

Snooter Knows

By JAMES E. KELLY

IT'S BECOMING TO BE RATHER a common occurrence for The Stanton Reporter to carry a news story on the front page of a new business enterprise—such as a small industrial plant—moving in to make its home. Recently the Tri-Cities Dr. Pepper Bottling Company announced Stanton was its choice to locate a plant here to serve this refreshment to a nine-county area. A handsome building has been completed to house the plant, and machinery is being moved to the new home from Big Spring. And not much after the ink gets dry on this issue of the Reporter all the machinery will have been moved in place and operations started. This plant it is reported will employ 16 people.

Last week The Reporter carried the news item that the Portobase Company, Inc. of Chanute, Kans. is in the process of locating a plant in Stanton. Representative of the company was here last week in the interest of the project. He met with the city council and asked for a lease of three acres from the city. The tract is on a part of the land formerly owned by Humble Oil Co. The council agreed to the lease and left the price to be paid and other legal matters to be solved, in the hands of attorneys for city and the Portobase Co.

The home plant at Chanute, Kans., employs 50 men, and if the demand for the product manufactured by the company mounts to what is expected, the Stanton plant will employ as many, if not more men than the home concern.

At all events, the small industrial plants are beginning to break through the veil of doubt and find revealed on the other side all the opportunity for successfully locating in Stanton.

THIS IS ONE WAY THIS COLUMN has of keeping up with the doings of our good friend, District Judge Charles Sullivan, of Big Spring. We only have to look into the fishing column, headed, "Fishing Facts," appearing in the Colorado City Record.

It was not to our utter surprise we read of Judge Sullivan taking leave from his arduous duties of interpreting passages of Blackstone to the members of the bar as they flounder for an answer to some puzzling law terms, and investing it in the pastime of fishing. But it was a degree of amazement when we read where Judge Sullivan caught a fish.

But let this item appearing in "Fishing Facts" last week tell the story:

"District Judge Charles Sullivan of Big Spring, caught a six pound channel cat on a trot line baited with cat perch."

THERE IS SOMETHING MORE enticing to the proposition than to draw the meagre remuneration a city councilman in Stanton draws for his services. To have served one time as a councilman, and later, after having been out of office, submit to the invitation to serve again as councilman to fill the office of another councilman who moved out of town, the appointed official must have the urge to help his town progress and build for the future. Just such an incident happened when at the city council meeting last week, Mayor Sale asked S. W. Wheeler, a former councilman, to accept the appointment of one who had resigned because he had moved out of town.

The compensation for a city councilman is \$5.00 for each meeting.

In these times of investigations of national office holders when it is found an official is interested in an outside business that is paying him a salary of \$50,000 a year, he is asked to resign, would of course, have nothing to do in the case of our friend S. W. Wheeler holding the office of city councilman when he is owner of the Wheeler Motor Company.

THE BLAZING HOT WEATHER making the thermometers throb in the 90 and 100 degree temperatures which has been holding this area of West Texas in its fiery grasp the past two weeks, has elicited praise and applause from the cotton growers performing at this stage of the year under the canopy of a torrid sun. The growers of Martin County say the weather is "just what the doctor ordered." It stimulates the cotton on to its rapid growth to maturity. It has its effect on retarding the progress of the work of insects damaging the cotton.

To no other class of people on earth are we more delighted to

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Danger of Water Shortage Is Past



GETTING READY — Martin County 4-H Club girls have just staged their annual dress revue, and are getting ready to go to the district events.

Elaine Hazlewood, left, is shown modeling the costume suit which won first place in the county 4-H Club Dress Revue. She will represent Martin county at the district revue.

Pictured at top are entries in the senior division of the revue. Seated left to right are Joyce Green and Johnnie Rhodes. Standing left to right are Virginia Bryant, Betty Hill, Bonnie Green, Barbara Hill and Elaine Hazlewood.

Entries in the junior division of the revue are shown in the center picture. Seated left to right are Zella Odum, LaVern Morris, Marsha Bristow, Faye Overby, Mona Epley, Glynda Payne, Loretta Jenkins, Ina Faye Kilpatrick and Patsy Cox. Left to right on the back row are Carolyn Manning, winner of the junior division; Dorothy Hull, Sandra Kelly, Sandra Muller, and Linda Nichols.

Elaine Hazlewood Wins Martin County Dress Revue As 4-H Girls Prepare To Enter District Contests

Elaine Hazlewood has done it again!

For the third consecutive year she won the Martin County 4-H Club Dress Revue, which was held Friday at the Stanton high school gymnasium. She will represent Martin county in the senior division at the district six revue Friday, August 12, in Odessa.

Carolyn Manning placed first in the junior division of the county dress revue. She will represent Martin county in the junior division of the district revue in Odessa.

Second place winner in the senior division was Betty Hill. Three girls tied for third place in the senior division. They were Virginia Bryant, Joyce Green, and Barbara Hill.

Mona Epley placed second in the junior division with Glynda Payne placing third.

Miss Hazlewood modeled a gray light-weight wool costume suit. It consisted of a fitted jacket with bracelet length sleeves and a sheath dress. She chose a black suede bag and shoes. A peacock blue hat and gloves added color to the costume.

The dress may be worn alone as a party dress, with a blouse as a jumper, or with the jacket as a suit.

The daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Hazlewood, Route 1, Stanton, she has been in 4-H Club work eight years. This was her seventh year to enter the county revue. Miss Hazlewood is a 1955 graduate of Stanton high school and plans to enter McMurry College, Abilene, in the fall.

Carolyn Manning, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Manning of Stanton, modeled a school outfit — a dark printed cotton skirt and an aqua blouse. Carolyn is 12 and has been in 4-H Club work two years. She will be in the seventh grade when school starts.

Second place winner Betty Hill is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Belton Hill of Brown community. Her winning dress was of beige novelty weave cotton chambray. It was fashioned with a fitted bodice, bracelet length sleeves and a full skirt. Details of interest were bound buttonholes, bound set-in pockets and a

white detachable collar. She wore a white hat and white gloves. Her bag and shoes were brown leather.

