3. Which of the following has not fought Joe Louis:
   —Abe Simon —Buddy Baer —Gene Stanton
   —Jack Sharkey
4. Oliver Hazard Perry was a commander at the battle of:
   —Lake Erie —Trafalgar —Jutland —Fundy Bay
5. The Fiji Islands are situated in the:
   —Atlantic Ocean —Indian Ocean —Pacific Ocean
   —Dead Sea
6. Which of the following is not a type of woman's hat:
   —Balibuntal —Toyos —Baku —Lampur
7. Listed below are items of international cuisine and opposite them, jumbled up, the countries with which they are identified. Match them, scoring 10 points for each correct answer.
   (A) paprikash —Poland
   (B) pate de foies gras —Italy
   (C) pig in the blanket —France
   (D) pizza pie —Hungary

Total your points. A score of 0-20 is poor; 30-60, average; 70-80, superior; 90-100, very superior.

MIDLAND RESIDENT VISITS FATHER HERE

Had a gold mine suddenly opened under the chair of The Reperter editor, it hardly would have surprised him more, than when an old friend, W. D. McWhorter of Midland, visited him a few minutes in the office Tuesday afternoon of last week. W. D. is credit manager for Oldsmobile and Chevrolet at Elder's Chevrolet in Midland.

We first met Mr. McWhorter in 1930 at Albany where he owned the Chevrolet Agency and that's the last time we have seen him though he has lived in Midland several years. He is the son of W. D. McWorter of Stanton, a pioneer resident of Martin County, and by the way Dad McWhorter has a little oil well on his ranch five miles northeast of Stanton. That's not all of Martin County that our friend Bill McWhorter has attached to him. In 1921 he married Nora Elizabeth Hill, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Hill of Stanton.



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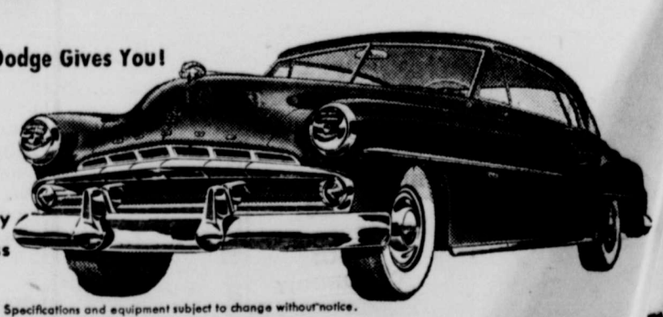
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Philosopher Says Texans Behind in Bank Robbing

Dear editar:

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It's bank robbin.

Not only bank robbin, but generally robbin in the higher brack ets any type of dereliction of a financial nature. You take Boston, they had a million-dollar robbery up there last year. Or Nevada, where they had a two-million-dollar burglary. O that place where robbers took three-quarters of a million in cash out of an armored truck while the drivers were drinkin coffee. And it ain't nothin to read of $100,000 or $50,000 robberies or big jewel thefts in other states.

But what happens in Texas? Two or three thousand dollar loots is about all we can manage. Measly jobs probably pulled by outsiders from Oklahoma. A first-class Texas editar won't even mention em in his paper, and if somebody does embezzle a few hundred thousand from his bank, what happens? He puts it back.

Now I'm not proposin that Texas surge to the top in this profession, but I would like to know how it is those other states come to have so much loose change lyin around. Seems to me they're goin to a lot of trouble and expense to out-brag Texas.

Or take the ordinary tax collector, it looks like Texas ought to be able to produce some just as dishonest as those they got in New York or Boston or St. Louis. Can't Texans make off with as much tax money as a Yankee? Thunder, Texans just ain't tryin. Why, we haven't even had a basketball scandal, and when a government official resigns down here on account of his health, he's actually sick.

Texas is gettin left out in the cold. Ain't we worth influencin just as much as anybody else?

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

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JOE FROMAN
(Reelection)
MELVIN BROWN
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White Summer Jewelry Has Added Attractions

BY EDNA MILES

IN costume jewelry for summer, the right fashion look is white. But it's white with a difference.

The plain and unadorned white jewelry of a few seasons back is gone. Coro, for instance, gives white a touch of crystal, a golden gleam, a rim of rhinestones, then uses a texture theme throughout an entire summer collection. White melons may be joined by golden stems or white beads may be caged in golden spirals.

You may wear a bib of white strung on gold or find that shiny enamel spheres are circled with rhinestones. Crystal is used to accent white enamel chokers and pendant necklaces. In polka dot beads, white is mixed with color for crisp contrast. Or, again, mounds of white sweetberry beads are mounted on golden leaves to carry out the frosty theme and a floral motif.

Often, smooth and textured beads are used together in an alternating pattern. In masses, they make chunky bibs. Bracelets are worn twining round and round or are the rigid type with handsome floral center.

A corsage of sweetberry pins can go on a suit or coat lapel, a trio of chokers at the neckline of your Gibson Girl dress. Or, fill in a low, scoop neckline with a chunky bib. Whatever the jewelry, just make sure that the color is white.



White and crystal are blended in this choker and drop necklace, a perfect fill-in for your low neckline. Drop earrings add flattery.

Mrs. John Davis

Mrs. Roy Evans went to Big Spring Tuesday to arrange for an educational tour for the third and fourth grade room of Stanton elementary school which will be next Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. John Davis and Billy visited Sunday in Lamesa with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. George Davis.

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Weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. McReynolds were Mr. and Mrs. William McReynolds and Ellen of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Brandt and Susan, of Iraan, and Mr. and Mrs. I. S. Case of Sweetwater.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mrs. Nobye Hamilton were Mr and Mrs. Cecil Hamilton of Big Spring and Mrs. Joan Long and Miss Carrie Alvis of Stanton.

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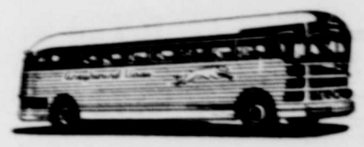
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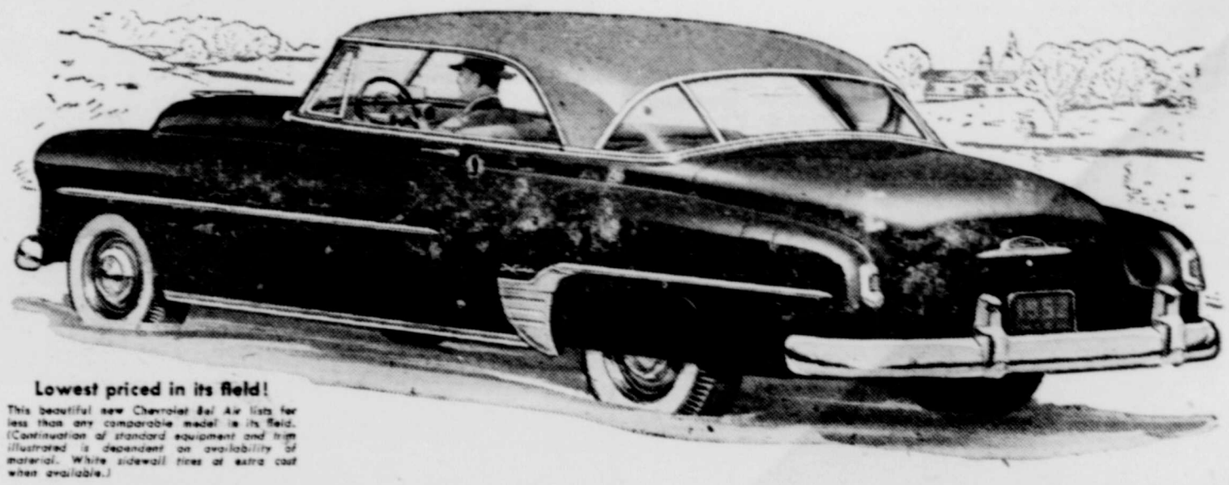
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OIL NEWS

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same year and th Spraberry, Dean and Strawn sections were re-tested developing commercial production.

Location of No. 1 Brown is 660 feet from north and west lines of section 15, block 36, T-1-N, T&P survey and 17 miles northwest of Stanton.

Phillips Petroleum Company No. 1-C Schar (Scharbauer Cattle Company), Spraberry wildcat in Southwest Martin County, is preparing to perforate seven-inch liner which is set at 9,036 feet. The perforations will be from 8,933 to 8,987 feet.

Location is 1,320 feet from south and 2,000 feet from west lines of section 325, LaSalle County School Land survey and four and one-half miles north of the discovery well of the Glass-Spraberry field and four miles east of the shallow Mabee pool.

Stanolind Oil & Gas Company is drilling below 4,400 feet in shaley sand on its No. 1 Marion Flint, a 14,500-foot wildcat in Central-West Martin County.

It is located 28 miles north of Midland and 24 miles southwest of Stanton. Drillsite is 5,025 feet from east and 6,000 feet from south lines of section 248, Hartley County School Land survey.

The project also spots 660 feet from south and west lines of labor 12, league 258, Hartley County School Land survey.

The scheduled destination of 14,500 feet is calculated to take the wildcat into the Ellenburger.

Stanolind No. 1 Cowden, Southwest Martin County wildcat, 10 miles northwest of the city of Midland, found a little show of gas and salt water in drillstem test in the top of the Spraberry at 8,050-8,142 feet.

The tester was open five hours. Recovery was 400 feet of drilling mud, 1,000 feet of gas cut mud and 90 feet of slightly salt water and gas cut mud.

Where were no shows of oil. The prospector is making hole below 8,620 feet in lime.

This exploration topped the Spraberry at 8,030 feet. That is on a datum of minus 5,134 feet.

The No. 1 Cowden is seven miles southwest of the Glass multi-pay field. That area has production from Spraberry section which is below the one which was tested in the Cowden wildcat.

That formation will be tested by Stanolind when it is reached in No. 1 Cowden.

Location is 660 feet from south and east lines of the southwest quarter of section 30, block 40, T-1-N, T&P survey. It is 30 miles west of Stanton.

Pan American Production Company and others No. 3 F. D. Breedlove, northeast stepout from the two-well Breedlove field in extreme Northwest Martin County, is making hole below 12,000 feet in lime.

