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Snooter Knows

By JAMES E. KELLY

(Opinions expressed in this column are the views of the writer and should be so interpreted).

THIS WEEK'S BIBLE VERSE:
"Be not hasty in thy spirit to be angry: for anger resteth in the bosoms of fools."—Ecclesiastes, Chapter 7, Verse 9.

I HAVE BEEN PRESENTED THE opportunity to spend a day at the Texas Penitentiary in Huntsville. If I give the word, reservations will be made for me to appear at the prison on Sunday, Oct. 3. Just why the first Sunday in next month the prison officials will have the prison gates left ajar for my admittance, I found when I read a little farther down the letter sent me from the prison camp.

The letter revealed the prison officials had officially designated that date as Press Day. It is supposed the prison officials wanted to lay their hands on bridling the press by rounding up the newsmen into an enclosure on prison grounds and slamming the prison gates against them for a day, at least.

Emil Bock, signing the letter sent The Reporter editor as "Inmate Editor, Echo," the prison's newspaper, said:

"We want you to see the show as our guest. Seats will be reserved for you right next to the arena where your view of the action will be unimpaired, and the Press badges will be issued to you when you call for them at our Rodeo publicity office here."

He was speaking of the Texas Penitentiary staging its 23rd annual famous rodeo, an event to be put on every Sunday in the month of October.

Mr. Bock didn't mention a thing about the refreshments to be served—we'll say—such as a hamburger and a bottle of pop.

Huntsville can't be far from Crockett, the home of a newly-made friend of mine, "Uncle Billy" Aiken, editor of the Crockett Courier. Neither can it be far from Houston, the home of the Shamrock hotel and another old friend of mine, Arthur LeFevre, editor of a Texas Company Publication.

If I can make it to Crockett I know I can get over to Houston as "Uncle Billy" Aiken owns the southwest corner on the roof of the Shamrock, as a late picture taken of the Shamrock will bear out.

It would require little coaxing to enlist the company of LeFevre to make the visit to the Huntsville penitentiary. In that case I can promise Editor Bock and the prison officials it is pretty certain I will make it over to the prison camp.

Especially after spending the night in "Uncle Billy's" hotel, the Shamrock, in Houston.

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SOME OTHER FELLOW OR SET of fellows have estimated the Martin County cotton crop production this year will be 57,000 bales. Wonder just why they use the uneven number in their estimate when it would have been simpler to use the even number of 50,000 to 60,000 bales. The latter would have been more in keeping with the figures The Reporter quoted in its estimate of the county's bale crop.

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THE MONTH OF SEPTEMBER has provided several things of importance to take place. For instance on Sept. 3, 1939, World War II began, and I hope I'll never see another one. Labor Day, Sept. 6, passed in Stanton without a traffic accident because, it was said there weren't enough people in town to make a decent crowd at a dog fight.

We slip from here to Sept. 22, the start of the opening of the Fall season. Jewish New Year comes on Sept. 28. The moon goes into its last quarter on Sept. 19, and it gets full on Sept. 26.

The month of September as a whole is one which Martin Countians hope to see the gins turning out many bales of cotton.

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FROM DOWN CONCHO COUNTY way, by way of The Eden Echo, comes the report that the profits of a hen, aided by 999 other biddies, were feeding the livestock and maintaining the ranch, so reported the rancher.

It has always been considered that a well cared for poul-

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Oil News

HUNT IS DRILLING GLASSCOCK WILDCAT

By JAMES C. WATSON

Hunt Oil Company No. 1 A. R. Houston, wildcat in Glasscock County, was making hole below 1,775 feet in lime after setting eight and five-eighths-inch surface casing at 110 feet.

Location is in the northwest part of the county, south of the Martin County line, and 330 feet from south and west lines of section 23, block 35, T-2-S, T&P survey.

Operator will drill to 4,000 feet.

Three more new projects and a San Andres well have been added to the Moore field of West Howard County.

Bowden-Hunter and others, Odessa, will dig No. 3 C. W. Creighton 330 feet from south and east lines of the northwest quarter of section 29, block 33, T-1-N, T&P survey.

The same operator will drill No. 2 C. W. Creighton 330 feet from south and west lines of section 29, block 33, T-1-N, T&P survey. Both tests will go to 3,500 feet.

Woodson Producing Company will drill the third new test as No. 1-B C. W. Creighton, 330 feet from south and west lines of the northeast quarter of section 29, block 33, T-1-N, T&P survey. It is slated for a 3,200-foot bottom.

Duncan Drilling Company No. 2-A Homan, 990 feet from south and 330 feet from east lines of section 12, block 34, T-1-S, T&P survey, was completed for a 24-hour pumping potential of 74.71 barrels of 29-gravity oil from open hole pay at 3,175-3,190 feet. Gravity was too small to measure. Pay was treated with 500 gallons of acid.

Faculty Lists Announced By Stanton Schools

Twenty-six teachers are on the faculties of Stanton schools so far this year, according to an announcement by Supt. O. W. Winstead.

Two vacancies for teachers of English still have not been filled, Winstead said, but it is expected teachers will be hired for these positions in the near future.

In addition to Winstead, faculty members are:

Stanton High School — J. L. Kilgore, principal; W. E. Harrell; Larry Wartes, Melvin Robertson, Mrs. Larry Wartes, E. D. Steele, Miss Alice Zarnes, and Mrs. Mattie P. Wood.

Elementary School — A. Ellmore Johnson, principal; Mrs. O. W. Winstead; Mrs. E. B. Coon; Mrs. O'Bera Gray; Mrs. Bethany Barbee; Miss Ganevera Middleton; Mrs. Blanche White; Miss Marie Vandever; Mrs. L. H. Batton; Mrs. R. M. Henderson; Miss Alice Bryson; Olen Holland; Mrs. LaRue C. Harrell; Jess Miles, and Jack Davis.

Teachers in the Negro Elementary School this year are Mrs. Ruth Taylor and Mrs. Juanita Mays.

Winstead said that Mrs. Margie Sims is manager of the Stanton School lunchroom. She is assisted by Mrs. Ann P. Davis, Mrs. J. T. Davis, Mrs. Eula Eubanks and Mrs. Mike Anderson.

ADDITIONAL CLERKS HELP ON TAX ROLL

Two additional clerks have been hired to assist in preparation of this year's tax roll in the office of Dan Saunders, Martin County sheriff and tax assessor-collector.

Mrs. Beth Shoemaker and Mrs. Mary Lou Wise will work temporarily in the office until the roll is complete.

Saunders said the roll must be finished, sent to Austin for approval and returned to his office in time for collection of taxes to commence at 8 a.m., Fri., Oct. 1.

PRECINCT 3 VOTERS PICK COX FOR NOV. 2 BALLOT

The Martin County Democratic Executive Committee will certify Sam W. Cox, 57, Tarzan rancher and farmer, as nominee for commissioner of Precinct 3 in the Nov. 2 general election in the place of the late I. E. Welch who had won the nomination in the July 24 primary.

The decision was reached Tuesday night at a joint meeting of Precinct 3 voters and Democratic committee members. The meeting had been called by the committee so Precinct 3 voters themselves could decide whose name was to go on the ballot.

Democratic Chairman Morgan Hall previously had been notified by the state attorney general's office that the law required the selection of a nominee.

Calm and harmony characterized the meeting which was attended by about 80 persons. T. Knox of Precinct 3 served as chairman.

The names of nine men originally were listed for consideration. They were Eldon Welch, son of the late commissioner; Cox, Donald Welborn, Otto Bearden, J. C. Epley, Houston Woody, Homer Howard, Sr., Ollie Robertson and Irvin Snell.

Of these, Welch, Epley and Woody withdrew from consideration, and those present finally boiled the slate down to Cox, Howard and Snell. On a secret written ballot, Cox was the choice of 26 persons, Howard of 11, and Snell of 5.

Hall said Cox's name will be certified to the secretary of state immediately. He added:

"The committee is glad that Precinct 3 voters made their wishes known in the matter and we will carry their wishes out. We wanted the folks up there to have the say about what should be done."

Baptist Pastor Victim Of Minor Hunting Mishap

The Rev. E. B. Coon, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Stanton, was the victim of a minor hunting mishap last Thursday when a pellet from a 16-gauge charge fired by hunting companion B. F. White nicked the minister's left ear.

White said that he, Mr. Coon, Guy Eiland and Grady Cross had gone dove hunting on the Cross ranch south of Stanton. The minister wandered away from his companions unnoticed and was in a nearby clump of mesquite trees when White fired in that direction.

The pellet which nicked Mr. Coon's ear apparently ricocheted off one of the mesquites, White said.

The party went on and finished its hunting expedition before returning to Stanton. A small patch was placed on the minister's ear at Memorial Hospital after he got back to town.

BROTHER DIES AT MASON

A life-long resident of Mason, William Charles Eckert, 79, died Tuesday at his home in that city. He was past president of the St. Paul Lutheran Church and a director of the Mason National Bank.

Eckert was a brother of Charles Eckert of Stanton.



NOTHING TO SNEEZE AT—Until Jack Frost "cures" all hay fever sufferers for another year, these 80 needles and some 20 serums will look good to hapless sneezers. Used in allergy tests at Jewish Hospital in Brooklyn, N.Y., they're viewed by amazed 10-year-old Robert Blumert.

STANTON BUFFS TACKLE PECOS EAGLES FRIDAY

The Stanton Buffaloes journey westward this Friday night to take on the Pecos High School Eagles.

It will be the first game of the season for the Eagles and the second for the Buffs who last Friday night were edged 7-6 by the strong McCamey Badgers.

Dope has it that the Eagles, a Class AA team, are expected to be about as potent as the McCamey aggregation. Although a lighter team than the Buffs, the Eagles are faster and sport an effective passing attack.

Coach Melvin Robertson of Stanton Wednesday said he expects another tough encounter Friday night "but we're not counting ourselves out of the game by any means."

Robertson indicated a considerable amount of time was devoted in this week's Buff workouts to hanging onto the pigskin. In last week's game with the Badgers, untimely fumbles stopped the Buffaloes on several occasions when it seemed likely they were on their way.

The Pecos team had a scout in the stands here last Friday night and so will have the advantage over Stanton as the teams go into their encounter.

Eagle Quarterback Bill Kelley, 153-pound junior, is expected to pose a main threat to the Buffs with his passing and running.

Coach Robertson's team came out of the McCamey game in good physical shape, and another hard-fought fracas is forecast with the Pecos crew.

A large number of Stanton fans have indicated they will follow the Buffs to the Reeves County capital.

FISCAL COMMITTEE WILL REPORT SOON

Jess Miles, one of the committee of three citizens appointed by District Judge Charlie Sullivan to assist the Martin Grand Jury in its recent probe of county financial affairs, said the committee's final written report should be ready for submission to Judge Sullivan by Mon., Sept. 27.

Miles said the report will be a voluminous one and may run as many as 70 pages, not including exhibits and appendices.

COMMISSIONERS EYE NEEDS OF HOSPITAL; CALL JOINT MEETING

Financial affairs of Martin County Memorial Hospital and next year's county budget were discussed by members of the commissioners court Monday sitting all day in regular monthly session.

County Auditor Harold P. Wine of Ballinger met with the court. Wine, who currently is working on the budget, indicated it should be ready by sometime next week.

In discussing affairs pertaining to the hospital, the commissioners invited several former hospital directors who served when the institution was privately operated, to sit in with them. The commissioners and former directors B. F. White, Jim Tom and Cecil Bridges engaged in an informal discussion of hospital affairs prior to the time the county took over the institution and also discussed current problems and possible economy measures.