Virginia Bryant tied for third place honors with a red net ballerina length formal. A bolero of red net can be worn over the strapless bodice. Black velvet bows added interest to the dress.

A blue and black plaid denim jumper was modeled by Joyce Green, who also tied for third place. A black cotton blouse completed her school outfit.

A party dress of blue cotton satin was worn by Barbara Hill, another who tied for third place in the senior division. It was designed with a long torso. She carried a black bag and wore black shoes.

Mona Epley won second place in the junior division with a skirt and blouse suitable for school. The skirt was of pink denim trimmed with gold braid. A black blouse completed her outfit. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Epley of Lenora.

Glynda Payne, third place winner, also modeled a skirt and blouse. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Payne of Stanton.

Stanton Wins Three Awards At Dallas Meet

Stanton won a triple award at the annual meeting of the Texas Vocational Agriculture Teachers association which held its annual meeting last week in Dallas.

Stanton won first place as the school which does the best job of teaching the use of electricity on the farm. This award of \$150 cash was presented by the Texas Electric Service Co., and chapters eligible to compete were in the area in Texas served by the Texas Electric Service Co. The award was presented at a breakfast at the Baker Hotel in Dallas Thursday morning.

E. D. Steele, high school vocational agriculture teacher, was given the award as the outstanding teacher in the 80-school area in which Stanton operates. Each area in the state selects the outstanding teacher, the one who has done more above and beyond the ordinary work of teaching for his students. Steele was selected by the area group, and the award presented Thursday in the area conference by Karl Maddox of Odessa. This award was in the form of a plaque.

The Stanton Reporter was given a "Distinguished Service Award" for outstanding journalistic achievement in agriculture reporting, being one out of ten papers in the state so named. The award was on an area basis. This award was a framed scroll, and was presented at a breakfast Wednesday morning at the Baker Hotel.

Steele and Mrs. Steele and their daughters, Deanna Kay and Linda, spent Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at the convention, and returned home Friday night.

County Cotton Crop Estimated At 50,000 Bales

While the Texas cotton crop this year will be less than in 1954, the crop in Martin county will be approximately 25 per cent more, is the consensus of those who work with farmers and should know the situation best.

The crop in Texas for this year was estimated at 3,900,000 bales by the U. S. Department of Agriculture, slightly under that of 1954. The crop for Martin county was estimated to be 50,000 for this year, the prediction being made on the basis of the present condition of the crop.

The Martin county estimate was made by County Agent Gerry Hanson, in consultation with the soil conservation district officers, and with others who know the situation best. "Our estimate is based, of course, on the way the crop looks today," Hanson emphasized.

The U. S. crop was estimated to be 12,728,000 bales by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. A crop of 50,000 bales in Martin county will be approximately 25 per cent above the approximate 40,000 bale crop last year.

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Courtney Board To Have Public Meeting

Marion Yell, president of the Board of Trustees of the Courtney Independent School District, has announced that the board will meet in a called session at 8 p. m., Tuesday, August 16, at which time there will be a public hearing and the approval of the budget for the year 1955-56.

The public is urged to attend this meeting which will be held in the central library of the Courtney school.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Young, Sr., of Stanton and Delmar Hamm of Lenora recently visited Mrs. M. C. Hamm and Raymond of Richards. Raymond is seriously ill and this week Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Hamm of Midland are visiting in Richards.



WINS AWARD—E. D. Steele, above, was given the award as the outstanding vocational agriculture teacher in this area, when the Texas Vocational Agriculture Teachers Association met last week in Dallas.

New Producer Is Brought In In Germania Field

By JAMES C. WATSON

Fryer & Hanson Drilling Company of Midland and Dallas has completed No. 2-G-13 A. Fasken as a new producer in the Germania (Grayburg) field of Northeast Midland County, eight miles southwest of Stanton.

On the potential test, the well pumped 101.75 barrels of 32.2-gravity oil in 24 hours. The production was from perforated zone at 3,516-30 feet. Amount of stimulating material used prior to the completion was not reported.

The wellsite is 15 miles northeast of Midland and 1,003.35 feet from east lines of the southwest quarter of section 13, J. V. Stokes survey, block 37.

Pan American Production Company No. 1 Shook, wildcat 29 miles Northwest of Stanton in Northwest Martin County, was making hole below 9,200 feet in lime and shale.

No tests have been taken of the hole so far cut. It is not expected that operator will test before the Devonian is reached.

This wildcat is 660 feet from north and east lines of labor 90, league 259, Borden County School Land survey.

Cecil L. Hamilton of Big Spring has completed casing off a fresh water sand at 42 feet in his No. 1 Nobye Hamilton, and at last report, was rigging up rotary equipment to continue operations on 4,100-foot wildcat.

This prospector is five and a half miles east of Stanton in extreme Southeast Martin County, 380 feet from north and 990 feet from west lines of section 26, block 35, T-1-S, T&P survey.

B. L. McFarland Drilling Contractor has completed two more oilers in the Varel (San Andres) field of West Howard County, across the east line of Martin County.

His No. 2-22 Guitler Trust was finished for a daily pumping potential of 76 barrels of 37.5-gravity oil, plus 25 per cent water, through perforations at 3,086-3,128 feet after 10,000 gallons of fracture solution had been used.

McFarland No. 1-22 Guitler was finished for a daily pumping potential of 75.48 barrels of 37.5-gravity oil, plus 25 per cent water, through perforations from 3,130 to 3,145 feet. Pay was fractured with 10,000 gallons.

No. 1-21 Guitler is 660 feet from west and 330 feet from south lines of section 22, block A, Bauer & Cockrell survey, while No. 2-22 is 330 feet from south and east lines of same section.

Arrangements For X-Rays To Be Made

Chest X-Rays are to be given free to residents of Stanton soon, Mrs. Finley Rhodes, city sanitarian, has announced.

Mrs. Rhodes was notified that a representative from the state department of public health will be here August 17 to make arrangements for giving the X-Rays. Further announcement will be made later.

Mrs. O. O. Crutcheff of Austin has returned home after a month's visit with her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Buckland, and children.

More Water Ready To Go Into Mains

There will be no water shortage in Stanton this year.

