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Vote On Road Bonds July 11

A bond election will be held in Precinct One Saturday, July 11, for the purpose of approving or rejecting a $106,000.00 bond issue for the purpose of paving approximately 6½ miles of road.

County Commissioners ordered the election Wednesday morning when a petition for the election was heard. No opposition to proposed bond issue was voiced.

The proposed road paving program would start at the end of the pavement on FM2014 and extend south for two miles, and west for 1.5 miles. Beginning at the end of FM2014 the new pavement would extend for a distance of 3 miles to the south.

If the election carries by a two-thirds majority, the bonds will be issued at an interest rate not to exceed 4% and would be retired within a period of 10 years.

The election will be held in the Bob Burgess garage, 16 miles southeast of Stratford. George Bradley has been named as the presiding judge and Bob Burgess has been named as a judge for the election. Only qualified voters who own taxable property in Precinct One, which is designated as Road District 3, and who have duly rendered the property for taxation, shall be qualified to vote in the election.

Mrs. Keener's Father Dies In Liberal

O. J. Ontjes, 79-year old father of Mrs. F. M. Keener, died in Epworth Hospital in Liberal, Kansas Sunday. He suffered a stroke Wednesday of last week.

Funeral services were held in the United Brethren Church in Kismet, Kansas Wednesday afternoon. Burial was made in the Plains, Kansas cemetery.

Mr. Ontjes had been in failing health for several years. He was born January 26, 1880 in North Dakota, and moved to Kismet community in 1915. His wife preceded him in death in 1922.

Survivors include one son, Alvin of Compton, California; four daughters, Mrs. R. E. Rinehart of Kismet; Mrs. Floyd Keener of Stratford, Mrs. Johnny Morton of Denver, and Mrs. Mike Phinney of Ukiah, California; three brothers, four sisters, 12 grandchildren and 22 great grandchildren.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Keener and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Martin attended the funeral.

C. G. Harris Wins Safety Drivers Award

C. G. Harris, a gathering system operator of the Sher-Han area of the Phillips Petroleum Company's natural gas department, Panhandle district, was presented with a safe driving award for driving a company vehicle for 100,000 miles without an accident.

Harris maintains his home at 800 North Fulton in Stratford.

Join Forces To Control Weeds

Members of the Sherman County Commissioners' Court, in session Monday, reconsidered the need for noxious weed control. The county will furnish chemicals to treat bindweed and johnson grass on county roads adjoining any land where these noxious weeds are treated by farmers. They set up the following procedure for distributing of chemicals to treat weeds on right of ways. Farmers are to measure the infested areas in the right of way and give the information to the county commissioner in their precinct. The commissioner will sign an order authorizing the use of chemicals. The farmer will take the order to the county agent who will figure the amount of chemicals required to treat the weed infested area. This order then can be presented to the county dispatcher office at the county barn where the chemicals will be picked up for treating the weeds. County Commissioner E. W. Carter of Precinct Two will treat the weeds in his precinct.

More forces are joining hands to bring the weed problem under control this year than ever before. However, there are two sources of infestation which have not joined the drive according to the Sherman County Weed Control Committee.

Bind weed tentacles are reaching into every home's back yard and spreading it's seed over valuable farm land. This weed is sometimes called possession vine and gets the name from its vigorous competition with other plants. No field crop can compete with it. Its root system spreads through the soil vertically and laterally and it produces a large volume of seed. It reproduces from roots and seed. Land infested with bindweed has a minus value of $108.00 an acre for farming. No one will buy a patch of bindweed and it costs a minimum of $108.00 an acre to treat the land for control of the weed and production on the land is nil while under the treatment period of from two to five years.

Now is the time to clean bindweed up on your land while all public and private forces are organized to kill it. It will only cost the farmer $1.00 out of each $2.00 of actual cost for treating it on his land.

One railroad, the Texas Highway Department, and the County Commissioners' Court will help by killing weeds on the right of ways, the Federal Government will help by sharing 1-2 of the expense for treating bindweeds on farm land through the local A.S.C. office. This assistance may be withdrawn this year. Thousands of dollars have been spent on research to find methods and materials to kill this weed.

These noxious weeds have been spreading slowly in Sherman County and small patches

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Cherry Theft Places Boy In Hospital

One teenage Keyes boy is in an Elkhart hospital where the removal of a kidney may be necessary and another teenage Keyes boy has a shirt punctured with a bullet hole. The shooting was allegedly aggravated by the theft of cherries from a tree belonging to a Keyes widow of retiring years. Vandals recently destroyed much of the work the lady had done to beautify her yard, investigating officers said.

The bullets were fired from a .22 automatic rifle.

Carroll Reed Gets Atomic Mathematics Job

Carroll Reed, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gleen Reed, has accepted a position as a mathematician with the Atomic Energy Commission. Mr. and Mrs. Reed are making their home at Santa Fe, New Mexico.

Reed recently received his MS Degree at Texas Tech in Lubbock.

Miss Bachman Married In Home Ceremony



Miss Dorothy Lucille Bachman and Richrad Grey Foster of Happy were married at 4:00 p. m. Saturday in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Bachman Jr.

The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Foster of Happy.

Rev. Walter Hadley, pastor of the First Methodist Church of Happy, read the double ring ceremony before the fireplace with its mantel decorated with an arrangement of pale pink gladioli and turquoise blue candles, flanked by floor candelabra bearing white candles.

Mrs. Frank Sutton played "Indian Love Call", traditional wedding music, and accompanied Mrs. Mike Neal of Amarillo, as she sang, "I Love You Truly," and "Whither Thou Goest." She also accompanied her husband, Frank Sutton, as he sang "The Lord's Prayer", at the close of the ceremony.

Candlelighters were Lynn Gaylord, nephew of the bride, and Jakie Milam of Tulia, nephew of the bridgeroom.

Mrs. Carl (Norma) Oquin of Spearman was her sister's matron of honor. She wore a dress of turquoise blue nylon organdy and a headband of flowers, and carried an arm bouquet of pink majestic daisies. Little Misses Debbie Gay-

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REDEDICATION ON FLAG DAY



Art And Craft Festival Open Sunday Afternoon

The Tri-Corner Art Club and Home Demonstration Council are co-sponsoring an Art and Craft Festival Sunday, June 14, in the County Exhibit Building from 3:00 to 6:00 p. m. Dumas and Boise City art clubs are cooperating in the exhibit.

Home Demonstration clubs will exhibit crafts they have been studying. China painters will exhibit their work to make the show of wider interest. The Younger Set will be represented by a display of art work completed during the school year.

Door prizes will be distributed among those visiting the exhibit as well as among the exhibitors.

The Home Demonstration ladies will furnish refreshments for a silver tea. Proceeds will be used to better equip the kitchen of the exhibit building.

Rules For Exhibit

1. Only members of the Tri-Corner Art Club or members of a club invited by a written invitation may exhibit.
2. All work must be original and completed within the year.
3. All media must be in the field of painting and crafts and cannot have been exhibited previously in the same town.
4. There will be no limit on number of pieces which may be exhibited, unless space is limited.
5. The subject matter must be appropriate for public exhibit.
6. Water colors, charcoals must be matted and equipped for hanging.
7. All pictures must be framed and wired for hanging.
8. All work must be titled and have name and address of Artist attached to back.
9. Pictures and crafts must be brought in by 2:00 o'clock Saturday.
10. Work must be called for by 6:00 o'clock Sunday evening.

