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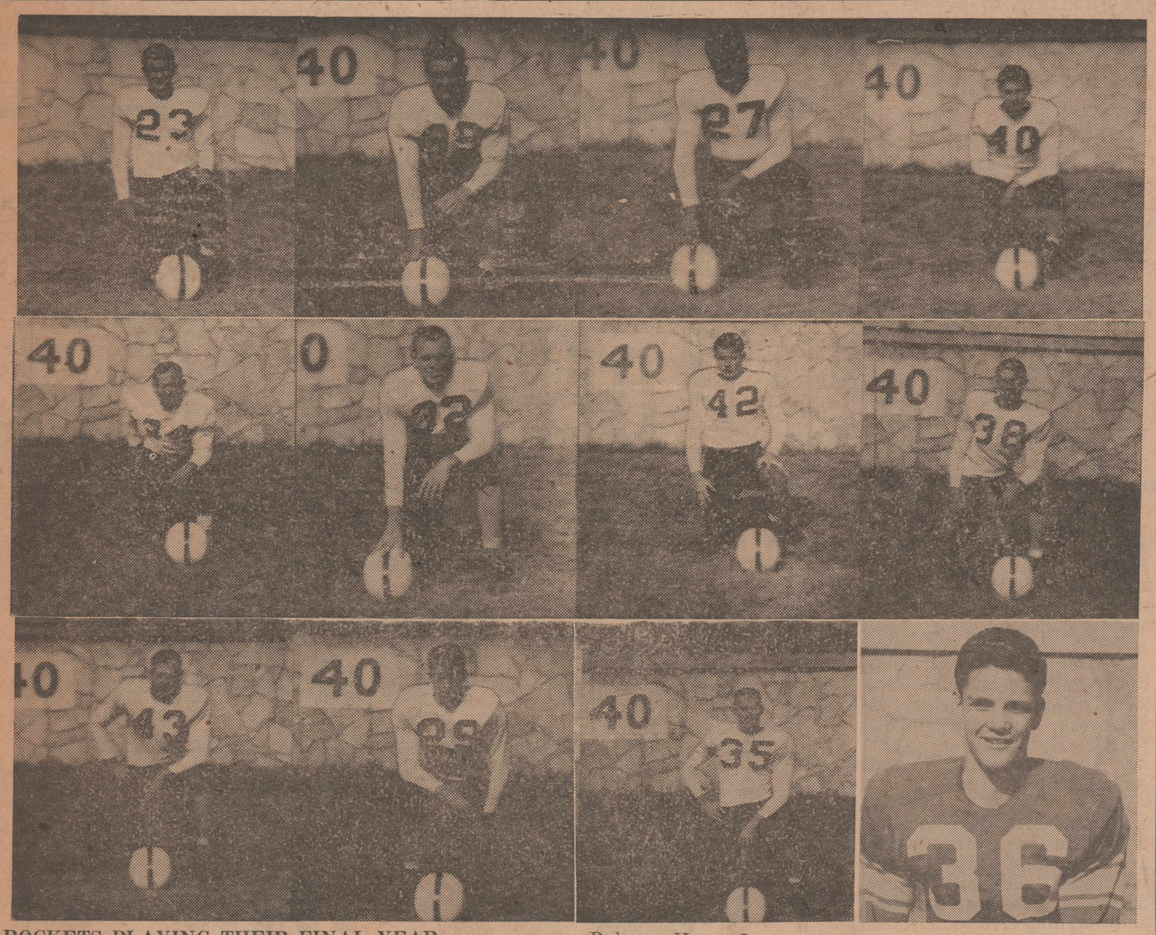
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ROCKETS PLAYING THEIR FINAL YEAR

These twelve Skyrockets will be wearing the red and white uniform this year for the last time, for while they are seniors, they also form the backbone of the 1954 team Coaches Maxey McKnight and John Hurley. In the top row, from left to right, are Billy Ray Branch, Don Roy Raburn, Hanes Isaacs and John Cartwright. Middle row: Eugene Brown, Wayne Ketchum, Eddie Slay and Johnny Brock. Bottom row: Frank Jones, Jim McCutchen, Billy Frank Agee and Gary Phillips. Of this group, probable starters against the Hollis Tigers Friday night will be Raburn, Isaacs, Brown, Brock, Jones and Agee.

Photo by Allen Graves

Rockets Open Season Against Hollis Friday

Wellington Skyrockets meet the Hollis Tigers Friday night, September 10, in a game that both consider will show pretty well what each team has this year.

The game will be played at Powell Field, beginning at 8:00 p. m.

"I think we've begun to show a little improvement," Coach Maxey McKnight said Wednesday morning, after he and Assistant Coach John Hurley have seen the boys through two weeks of strenous practice and a couple of scrimmages.

McKnight named his probable starters to include Eugene Brown, left end; Hanes Isaacs, left tackle; Ray Wauer, left guard; Frank Jones, center; Gus Drake, right guard; Don Raburn, right tackle; Billy Frank Agee, right end; Duggie Jameson, quarterback; Ted Stansbury, left half; Maxie Tarver, right half; and Johnny Brock, fullback.

Coach Don Royal has three regulars back from last year's Tiger squad and nine other lettermen which will see considerable service The three regulars around which Royal is building his team are Bob White, 145 pound junior end; Charles Shied, 155 pound senior halfback; and Danny Cummings, 170 pound junior fullback.

One returning letterman, Ben Brown, a promising junior quarterback, received a broken arm in the first scrimmage the Tigers played. The other quarterback is Toar Driskill, 140 pound senior. Other lettermen, all of whom will probably see action here Friday, are Sid Ewing, 130 pound end; Jimmy Graham, 140 pound half;

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Big Benefit Show at Powell Field Thursday

They're going to auction off everything from a dainty box of goodies, tied up with pink and blue ribbons, to a real irrigation test well Thursday night, September 9, at the big benefit box supper and auction at Powell Field to raise funds for the new electric football scoreboard due this week.

This is a combination entertainment, featuring the box supper, merchandise auction, a football scrimmage, a pep rally and music by the Skyrocket band. It will be the biggest thing of its kind held here in recent years.

Carter Drilling Company, driller of irrigation wells and owned by Richard Carter and Buddy Carter, notified Jimmie Lee, one of those in charge of the entertainment, Tuesday that they will give the 200 foot irrigation test hole, to be drilled anywhere in Collingsworth County. They point out that a well of this type is to determine the presence of water for irrigation, and not the irrigation well itself. The test hole goes to the highest bidder.

A committee of ten men from the Kiwanis and Rotary Clubs is contacting business men and civic leaders, urging them to attend the box supper and buy a box or contribute merchandise to be offered.

The entertainment will begin at 7:30 p. m., when the Skyrockets will then scrimmage for half an hour. The auctioning of boxes will start at 8:00 o'clock. The pep rally and band concert will be featured.

Thursday afternoon at 4:00 p. m. one of the two high school bands will parade downtown.

The committee points out that this entertainment is for all football fans, wherever they may live in the county or in the trade territory.

"Hundreds of you like football above all other sports. The new electric scoreboard which the Rotary and Kiwanis Clubs have ordered, and which should be up by Thursday night, will add to your enjoyment of the game. We urge you: come out Thursday night. Bring a box to sell, and bring a full pocketbook to buy a box or some piece of merchandise," the committee urged.

Members of this joint Kiwan. Rotary committee are Mr. Lee, D. C. McKinney, Zook Thomas, Sandy Parsons Jr., Orval Couch, Dr. E. K. Jones, Walter Winter, Ed Miller, Jimmie Kelso and Mack Saied Jr.

All sorts of items will be auctioned. Up to noon Wednesday, the following items had been promised, and workers will contact other merchants Wednesday afternoon.

The incomplete list includes: Electric drill, with saw attachment, $20 basket of groceries, 2 pies, one chrome coffee maker, one Western Belt, one set cotton scales, one gallon Prestone, five cakes, $10 worth of groceries, $10 worth of cleaning and pressing, 1 bottle hair tonic, one bedspread, one piece luggage, $40 worth of

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Family Leaves in Early October

Rev. Chester O'Brien To Tucumcari Church

The Rev. Chester O'Brien, pastor of the First Baptist Church in Wellington for two years, has accepted a call to the First Baptist Church in Tucumcari, N. M., and he, Mrs. O'Brien and their children, David 5, and Marianna, 2 will leave here about October 4, to take over the new work.

He will preach his first sermon as pastor at Tucumcari on October 10.

In moving to Tucumcari Rev. and Mrs. O'Brien will serve a church considerably larger than the one here. He will be assisted by a director of activities and a church secretary. The church facilities include an auditorium completed about two years ago, seating between 1,000 and 1,200 persons; Babyland, abuilding containing four nurseries; a building now housing the intermediate and junior departments, a young people's building, to which a new wing is to be added; and a functioning church library.

There are four graded church choirs. The Tucumcari church is known to be supporting one of the most vigerous church programs in the area.

Rev. and Mrs. O'Brien came here in May 1952 from Gruver, after he had served the church there a year.

He received his bachelor's degree from Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene in 1945, and she was graduated two years later. They attended Southern Baptist Theological Seminary in Louisville, Ky., in 1947, and in 1951, he received his bachelor of divinity degree from Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth and Mrs. O'Brien received a master's degree in religious education.

During this time he served as pastor of College View Baptist Church in Denton. In 1951, the couple moved to Gruver.

While they have been leaders in religious life during the time they lived here, Rev. and Mrs. O'Brien also have been active in civic work, and he has worked with the Pan-Fork Baptist Encampment which serves the eastern half of the Panhandle.

Assembly Opens School Year

A series of speakers were featured at the opening assembly program at Wellington high school Monday, September 6. Billy Frank Agee, senior, spoke briefly on the tradition of the school; Maxey McKnight urged student participation in the Box Supper at the football field Thursday night, September 9; Dr. Carter Holcomb asked co-operation in the Mobile Chest X-Ray campaign; the Rev. J. F. Michael spoke briefly on "Opportunity," and Supt. Bennett Goodloe and Principal Bill Whiteside made short talks.

Assembly opened with the bugle call given by Kern Pigg. Mike Whiteside and John Alvin Horton, both Boy Scouts, were flag bearers. Patsy Bawcom welcomed freshmen and welcomed and introduced new members of the faculty.

Wanda Phipps, Joyce Amerson for Sweetheart

Entries in Pantex Show Contests on Friday

Two pretty misses will represent Collingsworth County at the Sweetheart of the Soil Contest held in connection with the Farm and Home Show at Pantex Friday, September 10, and a judging team of 4-H boys will participate in that phase of the event.

Miss Wanda Rose Phipps, sponsored by the Collingsworth County Farm Bureau, and Miss Joyce Amerson, sponsored by the Chamber of Commerce, are the entries in the Sweetheart of the Soil Contest, Mrs. J. W. Thomas, Chamber of Commerce secretary, Said.

The contest will be held at 8:30 p. m.

The soil judging team will be sponsored by County Agent J. W. Thomas, and the members will be selected Wednesday afternoon. It will include four boys from the Samnorwood area.

Belew Brings First Cotton To Wellington

Arthur Belew, who farms land owned by James Doneghy north of town, ginned Wellington's first bale of cotton Thursday evening, September 2, about 5:30 p. m. and received the premium paid by Wellington merchants.

Mr. Belew brought in a 2400 pound load of seed cotton and got a 586 pound bale, with 1020 pounds of seed, A. C. Parrigin, manager of the West Texas Gin, which got the bale, announced.

The gin bought the cotton, paying Mr. Belew a premium of 40 cents per pound for the cotton and at the rate of $52 per ton on the seed, along with the traditional free ginning, bagging and ties.

The premium money collected by the Chamber of Commerce, totaled $212.50. This gave Mr. Belew approximately 380 for the bale.

The field of cotton from which this bale was pulled will make around half a bale per acre, the grower told Mr. Parrigin. He went over approximately 20 acres to get the bale.

Contributing to the premium on the cotton were the Wellington Chamber of Commerce, Wellington State Bank, Leader Department Store, Hatch Dry Goods, Cochran Drug, City Grocery, City Shoe Shop, Buske & Harvey Farm Machinery, Warrick Machinery, Morton Motor Co

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Restraining Order Granded, $20,000 Bond Posted

Telephone Company Files Rate Suit Against City

The General Telephone Company of the Southwest Saturday, September 4, filed in district court here a suit against the City Council as a representative government of the City of Wellington, asking a temporary restraining order and temporary and permanent injunction to prevent the enforcement of the telephone rate now in effect.

Judge Luther Gribble, presiding judge, granted the temporary restraining order and ordered the telephone company to post bond of 20,000. The bond has been posted.

The date for the hearing on the temporary injunction has not been set.

Paul Spillman, city attorney, pointed that in issuing the temporary restraining order, Judge Gribble was following the usual legal procedure.

With the posting of the bond, the Telephone Company has the authority to charge the rate they have applied for. If the court, at the time of the hearing, sets a rate lower that asked and billed for by the telephone company, then it will have to refund the difference, he continued.

The charge will not be retroactipe beyond the date restraining order was granted, Mr. Spillman said. In other words, the telephone company cannot collect the higher rate on bills sent out before Saturday, September 4.

Fathers in Club This Year

Band Parents Meet To Push School Music Unit

Both fathers and mothers will be active workers for the Skyrocket band this year, and with this in mind, the name of their organization is being changed to Gholson, president, announced this week.

Meetings, held in the afternoon in the past will be the second Monday night of each month this year in order that fathers and working mothers may attend. The first meeting was held Thursday night, September 2, with a large group present.

Officers elected recently to work with Mrs. Gholson are Mrs. Sunday Bill Smith, vice-president, and Mrs. Dorothy Akin, secretary-treasurer.

Equipment already ordered for the bands include new belts and chin straps for their uniforms; two bass drums, one for each the A and B bands; and twirlers uniforms.

As in the past, the club will be in charge of the concession stand at the football games.

Committees named by Mrs. Gholson for the year include: Program: Mrs. Kelly Pigg and Mrs. Ollie Wilson; candy: Mrs. Sunday Bill Smith; Coffee: Mrs. Walter Hagler; sandwiches: Mrs. Jimmie Kelso; hot dogs: Mrs. E. K. Jones, Mrs. Richard Carter, Mrs. Earl Bowen, Mrs. Clyde Drake, Mrs. A. L. Elliott, Mrs. C. L. Shanks.; and hot chocolate: Mrs. R. L. Sisk.

Members who will help in the stands at the first football game September 10, are Mrs. R. T. Savage, Mrs. Troy Gardner, Mrs. W. E. Colson, Mrs. Sisk, Mrs. Smith, Mrs. Gene Martin Mrs. Hagler, Mrs. Akin, Mrs. E. M. Hunter, Mrs. Gohlson and Mrs. J. L. Warrick.

Truitt Holland P. O. Sub-Clerk

Truitt Holland, who lives near Dodson, has been named subclerk in the Wellington Post Office, R. T. Savage, acting postmaster, announced Monday, September 6.

Mr. Holland began his work September 1, and takes the place held by Mr. Savage at the time of his promotion. His work comes under Civil Service.

Several years ago, Mr. Holland served as temporary carrier on Route 1, Dodson, for a two-year period. Since then he has been farming and in the livestock business with his father, R. J. Holland, and brother, Dennis Holland, near Dodson.

He is a World War II veteran.

Women Urged to Pantex Meeting

All Home Demonstration Club women are urged to attend the Pantex Field Day September 10, at Pantex, Miss Mary Trammel, agent, has announced.