Because the new storage tank is finished, two new wells are ready, and the entire new set-up was scheduled to be tied into the city water system Wednesday, is the word from George B. Shelburne, city secretary.

Workmen have been busy the past week or more putting the finishing touches on the new 100,000-gallon storage tank out on the Lamesa highway property. New lines have been laid and connected, and everything was set for the actual tying-in with the city system. It was thought this might be accomplished on Tuesday, but a delay until Wednesday was necessary.

And, it has been nip and tuck to prevent a water shortage, both Shelburne and James Biggs, assistant city secretary, agree. With some very hot days before the recent rains, water consumption was reaching the total

production capacity of just over a million gallons a day. Both Shelburne and Biggs and others at the city hall were worried during that time for fear consumption would reach the production point and rationing would be necessary. But, the rains came in time and consumption has declined until the few very hot days this week when more water was being used.

"We are making it just in time, too," Shelburne emphasized, and indicated that the entire city force could breathe a sign of relief when the new facilities are actually tied in Wednesday.

The new 100,000-gallon storage tank was made possible by the voting of the bond issue last spring, and work has been in progress on the tank and the two new wells for some time now. The tank is an on-the-ground steel structure, and is painted aluminum color.

Previous to the tying-in of the new facilities, pumps in the city system have been delivering about 800 gallons per minute through the 175,000 gallon capacity storage tanks. There were two surface tanks of 50,000 gallons each and the elevated tank with 75,000 gallons storage. That makes a total of 175,000 gallons capacity up to installing the new facilities.

With the pumps producing 800 gallons per minute, if they were run at full capacity for 24 hours a day that would deliver 1,920,000 gallons a day, which was almost what was used. But, the pumps were not all running all night, so Shelburne estimated that Stanton was using right at a million gallons a day during the peak period.

The two new pumps can deliver about 400 gallons a minute, Biggs estimated, and that will increase the capacity 50 per cent.

And, with the new pumps in operation, and with the new tank also tied in, both Shelburne and Biggs felt that was sufficient for demands this year and that there would be no shortage, and people of Stanton could continue to use all the water they want.

Cotton Looper Inspection To Be Wednesday

Just how alarming is the reported infestation of the cotton looper in Martin county cotton was to be determined Wednesday when the entomologist from Texas A. and M. college extension service at College Station was to make an inspection.

County Agent Gerry Hanson received a letter Monday from F. M. Fuller, Jr., entomologist, saying he would be here at 10 o'clock Wednesday morning to see about the infestation. Several farmers have reported the worm busy in their crops, and others report no harm done. Hanson does not feel alarm at the situation, pointing out that where there is infestation a poison mixture can knock them out.

After a conference with A. and M. entomologists, Hanson recommends a mixture of dust, with the ratio of 20 pounds of toxaphene mixed with 40 pounds of sulphur, and dusted 20 to 25 pounds per acre, should get them. Or, a spray of 60 per cent toxaphene, with a half gallon per acre, should do it.

At any rate, Fuller was scheduled to arrive Wednesday morning, and after his inspection farmers should know more about this new pest.

Tommy Jean Poe of San Angelo is spending the week with her grandmother, Mrs. John N. Poe.

Fishing over the weekend at the Colorado City lake were Mr. and Mrs. Derwood Clardy and daughters, Mrs. Ruby Burns and Shelley Bassham.

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Guilty Verdict Is Returned In Homicide Case

Alex Martinez of Brownfield was found guilty of negligent homicide by a jury in county court this week, and fined \$2,000. The case grew out of an accident Feb. 26, 1954 on Highway 349 in which Cletus Tucker was killed. He has appealed the case.

The case of Horace Crowhaver of Andrews, also charged with negligent homicide, was in progress Wednesday. He is charged with negligent homicide in the death of Vickie Latty, aged 3, who was killed in a traffic accident July 7, 15 miles west of Tarzan.

Another panel of 36 persons was called for court next week, and members of this new panel are as follows: O. G. Langston, M. H. Hulsey, Delmar Hamm, W. H. Thames, C. L. Russell, Denver Springer, E. B. Holcomb, R. W. Haislip, Miss Velma Blagaves, Harlan Barber, F. W. Beckmeyer, E. L. Richards, Homer Howard, D. L. Bond, W. D. Chandler, Mrs. Claud Miller, B. D. Davenport, Mrs. Clarence Fryer, G. E. Cave, Tom Castle, R. C. Stewart, C. J. King.

Hoyt Britton, J. G. Butcher, C. B. Taylor, Ivan White, Harry Lester, J. L. Glaze, Mrs. Leslie Hull, Dewey Anderson, Carl Albert, J. B. Shockley, Roy Linney, P. J. Grigg, Jack Hale and Belton Hill.

Visitors Monday and Tuesday with Mrs. John N. Poe were her sister, Mrs. Paye Hownett of Mt. Pleasant, and friends, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Colley, also of Mt. Pleasant.

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Keep The Place Clean and That'll Help

It is claimed that a part of the month of July and all of the month of August is the season for most of the cases of polio to show up.

A breakdown of the percentage of the age group suffering with polio, revealed that 37.4 per cent occurring in Texas during the past five years are under the age of five years; 26 per cent in the group 5 to 9 years; 12.6 per cent in the group 10 to 14 and 23.8 per cent of the cases reported were 15 years of age or older.

From the state health department comes the report it is hoped that vaccine will soon be available for use soon by private physicians to immunize those not eligible under the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis program; also that some arrangements can be made to secure vaccine for the medically indigent of the state. Under the Foundation program, use of vaccine has been limited mostly to children in the first and second grades in the schools.

Since as of today, the puzzle hasn't been solved as to what causes the crippling disease, it is just as fair to presume that the germ responsible for polio breeds in filth. Usually, the months of July and August are considered the hottest of the year. If rains have fallen, stagnant pools of water begin to show up . . . "garbage consigned to cans, soon become decomposed, with an aroma that smells to high heaven . . . and flies that have had a full sway of feasting on the rotten food due to no lid on the can, flit from their harvest field into the homes through holes in the screens, or through no screen at all, and drag their feet over the food on the dinner table. Could be that fly left a polio germ to infect not only you but your children. And as to whether the case is a mild form of polio or the bulbar, crippling kind, demanding the patient lie in an iron lung, remains to be seen.