It is to drill to around 12,200 feet to test the Devonian pay of the Breedlove field.

Location is 2,309 feet from south and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 258, Briscoe County School Land survey.

That puts it 13 1/2 miles northwest of Tarzan.

Pan American and others are drilling below 12,090 feet in shale on their No. 4 F. D. Breedlove, et al, a southwest offset to the opener of the Breedlove field.

It is also due to dig to about 12,200 feet to try for production in the Devonian.

Location is 660 feet from north and 5,940 feet from east lines of league 255, Briscoe County School Land survey. It is 12 1/2 miles northwest of Tarzan.

Sinclair Oil & Gas Company No. 1 G. T. Hall, wildcat to 10,900 feet to explore the Ellenburger in Northwest Glasscock County, is rigging up rotary tools.

Location is 1,980 feet from west lines of section 6, block 34, T-2-S, T&P survey.

Mary Lou House Engagement Told



MARY LOU HOUSE

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. House have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Mary Lou House, to Johnny "Jackie" Wise, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Wise.

The wedding will be at 8 p. m., Friday, May 30, in the Courtney Baptist Church.

OFFER 38 COLLEGE SCHOLARSHIPS IN FIVE 4-H PROGRAMS

Thirty-eight $300 college scholarships are offered to boys and girls awards for top-rating achievement records in five national 4-H programs being conducted by Texas this year.

The programs, number of scholarship awards in each, and donors are: Field Crops and Frozen Foods, six each, International Harvester; Poultry, 10, Dearborn Motors; Soil and Water Conservation, eight, Firestone; and Tractor Maintenance, eight, Stanolind Oil and Gas Co. All these programs are directed by the Cooperative Extension Service.

State winners in Field Crops, Poultry and Tractor Maintenance each will receive an all-expense trip to the National 4-H Club Congress in Chicago next November. State champions in Frozen Foods and Soil-and-Water Conservation will be presented a 17-jewel wrist watch; eight sectional winners in the former program and 16 in the latter will be given a Chicago Club Congress trip.

County winners in each program will be presented a medal of honor by the respective donors.



SCHOOL BUSINESS—Planning of the school program is largely in the hands of the board of trustees. Pictured here during a party for Retiring School Superintendent G. H. Goolsby are six of the seven member Stanton board. They include (l. to r.) Elmer Mashburn, Elmer Long, Lewis Carlile, Ed Robnett, H. O. (Hub) Phillips and Les Weatherall. Trustee Edmund Tom was not present when the picture was taken



HIGH SCHOOL FACULTY—Back row, left to right, Muray Byrd, E. D. Steele, Mrs. Pat Orren, Elmore Johnson, front row, Miss Mary Frances Wilson, Mrs. W. I. Mattonen and G. H. Goolsby. Not shown, Melvin Robertson, Charles Read, Miss Mabel Harris and H. C. Holcombe.



GRADE SCHOOL FACULTY—Back row, left to right: Mrs. L. H. Batton, Miss Julia Graves Julian Anderson, Dale Watson, Miss Genevera Middleton, seated, left to right, Mrs. Margaret Spillar, Mrs. W. I. Mattonen, Mrs. Julian Anderson, Mrs. O'Bera Gray, Mrs. Blanche White and Mrs. Murry Byrd. Those not shown are: Whit Gunn, Lloyd Hearne, Mrs. A. C. Fleming, Mrs. Bob Haislip and Mrs. Imogene Coker.

Humble Stations To Celebrate "Welcome Week"

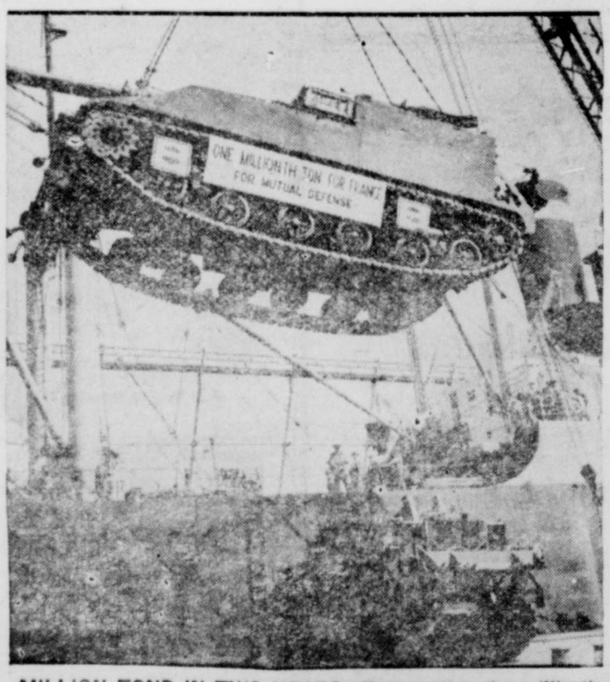
Humble service stations in this area are busy getting ready for a big, neighborly celebration to be known as WELCOME WEEK, May 23-30.

The purpose of WELCOME WEEK is to give Humble station operators all over the state a chance to say, 'Thank you', to Texas motorists for their friendship, and for the privilege of being good neighbors in the communities they serve," officials of the company said.

A lot of work has gone into planning for the week-long event. Stations have been given an extra good cleaning, with rest rooms coming in for particular attention.

Station managers have been inviting folks by letter and in person to stop by during the week.

The campaign is being accompanied by a vigorous advertising schedule in more than 500 newspaper in the state, and all stations will wear bunting and banners to lend festiveness to the occasion.



MILLION TONS IN TWO YEARS—Representing the millionth ton of military equipment shipped to France under the Mutual Defense Assistance Program, a 155-millimeter self-propelled gun is loaded aboard the U. S. freighter "American Shipper" at Norfolk, Va. The first shipment, a group of fighter planes, went aboard the French carrier "Dixmude" at Norfolk in March, 1950.

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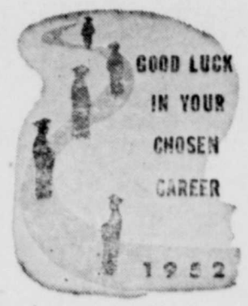
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Lake superior is the largest natural lake in the world.

St. Peter is said to be buried on the Vatical Hill in Rome





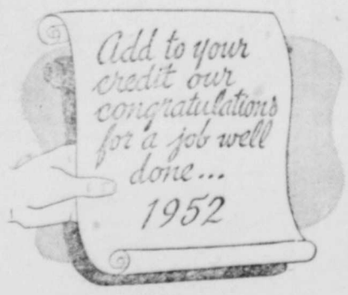
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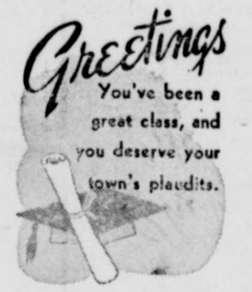


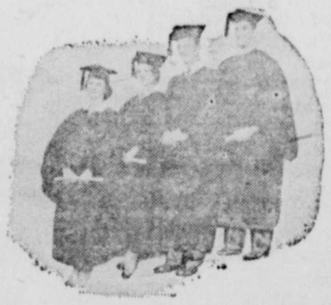
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County Treasurer

RED CROSS AID TO VICTIMS OF MARCH 21 TORNADOES NEARS MILLION DOLLAR MARK

Then



Now



ABOVE—The refrigerator and washing machine are all that remain in the splintered ruins of G. R. Nelson's newly remodeled home near Lonoke, Arkansas, after tornadoes struck in this and six other southern states March 21. The twisters destroyed 1,044 homes, caused other losses to 4,510 families, killed 214 persons, injured 2,000 others of whom 636 needed hospitalization. The Nelsons' young daughter was one of hundreds for whom Red Cross paid medical bills.

BELOW—Made possible by a $4,023 Red Cross building award, the Nelson's new four-room home now is almost ready for the $693 of essential furniture also bought for the family by the Red Cross. Meeting actual needs, not losses, Red Cross is aiding 775 families in rebuilding homes and additional hundreds are receiving awards—outright grants, not loans—to pay for household goods, medical bills, and other needs. Expenditures now are nearing the million dollar mark.

Less than two months ago, hundreds of families had a grim, uncertain future after March tornadoes slashed through seven Southern states. Among the more than 4,500 families who suffered tornado loss, these families faced a lifetime of indebtedness—hospital bills, doctor bills, mortgages. In many, the bread winner had been killed or injured so badly that it would be weeks or months before the family again had an income. Meanwhile, they were homeless.

For help in meeting their needs 2,337 families turned to the Red Cross. Today, 85 percent of them are off to a new start, with definite plans for their future, and the financial means of making the plans work. The plans have been carefully made with Red Cross caseworkers, experts in family assistance, and the money to put the plans into action is there because people from all parts of the United States make it available when they give to their Red Cross.

To meet the emergency needs of the people in the 36 tornado areas, and to plan individually with each family for Red Cross rehabilitation assistance, a staff of nearly 200 Red Cross workers was on the job in seven states. White County, Arkansas, where the tornadoes virtually wiped out the town of Judsonia and dealt heavy blows in the vicinity of Searcy and Bald Knob, is the only one of the 36 areas in Which Red Cross workers still are engaged in individual family planning. There, the Red Cross has completed assistance planning with 556 of the 876 families who have asked for help, and Red Cross commitments to provide the needed family aid, so far total $328,735.

Total Red Cross commitments in the seven-state area now amount to $890,000, just half of what the Red Cross estimates the complete tornado relief operation will cost.

The next most costly item of Red Cross assistance is for medical and nursing needs. The tornadoes killed 214 persons and injured 1,820. So far, Red Cross commitments for payment of hospital, doctor, nursing, drug and burial expenses amount to $150,000. Continued care of these persons, and of those who will require care for months or years to come, brings the Red Cross estimate for total medical assistance to $300,000.

One of the largest awards of Red Cross assistance was made to a Tennessee family. In three generations of this family, four persons were killed, including 13-month-old twin girls, and 14 members of the family required hospitalization. Red Cross assistance to this family includes payment of medical bills and rebuilding the farm home.

