

Snooter Knows

By JAMES E. KELLY

"Just think of it!" exclaimed the romantic newlywed, "a few words mumbled over your head and you're married."
"Yes," agreed the old cynic, "and a few words mumbled in your sleep and you're divorced."

COULD BE THAT THE RACE IS on to lift the lid from over one of the largest hidden oil pools yet developed in the Permian Basin Empire. Indications pointing in that direction was brought to light last week in Martin County when the Pan American Production Company finalized their No. 1 H. L. Shook, 29 miles northwest of Stanton, for a potential production of 1,781 barrels of crude oil per day, 41.5 gravity oil, no water. Gas-oil at a total depth of 12,118 feet.

Located in the area of this newly developed oil well, are two other oil wells which discovered oil at about the same depth, with the production of each measuring a potential of 500 barrels of oil per day.

With this stepped-up production of over twice as many barrels per day which the Shook No. 1 registers, will tend to remove the scum from the eyes of the skeptics who have discouraged the idea that oil developed in the county would consist of a few small producing wells, and they scantily located over the county.

The Shook No. 1 is the largest producing oil well in the county. Its discovery can mean that in the northwest part of Martin County there is under development an oil field that for quantity and the quality of oil, it compares with the leading fields which have yet been discovered in West Texas.

MOST OF US THINK OF MARKETABLE odor in terms of flowery and spicy scents for perfume.

Another marketable odor called "skunk juice" by some of the men who work with it, definitely is not perfume material, but a very practical use. Ethyl mercaptan, a refinery product, is used in small quantities to give the characteristic smell to fuel gas. The odor gives immediate warning of a leaking pipe or an unlit burner.

Recently, this column had personal experience with "skunk juice." Arriving at his home late one evening, he opened the door to the house which had been closed all day. The odor of a skunk was stifling to his nose—a warning that natural gas was leaking from a pipe or an unlit gas stove in the house. The services of our good friend Bill Counts, plumber, was called post haste. His introduction into the gas filled room sent him on a doublequick to turn off the flow of gas at the meter.

A thorough investigation of all pipes carrying gas into the house was made and it was discovered gas leaking was from several joints and connections in the pipes.

Fortunately, the house had been closed only for a day. Had it been closed for over a period of days due to being away on a visit, then returned home and struck a match to light a gas stove, chances were favorable for a destructive explosion and fire.

Thanks, to this "skunk juice" odor for warning us in advance to suffering a possible disastrous result.

URANIUM SITTING HOUSES are opening quite rapidly in the various communities over the State. The uranium fields at Comanche is enjoying a rather brisk business. One of the recent customers of the Comanche dirt is Littlefield, where two ladies have opened a uranium sitting house. They had shipped in from Comanche five tons of uranium dirt to fill the boxes to be used by "sitters."

The two lady owners of the Littlefield "sitting" house make no claims for the healing qualities of the dirt.

IN 1868, THE NEW YORK World printed the following news item on its front page:

"A man about 43 years of age, giving the name of Joshua Coppersmith, has been arrested for attempting to extort funds from ignorant and superstitious people by exhibiting a device which he says will convey the human voice over metallic wires. He calls the instrument a 'telephone' which is obviously intended to imitate the word telegraph and win the confidence of those who know of the success of the latter instrument. Well-informed people know that See—SNOOTER—Page 2

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STANTON, MARTIN COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, OCTOBER, 20, 1955

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Meeting Tuesday To Talk Work of County Schools

Everybody in Martin County who is interested in the welfare of the rural schools is invited to a special meeting next Tuesday night, October 25, at 8 o'clock, in the district courtroom at the courthouse to discuss schools, County School Superintendent Jim McCoy has announced.

The meeting is a kind of "evaluation" meeting, McCoy says, and matters having to do with the future and continued growth of rural school education are to be discussed, he added. Members of faculties of the schools of the county and members of the school boards and members of the P-TA groups are especially urged to attend. It is a county-wide meeting of importance to rural schools.

The Tuesday night meeting is the outgrowth of an area meeting held about three weeks ago in Lubbock, which was attended by representatives from the boards of Stanton, Courtney, Grady, and Flower Grove. This meeting in Lubbock was one of a series of "Little White House Conferences" held over the country to discuss rural schools. What was discussed at the Lubbock conference will be discussed at the county-wide meeting Tuesday, which was matters that concern the rural schools of the county.

The meeting in Martin County next Tuesday is a sort of prelude to a state meeting to be held October 31 in Austin to work out some conclusions regarding the rural schools. Therefore, says McCoy, it is important that everybody come who can come. At the area meeting in Lubbock Stanton Supt. L. M. Hays, was chosen to go to Austin to represent the area at the October 31 meeting.

Cotton Ginning Over 9,000 Mark

Eight gins in Martin County had ginned 9,653 bales of cotton so far this year when contacted Tuesday afternoon.

A list of the gins follows: Planters Gin (Tarzan)—1,046; Wolcott Gin—913; Planters Gin (Lenorah)—542; Paymaster Gin (Courtney)—2,245; Farmers Gin and Cotton Company (Stanton)—1,525; Farmers Co-op Gin (Stanton)—1,415; Guitler Gin (Stanton)—445; and Lenorah Gin Company—1,522.

The United States Department of Agriculture reports from Amarillo that the total number of bales ginned in Martin County prior to October 1 was 3,869 bales. This compared with a total of 9,032 ginned last year at same time, the report says.

Burglars Get \$2 In Try at School

Burglars who ransacked the school building during the weekend got only \$2, it seems, but did many dollars' worth of damage to furniture and filing cabinets in their hunt for valuables.

It seems that almost every box or drawer that had a lock on it was broken into, as well as soft drink machines. Ed McCain believes the break-in occurred Saturday night.

This is the first burglary at the school this year, but it is reminiscent of two staged last year when considerable cash was taken.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Hazlewood, Sr. and Mrs. Lewis Carlile were in Dallas over the weekend to attend the State Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rhodes were in Dallas on business last week.

A Stalk of Cotton in a Pot in Vermont Creates Much Excitement

Elma Nichols' cotton looks a lot different in Vermont than it does in Texas.

And although in Vermont it's not quite up to Texas' standards, it's causing a lot of excitement. Last year Mrs. Nichols' sister, Mrs. Ed Weaver of Rutland, Vermont, who is the former Gay Watson of Stanton, visited here and took some cotton seed home with her.

She gave the seed to an aunt, who planted it in a flower pot. With much care, the cotton grew and produced a boll of



CHECK FOR \$1,000 — Above, right, Louis Simonek of Stanton receives check for \$1,000 from W. C. Kenyon of Amarillo, zone manager for the Dr. Pepper company, for doing a better job of selling.

Dr. Pepper Route Salesman Wins \$1,000 Check for Doing Good Job

Louis Simonek, Stanton, route salesman for the Tri-City Dr. Pepper Bottling Co. here, is \$1,000 richer this week because he worked harder and better at the job. He was presented the check at a barbecue for Dr. Pepper personnel at Cole Park in Midland Saturday night.

The award was made by W. C. Kenyon of Amarillo, manager of zone three for the Dr. Pepper parent company, and culminated a nation-wide contest waged

from July 19 to September 19. The contest was staged on a basis of securing new customers for Dr. Pepper.

Harris Eastham, president of the Tri-City Dr. Pepper Bottling Co. was awarded a paid vacation for two at Nassau, Bahamas. And, then Eastham presented Ed Hall, vice-president and general manager of the company, with a trip for him, his wife and three children to the national bottlers convention in Florida.

Simonek lives in Stanton but his territory is Ector county, and he was in competition for the award with about 300 other Dr. Pepper salesmen over the country. He has been with the company five years.

Carter Renamed Boy Scout Head For This Area

Roy E. Carter of Kermit was re-elected president of the Buffalo Trail council, Boy Scouts of America for 1956 at the meeting of the council last Saturday at the Buffalo Trail Scout ranch.

Other officers elected were: Vice-presidents—J. L. Rhoades of Odessa, Emmett Beauchamp of Pecos, R. A. Lipscomb of Odessa and J. M. Waddell of Kermit. J. T. Baker of Midland was re-elected treasurer; C. J. Kelly of Midland re-elected assistant treasurer and Wayne Miller, Sr. of Odessa was re-elected council commissioner.

Some 200 Scouters and friends attended the meeting which included a barbecue and Campfire program. A committee on arrangements and program for the Annual Banquet to be held in January was appointed by Carter and consists of O. O. Whitten of Wink as chairman and O. G. Rudy of Monahans, H. H. (Pat) Simmons of Odessa, Luther Reynolds of Andrews and Emmett Beauchamp of Pecos.

Representatives from the Council's six districts, covering 18 counties of West Texas, were present.

Open House Will Show New Pontiac

Open house will be held Friday and Saturday by the Billington Motor Co. on the occasion of the showing of the new 1956 Pontiacs. Twelve new 1956 Pontiacs will be on hand for showing.

Coffee will be served both days, and old friends and new friends are invited to come and see the new car.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Keaton have returned from a two weeks' trip to Dewitt and Stuttgart, Ark. They visited friends and relatives.

Sherry Burnam of Iran is spending the week in Stanton with her grandmother, Mrs. Clayton Burnam.

FFA Boys Go To Dallas State Fair

A group of Stanton Future Farmers of America attended the State Fair of Texas at Dallas over the weekend.

Elbert Steele, instructor in vocational agriculture, and Hoyt Britton accompanied them. Making the trip were Chalmer Wren, Jr., Freddie Martin, Leon Mattingly, Donnie Hull, Larry Callaway, Paul Petree, Jack Hildreth and Robert Overby.

Library Receives Several New Gifts

Martin County Library has received several gifts during the past weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. Brick Eldson gave a year's subscription to the National Geographic magazine. Mrs. Inez Woody gave "The Song of Ruth" by Frank Slaughter and the DeVore Foundation of Wichita, Kans. gave the library a Bible.

Miss Carrie Alvis, librarian, urges the residents of Stanton and Martin County to take advantage of the opportunities offered by Martin County Library. The library is open from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

CROWS HAVE DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Crow of Midland are the parents of a daughter born Friday in Midland. She has been named Janice Ann. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Crow of Stanton. The Crows went to Midland Sunday to see the baby.

Acreage Cut To Be Protested In Big Meeting

A large delegation of farmers and businessmen from Stanton and Martin County is sought to attend a meeting in Big Spring Friday to protest the cut of 260,000 acres in cotton allotment in West Texas. The meeting has been called by Fred Husbands, manager of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Ed Davis, manager of the Martin County Chamber of Commerce, plans to attend, and he hopes to get others to go with him to the Big Spring meeting.

Husbands said in his letter the session will be in effort to acquaint all farm leaders and other interested persons with details of the apparent transfer of 260,000 acres of the West and South Texas cotton allotment to East and Central Texas next year.

Further protest of the action of the state Agriculture and Conservation Committee in proposing the acreage reduction also is contemplated.

The meeting will be held at the auditorium of Howard County Junior College, starting at 10:30 a.m.

J. H. Greene, Big Spring chamber of commerce manager, said county ADC committee, Farm Bureau representatives, ginners, compress operators, political leaders and businessmen from the 24 counties are being invited to participate.

Greene said he also is inviting George Mahon, congressman from this district. Mahon was one of the first to call attention of the ADC proposal for shifting allotment acreage.