Classes and short courses are offered in several phases. Miss Sadie Hatfield, landscape specialist from the Extension Service will hold several groups on landscaping and yard improvement.

Anyone wishing to attend and needing a way should contact Miss Trammel.

Applications for Postmaster Job Open to Sept. 28

An examination for Postmaster at Wellington, at the rate of $5,070 per year, will be open for the receipt of applications until September 28, the Civil Service Commission announced this week.

The written examination will be held at Childress, and the date will be announced later, R. T. Savage, acting postmaster said.

A statement from the Commission follows:

The Commission is taking all possible steps through special publicity to civic and other community organizations to encourage well qualified persons to apply for the examination.

Competitors for the postmaster vacancy in this city must have at least 2 years of experience showing that they have the ability to conduct and manage the community's postal business efficiently and to supervise employees so that customers are satisfied with the service.

Competitors must show that they can deal with the public agreeably and effectively and that they are reliable citizens who would

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Just 5 Minutes of Your Time

Chest X-Ray Campaign Aims At More Than 2,000 in 4 Days

Free chest x-rays for all Collingsworth citizens over 15 years of age got underway Wednesday morning, Sept. 8, to continue through Saturday, September 11, with the goal of 2,000 or more participating in the program, Dr. D. V. Watkins announced at the first x-rays were made.

This is the annual visit of the State Health Department's mobile x-ray unit to the county, and it will be in operation from 9:00 a. m. to 6:00 p. m. each of the four days it is here. The unit is in the Collingsworth Motor Company.

There is no change in the procedure by which the x-rays are made, Jim Cochran, county chairman, pointed out. It requires only 5 minutes of the individual's time. While the chest x-ray program is primarily for the eradication of tuberculosis on a state-wide basis, he emphasized that a number of other chest ailments may also be located in the early stages, a fact that has saved the lives of several Collingsworth county citizens already.

"It is most important that every person have a chest x-ray each year. Almost all of the diseases of the chest which can be located by x-ray can delevop in less than one year's time. That is why we urge that you have your chest x-ray each time the unit comes here," Dr. Watkins pointed out.

Approximately 1900 county residents had free x-rays when the unit visited here last year.

The doctors have again pointed out that while the x-rays are free, they are not charity. They are financed by the tax-payers money and the unit is a service provided in the interest of the health of the people of Texas.

City to Enforce Muffler Ordinance

Enforcement of the city ordinance prohibiting the use of illegal type mufflers on any car driving in the city limits has been ordered by the city Council, Mayor Lester Hunter announced following a meeting of that group Monday night, Sept. 6.

Both the ordinance and a state law prohibits the use of all except such mufflers as are standard type equipment. The appearance on numbers of cars recently of special type gadgets making loud and obnoxious noises has brought many complaints to the city, it was pointed out.

Bill McCarver, city marshall, has been ordered to see to the enforcement of the ordinance.

Organized Reserve Meeting Sept. 15

Fred Squyres, a major in the Organized Army Reserve Unit at Amarillo, has announced a meeting to be held here Wednesday night, September 15, in the county court room at 8:00 p. m. to discuss that program and give information to men on their status in the reserve program.

"It doesn't make any difference what branch of service you belong to, Air Force, Navy or Army, we will be glad to answer any questions," Squyres said.

There will be a discussion of an organization here for organized reserves to keep abreast of present developments of any branch of the service. Those who attend will draw regular day pay.

There will also be a discussion of guided missels and atomic warfare at the Wednesday night meeting.

Rountree Now at Highway Station

Ernest Rountree this week announced that he is operating the Highway Gulf Station, at the corner of 8th Street and Highway 83.

He added that he is handling all gulf products, including Gulf tires and tubes, and that in addition to washing, greasing and repairing flats will be among the services of the station.

A long-time resident of the county, Mr. Rountree was for several years construction foreman for the Greenbelt Rural Electric Co-operative.

He has extended a cordial invitation to his friends throughout the area to visit him in his new location.

Local Residents Bruised in Wreck

Four local residents, en route to Mississippi on a vacation, were bruised when their car was envolved in a collision in Oklahoma City, Thursday, Sept. 2.

The local group included Mr. and Mrs. Pat Dickey, her twin sister and nephew, Mrs. L. W. McClure and Billy McClure.

The accident occured at the edge of Oklahoma City, at an intersection, Mrs. Paul Brewer, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dickey, said. McClure, who was driving, reported that he had a green signal light as he started through the intersection.

The Chevrolet 4-door, owned by Mr. and Mrs. Dickey, had been bought only the day previous and had 225 miles registered on the speedometer at the time of the accident.

The group, which had planned to visit relatives at Fulton, Miss returned here. Damage to their car was estimated at about $375.

Housing Act Effective August 2

SUPPLEMENTAL LOANS ON VETS HOUSING DUE TO BE EASIER

Veterans should find it easier to get supplemental loans for major alterations, repairs and improvements to their GI homes as a result of the Housing Act of 1954 and new Veterans Administration streamlined procedures, VA announced today.

The Housing Act, which became law on August 2, 1954, makes it possible for World War II and post-Korea veterans to take advantage of any unused GI home loan entitlement for home improvement loans.

To further encourage lenders to make more such loans, VA will allow supervised lenders holding GI home loans to complete home improvement loans to their veteran-borrowers without getting clearance in advance from VA.

VA estimated that more than 3,000,000 of the 3,351,000 veterans who have obtained GI home loans have some home loan guaranty entitlement left.. Previously, if a veteran had not used his maximum guaranty entitlement of $7,500, there were restrictions on the balance. Now, with the passage of the 1954 Housing Act, there are no limitations on the use of any part of the maximum guaranty for home improvement loans.

VA emphasized that under the amended GI Bill, a supplemental loan may be guaranteed or insured by VA only if it covers repairs necessary for the protection of the property or will substantially improve the basic livability or utility of the property.

The VA move to allow lenders to process home improvement loans without VA's advance approval is extended only to lenders who are supervised by Federal or State banking authorities. These lenders hold nearly 85 percent of all GI loans.

Non-supervised lenders and lenders who are not holders of the primary mortgage must continue to get VA's approval before processing supplemental loans.

In another streamlining step, VA will accept the appraisal of a supervised lender on a home improvement loan of not more than $2,500. VA obtains its own appraisal on any loans over that amount. The previous limit was $1,000.00.

The new Housing Act coupled with VA's new procedures should stimulate GI home improvement loans at a time when many veterans are thinking about improving or expanding their homes, VA said.

Veterans have reduced their original GI loan debt, and according to Government surveys, have increased their earning capacity. This linked with larger families has increased the demand for home improvement loans.

Veterans may obtain supplemental loans even though they do not have any loan guaranty entitlement remaining if the lender is willing to make such loans. In these cases, VA will not increase the amount of guaranty but will rewrite the guaranty to cover the supplement loan.

In those areas where it is permissable, GI supplemental home improvement loans may be secured by "pen-end" mortgages.

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KID QUADS — In Tampa, Fla., four-year-old Rebecca Arnold plays with four very frisky kid quadruplets. The young goat foursome is two weeks old.

MARRIAGE LICENSES

The following marriage licenses were issued from the office of David Robinson, county clerk, during the past week:

Johnnie Thomas Hoffman of Childress and Mrs. Verta Mae King, August 27;

Preston Elam and Miss Mary Francis Mills of Collingsworth County, August 30;

Henry Victory Parrish and Miss Leona McDowell of Wheeler County, September 2.

Oran Douglass and Miss Ardell Harrison of Collingsworth County, September 2.

NEW CARS AND TRUCKS

New cars and trucks registered in the office of Claude McKinney, Sheriff, tax assessor and collector, during the past week, include:

Fred Yarbrough, Wellington Chevrolet 4-door sedan.

Cicero Smith Lumber Co., Wellington, Chevrolet 2-door sedan.

Tiffin Young, Wellington, Pontiac 4-door sedan.

L. A. Dickey, Route 5, Wellington, Chevrolet 4-door sedan.

C. W. Caison Jr., Wellington, Ford 2-ton truck.

Lloyd W. Barry, NAAS, Kingsville, Chevrolet 2-door sedan.



Mr. and Mrs. Erval Beuron Stevens of Twitty are the parents of a son, Beuron Dale, born August 8, in St. Joseph's Hospital. He weighed nine pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Edwin Crosnoe of Dodson are the parents of a son Thad Ala, born August 30, in St. Joseph's Hospital, and weighing six pounds and thirteen ozs.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe McCutchen of Wellington are the parents of a daughter, Starla Jo, born August 12, in St. Joseph's Hospital. The baby, who weighed six pounds, nine ounces, is the granddaughter of Mrs. Clovis McCutchen and Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cagle, and the great granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Williams.

A daughter, Elesa Diane, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Hoyt Lee Langley of Rt. 5, in St. Joseph's Hospital August 30. She weighed seven lbs. and six ounces.

A daughter, Rebecca Ann, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carloe LaVerne Grimsley of Shamrock, August 25, in St. Joseph's Hospital. Her weight was six pounds and fifteen ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wesley Strickland Jr., of Shamrock are the parents of a daughter, Terri Gaile, born August 23, in St. Joseph's Hospital, and weighing five pounds and six ounces.

Patricia Diane, a daughter, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Malcolm Neal Seale, of Pampa in St. Joseph's Hospital August 19. Her weight was six pounds and twelve ounces.

Collection of Indian Relics Given TCU

Fort Worth—A large collection of Indian relics and fragments of ancient American animals, including scores of phytosaur-dinosaur teeth, has been placed on permanent loan to Texas Christian University by J. B. Elliston of Hereford.

The exhibits, housed in glass-topped boxes, will be used by several departments of the university in the study of history, geology, archaeeology and other areas.

A small, energetic West Texan, Elliston began collecting 60 years ago when the family lived in the Indian Territory. His interest grew and when the family moved to a ranch near Palo Duro Canyon in the Panhandle in 1899.

"Over the years, I've picked up a little archaeology, paleontology and some geology," he grins. "I'm no scolar in the formal sense but I like to collect these old things."

In pursuit of his hobby, Elliston who is now in the real estate business, has ranged all over the U. S. and Canada. He estimates he's collected 20,000 pieces, some of which are on display at the University of Texas and Baylor. He has some 6,000 pieces on exhibit at Coronado Lodge in Palo Duro Canyon.

He likes to start others, especially young people, in the same field. All of his grandchildren are collectors and he's pointed many other youngsters toward a collecting career. He feels that such hobbies, are one answer to juvenile delinquency.

"Young people really interested in this field just don't have time to get into trouble," he feels.

Elliston brought some of his collection to TCU this week. He plans to present the rest after displaying it at his 50th wedding anniversary celebration in Hereford this fall.

The exhibit includes pieces of fossilized dinosaur hide and teeth found in Palo Duro just east of Canyon; well-preserved dinosaur vertebrae found south of San Jon, N. M.; dinosaur "gizzard stones" believed to be 165,000,000 years old grom the Big Horn Mountains; a section of a prehistoric elephant tooth found north of Hereford.

There are also some "Folsom Points" thought to be over 15,000 years old for which Elliston refused $500. One stone axe head, found near Santa Rosa, N. M., is believed to be over 26,000 years old.

Other Indian relics, many from the Navajo country, include beaded bags, knives, arrow heads, drills, scrapers, bread stones, pots, toma hawks and other items.

One unusual piece is a string of bone beads with an abalone pendant. It was found in a Pueblo in ruin in 1928.

Also included are huge oyster shells picked up far inland in Oregon, bullets and other items from the battle field at the Little Big Horn, samples of uranium ore and other things.

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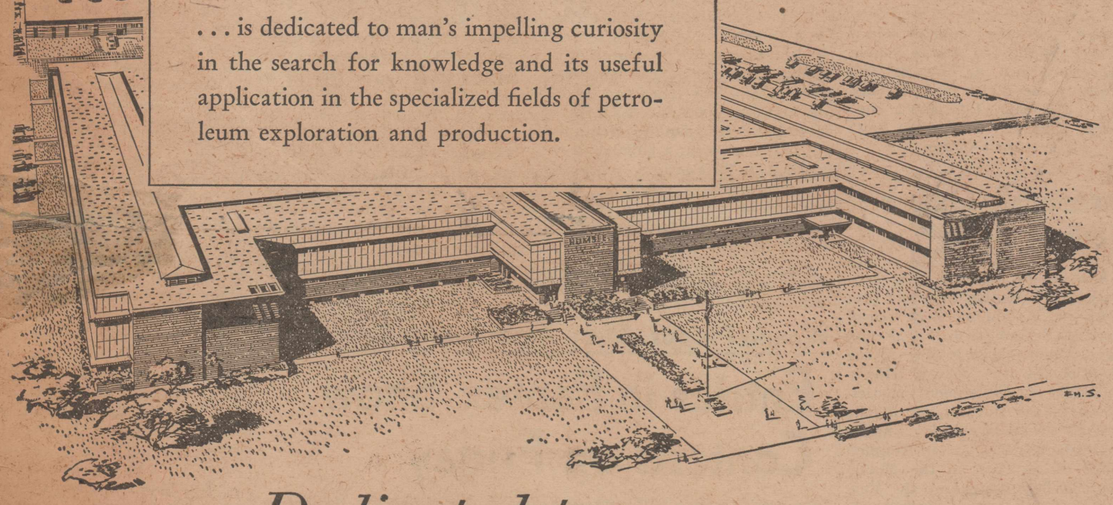
Lieutenant (jg) Edmond Schaded, USNR, a graduate of WHS in 1945, is now assigned to the 12th Nacal District Staff Headquarters as assistant Director of Special Services, at San Francisco.

Schaded, son of Mr. and Mrs. Enis Shaded, who now live at Tyler, attended Regis College, Denver, Colo., and graduated in 1950 with a bachelor of science degree in economics and business administration. He has been on active duty with the Navy since January 1952, and attended the U. S. Naval Officer Candidate School, Newport, Rhode Island, prior to being commissioned.

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To house the expansion of these research sections, Humble recently completed its new Research Center at Houston and will formally dedicate it this week end.

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Bonds Would Finance Salt Fork Dam

Greenbelt Authority Eventally Would Own $8,000,000 Project

This is second in a series of articles to inform the public of the status of the proposed dam across Salt Fork River, developed by the Greenbelt Municipal and Industrial Water Authority.

This article deals with cost and financing the dam, and the possible cost of water to the participating cities.

Q. What is the estimated cost of the completed construction of the dam and the pipe lines for delivering water to the various cities and other customers under consideration at this time?

A. The actual cost of the project cannot be definately determined until construction contracts for the dam, the filteration plant, pipe lines, etc. have been advertised and let under competitive bidding under the supervision of the Board of Directors and the engineers for the Authority. Under present prevailing prices, the cost of the completed project is estimated at 8,100,000.00, including interest during construction and all orgination expenses.

Q. How will this project be financed?

A. By the issuance of bonds.

Q. For how long will the bonds be issued?

A. Under the statute authorizing the issuance of bonds by the Authority, the bonds cannot run for longer than 40 years.

Q. What will be the interest rate on the bond proposed to be issued?

A. The actual interest rate cannot be determined at this time because price of money fluctuates, and the rate can only be made at the time the bonds are ready for the market. It is contemplated, however, that these bonds will carry such rates as are comparable to those of other similar construction projects which require some two years to construct and maybe another six months to impound an adequate amount of water. On such projects which do not have historical earning records as a market predicate, it cannot be expected to receive as low interest rate as the well-established credit of long time operating counties, cities and school districts. However, for the purpose of calculations at this time, a rate of 4 0/0 is being used for the reason that it is comparable to such other projects presently being financed.

