



On The BEAM
By J. W. King, Sr.

Just about everybody has their crops planted or are in the process of planting.

There is a lot of cotton up to a good stand and is ready for another good rain. We are looking for a rain this week.

Work on the super highway is progressing well and traffic may be turned onto it some time in September. The new road is really changing the appearance of things, especially near the huge overpass.

The News has been calling for old pictures that we can borrow for a short time to have engraving made from. The response has been disappointing up to now. We thought surely a lot of people have pictures made a long time ago they wouldn't mind to loan us. We are especially anxious to get a picture of the first school house in Loraine, the first depot, or any other picture of historical nature. If you have one or more will you please bring or send it to the News office with an explanation of what it is, the date of it etc. if you know.

You see we are planning a special edition of The News just before the 50th anniversary celebration of the town and pictures would help us a lot in our planning.

We do not expect to get out any extremely large paper, but we do want to get out one that will be a credit to our town's 50th anniversary. Because of our limited facilities it will be necessary for us to publish a part of the paper several weeks ahead of time. For that reason we would like to have the pictures right away, please.

BROWNIES IN FINAL MEET

Brownie Troop 232 met for the last time during the school year on Thursday, May 17. Plans were made for the Girl Scout Day Camp.

Carol Little served cookies and leaders Mrs. E. J. Schroeder and Mrs. Gene Baird served pop-sicles.

Present were Nona Bennett, Charla Mae Martin, Margaret Rodriguez, Marie Rois, Vicki Baird, Rita Templeton, Nancy Coffey, Beverly Doyle, Janet Sue Hall, Sherry Graham, Jerry Montgomery, Linda Guber, Linda Chapman, Linda Cornutt, Linda Claxton, Carolyn Sue Schroeder, Nelda Lynn, Kitty Forsythe, Carol Little, Rachel Beights.

Music Pupils Give Recital At Church

High school students of Mrs. Doris Martin's piano, organ and voice classes presented the program, "Music Is The Universal Language" at the First Methodist Church at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon, May 20.

Lester Finley gave the invocation. Sacred, popular and world famous classics were presented in organ, piano and voice solos, duets and ensembles.

Presenting the program were Kennie Sue Butler, Beverly Jean Johnson, Wanda Wells, Gaylene Taylor, Juannell Finley, Linda Linder and Virginia Templeton.

First Graders Host Tea At School

Mrs. Coffey's first grade students hosted a tea Wednesday morning from 10:15 to 11:15 honoring their parents.

The round tea table, presided over by Marilyn Forbes and Arleta Martin, was laid with a lace cloth and centered with the crystal punch service surrounded by spring roses and other flowers.

Judy Tarrt and Kathy Merket welcomed guests, Sherry McCullough presided at the register and Susan Terry passed out programs.

The program of songs, folk games, readings and musical games was presented by the children.

Those calling included Dr. and Mrs. Joe Terry, Mmes R. J. Baumann, Alfred Hackfeld, J. A. Goodnight, Bobbie Graham, Ben Claxton, Calvin Forbes, George Lee and James Robert, and Jay Lee, Jimmie Merket, E. J. Schroeder, B. W. Tarrt and Gwen, Bill Bowles, H. G. Mitchell and Judy, James McCullough and Cathy.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Britton and children and Mr. and Mrs. Alice Britton attended a homecoming in Dublin last weekend and visited Mrs. Alice Britton's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gene Hudson.

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Eleven Seniors Received Diplomas At Graduation Exercises Friday

Awards Given To Others In School

Commencement exercises for the eleven Loraine High school graduates were held at the high school auditorium Friday night, May 18, with the class members presenting the program.

The high school band played the professional and recessional. A. C. Polk, Minister of the Crockett-Similey Street Church of Christ, gave the invocation and the Rev. Bobby Rine, Baptist pastor, gave the benediction.

Billy Ray, president of the class, gave the welcome and Charlene Ross gave the salutatory address and Connie Liles the valedictory.

High school principal Vance Dickinson, presented the class members and W. H. Narrell, president of the school board, presented the diplomas.

Trophies were presented to Connie Liles, valedictorian, and Charlene Ross, salutatorian.

John Miles was presented a perfect attendance award for being neither tardy nor absent for four years of high school.

Medals were presented to Clyde Parnell, best all-around boy; Charlene Ross, best all-around girl; Maxie Sheppard, citizenship; Darrell Owen, football; Roy Epperson, basketball; Connie Liles, shorthand; Maxie Sheppard, typing 1; Charlene Ross, typing 2; Margie Moore, sportsmanship; Gary Mathis, agriculture.

Typing proficiency awards went to Clyde Parnell, Gary Mathis, Raymond Coldevey, Frankie Mchatt, Annette Lee, Minda Jane Dobbs, Margaret Horton.

Letter "L" awards were presented to these for student services: Marger Lou Thompson, Kennie Sue Butler, Virginia Templeton, Peggy Williams, Bobby Haley and the 1955-56 cheerleaders Kennie Sue Butler, Marger Lou Thompson, Barbara Combs, Glenda Woodell, head cheerleader; and also to band makorettes and drum major for 1955-56, Sarah Pratt, Connie Liles, Gaylene Taylor, Maxie Sheppard, Linda Cary and Raymond Coldevey, drum major.

Literary club awards went to Annette Lee, Wanda Moore, Patty Hudgins, Margie Moore, Glenda Woodell, Charlene Ross, Marilyn Wright, Gloria Richard, Connie Liles, Charla Beth Padgett, Carolyn Bauman, Gaylene Taylor.

Certificates were presented for completion of adult typing course to Mrs. Nila Pearl Baker, Mrs. Pauline Smiley, Mrs. Nola Forsythe, Mrs. Woodrow Pratt, Mrs. Mabel Givens, Mrs. W. H. Narrell, Mrs. Ira Beights, Mrs. Jack Ritchey.