A meeting was set for 8 p.m. Wednesday at the courthouse at which time the commissioners court, former hospital directors and the present board managers will carry on further consideration of hospital problems.

Members of the current board of managers are Sam Wilkinson, president; W.N. Orson, secretary; Elmer Dyer, treasurer; Grover Springer and J. D. Poe.

Other persons who have been invited to attend the meeting are former directors Calvin Jones, Horace Blocker and O. B. Bryan.

In other business at Monday's meeting, routine bills were approved for payment and regular reports of county officers were received and approved.

Board Regulates Solicitations By Students For Ads

The board of trustees of the Stanton Independent School District at its regular meeting the night of Tues., Sept. 7, voted to regulate the amount of commercial advertising which local students might solicit toward financing student activities.

Heretofore the students, to raise funds for projects and class entertainments, have often approached Stanton merchants for donations and advertisements.

The board's decision limits such approaches this year to appeals for ads to help finance the high school yearbook, "The Buffalo Round-Up," and the students' annual Hallowe'en Carnival.

Only other matters acted on by the board at its meeting were routine bills, which were approved for payment, and resignations from and appointments to the faculties of Stanton schools since last school year.

Chief Of Police Again Requests Careful Driving

Stanton Police Chief Ed McCain Wednesday called attention of Stanton motorists to the fact that the speed limit through town on U. S. Highway 80 is 30 miles an hour.

The chief said local traffic, as well as out-of-town vehicles passing through, has been inclined to exceed the limit when driving on the new highway.

"We've put up new signs to remind motorists of the 30-mile limit," McCain said, "and there also is a 'school crossing' sign on the highway just south of Stanton School.

"Again we request the cooperation of all drivers in observing the traffic laws. And, as we all know, it is especially necessary to be alert and careful when driving in vicinity of the school."

Speed limit on other Stanton streets near the school is 15 miles an hour.

HOME ON LEAVE

Joe Robert Baulch, who is in the Navy and is stationed at Pearl Harbor, is here on a 30-day leave visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Baulch. He has been in the Navy three years and serves on the submarine "Sterlet."

He also is visiting his grandparents in Big Spring and Sweetwater.

FATE FIGURES PROMINENTLY IN GAME AS BUFFALOES BOW TO BADGERS, 7-6

Fate — which played a large part in the game — favored the McCamey Badgers over the Stanton Buffaloes in their season-opening football encounter here last Friday night, with the net result that the Badgers emerged as victors by a one-point margin, 7-6.

Fumbles were rife throughout the contest, but the Buffs' fingers apparently were more slippery than their opponents' for the night, for they muffed the ball eight times and lost possession of it on six of those occasions.

The Badgers fumbled four times, losing possession thrice.

A crowd estimated at 1,800 persons overflowed stadium facilities. About half the fans were from McCamey, including their colorful 100-piece, orange-clad band and a girls' pep squad of some 40 members. The Badger band performed during halftime.

Stanton had no band, but its pep squad, although they had no snappy uniforms, made its presence felt. Almost 50 girls belong to the cheering group.

Stanton School Supt. O. W. Winstead said gate receipts for the ball game totaled $914.15.

The Badger conversion which provided the margin of difference in the score was another freakish evidence of fate. **The ball, booted by Halfback Mickie Stephens, smacked into the top section of the left upright and,** as luck would have it, bounced off and through the posts in the right direction.

This point came after the Badgers had copped a Stanton fumble on the third play of the game and had marched to a touchdown within the first five minutes of play. The score came after a series of line smashes by Fullback Bill Huffman and Halfback Mickie Stephens. Several short passes from Quarterback Scottie Howard to End Bud Montgomery also added to the drive.

Huffman made the tally, bulling his way over from the Buff 8-yard line.

The remainder of the first half was a see-saw encounter in which the ball changed hands seven times.

Stanton's score, which came on the fourth play of the second half, ensued after Burley Polk, Buff co-captain and left guard, had recovered a McCamey fumble on the kickoff. The recovery was made on the Badger 29-yard line.

Halfback Conrad McKaskle carried for five, and Fullback Jim Butcher pushed for seven more to the 17. From there, McKaskle took off around right end for the score, dragging one Badger across the goal stripe with him.

The try for extra point was low, leaving the score McCamey 7, Stanton 6.

The remainder of the game was a duplication of the last part of the first half, with the ball changing hands 13 times.

In the closing moments of the game, McCamey made another scoring bid, but time caught them before they could push into goal dust. They had taken over the ball on the Buff 32-yard line and had advanced it down to the 7 before the clock ran out.

Outstanding back on the field for the evening was Conrad McKaskle of Stanton who handled the pigskin 17 times and accounted for 134 of his team's 224 net yards gained.

Huffman stood out for McCamey, turning in five beautiful punts which averaged 44 yards. He was a consistent gainer with his line smashes and also was much in evidence on defensive play.

Shining on defense for Stanton were Center Mike Baulch, Left Guard Burley Polk, Tackles Glenn Greenlee and Gordon Stone, Left End Jimmy Wheeler, and Halfback Conrad McKaskle. Their counterparts for McCamey were Right Tackle Derwood Rowell, Right Guard Jim Tharp, Left Tackle Shelby Hudson, and Fullback Bill Huffman.

The game was a cleanly played, hard-fought contest. Only two penalties —one against each team—were assessed during the night.

Although Stanton came out on the short end of the score, they dominated the statistics, and local fans expressed no disappointment at the Buffs' showing for the night. Commenting after the game, Stanton Coach Melvin Robertson said:

"We've got to get onto that fumbling, and I am sure we will do it. None of our boys got hurt except Mike Baulch, who was slightly shaken up on one play but not seriously. We're still in there pitching, and we still think we're going places."

It is not above conjecture that Stanton and McCamey may have the opportunity of meeting again this year, since the Buffs are rated as favorites to cop the District 4-A crown, and the Badgers occupy same position in their own District 5-A. The two teams conceivably could be matched in the regional playoffs after the regular season is over.

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Statistics

Stanton		McCamey
10	First Downs	8
220	Yds. Gained Rushing	114
1	Passes Attempted	11
1	Passes Completed	4
4	Net Yds. Passing	33
224	Total Net Yds. Gained	147
5	Punts	5
22	Av. Yds. Per Punt	44
1 for 5	Penalties	1 for 15
8	Fumbles	4
6	Fumbles Lost	3

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Editor Defends His Old Brass Cuspidor

Outside of his dog and immediate members of his family, man's greatest friend back in the olden days was his spittoon. It mattered not whether the receptacle was a higher member of society than the empty cigar box inlaid with sawdust or the coal scuttle bottomed with ashes. The cuspidor was the life-saver of the editor, especially when he was surprised by the approach of a pretty damsel wanting to put a piece in the paper, and he found he had a mouthful of old Star Navy.

The Stanton Reporter takes pride that it supports a member of the force who owns one of the members of the antique family of spittoons. Or should we reverse the order of that statement to make it read The Stanton Reporter is proud of the distinction it is the possessor of an antique spittoon. In that way the emphasis on the pride goes to the antiqueness of the cuspidor. The force, aside from one member, doesn't exactly approve of the refinements of a tobacco chewer.

This one member of the force is a customer of the antique spittoon throughout the day. This high-toned spittoon occupies a prominent spot in the corner of tnis hired hand.

In its infancy it performed duty in Stanton's First National Bank. It stood majestically in all its brass splendor, bowl shaped, 12 inches high, weight near 25 pounds. The weight and bowl shape removed any fear the janitor had the receptacle would be kicked over.

Because of its intrinsic value in construction and material, the spittoon has a ring to it, sorta like the ring of the bell on a cash register. When the customer at the cashier's window of the bank chose to wake up the drowsy villagers, he directed a well-aimed shot at the bowl of the spittoon, and it rang out as clear as a bell. The blow made the receptacle bow its head almost to the floor, but its safety construction and its equilibrum brought it back to its stately position.

One member of The Reporter force, who habitually consumes the tobacco weed in both forms, chewing it and smoking it, rescued this antique spittoon from being consigned to the trash heap destined for the city's dump grounds. This receptacle was a most useful fixture in the bank when the First National opened its doors in Stanton in 1906.

It was with no shedding of tears that Jim Tom, president of the bank, relinquished all right, title and interest in this brass receptacle to the hired hand in The Reporter office.

Tom was first introduced to this "harbour of nicotine" when a boy hired as the bank's janitor. His duties called for the cleaning of the spittoon each morning in the backyard of the bank. Added labor to "dress up" the spittoon before replacing it in its formal position involved scrubbing the brass exterior until it shined like a diamond.

The important part this age-old fixture had played in the pioneer days of the bank's operation had run its course of usefulness. A new generation was coming on the scene. One that condemned the use of chewing tobacco. It was conceded by the new upstarts, preparing to take over and make the use of tobacco more "decent," that the mastication of the weed by humans was the consumption of a plant that the hogs wouldn't eat.

Hence, it meant elimination from the scene of a receptacle used by the pioneers who had rid the county of the savage Indians and made it safe for the members of this new generation to make their homes and raise their families.

If this spittoon could talk of the incidents during its 47 years of duty in the First National Bank, it would likely relate it had been patronized by many of the country's distinguished cattle barons while the cashier counted their gold at the window. Maybe, too, the spittoon would disclose a bank robber, a horse thief, or a cow thief passing through had taken advantage of its hospitality and let fly into its maws.

The recipient of this gift from the First National Bank is well pleased with it. Other members of The Reporter force look upon the spittoon as an item that would fit well in less elegant surroundings. Hence he has heard remarks from his "henchmen" such as, "He's a nice fellow to allow himself to live in the environment of a hog pen."

To answer these remarks of condemnation the spittoon's owner reminds his critics that chewing tobacco once was used to aid sufferers of body pains or cuts. A fresh chew of tobacco placed on a throbbing, aching tooth has been known to allay the pain. And pioneers often used a chew as a poultice to stop the flow of blood from a wound.

Anyway, The Reporter has its antiquated 50-year-old brass spittoon, and the balance of the office force have declared they will acquiesce in the owner's retention of it provided he keeps the plastered walls from floor to ceiling clean.

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Philosopher Believes Truth Not Entirely Inconsistent With TV

Dear editar:

I've been looking at television lately, looked at it quite a bit durin the recent campaign, and I was especially interested in an article I found in a newspaper which blew off the end of a cedar post which some farmer was haulin on his trailer and had tied there to warn traffic approachin from the rear.



Accordin to this article, a federal judge, in commentin on the controversy over whether court trials and public hearings like Congressional investigating committees ought to be televised, said he was opposed to it, and he gave a very peculiar reason.

He said it was all right for newspapers to cover trials and hearings, but there was something about a television camera and the knowledge millions of people were watching which "inspired witnesses to put on an act" and make it "impossible to get at the truth."

You know, I have noticed the same thing about the effect of television on some candidates. It seems to bring out everything from them but the truth.

I don't know why this is so, but the judge sure has got a point. You put some candidates up in a television studio, turn the bright lights on them and start the cameras workin, and while you'd think under such a public glare they'd bring out the truth if they had it in them, it doesn't work that way, and what they say sometimes covers everything except the truth.

But on second thought I do not say I agree entirely with the judge. You can't blame it all on television. I have an idea that the knack of failing to tell the truth was perfected long before television was invented and I've noticed any sort of a public speakin platform has a tendency to cause some candidates to put on an act and make it impossible for the truth to come out. Blamin this situation on the television camera is about as unrealistic as blamin it on the pine boards they used to build public speakin platforms out of.