Q. What will be the security pledged to the payment of these bonds?

A. This is a natural and logical question for in its answer you can determine just what the cost will be to your city and its citizens. The answer is that there are definite fized annual requirements for principal and interest which must be paid as it becomes due. Therefore since the income to the Authority must come primarily frim the cities. Each city will be expected to enter into a long term contract to purchase a minimum amount of water from the Authority. It has been estimated that the present daily usage of water in the various cities is 100 gallons per day per capita so the plan it that the initial contract with each city shall be placed at a minimum of 100 gallons per day per capita and the minimum price is to be 25c per thousand gallons. As an illustration, the following is a preliminary estimate of the anticipated annual payments required from each city having membership in the Authority for water delivered into the tank:

Name of City	Annual Payment
Clarendon	$34,644
Hedley	9,292
Memphis	75,692
Wellington	61,680
Childress	125,616
Paducah	35,322
Quanah	58,092
McLean	23,652
Shamrock	58,711

Q. Will it be possible to lower this charge of 25c per thousand gallons when any city uses more water than called for in its mimimum contract?

A. Yes. This price will be flexible and subject to reduction as increased water sales are made. As an example, if a contract with a city is made whereby the Authority agrees to sell and the City agrees to purchase a minimum of 500,000 gallons of water daily, the dollar price accuring from this contract at 25c per thousand gallons will be $125.00 daily. This becomes a fixed requirement which can be reduced when the income from the over-all sale of water by the Authority becomes sufficient that the price can be lowered by the Board of Directors. This project being entirely new, it is necessary to make a fixed minimum dollar amount in order to provide security for payment of the debt service on the bonds. However, in order to encourage initiative and aggressiveness by each member city of the Authority, it is contemplated that when each city finds above its fixed minimum that the a market for the amount of water price to the city for this additional water should be reduced to probably as low as 10c per thousand gallons, according to quantity of water used. In other words, the more water each city can use, the cheaper will be the gallonage price thus giving encouragement for water sales to industry.

Swearingen News

By Mrs. Clyde Brown

Mr. and Mrs. Coleman Duke and Jimie of Lakeview visited in the home of Mrs. Jett Roberts Sunday.

Mrs. George Creed and Mrs. Jett Roberts shopped in Memphis last Monday.

Mrs. Calvin Adcock and sons returned home Sunday from North Dakota where they have been with her husband during wheat harvest.

The hail storm Aug. 23 badly damaged the crops of Harvey Skaggs and Frank Boyles. Others received hail but was not as heavy.

Harvey Skaggs has a job at Silver City with the railroad.

Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Harris have returned home after spending the past two weeks with Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Kelley in Tejico, New Mexico.

Rev. Rayford Harris and Bruce have returned to their home in Palicios after spending a few days with the Harris family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Harris and children visited with Mrs. B. A. Bryant at Tell last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis McGuire and children and Mrs. Clyde Brown are vacationing in various places in Colorado.

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PORTABLE SAFETY LESSON—Motorists of Cherry Point, N. C., are reminded of the grim facts of highway life every time they pass this smoking exhibit of tragedy. The wrecked, late-model car, mounted on a trailer, is a safety project designed by the provost marshal at the Cherry Point Marine Air Station. Burning effect is produced by a hidden smoke bomb.

News of Men in Service

Cpl. Audrey G. Needham has completed his 2 years of service in the Army and received his discharge on August 18. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Needham.

During his two years he spent most of his time working with Radar and serving as Mail Clerk. He was stationed at Ft. Bliss in 9l Paso and spent all of his time there but 3 months which wes spent at Camp Stewart Georgia and San Antonio where he attended school. His wife was with him most of the two years.

They are making their home at 211 North Independence St. in Amarillo. He is employed with the Firestone Company.



The Salaka Mano group of Camp Fire Girls met on Thursday August 26 and elected new officers, which include, President, Fredda Bourland, vice president, Jerri Stephens, secretary, Rose Mary Horton, treasurer, Linda Jenkins, scribe, Sherry McGuire.

One new member has been added to our group, Melanie Hamm. Visitors were Mrs. Hamm and Karan Cook. Members present were Rose Mary Horton, Jerri Stephens, Fredda Bourland, Linda Jenkins, Almeda Tidwell, Mai Nell Ratliff, Betty Moseley, Melanie Hamm, Sherry McGuire, Sue Wilson, LaRita Patterson, Sue Harris, Brenda White, Billie Lowe and Linda Wade.

Phillips Heads Wellington FFA

By DON WHEELER

The Wellington Future Farmers chapter held its first meeting of the year Monday, September 6, to elect officers. Wayne Maxwell presided.

Gary Phillips was elected president; Wayne Maxwell vice-president; John Cartwright, secretary; C. W. Caison, treasurer; Don Wheeler, reporter and Walter Spear, sentinel.

Dues were set at 2.50 and October 15 announced as the deadline for payment. Plans were discussed for a trip to the Tri-State Fair in Amarillo on FFA Day Sept. 25.

Mrs. Stella West returned home last week after visiting several days in Clovis, New Mexico with her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Jones. She also visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Young of Amarillo.

Mrs. Ella George of Shamrock and Mrs. Troy Poole and Randy of Houston were visiting here last Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Bevers of Amarillo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bevers over the week end.

Mrs. Henry Vaughan has been in the St. Joseph's Hospital for the past ten days. She has virus pneumonia and is improving now.

McKinney-Beaird To Rotary Meet

D. C. McKinney, president of the Wellington Rotary Club, and B. W. Beaird, club classification committee chairman, will attend a one-day Distorict 183 Extension institute in Plainview.

This institute is being held in connection with the 10 per cent increase in Rotary membership set for this year.

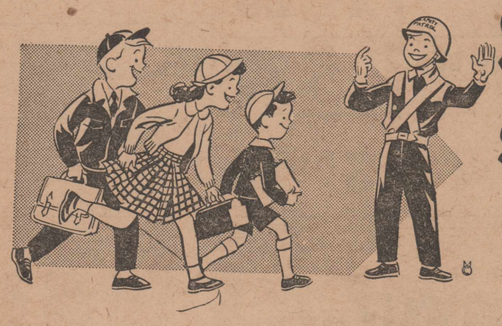
NOTICE

The City Council has ordered the City Marshall to enforce the City ordinance and State laws on the use of illegal type mufflers on any car driving in the City limits.

This states that only such mufflers as are standard type equipment may be used.

Violators who use special type gadgets making loud and obnoxious noises will be prosecuted.

City of Wellington



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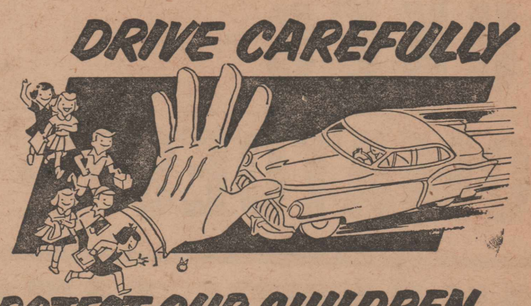
NOTE THE TIME – remember that children dash to school in the morning, they dash from school in the late afternoon, they dash around school during recess and the noon hour.

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Baumgardner Active In Christian Student Meet

Evanston, Illinois: Christian graduate students and faculty from twenty six nations are meeting this week (August 23-30) in conjuction with the Second Assembly of the World Council of Churches.

Marion F. Baumgardner of W. Lafayette, Indiana is one of more than two hundred delegates in a conference organized by the World's Student Christian Federation so that faculty and graduate students of many churches and countries have an opportunity to attend plenary sessions of the World Council's Assembly and to consider the significance of the Assembly's deliberations for Christians in the universities of the world.

The World's Student Christian Federation, which is often called the forerunner of the World Council of Churches because it is the first ecumenical organization to be formed, was founded in 1895 under the leadership of John R. Mott, distinguished American layman who is Honorary President of the World Council of Churches.

Student Christian movements in fifty five years and in every major church are now participants in the and work of the Federation. In the United States, fifteeen national student movements are related to the Federation through the United Student Council of the National Council of Churches. In the National Council of Churches students and faculty are brought together in a single department of which both the USCC and the Faculty Christian Fellowship are members.

Conclusions reached during the conference consideration of Assembly themes will be formulated as a conference report in two final plenary sessions (Aug. 29 and 30.) Marion Baumgardner, who is a graduate fellow at Purdue University and is a member of Methodist Church, has been a member of the Commission on International Affairs Christians in the struggle for world community during the conference.

Public Interest In Water Problem At All-Time High

"Public interest in water problems in Texas at an all-time high", H. N. Smith, State Conservationist of the Soil Conservation Service, at Temple reports.

Many articles on water resources and water needs are appearing in newspapers and magazines, and Federal and State agencies, committees, and many cities are making water studies.

"This widespread concern about water supplies," Smith pointed out, "emphasizes the importance of taking needed steps without delay to prevent rapid filling of reservoirs with sediment with accompanying loss of valuable water storage capacity."

Mr. Smith referred to the four major reservoirs — Benbrook, Grapevine, Garza-Little and Lavon—which are being completed by the Corps of Engineers above Dallas and Fort Worth. "These reservoirs," he said, "will give flood protection to Dallas and Fort Worth and to levee districts and farmland along the river below them. The dams also will serve the very important purposes of storing water for municipal and in dustrial use, recreation, navigation of the Trinity, and streamflow regulation. Forseeing even greater needs for water in the future as Texas develops, we need to do everything that can be done to protect and increase the useful life of these reservoirs."

"But this doesn't need to happen," he said. "If the needed soil conservation measures and practices were being used throughout the watershed of Grapevine reservoir—as an example—the life of the sediment pool would be increased to 50 years and the storage capacity of the reservoir maintained correspondingly. And if the proposed system of upstream flood prevention dams, which has been planned by the Soil Conservation Service above Grapevine reservoir, were built immediately the sediment pool life would be lengthened to 116 years because of the sediment deposition which would be prevented.

"The Trinity River watershed isn't the only place in Texas where rapid filling of reservoirs by sediment is occuring," Mr. Smith continued. "The same thing is happening in other parts of the state, and people are becoming concerned at seeing mud replace water. We have had requests from many cities and towns for help in finding out the rate of sedimentation in their water supply reservoirs, and what can be done to protect them.

"During recent years we have cooperated with the cities of Corpus Christi, San Angelo, Waco and Abilene in making sedimentation surveys of their water supply reservoirs," said Smith, "and with the Bexar-Medina-Atascosa Water Improvement District in a survey of Meina Lake. We are right now cooperating with the cities of Graham and Throckmorton in surveys of their reservoirs."

Smith pointed out that good sites for reservoirs are scare, and the best ones already have been used. "When replacements dams have to be built at other locations it is going to cost a lot of money," he said. "That's why we must do everything we can to make our reservoirs last as long as possible."

NEW CARS AND TRUCKS

The new car and truck registrations are issued from the office of the Tax Assessor-Collector, Claude McKinney.

A. F. Knoll, Route 3, Shamrock Chevrolet 4-door sedan.

C. Ernest Jackson, Wellington, Chevrolet.

Lindell V. Norman, Arlie Route, Dodson, Ford Fordor.

Lowell W. Wells, Wellington, Chevrolet 4-door sedan.

J. A. Bettis, Wellington, Chevrolet 2-door sedan.

Watson Kendricks, 204 E. Third, Fort Worth, Pontiac Catalint Coupe.

Chas. A. Harrell, Wellington, Ford Station Wagon.

Marie Shadid, Wellington, Ford Fordor.

John R. Henard Jr., Wellington, Chevrolet half ton truck.

John R. Ferguson, Wellington, Ford Tudor.

Grady Cochran, Route 2, Box 81 Wellington, half-ton Ford pickup.

Felton L. Lane, 400 13th St., Wellington, Ford half-ton pickup.

Spencer Coleman returned home Saturday from Texas A&M where he has been attending summer school.

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF
BUDGET HEARING

The Commissioners Court will read the Budget of Collingsworth County on Monday morning, September 13, at 10:00 a. m. in the Commissioners Court Room.

This is an open meeting and all interested persons persons are invited to attend.

R. L. Templeton, County Judge, Collingsworth County. 9-2c

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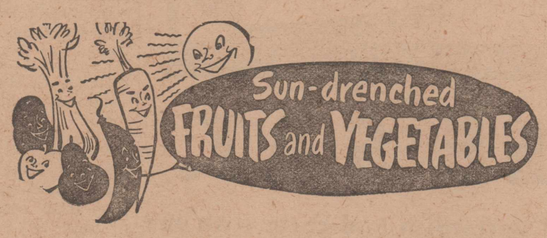
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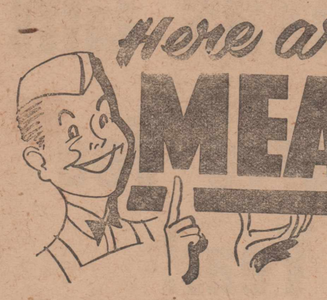


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QUAIL NEWS

By MRS. G. T. STEPHENS

Rev Alvin Hamm preached at the Quail Baptist Church Sunday morning and evening, Sept. 5.

Mrs. Chester White who has been a surgical patient in the Groom hospital for some time returned home Monday, Aug. 30. At present, Mrs. White is recovering nicely.

Pvt. Glen Norman and Pvt. Kenneth Hamby are home on a furlough. They are stationed at Ft. Bliss, Texas. Glen is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J C. Norman of Quail and Kenneth is the son of Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Hamby also of Quail.

Mr. and Mrs. Dale Farris and son, Tommy and Miss Jo Helen White of Borger visited over the week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Obie White.

Miss Barbara Weaver of Roswell, New Mexico was a guest in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Weaver during the Labor Day holidays.

Mr and Mrs. Alan Musgrove and son, Warren Alan of Lawton, Okla. were week end guests in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Warren Carter.

Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bourland were Mr. and Mrs. Robertson and daughter of Wichita Falls.

Miss Carol Dennis of Ft. Worth was a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Stephens over the week end

Mr. and Mrs. Mel Sammons and children of Guymon, Okla., and J. W. Bishop of Amarillo spent the Labor Day holidays in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Bishop.

Week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Neeley were Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Bradley of Whiteface, Mrs Virgie Heath and children of Dumas, Mr. and Mrs. Omer Neeley of Spade and Mrs. Willie Wood of Portales, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Young and children visited in Lubbock last week end with relatives and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Stell of Quitaque were guests in the home of Rev. and Mrs. Alvin Hamm Sunday morning

Mr. and Mrs. Pat O'Hair and Mr. and Mrs. D. E. Timmons and children of Perryton returned home Sunday, Aug. 29 from an eight day vacation. They visited at Eagle Nest, Red River, Toas, New Mexico. While at Eagle Nest they were guests of a cousin of Mr. O'Hair's, John Fincher. They went to Pueblo, Colorado and attended the Colorado State Fair for one day. They also went to Colorado Springs. On the way home they took a cruise through Kansas.

Mr and Mrs. J. P. Leslie and daughter, Anitta, Kay and Sharon of Lubbock visited with Mr. and Mrs. P. E. Young over the week end. Mr. and Mrs. Leslie are the parents of Mrs. Young.

Obie White, Ople White, Les White, Willie Tow and G. T. Stephens have gone to Devils River fishing this week.

Mrs Ginger Hargues and Mrs. Lillian Smith attended the Sixth annual Hair Fashion Clinic in Amarillo on Sunday, Sept. 5. Guest artists on the program were Miss Grace Donau of Hollywood, Calif., and J. Melvin Hagerty of St. Louis Mo.