Awards were presented board members in recognition of their service to the school: W. H. Narrell, 14 years; Ira Beights, 3 years; T. F. Mathis, 1 year; B. B. Byrne, 1 year; Varnell Templeton, 9 years; Dr. Joe Terry, 2 years; Travis Hallmark, 8 years.

Lions Hear and See About Africa Tues.

Members of the Lions Club Tuesday at noon heard Minister Guy Caskey of Sweetwater when he told and showed slides about South Africa. His talk was very interesting and the pictures beautiful.

Perfect attendance pins were presented by the president to 15 Lions who had not missed a meeting of the club during a period of time. Receiving the pins were H. E. Thomas, K. L. Taylor, Herbert Mearse, J. H. Boone, Gene Baird, Woodrow Pratt, Ray Preston, Raymond Holt, Max Caswell, Jack Coffee, Don Robbins, Dr. Bruce Johnson, Dr. Joe Terry, Varnell Templeton and J. W. King.

Brownies Fly Up To Girl Scouts

The entire Brownie Troop 231 of Loraine "Flew Up" Wednesday and became Girl Scouts and will now be called Girl Scout Troop 231.

The girls who participated in this ceremony had learned the Girl Scout Laws, said the Girl Scout motto, "Be Prepared", learned to do a good turn daily, said the Girl Scout Promise, "On my honor I will try; to do my duty to God and my country; to help other people at all times; to obey the Girl Scout Laws."

Each girl had set the table once each day for one week, and had made her bed correctly for one week. She wrote one paragraph on the history of Girl Scouting and had paid one dollar national membership dues.

They all knew how to recognize four trail signs, Girl Scout salute and sign.

Mrs. Tarrt and Mrs. Doyle helped the girls fly up and pinned their new Girl Scout pins on their right shoulder. Mrs. Roy Fox and Mrs. Willis Cornutt were visitors.

Loretta Tarrt was hostess for the day and served punch and donut cookies to the following Girl Scouts: Judy McDaniel, Joyce Furlow, Carla Britton, Maria Rodriguez, Linda Ross, Maggie Claxton, Barbara Doyle, Dolores Guber, Cindy Mahon, Anita Fox, Janice Goodnight, Ruth Ann Cornutt.

Gene Stewart To Get Degree At Tech

Gene Stewart, son of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Stewart of Loraine, will receive his degree in Agriculture Education at graduation exercises for Texas Technological seniors in commencement exercises there May 28.

The 597 students are scheduled to receive degrees at the 30th annual commencement of the college to be held in Jones Stadium at 8 p. m. Monday, May 28.

The 24 candidates for master's degrees and the 573 students scheduled to receive bachelor's degrees will hear Dr. William H. Cowley of Stanford University discuss American higher education during the commencement address.

The Rev. W. A. Welch, Dallas, minister to Texas' largest Disciples of Christ congregation, will deliver the baccalaureate sermon at 8 p. m. Sunday, May 27, in Jones Stadium.

In case of inclement weather, the baccalaureate sermon will be held in the Lubbock Municipal Auditorium and the commencement exercises will be held in the Lubbock Coliseum.

FRESHMAN PICNIC

The annual class picnic for members of the freshman class was enjoyed by the group Saturday, May 19, when they went to the Abilene State Park for a day of swimming, playing miniature golf, and the picnic lunch at noon.

They left the park at 3 p. m. and on the return trip stopped at Sweetwater and made a tour of KPARTV station.

Twenty-four members of the class made the trip with the class sponsor, Raymond Holt, and room mothers, Mrs. Jay Thompson, Mrs. Floyd Griffin and Mrs. B. B. Byrne.

HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Ninety guests were present when Mrs. Gus Baumann was honored with a birthday supper and party at the Baumann home south of town Saturday night.

A supper of baked turkey, barbecue and trimmings were served and visiting enjoyed.

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Cotton Problems Will Be Discussed

Waco (Sp)—Critical problems which threaten the future of the cotton farmer will be discussed next week at a series of meetings sponsored by the Texas Farm Bureau.

One-day meetings will be held May 28 at White Plaza Hotel in Corpus Christi, May 29 at the Baker Hotel in Dallas and May 30 at the Lubbock Hotel in Lubbock. All interested persons are urged to attend one of these meetings.

Current issues to be discussed include severe cotton acreage reductions, the controversial 10 per cent state cotton acreage reserve, loss of domestic markets to synthetics and loss of world markets to foreign producers.

All meetings will begin at 10 a. m. except the one in Lubbock which will open at 9:30 a. m.

Mr., Mrs. Long In Car Wreck Friday

Mrs. W. H. Long was brought to her home here from Root Hospital in Colorado City late Sunday afternoon after being a patient there since Friday afternoon when she was injured in a car wreck.

The accident occurred in Colorado City when the Long car, driven by Mr. Long, collided with a 1953 De Soto driven by a Colorado City high school student, Patsy Dell Stacy.

Mrs. Long suffered bruises and shock. Mr. Long nor Miss Stacy was injured.

Damage to the Long car was estimated at \$165 and the DeSoto damage was estimated at \$350.

Mr. and Mrs. Gay Spence of Abilene visited her grandparents Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Teeters, and they accompanied them to Andrews where they visited Mrs. Spence's father, Henry Cox, and Mrs. Cox and family Sunday.

Baptist Brotherhood In Meeting Monday

The regular Brotherhood meeting of the Baptist Church was held at the church Monday night with Judge Hall presiding in the absence of the president.

Ted Lefevre read the minutes of the last meeting and Bert Sheppard led the opening prayer.

All present took part in expressing thoughts for plans for the advancement of their work.

In the business meeting, Maxie Sheppard was voted honorary member and pianist of the Brotherhood. It was also voted to buy baseball equipment for the R. A. boys and to make improvements on the R. A. and G. A. cabins at the Big Spring Baptist encampment grounds.

Closing prayer was led by H. L. Leach and fruit punch was served to J. C. Hall, Sr., J. C. Wells, T. J. Riden, H. L. Leach, Bill Bowles, Howard Combs, Evert Henderson, Rev. Green, Rev. Rine, Wade Preston, Walt Hart, Ted Lefevre, Bert Sheppard.