Wheat Crop Is Ripening Fast

FIRST LOAD OF WHEAT ARRIVES

Jenkins and Buzzard delivered the first load of wheat to the Stratford Grain Co. at 5:30 p. m. today. The grain was combined from a field 13 miles east of Stratford. It tested 60 pounds and had a 10½% moisture content.

Stewart To Head Skelly School

Hugh Stewart has accepted a position as Principal of the Skelly School in Moore County. Eight grades are taught in the school with high school students being transferred to Dumas. The Skelly school operates much like a high school in that it maintains a cafeteria, and has its own band. The school is located 18 miles east of Dumas.

Hugh Stweart has been associated with the Stratford School for the past 12 years. He taught in the school for two years and has held the position as principal of the elementary school for 10 years.

Wheat is ripening satisfactorily in the northern Panhandle with only scattered reports of damage caused by adverse weather conditions. Many believe that combines will start cutting in some fields about June 15 and that full swing operations will commence about June 20. Peak operations are expected during the week of June 25. Showers have been received in many areas. Although there has been some damage from hail, prospects generally, remain good.

In the Wichita Falls area wheat yields ranged from 7 to 35 bushels to the acre. Ten percent of the fields had been cut Saturday when rains halted operations.

Harvest in the Abilene area has reached its peak, with an estimated 40% of the work completed. An average yield of 13 bushels to the acre has been reported.

Irrigated acreage in the Littlefiel area is poducing 30 to 40 bushels of wheat to the acre.

Riggs, Kirkwood And Galloway Visit Austin

Kirl Kirkwood and Jerry Galloway are in Austin this week attending Boys State which is sponsored by the American Legion to enable boys to learn more about how their state government functions. Two boys are sent from Sherman County each year to gain this knowledge of their state.

The trip for the boys was financed by the American Legion, the Sherman County Farm Bureau, the Stratford Volunteer Fire Department and the Stratford Lions Club.

The boys left Saturday for Austin and will return home Saturday of this week.

Jesse Riggs left Tuesday evening to attend Girls State. Her trip to Austin was sponsored by the American Legion Auxiliary.

Youths To Exhibit Art

Boys and girls who have completed art or craft work during the past year are invited to display their work in the craft festival which will be held Sunday in the County Exhibit Building.

Work to be exhibited should be taken to the County Exhibit Building at 2:00 p. m. or later Saturday. There will be special door prizes for boys and girls exhibiting their work.

Since 1952 retail purchases of tobacco products have been more than $5 billion annually, and cigarettes have accounted for well over $4 billion.

C. E. Crossfield Succumbs To Injuries

C. E. Crossfield, 89 of Pritchett, Colorado, died Tuesday in a Lamar, Colorado hospital. He had been in fair health until about 10 days ago when he fell and broke a leg.

Mr. Crossfield was an uncle of Mrs. C. W. Moon, Mrs. Philip Blanck and Tim Crossfield.

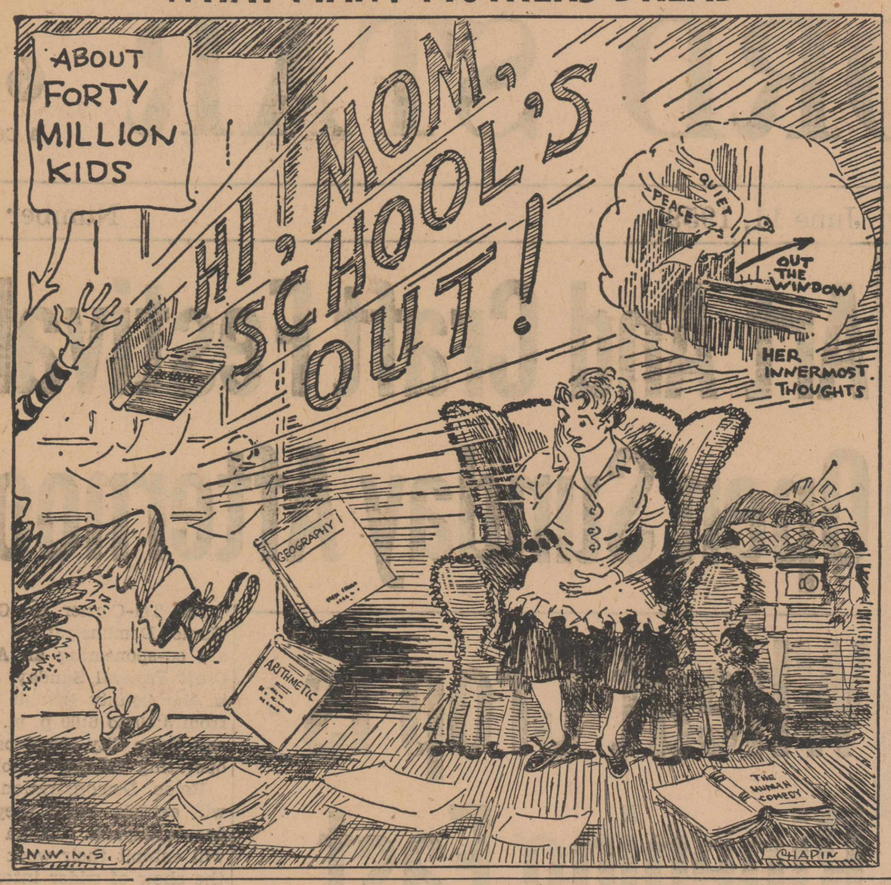
Mr. and Mrs. Moon, Mrs. Blanck and Mr. and Mrs. Crossfield attended funeral services in Pritchett today.

Study Club To Install Officers

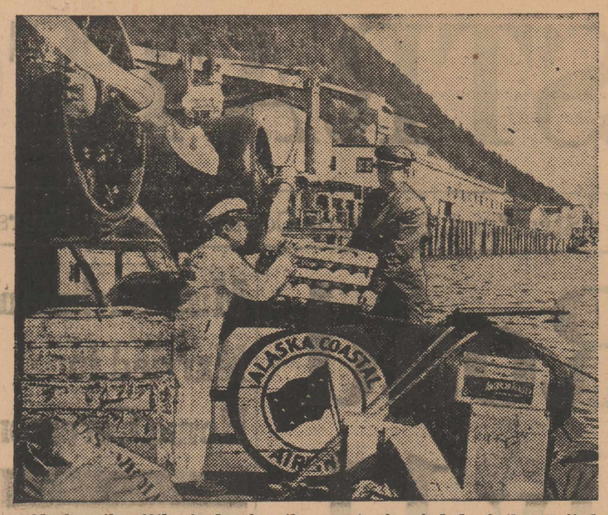
An installation tea for the installation of new officers of the Prospectus Study Club will be held in the home of Mrs. Cone Donelson at 3:00 o'clock Friday afternoon.

Officers to be installed are: Mrs. H. H. Caraway as president, Mrs. Bill Pendleton as first vice president, Mrs. Kenneth Kendrick as second vice president, Mrs. Billy Cummings as third vice president, Mrs. Carroll Wisdom as secretary-treasurer, Mrs. A. L. Ross as reporting secretary, Mrs. Bill Allen as press book chairman, Mrs. Walter Vincent as parliamentarian, and Mrs. Jack Heil as federation counselor.

WHAT MANY MOTHERS DREAD



How Well Do You Know Your America?