In fact, I doubt if shinin a light on a man and focusin a television camera on him has much bearin on the amount of truth he comes out with. I don't believe television has increased or decreased the amount of truth-tellin. Its presence or absence was here long before then, and probably will stay in about the same proportion, whether a man's television set is workin or busted.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

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KENNETH FINCHERS ARE PARENTS OF DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Fincher are the parents of a daughter, Patricia Gail, born at 2:42 p.m. Wed., Sept. 8, at Memorial Hospital of Martin County. The infant weighed 6 pounds, 14 ounces.

Both mother and child are reported doing fine. They were dismissed from the hospital Friday.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Fincher of Stanton and Mr. and Mrs. D .C. Hanby of Deming, N.M.

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Bible Comment

CHURCH-HOME IDEAL IS STILL VITAL

When we look back on the origins of the Christian church, we are reminded that the churches, in various places where the missionary journeys of Paul and others led to their establishment, were in the homes of the disciples.

Saint Paul, in greeting Priscila and Aquila, says, "Likewise greet the church that is in the house."

A church could not very well be maintained in a home without the family being a part of it, and family religion is strongly exemplified in the experiences of these early Christians.

The home and family, therefore, were of great importance in the beginnings of the Christian church. Their status suggests very clearly what ought to be the relationship between the church and the home, between Christian belief and practice and family life, at all times, and in all places.

However, one must realize without any undue pessimism that in most, if not in all, communities today the facts and conditions regarding church and home are very different from those that the New Testament records.

In the great multitude of cases, such strictly Christian homes are perhaps the exception, even where there is profession of Christian faith. To mention one example for good or bad, the rule of parents in the home is no longer what it was in those early Christian homes.

And present-day conditions create new difficulties, as families are not often together as they once were.

But the ideal, implicit in Christian faith and teaching, and in the close association of home and church in the days of early Christianity, still remains.

What Was The News Of Note?
-Twenty-Five Years Ago-

(The following was taken from the files of The Stanton Reporter of Sept. 13, 1929.)

If we are to judge by what happened in the middle of September, 1929, then all of West Texas is in for a soaking rain in this month of September, 1954.

The front page of The Stanton Reporter dated Sept. 13, 1929, carried an account of the rain like this: "Practically all of the Panhandle country, all of Cenral Texas, most of South Texas, and all this part of West Texas, was covered in the rains which fell first of the week.

"The rains began in Stanton Monday night about 9 o'clock and continued throughout the night. It was not the hard, washing type of rain but fell steadily, and it was estimated more than two inches had fallen by Tuesday.

Farmers will take advantage of the moisture and plant winter grasses for grazing.

Ranchers are rejoicing over the prospects of grass for the winter grazing.

The Stanton Lions Club had as a guest at their Tuesday meeting Hal Lattimore of the Fort Worth Star-Telegram, who pledged the support of the Star-Telegram to publicize Stanton and Martin County.

Work started Monday morning on tearing down the old Methodist Church preparatory to starting work on the new brick building. Church services and Sunday School will be held in the district courtroom of the courthouse.

It is with great pleasure and pride the people of Stanton point to the new high school building. Nowhere in the West can a town boast of a high school with equipment as modern and complete as the one which has just been constructed.

Friday evening Sept. 13, Stanton Lions Club, P-TA and Chamber of Commerce will join in giving a program to welcome the teachers of the Stanton public schools.

At the regular meeting of the board of directors of the Chamber of Commerce, the board directed the secretary of the chamber to get in touch with a photographer to take pictures of Stanton and Martin County for publicity purposes.

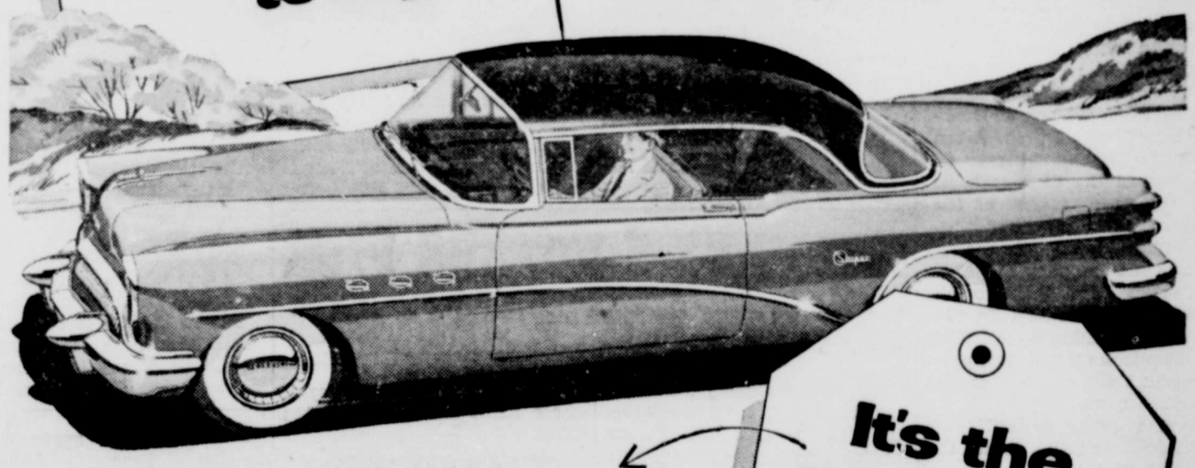
Miss Fay Smith complimented the members of the Kongenial Kard Klub, their husbands and their escorts on last Wednesday evening with games of bridge.

Tarzan Items: The hail which hit the northern part of the county recently ruined 10 to 12 bales of cotton belonging to J. G. Sprawls.

Cotton picking has started on practically every farm in this community. Bonnie White, the scientific farmer of this district, hauled out his first bale Saturday.

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try flock was about the most worthwhile article to have around on the farm to produce revenue when money was badly needed.

There have been times in Martin County when it was the revenue from the poultry flock on the farm which provided the only source from which to derive money to pay the grocery bills and other little incidentals needed about the household.

It can be said of the successful farmer that he has three sources he largely depends upon to provide revenue. They are the cow, the sow, and the hen.

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THE MIDLAND POLICE DEpartment is clamping down on the driving of cars by teenage boys and girls without a driver's license. The cars are confiscated and parked by the police and the parents notified to come and get them. The teenager in the age group eligible to have a license must have it to escape being assessed a fine.

Where a teenager driving a car is not old enough to be issued a license, the car is taken by the police and the parents notified. No more driving by the teenager until he arrives at age of securing a license if the parents wish to escape paying the penalty.

This column hasn't contacted the officers here to learn whether such enforcement of the traffic laws is in effect in Stanton.

To say the least, it is a wise move on the part of the Midland police department to remove one hazard of safe driving in that city. It would be a wise move to enforce such a law in Stanton.

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ANGULAR LEAF WORM, A NEW cotton insect to me, but when I have a farmer friend as truthful as George Lewis to inform me there is such a worm, that's sufficient evidence for me. Lewis says the irrigation farmers, of which he is one, have discovered the Angular worm at work in their cotton. They feast on the cotton leaf and the boll which shrivels up.

This new worm was brought here in cotton seed purchased in New Mexico and planted here.

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ONE OF THE REPORTER'S valued weekly exchange newspapers arrived at the desk this week lamenting the number of typographical errors that would creep into the paper. Errors, too, which had been made by the operator correcting the proof after it had been read.

Careful as the operator may be in making the corrections on the proof, especially when it means after this reading and correction, the type is ready to be placed in the type forms, a momentary flicker across his eyes guides the finger to stray to the wrong key on the linotype board. Hence an error is made on another word in the same line.

Haste makes waste, so it is said. News copy for the week's newspaper is hastily prepared to keep the linotype operator busy. The operator is deluged with last-minute copy. Some of the blame for this can be placed on contributors of local news who hand in copy late in the week that could have been given to the press during the first days of the week. This goes for advertisers who are late in preparing their copy also.

The eye single to every member in the print shop is set on the deadline—the time when all news and ad copy has been set, the proofs read and corrected, and the linotype metal in the hands of the make-up man, who is rushing the completion of his work to meet the deadline of the press hour.

The newspaper force is more than anxious that the paper get off the press and on its way to the readers as soon as possible. This saves extra worry answering jangling telephone calls from persons inquiring, "Is the paper out yet?" Or, "Missed my paper!"

Many folks haven't the least idea of the "nerve-wracking" work placed on the shoulder of the priint shop force to publish a newspaper. The printer is led to believe that some people think all the time required to get out the paper is one day in the week—that day being publication day. They suppose copy for the week's issue is dumped into some sort of a revolving cage propelled by an electric motor. Several revolutions are made and the paper is printed and ready for mailing to the subscriber. Nothing to do then until next publication day.

What has puzzled this writer all the years he has been connected with the newspaper business is how come the insane asylumns are not more crowded with patients than they are. The overcrowded condition would be printers who lost their minds publishing newspapers that would please the public.

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IN SEVERAL OF THE SMALL communities in the East business men have set aside one morning a week for breakfast and prayer. Businessmen holding such a meeting meet at a downtown restaurant every Monday morning at 7:30 for breakfast and prayers. The meetings last 30 minutes. A minister opens the meeting with prayer, afterwards speaking briefly, and the event concludes with prayer in which all participate.

As a result of the meetings one businessman said: "These meetings give me greater confidence in myself and more faith in God; you feel refreshed, eager and spiritually fit to tackle your problems. The services are cultivating a spirit of co-operation among us."

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THIS NOTE CAME TO THE attention of the column this week from the nation's hobos attending the Hobo Day celebration through newspaper columns. It was a day when some 20,000 hobos attended the selection of a king and queen to rule over their domain.

The occasion was held in the town of Britt, Iowa, where the hobos have held their annual get-together for 54 years.

"Box Car Betty" Link dethroned Sylvia Davis, 82, and took the queen's scepter. Sylvia's losing the crown may have been responsible for her complaining that her palace in the city jail was a bit too drafty.

"Scoop Shovel" McDougal was enrobed in the king's purple. A close contestant for McDougal's throne was "Hobo Ben" Benson, a roving reporter for the Hobo News.

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Ticklers — By George



"His wife didn't like one of his decisions, either!"

610 Students In Stanton Schools

Enrollments in Stanton schools at the end of the second week of classes total 610, Supt. O. W. Winstead announced Monday.

This figure compares with a total of 552 students at the end of the same week of school last year.

Enrollments in Stanton thus are disclosed to be up about 10.5 per cent over those for last year, Winstead said. He added the increase was largely due to transfers of students into the Stanton Independent District from Courtney and Grady schools.

Of the 610 enrolled here for this term, high school pupils number 162, grade school 403, and negro elementary school 45.

Nurse Inspector Praises Hospital

Miss Agnes Ericson of Austin, State Secretary of the Board of Licensed Vocational Nursing Schools, visited the Memorial Hospital of Martin County Thurs., Sept. 9.

She spent the day inspecting records and hospital management in relation to the school. She complimented the hospital plant and also the school system.

Miss Ericson gave indications that Stanton's first class of licensed vocational nurses will be approved when the state board meets in January in Austin.

WEST TEXAS PRESS COMMENTS

Every weekly newspaper arriving last week at Press Comment's exchange table carried from a full page to a double-page ad announcing the first football game for the home squad to be played Friday night. Many of the merchants carried in their advertisements congratulatory mesages to the squad and to individual members of the team.

Special Rodeo edition of The Echo, prison newspaper published at Huntsville, arrived last week. It is a 16-page tabloid, printed on glazed book paper.