Dr. and Mrs. Bruce Johnson attended a Masonic meeting in San Angelo Friday and Saturday.

Billy Stribling Is New President Future Farmers of America Chapter

Billy Stribling, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Stribling, was elected president of the local F. F. A. chapter for the school year 1956-57 in a recent meeting of the chapter.

Other officers elected are Clayton Cleaver, vice president; Gary Mathis, secretary; David Redwine, treasurer; Tommy Linam, reporter; and Joe Templeton, sentinel.

Awards for the year were presented to: Tommy Linam, Star Chapter Farmer; Billy Preston, Farm Mechanics; Tommy Linam, Dairy Farming; Joe Templeton, Public Speaking; Don Templeton, Farm Electrification; Billy Cornett, Soil and Water Conservation.

Certificates of merit were awarded to the following for outstanding work in their particular phase of vocational agriculture: Ronald Haley, poultry production; Darrell Owen, poultry judging; Bobby Compton, poultry judging; David Redwine, poultry judging; Sanford Bowlin, cotton classing; Billy Preston, pork production; Billy Stribling, beef production.

Three Apply For FFA State Degree

Three members of the Loraine F. F. A. chapter are applicants for the Lone Star Farmer degree the highest award an FFA member can receive on the state level.

The three members, Gary Mathis, Tommy Linam and Clayton Cleaver, attended a district FFA meeting at Roscoe Monday afternoon, where their records were passed by the district checking committee. Their records will now be sent to the Area 2 checking committee to be checked during the Area 2 FFA convention in Alpine May 30, 31, and June 1. If they pass this committee they will have to be approved by the state committee before the degree is awarded.

Mrs. Johnson Hosts North Loraine Club

The North Loraine Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Jim Johnson in regular session Wednesday afternoon.

The president, Mrs. Otis Hamrick, was in charge. Roll call was answered with My Favorite Bible verse.

The club reported it had made \$8.25 at a bake sale Saturday which will be given to the Council to help with expenses.

Mrs. Artie Grant from the Buford Club, gave a report on the district meeting held in Lamesa on April 6.

Refreshments of sandwiches, cookies, cabbage and apple salad garnished with pickled beet, were served with iced tea to Mmes Ralph Lankford, Wilma Adams, Harold Hallmark, J. E. Price, W. A. Taylor, Otis Hamrick, Jack Linam, and two visitors, Mrs. Artie Grant and Mrs. W. W. Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Cartwright of Lubbock visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Coffee, the first of this week after the closing of Texas Tech where they had been students.

ENJOY PICNIC

The sixth grade students, their teacher Mrs. Mable Givens, and room mothers went to Sweetwater Friday where they enjoyed a picnic lunch at the Sweetwater Park.

They enjoyed games, played on the swings and slides and after lunch went for a visit through the TV station.

Jack Brewer drove the school bus. Mothers going were Mmes Leonard Williams, Wilson Kidd, Bert Sheppard, Martin Dobbs, Thomas Vest and Price Hall.

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Loraine School In Final Week of Term

Graduation Exercises for the grade school students held Tuesday night climaxed the round of activities for the closing of the Loraine public school for the school year 1955-56.

No classes were held Wednesday but teachers and all school employees had a busy day rounding up their work and held their annual work-day luncheon at noon. Students returned to school Thursday for their reports.

The colored school will complete their years work on Friday June 1, according to Superintendent Robbins.

County Singers Here Saturday, May 26

For the first time in quite a while, Loraine will host the Mitchell County Fourth Saturday Night Singing on Saturday, May 26th, according to Bert Sheppard.

Singers will convene at the First Baptist Church here at 8 p. m. for a full evening of singing.

Everyone is invited to attend and take part in the singing of songs.

Cemetery Fund

Contributions to the Lions Club Cemetery Fund this week included Nolan Barnore, \$5.00.

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T-P Is Honored For Ad Program

For its advertising program on "Faith," the Texas and Pacific Railway was formally honored by the Laymen's Movement for a Christian World on Wednesday, May 16.

Presentation of the award was made to W. G. Vollmer, T&P's president, by J. C. Penney, Chairman of the Board of J. C. Penney Co. and vice president of the Laymen's Movement, at a luncheon ceremony attended by 125 civic and business leaders in Dallas, Texas, headquarters of the rail line. The luncheon was sponsored by Fred F. Florence, president of the Republic National Bank of Dallas and president of the American Bankers Association.

The citation reads, "For developing a greater public awareness of the spiritual basis of a free society through a series of advertisements on faith in God, faith in our fellow men, faith in ourselves, and the practice of prayer; pointing out with clarity and force the free man's everyday dependence on God."

In making the presentation, Penney said, "It is particularly significant to observe in connection with these advertisements that in no single instance did they have anything to say about the Texas and Pacific Railroad or its services. The entire text of each ad was devoted to the importance of faith."

T&P's series of ads have been carried in the 120 newspapers along its lines in Texas, Louisiana and New Mexico, and in magazines with national circulation. Continuing response to the offer of free booklets and ad reprints from the program has swelled to 28,000 letters and postal cards received from all over the United States and several foreign countries. The railroad so far has sent out over five million pieces of the literature, more than three million copies alone of the theme article "Our Four Great Faiths" written by Vollmer.

The Laymen's Movement for a Christian World, Inc., an international, non-sectarian group, is an informal association of men who are seeking ways to help men bridge the gap between their religious beliefs and their daily lives. Its members believe that the problems of individuals and of societies are basically spiritual, and cannot be solved by temporal means alone.

The Laymen's Movement has awarded other citations, the T & P being the only transportation company so honored.

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The following mothers are planning to take the girls to the camp site and help conduct the day camp: Mmes E. J. Schroeder, B. W. Tarrt, Gene Britton, Jasper Doyle, Gene Baird, Price Hall, Lawrence Graham, Varnell Templeton, Jack Coffee, Mildred Channess.