Mrs. Guy Conley of Amarillo is a surgical patient in an Amarillo hospital where she entered Monday for surgery. Mrs. Clarence Blevins, Mrs. Conley's Mother and Mrs. Bill Phillips are at her bedside at the time of this writing.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W Carson and sons of Hurst visited in the home of Mrs. Carson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Farmer over the week end.

Guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Robinson over the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Robinson and children, Worland and Cathy and Cleo Robinson of Amarillo.

Mr and Mrs. Fat Keller and son of Wellington visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Robinson Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanton Caviness and Miss Cliffa Jean Langford were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Tow of the Buck Creek community.

CARD OF THANKS

We take this means of expressing our sincere appreciation to our many friends for your sympathy, kindness and graciousness, for each word and deed by which you sought to ease our grief. Such thoughtfulness at a time like this means more than we can express.

May God bless each of you.

Mrs. Lee Mathis and Family.

SAMNORWOOD

By MRS. NATHAN THOMPSON

Sunday School was well attended at the Baptist Church Sunday even though they are without a pastor now.

Little Denice and Dianne McBrayer of Childress are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cunningham this week.

Wayne Johnson returned home Friday from Ft. Worth where he has been working all summer. He started to Clarendon Jr. College Tuesday morning.

This community was saddened to hear of the death of grandfather McBrayer of Ft. Worth, Sunday Sept. 5th. He had visited here a lot and has many friends here.

Those visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bockmon on Labor Day were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Clement, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Davis and Gary Don of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Thompson and Mrs. R. L. Thompson of Samnorwood.

A revival meeting starts at the Baptist church in Samnorwood Friday night, September 10th Rev. Tom Burns of the Lela church and a former pastor of Samnorwood will do the preaching.

Mrs. S. J. Carrell returned home Tuesday from New York after spending two weeks with her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Jones.

DOZIER

By MRS. ALEX COLEMAN

Guests in the E. L. Rankin home Sunday week were Mrs. Rankin's cousin, Miss Delia Cowan, her mother, Mrs. Alice Cowan and her aunt, Mrs. Maggie Abbott all of Mangum Okla. Miss Cowan taught in the Wellington school many years. Since leaving she has been teaching in the Paducah school where she will begin this years term, Sept. 6th.

Ernest Schaub Jr. returned Sunday evening from Fort Sill, Oklahoma where he had served the past two weeks with the National Guard.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Ezell spent last week end in Amarillo visiting their son, Forrest Ezell and family.

Revival services that were in progress all last week at the Abra Baptist Church closed Sunday with the morning services. Bro. Murdock, the pastor, was assisted by Elder L. J. Crawford of Shamrock. Mrs. Preston Phillips and son, Wendell Phillips were in charge of the singing.

Week end guests in the Wood Coleman home were Mrs. Colemans brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Lockwood, Pat and Dick of Amarillo. The boys enjoyed dove hunting. Other guests on Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coleman of Quail and Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Coleman of Shamrock.

LILLIE

By MRS. G. D. THOMAS

The crops in the Lillie community are looking good since the recent hains.

Mrs. G. Cowan of Mobeetie visited in the Elmer Haralson home last Tuesday.

Mrs. G. D. Thomas and Mrs. Pearl Webb of Lindsey, Oklahoma, returned home last Saturday after a visit with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thomas and Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hefner of Plainview, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Ashton, Mr. and Mrs. Presley Ashton in Cactus, Mr. and Mrs. Archie Lee Ashton, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Fletcher and Mr. and Mrs. Buford Ashton in Amarillo. Mrs. Claude French returned to her home in Denver after visiting in these homes with Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Harwell visited in the Tom Harwell home in Wichita Falls last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Odel Childress of Lubbock and Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Johnson of Dodson were visitors in the W. E. Johnson home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas McMinn, Jan and David of Fort Worth were week end guests in the L. D. McMinn home.

Little Martha Beth Gulley is spending the week with her grandparents McMinn while her parents are vacationing in Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. William Blasingame visited in the Charles Wilson home at Kress last Friday.

Stamps Quartet to Be in Childress

The original Stamps Quartet will give a concert in Childress High School Auditorium, October 7, at 7:00 p. m. It will be sponsored by the Childress Home Demonstration Clubs. Loco ladies will have tickets for advance sale for this area.

Personal

Mrs. J. L. Hays and Miss Mary Hays had as their guests this week end Miss Hays of Plainview, Miss Larlu Hays of Lamest; Mr. and Mrs. D. R. Biter and children and Miss Merle Hays of Wichita Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Glaze of Mt. Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Jess Hunsaker, and their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Eldean Jeffers and daughter, Barbara Jean of San Antonio, have returned from a vacation trip to Durango, Colo., where they visited a son and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Hunsaker. They also visited Mrs. Hunsaker's cousin, Mrs. Annie Campbell, of Marvel, Colo., whom she had not seen in 60 years, when both were small children. Mr. and Mrs. Jeffers left here Tuesday, and will visit her brother and sister-in-law Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Hunsaker, in Lubbock.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. G. S. Holt over the week end were Mrs. Cecil Lemons and children, her children and families, Mr. and Wanda Sue and T. C. of Bigsby, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Holt and son, Gary of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Alford Isaacs and children, Glenda Gayle, Margaret and Carolyn of New Deal and Mrs. Roy Hardin and son, Mark of Meadows.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Stacey and Marynella, came down from Amarillo Friday evening for the long week end with Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Longino. On Sunday the five of them motored to Vernon to see Mr. and Mrs. Robert Roark, and children. Roark, who is with the National Guard has recently been transferred from Wichita Falls to Vernon.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tarter visited relatives in Amarillo over the week end.

Judge Templeton YFC Speaker

The Youth for Christ will be held in the Church of the Nazarene Saturday evening, September 11, beginning at 8:00 p. m., Miss Louise Fulcher, who is working with the movement, has announced.

County Judge R. L. Templeton will be guest speaker.

The public is invited.

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Burden-Coleman Rites Spoken August 26

A wedding of special interest here, uniting two families prominent in the development of the area, was that of Miss Sandra Burden, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. Y. Burden of Shamrock, and John Dee Coleman, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Coleman who live in the northwest part of Collingsworth County.

The ceremony took place Thursday evening August 26 in the home of the bride's parents with the Rev. Frank Beauchamp pastor of the First Methodist Church in Shamrock officiating.

For the recitation of their vows, the couple stood before the fireplace, decorated with tall baskets of white chrysanthemums and floor candelabra holding cathedral tapers. Lighting the candles were Bill Burden and Mario Coleman, brothers of the couple, who also served as ushers.

Wedding music was furnished by Miss Mary Katherine Holmes, pianist, and Miss Joan Beauchamp, vocalist.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a gown of white lace and tulle. The moulded bodice was styled with a low rounded neckline and cap sleeves edged in narrow tulle ruffles. The full gathered tulle skirt featured panniers of lace, edged in tulle ruffles. Narrow tulle ruffles also edged the elbow-length lace mits. Her veil of illusion was edged in scallops and fell from a headdress of shirred tulle trimmed in pearls. The bride's bouquet was of white Sweetheart rosebuds showered with white satin streamers.

Miss Peggy Doty of Wichita Falls was maid of honor and Miss Gwyn Wheeler of Dallas, college roommate of the bride, was bridesmaid. Miss Doty wore orchid tulle over taffeta, and Miss Wheeler Buttercup yellow. The identically designed dresses featured fitted bodices, short sleeves and low necks, with bouffant skirts.

Mr. Coleman was his son's best man.

For her daughter's wedding, Mrs. Burden chose a dress of plum silk while Mrs. Coleman wore a gold and black print dress with a black jacket. Their corsages were of yellow roses.

A reception followed the ceremony. The bride's table centered with an arangement of yellow roses and yellow candles. After the couple had cut the first slice of the wedding cake, the guests were served by Mrs. Eugene Collingsworth, while Miss Julia Beth Holmes presided at the punch service. Assisting were Mesdames George Close, Myrtle Austin of Kellerville, Tommy O'Gorman and R. Stuart Tisdale.

As the couple left on their wedding trip to New Orleans, the bride was wearing a blue wool sheath dress. Upon returning, the will be at home at 4310-A College Main, Bryan.

The bride's parents are formerly of Wellington and she, too, is well known here. She graduated from Shamrock high school and attended the University of Texas, Del Mar Junior College in Corpus Christi and North Texas State College in Denton, where she was a senior student.

The groom is a member of one of the county's pioneer families, as his grandparents, Mrs. S. H. Coleman of Wellington and the late John Coleman, were among the first settlers in the Dozier area.

He graduated from McLean High School and received a degree in veterinary medicine from Texas A&M College. He is returning there for advanced study.

Attending the wedding from this area were Mr. and Mrs. John Coleman, Miss Lennie Lou Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Coleman, Miss Jeanette Bell and Mrs. Ray Love of Wellington; Mrs. Frank Coleman of Quail, Mrs. Austin O'Neil Jr. of Cotton Center, Mr. and Mrs. Wood Coleman and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Coleman of Dozier, and Mr. Jesse Coleman of Pleasant Mound.

Quail Juniors Have Swimming Party

By MRS. G. T. STEPHENS

The Junior Class of Quail High School enjoyed a swimming party at Marian Air Park Pool on Friday afternoon Sept. 3. After swimming the group went to Ellison Park for refreshments which had been prepared by the room mothers of the Junior class, Mmes. Jack Phipps, Bill Clay, Dudley Phipps and Alvin F. Hamm.

Homemade ice cream and an assortment of cookies was served to June Russell, Peggy Clay, Nancy Stephens, Darryl Morris, Darvin Homer, James Young, Jerry Guthrie, Cleta Clay, Betty Gillihugh, Glenda Phipps, Betty Patterson, Margie Price Patsy White, Mary Phipps, Don Johnson,

Bill Wheeler, Yvonne Baird, Alvin Hamm, Dean Maxwell, Ben Ratliff, Carl Hackler, Garroll White, Mai Nell Ratliff, Melanie Hamm, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Phillips, Bill Clay, Jack Phipps, Mrs. Ratliff and Bill Phillips are the class sponsors. After refreshments those who attended went to the Ritz theatre to see the movie "Cease Fire."

Society News

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Fielding Observe 50th Anniversary

Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Fielding of 1020 Montgomery St., Memphis, formerly of Quail and Wellington communities celebrated their Golden Wedding Anniversary with open house, Sunday Aug. 29. Eight of their twelve children were present for the occasion.

Mr. and Mrs. Fielding were married on August 29, 1904 at Durant, Oklahoma where they continued to make their home until moving near Quail in 1927. Mr. Fielding is a retired farmer.

The rooms were beautifully decorated with cut flowers of yelliw gladiolas and carnations.

A bountiful meal was served at the noon hour. The wedding cake was white and gold with the inscription "50" of gold letters in the center.

Children present were John Fielding, Corona, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Fielding and Sur of Levelland; Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Ford and Patricia of Irving; Mrs. Bill Yost and Ray of Irving; Mr. and Mrs. Dale Fielding, Brenda and Cindy of Irving; Mrs. Bob Johnson and Elaine, Ronny and Sandra of Grand Prairie; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Fielding and Gerald of Quail, Garland Fielding of Wellington.

Others present were Mr. and Mrs. Jack Fielding of Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. Shelton Berry and Steve of Lubbock; Rev. and Mrs. Steve Greenwood of Alanreed; Mr. and Mrs. Jess Damron of Borger; Mr. and Mrs. Paul Starr, Miss Janelle Langford, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Childress all of Wellington,

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Duncan, Brenda and Phillip, Mrs. Sam Hamilton, Mrs. Robert Cummings, Mrs. T. J. Hampton, Mrs. E. G. Archer, Rev. Lanham Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. H. J. Howell, Mr. and Mrs. Buss Raglin and girls, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Neel and Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Anderson all of Memphis.

Fourmentin Family Holds Reunion

A reunion of the children of the late Mr. and Mrs. H. Fourmentin, all of whom have lived here, was held at the home of one of the daughters, Mrs. J. E. Bowen of Plainview recently.

Children gathering for the event were Mrs. M. L. James and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fourmentin of Wellington; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Begert and son of Allison; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Yell and son, Raymond of Dumas; Charlie Fourmentin of Oklahoma City; and Mrs. Bowen and family of Plainview.

Other relatives present were Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fourmentin of Altus, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Rogers of Canadian; Miss Ina James of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Richard Fourmentin of Wellington; Mr. and Mrs. Pete Lacasse of Pampa; Mr. and Mrs. Mack Yell and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Yell of Dumas; Mr. and Mrs. Wydatt Fourmentin and son of Clovis, N. M.

Quail Seniors Honored Tuesday

By MRS. G. T. STEPHENS

The senior class of the Quail high school was honored with a swimming party Tuesday afternoon, Aug. 31, at Marian Airpark pool in Wellington.

Hostesses for the occasion were the class sponsors and room mothers. The sponsors are Lester Myers and W. F. Howard. Roommothers are Mrs J. L. Souder, Mrs. Henry Langford, Mrs. Dudley Phipps and Mrs. Dennis Lacy.

After the swimming party the group went to Ellison Park where they had a wenier roast and water melon feast. They also enjoyed a volleyball game at the park.

Others attending were Mrs. Lester Myers and son, Terry, Dudley Phipps, Regie Patton, Wayne Parker, W. L. Ray H. C. Langford, James Stephens, Bobby Patterson, Z. J. Neeley Jr., Perry Souder, Joan Lacy, Melba Langley, Betty Strickland and Wanda Rose Phipps

Patsy Wilkerson Birthday Honoree

Patsy Ruth Wilkerson was honored with a birthday party Friday, August 27 in the home of her mother, Mrs. C. O. Wilkerson. She was 12 years old. Games were played and prizes given.

Refreshments of cake, ice cream and punch was served to Mary Martin, Patricia Love, Delores Sasser, Elaine and Jr. Ledbetter, Sara and Jeanne Smith, Nell and Billy Wilkerson and Wesley Dale Burkhalter of Amarillo, the honoree, Patsy Ruth, and hostess, Mrs. Wilkerson.

Sending gifts were Mrs. H. C. Tucker and Mrs. Doc Turner.

Elementary PTA Plans Picnic

The Elementary Parent-Teacher Association opens its year's work with a get-acquainted picnic Monday evening, September 13, at 7:00 p. m. in Ellison Park, Mrs. John Rainey, president, announced this week.

This is a family affair, and is planned in order that families of elmentary students and the teachers of those grades may know each other.

Each family is asked to bring a basket lunch, plates and forks for itself.

Games will be played during the evening.

"We feel we have a good year ahead of us, with each one working with all others toward the best interest of our children and the school," Mrs. Rainey said.

Officers working with Mrs. Rainey this year are Mrs. Charles Allen, vice-president; Mrs. Bernice Welch, secretary, Mrs. Elvis Crawley, treasurer, and Miss Sara Jones, parliamentarian.

Committee members include: program and yearbook: Mrs. Gus Barton, Mrs. Bill McCarver and Mrs. Byron Duncan; budget and finance: Mrs. W. L. White, Mrs. Dan Henard; hispitality: Mrs. E. K. Jones, Mrs. Jack Ford; membership: Mrs. Herbert Bearden and Mrs. James Richardson; publicity: Mrs. Ray Peeples, Mrs. Lynn Carter and Mrs. Hubert Mauldin; historian, Mrs. Bill Roberts.

Meetings are held once each month, on the second Wednesday at 2:45 p. m. in room 16 at the elementary building.