Counlies expected to be represented are Howard, Martin, Mitchell, Scurry, Dawson, Nolan, Borden, Gaines, Andrews, Coke, Sterling, Midland, Winkler, Loving, Yoakum, Lynn, Terry, Tom Green, Ward, Reeves, Pecos, Concho, Runnels and Garza.

Acreage Reduction Here is Protested

The proposed curtailment of the cotton acreage in this area is being protested by the Martin County Chamber of Commerce, Ed Davis, manager, has said.

Telegrams opposing the cut in acreage in the area have been sent by the agriculture committee to the State ASC committee and to the United States department of agriculture. James Elland is chairman of the committee.

Santa Will Come On November 29

The annual Christmas program for the kiddies will be held in Stanton November 29, Ed Davis, chamber of commerce manager, has announced. On that date Santa Claus will make his appearance, and the Christmas season will be in full swing.

Santa with his reindeer will make their appearance at 2:30 the afternoon of November 29, and will distribute fruits and candy and nuts to the children. The Christmas lighting in Stanton will surely have been turned on at the same time, though the chamber of commerce directors have not made final provision for that event as yet, Davis said.

Cecil Bridges is chairman of the Christmas program, with James Jones, C. J. Chapman and Bob Deavenport members of the committee. No plans have been made as yet for other events which might be a part of the Christmas program, Davis said.

Johnnie Rhodes Is FFA Sweetheart

Johnnie Rhodes was selected sweetheart of the Stanton FFA chapter at a meeting last Tuesday night in the agricultural building.

Other candidates for sweetheart were Sherley Nowlin, Diana Dawson and Helen Schires.

A freshman student, Johnnie is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rhodes of Stanton. She also is a cheerleader of the Stanton pep squad.

She will represent the Stanton chapter in November at the district contest.

ANOTHER LOCATION IN COUNTY'S NEWEST FIELD

By JAMES C. WATSON

Pan American Production Company and associates No. 1 J. R. Singleton will be a 12,300-foot exploration in extreme Northwest Martin County to try for production in the Devonian.

Located approximately 30 miles northwest of Stanton, the drill site is 6904 feet from west and 749 feet from south lines of labor 1, league 259, Borden

County School Land survey.

The project is one location north of Pan American, Forest Oil Corporation, Warren Petroleum Corporation, Oil Division, and Houston Oil Company of Texas No. 1 H. L. Shook, recently completed flowing discovery from the Devonian, which opened the Pleasant Valley field with a daily potential of 1,781 barrels of 41.5-gravity oil, flowing through a half-inch choke from

open hole at 12,109-118 feet.

Gulf Oil Corporation No. 1-0 Scharbauer Cattle Company, Southeast offset to the discovery well and lone producer in the Ruth Scharbauer (Ellenburger) field, of North Midland County, just south of the Martin County line, found water in the Ellenburger.

This prospector is 660 feet from north and east lines of section 10, block 39, T-1-S, T&P survey.

It tested the Ellenburger at 12,740-840 feet. The tool was open two hours. Recovery was 180 feet of gas-cut mud and 3,270 feet of salt water. There were no shows of oil. Operator was conditioning hole.

This operation had logged some free oil and gas in the Wolfcamp and in the Pennsylvanian. Those zones probably will be tested to try to develop commercial production from one or both.

Field activity east of Stanton in West Howard County, included completing of Ray Morris Drilling Company No. 4 Lula V. Dawson in the Varel (San Andres) field.

Operator reported a 24-hour pumping potential of 156.47 barrels of oil, plus 15 per cent water, through perforations at 3-130-3,142 feet.

Location is 1,025.6 feet from north and 993 feet from west lines of southwest quarter of section 6, block 33, T-1-N, T&P survey. Pay was fractured with 6,000 gallons.

Another new Varel (San Andres) well is Roark, Hooker & Roark No. 3-A Guitler Trust Estate, 330 feet from south and 1,650 feet from east lines of section 30, block A, B&C survey.

It was finished for a 24-hour flowing potential of 105 barrels of 29-gravity oil, through half-inch choke, and perforations from 3,130 to 3,140 feet.

Anderson Oils, Ltd., No. 3-Roy Wilcox is a new well in the Moore field area, also in West Howard County.

It was completed for a 24-hour pumping potential of 97 barrels of 31-gravity oil, from pay at 3,148-3,190 feet after 1,000 gallons of acid.

Location is 330 feet from north and 1,263 feet from west lines of section 20, block 33, T-1-S, T&P survey.

D. W. Varel will dig No. 2-B and No. 3-B Guitler Trust Estate as projects in the Varel (San Andres) field.

No. 2-B is 330 feet from north and 990 feet from east lines of section 22, block A, Bauer & Cockrell survey.

No. 3-B Guitler Trust Estate is 1,850 feet from north and 2,310 feet from east lines of section 22, block A, Bauer & Cockrell survey.

Both projects are scheduled to drill to 3,300 feet.

Junior Chamber Of Commerce To Be Organized

Plans for the organization of a Junior Chamber of Commerce in Stanton this week were announced by William S. Montgomery, president of the Midland Junior Chamber of Commerce.

A meeting of all persons between the ages of 21 and 35 interested in becoming Jaycees, as the organization is called nationally, is slated for 8 p.m. next Thursday, October 27, at the American Legion hall here in Stanton. All interested persons are urged to attend, said Montgomery.

Featured speaker of the scheduled meeting will be Hulon B. Brown, Midland county attorney and past president of the Midland Jaycees. Burlyn Hines, assistant manager of the Midland Chamber of Commerce, will explain to Stantonites "What a Junior Chamber of Commerce is."

Persons desiring further information about the coming meeting may contact Jack Iretton or Bob Deavenport, both of Stanton.

Scout Campaign Comes Tuesday

Tuesday is the date set for the one-day campaign to raise funds for the Boy Scouts of America. Chairmen of the drive are Joe Stewart and Cliff Hazzlewood, Jr., Courtney, H. L. Barber, Lenorah and Tarzan, and Horace Blocker, Stanton.

The campaign will be launched with a breakfast at Belvue Motel Restaurant on Tuesday morning.

Team captains who were named to serve in Stanton are John Roueche, Cecil Bridges, James Webb, Philip White, Finley Rhodes, Claude Nowlin, Sammy Houston, Jim McCoy, Stanley Wheeler, James Jones, Ed Davis and James Biggs.

More than \$900 was raised last year and it is hoped at least that much will be raised again this year.

Plans Completed For New Lunch Room For Flower Grove School

By BETTY HILL

The Flower Grove trustees have completed plans for building a new lunch room as a part of the Flower Grove school. It is to be 30 feet by 60 feet. Built of tile, it will have two dining areas, a kitchen, store room and concessions bar.

Plans for a Halloween carnival are underway, and classes have selected candidates for princesses in grade school.

Grade school candidates are Joyce Bloodworth and Truman Brooks, eighth grade; Janice Wiggins and Michael Holcomb, seventh; Betty Krempin and Leon Thames, sixth grade; Nona Beth Langly and Jerry Berger, fifth grade.

Venita Oaks and Danny Langham, fourth grade; Faye Langston and Tommy Everitt, third grade; Pamela Cave and Kenneth Schreder, first grade.

Final details of the program and the date of the carnival will be announced later.

The Flower Grove, Dragons lost to the Sterling City Eagles 44-22. In the first quarter Sterling City scored but failed to make the extra point. In the second quarter Jerry Caughman made a touchdown for the Dragons and Wayne Webb kicked the extra point. Sterling City scored another touchdown at the end of the second quarter. A touchdown was made in the

third quarter by Sterling City but the extra point was not made. Sterling City scored another touchdown to make the score Eagles 31 - Dragons 8. In the third quarter Wayne Webb made two touchdowns for Flower Grove. Two touchdowns were made in the fourth quarter by Sterling City to make the score Sterling City 44 - Flower Grove 22.

Carolyn Madding, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Madding, was hospitalized Monday afternoon because of an attack of virus. She returned home Wednesday and is doing very well.

Pete Weatherford and Clyde Bloodworth left Thursday for Colorado to go deer hunting.

The W. L. Ramsey family went to Fort Davis Sunday and visited the McDonald Observatory.

The farmers are happy with the nice weather. Harvest is well underway. Combines have been going day and night and the gins are running full time.

Eugene Mayfield, who recently was discharged after serving four years in the navy, has enlisted in the naval air force. He is stationed at Lackland Air Force Base at San Antonio.

Patti and Becky Wade have been visiting relatives here. They are to leave soon with their mother for Japan to join their father, Lt. Vernon Wade. Visiting in the home of Mr. See—Plans Completed—Pg. 8

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A Special Bible Week Has Helped

National Bible Week, which will be observed from October 17th through the 23rd, has reached an important milestone—its 15th anniversary. The Laymen's National Committee, the all-faith sponsoring group, feels that the Week has helped a great deal in bringing about today's resurgence in religious matters.

Campaign theme for this year's National Bible Week, is "The Bible Is The Rock On Which Our Republic Rests." Symbolic of the mighty strength that is found in the Bible, an all-important American landmark, "Plymouth Rock," is the object that shares honors with the Bible in the national poster being displayed throughout the country. Just as our great nation was founded on this rock, so may we build our spiritual life on the greatest rock of all—the Bible.

Oil Boosts The Area's Economy

The year 1945 saw the discovery of the first oil in Martin County. The daily total of barrels of oil in the county totals 1,615, and the annual total of barrels is 589,386. The number barrels of oil produced in the county up to January 1, 1955, stands at 2,250,294.

One of the recent discovery wells 29 miles northwest of Stanton, is flowing at the rate of 1,781 barrels of oil daily.

For the month of July West Texas had the greatest number of drilling rigs of all types, nearly 400.

Annual royalty payments of 450 million dollars a year are spread out over the state to farmers, ranchers, and other royalty holders the Association said. In addition, landowners receive between 75 million and 100 million dollars in lease rentals. Much of this is paid for leases which may never produce oil.

The state's 49,900 refinery workers represent the highest paid wage groups in Texas. Current figures (July) show that average weekly wages of refinery workers are over \$101. Drilling and production workers average \$99.45 a week.

Scouting Aids In Making a Better Man

On October 25, the Boy Scouts will ask us to support them in the coming year. Stanton will be generous, because the community supports no organization that ranks higher in accomplishment.

Beginning as a Cub Scout at eight or nine, the boy becomes a Boy Scout at eleven, and finally enters the Explorer program when he is 14.

Those are the formative years, and a boy that enters wholeheartedly into Scouting benefits from his experience morally, mentally and physically.

The Scout Oath and the Scout Law state personal ideals which any parent would wish to be goals for their son. Beyond that, Scouting gives every boy a sense of accomplishment. As he advances through the various grades of Scouting, and wins merit badges, he meets standards of mental and physical fitness that are positive benefits to his development.

The funds to be raised on October 25 will make it possible for every interested boy, regardless of race or creed, to enter Scouting. And there is no gainsaying the fact that a good Boy Scout makes a better man. Thus a donation to the Scouts becomes an investment in the future welfare of the community.

As this year's Scout slogan puts it, today's Scouts will build "tomorrow's better Texas."

It's a Woman's World

Ever since Eve turned Adam an eternity-shaking somersault simply by speaking a few coy words (and, perchance, using her thinly-hidden charms to advantage), ours has been a woman's world.

Historians relate that the trend has always been in the direction of more influence, not less, on the collective part of womankind.

The true historian is a recorder, drawing no emotion-charged conclusions from this global trend. But the rest of us, supplementing recorded facts with personal experiences gleaned through all our senses, have arrived through the generations at a wild variety of conclusions.