Mrs. Wilmon Tarrt attended Day Camp Training at Moser Ranch Thursday. The ladies had a cook-out, set up a unit and toured the camp sites. Mrs. Virgie Lee Stanley of Snyder is to be the camp director.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Little and Mr. and Mrs. Pierce Collins of Altus, Oklahoma, visited in the home of their brother, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Little and family, Sunday night and Monday.

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Attend Methodist Conference This Wk.

Rev. and Mrs. Harold Morris, Mrs. Percy Bond and Mrs. Josephine Marshall attended the opening session of the Northwest Texas Conference of the Methodist Church when the annual session began in Big Spring Wednesday, May 23.

Dr. J. Chas. Lovern of the First Methodist Church, Lubbock, preached the Memorial Service Wednesday morning.

Bishop H. Bascom Watts of Nebraska will be the conference preacher which will continue through Sunday, May 27.

Bap. Vacation Bible School Begins June 4

The Rev. Bobby Rine, pastor, announced this week that the Vacation Bible School for children 3 to 15, will be June 4-13. The school will open each morning at 8:30 and continue to 11:15. All children of the community in this age group are invited to attend.

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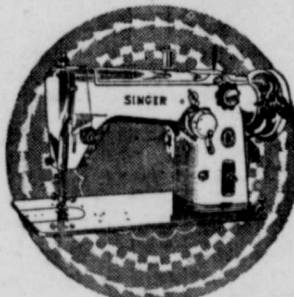
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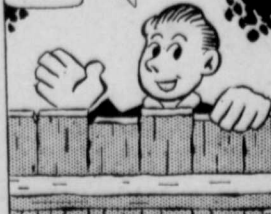
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W. S. C. S. MEETING

The Women's Society of Christian Service of the First Methodist Church met Monday afternoon in the sanctuary. The meeting was called to order by the president, Mrs. Harold Martin.

Meditation of organ music was given by Mrs. Jackie Walker. Mrs. Frank Crowner directed the group in singing Let The Lower Lights Keep Burning and Mrs. Lily Bennett gave the devotional, commenting on the Simple Principles of Life as given by Jesus.

Mrs. J. D. McDonald brought the lesson from the study South of the Himalayas, by James K. Matthews. Mrs. Jim Johnson gave a sketch of the work of Methodism in India over a period of 100 years.

Reports for the last quarter were handed out by the promotion secretary, Mrs. Clyde Smith. Mrs. Lily Bennett led the closing prayer.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Hallman and daughter Margie of Orange, California, visited Mrs. Tom Seown and Gus last weekend.

LIGHT SHOWER

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FAMILY REUNION

A reunion of the Leslie family was held at the home of Rev. C. E. Leslie Sunday, May 20, with all the children present except two sons, S. C. Leslie of San Antonio, and R. L. Leslie of El Paso.

After the dinner, moving and slide pictures were made and pictures shown that were made at a former reunion of the family.

Children and their families present were Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Leslie, Saint Jo, Texas; Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Leslie, San Angelo; Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Leslie, Tommie and Jim, Big Spring; Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Leslie, Billy, Bobby and Wanda, Odessa; Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Leslie, Jr., San Bernardino, California; Mr. and Mrs. Buck Taylor, Loraine; Mr. and Mrs. Olen Walker, Charles and Shirley, Sweetwater; and James T. Tucker, Venice, Calif. Grandchildren and families present were Mr. and Mrs. Mitchell May and daughters Emily and Susan, Shreveport, La.; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gibson and son Howard Leslie, Saint Jo.

Callers in the afternoon were Mrs. A. C. Leslie and Miss Thelma Leslie, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Norris, Hermleigh.

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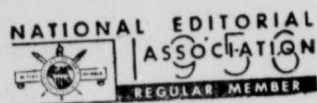
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In Advance

Local Youth Host Rally Here Monday

The young people of the First Baptist Church were hosts to the Mitchell-Scurry Youth Rally at the church Monday evening at 7 o'clock.

One hundred nine answered roll call and others came in after the roll was called.

Singing and prayer made up the first thirty minutes of the program after which Mrs. J. W. Corbell of Snyder, association young people leader, directed a panel discussion when five business men from Snyder discussed their different vocations and how they can witness for Christ in their various professions.

Rev. Bobby Rine, pastor of the local church, brought the evening message.

In the business meeting it was announced the Greenhill Baptist Church of Snyder had the largest number of representatives present from churches having an enrollment of 200 or more in Sunday School. The

Dunn church had the most present from churches with Sunday School enrollment of less than 200.

After the program a fellowship period was held in the fellowship hall and Cokes were served.

The next meeting will be on June 18, at 7:30, at the Avenue D Baptist Church in Snyder.

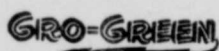
HOSPITAL NOTES

Admitted: Mrs. Delmar McDaniel, Mrs. Steve Garcia, Mrs. Amador Castro, O. D. Peterson, Mrs. Frank Brame, Mrs. W. L. Swafford, Julia Rodriguez, Mrs. John White, Mrs. D. C. Fowler, Henry Jimenez, Mrs. Clyde Calaway, James Stewart, Jerry Cochran, Carolann Reeves, J. S. Ammons, Mrs. W. A. Cross, Francisco Lamboran, Mrs. Rosaleo Rosas, Victor DeLoera, Mrs. Santiago Lujan, Mrs. Leslie Pyburn, Mrs. L. W. McElwee, Mrs. Alex Martinez, J. W. Martin, Ester Herrera, Loraine; G. M. Wallace, Mrs. T. A. Bruns, Roscoe; Mrs. S. R. Russell, Mrs. K. M. Moore, Colorado City; Bobby Smith, Hermleigh. Born to Mr. and Mrs. Troy Kegans, Loraine, a boy, John Chadwick, May 15; Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Moore, Colorado City, a girl, Alice Mae, May 16; Mr. and Mrs. Santiago Lujan, a boy, Luiz, May 19; Mr. and Mrs. Rosaleo Rosa, a boy, Charlie Guerrero, May 19; Rev. and Mrs. Leslie Pyburn, Roscoe, a girl, Sally Maxine, May 20; Mr. and Mrs. L. W. McElwee, Rt. 3, Colorado City, a boy, Ronnie Dale, May 20; Mr. and Mrs. Camuto Arrellano, a son, May 10.