Alaska, the 49th, is by far the most air-minded of the United States' fifty States. Everybody and everything travels by air. Here fresh fruit is being loaded aboard an aircraft at Juneau to be flown to outlying districts.

In Alaska, motorists pay heed to "aircraft crossing" signs, along with such others as "moose crossing" and "dogteam crossing," for planes always have the right-of-way. A sign along the roadside at the airfield at Anchorage, one of the busiest air centers in the world, warns motorists to yield the right-of-way to aircraft.

Flying in Alaska is for both business and fun. Depending upon the country in which the plane is operated, landing gear may be wheels, skis or pontoons.

Camp For Camp Leaders In October

Christian education leaders from many denominational bodies are expected to participate in a Training Camp for Church Camp and Conference Leaders to be held October 14-23 at Rainbow Methodist Camp near Glen Rose. Although the program primarily is for 'trainers of leaders', other persons recommended by denominational offices may register after September 10.

Total cost of the ten-day camping program will be $50. Registration will be limited to 40 persons, both men and women. For descriptive folder write to the TCC office or a denominational Christian Education office. Registrar is Rev. Tom Granger, 7½ E. Henderson, Cleburne.

About five per cent of school-age boys show evidence of color deficiency or color blindness. Only about one per cent of the girls have the same trouble.



FAMILY REUNION . . . Sen. John Kennedy, center, chats with his sister Patricia, who is married to actor Peter Lawford, right, in the L. A. Press Club.



HATS OFF . . . Shaye Ritchie of Miami Beach, because of her light complexion, usually wears a hat—and takes an umbrella—to the beach.

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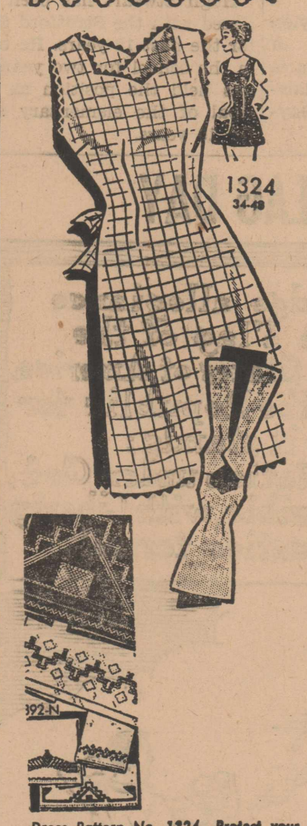
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Schedule Youth League Baseball Games

Games to be played in the Little League baseball schedule have been completed.

Yankees and Giants met in the opening game June 2. Indians and Braves met on June 5. Giants and Braves played Tuesday night. The Indians will meet the Yankees Friday night.

June 16 the Braves and Yankees will play.

June 19 the Indians will meet the Giants.

June 23 Giants and Indians will play.

June 26 will be the date of a game between the Braves and Indians.

On June 30 the Braves meet the Giants.

July 3, the Yankees play the Indians.

July 7 is the date for a game between the Yankees and Braves.

July 10, the Giants will play the Indians.

July 14, the Yankees will play the Giants.

July 17, the Indians and the Braves play.

July 21 the Giants meet the Braves.

July 24 the Indians and the Yankees play.

July 28 is the date for a game between the Indians and the Giants.

New Players

Larry Bates, Allen Wells and Jerry Allen have been assigned to the Giants team. Lewis James, Todd Dyess and Ronnie Brooks will play with the Braves. Jimmy Milam, Lynn Gaylord and Rusty Garrison have been placed on the Yankees team.

Officials Named

R. W. Standefer Jr. has been elected president of the Little League Association. H. L. Vincent is the head umpire and Cone Donelson is the baseball commissioner.

Rev. M. E. Upchurch, Walter Vincent, Edward Brannan and B. A. (Sonny) Donelson are coaching the Little League teams.

Insecticide Controls Cattle Grubs

Cattle grubs, which annually cause over $100,000,000 loss to beef and dairy cattle producers, have been successfully controlled on nonlactating dairy cattle at the Tyler Substation. Dow ET 57, a systemic insecticide was used and a 91.5 percent grub control was obtained on herd replacements and nonlactating dairy cattle.

There have been no previous reports of using systemic grub control in dairy cattle although beef cattle producers have obtained 81 to 96 percent control with the systemics. This systemic has not been approved for lactating dairy cows because of the elimination of the pesticide in the milk. The Pure Food and Drug Administration has approved the use of this systemic on beef cattle, when the animals are not slaughtered within 60 days after treatment.

Forty-two animals received a single treatment of one part of the systemic to two parts of water administered as a drench at the rate of one ounce per 100 pounds of body weight.

The treatment administered on June 14 gave the highest percentage of control, 93.8, and the treatment on July 23 gave the lowest, 89.4. There was no significant difference in gain or loss of body weight of treated animals as compared with animals not treated.

These limited tests indicate the best time to treat replacement heifers and nonlactating dairy animals for grubs with systemics is early June. Dairy farmers could never treat the complete herd because of lactating cows. Non-lactating cows and young cattle may be treated in early June and all cows that go dry in June and July could be treated as they are dried off.

For a copy of the report which gives the results of the Tyler treatments, write the Agricultural Information Office, College Station. Ask for PR-2086.

FOR AND ABOUT TEENAGERS By C. D. Smith

About 'Teens and Something To Do'



We come again to the time of the year when we see here and there the motto, "Take a Boy Fishing—Today." And again this season, many grownups, who know better, will take off alone for their favorite fishing spot leaving Junior to find his own "fun" on the street corners or at the local pool hall.

While there's nothing wrong with youngsters gathering on street corners (they've been doing it since the days of Dan'l Boone), it can lead to trouble. Boys get tired of just standing on the corner and set out to find some excitement and, in the search for some innocent fun, get themselves into a situation where they suddenly become "juvenile delinquents."

Many a father contributes to the delinquency of his son because he has neither the time or the ability to be a "pal" as well as a parent.

Fathers have been known to say, "I can't take my boy fishing with me or treat him as an 'equal.' If I do, he will lose his respect for my authority." Actually, the reverse is true. The boy will understand and appreciate his father the more when he realizes that dad is a "regular fellow" as well as the family head and breadwinner.

Many teenagers are not as proud of a father who earns enough to own two automobiles as they are envious of Johnnie Smith's father who is the town's best fisherman, top bowler, or outstanding marksman.

But outdoor activities and/or athletics are not the only meeting ground for good father-son relationships. Hobbies, arts, crafts, anywhere a mutual interest may lie—here is a solid and productive foundation on which to build a relationship that encourages understanding, trust, and mutual respect.

Making the first step is the job of the parent. It becomes an easy task when he realizes that respect is based upon many considerations other than the fear of authority.

If you have a teenage problem you want to discuss, or an observation to make, address your letter to FOR AND ABOUT TEENAGERS, NATIONAL WEEKLY NEWSPAPER SERVICE, FRANKFORT, KY.

Mrs. W. R. Taylor Is Hostess To CWF Circle Two

Circle Two of the Christian Woman's Fellowship met in the home of Mrs. W. R. Taylor June 3 at 2:30 p. m. There were six members present. Mrs. Arthur Folsom presented the lesson on the Middle East. Mrs. John Knight gave some of the political and military facts of present day Mid-East problems. Mrs. W. R. Taylor gave the devotional and the offering was received. The Blessing Boxes were collected also. This is an offering for missions above the regular giving. The C. W. F. benediction was used to close the meeting. A social hour and refreshments followed the meeting.