All these conclusions, boiled down to a digestible mental menu, mean only that woman rules this world's roost.

This attempted treatise on this woman's world was prompted by last week's Vindicator. Therein it is reported, without exactly saying so, that Liberty County juries are becoming preponderantly more feminine in tone, tenor and haberdashery.

This news, of course, is just the local outcropping of an international increase of woman's power and influence. It has been manifest in all directions... the lifting of veils in India... the coming of Connie and other unquestionably feminine hurricanes... American woman's control of most of the nation's wealth... the increasingly large number of female officeholders throughout the world... the fact that today's woman wears not only the figurative but also the outboard physical pants in the average family.

Adam complained to the Lord because Eve exerted so much influence over him. The Lord was not impressed.

There's no one to listen, even if modern man wishes to bemoan his secondary role.

The only recourse for the male of the species is the same as in Adam's day:

Love her for what she is, adore her for the mysteries she never reveals, admire her for her faculty of influencing male people—and help her, as much as his meagre resources permit, to build a better world for better people of both sexes.—The Liberty Vindicator.

Philosopher Has Way To Cut Down On Farm Surplus

Dear editor:

Everybody is talking about the farm problem these days and I always listen carefully, not to find out what the experts think the solution is but what they think the problem is.

One idea that attracted my attention the other day was a statement by a statement by an expert that the farm problem is being made worse by the fact the farm population is dwindling, but I couldn't follow him. The way I see it, farmers are producing too much as it is, and anything that reduces the number of farmers might reduce the surplus, although this doesn't necessarily work that way, as we've already got fewer farmers and more surplus than any time before in history.

Another expert said the cause of some of the farm problem is the fact farms are being bought up by "doctors, lawyers, bankers and merchants" and used to cut down on their income taxes from profits made in town.

I do not see how this constitutes a farm problem. The best way I know to cut down on the farm surplus is to turn some land over to a town farmer. Most of em go strong for a little while, fixing up the place, throwing paint around, stretching new wire, etc., but in a little while their interest seems to play out, along about the time they begin figuring up what it's costing them and how little they're producing.

In fact, one of the best ways I know to reduce the farm surplus in this country would be to turn over all farming operations to lawyers, bankers, doctors, and merchants for a couple of years. I guarantee the surplus would disappear completely.

There's something about farming that looks easy from behind a steering wheel while you're driving along the road, but the picture changes completely when you get behind the steering wheel of a tractor.

Of course, the same thing would work in the other direction. Any time this country gets a worrisome surplus of money on hand, just put me and a bunch of other farmers in charge of banking and we'll take care of it.

Yours faithfully,

J. A.

Progress In Cotton Harvest Among Counties In Area

The Texas Employment Commission of October 13, from Lubbock, reports on the progress of the cotton harvest as follows: Howard County short 750 workers; Martin County, 1400 workers; Midland - Glasscock, 500 workers; Andrews, 50 workers; Dawson County, 1,000 workers.

In Martin County, 55 per cent of cotton crop is open, 11 per cent harvested, estimated production, 50,000 bales, 5,662 bales ginned.

Howard County, 50 per cent of crop is open, 17 per cent harvested, estimated production, 30,000 bales, number bales ginned, 5,276 bales.

Midland - Glasscock Counties, 40 per cent of crop open, 21.3 per cent harvested, estimated production, 11,000 bales, ginned to date, 2,350 bales.

Dawson County, percentage of crop open, 22, 10 per cent has been harvested, estimated production, 75,000 bales, number bales ginned to date, 7,500.

Lubbock County leads all the cotton growing counties in the state in estimated bale - production with 200,000 bales, 5 per cent of the crop is open, 3 per cent harvested, and 750 bales ginned to date.

Lamb County ranks second largest estimated crop of 140,000 bales, and 400 bales ginned to date.

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Love Helps To Bind the Christian Home

Christian homes don't just happen. They have to be made and it takes all the members of the family to make them. They cannot be made by parents alone, no matter how good and well intentioned the parents may be. And a love which implies mutual relationships and obligations should bind the family together.

Children need discipline and training, as well as affection and devotion. They need to learn to bear the burdens and responsibilities that will be theirs when they grow up, and it is no kindness to shield them from everything hard or unpleasant.

Sharing ought to be the spirit and practice of home life. Children ought to be trained to understand, and do their part in solving the problems of the home.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin McClane of Odessa visited with relatives Sunday in Stanton.

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It is impossible to transmit the human voice over wires as may be done with signals of the Morse code. The authorities who apprehended this criminal are to be congratulated and it is hoped that his punishment will be prompt and for a long prison duration."

COMING UP FOR JANUARY IS the campaign to raise \$47,600,000 to fight polio. Continued aid for polio patients and other National Foundation programs require that the 1956 March of Dimes raise a minimum of this amount.

"In spite of the success of the vaccine, polio will be a problem for years to come," said Basil O'Connor, President of the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis. "It is our hope there will be 25 per cent fewer people stricken in the year ahead than there has been on an average during the last five years. We have estimated our needs for 1956 polio programs guided by this forecast."

Gypsy Patrol of Girl Scouts Meets

Janice Rhodes was named president of Gypsy Patrol Troop of Girl Scouts when it met recently to elect officers.

Karen Farries was selected as vice-president. Others are Evelyn Ann Yater, secretary; Nancy Robnett, treasurer; and Phyllis Long, reporter.

Leaders are Mrs. J. M. Yater and Mrs. H. O. Phillips.

The troop meets at 3:45 each Thursday at the Methodist Church.

Visiting Sunday in the Bill Rhodes home were Mr. and Mrs. Dale Smith of Big Spring.

Visiting last week in Stanton were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Jones and children of Lubbock.

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

From the Files of The Stanton Reporter of Oct. 24, 1930

District court of the 70th judicial district with Judge Charles L. Klapproth on the bench will start grinding next Monday. J. H. Zimmerman is sheriff; Jno. F. Epley, district clerk; Robt. W. Hamilton, county attorney.

Roy Quattlebaum from Caps, was here this week seeing about putting in a new farm. The land is located three miles southwest of Lenora. Quattlebaum will clear 100 acres for cultivation, build a nice 4-room bungalow, barn, put up a windmill, dig a well, in fact will spend \$1,000 or more in Martin County.

The Stanton Buffaloes added another scalp to the conference belt by defeating the Odessa Bronchos by a score of 6-0. E. Sale, halfback, in the early period of the second quarter, slipped through the Bronco line, and raced 82 yards for a touchdown, the only score of the game.

This 1930 drought soon will be one of those years that has been

shuffled off into discard to be remembered only when the children of today in their old age discuss it in the strain, "this is not a patching to the year 1930 I heard discussed by my father and mother." (In editorial column).

McClintic Brothers, Charles and H. L., owning a ranch 12 miles south of Stanton, sold 65 head of 2-year-old cattle to Dick Knox ranching northwest of Stanton.

The brick school building in the Courtney community was damaged by fire Wednesday night of last week. Damage was about \$600.

Visiting in Stanton with relatives during the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Mose Laws of Odessa.

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STANTON, TEXAS

Pontiac Offers Combinations Of Color in '56

Pontiac's 1956 models display the greatest number of color combinations in its thirty-year history of producing one of America's favorite cars.

Pontiac owners this year will be able to pick from 56 different color combinations for the exteriors of their cars alone. Added to this are 79 trim combinations available on the interiors which offer Pontiac customers a variety of choice in colors that staggers the imagination.

Leading the color parade this year for Pontiac are combinations of Sandalwood tan and Sun beige, and Catalina blue and Nimbus grey, exclusive on the Custom Star Chief series, which are expected by Pontiac to be popularity leaders in the color field.

Colors are not the only feature of the new 1956 Pontiacs to win new enthusiasts, for this year fabrics of leather, nylon, Morrokide, and metallic thread are in such profusion as to intrigue the most discriminating tastes.

Pioneering in colorful interiors for many years, Pontiac offers for 1956 such colorful combinations as: top grain hand buffed leather in handsome rust and beige or two-tone blue color tones or nylon faced fabrics in a combination of satin and repp weaves to give a three dimensional effect.

Some discriminating owners may choose "stardust" covered fabric sprinkled with flecks of silvery ornamentation, or modern Morrokide, electrically welded to a sponge rubber core in a stitched ribbed pattern.

And those 79 trim combinations which provide for at least two, or in some cases as many as nine different interiors for each body style, are not the only color additions, for even the 1956 instrument panel has joined the color parade. Besides the addition of cool frosted aluminum trim the new panels in some models boast new two-toning, complementing both the colors of the interior and the exterior. Add to this a new trend to white this year with white control knobs, white lettering and trim, even to a beautiful new white steering wheel for the exciting Convertibles and Station Wagons, and you have a car designed to please the most discriminating customer.

Brownie Scouts Name New Officers

A troop of Brownie Scouts led by Mrs. T. D. Barnhill, Mrs. Elbert Steele and Mrs. Claude Nowlin met recently and elected officers.

Sheila Turner was selected as president of the group. Others are Deanna Kay Steele, vice-president; Linda Steele, secretary; Mary Alice Houston, treasurer; Claudene Nowlin, reporter; Judy Carol Barnhill, song leader; and Geannie Munez, parliamentarian.

Activities the group has enjoyed so far this year include a weiner roast and hikes, learning games and songs and different studies.

Members are Betty Johnston, Sheila Turner, Linda Lou Parker, Linda Steele, Claudene Nowlin, Deanna Kay Steele, Paula Kay Powell, Mary Alice Houston, Shirley Graves, Linda Fullbright, Judy Carol Barnhill, Cleta Mae Hays, Patty Turner, Nancy Graves, Sherry Nell Casbeer and Geannie Munez.

Mrs. Jim Webb, Mrs. Viola McClane and Vestal McClane went to Wink Sunday afternoon to visit Mr. and Mrs. Truman McClane, Carl and Sandra. Carl has been ill for some time but was resting better Sunday than last week. Mr. and Mrs. John Holder went to Wink Friday to visit the McClanes. Mr. Holder returned home but Mrs. Holder remained.

Real Bargains

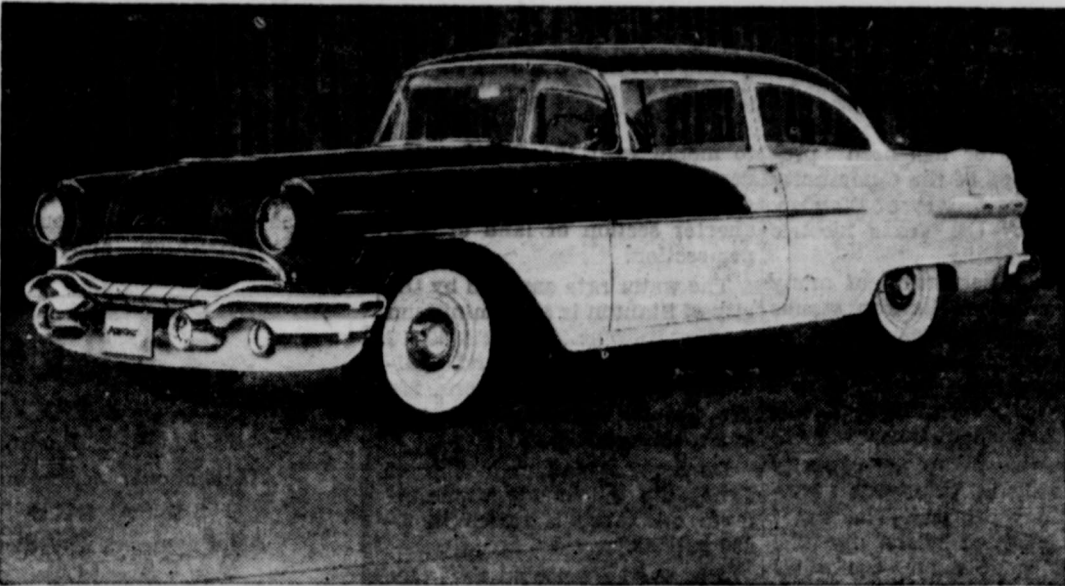
For those of you interested in some good buys in farm and grass land, I have about eight hundred acres of improved, fenced and cross fenced sheep-proof land. It has about 140 acres in cultivation. Also, pretty good improvements, good corrals, and loading chutes—priced right.