Don't become alarmed that there is any truth the polio germ comes from filth, yet we are not guaranteed the germ is not spread from filth. Best thing for Stanton folks to do is to see that the cover on the garbage can fits snugly. Then, take a peep under the house. Maybe some little puddles of water have formed from leaky pipes. And my, how the mosquitoes like to make their home there and raise a family to send helter-skelter over the neighborhood to inoculate the citizens with poison. And that mosquito bite may be polio poison, too.

And if you have any rats running around the house, get rid of them. They pack fleas whose bites leaves the victim with a case of dengue fever.

Oh, there are just hundreds of reasons why cleanliness in your home and around your home is the best policy to pursue. You'll never regret it if you keep clean.

Why Wait Until The Horse Is Stolen?

Why wait until a grand jury meets?

Why wait until a newspaper unearths a scandal?

Anyone who handles public funds should be required by law to publish a full accounting of same at regular intervals. Frankly—both the lawmakers and the public are to blame for thievery in public office.

Every state in the Union, with few exceptions, and Texas is one of the exceptions, REQUIRES that every public official who handles PUBLIC FUNDS publish a full accounting of same at stated intervals.

When the legislators fail to act, it is time for the people to act. It is time for the people to take a hand in drafting legislation, or electing men who will do so.

During the last session of the legislature there were two bills introduced by Representative Elbert Reeves of Matador, to force publication of financial statements by the commissioners' courts, the school districts, and by other groups handling public monies.

Why weren't these bills passed? That's what the people would now like to know.

We think the people should ask their elected representatives just why those bills were not passed.

Any state failing to pass such legislation is guilty of tempting public officials to pocket the peoples' cash. It is just as guilty as the man who takes it.

Theft of public funds is not uncommon in such states where financial reports are not required. And thievery will continue until such time as the people demand of their elected representatives that laws be passed that remove such temptations, by requiring published reports of all receipts and disbursements by all officials entrusted with the collection and distribution of public money.

Taxes Keep Merrily Along—Upward

"Creeping paralysis" can be painful anyway you take it. Two of the ways are listed in the category of "pain." One when the disease attacks the body. The other when it attacks the pocketbook in the way of increased taxes.

A report from L. P. Gabbard, agricultural economist at Texas A&M College, which has caused a "creeping paralysis" to set in on the taxpayers' pocketbook.

Gabbard reports that the real estate taxes of farms and ranches in Texas were 3.2 per cent higher in 1954 than in 1953—the eighth straight year of increases.

The average tax per acre for the state in 1954 was 28.8 cents compared to 27.9 per cent the previous year, said Gabbard. While this slight increase was taking place in taxes, agricultural prices declined in Texas.

"In other words, it took six per cent more farm commodities to pay taxes last year than it did the previous year," declared Gabbard.

The tax burden has increased 57 per cent during the four-year period 1951-1954.

During this four year period when taxes were climbing to the 57 per cent mark, much of the farm lands in Martin County produced no crops—the drought period was on in full blast. It was indeed a very painful "creeping paralysis" to the pocketbooks of local farmers in the paying of increase in taxes.

Philosopher Alarmed That U. S. Agency Can't Spend It All

Dear editor:

I have read lots of amazing news out of Washington, but I read some the other day which left me so amazed I haven't hit a lick of work all week.

I'd gotten up that morning intending to work a little, but thought I'd first look over a newspaper to maybe give me something to think about while I went up one row and down another, and sat down in the shade propped against a rear tractor tire and started reading. It ruined my working day.

According to an article that jumped out at me from the front page, Congress was in a turmoil recently because, when the time came to appropriate three and a half billion dollars for the defense department, it was discovered the department had failed to spend several hundred million of the money it got the previous year, but not wanting to get caught in such an unheard-of position, the department spent it all in the last 24 hours of the fiscal year.

Somebody in Washington is slipping worse than I ever dreamed was possible, and I think something ought to be done about it immediately.

If Washington can't find the money who can spend all the money Congress can appropriate. I'll be glad to help out, although I do not believe there is a serious shortage of such people in this country and I believe Washington can find them if it tries. There must be thousands of people, serving on city councils, at county seats, in state legislatures, who wouldn't have any trouble at all spending more money than anybody can budget.

It's embarrassing to Congress and the country as a whole, especially to me, to find there are people who have to rush out on the last day of their fiscal year and spend wildly in order to avoid having a carry-over.

It's a problem I never have encountered around here, but would like to try.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

Winstead Getting On With New Job

O. W. Winstead, who was superintendent of the Stanton Public School system up to last year, and who resigned to become superintendent of the Novice high school, in Coleman county, announced in last week's Coleman County Chronicle, the opening Aug. 29, of the Novice school.

This is earlier than any other school in the county will open. The Novice faculty is complete, reports Winstead, except for a homemaker teacher, and applications are being accepted on this position.

The Novice correspondent to the Chronicle, reported in her column that Mrs. O. W. Winstead honored her mother, Mrs. Fannie Ellis, with a dinner on her 82nd birthday. Those attending were her daughters and families.

Mr. and Mrs. Winstead made many friends in Stanton during the time they were identified with the schools here, he as superintendent and Mrs. Winstead, first grade teacher.

Mrs. J. N. Cook and son, Phil, of Crane visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Kelly, while Kay was in Alpine visiting her aunt, Mrs. Charlie Ross, and family.

Frances Renfro of Austin is here spending her vacation with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Renfro. She is employed by the Texas Employment Commission in Austin.

Mr. and Mrs. John Peters spent Thursday and Friday with their daughter, Mrs. J. O. Mills, in Sonora.