Dismissed: Nancy Lozano, Jerry Rankin, Mrs. K. M. Moore, Jerry Cochran, Mrs. T. A. Burns, Mrs. Clyde Calloway, Henry Jimenez, D. W. Haralson, Mrs. Troy Kegans, Carol Ann Reeves, Mrs. D. C. Fowler, J. S. Ammons, Mrs. W. A. Cross, Victor DeLoera, Mrs. Santiago Lujan, Santiago Lamboran, Mrs. Leslie Pyburn and son, Mrs. L. W. McElwee and son, E. B. Towns, Mrs. W. J. West, Bobbie Mote, Juan Cordoza, Dan Morgan, Richard Robertson, Mrs. Richard Garcia, Jose Meza, Mrs. Delmar McDaniel, Mrs. Cornelia Arrellano and son, O. D. Peterson, Mrs. Amador Castro, Mrs. Frank Brame, G. M. Wallace, Mrs. W. L. Swafford, Julia Rodriguez, Mrs. Steve Russell.

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Mrs. Marshall Hosts T. E. L. Class

Thursday morning, May 18, the T. E. L. Sunday School class of the Baptist Church held their regular monthly social and business meeting in the home of Mrs. Dottie Marshall, with Mrs. Henry Riden co-host.

Mrs. John Johnson, president, presided. The class was called to order with group singing. What a Friend We Have in Jesus and prayer led by Mrs. W. H. Long.

Mrs. W. D. Green gave the devotional, reading James 2:23, and Isaiah 41:10, and talking on the subject, Friendship.

Mrs. W. C. Rogers, secretary, read the report of the previous meeting. The class voted to serve refreshments one day during the daily Vacation Bible School to be held in early June.

Due to the illness of Mr. Johnson, Mrs. Johnson offered her resignation as president of the class. Her resignation was accepted with regrets. Mrs. J. W. King was elected president and Mrs. A. G. Furlow, vice president.

An interesting Bible character guessing game in rhyme was conducted by Mrs. Hal Bennett, after which she led the closing prayer.

Refreshments of Cokes, ice cream and cake were served by the hostesses to Meses A. G. Furlow, Mark Davon, L. E. Crutcher, Bessie Mahoney, J. W. King, W. H. Howell, W. D. Green, John Johnson, Alfred Kidd, T. M. Ingram, W. C. Rogers, Hal Bennett, W. H. Long.

Hogs will hold the spotlight at Texas A & M College on April 30 and May 1. The reason... the annual Swine Field Day sponsored by Texas Swine Breeders Association and the Animal Husbandry Department of the A. & M. College System. Special emphasis has been placed on the meat-type hog. Hog producers of the state are given a special invitation to attend the two-day meeting.

HOSTS BRIDGE CLUB

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Doss of Colorado City hosted the regular Bridge Club meeting Tuesday night.

A refreshment plate of pine apple ice cream and coffee was served to Dr. and Mrs. Bruce Johnson, Messrs and Meses Wilmon Tartt, Woodrow Pratt, Hubert Thomas, Jack Coffee and Glen Coon.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin McBea and Mrs. K. K. Boyce of Midland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. M. Sweet Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Nash and family will leave the last of this week for Graham, where they will make their home.

Erma Hays of Hardin Simmons University spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Hays.

Mrs. Mary Weaver of Dallas is spending this week with her brother, J. H. White, and Mrs. White.

Merlin Bennett of Texas Tech came in this week and will visit his parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett, until the opening of the summer session at Tech.

Jackie McDonald of Monahans spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Fritz Hantsche, and Mr. Hantsche.

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PORTRAIT OF A DISASTER which could happen anywhere is this truck-train collision at West Newton, Pa. Almost immediately after the crash, which killed five and seriously injured two, Westmoreland County's civil defense rescue truck went into action with its power winches, snuffing torches and other special disaster gear.

Complicating the job was an upended boxcar of explosives only two cars away from the one which the truck hit. While CD rescue teams dug into the wreckage, CD auxiliary police helped local officers evacuate a two-block business area until the explosives could be removed.

(Greensburg, Pa., Tribune-Review file photo)

Mrs. Eisenhower Helps Celebrate Savings Bond Birthday



Among those who helped celebrate the 15th anniversary of the Series E Savings Bond on May 1 were Mrs. Dwight D. Eisenhower and nine-year-old Marilyn Miller, Washington school youngster. They are shown here in the White House just after the First Lady sliced into the four-foot, 300-pound cake made in the likeness of a \$100 E bond. Mrs. Eisenhower is honorary chairman of the National Women's Advisory Committee for Savings Bonds. Marilyn was selected for the honor for her outstanding achievements in the School Savings Stamp Plan. The huge cake, decorated in four colors, was baked and donated by Clement's Pastry Shop of Washington as a contribution to the Savings Bond Program. Sales have exceeded \$80 billion since E bonds were first offered on May 1, 1941, and today over 40 million people own more than \$40 billion in E and H bonds.

Rural churches are playing an important role in the community improvement programs of the state. Rural pastors are working closely with local county extension service agents in rebuilding community spirit and fellowship.

Mrs. Jim Ledbetter of Irving, Texas, left Friday after spending several days with Mrs. Eunice Lee and other friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Spikes returned to their home in Benjamin Monday after visiting several days with their mothers Mrs. J. E. Spikes and Mrs. John Coon. Others visiting in the Spikes home Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Burr Brown of Coahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Spikes of Snyder, and Mr. and Mrs. Ford Spikes and son of Lubbock.