One item noticed in The Echo was a request from a woman inmate of the Goree Farm prison camp that she be permitted to ride in the wild bronc contest. It is claimed that bareback and saddle bronc riding are her specialties and records of her outside performances indicate she was aways able to hold her own with the best men riders.

Another interesting item in The Echo said that in 1895 a few inmates petitioned the Texas Prison system for the right to establish a school using inmate instructors. Little progress was made in the first 43 years, but the past 16 have been a different story. Today 2,575 students are enrolled.

From reading "Drifting Sands" by Charlie Roberts in his Andrews County News, this column could see quite plainly why one of the attractions that drew him to visit the Big Bend National Park last week was that an appetizing meal was to be served by a group of co-eds just before departing for Texas and Oklahoma colleges.

Roberts attended Park church services Sunday night. He said, "The services were conducted around an old-fashioned campfire with visitors sitting on the ground or on crude planks or logs."

The contest carried on by the new Earth newspaper, offering a prize of an automatic washing machine for the best name for the paper, was settled last week. The lucky contestant was an Earth lady, who submitted the name "News." This new newspaper was established by the owners of the Lamb County Leader and County Wide News.

What the weekly newspaper appreciates seeing and chronicling in its news columns is the opening of a new store in its town. The opening event is most always good for a page advertisement, or at least three-quarters of a page.

The Munday Times reported last week the opening of a new dry goods and department store in Munday. The owner recently moved from Hamlin where he had been in business several years.

The Times carried a three-quarter page ad announcing the opening.

The Good Neighbor policy with Mexico is working right well for the Sul Ross College at Alpine. Dean T. H. Ethridge of the college said in the Alpine Avalanche last week:

"Ten years ago there were few Latin American students in college here, but today 15 or 20 per cent of the students are of Latin extraction, and making fine students."

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Cape Horn is at the foot of South America.

Bering Strait was named for Vitus Bering, a Dane in the Russian Navy.

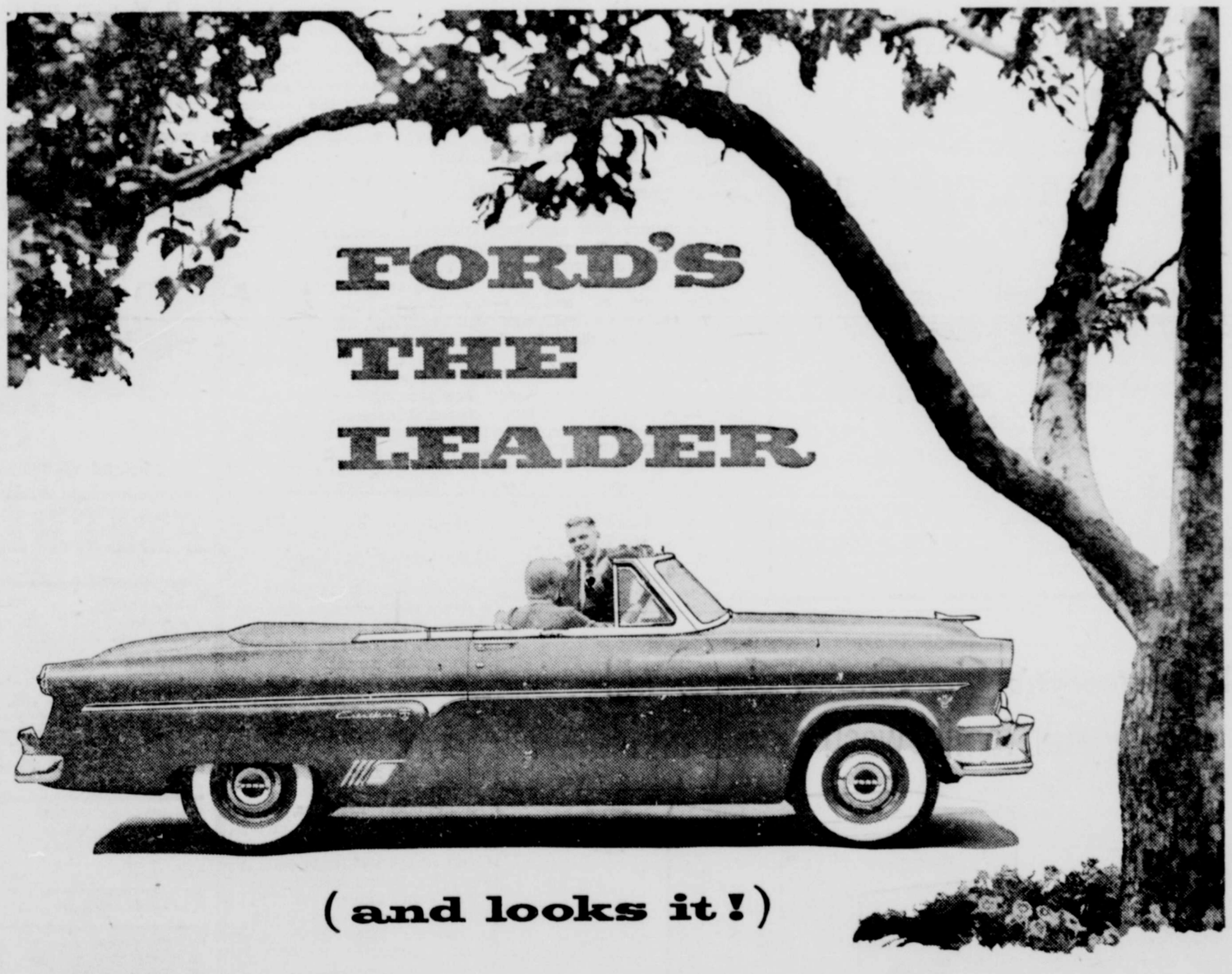
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Miss Margie Sue Wilson of San Angelo and Sherley Chesser of Stanton were married at 8:30 p.m., Sat., Sept. 11, at Day Memorial Methodist Church in San Angelo. The Rev. Bob Hinkleman read the double-ring ceremony before an altar covered with white asters and white lilies.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Wilson of San Angelo. She is a graduate of San Angelo High School.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Chesser of Stanton. He is a graduate of Stanton High School.

The bride wore a two-piece, powder-blue faille suit. She chose black accessories and carried a bridal bouquet of pink roses and white carnations.

Mrs. Ida Lou McDaniel of San Angelo was matron of honor. She wore a tan, two-piece suit and brown accessories. Bobby McDaniel of San Angelo was best man.

After the ceremony a reception was held in the church parlor. The refreshment table was covered with a lace cloth, and a white and green color scheme was carried out in the decorations. Miss Angie Chesser of Stanton, Mrs. Lon Burnett of San Angelo, and Helen Wilson of San Angelo served cake and punch.

Susie Henderson of San Angelo presided at the register.

Out-of-town guests were Tom Ed Angel, Mrs. Walter Morris, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Davis, Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Chesser, Sadler Bridges, Delton Chesser, and Angie Chesser, all of Stanton, and Mrs. Clifton Wilson of Ft. Worth.



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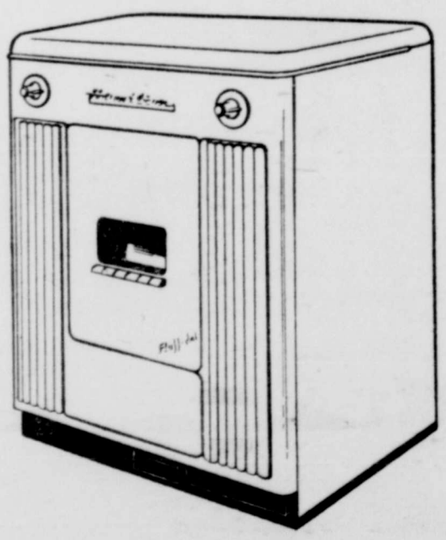
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-:-Personals-:-

Guests over the weekend in the Henry Pinkerton home were Mrs. Pinkerton's brothers, Bill England of Bomarton and Mr. and Mrs. Junior Fickling and son of Big Spring. Also visiting in the Pinkerton home were their children from Stanton and Midland.

Mrs. Jessie A. Clinton, Verna, and grandsons, Billy Olin and Prentice Mack Clinton, spent the weekend in Belton and Temple visiting Mrs. Clinton's sisters and their families.

Leonard Alexander, Jr., who is in the navy and is stationed at Corpus Christi, has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Alexander. While he was here the family made a trip to Possum Kingdom Dam.

Billy Dean Wallace of Kermit visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Alexander, and Leonard Alexander.

Mr. and Mrs. Clea Echols and Gary of Gorman visited over the weekend with friends in Stanton. They are former residents of Stanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bedford and children and Mrs. Reece Bedford of Beauford visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McCreless. Mrs. Reece Bedford is a sister of Mr. McCreless.

Virgil Steele of Hamlin visited in the C. L. Glaspie home over the weekend. He also visited his sister-in-law, Mrs. Doris Stephenson, Bill, Bob and Eunice.

Mrs. Annie Herzog recently visited her daughter in Houston.

Mr. and Mrs. Dee Rogers and Dick have returned from a trip to Colorado and New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cox visited Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Hall last week.

William J. Erwin, formerly of Plaster City, Calif., is making his home with his son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Gib Madison of Tarzan.

Bobby Bryan has moved to Midland where he is employed.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Gib Madison of Tarzan were Mrs. A. L. Kirk of Long Beach, Calif., Mrs. Nancy Erwin of Glendora, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Erwin of Long Beach, and Mr. and Mrs. G. I. Malison, Jr., of Galveston.

Recent visitors of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilson were Mrs. A. P. Baker of El Paso, Mr. and Mrs. James Wilson of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Hull and son of Stamford, Mrs. Callie Leach of Colorado City, and James Albert Wilson, Bob and Bill, of Dublin. Mrs. Hull and Mrs. Leach are sisters of Mr. Wilson.

Amelia Anne and Jeannie Luna of Odessa have returned home after visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Wilson.

Mrs. Jackie Wise of Red Bank, N.J., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. House of Courtney.

Mrs. E. L. Turner of Midland visited last week with her daughter, Mrs. A. L. Donelson.

Mrs. Robert Sheffer of Hanover, Pa., visited last week with Mrs. J. L. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. Jiggs Hall and Mrs. Loree Massey. Mrs. Sheffer is the former Jessie Vance. She was here seeing after some property in Stanton.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie B. Hickman of Sun Ray recently visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ogal Avery.

Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Moore of Encino visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McCreless.

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Students Choose Class Officers

Students of Stanton High School last week chose class sponsors and officers.

Sponsors are: Senior, E. D. Steele and Miss Maude Zarnes; junior, W. E. Harrell and Mrs. Larry Wartes; sophomore, Larry Wartes; and freshman, Melvin Robertson.

Gordon Stone is president of the senior class. Other officers are Glenn Greenlee, vice president; Lorene Burns, secretary-treasurer; and Larie Fisher, reporter. Shirley Shoemaker was elected head of the foods committee and Linda Cathey head of the program committee.

Also on the foods committee are Elaine Hazlewood, Ima Joy Williamson, and Lee McKaskle. Other members of the program committee are Anna Belle Heckler, Margaret Pierce, and LaRue Angel.

Junior officers are Nancy Glaze, president; Ivan Chandler, vice president; Mary Frances Hedrick, secretary-treasurer; Virginia Ory, reporter; and Rufus Tom, sergeant-at-arms.

Sophomore class president is Jane Blissard. Other officers are Phil Foreman, vice president; Loveta Hull, secretary; Frank Cornelius, treasurer; and Nolan Sorrels, reporter.