CARD OF THANKS

I wish to express my sincere appreciation to all who so kindly remembered me with cards, letters, flowers, gifts, visits and all other acts of kindness during my stay in the hospital and since my return home.

Mrs. J. D. McDaniel

SPORTS CORNER



WHAT NEXT? . . . Sugar Ray Robinson seems to wonder about his future after being informed that the National Boxing Assn. had vacated his middleweight crown.

Here N' There

Veteran manager Bobby Gleason thinks another boxing manager, Cus D'Amato, is lining up nothing but "incompetents" to fight for the top heavyweight spot. Gleason has charged that Champion Floyd Patterson is being matched against inferior opponents to ensure that he keep his crown . . . Bill Woodhouse of Abilene Christian College in Texas equalled the world record for the 100-yard with a 9.3 second performance in a four-college track meet. In a girl's softball game at Vancouver, Cedar Cottage took a 1-0 lead over Fraserview in the first inning. It must have made Fraserview unhappy—the team scored 23 runs; 13 more in the second inning and 14 in the third. The game was called off with Fraserview leading 50-1 . . . George Detore has been named a coach with the Pittsburgh Pirates, replacing Jimmy Dykes, who went to the Detroit Tigers as manager.

Trouble that looks like a mountain from a distance, usually is only a hill when you get to it.

FENCE LINES



NO WASTE . . . The farmer who dispenses feed to livestock or poultry from feed sacks can avoid spilling by inserting a barrel hoop in the mouth of the sack. Hoop keeps sack open, allows it to be closed tightly by twisting as shown.

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Town Talk

Mrs. W. D. Ellis had as guests Sunday, her daughters and sons and their families, Mrs. E. F. (Nellie) Hamilton and two granddaughters, Judy and Belinda Nell, and Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Stump and four children, all of Texhoma; Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Ellis Jr. and sons, Billy and Mike of Nara Visa, New Mexico; and Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ellis, Beth and Sue, of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Foster and daughter, Ann, of El Paso, and Marilyn Foster of Lubbock visited Mrs. C. R. Foster over the week end.

Mrs. Don Kirkpatrick, Donna Jean and Jimmy, of Liberal, Kansas, visited in the homes of Mrs. Bessie Hoges and Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hankey Thursday and Thursday night. Friday morning, Donna Jean and Jimmy left for Venice, California, for a visit with their maternal grandfather, J. O. King and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Norris have as guests, their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. William McEnany, and children, Robin and Todd, who have been making their home in Stratford, Connecticut. Mr. and Mrs. McEnany plan to move to Oklahoma City later this month.

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Monroe and two daughters of Amarillo visited Mrs. Monroe's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Owen Palmer, Sunay afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Herman Graham and their son-in-law, Art Blodgett, of Hawthorne, California arrived Thursday for a visit in the homes of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Hankey and Mrs. Bessie Hodges. They went to Wichita, Kansas Saturday morning for a visit, returning to Stratford Sunday, to visit until Tuesday when they returned to their home.

Pvt. and Mrs. Stanley Folsom left Tuesday to go to Ft. Lewis, Washington, where he is stationed. They planned to make their trip to Washington, a sightseeing trip, going by Grand Canyon, Yellowstone National Park, Hoover Dam and other points of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Johnson and Crissy were business visitors in Amarillo today.

Mrs. D. L. Buckles who has been visiting her sisters, Mrs. C. W. Buckles in Muskogee, Oklahoma and Mrs. C. M. Butte in Okmulgee, Oklahoma, the past month, returned home Tuesday evening. Mrs. Butte returned home with her for a visit.

Mrs. C. W. Moon and Mrs. Philip Blanck took Jessie Jean Riggs to Amarillo Tuesday, where she joined 17 other girls from this area, who were going to Girls State in Austin. The girls left Amarillo at 11:45 p. m. by train.

Mrs. Homer Coffman, Coleen and Carey, and her sister-in-law, Miss Linda Coffman left Tuesday for Highmore, South Dakota for a visit with relatives and friends.

Russell Albert left Amarillo Wednesday morning to return to Iceland, where he has been stationed the past several months. His mother, Mrs. Earl Albert, and Mrs. Russell Albert, accompanied him to Amarillo Tuesday, and remained overnight.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Buckles and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Chesmer had as week end guests Mrs. Mrs. Buckles' and Mrs. Chesmer's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Ohlenbusch, and sister, Miss Janet Ohlenbusch, of Sweetwater. Janet remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell Beall and Mrs. Doris Anne Vincent and son were visitors in Dalhart Saturday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Harrison left Tuesday for a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Harrison and children in San Francisco, California.

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Yates and Miss Evelyn Cooper visited relatives in Texhoma Sunday night.

Mr. and Mrs. O. K. Gamble of Nara Visa, New Mexico were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Graydon Gamble Sunday. Betty Lou Gamble, who has been visiting in Stratford, returned home with her parents, and Yvonne Gamble went to Nara Visa with her for a visit.

Mrs. I. D. Wall and baby son spent the week end visiting in Logan, New Mexico.

Mrs. Phillip Blanck and Mrs. C. W. Moon went to Pratt, Kansas Friday, where they attended the funeral of a cousin. They returned home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Ratcliff and sons of Dimmitt were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Caraway Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Coats and sons have returned home from a visit with his mother who has been ill in a Tyler, Texas hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross Turner drove to Liberal, Kansas to take home their grandchilren who have been visiting in their home.

Mr. and Mrs. Lamoine Palmer, Clayton, New Mexico, visited in the homes of Mr. an Mrs. Elbert Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Owen Palmer Friday evening.

Linguists estimate that at least 145 different languages are spoken in the Soviet Union.



New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Albert became the parents of a 7 pound 11 ounce son at 9:40 Tuesday night. The little boy who has been named Joe Pete, was born in Dumas Memorial Hospital. His maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Wells and the paternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Earl another brother-in-law and sis- Albert. Maternal great grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Kelley of Barnsdall, Oklahoma. Mrs. Albert and Joe Pete were brought to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Wells today.

Spence, Joy, Johnny and Sherri, children of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Lewis, announce the birth of a baby brother, Rodger Lee Lewis. He was born May 8 in Dumas Memorial Hospital. He weighed 7 pounds 10 ounces. Otis McCall of Fayetteville, Arkansas is a grandfather of the children.

THANK YOU

We wish to thank all of the people of this territory who made it possible for us to take our senior trip and to leave a gift of $200.00 to the school for the purchase of a new camera.

Seniors of 1959.

Give Farewell Party For Hudsons

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde M. Hudson were honored with a farewell party in the county clerk's office Monday morning. About 22 members of the courthouse personnel and the county commissioners attended. Coffee and cake were served.

A good rule of the thumb in selecting a boat trailer, is to total the weight of the boat, motor and other equipment usually carried in the boat. If the trailer's capacity is within 100 lbs. of the total, get a larger trailer.