TAYLORS HAVE GUESTS

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Cantrell of Orange Park, Florida, spent from Monday until Wednesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Taylor as they were en route to Tucson, Arizona.

Visitors in their home Thursday were Mr. and Mrs. Gray Taylor of Dallas, and Mrs. Dunlap of Abilene. Weekend visitors were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Gibson and little son and Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Leslie of Saint Jo.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Anders, Dr. Max Leach and Mrs. T. F. Finley visited in the Jimmy Key home in Snyder Sunday.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hall the first of the week were his sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Coots, of Dalhart.

JUNIOR G. A.

The Junior G. A. met at the church Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock with their counselors, Mrs. Virge Wimberley and Mrs. Roy Little meeting with them and directing the review of their Forward Step work.

They made plans and hope to accomplish many things through their work this summer.

Strawberry punch was served to Joyce Furlow, Carla Britton, Loretta Tartt, Linda Ross, Carol Little, Joretta Hall, Sue Wimberley, Loyce Graham, Ruby Edwards, Beth Shepherd, Ann Dickenson, Glenda Cleaver, Carmen Galvan, Charlene Bennett.

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"Onward Christian Soldiers" was the subject for the Royal Service program of the Baptist W. M. U. Monday afternoon when twenty members met at the church.

Members of the Sarah Lou Henley Circle gave the program with Mrs. Pauline Smiley leading the discussion.

The group sang Onward Christian Soldier to open the meeting. Prayer was led by Mrs. W. D. Green. Matthew 28:19-20 was read in unison.

Following the singing of The King Is Coming, the program

was presented by Meses Della Claxton, Hal Bennett, Ed Miles, J. C. Hall, W. D. Green, Dexter Taylor and Pauline Smiley. Group singing Work For The Night Is Coming and prayer by Mrs. Bobbie Rine closed the meeting.

Members of the Willie Mae Kennedy Circle served punch and cookies following the meeting.

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Mr. and Mrs. Ocle Vest and family of Hermleigh visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alva Vest, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. David Faulkenberry and children of Big Spring visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Faulkenberry, Saturday afternoon.

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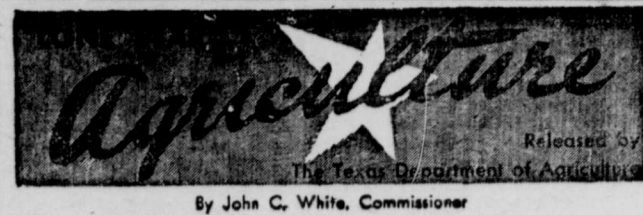
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**Checking the Mediterranean Fruit Fly**

The Texas citrus industry recently had a big scare when it was learned a new citrus pest, the Mediterranean Fruit Fly, had left its European home and arrived in Florida.

The insect was first discovered in backyard orchards around the Miami, Florida, airport in April. However, commercial fruit growing areas in Florida are believed still to be free of infestation. And, what's more important, the Mediterranean Fruit Fly hasn't found its way westward to Texas citrus regions.

Protective measures are already underway to prevent the citrus pest from getting a foothold in America. Some 2,500 fruit fly traps have been shipped from Texas to Florida in the past few weeks. In addition, eight insect specialists from the Rio Grande Valley will aid entomologists in stamping out Florida infestation. A federal quarantine on the

Mediterranean Fruit Fly became effective May 1, and all Florida citrus coming to Texas will be carefully checked to safeguard Valley growers.

This new-found citrus foe is probably the most serious insect ever to threaten our citrus industry. Its consequences are much more harmful even than those of the black fly now being combated in the Rio Grande Valley.

No official quarantine action has been taken to date by the Texas Department of Agriculture. However, should some difficulty arise in the federal eradication program, it is likely that some restriction on interstate movement might be established.

Persons interested in further information concerning the Mediterranean Fruit Fly may write to the Division of Plant Quarantine in care of Commissioner John White, Texas Department of Agriculture, Austin 14, Texas.

Veterans' News**Questions and Answers**

Q. I allowed my GI term insurance policy to lapse. I have been told I cannot get it back under any circumstances. Is this true?

A. Not necessarily. You have the right to reinstate your lapsed term policy, so long as it has not passed the end of its five-year term period and expired. If it has expired, it may not be reinstated. Any VA office can give you full information about your particular case.

Q. I am considered a "peace-time veteran," since I entered military service in March, 1955. Am I eligible for VA hospital care on the same basis as a war veteran?

A. No. The only conditions under which "peace-time veterans" may be admitted to VA hospitals are (1) if they were discharged under other than dishonorable conditions for a disability incurred in line of duty or (2) they are receiving VA compensation for a service-connected or service-aggravated disability.

Q. Do you have to own a farm outright in order to qualify for institutional on-farm training under the Korean GI Bill?

A. It is not necessary that you own the farm outright. But you must have full control of it, either by leasing the land, or having a management agreement or some other tenure arrangement.

GRASS TESTING AND BREEDING PROGRAM MAY FIND ANSWER

College Station, May 21—Texas range livestock producers have long sought a drought resistant grass that would set a good seed crop, produce a lot of leaves and quickly establish itself and also one which could be reseeded at a low cost.

Finding these characteristics in a single grass may be a remote possibility, but A. H. Walker, extension range specialist, says progress is being made. Several grass varieties selected by research workers of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station in the states of the southwest and Mexico are showing a lot of promise and small trial or test plantings are now being made in 66 counties.

A total of 255 varieties or selections are included in the county plantings. Cooperating with interested local groups, county agents have located the test plantings on land easily available to those watching the progress of the plants. Among the prize performers, according to Walker, are a sidecoat grama which has runners like buffalo grass, also a blue and hairy grama with the same characteristics. Another sidecoat has shown marked ability for producing a heavy seed crop and holding it on the stalk until ready for combining. There are other species which produce a lot of leaves and few stems and still another which produces plenty of green forage in March and April. More than 200 varieties of sidecoat grama are under test.