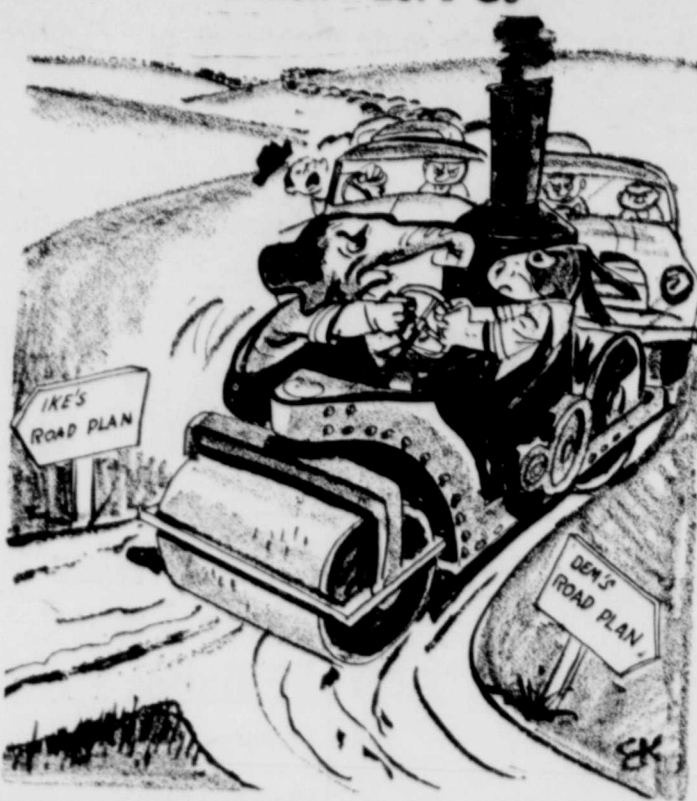
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BIBLE COMMENT

True Life In Christ Is Best Life

"Except a grain of wheat fall into the ground and die," said Jesus. "It abideth alone; but if it die, it bringeth forth much fruit." And Jesus laid down as a law of the spiritual world that "whosoever will save his life shall lose it; and whosoever will lose his life for My sake shall find it."

Is the Christian life, then, only a life of martyrdom? And are we, who are situated in areas where there is little danger of our dying for our faith, excluded from the life that is found through sacrifice?

The answer is "no." Jesus' words have a deeper and more general application to Christian living. Saint Paul suggested this when he wrote, in Corinthians, that "I die daily."

What Paul meant by that is brought out in Galatians where he says: "I am crucified with Christ; nevertheless I live; yet not I, but Christ liveth in me; and the life that I now live in the flesh I live by the faith of the Son of God, who loved me, and gave Himself for me."

Perhaps the mistake that most of us make is in failing to share all the experiences of the Christ as Paul did. We walk with Jesus in the fields; we listen as He talks in the villages with the common people; we watch as He blesses the little children.

But we shrink from following to the Cross, even as Mary, His mother, did.

Yet the secret of the fullness of life is in going all the way in our acceptance of Jesus.

"He that loseth his life shall find it."

Increased Old Age Benefits to Start September

AUSTIN—Old people in Texas heaved a sigh of relief last Thursday as Attorney General John Ben Shepperd ruled that they will begin receiving increased old age assistance benefits in September.

The bill passed by the Legislature provided for the additional \$7 million dollars in assistance to begin in September. But because the bill was passed by a voice vote, it ran into a constitutional snag providing that such bills cannot go into effect until 90 days after the session ends which would be September 6.

The delay in the effective date raised a question as to whether the additional funds could be made available before October 1.

Shepperd ruled that the increased allocations for September could be made September 6. This permits payment of the increase for that month.

This opinion was requested by the State Department of Public Welfare.

Tarzan Youth Group Entertained Sunday

Lora Lou Pierce was hostess Sunday night to the Tarzan Baptist Youth Fellowship.

Attending were J. T. Springer, Barbara White, Annette Howard, Margaret Pierce, Billy Pierce, Edward Pierce, Glynda Welch, Janice Terkins of Lubbock, Lonnie Pierce and the hostess.

Read the Classifieds!

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ceptionally high horsepower per pound of engine weight. More power is actually available for hauling your loads!

Modern 12-volt electrical system! You get this great development in all new Chevrolet truck engines—both V8's and sixes. The 12-volt electrical system delivers twice the punch for quicker cold-weather starting (up to 30% faster cranking speed). It also provides a hotter, fatter spark for better ignition.

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

From the Files of The Stanton Reporter of August 15, 1930

The revival, that is being conducted for the Church of Christ at Line, 12 miles south of Stanton in Glascock County, by Earl C. Williams and G. B. Shelburne, will continue until Aug. 17.

Owing to the rains during the last week services were suspended for two nights.

Democratic runoff in the election is to be Saturday, Aug. 23. Candidates in the runoff for county offices are: Sheriff, Tax Collector, Milt Yater and Burt Brown; Tax Assessor, W. T. (Bill) Epley and S. W. (Stony) Martin; Commissioner Precinct 2, W. M. Henson and J. H. Burnam; Commissioner Precinct 3, W. F. Stewart and F. C. Collins; Commissioner Precinct 4, A. B. Brown and J. G. Sprawls.

Courtney Notes: We sure appreciate the rains of last week. The crops are looking fine.

Miss Pauline Cathey has returned from an extended visit with relatives and friends in Putnam and Cisco.

Miss Kathryn Scott has returned from Marfa where she was a guest of Miss Francis Anderson of that city. The two young ladies are ex-students of

John Tarleton College, Stephenville.

The Stanton baseball team won over Midland last Sunday for the championship of the first half of the season. The locals won 6-2.

Tarzan Notes: Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Howard were in Jones County last week looking after their farms.

Since the rains of last week cotton and feed crops are showing a big gain. Garden vegetables and farm truck is coming into Stanton more rapidly every day.

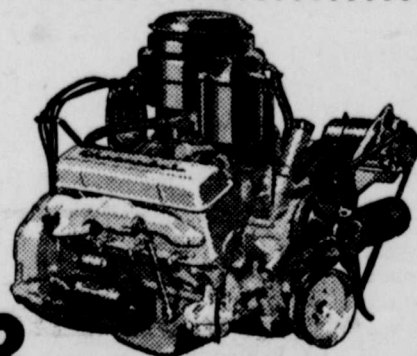
Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Martin and daughters, Linda and Judy, spent the weekend in Alvord visiting Mrs. Martin's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Nipper, Teddy and Margie.