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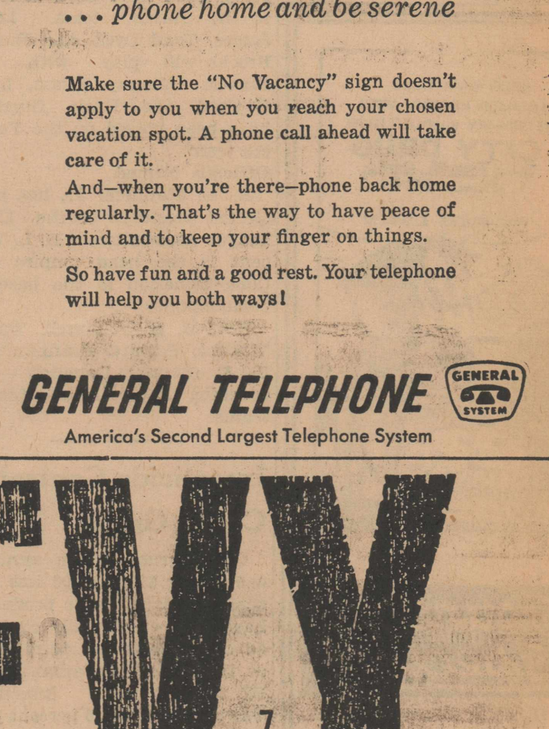
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Wohlfords Entertain Tu-Su-La-Ta Club

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Wohlford entertained members of the Tu-Su-La-Ta Club, their husbands, and several guests with a "42" party in their home Tuesday evening.

Guests included: Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Garrison, Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Buckles, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Pendleton, Mr. and Mrs. John Kidwell, Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Wisdom, Mr. and Mrs. Lyall Murdock, Mrs. R. B. Terrell and Sharilyn Wisdom.

Delicious refreshments were served at the close of the games.

Helen Nixon Circle Has Bible Study

The Helen Nixon Circle of the Baptist WMU met Wednesday, June 3, in Fellowship Hall for bible study, with Mrs. Pruett Adkins acting as chairman. Mrs. Joe Brown gave the opening prayer, which was followed by the reading and approving of the minutes.

The lesson entitled "The Christian Home", by Mrs. James B. Leavell Jr. was taught by Mrs. John Lavake. Mrs. Ollie Davis gave the closing prayer.

Those present and discussing the lesson were Mesdames Elma McDaniel, W. D. Ellis, W. E. Pleyer, W. P. Brooks, John Lavake, Mollie Ellison, Howard Haffey, Pruett Adkins, Joe Brown and Ollie Davis.

Nu Beta Chapter Meets With Mrs. Judd

Nu Beta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met in the home of Mrs. Aline Judd May 28. Mrs. Gaynelle Riffe presided over the business meeting in the absence of the president, Mrs. Margaret Reed. Several ways and means projects were discussed and it was decided there would be a summer dance. The time will be announced at a later date.

New committee chairmen were appointed for the coming year. A special float committee was selected to make arrangements for the Stratford Jamboree float.

Mrs. Elizabeth Zimmer presented the program on the "Substance for the Art of Life—The Beautiful."

Refreshments were served to: Mesdames Joan Bell, Glennelle Dettle, Vida Gaylord, Sue Howard, Theresa Jackson, Bettye Lasley, Georgianna Lavake, Charlene Oquin, Gaynelle Riffe, Elizabeth Zimmer, Maxine Stinson, Sue Hensley, Terri Flores, Pauline Martin, LaVonne Hudson, Hattie Chesmer, and Ida Gaylord by the hostess, Mrs. Aline Judd.

Mrs. Lasley Is 20th Century Circle Hostess

The Twentieth Century Circle of the First Christian Church met Wednesday, June 3, in the home of Mrs. Sam R. Lasley.

The regular business meeting was held, with the president, Mrs. Gordon Fedric, presiding.

The lesson, "Christian Witness in the Middle East Today", was given by Mrs. Dee Brannan.

The devotional was given by Mrs. Gordon Fedric.

A covered dish luncheon at 12:00 o'clock was enjoyed by Mesdames Roy Garrison, Elmer Oquin, Gail McDaniel, Harold Oquin, Dee Brannan, Gordon Fedric, Roy Mitchell, Orland Lasley, Harold Baker, Dean Gifford and the hostess, Mrs. Sam Lasley.

The next regular meeting will be in the home of Mrs. Gail McDaniel at 9:30 a. m. July 1. A baby sitter will be provided for small children who come with their mothers.

New Citizen Is Visiting In Stratford

Miss Charlotte M. Krebs of Aschaffenburg, Germany is a guest in the home of her sister, Mrs. Jack Davis. Miss Krebs entered the United States as an immigrant on May 27. She had been visiting in the home of friends in New York until Thursday when she came to Stratford.

Miss Krebs hopes to acquire her naturalized citizenship in the United States as soon as possible. She has studied English but is slightly timid about appearing in public as she often hesitates in selecting the proper English word before speaking.

Melody Sue Summerour Has Birthday Party

Mrs. Johnny Summerour entertained her daughter, Melody Sue, on her fourth birthday, with a party in the park in Dalhart.

Fourteen little girls attended the party.

The park table was covered with a birthday table cloth. The centerpiece was a cake which looked like a "Jack-in-the box". It was made and decorated for Melody Sue by her grandmother Summerour.

Delicious refreshments of cake, ice cream and pop were served to the children. Before going home, each little girl received a tiny watch favor.

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LAFF OF THE WEEK



"I hope you're over 21—we're not allowed to serve minors."

Among the Sick

Mrs. J. M. Milam, mother of Otis J. Milam is critically ill in Memorial Hospital in Hugo, Oklahoma. Mr. and Mrs. Milam were called to her bedside Friday. Mr. Milam returned home Monday, after sitting up with his mother during the week end. His wife remained to be with her. Mrs. Milam, who is 80 years old, has not been well for some time, and a short time ago suffered a heart attack.

Mrs. Bruce Clark is recovering from injuries sustained when she fell down the basement stairs at their home on June 1. She experienced bruises and and soreness from the fall.

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A caravan of Dumas Dogie Day boosters visited Stratford at 3:00 p. m. Tuesday to extend a personal invitation to the townspeople to attend their celebration June 11, 12 and 13.

It Pays — To Read Star Ads

Male birds do not sing for the joy of singing, but to attract mates and announce their property rights. The cardinal is one of few species whose females sing.

The late pianist and statesman, Ignace Paderewski, loved to play Bridge so much that he had a Bridge table installed in a corner of the official railroad car he used as Premier of Poland.

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Travelers Insurance Co. loans made on Real Estate for drilling irrigation wells or for refinancing. — Minnie Laura Jackson. 8-tfc

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Wanted

WANTED: People of this area to see academy award winner David Niven in Separate Tables at the Roxy Theatre June 14 and 15. 24-1tc

WILL DO Men's Laundry. — Mrs. R. L. Smith, 504 North Wall. 23-tfc

For Sale

SUMMER PLAYMATES for sale. Two snowy AKC female Samoyeds, ages one and three years. — P. C. Johnson, Stratford, Phone 3251 or 3331. 14-tfc

FOR SALE: Used Windows and Doors. — Lola's Cafe. 23-tfc

FOR SALE: Practically new Norge Dryer and two twin beds with innerspring mattresses. — Mrs. Jack Vincent. 24-2tc

FOR SALE: Slightly Used Stauffer Home Reducing Machine. — McMahen Furniture Co. 23-2tc

FOR SALE: Two One Ton Refrigerated Air Conditioners, bargains. — McMahen Furniture Co. 23-tfc

FOR SALE: Income Property, one bedroom furnished house and two bedroom unfurnished house. Both modern. See F. L. Yates. 11-tfc

FOR SALE: 25 foot by 60 foot building with 5x60 foot porch.— H. L. Harbour. 24-tfc

FOR SALE: Nice four room house with garage on three corner lots. $4,000. Hugh Stewart, Phone 3171. 24-3tp

FOR SALE: One four room and five room house. — Floyd Keener. 21-tfc

FOR SALE: One Four-Bedroom Home on pavement; One Two-Bedroom Home, newly decorated. — Minnie Laura Jackson. 12-tfc

FOR SALE or RENT: Three bedroom unfurnished house, corner of North Third and Spruce, Stratford, call collect Dumas 5-2989, J. R. Purgason, M. D. 42-tfc

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FIRST

Christian Church

(B. R. Clark, Minister)

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning worship 10:45 a. m.
Youth groups 6:00 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p. m.
Mid-week Bible Study and prayer 7:00 p. m.