Freshmen officers are James Edward Williamson, president; Delton Chesser, vice president; Jan Nichols, secretary-treasurer; and Janelle Jones, reporter.

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Rebekahs To Hold Anniversary Picnic

Stanton Rebekah Lodge 287 at a recent meeting made plans to observe the 103rd Anniversary of the Rebekah Order by having a basket picnic supper.

The supper will be held at 7 p.m., Tuesday night, Sept. 21, at the Stanton City Park. Each family will bring a picnic lunch. All Rebekah and Odd Fellow members and their families are invited to attend.

Refreshment hostesses, Sammye Laws, Pearl Bridges, and Flossie Burnam, served orange date nut cake and fruit punch to Pearl Ory, Ruby Burns, Ola Jaggers, Vera Linney, Dallas Thompson, Bruce Abernathy, Elna Sprawls, Ruby Davis and Pauline Graves.

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Mrs. Carroll Jackson Is Honoree At Shower

Mrs. Carroll Jackson was honored with a pink and blue shower Saturday night in the home of Mrs. J. M. Baulch.

Hostesses were Mrs. Roy Pickett, Mrs. Billy Coggin, Mrs. Pat Orren of Odessa, and Mrs. Baulch.

Fall flowers were used to decorate the rooms.

Attending were Mrs. Raymond Kirkley and Gail; Mrs. Joyce Richardson, Mrs. Minnie Sims, Mrs. Coggin, Mrs. Pickett, Mrs. Baulch, and Mrs. Jackson.

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STANTON MAN'S BROTHER DIES

F. M. Payton of Hobbs, N.M., died in a Lubbock hospital Friday. Services were held in Hobbs. He was a brother of Frank Payton of Stanton.

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JUNIOR COLLEGE STUDENT

Miss Verna Clinton has enrolled in Odessa Junior College, where she will take a specialized course in business administration. She will continue her work in Midland and attend night classes.

Methodist Women In Joint Meeting

The Wesleyan Service Guild and the Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met in a joint meeting at the church Monday night. All ladies of the church were invited for a salad supper.

Mrs. Cecil Bridges presented officers of the WSCS, and Mrs. Dick Walker presented officers of the Guild.

Mrs. Hugh Hunt outlined the studies for the year's work.

Mrs. Carroll Jackson and Mrs. Raymond Phillips were special guests.

Others present were Mrs. Floyd Smith, Mrs. H. M. McReynolds, Mrs. O. B. Bryan, Mrs. R. P. Simpson, Mrs. June Graham, Mrs. Ralph Jones, Mrs. Bob Haislip, Mrs. Millard Hall, Mrs. B. F. Smith, Mrs. Evelyn Woodard, Mrs. R. M. Deavenport, Mrs. A. G. Donelson, Mrs. Grady Standefer, Mrs. James Eiland, Miss Lela Hamilton, Mrs. James Biggs, Mrs. Phil Berry, Mrs. James Jones, Mrs. John Poe, and Mrs. F. O. Rhodes.

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Sewing Club Meets With Mrs. Burnam

Mrs. Clayton Burnam was hostess recently to members and guests of the Stitch and Chatter Club.

Sewing and knitting were the main diversions of the afternoon.

Refreshments of orange date nut cake and frosted punch were served to Mrs. B. F. Smith, Mrs. Flora Rogers, Mrs. J. N. Poe, Mrs. R. M. Deavenport, Mrs. Grady Cross, Mrs. T. Y. Allen, Mrs. G. W. Alsup, and guests, Mrs. R. L. Kirkley and Gail.

Next meeting will be with Mrs. Grady Cross.

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The largest hail-stones ever measured in the USA weighed 1½ pounds, was 17 inches in circumference and almost 5½ inches in diameter.

Arlene Merritt Becomes Bride Of Roland Mullins In Flower Grove

Arlene Merritt and Roland Mullins were married Thursday evening at 7:30 in the Bethel Baptist Church at Flower Grove, with the Rev. Clyde Arrender performing the ceremony. Mrs. Mullins is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Weatherford of Ackerly and Mr. Mullins is the son of Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Mullins of Ackerly.

Marilyn Merritt, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and Joe Mullins, brother of the groom, was best man. Misses Margaret and Bessie Smith sang "Wonderful One" and "Always." They were accompanied by Mrs. Clyde Arrender who also played the Wedding March. The bride was given in marriage by her father.

Ushers were Wayne Webb and Dugan Butchee.

The bride wore a white antique taffeta dress of ballerina length. It was fashioned with a scalloped neckline, and the beaded bodice came to a point in front. The skirt was full, and the sleeves were short scalloped sleeves. Her veil was of lace, fashioned with seeded pearls around the edge. She also wore lace mits.

The maid of honor's dress was of rose antique taffeta styled after the bride's.

Mrs. Mullins attended Flower Grove school, and she is a senior student this year at Courtney.

Mr. Mullins attended Flower Grove school and is a graduate of Texas Tech. He served in the Air Force and was discharged last October. He is coach at Courtney this year.

A reception was held at the church after the ceremony.

Cake and punch were served by Carolyn Butchee, Pat Weatherford, Mildred Carmichael, and Elena Barkowsky. Billie Fern Cook was at the bride's register.

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Welch's 24-oz. Bottle GRAPE JUICE 37¢
Diamond No. 303 Can CUT BEANS 2 for 25¢
4-oz. Can PIMENTOES 2 for 29¢
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FROZEN DESSERT Swift's Honey Cup ½-Gallon 49¢

CRISCO 3 lbs. 89¢
Charmin 80-Count NAPKINS 2 boxes 25¢
Kim DOG FOOD 2 cans 15¢
Large Box TIDE or CHEER 27¢

FRYERS Lb. 49¢

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BUS. OPPORTUNITIES E

Business Wanted E-3

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FARM & RANCH J

Farm & Ranch Supplies J-2

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Livestock & Poultry J-4

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Miscellaneous J-5

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LEGALS N

NOTICE OF SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF MARTIN

Notice is hereby given that whereas, I, Bruce Frazier, was, by virtue of an order of the Commissioner's Court of Martin County, appointed Commissioner for the sale of the tracts of land hereinafter described under the terms and provisions of such order, such order being as follows, to-wit:

ORDER TO SELL LAND

On this the 13th day of September, 1954, came on to be heard and considered by the Commissioner's Court of Martin County, Texas, the question of the disposal of certain land hereinafter described such being owned by the said County of Martin, State of Texas, and the advisability of the sale of said lands; and it appearing to the said Commissioner's Court that such lands are in fact owned by the said County of Martin, and that the said lands are at the present time not being used by the County of Martin for any purpose and are idle and that it would be for the benefit of the said County of Martin that the said lands be sold:

THEREFORE, IT IS HEREBY ORDERED, that Bruce Frazier, County Judge, be and is hereby appointed as a Commissioner for the purpose of the sale of the said lands, such lands being described as follows:

Four lots or tracts of land according to a sub-division of 1.5 acres of land for Martin County, Texas, as shown by the plat thereof which is filed in Volume 4, page 253, of the Field Note Records of Martin County, Texas.

TRACT ONE

Beginning at a ½" reinf. rod set in the North line of said 1.5 acre tract of land described as Tract 2 in the Deed of a Corporation, Memorial Hospital of Martin County, Texas, to the County of Martin, recorded in Vol. 70, page 272, Deed Records, said County, from which the intersection of the projection of the East line of St. Peter Street with the South line of the NW/4 of the NE/4 Sec. 14, Blk. 36, T-1-S, T&P RR. Co. Survey, Martin County, Texas, bears in a Westerly direction 145 feet, and in a Northerly direction 289.5 feet, for the NW corner of the herein described lot;

Thence with said North line of this 1.5 acre tract and in an Easterly direction 145 feet to a ½" IP set in the West line of a 40-foot dedication for St. Mary Street, for the NE corner this survey;

Thence with said W. line St. Mary Street in a Southerly direction 75 feet to a ½" reinf. rod set in the North line of a 50-foot dedication for Fifth Street, for the SE corner of this survey;

Thence, with said N. line Fifth Street, 145 feet in a Westerly direction to a ½" reinf. rod set in the East line of a 10-foot alley dedication, for the SW corner this survey;

Thence with said E. line of the alley, 75 feet in a Northerly direction to the place of beginning.

TRACT TWO

Beginning at a ½" IP set at the NW corner of a 1.5 acre tract of land described as Tract 2 in the Deed of a Corporation, Memorial Hospital of Martin County, Texas, to the County of Martin, recorded in Vol. 70, page 272, Deed Records, said County, said point being situated in the East line of the projection of St. Peter Street and 289.5 feet in a Southerly direction from its intersection with the South line of the NW/4 of the NE/4 Sec. 14, Blk. 36, T-1-S, T&P RR. Co. Survey, Martin County, Texas, for the NW corner of the lot herein described;

Thence in a Southerly direction and with the East line of said St. Peter Street 75 feet to a ½" IP set in the North line of a 50-foot dedication for Fifth Street, for the SW corner this survey;

Thence with said North line Fifth Street and in an Easterly direction 135 feet to a ½" reinf. rod set in the West line of a 10-foot dedication for an alley, for the SE corner this survey;

Thence with said W. line of the alley and in a Northerly direction 75 feet to a ½" reinf. rod set in the North line of said 1.5 acre tract of land, for the NE corner this survey;

Thence with said N. line of a 1.5 acre tract and in a Westerly direction 135 feet to the place of beginning.

TRACT THREE

Beginning at a ½" IP set in the projection of the East line of St. Peter Street and 414.5 feet in a Southerly direction from its intersection with the South line of the NW/4 of the NE/4 Sec. 14, Blk. 36, T-1-S, T&P RR. Co. Survey, Martin County, Texas, for the NW corner of the lot herein described;

Thence with said S. line of the 1.5 acre tract and in an Easterly direction 135 feet to a ½" reinf. rod set in the West line of a 10-foot dedication for an alley, for the SE corner this survey;

Thence with said W. line of the alley, and in a Northerly direction 73 feet to a ½" reinf. rod set in said S. line of Fifth Street for the NE corner this survey;

Thence with said S. line Fifth Street, and in a Westerly direction 135 feet to the place of beginning.

TRACT FOUR

Beginning at a ½" reinf. rod set in the South line of a 1.5 acre tract of land described as Tract 2 in the Deed of a Corporation, Memorial Hospital of Martin County, Texas, to the County of Martin recorded in Vol. 70, page 272, Deed Records, said County, from which the intersection of the projection of the East line of St. Peter Street with the South line of the NW/4 of the NE/4 Sec. 14, Blk. 36, T-1-S, T & T RR. Co. Survey, Martin County, Texas, bears 145 feet in a Westerly direction, and 487.5 feet in a Northerly direction, for the SW corner this lot, said point being in the East line of a 10-foot dedication for an alley;

Thence with said S. line of the 1.5 acre tract and in an Easterly direction 145 feet to a ½" reinf. rod set in the West line of a 40-foot dedication for St. Mary Street, for the SE corner this survey;

Thence with said W. line St. Mary St., and in a Northerly direction 73 feet to a ½" reinf. rod set in the South line of 50-foot dedication for Fifth Street, for the NE corner this survey;

Thence with the S. line Fifth St., and in a Westerly direction 145 feet to a ½" reinf. rod set in said E. line of a 10-foot alley, for the NW corner this survey;

Thence with said E. line of the alley, and in a Southerly direction 73 feet to the place of beginning.