Weekend visitors in the C. E. Crow home were Mr. and Mrs. G. E. McDaniel and son of San Antonio, and Mr. and Mrs. Claude Spears of Morton.

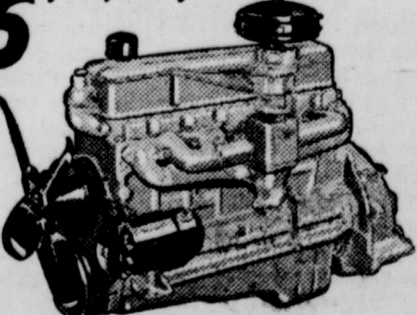
Thomas, Thomas
ATTORNEYS-AT-LAW
Big Spring, Texas

The matters mentioned in this paper's editorial last week regarding school consolidations are the reasons for our remarks in our recent advertising. If Stanton does not recognize the inevitable results of present trends and effect consolidations of adjacent territory in Martin, Howard, Glascock and Midland Counties that will provide here the suggested standard school soon there will not be a school in Martin County! Whether we like it or not small schools are on their way out. The sooner we and our neighbors admit it and get together and establish an adequate school at a location of our own choosing the better it will be for all concerned. In the end there will still be no better place than ours for abstract, insurance and notary services.

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Barbecue Honors Two On Birthday

Twenty-five people attended a barbecue honoring the 61st birthday of I. G. Peters and the 23rd birthday of Glenn Peters, held Sunday, July 31, at the I. G. Peters farm.

Barbecuing was through the courtesy of Paul Peters who is a brother to I. G. Peters and father to Glenn Peters.

Stanton guests included Chris Peters, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Flanagan, Mr. and Mrs. Punk Sau-

ers, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Peters, Reverend Father Louis Moeller, B. A. Peters and Glenn Peters.

Midland guests were Mr. and Mrs. Dee McMillen and sons, Jimmy and Ronnie, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Franks and son, George, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Williams and children, Steve, Ann and Kathy, and Miss Sue Peters.

From Big Spring came Mrs. Ralph Fox and son, Stephen.

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Six From Stanton Enroll at Kerrville

KERRVILLE—Six Stanton youths have enrolled as students at Schreiner Institute for the 1955-56 school year which begins September 14, according to F. H. Junkin, registrar.

The students are Norman Blocker, son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Blocker; George Dee Cravens, nephew of Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Cravens; Richard Neal Cross, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. B. Cross; Alexander H. Dawson, son of Dr. and Mrs. G. W. Dawson; Glenn Claude Greenlee, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. V. Greenlee; and James Edward Wheeler, son of S. W. Wheeler. All are new students at Schreiner with the exception of Blocker, who was a cadet at the hill country school during the 1954-55 school year.

As members of the Schreiner cadet corps the boys will receive government approved military training as well as individual at-

They Had a Picnic But It Was Inside

Members of Xi Alpha Beta and Mu Lambda chapters of Beta Sigma Phi sorority met Thursday, August 4, for an annual summer picnic.

Husbands and children of the members were guests.

Because of inclement weather the picnic was held in the show room of Stanton Supply Company.

Barbecued hamburgers and home-made ice cream were served.

Approximately 96 persons attended.

Attention by well-trained instructors in small classes. Emphasis at Schreiner Institute is placed on character development through Christian education and leadership training, in both the high school and junior college departments.

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(Continued From Page One)

Let go any claim we may have on the hot weather and give it all, than we are to the cotton growers of Martin County, who are saying the weather "is just what the doctor ordered."

Clear hot weather as has had its hold on the country, is regarded by the cotton grower a "prized jewel" at this season of the year.

After all, it's to the farmers of the land that the peoples of the world owe their living.

You can say what you may about the financial institutions, the corporations, the industrial enterprises, etc., as being the backbone of the country, but where would we all be if there was not a bite of food in the house, in storage, or growing in the soil? It's the farmers who raise our food supply.

The rest of us have an easy time of it, don't you think? We sit in the shade of our store and shop in the cool atmosphere of the air conditioner, sip coffee, converse on the promising prospects of a bumper cotton crop for this fall's harvest. The cotton grower is sweating beads of perspiration from his brow working in a hot blazing sun from early morning to late evening, hoping and praying that he will push his crop through to harvest and sale on the market.

And that's the very thing we fellows sitting in the cool hope he will do. We wait for the harvest and cotton come rolling in to town to start some loose change circulating. It livens up an all-summer long stagnant flow of money. Business on all sides picks up. Cotton pickers fill the lobby of the home bank cashing checks for their labor and they in turn share their money with the merchants by buying their merchandise. The merchant begins to wear a smile on his face as he hears the constant ring of the cash register. In fact the whole world looks brighter to the folks, when they see and feel the real coin of the realm which is the fruits that follow in the wake of harvesting a good cotton crop. And it's just that sort of a picture the cotton crop of Martin County promises to unfold with the advent of this fall's harvest.

WE'VE OFTEN WONDERED why the old folks of a town didn't have a club of their own. A place to meet where the women folks could come and chew their snuff, smoke their clay pipes, and where all members could chew the rag in general.

We read the other day of Wheelock, Texas, down Hearn way. It has the Month's Fad Club. The membership of the

Knows

club is made up of the women of the community. To be eligible to join one's age must not be less than 65 years old.

The club's motto is: "Enjoy yourself. It is later than you think." None of the members are superstitious. The club has a membership of 13. It was organized in 1951, and only two members have died.

The club is very civic-minded. The members make all kinds of handwork to raise money to give to the Community Center.

The president of the club is 80 years old and the secretary-treasurer, 86 years old. The other 11 members of the club range in age from 65 years old to 86.

Wheelock was founded in 1833 by a man of the same name. From 1850 to 1856 Wheelock was the county seat and boasted 12 business houses and 12 saloons.

The people of the community are just about a one big family as will be found anywhere when it comes to church activities. Members of all denominations have always attended the same church.

MAYBE, IF STANTON HAD A swimming pool it would have something nice said about it like the State Health Department, Austin, said about the Munday swimming pool after examining the water in it.

"One of the most sanitary pools in this area."