A friendly welcome awaits you at any service of the First Christian Church.

Baptist Church

(M. E. Upchurch, Pastor)

Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Training Union 6:30 p. m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p. m.
Mid-week prayer service 7:00 p. m. Wednesday.

Church of Christ

(Vernon Williams, Minister)

Sunday Services
Bible Study 10:00 a. m.
Worship 10:55 a. m.
Evening Worship 6:00 p. m.
Tuesday
Ladies class 9:30 a. m.
Wednesday
Bible study 7:00 p. m.
A friendly welcome awaits you at all services.

Catholic Chapel

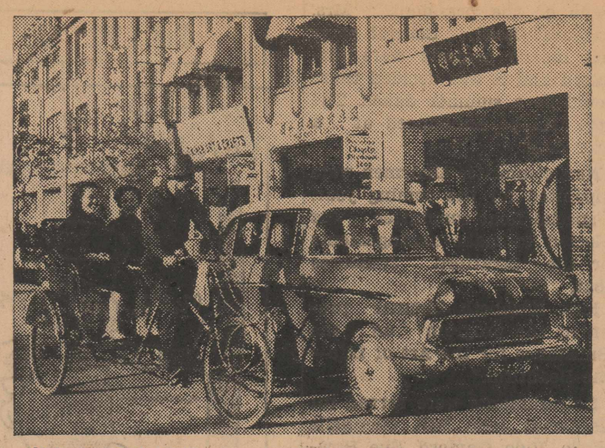
(Rev. James W. Sonderman, Mission Pastor, Phone Dalhart 235)

Sundays
Confession 7:15 a. m.
Mass 8:00 a. m.

Methodist Church

Sunday School 9:45 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
M. Y. F. 6:00 p. m.
Intermediate Fellowship 6:00 p. m.
Junior additional session 6:00 p. m.
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Assembly Of God Church

(Rev. J. O. Brown, Pastor)
Sunday School 10:00 a. m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a. m.
Young People 6:00 p. m.
Children's Church 6:00 p. m.
Evangelistic Service 7:00 p. m.
Wednesday night service 8.00 p. m.
The public is invited to all services.

The WMC meeting in the council room Wednesday afternoon was opened with prayer. Hymns were sung and a study was made of the different missionaries on Formosa.

The children and counselors are attending youth camp near Floydada this week.

The C.A.'s opened their meeting with prayer and a song service. Mrs. J. O. Brown gave a talk on "Love, Courtship and Marriage." The group was dismissed with prayer.

Texas Junior College Oldest In Existence

Texas boasts the oldest junior college in the world. Decatur Junior College originally opened for the first time under the name of Northwest Texas Baptist College in September 1893, was purchased by the Baptist General Convention in 1897 and renamed.

The junior college movement in the U. S. began at the University of Chicago by William Rainey Harper, often called the father of junior colleges. Though only a little over 66 years old, junior colleges have had a phenomenal growth in the United States. From eight junior colleges with a total enrollment of 100 in 1900, this number has grown to 598 with 622,864 students in 1953.

The history and growth of Texas junior colleges closely parallels that of the United States.

Until 1929 the public junior colleges in Texas were without legal foundation. In that year, however, the State Legislature legalized all existing junior colleges in Texas and made provisions for new ones to be established in the state. These junior college districts could comprise one independent school district, two or more independent or common school districts, one county or two or more counties.

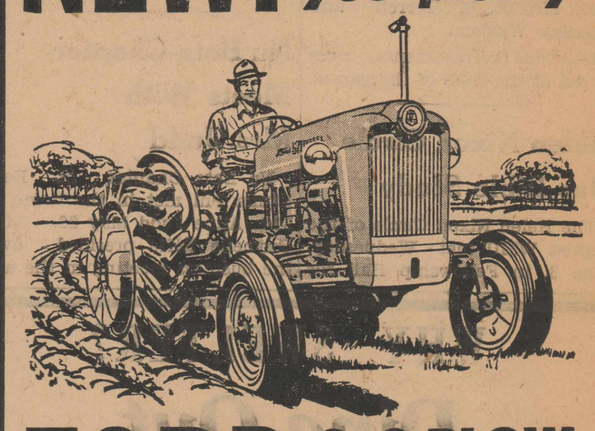
In 1941, the Legislature made the first provisions for state aid to the public junior colleges in the amount of $50 per student. This was increased to $60 per student, and again to $100 per student in 1947. At the present time, state aid has risen to $230 per student.

Proof of the success of the junior college movement in Texas is graphically illustrated by the increase in enrollment. In 1929-30 there were only 9,177 students attending junior colleges in Texas; 1934-35 there were 10,519; by 1942-43 there were 19,302. In 1956, junior college enrollment had risen to 47,191.

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By F. L. Rowley

GEORGE PEABODY was a grouchy old man. He neither denied this fact nor apologized for it. All this, of course, before the widow Simpson came.

Notoriety, however, travels with the speed of sound. The widow Simpson was apprised of George Peabody's bad temper the very day she rented the house.

This disturbed George Peabody. For once in his miserable life he wished to be looked upon as a genial gentleman. The widow Simpson was pretty. There seemed little that he could do to alter the situation—until fate, with the help of Johnnie Wilson, sent the baseball through his front window.

"I'll have the law on you, you young whippersnapper!" cried George, shaking his fist at the boy. Then he paused. This attitude certainly wouldn't soften the widow Simpson's opinion of him.

"I'm sorry, Mr. Peabody," said Johnnie Wilson.

George saw his chance. Although the effort was painful, he forced a smile. "I was only joking, son. Forget the window. You're a brave lad for not running off like the rest of them."

"Yes sir," said Johnnie.

"Before you go will you give me a hand measuring the window? I'll have to order a new pane of glass."

"Yes sir. Will—will I have to pay for it?"

"Not at all. I'll get it for myself—as a birthday present." He lowered his voice to confide: "I'll be sixty years old next Wednesday."

George noted with pleasure that the boy was puzzled; could this be the grouchy old man of whom everyone was afraid?

The next day George was replacing his window when a voice sang out: "Hi ya, Mr. Peabody! Need a hand there?" It was Ned Cooper.

Ned opened the gate and came up the walk. As they applied putty to the window a few minutes later he said: "See you got a new neighbor; charming lady, isn't she?"

"She certainly is!" agreed George warmly.

"My wife tells me she met her at the beauty shop. Didn't talk much though. Seems that Mrs. Simpson was on her way over to the station to meet a Mr. Phillips."

"Oh." He might have known!

On the morning of his birthday George Peabody felt older than usual. He was passing Mrs. Simpson's place when he heard her calling.

"Mr. Peabody where are you going?"

He would have told anyone else to mind his own business. For some reason he decided to lie: "Out of town."

"But you can't do that!" she cried in dismay.