The Red Cross assistance this family received — assistance in meeting the tornado-caused needs that the family was unable to meet — is an outright gift, as is all Red Cross help given all families having disaster-caused needs in the tornado-hit states of Arkansas, Kentucky, Tennessee, Mississippi, Alabama, Missouri, and Louisiana.

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Leonard Alexander, S. A., son of Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Alexander, is home from San Diego, Calif., on a two weeks' leave from the Navy. He has just completed boot training and will report to Norman, Okla.

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Read the Stanton Reporter.

Cotton Tricot Applaunded For Wearing Quality

LUBBOCK — The new cotton tricot, a two-bar knit cotton developed by the Cotton Research Division of Texas, has been found to have excellent wearing qualities when made into cloth, according to Miss Ellen Wright, assistant professor clothing and textiles at Tech.

Two-bar cotton tricot has what researchers call "dimensional stability," which indicates it does not sag or stretch like the standard one-bar tricot which is widely used for "T" shirts and other cotton knit goods. Several Tech students have made outer garments suited to various occasions using cotton tricot, have worn them, and checked them from the consumer's point of view. Seamstresses find that the material is easy to sew and work with. Seams do not need special treatment because the weave prevents the raveling or running common to most knitted fabrics. Sleeves can be eased in without difficulty, and both piped and worked buttonholes can be made on two-bar tricot with ease.

The garments have been found to wear exceptionally well. The main difficulty encountered in the wearing quality is that stitching in some breaks in small places. However, this is not a weakness in the fabric, but a weakness in the home construction of clothing.

Shrinking or stretching in laundering is not enough to be of significance, Miss Wright points out. Garments made from the new tricot are rather heavy to wash by hand, but they launder nicely in a washing machine, she said. The material does not have to be pressed, but look nicer when pressed, while dry, with a steam iron. if the tricoat is sprinkled and ironed, it has the appearance of being unpressed. Travelers will like tricot clothing because wrinkles shake out after it has been folded, packed, or worn.

The material absorbs moisture from the atmosphere and tends to stretch slightly with moisture absorption; therefore, it is not good for wet climates. This makes it even more desirable, however, for dry West Texas.

The knit construction of the fabric allows it to give slightly. This allows for freedom of movement and makes clothes constructed from tricot comfortable to wear. The most practical and serviceable garments are casual and sportswear, but there have been attractive dressy dresses and formals made from the material. These dresses have been worn by Tech students conducting the experiment for over a year. They still have their original shape and size and are very satisfactory dresses for year-around use. Laboratory tests proved the fabric to be durable and "dimensionally stable."

The Cotton Research Division is working on new finishes and designs for cotton tricot. When these are found to be satisfactory, the material may be made available for commercial production, but consumers will have to wait further study and research has been carried on before they can buy two-cotton tricot. All angles of the experiment must be investigated before the material is released to the buyers.

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EAT MORE FRIED CHICKEN

On Monday, May 12, Governor Shivers proclaimed the balance of May as Eat More Chicken Month.

Commercial broiler growing in Texas has expanded rapidly in recent years becoming a major source of farm income. Currently Texas is the third largest commercial broiler growing area in the nation. Between a million and one-quarter and a million and one-half broiler chicks are started each week.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

Q—I'm going to school under the GI Bill, and my entitlement will run out a couple of weeks before the end of my course. Will I have to pay for the rest of the course myself?

A—No. So long as your GI entitlement carries you past the midway point of your term or semester, you will be permitted to finish that term or semester under the GI Bill even though you haven't any more entitlement.

Q—May I join with a non-veteran in starting a business, and get a GI loan to finance my share?

A—Yes. However, the guarantee cannot extend to any portion of the loan which may constitute all or part of the non-veteran's contribution to the business.

Q—I am a totally distbled veteran of Korea and my disabilities are service-connected. May I apply for the new insurance for disabled veterans who served since Korea? If so, may I have my premiums waived because of my total disabilitiy.

A—You may apply for the new insurance and, at the same time, you may apply for a waiver of premiums. But be sure you include the required premium with your application, and continue to pay premiums until VA notifies you whether the waiver has been granted. Then if the waiver is granted, premiums paid under that waver will be refunded.

Q—Does the new insurance for veterans who served since Korea pay dividends.

A—No; it earns no dividends. But its premiums are lower than other forms of Government life insurance which do pay dividends.

Traffic Safety Like Weather, Goes Unchecked

Mark Twain once said, "Everybody talks about the weather but nobody ever does anything about it." When you get down to it, the same thing might be said about traffic safety. This is an obvious conclusion when you stop to realize that, in just the past year, over 2500 Texans were killed on our streets and highways. A terrible waste of human life!

Everyone is, to a certain degree, affected by our traffic problem since all of us, in varying degrees, travel in motor vehicles or cross streets on foot—and many a pedestrians' life has been suffered out by some unsafe act!

With over 3 million vehicles registered in Texas, with their drivers, and with pedestrians to further complicate the problem, it is immediately apparent that anything involving such a large number of people requires a set of rules.

Horse and Wagon

Traffic laws, the rules for drivers, were not invented; they grew quite naturally from old customs and habits of the horse and wagon period. As the traffic flow increased these rules were changed and finally established in law to fit present needs.

The success of any set of rules, however, depends on the good will and sportsmanship of the players — in this case, the drivers. We make these rules through legislation and most of us enforce them upon ourselves with willingness — when we know the rules.

It, again, is apparent that in view of our terrible accident toll, that many of us do not know the rules of the game of traffic. Perhaps many of us know the rules but have neglected to apply our knowledge and skills to the game. Let us all join with the Texas Safety Association in an effort to be good sports and skillful players in one of the biggest games of all — traffic.

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Rabies in Cattle on the Increase in Certain Areas

Cattle owners were warned today to keep a close watch on their herds in case of an outbreak of rabies flares up among dogs or wild animals in the vicinity.

The reason for the warning, says the American Veterinary Medical Association, is the fact that cattle, next to dogs, are the most frequent rabies victims. That is probably because of the cow's habit of lowering her head and butting at any strange animal that approaches. With lowered head, she is more easily bitten on the nose, face, or throat.

In our state, over 400 cattle died recently in a rabies outbreak.

Veterinarians at Texas A&M College recently cited a typical case history of a rabid cow, which indicates some of the symptoms for which farmers should be on the alert.

First, the cow took to chasing chickens. Later she developed difficulty in standing. Sometimes she would fall to the ground where she would lay motionless for a time. Then the animal acted as though she had something stuck in her throat, and could not eat. When taken to the clinic, the cow would yawn, "nose" thing around and gnaw at one of her back legs, She finally toppled over and died some 12 to 18 hours after the appearance of advanced symptoms.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Morphew visited friends and relatives in Kermit Monday.



Cordially and with all the sincerity at our command we extend our best CONGRATULATIONS!

Martin County Judge James McMorries
and
Mrs. James McMorries



Drive in and get acquainted, neighbor

THIS IS

WELCOME WEEK

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Drive in and get acquainted with Humble Esso Extra Gasoline



Drive in and get acquainted with Humble Esso Extra Motor Oil



Drive in and get acquainted with Humble Service



Drive in and get acquainted with Humble Atlas Tires & Batteries



Drive in and get acquainted with Humble Charted Lubrication

You're *always* welcome under your neighborhood Humble sign.

But this week, Humble dealers *specially* invite you and your family to stop by and get acquainted. *This is Humble welcome week.* Drive in and shake hands with your *neighbor* under the Humble sign.

You'll find him a good neighbor; moreover he's a business man that's equipped to supply you with products of extra quality, to give you service you can depend on.

This week he's making a special effort to thank those neighbors who are his old friends and customers, to become acquainted with neighbors he doesn't know. This week, especially, stop for service under the Humble sign in your *neighbor*hood!

HUMBLE OIL & REFINING CO.

HUMBLE

There's a hearty Texas welcome waiting for you... from your neighbor... under the Humble sign

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PORT ARTHUR WOMAN'S CLUB TURNS IN BEST TEXAS ENTRY IN CONTEST

WORTHAM, May 12—SPL — The Port Arthur Women's Club swept off first place honors in the 1952 Texas Federation of Women's Clubs "Build Freedom With Youth Contest." The winning group's entry represented Texas in the national contest with $15,000 in cash prizes.

Close on Port Arthur's heels in second place is Bowie's Maids and Matrons Club, with the Crowell Adelphian Club, third; Bastrop's Ladies Reading Circle, fourth; and Grand Saline's Study Club, fifth.

Fifty one Texas clubs competed in the nationwide contest, which was set up by the General Federation of Women's Clubs with the help of the Kroger Company. First place in the national contest went to The Junior Woman's Club of Chagrin Falls, Ohio with an award of $10,000. Second prize of $3,000 went to the Federated Woman's Club of Clarkston, Washington. The Fulton Civic Club of Fulton, Minn., won the $2,000 third prize. Award winners were announced at the General Federation Annual Convention in Minneapolis on May 13th.

Port Arthur's club gets $200 for turning in the Texas entry adjudged best by judges Dr. James G. Gee, ETSC president, Commerce; Dr. Walter E. Kerr, Tyler Youth Development Council; and Dr. John A. Guinn, TSCW president, Denton.

The widely publicized contest was launched to develop in young people a greater understanding of the democratic way of life, and to provide better opportunity for them to serve their community.

State chairman was Mrs. Merle Kincaid of Crowell.

Jupiter is said to have founded the Olympics.



FAREWELL MY COMMANDER—Wounded in Korea, a Turkish soldier kisses the hand of Gen. Matthew Ridgway aboard the Jutlandia at Yokohama, Japan, just before the Danish hospital ship sailed for Europe with wounded troops from Ethiopia, Greece, France, Belgium, Holland and Turkey. General Ridgway, who takes over Gen. Dwight Eisenhower's command in Europe, was accompanied on the visit by his wife.

NEW WALLPANELS



DOVER, OHIO—Cleaning woes are banished and interiors are given new, permanent beauty with use of newly developed prefinished wall and ceiling panels. The permanent finish seals in all the colorful beauty, seals out dirt, moisture and stains.