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PONTIAC 860 TWO-DOOR SEDAN—Pontiac's 1956 two-door sedan, the most economical model in the big-car class, rides on a 122 inch wheelbase with 206 inches over-all length. It's big 205 h.p. Strato-Streak V-8 engine gives it power and performance unequalled in the medium priced range. "Vogue" two-toning and luxurious interiors are other features that make it the best dollar for dollar buy.

Sunday visitors in Stanton were Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Polk of Tahoka. They visited Mr. and Mrs. Bill Polk and other relatives.

Marvin J. Moseley, who attends Hardin - Simmons University, visited Saturday with his aunt, Mrs. Roy Polk, Mr. Polk, and family.

N. I. Sorrels, accompanied by George Biar of Big Spring and G. H. Sorrels of Morton, have been deer hunting in Colorado. They were to return Thursday.

Study Club Begins New Year's Study

The Stanton Study Club began a new year Wednesday morning, October 12, with a re-assembly coffee in the home of Mrs. R. B. Whitaker.

Mrs. James Billington presided over the meeting.

Mrs. Glenn L. Brown gave a short preview of the year's study, "Our Widening Horizons." Yearbooks were distributed to members.

A cornucopia of orange and yellow flowers centered the refreshment table. Favors carried out a safety theme.

Members attending were Mrs. Ollie Morpew, Mrs. John Priddy, Mrs. Morgan Hall, Mrs. John Harvard, Mrs. J. H. Billington, Mrs. Harry Billington, Mrs. L. H. Alexander, Mrs. B. F. Smith, Mrs. George Dawson, Mrs. Glenn L. Brown, Mrs. R. B. Whitaker and Miss Maude Alexander.

Also attending was one new member, Mrs. A. Clarence Smith, and guests, Mrs. Bill Garrison, Mrs. Franklin Reynolds and Mrs. Lula Rice. Members will visit the State

State to Resume Veterans Land Deal

Earl Rudder, commissioner of the General Land Office, announced from Austin that the Veterans' Land Board would accept requests for application forms to purchase land through the Veterans' Land Program beginning Oct. 31, 1955. Rudder stressed that all requests must be by mail. Requests received before Oct. 31, 1955, will not be honored, and will be returned.

Rudder continued that the requests received the five-day period of the first week, beginning Monday, October 31, will be placed in a locked box, and then drawn and numbered. A limited number will be mailed application forms immediately.

The remainder will be notified of their relative position. After that first week, requests for application forms will be numbered consecutively as received.

Read the classifieds!

Hospital in Big Spring when they meet October 26.

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Lucky Seven Group Sees Ice Show

Mrs. Clayton Burnam was hostess when the Lucky Seven Supper Club met Sunday.

The group went to Odessa and attended an ice show, "Holiday on Ice."

Attending were Mrs. Fannie Rogers, Mrs. Inez Woody, Mrs. Flora Morris, Miss Sammie Laws and Mrs. Burnam.

Mrs. A. E. Murr of Midland visited Sunday in Stanton with friends and relatives.

Mrs. Allen Hostess To Sewing Club

Mrs. T. Y. Allen was hostess recently to a meeting of the Stitch and Chatter Club.

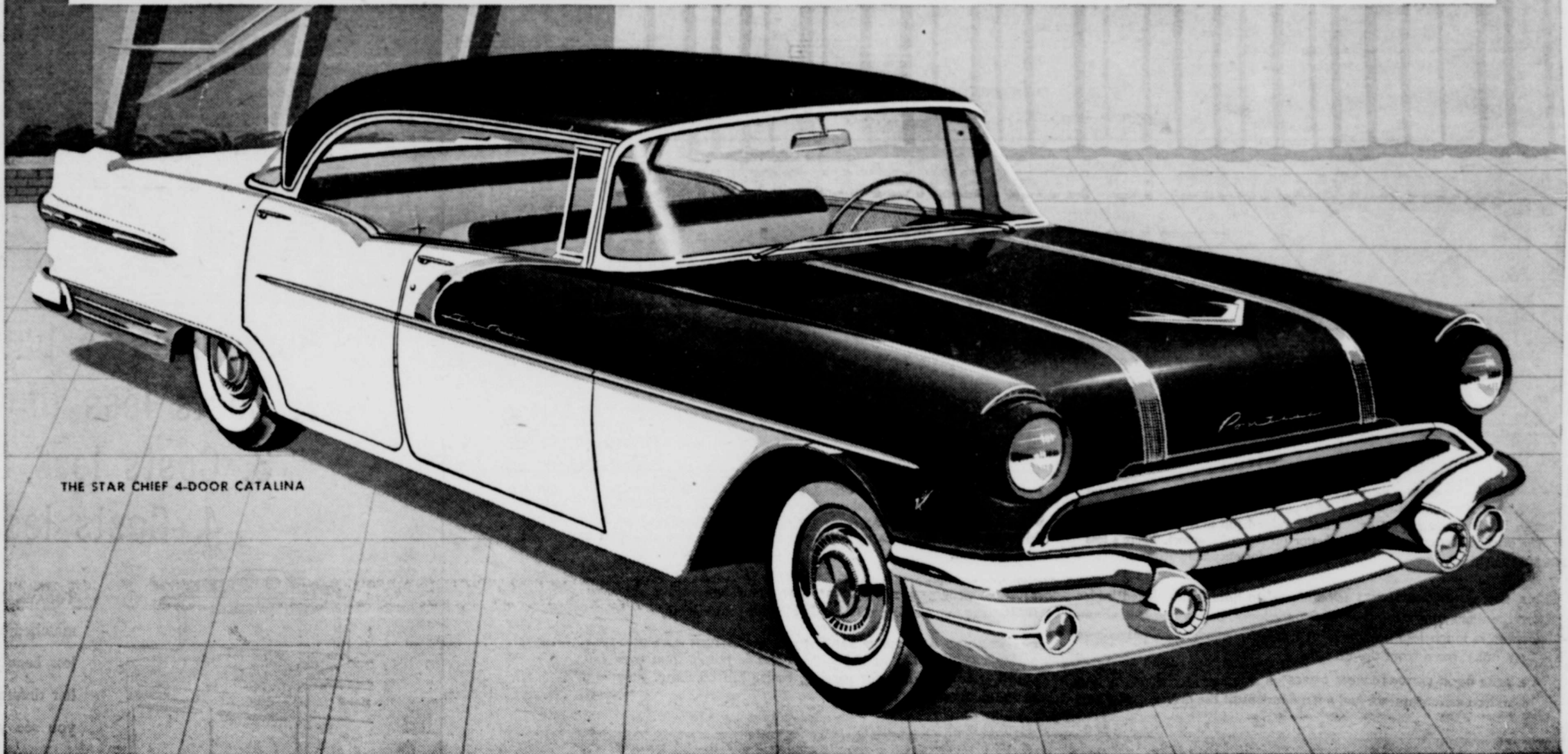
Pumpkin pie and coffee were served to Mrs. B. F. Smith, Mrs. Clayton Burnam, Mrs. Charlie Ebberson, Mrs. Lillie Harvard, Mrs. A. J. Stallings, Mrs. Flora Rogers, Mrs. R. M. Deavenport, Mrs. J. N. Poe, Mrs. Grady Cross, Mrs. Paul Jones and Mrs. Allen.

August was named after Augustus Caesar.

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With this great team, you now sweep swiftly from take-off to top performance with the silent ease of a sailplane.

You slow down for traffic, speed up for passing, or gun for a high hill with the changing pressure of your toe on the accelerator the only sign of effort.

You may have had it smooth before—but never like this! It literally must be experienced to be believed.

That's plenty—but there's a lot more important news

to make today a date that you'll long remember.

There's smart, new beauty and luxury for America's most distinctive car . . . the safety of big brakes and road-hugging size . . . the security of a smooth new ride and sure-footed cornering.

There are many, many other things which mark this beauty as the glamorous pattern for tomorrow's cars. But come in and see for yourself. Take a long look at the six luxurious new Four-door and Two-door Catalina hardtops. Sample, in person, the fabulous results of the great General Motors "First".

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IN THE FIELD OF

SPORTS

There was a Homecoming crowd of 3,500 persons in Sea-
graves, who witnessed their al-
ma mater's football squad win a
victory over the Stanton Buffa-
loes, 87-14, on the Seagraves
football gridiron last Friday
night. One would think because
the Buffaloes have their first
game to win either in or out of
the conference chase, they'd lose
their interest in whether they
would win any game during the
season. But not so, the mem-
bers of the squad are game
losers, and the fact they have
been losing games all season,
makes the squad to work the
harder to condition themselves
to the point that the victory
streak will sooner or later strike
on the side of the Buffaloes.

Not the first time the Bison
herd have suffered defeat in
the early period of the confer-
ence games then the tables
were turned and they wound up
the season with a string of vic-
tories. Then the next season,
the same members of the losing
football squad won victories
that sent them to the regional
contest to lose that game by
only one point.

Two Southwest gridiron rivals
noted for playing 'em close meet
for the 42nd time in Austin on
Saturday before a crowd that is
expected to exceed 55,000.

The football classic pits the
Rice Institute against the Uni-
versity of Texas in a renewal of
a series that four times within
the past decade has been decid-
ed by less than a touchdown.
Only four times has the victory
margin exceeded eight points.

For a breather from partici-
pating in a conference game the
Stanton Buffaloes take on the
Grandfalls aggregation here on
Buffalo field Friday night.
While this is not a conference
contest, we are wondering if
the result of this game will stop
the Buffaloes from skidding
downhill, and give them a win
so far in the season.

Grandfalls waged a contest
last Thursday with the Tatum,
N. M. Coyotes, by winning that
game by a score of 40-13, mak-
ing 22 first downs to Tatum's 6,
and piling up 284 yards rushing
to Tatum's 59.

That is just a little statistics
the Grandfalls Coyotes piled up,
the Buffaloes will face as they
go into the game Friday night.

Results of area football games
played Friday night:

Seminole Indians "warhoop-
ed" over the Golden Cranes, 26-
7; Andrews Mustangs defeated the
Monahans Lobos, 34-14; Mc-
Camey Badgers romped past
Sanderson, 39-6; Colorado City
Wolves blasted the Winters
Blizzards from the undefeated
ranks, 33-13; Reagan County
Owls pounced down on Marfa
and won the contest, 61-0;
Pecos Eagles biffed the Brown-
field squad, 28-0. This was the
third conference win for the
Eagles. Fort Stockton Panthers
bowed to the onslaughts admin-
istered against them by the
Wink Wildcats, 45-14; Sterling
City Eagles defeated the Flow-
er Grove Dragons, 44-22 in a
six-man contest; Rankin Red
Devils tripped up the Eldorado
Eagles, 26-7; San Angelo Bob-
cats won over Pampa Harvest-
ers, 35-6; Abilene Eagles stun-
ned the Odessa Broncs, 47-0;
Lamesa Golden Tornadoes re-
leased their hurricane force on
Palo Duro of Amarillo, by a
score of 26-7.