"These are not miracle grasses," points out Walker, "but they do hold a lot of promise for revegetating old fields and denuded rangelands of Texas." It is Walker's belief that no single grass capable of filling the bill will be found but that a combination will come from the breeding and testing program which can mean a new day for the State's livestock producers who depend upon range forage as a major source of feed.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Darden of Snyder were guests of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Rudolph Baum, Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Taylor and Roy moved the first of the week from the Clyde Banks home on Crockett Street to the rent house of John Horton next to the City Hall.

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**Mitchell County
News**

Mrs. K. L. Taylor accompanied her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Gage of Sweetwater, when they made a trip to Dallas Friday and Saturday.

Miss Pauline Burk, teacher in Belen, New Mexico, school, came in the first of the week for a visit with her mother, Mrs. W. M. Burk, and with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Tommie Mathis.

Mrs. Era Mayberry of Sylvester and her mother, Mrs. J. M. Compton, who has been visiting in her home several weeks, visited in the Eulis Compton home Sunday.

Mrs. Billy Caffey of El Paso and Mrs. Dennis Cranfill and Jimmy of Odessa visited their sister, Miss Adine Howell, Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Reeder and baby of Midland spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hal Bennett.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Martin and Janie of Abilene visited in the home of her mother and sister, Mrs. H. B. Wilson and Mr. and Mrs. Dan Butler, Sunday.

Jack Albright and little daughter and son of Odessa spent the weekend here in the Wiley Walker home and Mrs. Albright returned home with them Sunday after visiting since Thursday with her parents and with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Kegans.

Mrs. Laura Hooker of Sweetwater visited Miss Adine Howell during the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Twaine Price and Jana Sue of Crane and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Finch of Midland visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dee Finch, during the weekend.

Mrs. J. E. Reddin is visiting relatives in Fort Worth this week.

Mrs. Olan Griffith and Patsy of Snyder visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bennett, Sunday.

Mrs. Ray Harmon and daughter of Big Spring spent several days last week with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Plez Beaty.

Virgil Bennett of Sweetwater visited in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. James Bennett Sunday.

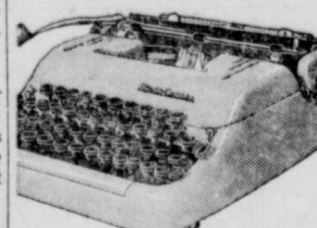
Dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Rogers Sunday were Mrs. Nell Smith of Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Leach and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Wiggins.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wooddell and children, Dale and Donna, and Mrs. Bobby White and daughter of Houston, returned to their homes Saturday night after visiting their daughter and sister, Glenda Wooddell, and attending the graduation exercises of Loraine seniors Friday night.

Guests of Rev. and Mrs. Bobby Rine during the weekend were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Cooper, of Lubbock.

Mrs. Floyd Dudley and Bryan will leave the last of this week for Christoval, where they will join Mr. Dudley, who is working there.

Mrs. Myrtle Martin and daughter, Mrs. Richard Brown and children of Sudan, are spending this week in the Harold Hall mark and T. J. Newton home.

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Mr. and Mrs. George Mahoney and Nubbin and Mrs. Bessie Mahoney visited in the George Wemken home in Hermleigh Sunday afternoon and Mrs. Bessie Mahoney remained to spend this week there.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Walker and children, Bill and Virginia, of Odessa visited his mother, Mrs. W. S. Walker, Sunday and she accompanied them to Colorado City Sunday afternoon, visiting in the A. K. McCarley home.

Mrs. Pearl Albright is in Odessa visiting in the homes of two sons, Oscar and Jack Albright, and will attend graduation exercises of the Odessa seniors when her grandson, Pete Albright, will receive his high school diploma.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Forbus and Marilyn visited her brother, Nathan Mease and family, in Snyder Thursday night.

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Guests of Mrs. W. J. Jones Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Sisson of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Troy Jones and Billy and Mrs. Cora Hall, Loraine.

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Political Announcements

The News is authorized to announce the following candidates for office, subject to the Democratic Primary in July.

For Public Weigher, Pre. 5:
Lynn Hamilton

For Tax-Assessor-Collector
Tom Glover
(Re-election)

For Sheriff:
Lawrence Powell
R. E. (Dick) Gregory
(Re-election)

S. K. (Kyle) Hardegree
H. M. Moore

For District Judge 32nd Judicial District:
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Mr. and Mrs. Delmas Bowlin and Bobby visited in the Jack Bowlin home at Floydada Tuesday.

Wayne Hart of Midland visited his aunt, Miss Mollie Davis, Monday.

Mrs. J. H. White, accompanied by her guest, Mrs. Mary Weaver of Dallas, and Mrs. C. C. Oliver of Colorado City, visited Monday and Monday night in Seminole in the Garland Emfinger and Clay Hughes homes and with other relatives.

Mrs. R. D. Lefevre is in the West Texas Hospital in Lubbock for treatment for her eyes.

Mr. and Mrs. Marlin Gibson and family of Ackerley visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Davis, the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Elder and two sons from Snyder visited in the Clyde Smith and Troy Kegans homes Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Hart of Andrews visited in the J. L. Johnson and Mrs. S. H. Hart homes during the weekend.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. White Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Oliver of Colorado City and Rev. and Mrs. C. D. Wright of Sidney.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to express my sincere thanks for all those who remembered me with cards, telephone calls and visits during my recent illness.

Mrs. J. H. White

Mrs. Josie Howell of DeKalb, Texas, spent from Monday until Thursday of this week with Mrs. Henry Howell. Others visiting in her home today are Mrs. M. O. Howell of Kermit and Mrs. Rena Barkman of Texarkana.

Visitors in the Elwood Graham home and attending grade school exercises Tuesday night were Mrs. W. H. Tippitt of Roscoe, and Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Stovall of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. Mark Dawson attended the commencement exercises of the Westbrook High School seniors Monday night. Their grandson, Rodney Dawson, was a member of the class.