Available in more than 60 colors and patterns (tile and wood patterns shown), these versatile panels are designed for easy installation in either new construction or remodeling. They are sold by leading lumber and building material dealers everywhere.

The waterproof finish is produced by an exclusive high-heat-bake process. Marsh Wall Products, Inc., developed the product, known as Marlite, to provide lifetime economy since it requires no painting or redecorating and can be easily kept clean with a damp cloth.

AIR CONDITIONER SALE

WRIGHT AIR COOLERS (Complete)

1600 CFM. 39.95
2500 CFM. 117.95
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4000 CFM. 159.75

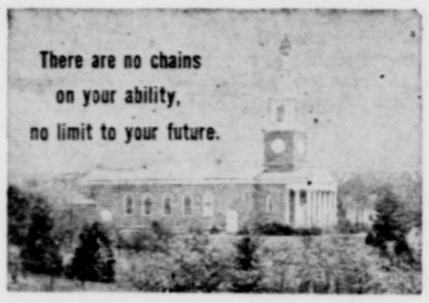
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Your Friend,

TOM ADAMS



TRI-DIMENSIONAL WHEEL—Something new in the projection of third-dimensional movies has been invented by Alberto and Adriano Betti. Instead of giving spectators glasses, the Roman twins synchronize a projector with this revolving glass disc which has alternating mirrors and transparent segments. Two images are projected through the disc, one reaching the viewing screen, left, while the second is reflected by the mirrors to another screen, right, and from this back to the viewing screen, giving a third dimensional appearance to the movie.



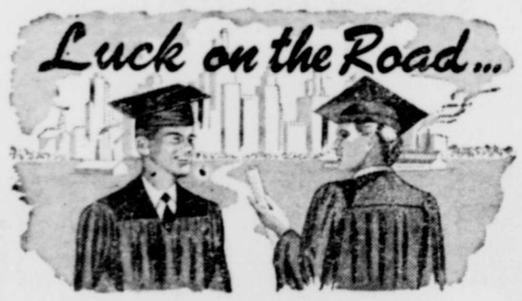
BASKET-MAKERS FEAST—Baskets of all descriptions are laid at the feet of the statue of St. Paul in the village of Origny-En-Thierache, Northern France. The apostle, who is the patron saint of the basket-makers, escaped besieged Damascus by being lowered over the walls in a basket.





STANTON ELECTRIC

T. R. LOUDER





THE STANTON REPORTER

IKE LEADS DEMO NOMINEES AT TEXAS COLLEGE

ENTON, Tex., (SPL) — College students like Ike. A majority of North Texas State College students of voting age recently polled indicated that they would vote for Dwight D. Eisenhower on the Republican ticket even over a Democratic nominee.

Of a cross-section of 210 students, 173 indicated that they will vote, and 121 of the 210 preferred Ike on the Republican ticket over a Democrat. Fifty-three were against the general, and 19 were undecided, most of them waiting to see who would get the Democratic nomination.

Asked whom they would prefer as the Democratic nominee, Estes Kefauver got the nod from 102 of the 210 students. Richard Russell with 21, Adlai Stevenson with 20, and Harry Truman with 20 were Kefauver's closest competitors. A. Averell Harriman trailed withsix.

For the Republican nominee, Ike carried a landslide of 152 out of the 210 students. Earl Warren polled 16, and Robert Taft got 14. Trailing were Douglas MacArthur with eight and Harold Stassen with five.

Stanton Beautician Attends Hair Style Clinic In Odessa

Mrs. Mable Atchison, owner of the Atchison Beauty Shop, attended the special hair styling clinic Sunday and Monday in Odessa. It was in charge of noted hair stylists.

Among the guest artists were Vernon Isbell, nationally known beauty instructor, of Fort Worth, and Lee Self, El Paso, a member of the official national hair styling committee. Mrs. Atchison was enrolled in the hair styling classes.

A dog's tongue is the only part of its body that can perspire.

Benjamin Harrison was the last U. S. President to wear a beard.

Well Done, Grads of 1952!

You're up in the clouds now, and our hopes are with you. We know you will climb to the heights of success.



FARM EQUIPMENT AND SUPPLY

R. C. VEST, JR. JESSIE P. WEBB

GARDEN CLUB SETS DATE FOR FLOWER SHOW HERE

Under the theme "Horticulture as a Social Art" the 1951-52 annual flower show of the Stanton Garden Club will be staged here Saturday May 31 in the offices of the Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. Arthur Wilson, club president, announced the committees to be in charge of the event.

Committees Named

They include Mrs Henry Ringhoffer and Mrs Edna Davidson, Schedule; Mrs. Hila Weathers, Mrs. Charles Ebbersol and Mrs. P. M. Bristow, Staging; Mrs. S. Arthur Wilson and Mrs. Ralph McWhorter, Judges; Mrs. J. A. Wilson and Mrs. Glenn Brown, Classification; Mrs. Guy Eiland, Mrs. P. G. Smithson, and Mrs. Glenn Brown, Awards; Mrs. Edmund Tom, Mrs. Dave Foreman and Mrs. T Y. Allen, Hospitality; Mrs. S. M. Wilkinson and Mrs. John Roueche, Publicity; Mrs. James Eiland and Mrs. Glen Cox, Horticulture.

In the sponsored divisions Mrs. Morgan Hall and Mrs. Ira Boothe are in charge of the Junior Department and James Eiland will direct the Men's Classes.

One Entry Per Class

All entries must be in place by 10 o'clock Saturday morning, and exhibitors must remove entries from exhibition building by 8 o'clock Saturday night. Exhibitors will be allowed only one entry in each class, but may enter as many classes as desired.

Accessories may be used in making arrangements. Exhibitors must furnish own containers but containers for Horticulture Specimens will be furnished by the Staging committee. Only ribbon awards will be given. First, Second, Third and Honorable Mention awards will be given in each division, also sweepstakes awards to exhibitors winning highest number of points. Judging will begin at 10 o'clock Saturday morning.

Division One: 1. Florist Flowers — open classes; 2. Garden Flowers — Includes any flower raised in the exhibitor's garden; 3. Special Arrangements, Class A: For Dining Table, Class B: For Cocktail Table; 4. Novelty arrangements — open class; 5. Dried Material Arrangements—open class; 6. Corsages —Class A: Florist Flowers, Class B: Garden Flowers; 7. Miniture Arrangements—open class—minitures not more than 3 inches in height and 3 inches in length.

Division Two: "Horticulture Specimens" — Includes any flowers raised in the exhibitors garden; "Pot Plants" includes any pot plants in the exhibitors possession for at least three months.

Sponsored Division: "Junior Division" — Flower Arrangements and Horticulture — open classes in both; Mens Division —Flower Arrangements, Educational and Horticultural displays —open classs.

The judging will begin at 10 o'clock. As soon as the judging is completed the show will be open to the public. No admission charges. The Stanton Garden Club extends an invitation to all to visit the "Show."

Sea Horses In Quantity Found in State

The Marine Laboratory operated by the Texas Game and Fish Commission at Rockport, has an unusually good supply of sea horses for the moment, according to Chief Marine Biologist Jack Baughman.

Fifteen of the odd shaped species were taken in two hauls of the shell dredge in the bay off Rockport.

The largest of these was only six inches long. Those taken off the Florida coast oftentimes reach twelve inches.

For what it is worth, sea horses relish daphnit (water fleas). When fed in their tanks, they snap their jaws very audibly over the delicacy.

Marine Biologist Howard T. Lee noted that the horse fish and the cowfish also don't look alike. The horsefish is a stringy looking thing with a long tail. The cowfish is shaped much like a crapple, and has a hard shell.

OES Elects New Officers

Officers for the current year were elected recently at a meeting of the Order of Eastern Star. Installation services will be held at the next regular meeting, Tuesday night, June 3.

Those present at the meeting were Hazel Hamm, Edgar Standefer, Esther Higgins, R. S. Higgins, Gertie Pinkston, Vivian Ferguson, Rena Rhodes, Fay Lewis, Nola Batton, Evea Dabney, Ima Kelly, Millie Lou Henson, Blanche White, Mayme Hall, Susie Houston, Margaret Haynie, Lenorah Epley, Mary Grace Latimer, Mary Winslow, Alice Angel, Inez Woody, L. L. Williams, Beulah Williams, Vera McCoy, Annie Harrell, Neva Koonce, Fern Alexander and Jeanette Morphew.

Officers to be installed are Esther Higgins, worthy matron; R. S. Higgins, worthy patron; Gertie Pinkston, associate matron; Robert Winslow, associate patron; Vivian Ferguson, conductress; Blanche White, associate conductress; Fay Lewis, secretary; and Mary Winslow, treasurer.

Stephen Foster, who wrote songs about the south, was a northerner.

Lincoln Ellsworth was the first man to fly across the Antarctic continent.

Q. How can bookshelves be installed without bringing them up from the floor?

A. They can be attached to the wall but here is another suggestion. Shelves of Douglas fir plywood can be hung from the ceiling with venetian blind cords to any desired height. The cord, painted black or in color, makes an interesting line pattern and the weight of the books affords sufficient solidity.

Robert Fulton was a portrait painter before he became an inventor.



We congratulate you sincerely on the record you've made.