The squads in District 4-A
playing Friday night were Stan-
ton - Seagraves, 87-14, in favor
of Seagraves; Sundown 25, and
Coahoma 0.

The Denver City Mustangs de-
feated the O'Donnell Eagles,
26-13. Stanton Buffaloes and the
O'Donnell Eagles, played to a 0-
0 tie. The Stanton Buffaloes
meet the Denver City Mustangs
on the Mustangs ground, on
October 28.

The Midland Bulldogs charg-
ed the Golden Sandstorms of
Amarillo and emerged with car-
rying along the heavy end of a
26-6 score. It was the second
triumph in conference play for
the Bulldogs, and Amarillo's
first loss against one win.

Visiting last week in the J. G.
Sprawls home were Mrs. Sprawls'
sisters, Mrs. D. L. Sprawls,
of Lubbock, and Mrs. Cora
Chunn of Dallas.
Mary Beth Keen of Odessa
has been visiting with her
grandparents, Mr. and Mrs.
John T. Atchison.

Mohair is the fleece of an An-
gora goat.

New Survey Gives Pertinent Facts And Figures About Stanton, County

The Reporter has been pre-
sented a copy of the Community
Development Survey of Stanton,
for 1955, by the Texas Electric
Service Company.

For the information of many
of our citizens, Stanton stands
2,664 feet above sea level. So
many folks have inquired the
altitude here in Stanton, so now
you have it, according to this
Area Development Survey.

The water pumping capacity
of the wells in Stanton is 1,872,
000 gallons per day. The water
system is owned by the city. The
demand made upon the water
supply last year was 1,250,000
gallons per day. The city's water
reserves comprises 75,000 gallons
stored in the water tower, 100,
000 stored in two ground tanks.
The city has a field of seven
wells, 3 in use at present. All
seven in good order for peak use.

The fire insurance rating for
Stanton is 25 per cent credit, 58c
key rate. Net premiums, 1954,
\$21,331. Net losses in 1954, \$1,297.
Five year net premiums, 1950 -
54, \$104,129. Five year net losses,
1950 - 54, \$15,695.

Stanton has one hospital,
modern in every detail, number
beds, 29.

The local bank has a total
capitalization of \$100,000. Total
deposits last call, April 11, 1955,
\$3,614,397.41.

Martin county's 1954 assessed
valuation, \$6,486,590; tax rate,
\$1.80; gross debt, \$965,000, net
debt, \$925,691.25.

Assessed valuation of City of
Stanton for 1954, \$2,076,870, tax
rate, \$1.50, gross debt, \$149,500,
net debt \$125,546.34.

Fresh Water Supply District
No. 1, 1954 assessed valuation,
\$389,242, gross debt, \$51,000, net
debt, \$46,324.63.

Independent School Districts
Courtney — 1954 assessed val-
uation, \$1,278,119, tax rate, \$1.50,
gross debt, \$1,600, net debt, \$1,
589.16.

Flower Grove — 1954 assessed
valuation, \$1,728,505, tax rate,
\$1.50, gross debt, \$76,000, net
debt, \$70,826.12.

Grady Consolidated — 1954 as-
sessed valuation, \$3,010,828, tax
rate, \$1.50, gross debt, \$173,800,
net debt, \$167,266.88.

Stanton — 1954 assessed val-
uation, \$3,390,470, tax rate, \$1.50,
gross debt, \$251,000, net debt,
\$248,537.60.

* June, 1955 — the Lomax In-
dependent School District voted

to merge with the Stanton In-
dependent School District. The
district uses a rate of \$7.50 per
quarter section of land or \$230
per section.

The water rate assessed by the
city of Stanton is \$2.00 minimum
on first 5,000 gallons, next 20,000
gallons, 30c per thousand gal-
lons. All over 25,000 gallons, 25c
per thousand gallons. The city
has a sewage disposal plant.

During the summer months of
June, July and August, the mini-
mum allowance is raised to 7,
000 gallons.

The Survey reported that for
potential industrial sites avail-
able, there were many. It also re-
ported that the raw material ex-
isting in the vicinity of Stanton,
comprised, oil, gas, building
clays, salt, limestone, caliche.

The data used in compiling this
story, was taken from the
Community Development Survey
of Stanton for 1955, the Area De-
velopment Division of the Texas
Electric Service Company.

There are seven stars in the
Big Dipper.

Vest Sees New Line Of 1956 Studebaker

R. C. Vest, Jr., has just re-
turned from New Orleans where
he attended a major Studebaker
dealer meeting at which 600
dealers from the central division
were given a confidential pre-
view of the new line of cars and
trucks for 1956. Vest flew to New
Orleans, returning Saturday
night.

The new Studebakers are said
to be the biggest, inside and
outside, in the company's his-
tory, at the same time they offer
dramatic new advances in
mechanical and comfort featur-
es. It was also revealed that the
new Studebakers, despite their
new bigness and power, are
designed to retain their position
of leadership in fuel economy.

Visiting last week in the
home of Mr. and Mrs. W. A.
Kaderli were his sister, Mrs. R.
C. Bostick, and his brother, A.
T. Kaderli, both of San Antonio.

The first indoor rodeo in the
world was held in Fort Worth,
Texas, as a feature of the South-
western Exposition and Fat
Stock Show.

Miss Ida Lindley of Ventura,
Calif. is visiting her brother, W.
W. Doshier, and family. Miss
Lindley is a nurse in Ventura
General Hospital.

A. Clarence Smith was in Dal-
las Saturday attending a one-
day ad man's convention, spon-
sored by the Texas Press As-
sociation.

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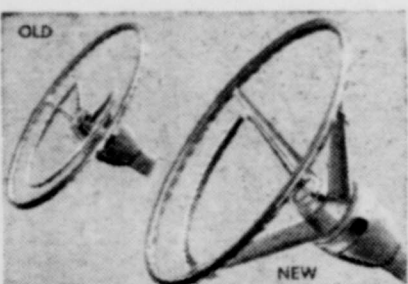


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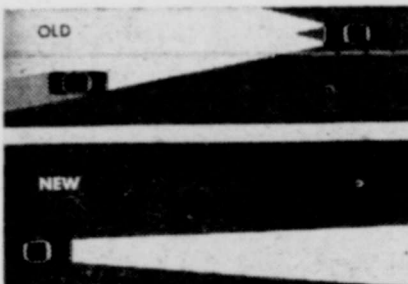
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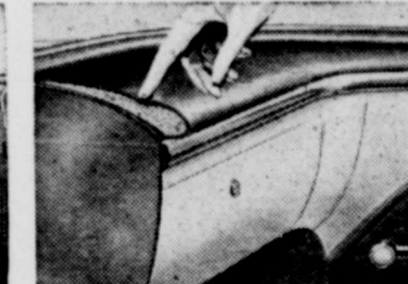
1. NEW IMPACT-ABSORBING STEERING WHEEL with deeply recessed hub and 3-spoke conical design bends under impact or pressure. The driver is better protected in case of accident.



2. NEW SAFETY-BEAM HEAD LAMPS, product of 5 years of research, let you see both farther ahead (up to 80 feet more) and better (in fog, rain, snow). There's less glare, too, for oncoming drivers.



3. NEW SAFETY SEAT BELTS* are securely bolted to floor supports and help protect wearers in emergencies. Available for driver and passengers. Easily adjusted with one hand.



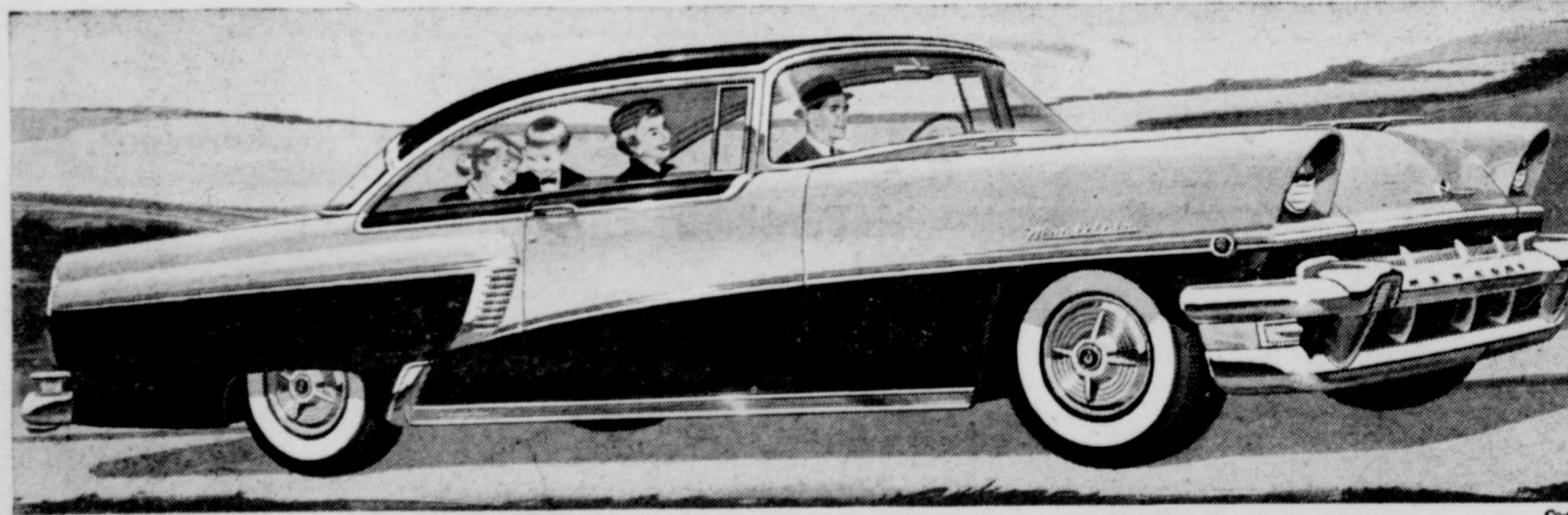
4. NEW PADDED INSTRUMENT PANEL* has a thick plastic cushioning filler with excellent protective qualities. Helps prevent injuries in case of impact against the instrument panel.

5. NEW SAFETY DOOR LOCKS are designed to hold doors closed under three times as much impact as former locks. Safety research shows there is much less likelihood of injury in accidents if passengers are not thrown from the cars.

6. REAR DOOR SAFETY LOCKING DEVICE* is available in 4-door models. Children cannot unlock and open doors until the driver uses a key.

7-8. NEW CUSHIONED SUN VISORS*, NEW FULL-SWIVEL SAFETY REARVIEW MIRROR are extra safeguards for driver and passengers.

9-10. NEW 225- AND 210-HP SAFETY-SURGE V-8 ENGINES AND IMPROVED SAFETY-GRIP BRAKES. You enjoy more usable power than ever for split-second pickup, safer passing, easier hill climbing. Stopping action is smoother, surer, too.



Everywhere you look in THE BIG M for 1956, there's something new to see or try.

For instance, THE BIG M's new 12-volt electrical system lets you start faster than ever. Mercury's exclusive-in-field ball-joint front suspension is further improved to give you even more superb handling ease and comfort.