Kenny Meriwether Birthday Honoree

Mrs. L. D. Meriwether honored her son, Kenny, with a party on his fourth birthday Saturday, Sept. 4.

The small guests played games, and later refreshments of birthday cake and ice cream were served.

Attending were Henry Wells, Nat Holton, Gary Mike Gulley, Mike Llorente, Mickey Ann Kendrick, Linda Winton, and Vickie Lou Bergvall, and the honor guest.

Quail Baptist WSM Re-organize

By MRS. G. T. STEPHENS

The Quail Baptist WMU was re-organized in a meeting at the parsonage with Mrs. Alvin Hamm as hostess on Tuesday, Aug. 24. Seven ladies were present. A nominating committee composed of Mrs. Roy Peggram, Mrs. A. L. Robinson and Mrs. E. T. Vaughn were appointed.

Again on Tuesday, August 31, a meeting was held in the home of Mrs. E. T. Vaughn. Mrs. Hamm presided and the committee presented new officers for the coming year. Officers elected were Mrs. Herman Moseley, president; Mrs. Paul Young, first vice president; Mrs. John Atkinson, second vice president; Mrs. Alvin Hamm, Young peoples director; Mrs. Delbert White, recording secretary; Mrs. Jim Lowe, corresponding secretary and treasurer; Mrs. Roy Peggram, community mission chairman; Mrs. R. A. Brown, mission study; Mrs. A. L. Robinson, stewardship.

Mrs. E. T. Vaughn, bible study; Mrs Jimmy Pegram, music and Mrs. Olene Jett, song leader. There were thirteen present for the meeting. Mrs. Ethel Atkinson attended as a guest.

TEL Class Has Bible Study and Program

Members of the TEL Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church met for a short program and Bible study Thursday, September 2.

Program numbers included a song, a prayer by Miss Doris White, the devotaional by Mrs. Joe West, and a special vocal number," Lord Lay Some Soul Upon My Heart" by Mrs. A. O. Sweat and Mrs. W. A. Morrow.

Mrs. J. F. Isaacs taught the Bible story.

Attending were Mesdames J. A. Lowe, Morrow, S. R. Davis, Sweat L. L. Easter, Issacs Stella West, R. S. Montague, L. D. McMinn, Arthur Hudson, C. H. Harrell, Noble Murray, West, V. J. Simpson and Miss White.

Ko Shari Honors Mrs. Jim Cochran

Friday afternoon, Sept. 3, in the Clyde Drake home the Ko Shari Horizon Club honored their sponsor, Mrs. Jimmy Cochran, with a surprise pink and blue shower. The club presented her with a bath-a-net.

Refreshments were served to Misses Carolyn Couch, Vada Bell, Frances Drake, Cynthia Watkins, Bette Elliott, Linda Singley Frankie Campbell, Nancy Elliott, Effie Spear, LaJuan Wilson, Mary Ann Hunter, Renee Thomason, Mrs. Horace Small, honoree Mrs. Jim Cochran and the hostess, Miss Elinor Drake.

Mrs. Jesse D. Burkhalter Named Honoree at Bridal Shower

Mrs. Jesse D. Burkhalter was honored at a bridal shower in the home of Mrs. J. M. Wattam Thursday, Sept. 2. Co-hostess with Mrs. Wattam were Mrs. Bob Stephenson, Mrs. Kenneth Maxwell, Mrs. Mike Burkhalter, Mrs. Ed Henard, Mrs. Melvin Zeck, Miss Nelda Scott and Miss Delores Ward.

The serving table was covered with a white crochet table cloth with an arrangement of pink roses as the centerpiece. Miss Scott presided at the crystal punch service.

Mrs. Maxwell registered the guests and Miss Ward showed the gifts.

Attending and sending gifts were: Memes. O. R. Spear, A. Y. Bell, Trusten Thomas, Jess Young Lena Miller, R. C. Patrick, Alton Abernathy, Fred Capps, Henry Langford, Lucille Burgess, J. D. Aaron, A. M. Saunders.

Mmes. Troy Marsh, W. L. Bailey B. C. Hackler, John Ingram W. A. Morrow, John Henard, Buford Chandler, Toots Somerville, Pete Scott.

Misses Barbara Hackler, Gayle Young, Gail Henard, and Barbara Zeck.

Family of Late T. M. Clay Holds Reunion Tuesday, August 31 at VFW Hall

By MRS. G. T. STEPHENS

A family reunion of the children of the late Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Clay was held in the VFW Hall in Wellington on Tuesday, August 31.

Relatives and friends arrived at the Hall Tuesday morning. The day was spent visiting one another In the afternoon the men played dominoes while most of the children enjoyed swimming at Marian Air Park Pool.

Dinner was served at noon and most of the guests ate supper before returning home Tuesday night.

This was the first reunion the Clay brothers and sisters had had in four years

Those attending were Rev. and Mrs. P. L. Arnold of Harlwood, Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Walker and sons of Silverton, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Clay of Muleshoe; Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Newman and son, Dewey, Mrs. Annie Craft all of Colton, Calif.; Mrs. Lloyd Langley, Paula, Pamlea and Sue of Shawnee, Oklahoma; Miss Darla Sue Saunders of Dumas; Wilbur E. Smith of Cactus;

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clay and children, Cleta, Lois, Jamisie, Reta and Herbie of Quail; Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clay, Peggy and Alvie of Hedley; Mr. and Mrs. Bill Fletcher and son, Lewis of Amarillo; Mr. and Mrs. Delbert White and son, Mark, Mr. and Mrs. Pat O'Hair of Quail; Mr. and Mrs. Earl Smith;

Mr. and Mrs. Short Saunders and children, J. C. Sue and Mrs. Troy Marsh all of Wellington Mr. and Mrs. Bert DeBord and daughter of Ashtola.

Birchfield-Patterson Rites Spoken at Clovis

In a quiet ceremony spoken August 27 in Clovis, N. M., Miss Mary Nell Birchfield, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Birchfield, became the bride of Billy Joe Patterson, son of Mrs. G. K. Patterson and the late Mr. Patterson.

Judge Sullivan, justice of the peace, officiated.

For her wedding, the bride chose a pink faille suit with black accessories. Her corsage was an orchid.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Patterson of Amarillo, brother and sister-in law of the groom, were the couple's attendants. The matron of honor wore a brown linen suit with matching accessories.

The bride attended Dodson and Quail schools and is a member of this year's senior class at the latter.

The groom attended school at Wellington and Quail and is now engaged in farming in the Buck Creek community.

Ko Shari Elects New Officers

In a meeting held Monday night, Aug. 30, in the home of Mrs. Horace Small, Cynthia Watkins was elected president of Ko Shari Horizon Club for the coming year. Other officers elected were: Sally Parsons, vice president; Frankie Sue Campbell, secretary treasurer; and Nancy Elliott, reporter.

Those attending the meeting were: Misses Watkins, Parsons, Campbell, Francis Drake, Vada Bell, Sherrie Bounds, Gail Love, Billie Sue Ward. LaJuan Wilson, Effie Spear, Elinor Drake, Bette Elliott, Linda Singley, Ada Carole Thomas, Mrs. Jim Cochran and Mrs. Horace Small.

LOCO

By MRS. GEORGE ADKINS

The farmers here are busy plowing up their excess cotton acres this week. The S. C. S. measuring crew from Childress has been checking fields here.

Mrs. Reynolds of Dodson, Mrs. Joe Stubblefield and children of Hale Center spent Friday with Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Durfey and family and Mrs. W. D. Durfey.

Mrs. G. D. Thompson and family of Morton visited the Durfey's Friday also.

Mr. and Mrs. Burl Brim have returned to Denver, Colorado to make their home after a visit here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Brim. Burl and Mary will attend college there.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bouchelle and family have moved to our community from Dallas. They live on the late M. Terry farm.

Mrs. J. H. McDaniel and Marilyn have returned from a two weeks visit in Fort Worth and Dallas. Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Preston and children brought them home and spent the week end here.

Mr. and Mrs. John Brim visited Mr. and Mrs George Adkins Sunday afternoon.

Mrs. G. K. Patterson and Mrs. Bill Blades of Buck Creek visited Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown and family Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Austin have returned from California. They reported the weather so cold you needed a coat most of the day.

Billy McDaniel is visiting in Ft. Worth and Dallas this week.

Kenneth Leathers, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Leathers and Dale Lockhart, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Lockhart left Sept. 2 for Air Force duty. They went to Amarillo and would receive field assignment there. They joined for four years.

Mrs. George Adkins and the Jack Brown family visited Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Scott in Wellington Tuesday.

Mrs. W. D. Durfey received a letter from Mrs. B. Hamman of San Angelo. She reported both Mr. and Mrs. Hamman are improving.

Some telephone trouble developed here Monday night when lightning struck a line, causing it to fall on a power line. No extensive damage was reported.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. King of Wellington and Rev. and Mrs. Marvin Clubb and children visited Mr. and Mrs. George Adkins Thursday.

The wings on the Loco Baptist Church were moved to Dodson Tuesday. A Baptist church there purchased them recently. The piano and stoves were also sold.

Mrs. J. T. Allison and Barry and Neva Jo Wolf spent Saturday and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Wolf.



Miss Scott, Pvt. Aaron To Marry October 31

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. (Pete) Scott have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Nelda, to Pfc. Calvin K. Aaron, the son of Mrs. J. D. Aaron and the late Mr. Aaron.

The wedding will take place Sunday, October 31, at three-thirty o'clock in the Church of Christ here. Minister G. B. Stanley will officiate.

Miss Scott has chosen Mrs. Kenneth Maxwell as her matron of honor, while Jack Aaron of Oklahoma City, cousin of the groom, will be the best man.

All friends of the couple are invited to attend.

Following the ceremony, a reception will be held at 910 Dallas Street.

Both the bride-and-groom-to-be are graduates of Wellington high school, and Pvt. Aaron is now stationed at Campbell Air Force Base, Fort Campbell, Kentucky.

Glazner Reunion Held Sunday

By Mrs. Nathan Thompson

The family of Mrs. S. J. Glazner of Samnorwood held a family reunion Sunday, September 5, in the home of a daughter, Mrs. Henry W. Fresicho of Amarillo. All her children were present for the occasion.

These included Mr. and Mrs. Nelson Lowe of Cooling, Calif.; Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Lowe of Oklahoma City; Warren Lowe of Clovis, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lowe of Amarillo; and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cunningham of Samnorwood.

Grandchildren attending were Mrs. Jodie McBrayer and children of Childress; Mr. and Mrs. James Cunningham of Whiteface; Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Ezell and children of Amarillo, George Cunningham and Bitsy Schaub of Samnorwood.

Dove Fry For Group Thursday

Mr. and Mrs. Mish Dukeminier and Mr. and Mrs. Bill McCarver were hosts at a dove fry Thursday evening, September 2, at the Dukeminier lodge northeast of town.

The evening was spent informally.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Lester Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hunter, Judy McCarver, Ann McCarver, and the hosts, Mr. and Mrs. Dukeminier and Mr. and Mrs. McCarver.

Busy Bee Club Meet With Mrs. J. L. Souder

The Swearingen Busy Bee Club met Wednesday Sept. 1, with Mrs. J. L. Souder Sr. as hostess. Two quilts were quilted.

Those present were Mmes. John Messer, L. G. Yarbrough, D. M. Jarrell, Jett Roberts, Alpha Adcock, George Creed, C. L. Harris, Frank Boyles, Elvis Pitts, and R. F. Harris. Visitor, Mrs. Mary Ellen Mitchell and the hostess, Mrs. J. L. Souder, Sr.

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Dedication Service Planned

Dodson Church Adds Educational Units

The South Baptist Church of Dodson has completed negotiations for the purchase of two educational units which were to be moved to Dodson this week, Rev. Bill Hendricks, pastor, announced.

The buildings were purchased from the Loco Baptist church and will give to the Dodson church eight rooms for use in an expanded program. Each unit is twenty by thirty-five feet and will be connected to the present church making a "U" shaped structure.

Dedication services will be announced later, upon the completion of the project.

"We feel that this additional space will be of great benefit as we carry on an enlarged program through our church. The rooms will provide space for Sunday School class rooms, training union rooms, a fellowship hall, a nursery, pastor's study, and other needed facilities." Rev Hendricks said.

LEGAL NOTICE

No. 332

AN ORDINANCE PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR VIOLATION OF PUBLIC UTILITIES RATE CHARGES, MAKING EACH CHARGE AND EACH DAY A SEPARATE VIOLATION AND DECLARING AN EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, the City Council of the City of Wellington, Texas, exercised its legislative authority and promulgated certain ordinances regulating rates to be charged within the City of Wellington by public utilities;

WHEREAS, the City Council has determined it adviseable that certain penalties be executed for charging by public utilities, rates for services other than those rates set by the City Council.

NOW THEREFORE BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF WELLINGTON:

SECTION 1: It shall be unlawful for any public utility, officer or employee of any public utility to assess or charge for services any rate other than the rate fixed by the City Council of the City of Wellington.

SECTION 2: Any violation of this ordinance by any public utility, officer or agent or employee of any public utility shall be a misdemeanor and upon conviction, subject the offender a fine of not less that Twenty Five Dollars ($25.00) and not more than Two Hundred Dollars ($200.00) and each day of such violation shall be a separate offence and each charge shall be a separate offense.

SECTION 3. A public utility, as set forth in this ordinance, means any individual, person, firm or corporation engaged in regularly supplying the public within the corporate limits of the City of Wellington, Texas, with some commodity or service which is of special consequences and need, such as the electricity, gas, transportation and telephone service.

SECTION 4: All ordinances or parts of ordinances in conflict herewith are repealed to the extent of the conflict.

SECTION 5: If any provision of this ordinance or the application thereof to any individual person, firm or corporation shall be held to be invalid, the remainder of this ordinance and the application of such provision to other individuals, persons, firms or corporations shall not be affected thereby.

SECTION 6: By reason of the fact that the City Council considers the adoption of this Ordinance necessary for the preservation of the public property, health, safety, and general welfare of the citizens of Wellington, it is hereby declared to be an emergency measure, rquiring that the stat ute rule prohibiting the passage of an ordinance or resolution on the same date that it is introduced be suspended, and that this ordinance shall take effect from and after its passage.

PASSED AND APPROVED this the 24th day of August, 1954.

Lester Hunter,
Mayor

ATTEST:
Jennie Holcomb,
City Secretary.

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Dodson Revival to Begin August 29

By MRS. A. V. LOWRIE

The Methodist church of Dodson will begin their revival meeting Sunday night, August 29. The pastor, Rev. John Fitzjerrel will do the preaching and Ted Parker will be in charge of music and singing.

The morning services will be held at 10:00 a. m, Monday through Friday and the evening services at 8:00 p. m. Sunday through Sunday night, Sept. 5.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend these services. A large number of young people are expected to help with the singing.

NOTICE OF HEARING
TO
APPROPRIATE PUBLIC
WATER OF THE
STATE OF TEXAS

Notice is hereby given to whom concerned, that Dan Henard, the postoffice address of whom is Wellington, Texas, on the 9th day of August, 1954, filed his application in the office of the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas, in which he applies for a permit to appropriate of the unappropriated waters of the State of Texas, from Panther Creek, a tributary of the Salt Fork of Red River, in Collingsworth County, Texas, not to exceed 100.8 acre feet of water per annum, for the irrigation of not to exceed 34.92 acres of land out of Section 70, H & G N R R Co. Survey, Block No. 11, in Collingsworth County, Texas, more fully described in said application; the water to be diverted by means of a portable pump. The proposed pumping stations are located at points which bear (1) South 58 degrees 30 minutes East 6260 feet and (2) South 49 degrees 41 minutes East 7060 feet from the Northwest corner of Section 70, H&GNRR Co. Survey, on the West bank of Panther Creek, in Collingsworth County, Texas, and is distant in a Northeasterly direction from Wellington, Texas, about ten (10) miles.