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FRIDAY SATURDAY SPECIALS



SNOWDRIFT SHORTENING 3 POUND CAN 79c

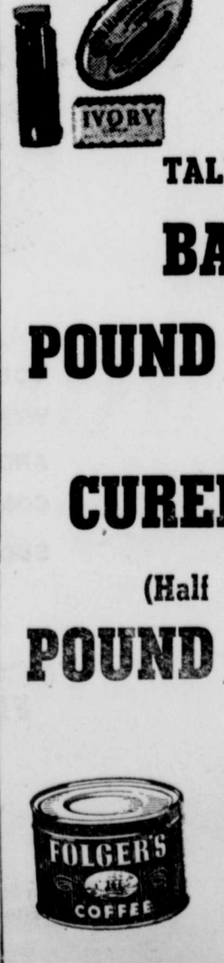
KIMBELL'S SALT 26 OZ. BOX 9c

WONDER WHIP SALAD DRESSING PINT 21c

DIAMOND BRAND APPLE BUTTER	QT. 25c	DEL MONTE CATSUP	14 Oz. 23c
WASHING POWDER TIDE (Limit 2)	EA. 25c	FOLGER'S COFFEE (Limit 2 Lbs.)	Lb. 83c
JACK SPRAT PORK & BEANS	2 No. 300 Cans 25c	KIMBELL'S CUT BEETS	No. 2 Can 10c
	2 Tall Cans	KIMBELL'S SHORTENING	3 Lbs. 59c
MILK	29c	KIMBELL'S	No. 2 Can 2 for
HEINZ BABY FOOD	3 Cans 25c	SPINACH	29c
CHURCHES GRAPE JUICE	(24 Oz.) 38c	OUR DARLING CORN	17 Oz. Can 19c
	2—12 Oz. Cans	ANY BRAND FLOUR	10 Lbs. 98c
PINEAPPLE JUICE	25c Bunch	YELLOW SQUASH	Lb. 15c
GREEN ONIONS	5c		

Home Made Pure Strawberry Preserves (1 Lb. 5 Oz.) 65c

TOMATOES	Carton 19c	CELLO BAG CARROTS	2 Bags 25c
ORANGES	5 Lbs. 39c		



TALL KORN BACON
POUND 39c

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(Half or Whole)
POUND 55c

ONE ARMOUR STAR HOT DOG AND ONE DR. PEPPER
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POLITICAL CALENDAR

(continued from last week)

Sept. 2 — Candidates in the second primary election must file a sworn supplemental statement concerning campaign contributions and expenses "not less (apparently should read 'more') than ten (10) days" after the election.

Sept. 4 — Contests of run-off primary elections for local and county offices must be filed "within (0) days from the date of declaring the results by the executive committee."

Sept. — Nominees appearing on the November general elections ballots must file sworn statement of campaign contributions and expenses. "Statements shall and must be filed at intervals of twenty (20) days beginning sixty (60) days next preceding the date of any election."

Sept. 9 — Second state convention meets "on the first Tuesday after the third Monday after the fourth Saturday in August.

Sept. 18 — Contest of run-off primary election for district and state-wide offices must be filed "within ten (10) days from the date of declaring the result" by the state executive committee.

Sept. 25 — Time for nominees in November general elections to file second sworn statement concerning campaign contributions and expenditures.

Sept. 29 — Governor's proclamation of general election to be issued and mailed to the several county judges "not less than thirty-five (35) days before the election."

October 13 — Time for nominees in November general election to file third sworn statement concerning campaign contributions and exjenditures.

October 15 — County judge to publish notice of general election of each precinct at least "twenty (20) days before the election.

October 15 — Applications for absentee ballot may be made "at any time not more than twenty (20) days, nor less than (3) days' prior to the date of such an election.

October 19 — County judge to cause sheriff to serve "writs of elections" and notify each precinct presiding officer in writing "fifteen (15) days before any general election" concerning his duties.

October 23 — Ballots and ballot stubs from the second primary (in the absence of a pending election contest) may be destroyed at the expiration of "at least sixty (60) days."

October 30 — Nominees in November general election must file sworn statement concerning campaign contributions and expenditures "not more than five (5) nor less than (2) days" prior to the election.

October 31 — Tax collector required to furnish election board with supplemental list of qualified voters "not less than four (4) days" prior to election.

October 31 — Last day for nominees to make fourth sworn statement concerning campaign expenses and contributions.

Nov. 1 — County Chairman required to make detailed financial report "within (30) days of the run-off primary and file same with the county clerk not later than November 1st."

Nov. 1 — Precinct judges to secure election supplies from election board "at least three (3) days" before the election.

November 4 — General election held "on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November"

November 5 — Votes to be "counted and tabulated . . . . within twenty-four (24) hours after the closing of the polls."

November 5-6 — Ballots, poll tax list and one tally sheet to be sealed up and delivered to the sheriff immediately after counting to be deposited with the county clerk not later "than thirty-six (36) hours after closing of the polls."

November 7 — Precinct judges to forward written returns to county judge "within thirty-six hours after all votes have been counted and tabulated."

November 10 — Commissioners court to open and canvass the election returns "on the Monday next following the day of the election or sooner."

November 12-13 — Returns to counties forming part of a multi-county legislature district shall be forwarded to judge of the county having the largest population as shown by the last preceding Federal census.

November 16 — Candidates appearing on the general election balloe must file a sworn supplemental statement concerning campaign expenditures "not less (apparently shoud read more) than ten (10) days" after the election.

November 19 — County judges in counties forming part of multi-county state senatorial district "should within fifteen (15) days after the date of the election" forward returns on the several candidate for senator to the Secretary of State who shall issue a certificate of election to the winner.

December 15 — Texas' Electors for President and Vice-President of the United States convene in Austin "on the first Monday after the second Wednesday in December" and vote "as required by law."

Mexican Workers Not Covered By Social Security

Agricultural workers who are recruited and brought to the United States from the Republic of Mexico under contracts to do farm and ranch work are not covered by Social Security, according to Jack Calvert, manager of the Odessa office of the Social Security Administration.

"There is some confusion among farm and ranch operators in this area as to whether or not 'braceros' are covered by Social Security," Calvert stated. "Under an amendment by Congress, the Social Security Act specifically excludes those Mexican agricultural workers."

Bracera Contract

This exclusion does not apply to non-citizens generally, but it applies only to those who do agricultural work under what is commonly called the "Braceros contract."

Other aliens who work for American employers are covered by the law the same as citizens of the United States.

"Accordingly, farmers and ranchers who regularly employ these contract workers should not withhold social security taxes from their wages, or report them on their quarterly tax returns," he said.

RECENT VISITORS

Mrs. E. J. Thomas of Abilene, visited a short time with Mrs. Ruby Roberston Friday morning and Mrs. Robertson accompanied her to Stanton where she visited in the home of Mrs. O. B. Bryan.—Mitchell County (Loraine) News.

Women are not eligible for Rhodes Scholarships.





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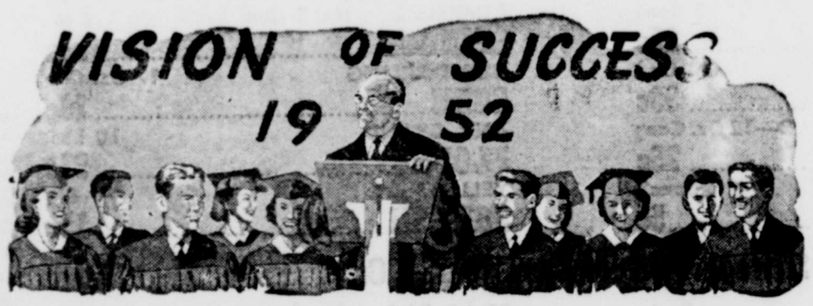
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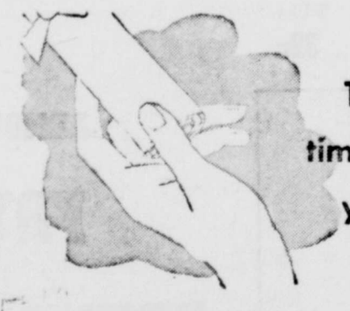
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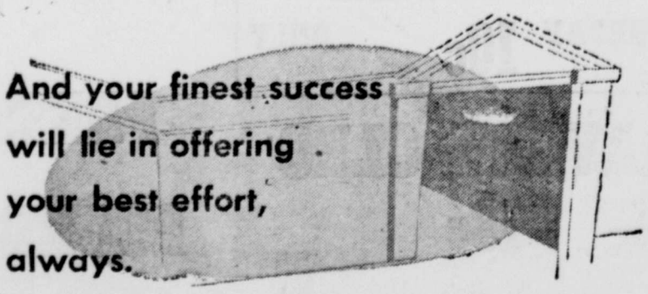


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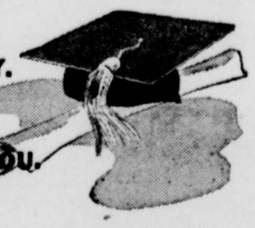
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Veterans Warned On Selling Homes With Loans Intact

Martin L. Gibson, veteran's service officer, reminded veterans this week when they sel their G. I. Loan homes and let purchasers assume the four percent loans, they (the veterans) remain personally responsible for the payments. He warned veterans selling their property to make sure their interests are protected.

The best way to do it, he said, is to have the purchaser pay cash or arrange a loan in his own name. A veteran selling his property with a G. I. Loan intact runs the risk of having to pay all or part of the debt should there be a default by the new owner, Gibson repeated.

The Italians originated the custom of wearing masks at a fancy dress ball.

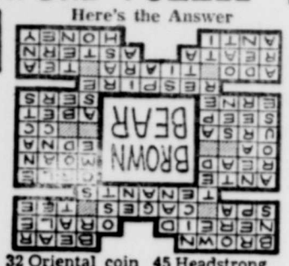
Flower arrangement is a national art in Japan.



WEEKLY CROSSWORD PUZZLE

Honey-Lover

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27 Peruse
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31 It is known as —— in astronomy
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35 Percolate slowly
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STANTON REPORTER CLASSIFIED PAGE

FOR SALE: 5-room house, garage apartment. James D. Elland, Phone 27 or 238-W.

FOR SALE: One three bedroom house. Located 2 blocks north of grammar school. Convenient terms. J. N. McAdams, phone 285--J.

NOTICE: Trailer park. 5 blocks south south and 2 blocks east of Camp Walker. See E. F. Polson. Phone 175.

FOR SALE: One two room house. Located two blocks from post office. J. N. McAdams. Phone 285-J.

FOR SALE — House and lot. New —contains four rooms and bath. See B. F. White at White Motor Company.

FOR SALE: 12-horsepower outboard motor for sale. See W. S. Barnhill.

FOR SALE: Duplex apartment to be moved. Furnished or unfurnished — hardwood floors — insulated throughout — weather-stripped — two floor furnaces — two baths. Well built, has to be seen to be appreciated—will stand thorough inspection. Roy M. Smith, 607 N. 3rd St. Lamesa. Phone 394-W.