"I can't? And who would stop me?" he challenged.

She looked over her shoulder first, then said in a half-whisper: "It just wouldn't be fair to the boys. Johnnie Wilson and his friends are planning to surprise you with a little birthday party—right after school. I've baked a cake for them—for you—"

She blushed. George felt good. "You baked a cake for me?" he asked wonderingly. "But—but what about Mr. Phillips?"

"What about him? He's only my lawyer. Surely I don't need his permission to give a party for another gentleman, do I? Please say you'll come."

George nodded. He didn't trust his voice. Imagine, a party for him, George Peabody, the meanest man in town.

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FOR AND ABOUT TEENAGERS

By C. D. Smith

It's Fun To Be With People



A TEENAGE boy writes: "Even though I don't dance, my parents urge me to go to school dances. They say I need to 'get out among people.' What fun would there be at a dance for one who doesn't dance at all?"

It's a "switch," in a manner of speaking, to hear a teenager say his parents wish him to go "out." The usual complaint is that parents won't let teenagers go to enough dances, or have "dates."

In this instance, we would say, the parents are not advocating going to dances for the sake of becoming interested in dancing—but rather to become interested in people. In this society of ours, we need to know how to meet people, how to enjoy ourselves in the company of others, and how to conduct ourselves in public. The earlier that we learn to do this, the easier it is to make our way in the world as we grow older.

At a dance, there are two things other than dancing — there is "music" and there are "people." For as long as oldtimers can remember, too, the "stag line" at the high school dance has outnumbered the dancers on the floor. Teenagers go to dances to be with other teenagers.

Many boys go through life with the lame explanation "I don't dance" without stopping to realize that no one ever did who wouldn't give it a try. But any boy with an ounce of coordination and a little desire can learn to dance—with the aid of a friend, sister, mother, or professional teacher. The lad who tries will find that, like swimming or bicycle riding, confidence is 90 per cent of what it takes to make the grade. Confidence—and a little bit of effort.

Our suggestion: learn to dance and enjoy it. Second choice: go to the dances and just enjoy being with others your own age. You'll discover that your parents have the right idea after all.

If you have a teenage problem you want to discuss, or an observation to make, address your letter to FOR AND ABOUT TEENAGERS, NATIONAL WEEKLY NEWSPAPER SERVICE, FRANKFORT, KY.)



THE BIKINI'S BACK . . . Even though it's almost backless . . . and frontless. New swim suits, like the one above, show the shape of things to come.

Beekeeping for honey (apiculture) was an important branch of agriculture in some countries in ancient times, but is only a tiny percentage in the modern economy.

Grass and brush fires on the open range burn over an average of about 250,000 acres annually.

Repaint City Fire Hydrants

City fire hydrants were checked and repainted this week by Western Gas Service Company employees.

Plug Gap In Auto Theft Law

A bill aimed at plugging a gaping hole in Texas' auto theft law, was passed in the last minute session of the 56th Legislature.

"I REMEMBER" BY THE OLD TIMERS

From Mary Overstreet, Leigh, Nebraska: I remember in the spring of 1876 when a half dozen farmers built the first schoolhouse in our district (the north end of Colfax, County, Nebr.) It was new prairie country and we had lived there for three years. I was seven years old at the time.

There had been school in a private home, but it was too far for a small girl to walk alone.

There were 12 scholars the first term, my little brother, not quite four, being one of them. The teacher wanted as many scholars as she could get as there were not enough to keep her busy . . . although each one had a different textbook.

I remember the second morning I started out alone (it was ¾ of a mile). I was told that when I got out of site of home, I could see the schoolhouse. They forgot that grownups could see a bit farther over the hill than little me. As there were no other landmarks in that new country, I returned home, got some little sticks for flag staffs, tacked white flags on the ends and set them up in the ground at short distances, the last of them, of course, in plain sight of the schoolhouse.

So, I made it to school, a tin dinner pail with my noon lunch and spring water to drink, as there were no hot lunches in those days.

(Send contributions to this column to The Old Timer, Community Press Service, Box 39, Frankfort, Kentucky.)

Laboratory Method School Cancelled

The Laboratory Method Training School which was scheduled to be held in August has been canceled because of insufficient advance registration guarantees. A faculty of nationally recognized age-group experts had been obtained. The committee, knowing the need for training lab school teachers, hopes that the program can be re-scheduled for 1960-61 in Austin.

SPORTS CORNER



SIGNS UP . . . Ace New York Giants' halfback Frank Gifford signs his '59 contract atop a football. The fleet-footed Gifford will try to make the switch to T-formation quarterback.

Here N' There

Southpaw pitcher Marshall Renfroe, who had seen no action with the San Francisco Giants this year, was optioned recently to their Phoenix Club in the Pacific Coast League . . . World champion high jumper John Thomas has withdrawn from Boston University but is expected to return to classes next September. Thomas injured his foot in an elevator accident in March and missed classes to undergo plastic surgery on his injured "jumping foot" . . . Eddie Arcaro put together two good days at Belmont. The great jockey won three consecutive races one day and then came back to win three more the following day . . . The San Francisco Giants have hopes of moving into their new 45,000-seat home before the scheduled completion date of September 1 . . . Bob Crosby will appear as host and narrator in a series of television films in which top pro golf stars will compete for nearly $300,000 in 50 matches.

"EASY DOES IT" BY ..... HELEN HALE

SAVE your energy by providing proper working equipment and then routine chores won't get the best of you.

Provide yourself with a long handled dust pan so no stooping is necessary to get the dirt off the floor.

Hanging laundry? Get a waist high cart that will eliminate much of the bending to get the clothes out of the basket. The same goes for taking down clothes.

Folding laundry? Fold them into a high cart so you won't stoop to place them in a basket. They may also be folded at a table which is high enough to be comfortable for you.

Waxing floors? There's no reason to get down on your knees if you have a wax applicator that's long enough to reach into all kinds of spots.

Washing floors? Place two square-sized plastic buckets on a board set on wheels, one for cleaning water, the other for rinsing. This can be rolled from room to room. Plastic buckets are light when you have to empty them for refilling with water.

Cellulose yarn mops are very lightweight and will hold a lot of water for floors that have to be washed. They wring very easily by shaking and then a light twisting with the hands.

THIS WEEK'S RECIPE

Pineapple Party Punch

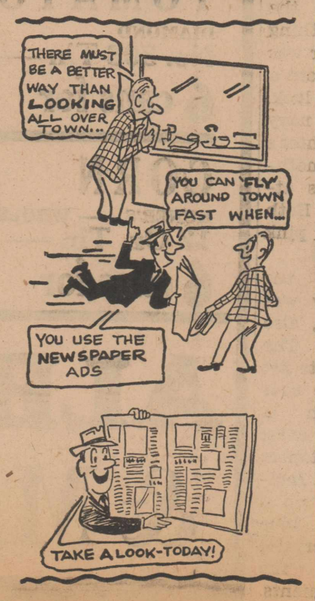
(Makes 2 quarts)