And the said Commissioner is hereby empowered to sell said land in the manner and form hereinafter set out and to execute a good and sufficient deed to the purchaser thereof under and by virtue of the terms of this order of the Commissioner's Court of Martin County, Texas, passed and enacted under and by virtue of Article 1577, Revised Civil Statutes of the State of Texas, as amended.

It is futher provided hereby that said Commissioner shall sell said land at public auction on the 4th day of October, 1954, at the door of the Courthouse of Martin County, Texas, at Stanton, Texas, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m., and he shall give notice of such public sale by advertising at least twenty (20) days before the day of sale by having notice thereof published in the English language once a week for three consecutive weeks preceeding such sale in a newspaper in Martin County, Texas, giving the description of the land, terms of sale, and date and time of sale as herein set out.

Such land at such public auction shall be sold by the said Bruce Frazier, Commissioner herein appointed, to the highest bidder for cash, with right reserved to reject all bids, and further the said land shall be sold by lots and upon the completion of said sale and upon payment of the consideration by the purchaser thereof to the said Commissioner, then the said Commissioner shall give to the said purchaser a good and sufficient deed to said property as provided by law.

H. O. PHILLIPS
Commissioner, Precinct No. 1
E. H. MORROW
Commissioner, Precinct No. 2

NO SIGNATURE
Commissioner, Precinct No. 3
JOE FROMAN
Commissioner, Precinct No. 4

NOW, THEREFORE, I, BRUCE FRAZIER, Commissioner as aforesaid hereby give notice that I will accordingly, after due publishing of this notice as required by law and by the terms of said order, sell at public vendue to the highest bidder, or bidders, for cash, with right reserved to reject all bids, at the Courthouse door of Martin County, Texas, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 4:00 p.m. on the 4th day of October, 1954, the said real estate hereinbefore described in said order of the Commissioner's Court of Martin County, Texas.

Witness my hand this 13th day of September, 1954.

BRUCE FRAZIER
Commissioner
(Seal)

ATTEND ROTARY MEETING

Vice President Jack Arrington of the Stanton Rotary Club and Bruce Frazier, chairman of the club's classification committee, went to Plainview Tuesday to attend an all-day meeting of representatives from Rotary clubs in District 183

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Cokesbury's, in Dallas, Texas, is the biggest book store in the nation.

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The first zoo in America was at Philadelphia in 1874.

Stanton Man Now Assigned To Arabia

Doyle Clinton, son of Mrs. Jessie A. Clinton of Star Route, Stanton, left Aug. 6 for Arabia. Doyle is employed with G. S. I. and Aranico Oil Company in Arabia. He plans to spend two years there.

Doyle has been with the G. S. I. out of Dallas for 12 years. His first foreign service was in Canada where he spent three years.

His letters home say the climate in Arabia is similar to that in the United States.

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OUTDOOR SUPPER HELD FOR REGISTERED NURSES

Mrs. Stanley Reid recently was hostess to a meeting of registered nurses of District 21. The group met in her backyard for an outdoor supper. Mrs. Bill Lively was co-hostess.

Mrs. Hila Weathers gave several readings.

Thirty nurses representing Midland, Odessa, Big Spring, Monahans and Stanton attended.

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MOORES ARE PARENTS

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Moore of Houston are parents of a son, John Michael, born Sept. 1 in Houston. The infant weighed six pounds, 11 ounces.

Mrs. Moore is the former Joyce Clardy, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Clardy of Stanton. The Clardys have returned from a visit with their daughter.

SPECIALIST HERE

Miss Frances Reasonover, food specialist with the Extension Service of Texas A&M College, spent Tuesday in Stanton working with Mrs. Mildred Eiland, home demonstration agent. They made plans for next year's food program in Martin County.

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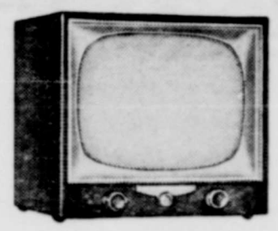
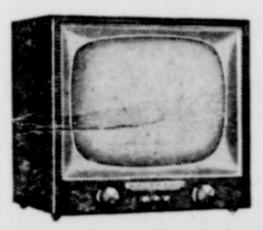
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1 Depicted part of a saddle
5 It usually is made of ——, wood or leather
13 Halberd-shaped
14 Shade of green
15 Limb
16 Danger
18 Wooden pin
19 Parent
20 Hebrew ascetics
22 Sun god of Egypt
23 Pitcher
25 Warmth
27 Bargain event
28 Prod
29 Part of "be"
30 Enemies
31 Opposed
33 Defender of the Faith (ab.)
34 It supports the —— of a rider
35 Meadows
38 Front
39 Domestic slave
40 Belonging to (suffix)
41 Light shoes
47 World War II soldier (ab.)
48 Seine
50 City in Idaho
51 Lair
52 Growing out
54 Metrical unit
56 Resign
57 Sorrow

VERTICAL

1 Forms
2 Gilbert Island
3 Doctrine
4 Right (ab.)
5 Knocks
6 Shoshonean Indians
7 Father (Fr.)
8 Breakwater
9 Hebrew deity
10 Gratuity
11 Normal
12 Envoys
17 Preposition
20 Hermits
21 Mixes cards
24 Click beetle
26 Eats away
31 Related
32 Geological period
36 Enrages
37 Nets
42 Encourage
43 Negative reply
44 Darkens
45 Bewildered
46 Metal
49 Scottish cap
51 Owing
53 Palm lily
55 Tin (symbol)



ACKERLY NEWS

By DOROTHY BAKER

HARGRAVES' ENTERTAIN

Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Hargraves were hosts recently at a chicken fry in their home. Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Bradley and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Robinson and Jerry of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ingram and Brenda and Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Gregg.

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SENIORS GET RINGS

There were 18 happy seniors at Ackerly Tuesday when they received their class rings. They have been waiting 11 years for this event to come.

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CHURCH PICNIC HELD

The young people of the Ackerly Baptist Church were entertained recently with a picnic at the Big Spring State Park. About 20 attended including adult leaders Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Horton and Ted Porter.

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MERRITT-MULLINS RITES

Miss Arlene Merritt, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Pete Weatherford, and Roland Mullins, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Mullins were married Thursday night in the Bethel Baptist Church six miles west of Ackerly.

They are at home in the Courtney community. The bride attended Ackerly school before moving to Flower Grove.

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PERSONALS

Guests in the Tommy Gregg home Sunday were Mrs. Clayton Parson and children of Denver City and Mrs. Edward Burchell and children of Knott.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Mealer and sons of Sundown and Eula Maud Handley of Lamesa were weekend visitors with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Dosier and Helen.

Dean Springfield returned to work in Odessa Sept. 6 after spending the Labor Day weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Springfield.

Mr. and Mrs. Harley Moore and children of Odessa visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moore.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvie Hogg and Daphne, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Harry, and Mr. and Mrs. Jake Harry and Ancil were in Jacksonville recently to attend a family reunion.

John Massey has moved to Ackerly from Denton. He will teach English in high school.

Shirley West, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nick West, left Thursday for Abilene where she attends McMurry College.

Sunday guests over the Labor Day weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Grigg and family were Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Grigg of Llano; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hargraves and daughter of Odessa; Bill Sprawls of Shreveport, La.; Idas Bellamy of Grand Saline; Mr. and Mrs. Otto Van Zandt and family of Sundown; Mrs. Bill Grigg and Debbie, and Mr. and Mrs. Donald Grigg and children, all of Ackerly.

Mrs. Tommy Gregg and children visited Mrs. Bertha Gregg Friday in Big Spring.

Buck Baker visited his brothers in Eunice, N.M. last week.

The Rev. and Mrs. James Dubanks and children have moved into our community. He will be the pastor of the Church of Christ. He was formerly pastor of the Forsan Church of Christ.

Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Ingram took their son, Lynn, to the Big Spring Hospital Thursday with acute appendicitis. He returned home Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lurther Ruderseal and Keith spent Saturday in the home of their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Myles.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cook last Wednesday were his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Cook of Post.

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Xi Alpha Beta Members Receive 1954-55 Yearbooks

Xi Alpha Beta, Exemplar Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi, met Thursday night, Sept. 2, at the home of Mary Kathryn Bristow. A chicken barbecue supper was served in the back yard.

Yearbooks for 1954-55 were distributed, and the program for the year was discussed briefly by Mildred Eiland, program chairman. Plans for an Area Council to be held in Stanton in November also were discussed.

Present were Mary Prudie Brown, LaNelle Davis, Dorothy Deavenport, Mildred Eiland, Mary Haislip, Mattie Jones, Cora Kelly, Allyne Kelly, Mary Grace Latimer, Sammye Laws, Irene Long, June Reid, Doralene Robnett, Mary Rogers, Mamie Roten, Hallie Sale, Lula Mae Sale, Louise Stallings, Polly Talton and the hostess.

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SURPRISE PARTY HONORS THE REV. HUGH HUNT

The Rev. Hugh Hunt was honored with a surprise birthday party on Family Night at the First Methodist Church, Wed., Sept. 8.

Gifts were presented to Mr. and Mrs. Hunt.

Supper was served to approximately 60 persons.



Mrs. Madison Hostess To Valley View Club

Mrs. Gib Madison was hostess to the Valley View Home Demonstration Club last Thursday.

A report was given by Mrs. Chalmer Wren on the Texas Home Demonstration Convention held recently in Dallas.

Present Thursday were Mrs. W. G. Walter, Mrs. Bob Thrailkill, Mrs. G. Tunnell, Mrs. U. H. Butler, Mrs. Jim Franklin, Mrs. Lewis Carlile, Mrs. Delmar Hamm, Mrs. Jim Miller, Mrs. O. D. Green, and two visitors, Mrs. Wren and Mrs. Bill Perry.

Next meeting will be Sept. 23 with Lola Duncan.

A Stanley party was given after the meeting with Mrs. Delmar Hamm as demonstrator.

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Wheelers Return From California

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley Wheeler have returned from a visit with their son and daughter-in-law, Lt. and Mrs. William A. Wheeler at Oceanside, California, where Lt. Wheeler is stationed at Camp Pendleton.

While in California they went sightseeing in Los Angeles, Hollywood and other places of interest. They also attended the races at Delmar and visited Tia Juana, Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Ward Hall and Linda of Big Spring accompanied the Wheelers to California.

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Labor Day visitors in the home of Mrs. D. C. Saunders, Sr., were Mr. and Mrs. L. Saunders of Brownfield, Mr. and Mrs. Oren Carter and Wade of Slaton, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Dill of Arlington, Miss Beth Chattman of Valley View, Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Saunders of Valley View, Mrs. Dee Saunders, Linda and Sarah, and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Saunders, David and Dannie.



FOOTBALL SEASON'S COMING AT YOU—"Flying" for the Philadelphia Eagles, pro rookie Jack Moses takes off during practice at Hershey, Pa. Moses, who played for University of Pennsylvania, last year coached the Penn State Junior Varsity.

Local Banker Named To Advisory Council

The Reporter is in receipt of a communication from Dallas announcing that the Southwestern Medical Foundation has appointed Jim Tom of Stanton to its Advisory Council.

Tom will represent Martin County on the Council during the ensuing year, according to R. R. Gilbert of Dallas. Gilbert, a banker, is chairman of the council.

The Southwestern Medical Foundation is a non-profit, philanthropic organization. It works to improve health and combat disease in the Southwest.

Membership in the Advisory Council extends to almost every county in Texas. This membership is now being broadened to include all of Texas as well as Louisiana, Oklahoma and New Mexico, Gilbert said.