NOTICE OF EQUALIZATION

In obedience to the order of the Board of Equalization regularly convened and sitting, notice is hearby given that said Board of Equalization will be in session at its regular meeting place in the Court House in the town of Stanton, Martin County, Texas, at 9:00 A. M., on Saturday, the 7th day of June, 1952, for the purpose of determining fixing and equalizing the value of any and all taxable property located in Martin County, Texas, for taxable purposes for the year 1952, and any and all persons interested or having business with said board are hereby notified to be present.

Nobye Hamilton
County Clerk, Martin County Texas
Martin County, Texas
12th day of May, 1952

FOR SALE: Good Cotton Seed, raised on irrigated land year. See W. H. Yater, 5 miles west of Stanton.

NOTICE: For Concrete porches, walks, patios, driveways, curbs, foundation and cemetery work see Scott & Gunn, Lamesa. Phone 821-W.

Taste is the least developed of the five senses among the lower animals.

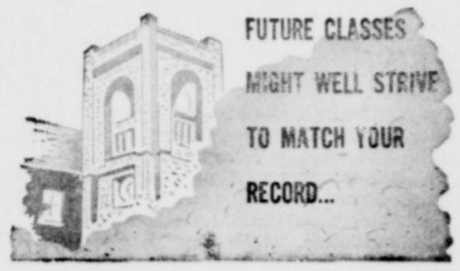
The U. S. Postal Savings Bank was created during Taft's administration.

Shakespeare's Macbeth was a living king of Scotland who died in 1057.

Bayonets were named for Bayonne, France, where they were first made.

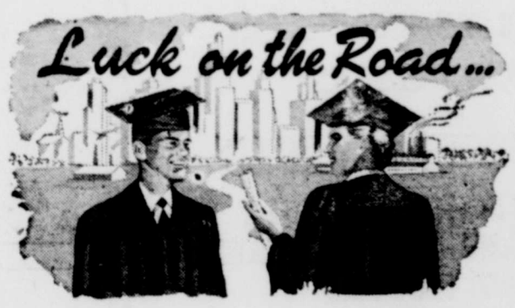
Al Smith called the New York Fulton Fish Market his 'alma mater."







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COUNTY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANIES ORDERED TO "CLEAN-UP"

AUSTIN, Texas—County mutual fire insurance companies which operate for profit rather than on a Mutual or Cooperative plan have been given an ultimatum to either clean up their business practices or lose their licenses.

George B. Butler, chairman of the State Board of Insurance Commissioners, delivered the ultimatum at a public hearing. He charged the companies with refusing to pay valid claims, collecting excessive rates and operating without adequate resources.

Policyholders Lose

The hearing was called after 11 county mutuals went into insolvency during the last three years, Chairman Butler said. He told the hearing that the assets of all 11 would not pay the liability of any one. One company that became insolvent had $126,000 in claims outstanding and only $6,000 in assets and the policyholders must be assesed under the law to pay its losses.

"Why the Legislature does not give the Board of Insurance Commissioners the power to regulate you is a mystery to me," Butler said.

Other forms of insurance companies writing property protection are regulated by statute. County mutuals—which originally were organized as mutual aid societies in rural areas—are not required to write standard coverages at standard rates or maintain proper reserves to pay claims.

Excessive Rates

Butler said that some county mutuals have no reserve with which to meet claims. He charged that others were collecting as much as two and a half times the standard rate from policyholders and that up to 50 per cent of this was being spent for "managerial services." As a result, the Insurance Commission is holding up the renewal of licenses for the 51 county mutuals until these practices are stopped, Butler said.

Floyd Herring, the Board's director of mutual assessment companies, told the hearing that "to my knowledge, there is not a county mutual in Texas that is operating on the mutual, or cooperative plan. Most of the companies are operated under a manager's or general agency contract for the benefit of managers or agents who receive all funds in excess of claims, claims expense and operating costs."

May 31 Deadline

Chairman Butler said the Board would issue an order by May 15 requiring county mutuals to correct these and other malpractices. Companies refusing to comply with the order by May 31 would have their license permanently withheld.

"You may take us to court and I invite you to do so," Butler said. 'I want the public and the Legislature to know the facts. The time has come for the people of Texas to know the truth."

The Board made it clear that cooperative farm mutuals, whose integrity hasn't been questioned and who have an excellent record are not to be included in new ordord for meeting their obligations. der.

Cal Hufman of Austin, spokesman for several county mutual companies, told the Board that the industry realizes its shortcomings and wants to do something about them. He called for legislation which would give county mutuals legal reserve status, set up standards for county mutual policies and set up regulations to stop current malpractices.

"The situation is so bad, we haven't time to write a law," Commissioner Paul H. Brown replied.

Read the Stanton Reporter

WASHINGTON AND "SMALL BUSINESS"

By C. WILSON HARDER

In days of yore, when a king died, the official word was "The King is dead, long live the king" thus complimenting both the expired ruler and the new wearer of the crown. A paraphrase of this was enacted in Washington recently.

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C. W. Harder

On December 31, Marshall Plan press agents announced the Plan had expired. But in the same breath it was announced that in its place would be the Mutual Security Agency, or the MSA. The announcement further stated that although the name was changed, the policies, staff, committments, and even the stationery forms, would be the same.

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However, judged by subsequent actions, MSA shows promise of giving away even more billions than the Marshall Plan ever did.

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MSA, however, is attempting to prove itself as really fast with the taxpayers' buck. Bulletins Nos. 3, 4, 5, 6, and 7 announce approvals that total over 100 millions of dollars in 5 days, or an average of more than 20 million per day, which exceeds the Marshall Plan daily average.

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This fact points up a curious co-incidence.

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Continued MSA spending at this rate will equal in six months the amount of new taxes asked.

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It is also interesting to note the allocations of MSA grants.

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A fair share of the first grants, almost 4 million dollars goes to Tito's Yugoslavia principally in the form of steel, aluminum, and office machines.

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As is well known, Tito is a Communist, operating a Communist government.

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But the mere fact that he is not on speaking terms with fellow Communist Stalin somehow seems to change the situation in regard to Communism. Cynics say any day now, the State Dept. will issue a "white paper" defining the differences between a "benevolent communist", and a "malignant communist".

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Of equal significance is the heavy shipments being made to European foreign possessions.

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In the first five days of operation under a new name, $4 million dollars worth of supplies, principally coal from the U. S. and oil, was approved for French colonies in Africa.

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This presents two interesting questions which will no doubt be investigated in Congress.

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One is the morality of taxing small American businessmen who must pay for their own expansion, as well as taxes, out of their own business development, to give to nations to develop their colonies for their own monopoly controlled profit.

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The second question is the national morality involved in this nation helping finance the exploitation of other nation's colonies where the people are deprived of a voice in their own economic and political destiny.

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You will hear more of this thinking when Congress considers the proposed 85 billion dollar budget, and tax increase.

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COATS BENTLEY: ALL THIS, AND NEW SON, TOO

May has been a busy month for Coats Bentley.

The big moment came Thursday night with the birth of a son, Victor Eugene, to Coats and Mrs. Bentley in Martin County Memorial Hospital. The baby weighed six pounds, eight ounces. The Bentleys have one other son, Mark Bentley.

On May 1, Coats and Jack Bentley, brothers, announced the purchase of the Firestone Store in Stanton — and busied themselves the next several days with inventory and re-arranging of stock. May 5 to 10 was celebrated with Bentley's May Festival.

During this time they were busy also with their other business, Bentley's Furniture and Appliance.

The new baby was born May 15.

A howdah is a canopied seat upon the back of an elephant.

Actress Invites Texas Travelers To Riviera Fete



Dorothy Malone, Texas movie star who visited France last year, will tour her native state during May in behalf of the "Texas Week On The French Riviera" celebration July 12 to 20. She will visit Houston, San Antonio, Fort Worth and Dallas to extend the French Government Tourist Office invitation to Texans. Gov. Allan Shivers has formally recognized France's invitation by official proclamation. All Texans going to Europe this summer are asked to take along western clothes, such as Miss Malone's above, and to be guests of honor in the parades, nautical rodeos and parties which the French Riviera will stage as events of Texas Week.

NATIONAL CHAMP AGAIN!



Clyde Morton and Paladin, winners of the National Field Trial Championship for the second consecutive year, have established records for both the trainer and the dog.

Morton has won the National Championship nine times with bird dogs he has trained and handled—a record unsurpassed in the history of field trials and sporting dog training. He has been the trainer and handler for the late A. G. C. Sage, well-known sportsman and field trial enthusiast.

A new motion picture, "The Sedgefields Story," featuring Morton, has been in production more than a year by the Ralston Purina Company. The picture, in full color, is scheduled to be released early in the fall.

Future Homemakers Honor Mothers at Last Chapter Meeting

The Stanton Future Homemakers met recently for the last Chapter meeting to be held this school term. Mothers were honored at this meeting. Corsages of red roses were presented to Chapter Mother Mrs. Morgan Hall, and to the oldest and youngest mothers present. Ladies receiving the corsages were Mrs. Zora Ashley and Mrs. Henry Louder. The program was presented by the Homemaking I girls. The main feature was a skit in which the actresses modeled clothes they had made in class.

After the program there were refreshments. The table was laid with a lace tablecloth. An arrangements of white daisies and fern graced the table. Lime sherbet punch and assorted cookies were served. Various homemaking students took turns at the punch bowl.

Guests attending were Mrs. Clark Hamilton, Mrs. D. E. Ory, Mrs. Roy Mosely, Mrs. Ed. Ashley, Mrs. Leonard White, Mrs. Henry Louder, Mrs. Morgan Hall, Mrs. T. W. Pierce, Mrs. Tom Wisely, Mrs. Albert Fisher, and Mrs. Tom Gay Harris.

CHEERLEADERS SELECTED

Cheerleaders recently elected for the coming school year are Betty Keele, Mary Lynn Hamilton, Freeda Standefer and Tom Ed Angel. These leaders will represent the Sophomore, Junior, and Senior Classes for 1953. The Freshman leader will be selected next fall after school begins.

MAJORETTES CHOSEN

Five majorettes have been chosen to lead the Stanton High School Band next Fall. Girls chosen were Beanie McCoy, Betty Harris, Mary Beth White, Yvonne Ory, and Joyce Davenport. The band director will select the drum major from the five next Fall. Selection was made early to enable girls to practice routines over the summer.