2 No. 2 cans pineapple juice
2 cups grapefruit juice
½ cup lemon juice
¾ to 1 cup sugar
1 pint mint or lemon sherbet

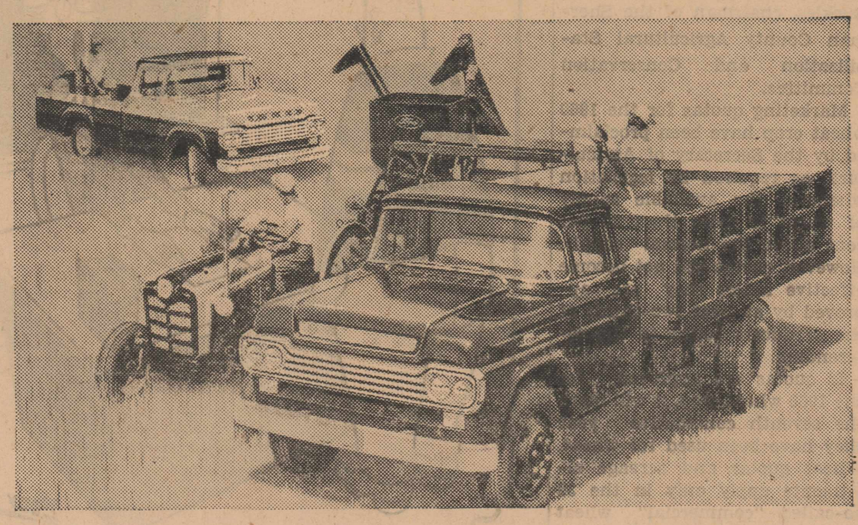
Combine juices and sugar and stir until sugar is dissolved. Pour over a block of ice in a punch bowl, then add scoops of sherbet to float on top.

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Date Set For 1960 Wheat Quota Vote

As required by present law a wheat marketing quota referendum has been announced for July 23, according to R. C. Buckles, chairman of the Sherman County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee.

Marketing quotas for the 1960 wheat crop have been proclaimed by the Secretary of Agriculture, as required by legislation whenever the available supply of wheat is more than 20 per cent above the normal supply. However, quotas will not become effective unless they are approved by at least two-thirds of the producers voting in the referendum.

If quotas are approved for the 1960 wheat crop, it will mark the seventh consecutive year they have been used for wheat. Wheat quotas and acreage allotments apply only in the 39 so-called "commercial" wheat states, of which Texas is one.

The present law, the chairman explained, states that, to be eligible to vote in the referendum, a grower must expect to have more than 15 acres of wheat for harvest as grain in 1960. A wheat grower who signs an application under the feed wheat provision permitting him to produce up to 30 acres of wheat as feed on his farm will not be eligible to vote. Every wheat grower will be informed of the individual wheat allotment for his farm in advance of the referendum date.

As usual, Buckles says, the ASC committee will set up polling places throughout the county for the convenience of farmers in voting. Locations will be announced later by the county ASC office.

If quotas are approved in the referendum, the present law provides that farmers who comply with their wheat acreage allotments will be eligible to market all their wheat without restriction. A grower who exceeds his allotment will be subject to marketing quota penalties on his excess wheat if he has more than 15 acres of wheat for harvest as grain. If quotas are not approved, there will be no restrictions on wheat marketings.

HALF-PAST TEEN



LIBRARIAN IN SCHOOL AT TEXAS TECH

Mrs. J. W. Hodges, local librarian, is in Lubbock this week attending a library workshop, being conducted in the Texas Tech library. Mrs. W. D. Brannan has been keeping the library open while she is away.

It Pays — To Read Star Ads

Join Forces —

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are now scattered over such large areas that they will soon infest thousands of acres of land. While they are still in small patches the cost to control and eradicate bindweed and johnson grass is not prohibitive. But unless something is done now they may spread over a large acreage to such an extent that it will not be economically practical to control them.

Citizens in town with bindweed patches in their backyards and street bar-ditches are growing seed that is washnig down the road bar-ditches and across farm land spreading bindweed seed five to ten miles east of Stratford. Why not clean up these patches now while they are small and it will not cost any one much? It is hard to get anything done unless everyone works to clean up their own back yard.

Miss Bachman--

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lord, niece of the bride, and Beth Foster of Happy, niece of the bridegroom, flower girls, wore nosegays of pink Marguerite daisies on their wrists. They wore matching dresses, also of turquoise blue nylon organdy, with headbands of flowers and nylon net.

Dean Foster of Happy, served his brother as best man.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a dress of white nylon lace over pastel pink, designed with a fitted bodice, and a square neckline outlined with scallops. The full skirt was ballerina length. Her shoulder length veil of illusion with a scalloped edge was attached to a crown of seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of pink miniature roses, tied with satin streamers, atop a white bible, which was carried by two of the bride's sisters in their weddings. For something old, the bride wore a lapel watch belonging the Mrs. W. D. Ellis; for something new, a single strand of pearls, a gift from the bridegroom; Chantilly lace gloves belonging to Mrs. Mary Milam of Tulia, sister of the bridegroom, were something borrowed; a blue lace garter was something blue, and she wore a penny in her shoe for good luck.

Mrs. Bachman chose a navy blue dress for her daughter's wedding, and Mrs. Foster, mother of the bridegroom, was attired in a black dress. Both mothers wore corsages of pink miniature roses.

Immediately following the wedding, the bridal party was honored with a reception, also in the Bachman home. The serving table, laid with white net with a floor length ruffle over pink, was centered with a beautiful tiered wedding cake, flanked by turquoise blue tapers in crystal candelabra. Individual cakes iced in pink on a crystal tray, turquoise blue mints, silver and the crystal punch service completed the beautiful table arrangements.

The wedding cake, on a round mirror covered with pleated turquoise blue lacelon was iced in white, decorated around the sides with rose canopies and wedding bells. On top of the first tier were pairs of love birds around four white swans in which were four columns bearing the top tier, topped with a miniautre bride and groom standing in a lace heart. On the white napkins with a scalloped edge, was the notation, "Now we are Mr. and Mrs.', Dick and Dot." Mrs. Laurine Ellard served the strawberry punch and Miss Mary Janice Boren served the wedding cake.

For traveling on their wedding trip to Lake Altus, Oklahoma, Mrs. Foster wore a black and white nylon chiffon dress with white accessories and a pink miniature rose corsage from her bridal bouquet. The couple will be at home in Happy, where Mr. Foster is engaged in farming and carpentering.

The bride, a graduate of Stratford High School, attended business college in Amarillo, and until the time of her marriage she was employed with Southwestern Public Service Co. in Amarillo.

The bridegroom graduated from Happy High School and attended West Texas State College in Canyon for two years, where he was a member of Alpha Sigma Xi Fraternity.

Out of town guests attending the wedding were: Mrs. Henry J. Bachman Sr. and son, Leo, Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bachman and three sons, all of Meade, Kansas; Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Miller, La Junta, Colorado; Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Bachman and two children of Logan, New Mexico; Mr. an Mrs. Richard Bachman and little daughter of Texhoma; Mr. and Mrs. Carl Oquin and baby of Spearman; Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Kiker and two daughters of Tulia; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Akins and daughter of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Milam Jr. and three children of Tulia; Mr. and Mrs. Dean Foster and three children, Gordon Foster, Mr. and Mrs. Bill May and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Foster, all of Happy; Mrs. J. O. Parker, Mrs. Hosea Foster and Mrs. Doris Watson, all of Canyon.

Mr. and Mrs. La Verne Gaylord, brother-in-law and sister of the bride, entertained with a rehearsal party in their home Friday evening.

A wedding breakfast honoring the couple, was given Saturday at 7:00 a. m. in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gaylord, another brither-in-law and sister of the bride.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Foster, parents of the bridegroom, were hosts at a wedding dinner honoring the couple Saturday at noon in the Palace Cafe.

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