A hearing on the application of said DAN HENARD will be held by the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas, in the office of the Board at Austin, Texas, on Monday, October 11, 1954, beginning at ten o'clock A. M., at which time and place all parties interested may appear and be heard. Such hearing will be continued from time to time, and from place to place, if necessary, until such determination has been made relative to said application as the said Board of Water Engineers may deem right, equitable and proper.

Given under my hand by virture of the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas, at the office of the said Board at Austin, Texas, this the 9th day of August, 1954.

ATTEST:
Audrey Strandtman, Asst. Secy.

H. A. Beckwith
A. P. Rollins
O. F. Dent
Board of Water Engineers

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Thursday, September 9, 1954
EDITORIAL COMMENT — THE WELLINGTON LEADER

Dollars Spent At Home Bring Jobs, Prosperity To Whole Community

If every car, new suit of men's clothes, new hat, dress, shoes, radio sets, television sets, drugs, gasoline and tires, hardware, heating plants, produce and feed, groceries, printing and other items dser or needed in everyday living and business were to be bought from local suppliers, you would notice some of these things begin to happen:

Your local printer would have to add a man or two to handle the printing; your clothing dealer would need a extra clerk, maybe more; your filling stations would put on more men; your radio and TV dealers would need more help, and could offer even better services; your hardware and other hard lines dealers could and would expand their services; you auto dealers would sell more cars, more cars would require more servicing, and more mechanices—and so on down the list.

All these workers would come from the age bracket which is in the family-raising era... The average family, the census people say is 4.2 people. So multiply each job by 4.2 and you have a sizeable increase in our population.

More population means more students in our schools and the opportunity to add more courses and instruction, thus making the schools more attractive then ever. More population adds to the opportunities of our doctors and other professional people and merchants.

All by trading at home!

Think about this, you people who save a few dimes, or even a few dollars—or think you save them — when you buy or order away from home. A little of the Golden Rule applied right now, right here at home, would be the greatest shot in the arm the town could have.

So easy to do.

So much good it would do!

The dollar away from home does the community no good. Let the home fellows make a dollar. Eventually it benefits everyone.

Forget the grouses and gripes about "the other guy" for si months to a year. Spend your dollars at home. And within a year, you'd never know the old home town—in community understanding, improvement and general all around gains. The better the town gets and looks, the more others will want to come here. It's a circle that helps everyone.

The McClean County News (Calhoun, Ky.)

A. A.'s Help Themselves Adding Others

Members of Alcoholics Anonymous speak of themselves as "drunks." This tells a lot about them. It reveals in one word their wholesome pride and freedom from pretense and sense of humor. They never use the term "ex-drunk," because they are convinced an alcoholic never overcomes completely his built-in chemical property of exploding on contract with alcohol.

These confessed drunks are a happy breed. They have got far enough inside themselves to know how to get outside themselves. They have put the terrible past in its place and are troubled by no anxieties about the future. They live in the present as purposeful men and women.

Six of these men met back in 1945 at a public meeting of A. A. in New Britain. No one of them knew why the others were there. When they found all were alcoholics, they decided to form an A. A. group in Southington. Now that group has 30 to 40 participants.

The group has become a constructive force in the Community. Its members are dedicated to their cause, because they understand what it means in human terms. They see the A. A. as a bundle of groceries for an anguished family, a name erased from the police blotter, a life saved on the highway, a job restored, a bill paid at the corner store, a new face in church. No wonder they find great satisfaction in keeping sober and helping others as they have helped themselves.

A. A. will open its doors to non-alcoholics at a meeting on March 20. It will be well worth attending. These meeting seem to run themselves. The program chairman has no problem, since each speaker has a story to tell and knows how to tell it. The stories are more entertaining by far than the tales told by after-dinner speakers, because A .A. never runs out of fresh material.

The Southington (Conn.) News

Why Patrolmen Like 'Speedy' Arrests

We hear some comment on what is apparently the common practice of police officers in attempting—if at all possible—to run down and immediately arrest the traffic offender.

There are stories of police officers and patrolmen following the traffic offender at speeds of 80 and 90 miles per hour.

Comment is frequently made that in the interest of safety, the pursing officer should be satisfied simply to take the license number of the car involved and wait for the culprit to arrive at his home and there place him under arrest.

That sounds good in theory. But when this policy is followed it is indeed difficult to make a case that will stand up in court. Usually when the person is arrested, he denies any knowledge of the violation and declares that either his car was stolen or that someone else was driving it.

So there is good reason for the pursuit which our peace officers sometimes make. But we hope with care.

The Citizen (Iowa Falls, Ia.)

Sportsmen Should Get To Know Farmers

It's a long time until November, but now is the time for sportsmen to lay the groundwork for some pheasant hunting.

Good sportsmen realize that there is more to good farmer-sportsmen relations than just asking permission to hunt once a year and letting it go at that. They are the hunters who keep in touch with the farmers, even if it is little more than dropping in to say "hello."

In some cases. Iowa sportsmen are giving the farmer a hand with the fencing, wildlife planting and other game-producing activities that are in their interests.

Most farmers are good "guys" when you get to know them. And, if you are a farmer, the same thing goes for sportmen.

This is the time to get together, not on opening day. Get acquainted with your farmer host now—it'll pave the way for a better pheasant season. And who knows? Maybe you'll make a friend.

The Decorah (Ia.) Public Opinion

Strictly Fresh

Sun-bathing organization in convention at Battle Creek, Mich., has selected a "Mr. and Mrs. Sunshine." Shucks, we nude it all the time.

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County Fair judges who take on the task of determining whose strawberry preserves are the best will soon be in a jam.

No One Made It Yet





The Buck Creek Philosopher

....Editor's notes The Buck Creek Philosopher on his Johnson Grass farm on Buck Creek is being swept off his feet by a news article, his letter this week reveals. Probably doesn't like to stay on his feet anyway.

Dear editar:

One of the best pieces of news I've ever read turned up out here yesterday in a copy of a newspaper which I had used to spread out on the ground under my tractor while I was workin on it. I was tinkerin with the crankcase drain when I glanced down and saw the headline on this article and since it was fairly shady where I was I just stayed stretched out under the tractor and read it, knowin there wasn't any danger of oil drippin on me as the crankcase has been empty since week before last when I drained it to get enoug oil to drive my car to town, and in case I ever need to use the tractor, I'll switch back. Never did believe in hoardin oil.

Accordin to the article, the government needs about 200 inventions to improve different phases of the armed services, and has sent out an emergency appeal to the American public, askin us to get busy.

That's just the kind of a job I've been lookin for, and I will accept.

With the government shy on inventions for the army and long on agricultural products, I can't see any sense in farmin in August, pilin up more surpluses and gettin the price support program so flexible it's limber-legged, and will get to work on this new assignment immediately.

I don't know what I can invent, but the hours and the working conditions suit me fine and I got confidence the government will treat me right in the way of salary.

Workin with your brain beats workin with a tractor all to pieces. Doesn't take any lubricatin oil, no sharp turns at the fence row, ain't stirrin up any dust, aint addin to the surpluses, and you can do it stretched out under a tree in the shade.

Up to now, I've had difficulty convincin some people I wasn't loafin when I was out here on my farm hunched over in deep thought recognizin that unless we solve the world problems there may not be too much point in farmin anyway, but with this new job of inventin, a whole lot less naggin ought to take place. If there's ane thing an inventor needs, it's peace and quiet.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

Crossroads Report

Dear Editor:

A lot of little mysteries crop up in life, such as who got the cookies when nobody went near the kitchen, and who gave McCarthy the FBI report. Sometimes you can find a crumby face, but other times these things never do get solved, and sometimes it is just as well.

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The Army claims none of its officers are even Pink, and that none of them gave McCarthy any secret documents. Looks like, after Congress has made an officer and a gentleman out of a man, the Army never turns its back on him unless he gets the idea that he wants to win a war.

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Got to discussing this matter with a coffee-cubicle neighbor the other day and we decided that likely the reason the Army itself never did anything with the FBI report on subversives at Fort Monmouth is that the document got stamped with such a deep secret classification that nobody had rank enough to read it.

D. E. SCOTT
Crossroads, U. S. A.

Miss Jean Tarter is visiting Miss Nancy Lewis in Gastonia, North Carolina. Both girls will return to Abilene the 14th of September where they will be seniors in ACC.

Relatives visiting in the A. M. Saunders home this week end were Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Broughton of Big Spring, Vikkie Ann Saunders of Wellington, and Pvt. Hubert M. Saunders of El Paso.

Bible Comment
For Sept. 12

The Bible Reflects All Eras of History

One of the things that has made the Bible's Old Testament so vitally related to human experience, and so persistent in its symbolism, is the fact that every phase of what has happened, and what is happening, to humanity is somewhere found in the record.

Periods and episodes of great ness, prosperity and splendor are interspersed in that history with periods of depression, deep suffering, and utter destruction.

What is amazing is that ancient history, surveyed against present-day events and conditions, often reads very much like the Twentieth Century. The oppression of the Jews by a hostile Pharaoh in Egypt can be compared with Hitler's attempt utterly to annihilate the Jews in Germany, and to extend that annihilation to every part of the world that he hoped to conquer.

So the Old Testament Scriptures have interest, vividness and significance for discerning readers to day, that escapes those who have read them only as records of the past.

What is most deeply significant in those Scriptures, however, is that out of, and in, a world of slavery and bondage, they not only contain the essential idea of freedom, but they reveal the hope, power and persistent spirit of survival.

Not only is it significant that the spirit of freedom persists in a world of bondage, but religiously there is the miracle of the survival of faith, and the aspiration for truth and righteousness.

Despite the deep-dyed sins of nation and individuals, what shines forth is a pure and perfect aspiration for God, and a sublime devotion to the commonwealth.

T. P. Belew and family and Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Belew and family of Houston spent the week end with their mother, Mrs. Fannie Belew and brothers, Arthur Belew and family and Herman Belew and family.



"RULES OF THE ROAD" EXPLAINED

With the death-laden Labor Day weekend and the usual series of football weekends coming up, the thoughts of many Texans are turning toward traffic safety. There can be no doubt but that a better acquaintance among drivers with the "rules of the road" and other traffic safety regulations could greatly reduce the death toll of our highways.

To obtain correct and authoritative information about driving is a simple matter. A letter or postcard to the Department of Public Safety, Driver's License Division, Austin, Texas, will bring an official publication, the "Texas Driving Handbook," to anyone who requests it.

Aside from consideration s of personal safety, proper driving habits and observance of traffic laws will help prevent financial loss. This is true in spite of the fact that most people now carry liability insurance as a protection under the Texas "Drivers Responsibility Act." Jury verdicts in personal injury cases tend to go higher and higher, and the likelihood of suffering an adverse judgement for an amount in excess of the limits of your liability policy is ever present.

Fault, or liability, is determined by applying the law to the particular facts of an accident. In Texas the law is in several forms —the statutes as enacted by the Legislature, the ordinances of each city and town, and the court decisions in cases similar to the one to be decided.

A negligent or intentional act is necessary in order to impose legal liability for damages. Where both parties to an accident are negligent, the court will very likely say that both are at fault, and that each must pay for his own damages.

Two of the most important legal rules pertaining to accidents are those having to do with "proper look-out" and "proper control". Driving in a lawful manner and complying with all ordinary traffic rules is not always sufficient. In addition, the driver is expected by law to be alert to all that is happening around him.

If an accident should occur and the driver has not been alert—has failed to keep a proper look-out—he may be charged with "improper look-out" as a traffic violation and also held liable in damages to the other driver. The courts call a "proper look-out" such a look-out as a reasonably prudent driver would have kept under the same circumstances.

Of equal importance is the rule of "proper control." This rule means pretty much what those words imply—that the driver should have his car under such degree of control as to be ready for any emergencies as might arise. It may be breached even though no violation of ordinary traffic laws is involved.

For instance, a driver may be complying with the legal speed limit but still be driving at a rate of speed which is unsafe under the existing circumstances.

Even though legal speed limits are expressed in terms of a certain number of miles per hour, conditions may arise which prevent the driver from maintaining "proper control" of his automobile at that speed. On a rainy day on a slick street or highway, or in heavy traffic, the reasonably prudent driver will know that he should reduce his speed considerably below the legal maximum.

(This column based on Texas law, is written to inform—not to advise. No person should ever apply or interpret any law without the aid of an attorney who knows the facts, because the facts may change the application of the law.)

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy King of Oklahoma City visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Willis King and family over the week end.

Douglas Little of Dallas spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Little Sr.

Looking Ahead With George S. Benson

AN AMERICAN'S OBLIGATION

Above the pall of gloom that hovers over our world today there is a road sign pointing to a brighter future for all mankind. The road sign says: "This way to Truth." Millions upon millions of the world's population have been shoved off the road-way to truth by Socialists and Communists who circulate propaganda falshoods. A substantial number of our own American citizens have let themselves be led off the road-way, unaware that the attractive detours of the Socialists are dangerous.

The central truth we need to establish first of all is the moral "rightness" of our American principles. Secondly, we must establish in the minds of all citizens the true facts about the relatively larger degree of material welfare which our American system produces. Every American today owes a major obligation to the task of preserving the heritage that made him free and which produces his comparative abundance. In my opinion he cannot have an easy conscience unless he spends some time each week on the following duties of American citizenship.

CITIZENSHIP DUTIES

1. Understand the American way of life, and what makes it tick.

2. Understand Communism, its basic godless philosophy, its irrevocable goal, its insidious tactics and cunning strategy.

3. Understand Socialism, and all the cunning disguises in which it presents itself to the American people.

4. Understand propaganda techniques as used by both the Communists and the Socialists.

5. take an interest in your public schools and your private and public financed colleges. Take an interest in what's being taught and how it's being taught. Take an interest in the welfare of the teachers who have given so much, and who have received so little of the benefits of the private enterprise system.

POLITICAL ACTION

6. Become active in government. Run for local, state and national office, or help select capable people of the highest integrity to serve. Be constantly vocal on all local and national political issues. Particularly, tell you Congressman and the President that you want the federal budget balanced, created that will not penalize success and thus smither the dynamic inventive element in our economic system.

7. Strive constantly for spiritual growth. There isn't a problem on earth that cannot be cured by the practice of Christianity. When all is said and done, the Bible holds the answer. We, as individuals, can push the world along toward mankind's highest destiny if each of us makes the welfare of our fellowman our first concern.

8. And lastly, dedicate a part of your everyday life to bringing these duties of American citizenship to the attention of your fellow workers, your neighbors, your friends.

THE CHALLENGE

If we do these things we will be fulfilling our obligation to freedom. It is a lot to ask that we do these things? If we think so we ought to read again the history of the founding of this nation and see and feel the hardships overcome by people who made our freedom possible. They felt that no challenge was too great, no sacrifice too severe, if freedom was at stake That spirit carried them on. It is our heritage. We have seen it flare up and burn brightly in every national emergency, at home and abroad.

The Socialist and the Communists, the welfare staters and the economic planners would like to see it extinguished. If each of us rises to the occasion, if every man and woman in America will accept the challenges of citizenship, the Socialists of all hues and colors will not prevail, and America will remain strong so that she can lead the world toward the highest fulfillment of man's purpose on earth.