WALT DICKISON'S FATHER DIES IN MISSOURI

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Dickison, and children, Jimmie and Jane, of the Stanton Walgreen Agency Drug Co., returned recently from Springfield, Mo., where they spent most of last month. The former's father, C. B. Dickison, died April 30, of a heart ailment in a Springfield hospital. He was 61.

Services and burial were held in Butler, Mo.

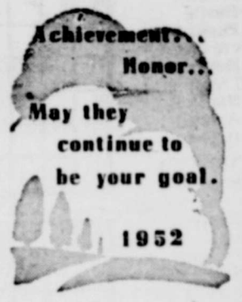
Dickison's mother, Mrs. Zetta Dickison, returned with him to Stanton for a visit.

Q. What can be done with an unsightly ceiling light fixture?

A. Cut out a square of fir plywood and hang it below the light from the ceiling so it conceals the fixture or globe. Paint the wood or finish it natural and you will have a simple, smart-looking indirect lighting set-up.

Ambergris is worth almost twice as much as gold.



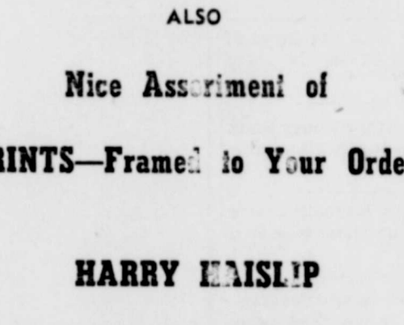


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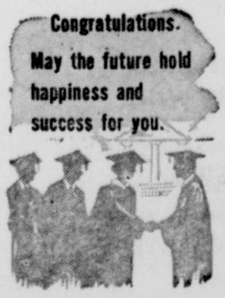
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QUESTIONS ANSWERED ON RAIN MAKING

Just how good is this business of weather modification, anyhow? Last year four independent groups, three colleges and one state resources committee, tried to evaluate it. All of these groups reached some unanimous conclusions.

First, they all agreed that the work is of prime importance and should be continued. Second, because of the natural variability in weather it was extremely difficult to evaluate results.

The South Dakota Natural Resources Commission prepared a report, rather than an evaluation, giving residents of South Dakota an objective picture of the work in their state during 1951. To get data for this report, the commission sent questionnaires to officers of the three projects in the state conducted by Dr. Irving P. Frick's group.

Slow, Gentle, Soaking Rain

These officers made these statements: "The rainfall was of the type advertised by the rain increase corporation (slow, Gentle, soaking rain). The program has been generally accepted by the majority of the people who participated and the majority of the farmers and ranchers believe they received their money's worth and profited by this activity."

"The rainfall for the area was unusually gentle with an increase over normal."

"Seeding operations did not begin until the latter part of May. Up to that time precipitation was far under normal, in fact almost nil. During June, July, August and September, rainfall was above average for those months, especially so in July and August. There did seem to be some correlation between the weather and the rain increase activities. It may be coincidental but seemingly favorable cloud formation had been going over all spring and no precipitation but as soon as cloud seeding was started it began to fall. Rainfall was more gentle, it was finer, and there were very few thunder storms. We did experience one or two severe hail storms in the county but hail damage was the lightest in 15 years."

Low Percentages

The University of Wyoming evaluation pointed up the difficulty involved in such a study by pointing out that in the last 29 years, the highest and lowest percentages of normal precipitation reported by seven official reporting stations ranged from 0 percent to 725 percent.

This Wyoming report included only measured precipitation and did not take into consideration the gentleness and soaking quality of the rain. However, the United Press carried a story on its wires out of Cheyenne on August 22, 1951, which said: "Rains —gentle instead of torrential— coming at evenly spaced times when the rangs lands needed them most in the late spring and early summer have produced cattle and sheep grasses up to ten and twelve inches high."

More Than Normal

In the Oregon State College evaluation statistics were used to estimate the amount of rain which should have fallen if cloud seeding had not been tried. This report said: "From this statistical work it was learned that 8 of the 10 months had favorable departures from normal (more rain than was estimated would have occurred naturally. The size of these monthly departure from the statistically estimated amounts was such that all could have occurred by chance this year (1951). It may be significant, however, that year had more months with favorable departures than any of the past 30 years."

In reality cloud seeding is going through the same stage of development that 2,4-D, DDT, the sulfa drugs and other new developments have gone through. The first year hybrid corn was available in Iowa only two farmers tried it. Today 99 percent of the corn planted in Iowa is hybrid corn. And we're just around the corner from the time when cloud seeding will be as vital a part of agriculture, particularly in the west, as the plow and fertilizer.

Gets First '52 Crusade Sword



Governor Allan Shivers gets pinned with the first cancer sword of the 1952 Texas Cancer Crusade by Mrs. Joseph M. Perkins of Eastland, vice-president of the American Cancer Society, Texas Division, during "kickoff" ceremonies at the State Capitol, April 2. Dr. G. V. Brindley of Temple, surgeon-in-chief of the Scott and White Clinic and Cancer Society vice-president for professional activities, is on the right.

The Paisley shawl originated in Paisley, Scotland.

Harvard University celebrated its tercentenary in 1936.

LUBBOCK BOYS CLUB GAINS FAST

The American Business Club of Lubbock less than 10 years ago adopted the faltering Lubbock Boys Club; and with the assistance and blessing of the other civic culbs of the city has made it one of the outstanding boys clubs in the nation.

Under the close supervision of a committee representing the ABC, the club has come to be recognized as one of the most successful from the point of operation and management, attendance and acceptance—and most of all from the good it does.

"Doubtless the Lubbock Boys Club is one of the major factors in reducing the per capita juvenile delinquency rate in our city" sanys John W. Wilson, the executive director of the club. He should know because he's also the Lubbock City-County Probation Officer and for several years has kept close to the juvenile delinquency problem in the area.

The magnitude of the Lubbock Boys Club may be better understood from a brief look at statistics—and Wilson, a longtime member of the Lubbock ABS, says the figures, if anything, are on the conservative side.

Membership Participation

During 1951 there were 100,000 visits to the club by boys who were either members or guests. That's 5,000 increase over the previous year. The registration of members showed a total of 1,504. Of the more than 100,000 visits, there were 53,000 member-participation in athletics.

Boys used the library 16,384 times; worked in the woodworking shop 15,510 times; used the game room 26,023 times; and swam in the new indoor pool 42,010 times.

The swimming pool is the latest of the big additions to the plant and has proved about the most popular year around activity for the youngsters.

The club is operated by a staff made up of the executive director, an assistant executive director, a swimming director, the librarian and secretary, and 10 part time helpers—most of them students of Texas Technological College.

"Thanks, Doc, I Feel Better Now"



Circus elephants get the very best treatment. Dr. J. Y. Henderson, veterinarian for Ringling Brothers and Barnum & Bailey Circus, applies the "wonder drug" aureomycin to a cavity in the mouth of Myrtle the elephant after a tooth extraction, in New York's Madison Square Garden. The drug was used to prevent infection. Looking on is Dr. C. R. Schroeder, of Lederle Laboratories, former veterinarian to the San Diego Zoo and the Bronx Zoo.

Cash Awards For Champions of 4-H & FFA

Registrations are now open for the Paymaster Feeds "Cash-for-Champions" Awards program for next fall's showings, with an expanded series of awards offered to qualified entrants.

"Cash-for-Champions" is open to all Junior Division boys and girls who are carrying on projects in 4-H or F.F.A. programs and turkeys, broilers and capons have been added to this year's awards list. This makes the fall plan bigger and better and Paymaster is expecting last season's entrys of more than a thousand steers, barrows and lambs to be exceeded. Paymaster paid cash to over 30 grand champions and scores of reserve champions shown last spring.

Feeding Knowledge

Purpose of the "Cash-for-Champions" Awards program is to contribute to the feeding knowledge of the boys and girls in 4-H and F.F.A projects, and this fall, awards will be paid for designated championships in showing Paymaster fed steer calves, fat lambs, barrows, turkeys, broilers and capons at state regional and county Fat Stock Shows and Fairs.

Boys and girls who plan to enter the contest may get further details and registration forms from their nearest Paymaster Dealer, their County Agents and vocational Ag insructors.

Charles Goodyear first manufactured rubber overshoes.

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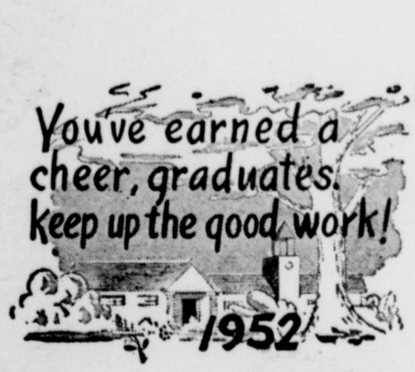
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FROM WHERE I SIT

By HILA WEATHERS

Manager of the Martin County Chamber of Commerce

IT SEEMS TO ME, that with the cool morning of last Saturday, that we had a mighty short summer. The greatest trouble Saturday morning was trying to find something warm to wear. But, mankind, wasn't it fine? Put a little added sing to the strolling down the street.

AND SPEAKING OF STROLLING down the street each deay when we go to the Post Office, we pass the James Jones Hardware. And right now, we want to congratulate James, Sam, Opal, or whoever it is who does the window decorations — they're TOPS! But, when I was a kid, I firmly believed that if you look at an apple long enough it would fall off the tree — 'taint so. Every time I pass James' window, I stop and LOOK at that big red apple in his window — it hasn't moved any closer to me yet. Go by and look at that red apple; it's a very attractive cookie jar, candy jar, pretzels, crackers, or what have you?

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CONGRATULATIONS TO MR. and Mrs. Charlie Eckert upon the opening of their new general department store on North St. Peter Street. They held their opening on Saturday, May 10, and it was our pleasure to visit the store during the rush hours. It is nice to drop by and say "congratulations" and see the many articles of merchandise, all attractively displayed. We wish them best of luck and much success in their new business enterprise.