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P-TA Committee At Grady School Meets

Theexecutive committee of Grady P-TA met Thursday, Sept. 1, and adopted a program for the year.

Members displayed enthusiasm toward executing a program that will be beneficial to the school and its students.

A few of the long range plans are community recreation, improvement of school yards, improvement of auditorium, and securing additional books for library.

VISIT IN INDIANA

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Fuquay and Gerry accompanied their daughter, Mrs. C. E. Butler and son, home to Gary, Ind. They were gone a week.

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Freemasonry was introduced into the American Colonies before 1730.

VISITS MOTHER

Henry Graves and a friend, Bill Graves, of Ft. Bliss visited Henry's mother, Mrs. Fannie Graves, recently.

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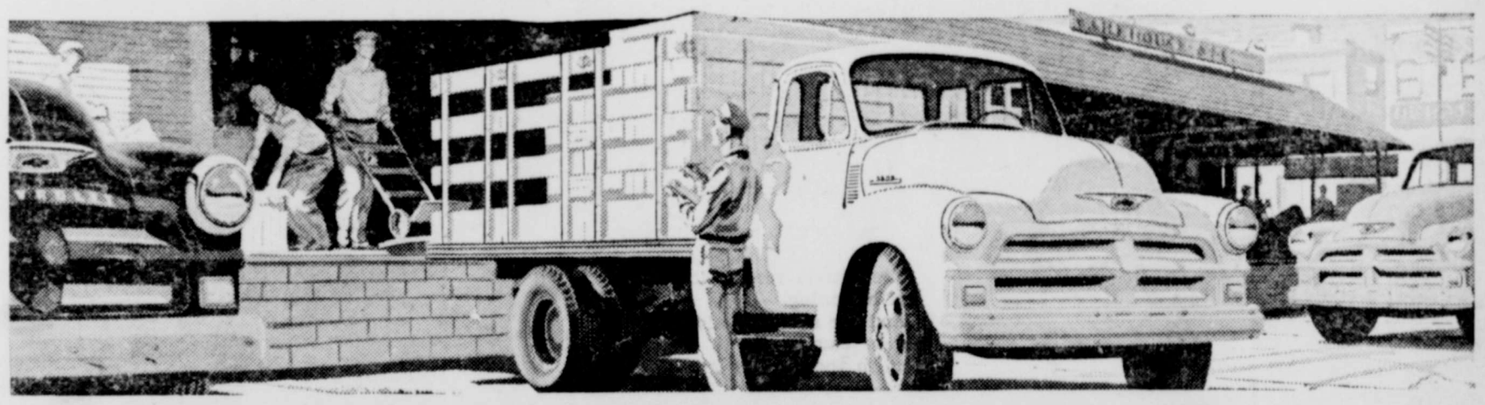
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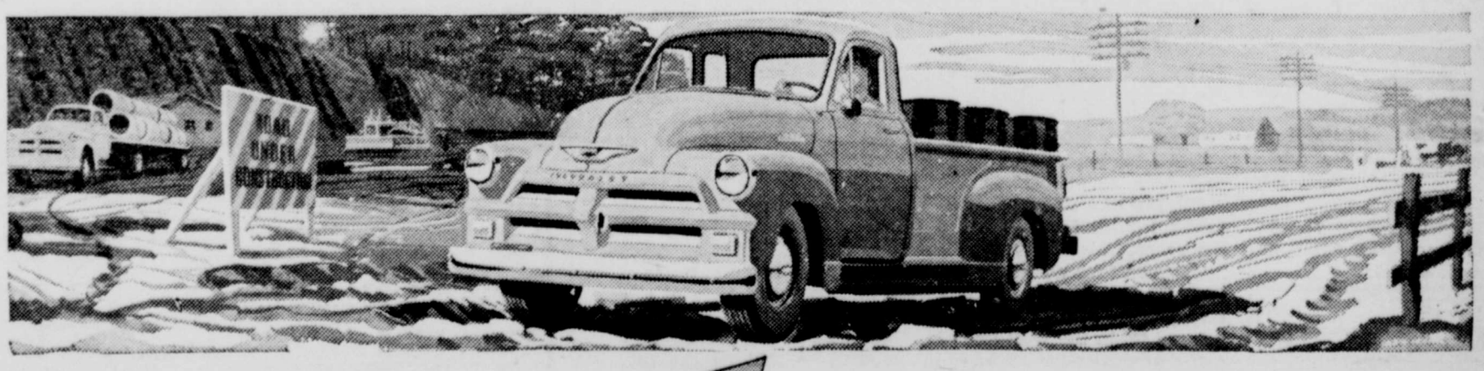
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WINNING CATCH—Pretty Sally Drolle displays the eight-pound, twelve-ounce catch she landed to win a junior anglers' contest in Brooklyn, N.Y. Sally was awarded $325 in U. S. Defense Bonds and a complete fishing outfit for her efforts.



GUESS AGAIN—A combination of monkey, ape and predatory animal is this Tail-Maki which is now residing in a Stockholm, Sweden, zoo. The frendly little animal, which has a color combination of brown, gray, black and white, hails from Madagascar.

33 TOTS ENROLLED IN RHYTHM CLASS

Mrs. O. B. Bryan began a rhythm band class and a class in speech and personality singing Wednesday, Sept. 8.

The classes are for pre-school age children and will be held every Wednesday.

Mrs. R. P. Odom is assisting Mrs. Bryan.

Thirty-three pupils have enrolled in rhythm band and 14 in the speech class.

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The first Olympic games recorded occurred in 776 B. C. in Greece.

Stantonite Awarded Scholarship At Tech

Norman Chandler, who attends Texas Tech, has been awarded the W. H. Gordon Junior Scholarship for 1954-55.

This is the first year the scholarship has been given. The donor designated that it be awarded to a student who had shown "significant growth in his academic stature by the time he reached his junior year and who had evidenced satisfactory citizenship during that period."

Chandler is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Chandler who live 10 miles northeast of Stanton. He is a graduate of Stanton High School. He and his wife and baby recently visited his parents.

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Thursday Bridge Club Elects New Officers

The Thursday Bridge Luncheon Club elected new officers last week at a meeting in the home of Mrs. Jimmy Rogers. They are: President, Mrs. Jimmy Rogers, and secretary-treasurer, Mrs. Bernard Houston.

High score was won by Mrs. Ralph Jones, and Mrs. Tom Houston was second high.

Attending were Mrs. Glen Cox, Mrs. June Graham, Mrs. J. C. Greenhaw, Mrs. Tom Houston, Mrs. H. A. Houston, Mrs. J. D. Poe, Mrs. R. K. Rogers, Mrs. Elbert Steele, Mrs. Edmund Tom, Mrs. Jim Tom, Mrs. Ralph Jones, Mrs. Bernard Houston and the hostess.

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Big Spring—Tex Hotel, Sept. 20, 7 a.m. to 12 noon

Farm& Ranch Review



By JAMES E. KELLY

Not necessarily is this announcement for farm women only. It's meant for any woman of the household who has examined her linen closet and found her sheets and pillow cases to have worn spots and tears.

The National Cotton Council reports that you can now get a supply of pillow cases anytime you want or need them at your local feed store. A new cotton bag is designed to do double duty, first as a container for 50 pounds of feed, and later as a bright bedroom accessory.

Ripped, the container provides a yard and one-sixth of material for making children's dresses, napkins or place mats, curtains, sun suits, and aprons. The pillow case bags are available in plain white, border trims, or all-over print patterns.



BEDTIME FASHIONS from the feed bag. A new 50-lb. feed bag converts easily into a pillow case, with no sewing necessary. Ripped, the container provides more than a yard of material for a little girl's matching nightgown or other home sewing re-use.

You know, we are living in a cotton county, and a purchase of one or more of these feed sacks from your feed dealer will be supporting consumption of the product you raise.

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The United States Department of Agriculture reports that due to skimpy range grass, livestock in West Texas are facing too serious a run-down condition to make it through the winter. Due to that gloomy prospect ranchers are rushing cattle, calves and shorn goats to market.

Heavy rains in the Trans-Pecos and High Plains areas gave grass a good start, but not enough.

East and Central are desperately in need of a general soaking rain, the USDA weekly ranch-and-farm survey showed.

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The Agriculture Department at Washington has estimated a 3,375,000 bale cotton crop in Texas for 1954. The department estimated the condition of this year's crop at 69 per cent of normal.

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Here is an instance where a Dallas County poultry raiser failed to count his chickens AFTER they had been hatched.

He found the egg production from his flock was falling off seriously. An investigation found that between 800 and 1,000 White Leghorn hens, valued at $4,000, were missing. It was for that reason the poultry owner was in the sheriff's office bright and early one morning last week.

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A revival of the horse-thieving days was revealed by a Sheffield ranchman when he posted a $100 reward for information leading to recovery of an Appaloosa roping horse stolen from his ranch in August.

The horse was taken when the ranchman was busy repairing flood damage on his ranch between Sheffield and Dryden.

The horse is 6 years old, weight about 1,050 pounds. He is brown except for snow-white hips, which have brown spots.

San Angelo will be host to a steer roping and branding contest Nov. 13. Representatives of the San Angelo Livestock Show attended a steer roping event at Clovis, N. M., and contracted for 70 head of steers to be used in the contest.

Some eight top ropers have been invited to participate in the event. Among them is Toots Mansfield of Big Spring.

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As ranchmen are interested in rodeo shows, and so is about everybody living on farms, this column is about as good a place as any other spot in The Reporter to mention the coming of the Prison Rodeo. The event is the 23rd annual staging of the Texas Penitentiary's famous rodeo.

It will be held at Huntsville every Sunday in October. And the first Sunday's date, Oct. 3, has been officially designated Press Day.

Publicity of the event proclaims it will be a rougher, tougher, wilder and faster than any show ever staged at the penitentiary before.

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The reports of crop conditions over various parts of the state lead this column to believe that Martin County is an "oasis in the desert." This title given the county stems from the many thousands of acres under irrigation coming up with an anticipated yield of from one to two bales of cotton per acre.

Then, too, to augment the yield from the irrigation belt, many dryland farms will produce a fair crop of cotton where none was grown in the past four years due to drouth. This combination of crop production this year is what has brought The Reporter to estimate the bale yield for the county will be near the 60,000 mark.

Martin County's largest cotton bale production was in 1949, when the yield was 69,599 bales. This cotton came largely from dryland farms.

Then the four year drouth set in, and many acres were placed under irrigation. In 1950 the the county's total yield was 47,143 bales; in 1951, the yield was 24,541 bales. By 1952, dryland cotton had left the scene due to drouth, and the irrigated acres came up with a yield of 17,490 bales. These figures are supplied by the Texas Almanac.

The total cotton yield for 1953, according to the best information The Reporter could obtain without figures direct from the census bureau, was 16,000 bales, all from the irrigated farms.

The early spring rains this year paved the way for a large acreage of dry land to be planted to cotton, and despite the long dry spell which has followed, this farm land will produce many bales.

To support The Reporter's near 60,000 bale crop yield for the county in 1954 is the fact that there are many additional acres under irrigation this year. Banking on the average per acre this area came up with last year, added to by the many bales in the making on the dryland farms which didn't produce any cotton in 1953, the predicted bale yield, The Reporter believes, is not too high.

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Faculty Announced For Grady School

Monday morning, Aug. 30, marked the beginning of a new erm for Grady School.

Principal B. M. Turner greeted parents, teachers, and pupils in general assembly. Three new members of the staff were introduced and welcomed to the faculty.