Ticklers By George



"Haven't you heard? Joe here is going to Chicago to be a big TV star. He says he's a cinch to get on 'Welcome Traveler.'"

Wellington Leader

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Approximately A Hundred Enroll

Students Leave for Colleges, Universities of Southwest

Collingsworth County students make Texas their choice when they select the colleges and universities in which to continue their education.

This week nearly a hundred of these young people begin their trek back to school, some for the first time, but most are returning for their second, third, and fourth years, and an additional group is continuing studies in the professions beyond their bachelors degrees.

Hardin Simmons University at Abilene draws these students: Jim Leggitt, will be a sophomore, and also, he will work part time for the West Texas Utilities Co. Tanya Smith will also enroll as a sophomore. Betty Karnes, this year's graduate, is a recepient of a Couch Scholarship and will enroll as a freshman.

Also going to Abilene, to enroll in Abilene Christian College, are Carroll Duncan, who will again be a member of the football team, Ronald Coleman, Renee Thomason, Jerry Drummond, Fred Alexander and Mona Jean Tarter. Donald Green and Mary Bess McKinney will enroll as freshmen.

At McMurry College, Abilene, will be James Glasscock, ministerial student.

West Texas State will draw students from all parts of the county: Joe Raburn and Gene Baird will return from Wellington. Billy Ray Alexander goes from Samnorwood and Garland Fielding from Quail Both graduated from Clarendon Junior College in the spring. Fayteen Peeples of Quail will enroll as a freshman. Jo Helen White of Quail will be a sophomore, and Gene Peggram an upper classman. Jeanette Swift of Dodson, a spring graduate who went to summer school, goes back for the regular term. Howard Lee will enroll from Wellington, as will Bing Crosby, and Lawrence Overcast returns from Samnorwood.

Texas Tech, Lubbock will have its usual large enrollment from here. Doug Duncan is due to play football with the Red Raiders, enrolling as a freshman. Bill Warrick, Sue Crawford and Marilyn Dickey also go as freshmen, while upperclassmen will be Jerry Reeves, Ludean Perkins, Tommy Beam, Jack Hunter, Jim Thompson, Mary Jane Johnson and Priscilla Baumgardner. Bob Baxter will enroll from Samnorwood. Elizabeth Wilson returns from Quail.

Joan Aaron, '54 Wellington graduate, will attend Draughon's Business College in Amarillo.

Bill Gardner, also this year's graduate, will enroll in Eastern New Mexico University at Portales.

Two Rocket grid stars of last year, Edward Bawcom and Doolen Starkey, will enroll at Sul Ross State College, Alpine, and again will play football.

More than the usual number of students will be attending the University of Texas from Wellington. Elinor Drake and Camal Dakil will enroll as freshmen, while James F. LeDerer, Fred Saied, Phil Handley, Barbara Wells and Jocelyn are return-students. city men who attended college before enlisting for regular terms in the U. S. Navy, will be in the University, Louie Beam, who will do graduate study, and Lonnie Hollingsworth, an undergraduate. Walter Johnson,, out of the Navy last week, goes on to enroll at the University.

Claude Caperton Jr. of Dozier will be in his final year at the University of Texas School of Denistry at Houston.

Four Wellington boys go to A &M this year: Spencer Coleman, Jack Tarter and Don Lacy return to classes, while Lynn Couch will be a freshman.

Jean Stingle will be a sophomore in Baylor University, Waco.

Two Quail area students will be in Wayland College, Plainview: Wallace Blassingame and Sonja Atkinson.

Returning to Bethany Peniel College, Bethany, Oklahoma, are Harold Wayne Moore, Roberta Posey, Grazelle Scott, Glennafred Yarbrough, and Jannine Crawford.

George Stephens of Quail is returning to Texas Wesleyan College, Fort Worth.

Peggy Jeffers will be a sophomore in Howard County Junior College, Big Spring.

Draughon's Business College in Oklahoma City will have two Quail students, A. C. Price and Jimmy Langford.

Mr. and Mrs. Farrell Kent will enroll in Howard Payne College, Brownwood, transferring from Ranger Junior College.

Ranger Junior College will have three former Rockets, all by the name of Woods, and all on this year's Ranger Rangers football team. They are Lonnie, Tommy and Seldon—with Tommy as one of the Ranger captains.

Two Dodson pastors are continuing their studies, while continuing full time pastorial work. The Rev. Bill Hendricks will work toward an advanced degree at Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary, Fort Worth, while the Rev. J. M. Fitzjerrel will continue his studies at Clarendon College.

Mrs. Lawrenec Warrick of Wellington and Jasper Peeples of Quail will continue their work at Clarendon also George Cunningham of Samnorwood will enroll as a freshman. Donald Kennedy and Norman Kennedy will go from Quail.

Thurman Taylor and Goldia Tippie, both of Samnorwood, will attend Midwestern University, Wichita Falls.

Enrolled for their final year in the University of Texas Medical School in Galveston will be Ansel McDowell and V. C. Saied.

Jackie Powers of Dodson already has enrolled in a beauty school in Amarillo, and Kenneth Wynn is attending an Amarillo business college.

James Posey of Wellington is beginning his study in the University of Oklahoma Law School at Norman. Winifred Bickerstaff will enroll as a freshman at O. U.

Going to North Texas State College are eGorgia Ann Durfey and Jimmy Agee.

Mary Carol Smith and Beatrice Hutchins will attend TSCW in Denton.

There will be other Collingsworth boys and girls who decide at the last minute which of the many fine colleges in the southwest they will attend during the coming nine moths.



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

PERSONAL

Rev. and Mrs. J. H. Ward and family of Ft. Worth visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Ward, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Roberts and other friends and relative over the week end.

Mrs. John Tribble of Tucumcari, New Mexico spent last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. White. Mr. Tribble came after her and spent the week end.

Orvell Wells of Dallas spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse D. Burkhalter of Odessa visited over the week end with their parents Mr. and Mrs. Mike Burkhalter and Mrs. Toots Somerville and other relatives.

Mrs. Pearl Hill of Amarillo spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ball.

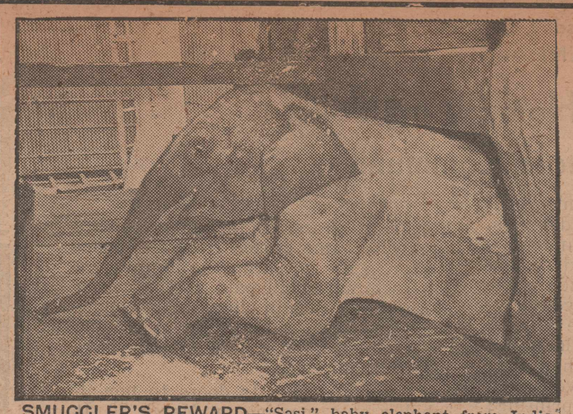
George, Rose and Marie Shadid visited Mr. and Mrs. John Shadid in Vernon Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Possum Lowry, Mr. and Mrs. Boyd Neal Lowry of Meridian, and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Williams and children of Dallas visited last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Ben Lowry.

Mrs. Vernon Smith and children of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Arville Mullins and Danny Joe, and Mrs. J. T. Horton of Amarillo visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Horton and other relatives in Wellington over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anderson Mr. and Mrs. Clark Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Crawley, Mrs. Pink Sullivan and Miss Sue Anderson attended a wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Benson in Shamrock Sunday night.

Sam Holcomb of San Luis Obispo, Calif is spending a week with with his mother, Mrs. Jennie Holcomb.



SMUGGLER'S REWARD—"Sasi," baby elephant from India, tried to smuggle her trunk through customs when she arrived in New York aboard the steamer Oluf Maersk. The attempt of the four-year-old to break from her stall was thwarted.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gilbert of Dumas were here for Labor Day visiting with friends and looking after their home.

Mrs. A. L. Cochran is attending the gift show in Dallas this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coles of Fort Worth were guests over the Labor Day holidays of Mr. and Mrs. John Sherman and daughters.

Earl Green of Ft. Worth visited Mr. and Mrs. Allen Graves over the week end.

Mrs. Burton Springer and children returned home to New Orleans after visiting her brother near Paris, Texas and husband who is on the job at Baytown, Texas. Mr. and Mrs. Fred Capps and Mrs. Springer and family visited in New Mexico recently with Mrs. Capps brother and nephew and families.

Linda Kay Lacy of Amarillo is visiting her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. I. H. Doebner this week. She is nine months old and the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Lacy.

Mrs. Haskel Boyer of Ft. Worth visited her sister, Mrs. Bill Langford over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Saied and Mrs. Larson and son, Bud of Galveston visited Mr. and Mrs. Mack Saied Sr. over the week end. Mrs. Larson is Mrs. V. C. Saied's mother.

H. E. Sherwood of Oklahoma City visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Horn, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Hurst and Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Cocke last week end.

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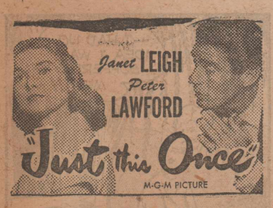
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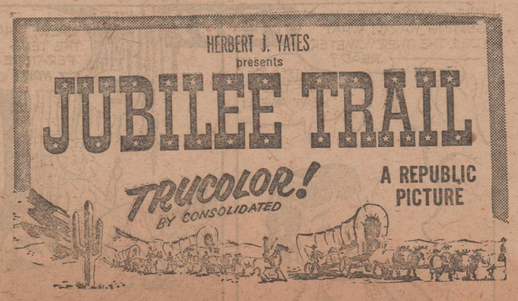
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The picture in which William Holden won the prize as top actor of 1953.

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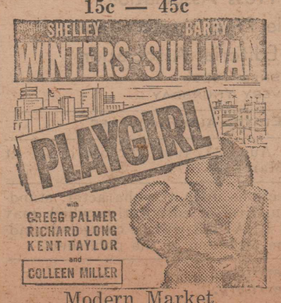
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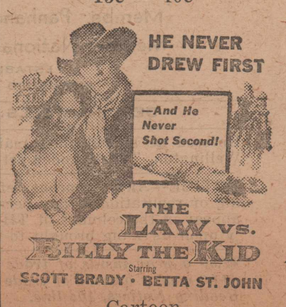
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Rural Population Losing, But Rural Life Improving

Austin—Most of Texas' rural areas are losing population but rural life is improving, Assistant Professor Wilfred C. Bailey of the University of Texas declares.

Latest U. S. census figures show only the irrigation-farming sections of the Texas Panhandle and Lower Rio Grande Valley recorded rural population gains.

That means prosperity for all areas, Bailey says. Farming prospects in the Panhandle and Valley are improving. In other rural sections, farms have become larger and marginal lands have been turned into grazing pastures.

Better roads and transportation have caused larger villages and towns to grow as shopping centers for the larger-farm owners, Bailey explains. Operators of small marginal farms have found better-paying jobs in the shopping centers.

Only the smaller villages have suffered from the change, he says. With today's highways and motor vehicles, a purchaser who once had only time to drive 10 miles to a store now is willing to drive from 30 to 50 miles to shop.

New industries in smaller cities also are improving living conditions in many rural areas, allowing farmers to work in factories also, Bailey pointed out. An anthropologist, Bailey has made many studies of changing social, economic and cultural conditions in rural areas.

Oil and Gas News

Assignment of oil and gas lease: O. J. Walker to Dr. Douglas F. Barkley, Austin, the north half of section 31, block 12, given by Mrs. Nola Ketner.

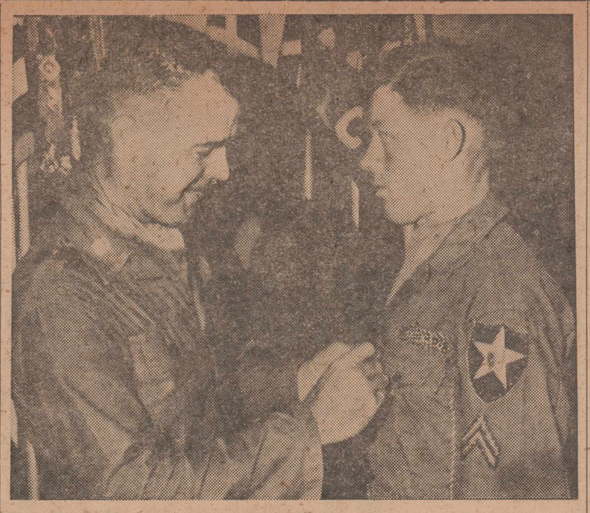
Assignment: Frank Newman to Lyn E. Davis, the northwest quarter of section 97, block 11, owned by Charley Hill and wife, Myrtle Hill.

Release: Sinclair Oil and Gas Corp. to Mrs. Mildred Starr, guardian to the estate of Mary John and Patricia Starr, lease covering the south half of section 49, block 21.

Release: Sinclair Oil and Gas Corp. to Mrs. M. A. Branum lease covering 160 acres in the west part of section 26, block 10.

Release: Sinclair Oil and Gas Corp. to C. A. Kesler and wife, the west 80 acres of the southeast quarter of section 33, block 10.

Assignment of Oil and Gas lease O. J. Walker to Sol Smith 913 Brawn Building, Austin, the south east quarter of section 38, block 16, owned by Rufust Sweat and wife, L. C. Sweat.



AREA MAN DECORATED
Cpl. Earl Bridges of Shamrock, Texas, receives the Commendation Ribbon in Korea from Major Herbert L. Garris, commanding officer of the 2d Infantry Division's 12th Field Artillery Battalion. Bridges, whose wife, Virginia, lives on Route 2, was decorated for mertorious service as a vehicle mechanic with the battalion. Son of Mr. and Mrs. Elisha Bridges, he entered the Army during October 1952 and joined the division the following May.
(U. S. Army Photo)

Legal Notices

NOTICE OF INTENTION TO ISSUE REFUNDING BONDS
THE STATE OF TEXAS:
COUNTY OF COLLINGSWORTH:

In compliance with the provisions of Chapter 163, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-second Legislature of Texas, 1931, as amended, NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that it is the intention of the Commissioners Court of Collingsworth County, Texas, to pass an order at the regular term of said court on October 11, 1954, authorizing the issuance of COLLINGSWORTH COUNTY ROAD AND BRIDGE REFUNDING BONDS, in the maximum amount of $28,000.00, for the purpose of refunding, canceling and in lieu of a like amount of "Collingsworth County Road and Bridge Warrants, Series of 1953," dated November 15, 1953; said refunding bonds to bear interest at a rate not to exceed four (4 0/0) per cent per annum, and to mature serially, with a maximum maturity date not later than thirteen (133 years from their date.

THIS NOTICE is given in pursuance of an order passed by the Commissioners' Court of Collingsworth County, Texas, on the 31st day of August, 1954.

R. L. Templeton,
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Collingsworth County, Texas.
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Traffic Control Always Begins at Your Wheel

"Traffic control begins at your wheel."

Col. E. B. Tilley of Houston, President of the Texas Safety Association, and Services Advisor for the Gulf Oil Corporation explained in these words today the importance of the individual driver in maintaining safety on the nation's streets and highways.

Col. Tilley, who was speaking in connection with the July traffic safety program being sponsored by the Texas Safety Association, the Texas Department of Public Safety and the National Safety Council, said that laws and official highway signs can be effective aids to traffic safety only if drivers heed them.