And THE BIG M is styled new in dozens of exciting ways, from

bumper to bumper. To accent its extra length, there's spectacular Flo-Tone color styling. Inside, fabrics are even more colorful, durable, luxurious.

For hardtop fans, the best news of all is that Mercury's famous low-silhouette beauty is now available in every series—Montclair, Monterey and Custom. See and drive THE BIG M at your Mercury dealer's. Come in today!

For 1956...The big move is to THE BIG MERCURY

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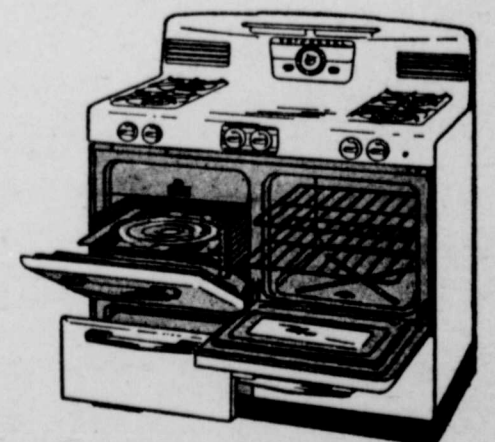
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See The Gas Appliance Dealers Featuring Round Up Sales



Crowds Come To New Store Opening

A large crowd of Martin County residents were on hand Saturday for the formal opening of the new Family Store, owned and operated by Mr. and Mrs. Bill Rhodes.

They came at the invitation of Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes extended to old and new friends through The Stanton Reporter to come and attend the celebration which marked the opening of the completely modern store. Awards were given every hour during the day.

The new Family Store is just across the street from its former location on N. St. Peter Street, and is one of the nicest stores to be found anywhere. The firm received many bouquets of flowers and congratulatory messages from those wishing it success in its new location.

Mr. and Mrs. Phil Berry, Betty Berry and Linda Bess Bryan attended the State Fair in Dallas over the weekend.

Visiting in Stanton with Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Wren is Mrs. Wren's sister, Mrs. Ola Gaskin of Kerrville.

Valley View HD Discusses Dinners

"Dinner for the Family" was the topic of a demonstration given when the Valley View Home Demonstration Club met Thursday in the home of Mrs. O. D. Green. Mrs. Mildred El-land, home demonstration agent, cooked a dinner.

Members of the club voted to make robes and pillow cases for the Martin County Memorial Hospital.

Attending were Mrs. J. T. Mims, Mrs. Jim Miller, Mrs. Jay Hooks, Mrs. G. Tunnell, and Mrs. Green.

Fifth, Sixth Grade Club Has Meeting

Mrs. Harry Echols' fifth and sixth grade class club of Stanton Elementary School met Friday at the school. A substitute teacher, Mrs. Paul Jones was in charge of the class.

Reports were given on "Good English," "Health and Science," "Character Study," "Thrill," and "Good Manners."

Mrs. Clyde Latham and children of Abilene visited over the weekend with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde White and children.

Courtney P-TA Makes Final Plans For Hallowe'en Fete

By KATHLEEN LEWIS

The P-TA met in regular session on Tuesday evening, October 11, at the school, with President R. A. Evans in charge.

The third and fourth grades, sponsored by their teacher, Mrs. Louise Graves, gave several musical numbers. Mrs. R. A. Evans and Phillip White of Stanton were speakers. Mrs. Evans, a native of England, gave a talk on schools in England, and White talked on schools in surrounding counties.

During the business session, it was decided to have the Hallowe'en on Saturday evening, October 29, in the gym. Each room will plan booths, and the P-TA will have charge of the concessions. There will not be a king and queen contest.

Coffee, cocoa and cake were served by the refreshment committee to a large number of members and guests.

Mrs. Curtis Powell entertained in her home Monday afternoon with a Stanley party. Mrs. Alice Angel of Midland was a demonstrator.

Cookies and coffee were served to Mrs. Hoyt Britton, Mrs. J. E. Angel, Mrs. M. D. Hall, Mrs. Owen Kelly and Mrs. R. S. Lewis and the hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Payne, Mr. and Mrs. Leo Payne, and Mrs. Dee House of this community, and Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Payne of Tarzan were in Colorado City Friday where they attended the funeral services for Marshall Lee Smith of that city. Smith, 76 years of age, died Thursday after a long illness. Mrs. Smith is a sister to C. D. Payne.

Visitors recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Davis were his sister, Mrs. Nora O'Bannon and Mrs. Wendell Stafford of Sparenburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Powell

and Glenda visited Sunday in San Angelo with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Powell.

Mrs. Bob Stroud and Barbara and Mrs. Patey Sutton and Phil of Odessa are visiting this week here in the home of Mrs. Stroud's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marion Yell and Shirleen.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Hall and family visited over the weekend in Cisco with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hazlewood, Sr. and Elaine returned Sunday from Dallas where they attended the State Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sale and family are in Dallas attending the State Fair.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall McCoulskey of San Angelo and Mr. and Mrs. Foye Powell of Plains visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Powell and Glenda.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rayford returned recently from California where they had gone to visit their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Don Lawyer and sons, and Major and Mrs. Pat N. Howard and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Stroud and family from Levelland and Ruth and Sue Stroud of Midland visited this weekend in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Stroud.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Fields were in El Paso Monday where they attended the funeral services held for his brother-in-law, W. A. Daughtry. The Fields' were accompanied to El Paso by Sid Cross and Leslie Hull.

Weekend visitors in the J. F. Fields' home were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. K. B. Craddock and Jimmy of Abilene.

Lt. and Mrs. Leon Payne of Camp Rucker, Ala. are the parents of a daughter born Tuesday, October 11 in Alabama. The Paynes have one other child, a son, one year old. Paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Leo Payne of this community.

Doris Marie White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stanton White, fell from a bicycle Saturday and cut her lip. She was treated in Martin County Memorial Hospital and is reported to be doing fine.

THE STANTON REPORTER, THURSDAY, OCT. 20, 1955—5

Surprise Dinner Honors Mrs. Davis

A surprise birthday dinner honored Mrs. Ed Davis at her home Sunday. Mrs. Leo Davis was the hostess.

Besides Mr. and Mrs. Ed Davis and children, Mickey and Vicki, those present were Mrs. Leo Davis and son, Jack, Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Shanks of Miles, and Mrs. J. C. Arnett and son, Jerry, of Lamesa. Later Mr. and Mrs. Herman Maule of Lamesa joined the group.

Armadillos are always triplets and each set is either all male or all female.

New Operator at Local Beauty Shop

Mrs. Sue Reasor has been employed by the Atchison Beauty Shop, according to a recent announcement by Mrs. Mabel Atchison, owner and operator.

Mrs. Reasor is an experienced beauty operator and specializes in new hair styling. Mrs. Atchison invites all her customers to come by and meet Mrs. Reasor.

Mr. and Mrs. John Williams and sons of Paris, Ky. left Monday after spending the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Bris-
tow and children.

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We also have Terri Lee's Baby Sister, Linda, and her little friend, Connie Lynn.

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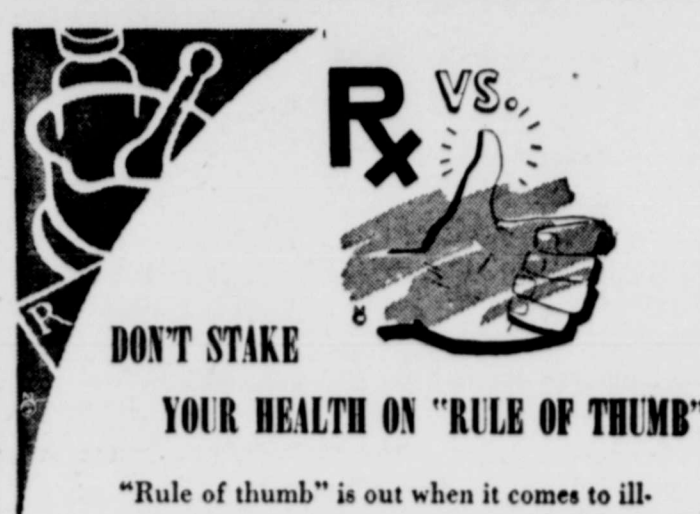
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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh

Tie This One For Consideration—

Closed the office early last Saturday to go after pheasants with Pops Foster. I used fewer shells than the old gentleman and took home more birds—but not because I did better shooting.

I'd borrowed a dog for the occasion. Pops took along Blue, his ancient pointer. Several times I noticed Pops walk up to a clump of bushes. Blue had pointed at and fire into the air—though he hadn't flushed a single bird.

Naturally, I wanted to know why. "Well," he said sheepishly, "I've been hunting with that dog for 11 seasons. His nose isn't much

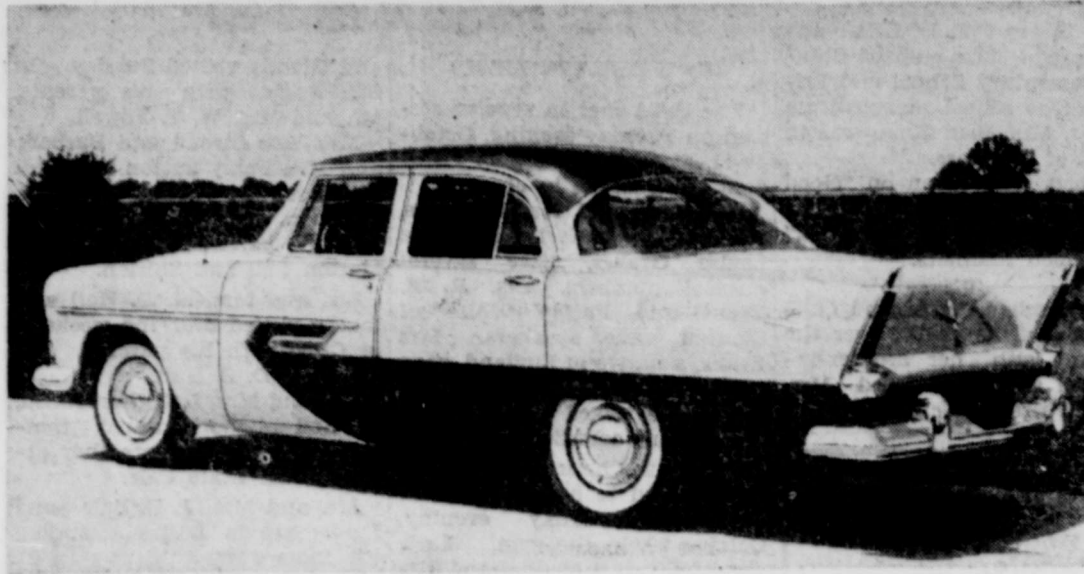
help any more—but I'd rather waste a shell than let him know."

From where I sit, Pops always shows consideration for people, too. For instance, this is a small thing, but he puts a bottle of beer on ice for me when I visit him—though he never takes anything but coffee himself. Even if he doesn't agree with me on a matter of personal choice (which is his right) he'd rather not make a "point" of letting me know.

Joe Marsh

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1956 Plymouth Belvedere



Belvedere four-door sedan is one of 15 attractive models in Plymouth's 1956 line of cars. Aerodynamic styling, push button driving and powerful new Hy-Fire 277 engine are among outstanding features. Safety door latches and other safe driving items are standard equipment.

Plymouth 1956 Models Offer Wide Selections

Plymouth offers a wider selection of body types and models in its 1956 line than were available in 1955.