Mrs. J. G. Bruce accompanied Mrs. Otis Matthews to Ballinger Sunday and visited her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Brock, both of whom are seriously ill.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie House returned home Monday after spending the weekend in Odessa with their son, Carl House, and family, and visiting Mr. House's sister and family in Grandfalls.

Mr. and Mrs. W. I. Barron took their little granddaughter, Iris Lee Barron, to her home in Abilene Sunday after she had spent last week in their home.

Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Rankin and children attended the wedding of her brother, Carl Thorp, Jr., and Miss Betty Smith, at the home of the bridegroom's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Thorp, north of Roscoe Saturday night.

Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Phil Horton Monday afternoon were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Callan of Rangely, Colorado, and his father, Mr. Callan, of Colorado City, Texas.

Mr. and Mrs. Spurling Johnson and family of Midland spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. S. O. Givens, and sister Priscilla.

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Highest Traffic Toll Expected This Year

New York, May—Americans are speeding toward the highest traffic accident, injury and fatality experience in the nation's history, Thomas N. Boate, manager of the Accident Prevention Department of the Association of Casualty and Surety Companies, declared here today. Greatly stepped-up traffic law enforcement measures, he warned, are imperative for the protection of motorists and pedestrians alike. "Last year," Mr. Boate said, "the nation suffered 38,300 traffic deaths, 2,158,000 injuries and 9,000,000 accidents. During the first quarter of this year, we were 10 per cent ahead of figures for the same period last year. If this rate continues, we will end 1956 with 42,130 deaths, 2,373,500 injuries and 10,000,000 accidents on our highways.

"Usually, at this time of the year, we are making plans to attempt to control the rash of accidents that invariably occur over the Memorial Day and Independence Day holidays. But if the present rate of increase continues, such efforts may be purely academic. The rate for any one day will be so high that these two holidays, which fall on Wednesday this year, may well be lost in the shuffle.

"We are being told that in terms of miles driven and exposure to accidents, we are killing fewer people than ever before. At the most, all that this proves is that people can drive a few more miles before they have an accident. It doesn't alter the fact that 26,000 accidents occur each day, and that each year almost one out of every 4,000 Americans dies on the highway.

"Last year 2,000,000 pleasure trips ended in highway disaster, and to me it is no consolation to know that although I'm marked for death, I have the dubious privilege of driving a few more miles before I am brought to an unnecessary and terrible end of life's journey.

"We know that 80 per cent of all accidents result from driver errors. Last year, for instance, the leading causes of highway death were exceeding the speed limit, driving on the wrong side of the road, failing to yield the right-of-way, driving off the roadway and just plain reckless driving.

"Obviously, the ideal way to stop traffic accidents is for every driver to recognize his obligation to drive cautiously and alertly and to obey our traffic laws. Experience proves, however, that this is not likely to happen yet. So, to protect motorists from themselves, as well as from chronic violators, government needs to heed the request of the National Conference of State Safety Coordinators, administrator of the summer-long 'Slow Down and Live' program, the nation's major accident reduction program. This group has called on all state governors to step up state enforcement activities and to urge mayors to do the same on local levels.

"State and city governments should make every effort to enforce the laws that are designed to prevent motorists from driving dangerously fast, from hogging the highway, from driving while intoxicated, and from driving recklessly and arrogantly. Every driver who, through reckless disregard of safety regulations, demonstrates himself to be incompetent, should be removed from the highway. Unfortunately, no other method

offers the slightest hope that a great many of us will survive to see that happy time when the motorists, themselves will understand that lawful driving is just common-sense application of the natural law of survival.

"A few states have recognized the gravity of our highway epidemic and have taken effective enforcement measures. In one or two states, during especially bad periods—usually holidays, the governor has supplemented his available enforcement personnel with members of the national guard.

"The results of these, and other enforcement measures, have proved that increased enforcement does decrease violations and accidents. Our present highway tragedy gives vivid testimony that we need increased enforcement every day, not merely on holidays. We need it on a day-in-and day-out basis until we can be sure that safety on our highways is a natural instinct of those who use the

highways."

SCHOOL WILL SELL TYPEWRITERS

Superintendent Don Robbins announced this week that the Loraine school is buying ten new typewriters for the commercial department of the school and that the board will have ten good used Royal upright typewriters for sale to the public.

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Rev. and Mrs. Harold Morris, Mrs. Jack Linam, Beverly Jean Johnson and Virginia Templeton attended a Training School in Plainview Saturday gathering information on the Youth Caravan which will be held at the local Methodist Church the week of July 21, through 27th.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Weatherman left last week for a three months visit with a son and daughter and their families in Comas, Washington.

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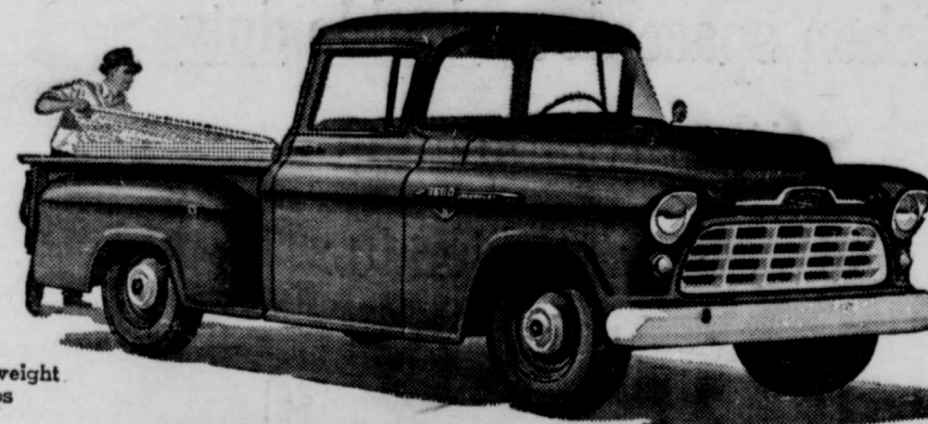
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