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HERE IS SOMETHING THAT is worth passing along to you. Mrs. Herman Fisher found the article and brought it in to us. We don't know the name of the town in which this particular Chamber of Commerce is located, but we liked the article. Here it is: "One enterprising Chamber of Commerce has this to say: 'Ours is is an exceptionally rich city; so rich, in fact, that every blade of grass has a green back, every bird has a bill, the chimneys have drafts, and the maids wash our front door with gold dust. Every ditch has two banks; even our streets are flushed, and the lawns get raked off; every cloud has a silver lining, and every flower in the city has a scent; When you put a $5.00 bill in your pocket, you double it, and when you take it out, you find it in creases. Now, do you want to live here, or not?' " Sure this COULD be Stanton and Martin County; they don't have a thing we don't have. THANKS, to Mrs. Fisher for bringing the article to us.

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ONE OF OUR NICE VISITORS last week was Ray Martin, of the Sira - McKenzie Construction Company. They have a contract for laying pipe through the county, and Mr. Martin and his local manager, Shirley Sheffer, are very interested in the progress of this county, and also in our local activities. During the visit of Mr. Martin, we learned that his company have over 40 men at work in this area at present; 30 of these men live in Stanton, and that the payroll of these men runs a little better than $4,000 per week — that's a payroll for Stanton that is definitely appreciated. Because, after all it is the payroll that makes a city tick.

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ANOTHER ONE OF OUR RECENT visitors was Ray Hastings, our new Martin County Agent. Ray comes to us from El Paso, and he comes very highly recommended, and it is our good fortune to have him with us. Already he has identified himself with the Lions Club, and is rapidly becoming a true "native" of our town and county. We pledge our cooperation to Ray in all of his county programs.

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BEFORE IT IS TOO LATE let's think of this! When the holidays were set for 1952, the one July 4, was voted to be observed in all day closing. Since that time several of our local merchants have discovered that this date falls on Friday, and it seems that Friday is ONE of the busiest days of the week. Therefore, several have asked that we just forget that it was set aside to be observed — so WHAT DO YOU THINK! It's several weeks off, but help us to cooperate with ALL by expressing your opinion. inion.

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THIS HAS BEEN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE WEEK throughout the State. We are grateful to all our members for "boosting the organization" this week And also, from the time you read this until the week closes, be a good member and tell others what YOU think the Chamber of Commerce has meant to Martin County Also, lineup a NEW member, if YOU'RE sold, then sell others. Remember the Chamber of Commerce is non-profit in operation, and it's purpose, first, last and always, is for the betterment and development of the town, county and trade territory. It is composed of business and professional men and women through whose combined efforts there exists a mutual bond of civic strength, designed to build a better community. Pay your Chamber of Commerce a visit.

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JOHN HAMILTON SELLS INTEREST IN STATION

John Hamilton, a partner with George Herzog in the ownership of Hamilton and Herzog Service Station, this week announced the sale of his interest in the business to Robert Herzog. The sale became effective last Sunday.

Hamilton, a partner in the business the last two years, has not announced his future business plans.

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24 NAMES ADDED TO READER LIST

Reader interest in The Stanton Reporter, continues big, as names are added, each day to the ever-growing subscription list. Here are the latest new subscribers and renewals:

E. J. Blocker, Mrs. Loie Lyerla, Claude Nowlin, and J. W. Puckett, of Stanton; George Cathey of Lenorah; W. D. McWhorter of Midland; Oliver Boyce of Paris; and Billy J. Sadler of Lubbock, all new subscribers.

Mrs. Elee White, Horace Blocker, Lynn White, Clayton Reynolds, R. B. Whitaker, W. W. Parker, Southwestern Bell Telephone Company; O. L. Snodgrass, J. A. Brown and Mrs. B. F. Smith of Stanton; Dr. E. O. Ellington of Big Spring; Mrs. J. E. Barrington of Woodsboro; Mrs. G. B. Pollock, of Lorenzo; Mrs. J. W. Persons of Van Nuys, Calif.; C. C. Kaderli, of Kimball, Neb., and Mrs. H. L. Burns of Jackson, Miss., renewals.

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Sergeant McDonald Awaits Reassignment

M/Sgt. W. B. McDonald, 24-year-old Korean war veteran, recently spent a few days here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan McDonald, and his wife, Janet. He served with the 48th field artillery in the Seventh division in Korea, and with the first cavalry during the last two months.

His new station for reassignment is Fort Sheridan, Ill.

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Mrs. Edmund Tom, Mrs M. L. Koonce, Mrs. Elmer Mashburn and Mrs. Pat Oren gave a weiner roast Saturday night for members of the eighth grade, at the home of Mrs. Tom. About thirty students attended.

William Lindsay Is Schreiner College Grad

William Lindsay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tant Lindsay, of Stanton, is among the 33 students graduating Tuesday from the junior colleg department at Schreiner Institute, at Kerrville.

Baccalaureate services are set for Sunday, May 25 in the Robbins-Lewis auditorium with the Rev. David H. Edington, pastor of the New Orleans, La., First Presbyterian Church delivering the sermon. He is a brother of Schreiner President Andrew Edington.

The Rev. W. M. Logan, pastor of Kerrville First Presbyterian Church will deliver the commencement address Tuesday.

Other end-of-the-year activities at Schreiner include the final parade and military competitions on the school parade grounds Monday afternoon, and the final chapel exercises at 9 a. m. Tuesday.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Ervin McClane of Odessa, were weekend visitors in the home of his mother, Mrs. Viola McClane and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Webb.

Mr and Mrs Hubert Polson of Casa Grande, Ariz., visited last weekend with their son, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Polson.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Polson were Mr. and Mrs. Hershel Baxter, Mrs. Norma Lee McNew, and children and Mrs. Richard Posey, all of Odessa.

Miss Elna Sprawls spent last weekend in Odessa, with her cousin, Mrs. W. M. Braly.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Graham and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Graham visited in Junction City Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Gregg made a business trip to Abilene Saturday.

Mrs. S. A. Ashley and Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Ashley of Stanton, and Mrs. Viola Owens and Betty Fatherree of San Angelo visited Sunday in Big Spring, in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Campbell.

Courtney Club Holds Meeting In Douglas Home

The Courtney home demonstration club recently met in the home of Mrs. Earl Douglas.

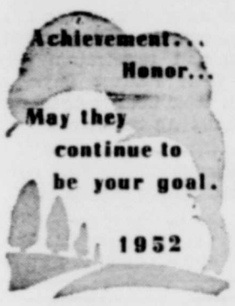
Members answered the roll call with "Something I have learned about using frozen foods."

Mrs. Joe Stewart gave a report on the district meeting at McCamey. Jesse Lorene Burns gave a demonstration on making whip cream from dry milk.

Those present were Mmes, Melvin Graves, Walter Kelly, Owen Kelly, Ohmer Kelly, Joe Stewart, T. B. Stewart, Jr., Jim Hillger, J. B. Stewart, Billie Mims, Claude Davis, J. P. Stroud, the agent, Mrs. Mildred Eiland, and the hostess.

The club will meet May 28, in the home of Mrs. Jim Hilger.



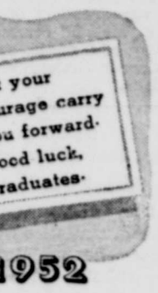


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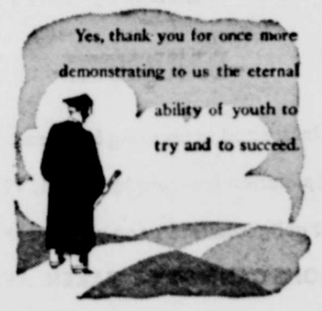
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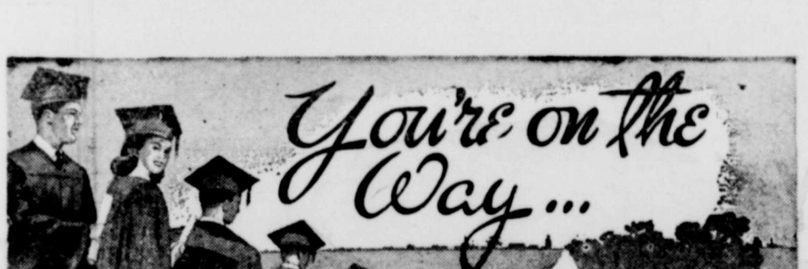


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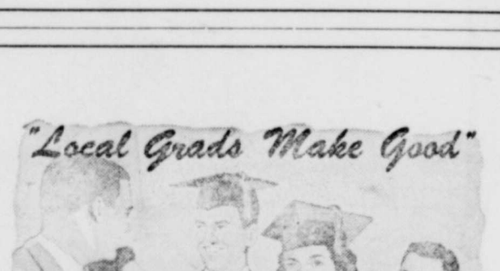


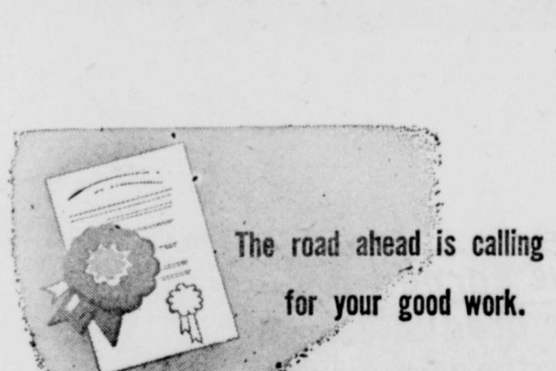


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Mr. and Mrs. Jess Burns







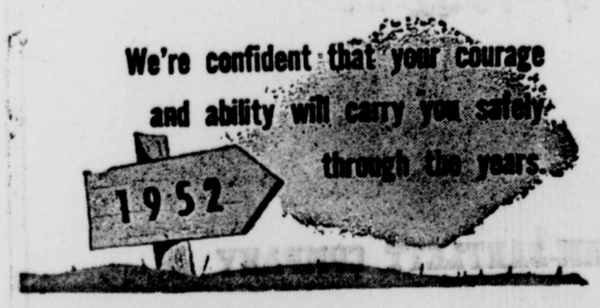




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