There are now four separate lines and 15 models. Added to the Plymouth line-up are a four-door hardtop in the Belvedere line and a two-door hardtop in the Savoy line. The e Suburbans are now a separate line of cars.

Plymouth is building three types of Suburbans—the four-door Sport Suburban, two-door and four-door Custom Suburban and two-door Deluxe Suburban. The four-door models are available with a third seat which increases passenger capacity to eight.

There are five models in the Belvedere line—four-door sedan, four-door hardtop, two-door club sedan, two-door hardtop and convertible.

Plymouth's middle line, the Savoy group, is made up of a four-door sedan, two-door club sedan and two-door hardtop.

The Plaza group, priced lower than the Belvedere and Savoy, is composed of a four-door sedan, two-door club sedan and three-passenger coupe.

Plymouth convertibles are powered by V-8 engines. All other models are available with V-8 or six cylinder engines.

Garden City 4-H Girls Club Elects

Doyle Little was elected president of the Garden City Girls' 4-H Club when it met Wednesday, October 12, in the high school to reorganize for the year.

Other officers are Mary Ruth Asbill, vice-president; Darlene Hansan, secretary-treasurer, and Carrel Northcott, reporter.

Mrs. Mildred Eiland, Glasscock county home demonstration agent, works with the group.

Regular meetings will be held during the school year.

Scout Polk of McCamey is pending a two weeks' vacation ere visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Polk.

Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Richardson visited with friends and relatives during the weekend in Fort Stockton.

New Encyclopedia Given to Library

Two sets of the new 1955 edition of Compton's Pictured Encyclopedia have been added to the book collection of the Stanton school library. The books were bought and presented to the school by the Stanton P-TA.

The serial number appears twice on a dollar bill.

WHITES HAVE DAUGHTER

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde White are the parents of a daughter, Wanda Sue, born Monday, October 10, in a Midland hospital. She weighed 8 pounds 7 ounces. The Whites have another daughter, Margie Lou.

Mrs. W. M. Wilkinson of Lubbock visited last week with her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wilkinson.

Read the Classifieds!

Baylor - A. & M. Game Will Be On Television

A live telecast of the Texas A&M - Baylor game from College Station will highlight the Humble Company's football coverage this weekend. There will also be five on-the-scene broadcasts of Southwest Conference games.

Friday night beginning at 6:50 p.m. CST the TCU - Miami game will be broadcast from the Orange Bowl in Miami by Jerry Doggett and Stan McKenzie. Radio stations carrying this broadcast will be WFAA-WBAP - 570, Dallas - Fort Worth; KWKC, Abilene - 1340.

On Saturday, Kern Tips will describe the telecast of the Texas A&M - Baylor game from College Station, beginning at 1:45 p.m. over KCBP-TV, Lubbock; WFAA-TV, Dallas; WBAP-TV, Fort Worth; KTXL-TV, San Angelo; KRBC-TV, Abilene; KSWB-TV, Roswell; and KMID-TV, Midland.

The broadcast of this Texas A&M - Baylor game will start five minutes later, at 1:50 p.m. Dave Russell and Mike Misto-vich will describe the action and color. This game will be heard over KGKO, Dallas - 1480; KXOL, Fort Worth - 1360; KAMQ, Amarillo - 1010; KDUB, Lubbock - 1340; KPET, Lamesa - 690; KECK, Odessa - 920; KSNY, Snyder - 1450.

Broadcast of the Texas - Rice game will begin at 1:50 p.m. from Austin. Ves Box and Dave

Smith will be announcers and the game will be carried over WFAA - WBAP - 820, Dallas - Fort Worth - 820; KRIG, Odessa - 920; KEPO, El Paso - 690; KWKC, Abilene - 1340; KGNC, Amarillo - 710; KCBP, Lubbock - 1590; KERB, Kermit - 600; KDWT, Stamford - 1400; KBIM, Roswell, N. M. - 910.

From Lawrence, Kansas, the S.M.U. - Kansas game will be described by Bob Walker and Coit Butler. Radio time will be 1:50 p.m. over KRLL, Dallas - 1080; WOAI, San Antonio - 1200; KRBC, Abilene - 1470; KCRS, Midland - 550; KGKL, San Angelo - 960; KVMC, Colorado City - 1320.

The Texas Tech - University

of Houston game will be broadcast from Houston by Eddie Barker and Eddie Hill. Broadcast time will be 7:50 p.m. over KFYO, Lubbock - 790; KPDN, Pampa - 1340; KVOP, Plainview - 1400; KWEW, Hobbs, N. M. - 1490; KCLV, Clovis, N. M. - 1240.

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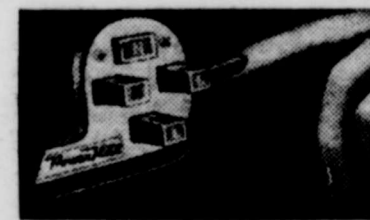
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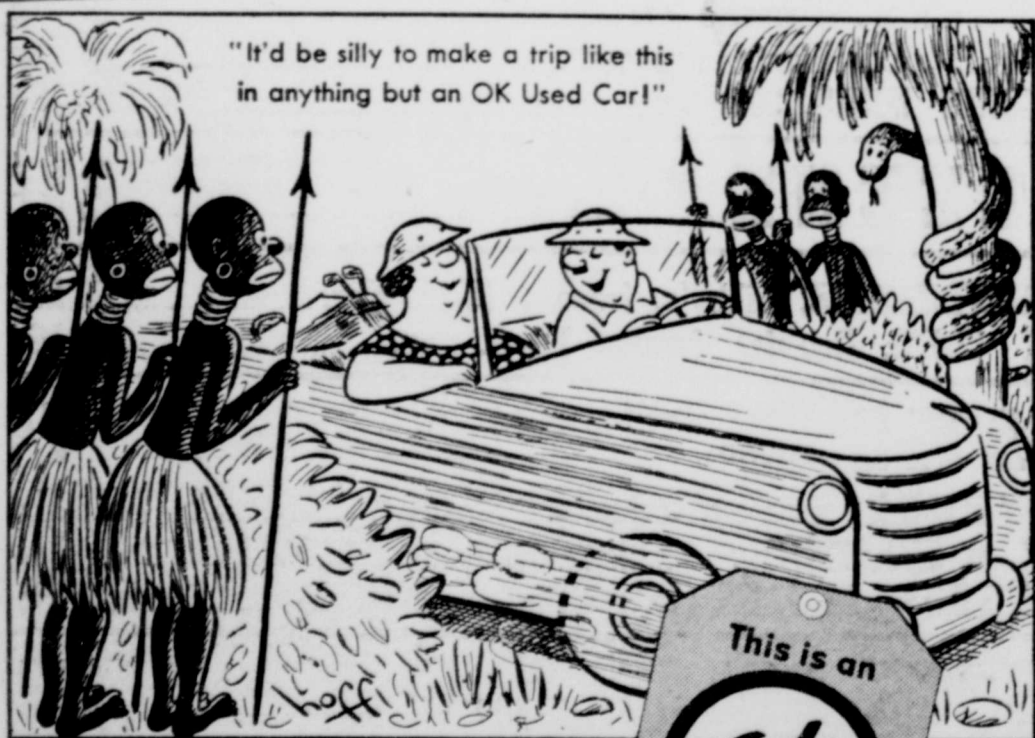
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Sunday visitors in Colorado City were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Pickett and children. They visited his brother, Rev. and Mrs. Frank Pickett, Jr. Mr. Pickett's mother, Mrs. Frank Pickett, Sr. returned home with them for a visit.

Mrs. Reece Bedford of Colorado City recently visited with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McCreless.

Visiting Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Claude Nowlin and children and with Mrs. Vivian Tippit were Mr. and Mrs. Beryl Tippit of Tahoka.

FUNERAL IS HELD

Funeral services were held Saturday afternoon in Coahoma for Mrs. G. W. McGregor of Coahoma, sister of Harry Echols of Stanton. She died Thursday in her home in Coahoma.

Virgil Polson, who attends Texas Tech, was home over the weekend visiting with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Polson.

Mr. and Mrs. Nolan Robnett and Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Thompson and daughter, Linda, of Lubbock visited Sunday in the Ed Robnett home.

Mrs. Caffey of Ackerly Honored By Friends With Pink, Blue Shower

By DOROTHY BAKER

Mrs. Woodie Caffey was honored with a pink and blue shower Friday, October 14, in the home of Mrs. Carlis White. Mrs. Bill Etchison registered the guests. Games were played and refreshments of homemade cake, cocoa and punch were served.

Hostesses included Mesdames Bill Hambrick, Bill Wallace, Norman Cluck, Chester Ingram, Gus Burkett, Carlis White, Bill Etchison and Lewis Etheredge.

The W.M.U. of the Baptist Church met for its regular weekly meeting last Monday evening and after the program the ladies surprised Mrs. Carlis White with a party. Mrs. White is out-going president of the W.M.U. They presented her with a lovely Postoria bowl and pitcher. Punch and cookies were served to 18 ladies.

New officers for this year are: Mrs. Chester Ingram, president; Mrs. Faye Wallace, vice-president; Mrs. Carlis White, secretary; Mrs. Bill Hambrick, mission study chairman; Mrs. Lewis Etheredge, community mission chairman; and Mrs. J. Roy Haynes, stewardship chairman.

Eleven members of the W.M.U. attended the district meeting at the First Baptist Church in Lamesa recently. They had a covered dish luncheon.

Three Ackerly 4-H Club members arrived in Dallas Monday to participate in the junior division of the State Fair Livestock Show. They are Jerry Batson, who will be exhibiting at the State Fair for the fourth year, will show a Southdown and Southdown cross lamb; Royal Lewis, who is taking a medium weight Hereford calf, and Sandra Adams, who will show a lightweight Angus.

Accompanying the participants are Byron Pierce, Lamesa, assistant county agent and leader of the Ackerly club, and Mr. and Mrs. Ray Adams and Bryan Adams.

Jerry started his lamb project in June and Royal began feeding his calf in March. Sandra will be showing a home raised calf bred by her father, Ray Adams, at his Ackerly ranch.

The group will remain at the fair for the entire week of the Junior Livestock Show.

The Ackerly Eagles beat the Dawson Dragons by a score of 44-7 in a District 6-B football game at Ackerly last Thursday night.

A Dawson fumble set up Ackerly's first score in the opening period. On first down, Alvin Cates raced over from 45 yards away and Jerry Hall booted the extra point.

Dawson received its only score in the first when Doyle Core went in after receiving a short pass. He also added the conversion.

Dub Grigg raced 60 yards for a second period TD that put the Eagles ahead to stay. Hall again made the conversion.

Phil Wallace made a score for Ackerly in the third, and in the fourth Grigg counted twice and Hall converted after the second touchdown.

Ackerly's final score was made by James Savell.

Ackerly will be host to the McCauley team in a non-con-

ference game next Friday night.

Mrs. Fred Phillips was honored recently with a miscellaneous bridal shower at the recreation hall of the Fairview community church. The honoree is the former Marie Yater of Stanton and is a teacher at Ackerly high school.

About 40 guests were served cake and punch from a table laid with a lace cloth over red. The centerpiece was an arrangement of red and white flowers.

The sophomore and senior classes of Ackerly high school each had a class party recently. The sophomores went to the show at Lamesa and the seniors had a welner roast and theatre party in Big Spring.