This is the second year of operation for the Munday swimming pool—that is—it was last year Munday built the first pool. Munday and Stanton are about the size in population, but differ widely on providing their teenagers entertainment to stay at home for instead of going to other outside places to enjoy it. And just about the one biggest piece of entertainment most young people enjoy is a swimming pool.

Munday believes in that so far as they can raise the funds to provide their teenage population wholesome entertainment that will keep them at home, they are going to do it.

From the way the Munday Times has been talking about the activities going on at their swimming pool these hot days, one wonders if there is anyone left at home to run the place—all are enjoying either the pleasure of swimming in the pool, or enjoying little luncheon parties on the shore of the pool, watching the teenagers as they frolic in the water.

The Times commenting on the sanitary aspects of their swimming pool said:

"So, we guess there's no question about our swimming pool being safe and sanitary. There's

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no question, either, about its popularity, judging from the people out there and the sun-tans we see on the teenagers."

FOR A MAN WHO WAS "charged" with high electric voltage, our Stanton mayor, Woodford Sale, stands so charged. At the recent Electric Fair held in Stanton by the Cap Rock Electric Cooperative, Mayor Sale was awarded a pin for having the largest electric bill of any of the 3,000 members during 1954. Sale operates five pumps to spread water over his irrigated farms. And the power furnished to pump these wells is electricity. Sale paid the Electric Cooperative \$4,296.43 for the electric power last year.

"It's not all gold that glitters," they say. We have been viewing the fine crops growing on the irrigated farms around Stanton, and summed up the

fact the farmer had a gold mine coming on. We just saw the water spreading over the fields by sprinkler system and water running down furrows soaking the soil underneath the growing crops. We gave it no thought at all how the water was getting there, and the price the irrigationist pays to get his crop harvested and marketed.

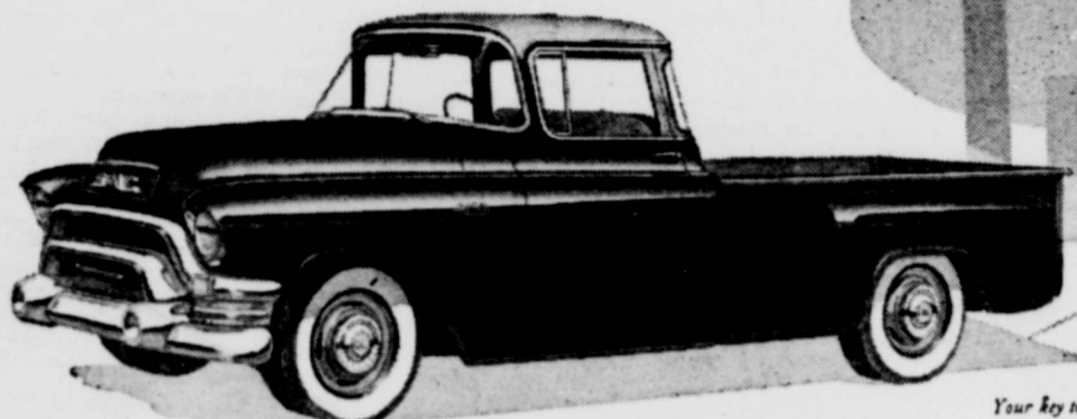
Visiting Sunday in Stanton was Mrs. Zaida Bennett of Midland.

R. W. Caton

ATTORNEY-AT-LAW

Office in Courthouse

Phone STANTON 4-3441



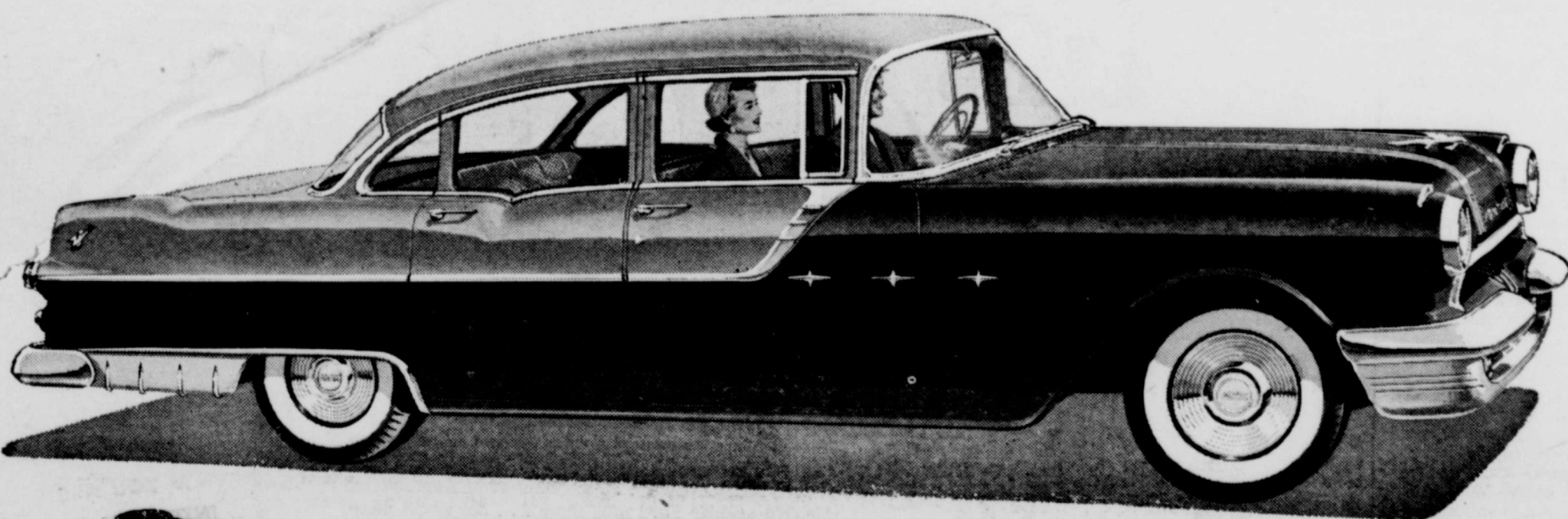
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Here is the heart of Pontiac's terrific performance—the all-new, ultramodern Strato-Streak V-8! This masterpiece of engine design will deliver up to 200 horsepower with Pontiac's 4-barrel carburetor, an extra-cost option. Come on in, put yourself behind the wheel and see what Strato-Streak really means!