The school is staffed by Turner, Clifford Allen, coach, and Mrs. T. Knox, teachers for fifth, sixth, seventh and eighth grades; Elbert Galloway, fourth; Mrs. J. M. Payne, third; Miss Clyda Ruth Aikins, second; and Mrs. A. C. Fleming, first.

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Mrs. Wren Reports On HD Convention

The Courtney Home Demonstration Club met Wed., Sept. 8, in the home of Mrs. Owen Kelly.

Mrs. Chalmer Wren gave a report on the Texas Home Demonstration convention she attended in Dallas.

Mrs. Delmar Hamm gave a demonstration on Stanley products.

Present were Mrs. Wren, Mrs. Charlie Matthews, Mrs. Joe Stewart, Mrs. J. T. Stroud, Mrs. H. P. Morrison, Mrs. R. P. Odom, Mrs. Walter Holcomb, Mrs. Henry Rayford, Mrs. W. E. Kelly, Mrs. Pearl Ory, Mrs. C. L. Howard, Mrs. Tom Smith, Mrs. Billy Gene Smith, Mrs. Flora Rogers, and the hostess.

Next meeting will be Sept. 22 in the home of Mrs. Henry Rayford.

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LEAVE FOR DENTON

Mr. and Mrs. Robert S. Wheeler left last week for Denton where Robert will enter his senior year at North Texas State College.

Three Stantonites Return From Trip

Mrs. Margaret Moffett, Mrs. Hila Weathers and Mrs. Lila Flanagan enjoyed a Labor Day weekend trip to parts of Texas, New Mexico and Colorado.

They left Midland at 8 p. m., Fri., Sept. 3, and spent the night in Roswell. The following day was spent in Santa Fe where they attended the 242nd Annual Santa Fe Fiesta.

Saturday night they visited Durango, Colo., and Sunday the Aztec ruins near Aztec, N. M., and Farmington, N. M., where Mrs. Flanagan formerly lived.

They spent Sunday night in Albuquerque and Monday bought parched cornmeal at the Ysleta Indian Reservation.

Before returning home, the travelers picked apples in Hondo Valley. They reported seeing snow in some parts of New

The executive committee of Grady P-TA met Thursday, Sept. 1, and adopted a program for the year.

Members displayed enthusiasm toward executing a program that will be beneficial to the school and its students.

A few of the long range plans are community recereation, improvement of school yards, improvement of auditorium, and securing additional books for library.

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HOSPITAL NOTES

J. W. Meeks of Tarzan, who has been in the hospital two weeks, is improved.

R. P. Martin of Stanton, who has been in the hospital three weeks, is improved.

Mrs. J. T. Davis of Stanton entered Sept. 7 and was dismissed Sept. 11.

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By KATHLEEN LEWIS

BROTHERHOOD MEETS

The Brotherhood met Monday night in its regular meeting at the Baptist Church.

New officers of the association elected at the business meeting are: Tom Stewart, president; A. C. Powell, vice president; Carrol Hull, secretary; and Irvin Myrick, treasurer.

After the business meeting a barbecue was enjoyed by the 16 members present.

At the next regular meeting, which is Monday night, Oct. 11, Family Night will be held, and everyone is invited.

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EAGLE SCHEDULE

Coach Roland Mullins has released the following football schedule for the Courtney Eagles for this term:

Sept. 17—Toyah.
Oct. 1—Gail*.
Oct. 8—Ira.
Oct. 15—Flower Grove*.
Oct. 22—Ackerly.
Oct. 29—Dawson.
Nov. 5—Loop*.
Nov. 12—Knott.
Nov. 19—Klondike*.

Home games are marked with an asterisk.

Coach Mullins says the first game of the season with Toyah on Friday night, Sept. 17, will begin at 7:30.

First team is as follows: Leon Powell, center; J. D. Greene, left end; Kenneth Gilmore, right end; Carroll Hull, quarter; J. D. right half.

Defensive: Eugene Powell, left end; Kenneth Gilmore, right end; Don Jones, center; B. R. Wilson, linebacker; Billy Allred, back; J. D. House, back.

Others: Julian Rodriquez, Ysidro Arquello, Calvin Powell, Darrell Pollock, and Loie Badgett.

Home games will be 25c for students and 50c for adults.

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hull and family visited Sunday with Mr. Hull's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hull, in Coahoma.

Here to attend the Stanton McCamey ball game and to visit their parents last weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Jim Myrick and family of Ft. Davis and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crone of Morton. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Myrick ani Rodney and Reggie.

Other Sunday visitors in the Myrick home were Mr. Myrick's sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blocker of Hobbs, N.M., and Mr. and Mrs. George Blocker of Jal, N.M., and his mother Mrs. Alice Myrick. The Blockers returned Mrs. Myrick home after a visit with them in their homes, and with her grandson, Chris Blocker, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Blocker, who is recovering in a Hobbs hospital from a broken leg received in football scrimmage.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hale, and Betty and Mrs. Hester Badgett attended funeral services in Colorado City Saturday for Lee Moore. Mr. Moore was an uncle of Mrs. Hale.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Hale, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hale and Mr. and Mrs. Dwain Vannoy of Midland visited this weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Hale.

Mr. and Mrs. Minter McReynolds and Ronnie and Donnie have moved to this community from Midland to make their home. They are living on Mrs. Alice Angel's farm. Mrs. McReynolds is the former Loreta Angel. The McReynold's are not newcomers to this community, both having been reared here. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. M. McReynolds of Stanton. Mrs. Angel has recently moved to Stanton to make her home.

Mrs. Leon Hull entertained her daughter, Mrs. Billy Coggins, with a birthday dinner at the Hull home Monday night. Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Coggins and children, Marilyn and R. L. Hull, and Mr. and Mrs. Hull.

Mrs. Claude Davis returned Saturday from a visit with friends and relatives in Okmulgee, Okla., and Joplin, Mo.

Tom Ed Angel was in San Angelo last weekend where he attended the wedding of Sherley Chesser.

Mrs. Bond, mother of Mrs. Claude Glaspie, Sr., is a medical patient in Midland Memorial Hospital. Mrs. Bond, who lives in East Texas, came here to visit her daughter, but became ill and had to be taken to the hospital.

Recent visitors in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Fields were her brother, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Whitaker of Houston, and their children, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Fields of Brownfield and Mrs. G. P. Clarke and children of Andrews. A. W. Fields and the Rev. and Mrs. Fields also visited last week in Nolan with another son and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Fields.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Saddler of Lubbock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Snodgrass, Sr., over the weekend.

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MUSIC CLUB PLANS OPENING OF SEASON

The Stanton Music Club will open the Fall season with a coffee September 25 in the home of Mrs. John D. Wood.

Mrs. Don Atteberry of Midland will present a musical program.



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SPORTS CAST

By JAMES E. KELLY

One of these nights this old rickety frame is going to plant itself on the seat reserved for me at home football games by School Supt. O. W. Winstead and Coach Melvin Robertson. The reason a comfortable seat on the bench with the players has been chartered for me is the distance up between seats in the stadium. Climbing up into the lofty heights of the stadium and the window glasses through which my optical vision is governed are inconsistent with distance from the field of play. Hence, there is an uneasiness on my part that a false step would flatten me out. And in response for this tumble I might be presented with a broken hip and a possible major accident whereby the ambulance would have only the bones to gather up.

To Supt. Winstead and Coach Robertson go my deepest expressions of gratitude for the presentation of this special seat arrangement that I may be able to witness the home football games from a comfortable position.

Amid the playing of bands, flying of school colors, drum majorettes strutting their stuff, bands playing zippy marches, the yip of "Yeah, Yeah, Yeah, PODUNK!" by the pep squad, the 1954 football season was opened Friday night at most all high school football stadiums in West Texas.

Oh, boy, it is a vociferous and spirited occasion when one sits down on a stadium seat and witnesses gladiators of two high school football teams battling it out for a victory.

Then the suspense and the hastened churning of stomachs as a squad reaches the 1-yard marker at the goal line and the last down for the try for the touchdown is on tap.

Couldn't be a complete football game to the fan without the soda pop, the hamburger, popcorn and peanuts to roll down and churn an excited stomach into an ulcerated frame of mind.

What a hair-raising, spine-chilling occasion it is for the fan to be wrapped up in while yelling for his favorite team to win a victory.

Such a scene was enacted at Buffalo Stadium Friday night when the clawing and fighting McCamey Badgers, invaded the reservation of the Bisons for fresh meat to carry home and store up in their dens. And by heck, they did carry home a very stingy piece of meat —one score.

This column may stray afar around over the football fields of West Texas seeking an item which may be of interest to the reader of this column.

One bit of football story which Melvin Dow had in his Wink Bulletin last week, just goes to show what might happen if his Wink Wildcats should win their game with the Monahans Lobos.

Dow said: "An upset by Wink Saturday—and indeed it would be —would cause earthquake tremors to the courthouse in Kermit and topple the salt cedars in Pecos."

The Wink Wildcats refused to play a game with the Hobbs, N.M., Eagles because they had a negro player. The Kermit Yellow Jackets, "holing up" just a short distance from Wink, played the Hobbs team with the negro player, Cornelius Patterson, whose home is in Wink.

It was either the guy who wrote the headline or the guy who set it into type, but it read: "McCamey Nips Eagles 7-6 In Close Battle." The Buffaloes may have changed their name overnight.

In the Buffalo-Badger game Friday night the Buffs outdid the Badgers in first downs 10-8. In net yards gained, Stanton chalked up 224 to McCamey's 147. Conrad McKaskle, Buff left halfback, was right busy during the game. He carried the ball 17 times for 134 yards.

Several members of the Stanton Buffalo football squad deserve special mention for their **playing Friday night. Conrad McKaskle made 4 of his skips over the sod for yardage of 32, 14, 15 and 17. Other standout players were Baulch, Greenlee, Myrick, Wheeler, Stone and Henson.**

The Merkel High School Badgers opened their 1954 football season Thursday night with the Wylie Bulldogs. Highlight of the game came in the first quarter of play when Quarterback Phillip Pursley of the Badgers snagged a pass from a teammate and dashed 48 yards for the first touchdown. Badgers won 14-0.

Many goose-egg scores turned up in high school football games Friday night throughout West Texas. Abilene took the Highland Park (Dallas) eleven to a drubbing, 40-0; Stamford Bulldogs, 41, Haskell Indians 0; Aspermont 12, Trent 0; Munday 20, Rule 0; Brownwood 13, Stephenville 0; Strawn 45, Hico 0; San Saba 14, Brady 0; Richland Springs 7, Bronte 0; Lake View 32, Llano 0; Winters 27, Hamlin 0; Cross Plains 6, Early 0; Vernon 9, Wichita Falls 0; Rankin 32, Rochelle 0; Alpine 31, Sanderson 0, and Paducah 40, Childress 0.

Here's two squads, South Taylor and Woodson, so stingy that each drew "0" (goose eggs).

Coahoma Bulldogs, scheduled to play a conference game with the Stanton Buffaloes on the tailend of the conference race, Nov. 19, flailed a 5-AA squad, Slaton, Friday night 14-13.

A Bulldog to be watched by Stanton Buffs when game time arrives is fullback Don Kennemer, who in the Slaton game raced 45 yards on a cutback over right side for the opening score in the first quarter.

Another eleven the Buffs are billed to meet Sept. 24 won its game Friday night. Ft. Stockton Panthers defeated the Golden Cranes 24-13.

The Stanton Buffaloes move off their reservation this week to harass the Eagles nesting in Pecos. The game is this Friday night. We are not predicting the score, but the Eagles can look for having many feathers ruffled, if not losing them entirely in that game.

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