Recent guests with Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Horton and Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Wagner were their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Applewhite of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Jackson of Ackerly are the grandparents of a grandson born to their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Stuart, Jr. of Big Spring. The baby, named James Pharris, was born October 9 and weighed 7 pounds 6 ounces. Also grandparent of the baby is Mrs. H. D. Stuart, Sr. of Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Coleman are at the Coleman place near Andrews attending to business.

Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thomas were their daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Dallas Woods of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ingram of Ackerly.

Mr. and Mrs. Otis Metcalf and children have moved into our community from Portales, N. M.

Mrs. Vina Beal of Midland spent the weekend here with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Beal.

Mr. and Mrs. Carlis White visited Monday in Lamesa with his mother, Mrs. Lottie White.

Mrs. W. M. Kemp has returned to her home in Mertens after visiting her son, Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Kemp and children.

Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Coleman and daughter have gone to their ranch near Jefferson, Colo.

Twelve members of the Ackerly FHA chapter and their sponsors, Mrs. Fred Phillips and Mrs. Travis Russell attended the dis-

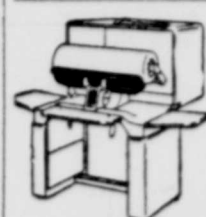
Chevrolet to Show New Models Nov. 4

DETROIT — Climaxing a sales year that promises to set new all-time records for the automobile industry, Chevrolet will introduce 1956 passenger cars Friday, November 4.

The new models will go on display simultaneously at dealer showrooms across the country. Although details have been withheld, the company has reported the forthcoming line is the most diversified in its history.

Visiting in the J. H. Burnam home last week were their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Schmidt and children of Alexandria, La. Also visiting the Burnam home last week were Mr. and Mrs. Joe Burnam of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. Mose Laws of Odessa.

istrict meeting at Denver City on Saturday, October 8. Beverly Russell of Ackerly was elected district president.



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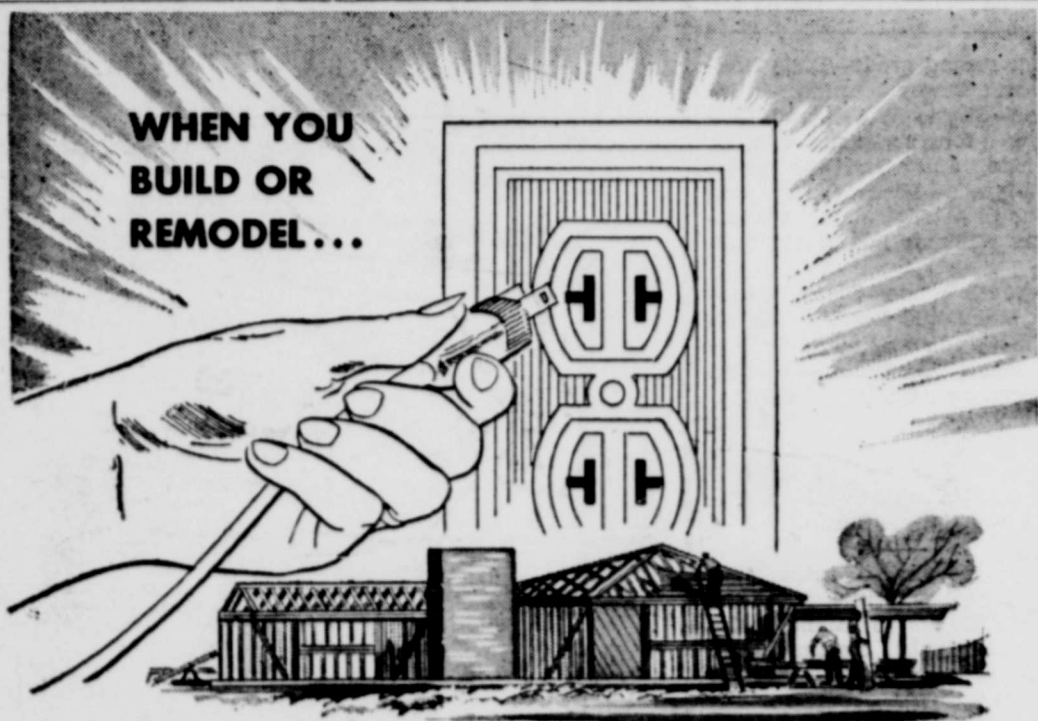
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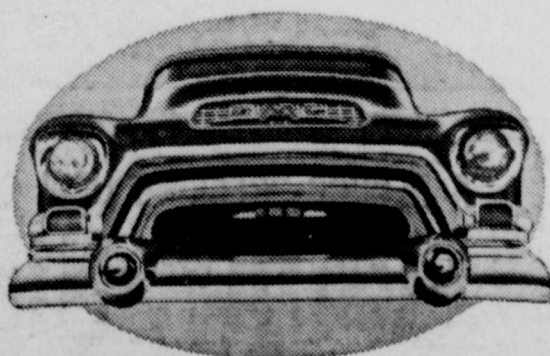
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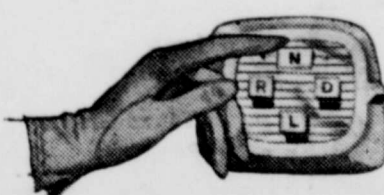
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Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Bristow and children attended the ice show, "Holiday on Ice," Sunday in Odessa.

Mrs. G. E. McDaniel and son, Gary, of San Antonio, visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Crow.

Gregarious animals live in flocks or herds.

Burley Polk, who attends Hardin - Simmons University in Abilene, visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Polk. Mrs. Polk and Mary Beth Ory attended the Hardin-Simmons - North Texas State football game Saturday night in Odessa and he returned home with them.

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NEWS FROM FLOWER GROVE

By MRS. C. A. WEBB

Mrs. E. M. Cave has returned home after spending two weeks in Odessa with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Jones, Ronnie and Bobby. She returned to her home on Thursday with the Jones' by way of Lamesa where they visited Mrs. Jack Harrell.

Joy Cook, a student at Texas Tech in Lubbock, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Cook, and Billie Fern.

Last week six weeks' examinations were given at Flower Grove school. Preparations are underway for the Halloween Carnival. Rev. and Mrs. T. M. Harrell and Don of Lamesa and Shirley Hollandsworth of Lenora ate dinner Sunday in the C. A. Webb home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Berger and children have moved into this community from Lamesa. They are living in the gin manager's house at the Flower Grove Co-op gin, where he is employed.

Mrs. R. J. Deatherage, who underwent major surgery in a Lubbock hospital, is at home now.

Mrs. Vernon Wade and daughters, Patty, Becky and Denise, left Wednesday for Japan where they will join Lt. Wade who is stationed there in the U. S. Air Force. Mrs. Wade is the former Ruth Mullins.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hopper of Floydada visited Tuesday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Barkowsky.

FFA Revamped With New Name At Garden City

By SANDRA WILKERSON

The FFA chapter recently reorganized under the new name of Garden City Future Ranchers. Lorin McDowell, III, will serve as president for the coming year.

Kay Mitchell was selected chapter sweetheart. She will enter the district sweetheart's contest to be held November 22 in Big Spring. Kay, the daughter of County Judge and Mrs. Dick Mitchell, is a senior.

About 30 boys are taking vocational agriculture and most of them have some kind of livestock project. They have 60 lambs on feed, one calf and four capons. Thirteen lambs have been entered at the State Fair this week and the others will be kept for other shows.

FFA boys who have lambs entered in the State Fair are Milton Mow, Eugene Davee, Jimmy Davee, Billy Bowden, Kenneth Robinson and Douglas Gray.

Gerald Oakes is vocational agriculture teacher. Eight Glascock County 4-H Club members entered 14 lambs in the Texas State Fair this week. Those making the trip were Ralph Schafer, Jack Asbill, Frank Murphy, Clifford Stephens, Waymon Gill, Robert Quintana and Oliver Werst.

Seventeen of the Future Homemakers of America went to the State Fair Friday. They made the trip on a school bus driven by Gerald Oakes. Mrs. S. G. Oakes, FHA sponsor, went with them. They returned Sunday afternoon.

FHA girls who made the trip were Darlene Drews, Jeanette Willingham, Mary Jo Cox, Alice Clark, Jackie Wilson, Susan Bednar, Juannell Overton, Linda Pettus, Darlene Hanson, Doylene Little, Cora Beth Overton, Carol Northcott, Dorothy Lynch, Jo Ann Maxwell, Sue Ellen White, Carolyn Armstrong and Betty Robinson.

Candidates for the king and queen of the annual Halloween carnival have been selected by Garden City students.

Candidates are: first grade—Sharon Hunt and Lennie Gar-

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and Mrs. A. P. Anderson over the weekend who were their daughter, Laveda, who attends Hardin - Simmons University in Abilene. Also visiting there were Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Robinson and daughters, Mary Sue and LaRue of Abilene, and Ann Hanson. Sunday guests were Mrs. Hugh Thames, C. T. Thames, Kathy and Lloyd, Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Thames, Leon and Danny, Mae Johnson and Mrs. Don Holcomb.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Wiggins of Monahans visited Sunday with her parents.

Betty Hill recently was a guest of Mrs. Johnny Blake and her son, Charles, of Big Spring. They attended the State Fair in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Richards, Max and Della Jo, have returned from a week's visit in Pineville, La., where they visited Mr.

rette; second grade—Dixie Hodges and Dewey Stanton; third grade—Sharla Wilson and Billy Ware; fourth grade—Martha Duncan and Bud Saunders; fifth grade—Micky Saffel and Vernon Asbill; sixth grade—Daria Williams and David Harris.

Seventh grade—Diann Childress and Eddie Bryans; eighth grade—Linda Gandy and Harold Jones; freshman—Jo Ann Maxwell and Clifford Stephens; sophomore—Darlene Hanson and Theibert Asbill; junior—Nancy Walker and Lorin McDowell, III; senior—Kay Mitchell and Jimmie Smith.

B. L. Murphy, Garden City high school principal, left Sunday for Dallas to attend the state principals' meeting. The meetings were to run through Wednesday.

Kay Mitchell went to Tahoka over the weekend to visit a friend, Sue Williams.

Col. and Mrs. Woodrow W. Ramsey and daughter, Shay, left Saturday for California, after visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Parker. From California they will fly to New Delhi, India, where Colonel Ramsey will serve a two-year tour of duty as U. S. Air Attache to India. The Ramseys expect to complete their 11,000-mile trip in three days.

Margie Self of Miles visited over the weekend with Marceline Gill.

and Mrs. Bob Lovett and family. Mrs. Lovett and Mrs. Richards are sisters.

Carl (Shorty) Phelan is in a Midland hospital where he underwent surgery on his knee early in the week. He is recovering satisfactorily.

Mr. and Mrs. Slater Johnson have received word that their son-in-law, Doyle Wayne Cox, is recuperating slowly following a heart attack several days ago.

Ralph Mullins has been in a Lamesa hospital with pneumonia. He is home now, much improved.

R. C. Vest, Jr. flew to New Orleans, La. Thursday where he attended a showing of the new Studebaker. He returned home Saturday night.

C. of C. Workers To Lamesa Fete

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Bryan and Mr. and Mrs. Ed Davis were in Lamesa last Thursday night to attend the annual banquet of the Lamesa chamber of commerce. Bryan and Davis are president and manager, respectively, of the Martin County chamber of commerce.

The banquet was the occasion for the introduction of new officers for the coming year for the Lamesa organization.

Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Sprawls and Elna were Mr. and Mrs. Darwin Sprawls of Miles and Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Louder.

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