"The theme of this July safety effort, 'vacation driving,' is especially appropriate to the month when so many motorists will be taking holiday trips," he said. "With increased travel on the roads, it becomes increasingly important to drive with caution and courtesy."

"Experience of past years," he said, "has shown that more traffic accidents occur during July and August, when travel is great, than in the earlier months of the year.

"One tangible way that drivers can contribute to safety, and help keep down the accident rate, is to know the 'signs of life' and obey them," Col. Tilley said.

"These 'signs of life,' he explained are traffic signs that state the law and warn motorists of potential dangers on the road ahead."

"The five basic sign shapes used for 'signs of life' are extremely helpful to drivers," he said, "for each shape bears one distinctive type of message, making recognition easy."

"Another important safety job for vacationing motorists," he said, "is to learn the traffic laws of areas through which they expect travel."

"Laws vary from state to state and from region to region," he said. "Drjving in these areas without proper knowledge of the law can cost a vacationist his life."

He advised travelers, before they leave home, check with police or motor clubs to get information on vacation-land traffic laws.

"A third vital factor in safe vacation motoring is the practice of courtesy behind the wheel," Col. Tilley said. He urged all drivers to follow the July slogan of the Texas Safety Association, the Texas Department of Public Safety, and the National Safety Council, "Vacation Time — Make Courtesy Your Code of the Road," and also to recognize and acknowledge the courteaus highway acts of others.

"By observing traffic signs and signals, learning traffic laws and practicing courtesy," he said, "motorists will go a long way toward making our streets and highways safer for vacationists and all other drivers and pedestrians."

Texas Draft Quota For October 1,122

AUSTIN, The state draft quota for October calls for the induction of 1,122 Texans into the armed forces, Brigadier General Paul L. Wakefield, state Selective Service director, said Wednesday.

A total of 2,630 men from 69 of the 137 state draft boards will be sent for combined and physical and mental examinations in October, also, General Wakefield said.

"The 69 boards receiving calls for examinations have the largest number of older registrants not examined," the state Selective Service director explained when asked why other boards received no calls for examination.

Local board quotas for the October induction call and October physical examinations are scheduled to be mailed to the boards during the first week in September.

The 1,122 October quota is Texas's share of a national call for 23,000 men during that month. National quotas, beginning with the July call, have been up from the average of 18,000 a month for several previous months.

"More men are being inducted because the armed services need to replace more men getting out during the present fiscal year," General Wakefield said. "Inductions and enlistments credited to this state are currently exceeding separations," he added.

Instructions received with the October quota call for induction of men 20 years old and older, with drafting of men below that age being authorized only if the call cannot be filled with older men.

Latest available figures show that 21 out of every 100 men being inducted in Texas are under 20, but all are volunteers for induction.



TEACHER'S PET—St. Petersburg, Fla., teacher Adrian Davis holds "Quito," a South American woolly monkey, who will be one of the main attractions in the biology class at St. Petersburg high school. The nine-year-old monkey will be used in connection with anatomy studies.

Post Korea Vets Have Three Years To Begin Training

Post-Korean veterans now have three years from the date of their discharge to start Korea GI Bill training under a new law signed by the President August 20, 1954, Robert W. Sisson, manager of the Veterans Administration Regional Office at Lubbock, Texas, announced today.

Particularly benefited are the majority of veterans discharged before August 20, 1952. Under the old law, they had to start training before last Friday, August 20, 1954; but, since most fall terms begin after that date, those unable to get in training before the deadline line would have lost their entitlement, Sisson stated.

The new law, which re-established their entitlement for another year from separation, permits those with extended deadlines to enroll for the fall term this year.

For veterans discharged after August 20, 1952, the new law allows them to start training within three years of their separation date. Under the old law, they had only two years.

But veterans separated before August 20, 1951, still will not be able to make fall terms. Neither will veterans separated shortly after that date, whose three-year deadlines end before the 1954 school year begins.

Another section of the law benefits some disabled veterans who have not been able to begin or complete training under Public Law 16, a special vocational training program for the disabled of World War II and Korea. These veterans get a four-year extension in their deadline for completing training.

Veterans desiring further information should contact their nearest Veterans Administration office, Sisson concluded.

Clarendon College Enrollment Sept. 7

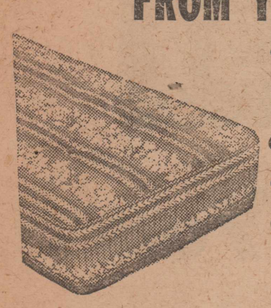
Enrollment in Clarendon College will be held Tuesday, September 7, President H. W. Truitt announced this week.

Present plans are to run the college bus from Samnorwood through Wellington and Quail if there is sufficient number from these communities attend the college.

All students from the county planning to attend and ride the bus are asked to contact the college, prior to enrollment is possible.

The bus was run through last year and college authorities felt it was most successful.

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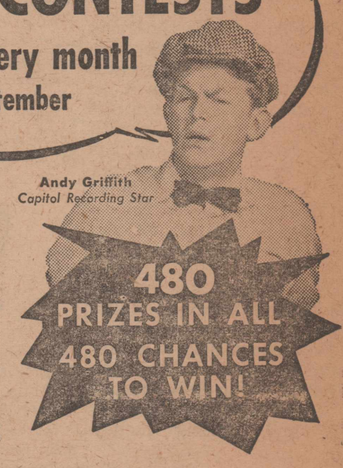
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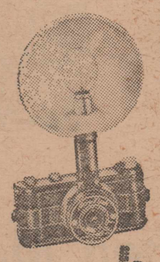


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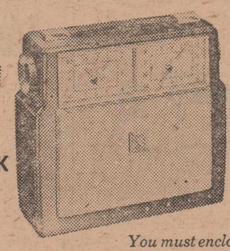
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Enter as many times as you like but include 3 SunCrest Orange Bottle Tops with each entry. All entries received before midnight July 31st judged in 1st Contest; midnight August 31st in 2nd Contest; midnight Sept. 30th, 3rd Contest.
Anyone may enter except employees of the National NuGrape Company, their bottlers, advertising agency or their families.
Use this entry blank, any sheet of paper or an entry blank from your SunCrest dealer. Entries judged on basis of originality, sincerity and aptness of thought. Judges' decisions are final. Duplicate prizes awarded in case of ties.

All entries become property of National NuGrape Company, and none will be returned. All winners will be notified. Contest subject to all federal, state and local laws. Valid only where state laws allow.

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Traffic Signs Can Be The Signs of Life

The Texas Safety Association is talking this month about a Signs of Life traffic safety program.

The title is a catchy one, but more than that, the program is important to the business of saving lives on our streets and highways. With last year's traffic death toll at 38,300 there is certain need for improvement on the part of every individual driver and pedestrian.

The signs of life program focuses attention on the importance of knowing and obeying traffic signs and signals. The main point of emphasis is placed on the five basic traffic sign shapes and their individual meanings.

The Signs of Life program points up the need for a universal sense of individual responsibility in the fight for life on our highways.

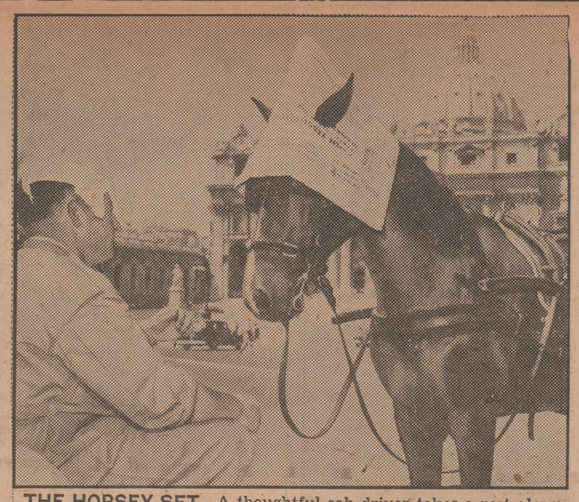
A knowledge of traffic signs, signals and pavement markings will help save lives. The fact that the fight for life on our highways.

A knowledge of traffic signs, signals and pavement markings will help save lives. The fact that the eight-sided traffic sign always says "Stop" and nothing else is of more than academic interest. Any driver approaching such a sign can know immediately what its message will be long before he can see the wording.

The other basic traffic sign shapes include the oblong signs that state traffic laws and regulations; Diamond-shaped warning signs that tell of dangerous or unusual conditions ahead; round signs that indicate the approach to a highway intersection.

If motorists—and pedestrians—will take this to heart this month's Signs of Life message being sponsored in Texas by the Texas Safety Association, the Texas Department of Public Safety and the National Safety Council, we CAN reduce traffic accidents.

"Know your Signs of Life" is good advice for everyone—the only thing that's asked is that we put that advice to work for us personally every time we use our streets and highways.



THE HORSEY SET—A thoughtful cab driver takes a rest along with his horse during a hot day in Rome. The owner fashioned the stylish hat for the horse out of a newspaper, while a handkerchief serves as a topper for the man. In the background is St. Peter's Basilica.

Rockets Open—

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Bob Metcalf, 145 pound guard; Dale Orr, 155 pound center; and Kenneth and Keith White, 140 pound twin halfbacks.

Other boys due to see action at Powell field Friday are Terry Byrd, Ferrell Roles, Joey Shelby, Bill Story, and Dale Fourducey, all sophomores; Bob Bartlett, Bill Tom Cunningham, Neil Hollis, Don Richardson, David Riley and Gene Hay, juniors, and Jerry Birdwell, Bill Hager and Macky Wright, seniors.

The Tigers have been picked for seventh place in their district, only one place higher than Sayre, a new member of the 1-A district.

Application—

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command the respect and confidence of patron of the post office.

Applicants must take a written test. Those who pass will be assigned final ratings on the basis of this test and on their experience, ability, and character. There is a 1-year residence requirement and applicants must be at lease 25 years of age and must not have passed their sixth-third birthday.

Complete information about the examination requirements and instructions for filing applications may be obtained at the post office for which this examination is being announced. Application forms must be filed with the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington, 25, D. C. and must be received or postmarked not later than the closing date.

Big Benefit—

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advertising in the Wellington Leader.

A man's hat, an all wool blanket, a shampoo and set, an electric pop-up toaster, certificate for developing and printing 2 rolls films, a set of seat covers.

Rotary Hoe Chops Cotton at 18 mph

College Station—Speed is important in modern farming operations. It means covering large acreages in a hurry and before weeds and grass have taken over a crop. For several years cotton farmers have been rotary hoeing at speeds up to six miles an hour, but this spring, H. E. Rae, a Texas Agricultural Experiment Station agronomist, has literally made a race track out of his cotton patch.

He has perfected a two-row trailer-type rotary hoe which has been successfully operated on the Brazos River Valley Laboratory over one-week old cotton at 18 miles an hour. He says over 95 percent of the cotton hoed with this machine suffered no damage from the operation.

Heavy rains which hit in late April and early May just about stopped normal field operations. Weeds and grass followed the rains and drying conditions caused thick soil crust. Speed thus became important and the use of new rotary hoe increased the available working time during the rainy weather 166 percent over that available for sweep cultivation or for use of rotary hoeing attachments with sweep cultivation.

Cotton from one to five weeks of age was successfully hoed with the new machine at rates of 6 to 8 acres an hour.

Here is Rae's summary of what the new machine did this spring. From 65 to 70 percent of the annual weeds and grass seedlings were controlled with one rotary hoeing with the new machine; two or more hoeings increased the control to 85 to 90 percent and 95 to 98 percent control was obtained when the rotary hoeing was preceded by the pre-emergence use of CIPC at 8, 10 to 12 pounds an acre respectively or Karmex L or Karmex DL at 1, 1 1/4 and 1 1/2 pounds an acre, respectively, on Miller clay soil. Lower rates of these chemicals must be applied on lighter soils, he says.

It all adds up, says Rae, to lower production costs and that means more profit at the end of the year.

Results of the trials and a description of the new machine are available upon request from the Agricultural Information Office, College Station, Texas. Ask for Progress Report 1691.

Baxter Named American Farmer

Bob Baxter, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baxter of Dozier community has been awarded a scholarship by the Sears Foundation, to attend Texas Technological College during the coming year. It is valued at $150 and was awarded by the Texas Tech Scholarship and Awards Committee.

It is one of 10 scholarships awarded each year to boys having outstanding records in scholarship, citizenship, character and vocational agriculture. Baxter was one of 27 boys from the north half of Texas who took the competitive examinations to determine the 10 recepients.

Baxter, who graduated from Samnorwood high schol in May, had an outstanding record in all-around school work.

He received the Lone Star Farmers Degree in July 1953, the highest state award for FFA members.

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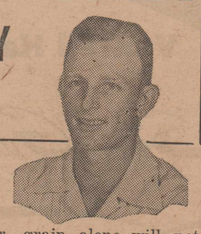
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COLLINGSWORTH COUNTY CHECKERBOARD NEWS



BY CHARLES LITTLE JR.

Singley Mill & Elevator

Some of the folks that were in the store last week and had their home grown grain mixed with Purina Concentrates were Ben Farmer, Barney Glenn, W. S. White, Pete Watts.

Mr. Farmer sells the grain he produces at home through his livestock for a greater profit than if he sells it on the regular market. For his sows he mixes his grain with Purina Sow & Pig Chow. His hogs in the fattening pen get grain and Purina Hog Chow. Ask Mr. Farmer about the results he is getting on the Purina Hog Program.

Barney Glenn has several hogs in the fattening pen and they being fed ground maize and How Chow. Barney wormed them a short while back with Purina Pig Tab Granules. They should be on the upgrade and making money now.

Mr. Winfield White had a load of barley ground and mixed with Purina Sow & Pig Chow for his sows. Mr. White knows that with the proper feeding program his sows will farrow big husky litters of pigs that will grow and get to market early.

Pete Watts is mixing Purina Chowder with his grain for a good laying ration for his Pulletts.

The next time you are in town come by the store and let us help figure a good ration for you.

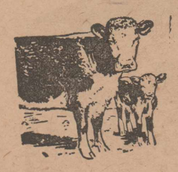
YOUR FARM GRAINS ARE THE FOUNDATION OF GOOD RATIONS

If you have a surplus of grain, you might think you don't need a concentrate. With all that grain why use a concentrate?

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However, grain alone will not do the job, as you know. For this reason you supplement cottonseed, linseed or soybean meal or cake. You try to increase the efficiency of the ration . . . increase the gain or production. If a single source protein will help you improve your results, think what a suppplement containing a variety of ingredients, proteins, carbohydrates, minerals and vitamins will do to help balance and supply your grain lacks.

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keys you need to help open the door to top results. Purina Concentrates are designed to increase the efficiency of your grains . . . to correctly balance them and make them into rations that taste good to livestock and poultry and help make thrifty results.

Supplement your grains with Purina Concentrates for sound, well balanced rations.

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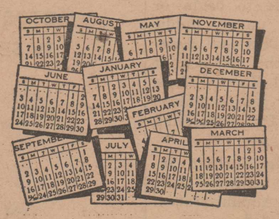


This is often a critical time for the laying flock. Hens have been in heavy production for several months . . . nutritional needs are high. Because of this strain, hens often go into a molt . . . fall off in production.

Purina Booster Checkers will help you guard against production losses. Booster Checkers are fortified with extra animal and vegetable protein, minerals, and vitamins. They will help you maintain heavy production while egg prices are still high.

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Experienced crew! We have assembled a crew of the most experienced men to run your gin for you, and with this set-up your cotton will be ginned like it should be, with the best possible turnout and staple, insuring you more money in this year's crop.

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Ed Crowder, Manager