SUPERIOR BEAUTY—Here's one advantage you can spot as far as you can see! Pontiac's smartly distinctive combination of long, clean lines, Twin-Streaked hood and Vogue Two-Toning is generally acknowledged to be the major style advance of the year.

SUPERIOR PERFORMANCE—The Strato-Streak V-8, too, sets this car apart from any other in the world. It is the industry's most modern engine—filled with "firsts" that pay off in blazing 200-horsepower action and the greatest thrift in Pontiac history.

SUPERIOR SIZE—There's 124 or 122 inches of road-leveling wheelbase under Pontiac's spacious Body by Fisher. And that means a solid sense of security not surpassed by any car.

SUPERIOR HANDLING EASE—There's extra security, too, in the lightning response of Pontiac's over-size brakes, recirculating ball steering and flashing acceleration. Even parking is a pleasure with action like this.

SUPERIOR COMFORT—What's your idea on this score? Big, soft seats? Ample shoulder and leg room? A cush-

ioned ride? Regal luxury? That's Pontiac comfort and it won't be topped by anything on the road.

Yet a Pontiac fits any new-car budget! Come in and learn how little cash it takes to join the big swing to Pontiac.

With 4-barrel carburetor, an extra-cost option.

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THE YEAR'S GREATEST
Pontiac

New glamour to the classics in

Kate Greenaway's

3 to 6x-ers



Something wonderful has happened to little fall fashions. Shapes are bouffant, or slim, or molded like mamas. There are new type sleeves, piquant pleats, trims that are beauty marks. Simply glorious cattons have the look of silk, of wool, of linen. Iridescent colors give stained glass effect, are bright with vivid accents. Pick from jumpers, two-pieces, torso-types, middies, shirtwaists, in plaids, checks, stripes, solids. As always, there's always a pocket. Sizes 3-6X

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ABOVE ALL you'll wear this corduroy Jack-Shirt. Comfortable slipper front three quarter length sleeve style in taupe, turquoise, red, avocado, gold, black and tan. Sizes 10 to 18.

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Apartments L-1
FOR RENT—Furnished garage
apartment. 505 W. Broadway.
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ished apartment, air-conditioned.
See J. A. Wilson.

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FOR SALE OR RENT—Two-bed-
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Call L. A. Ashley, Phone GL-
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stock farm. Three new houses,
all modern. Milk parlor, machine
shed, large barn, machinery. 65
good dairy cows, 16 young heif-
ers; 65 acres sorghum, 40 acres
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Equity in 2-bedroom home with
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FOR SALE—3 room house and
bath. To be moved. See Mrs. S. E.
Jones or call 4-2236.

LEGAL NOTICE

Notice to Public:

The Stanton Ind. School Dis-
trict board of Trustees in their
regular meeting voted unani-
mously to advertise for sealed
bids to be opened at their next
regular meeting, Sept. 5, 1955, at
8:00 P. M. o'clock, in the office
of the superintendent on the Gym-
nasium located at Lomax, How-
ard County, Texas. This building
to be removed from the premises
and premises to be cleaned ac-
cording to board regulations
which will be to thoroughly
clean all down to ground level.
Also a \$500.00 check or bond
shall accompany all bids to as-
sure the satisfactory performan-
ce of the terms of the sale.

The board reserves the right
to accept or reject any or all
bids. Building may be inspected
at any time by going to the site
of the Lomax school grounds.
Mail bids to L. M. Hays, super-
intendent, Stanton, Texas.

MORE AND MORE people are
finding that Reporter classified
pay . . . not cost!

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin B. Jones
had as visitors last week Mrs.
Jones' brother-in-law and sis-
ter, Dr. and Mrs. I. M. Atkins of
College Station. The Atkins went
on to Cowles, N. M. for a few
days but will visit here over the
weekend before returning home.
The Bob Raglands visited over
the weekend in Grove. They
were accompanied home by Mrs.
Bell Place of Grove.

Seminole visitors Sunday were
Mr. and Mrs. Jack Cook. They
visited Mr. and Mrs. James A.
Wilson, Jr.

Andrews visitors last week
were Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Way
and Mrs. R. R. Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Hickman
of Aurora, Ill. visited here Sat-
urday. Mr. and Mrs. Ogal Avery.
Recent visitors in the Coats
Bentley home were Mrs. Ben-
tley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. E.
Norman and Rebecca, of Electra.
Robert Lee visitors during the
weekend in the home of Mr. and
Mrs. P. M. Bristow were Mrs.
Zelma Milam and Joe. They also
visited in the R. S. Lewis home
at Courtney.

Mrs. J. T. Mims is visiting her
sister, Mrs. Monroe Ethridge, in
Dallas this week.

Gerry Hanson, county agent,
has returned from El Paso where
he spent about a week getting
his final discharge from the Air
Force. Mrs. Hanson spent the
week in Ft. Worth visiting her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jack
Walker.

Mrs. George W. Hanson of
Stamford is visiting her son,
County Agent Gerry Hanson,
and Mrs. Hanson.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Turner and
children, Diane and Robert, are
spending their vacation at Shre-
veport, La.

Sunday visitors in the George
Davis home were Mr. and Mrs.
Harrison Stewart of Odessa.

Jack Hines of Eldorado, Ark.,
is visiting with his cousin, Rod-
ney DeNoon.

Friday night visitors in the
home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude
Edwards were Mr. and Mrs.
Howard Reed.

J. W. Gilbreth of Abilene who
had been visiting his grandpar-
ents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Ed-
wards, for four weeks returned
home Sunday. Also recent vis-
itors with the Edwards were oth-
er grandchildren, Buckle Dar-
cek, Terry Flanagan, Carol Dar-
cek and Mike Flanagan, all of
Maple.

Mrs. Charley Cravens is a sur-
gical patient in St. John hospital
in San Angelo.

Mrs. Wesley Williams, Sr., Mrs.
W. L. Clements of Stephenville,
and Mrs. Robert Vutech and
daughter, Jan, of Hobbs, have
returned from a trip through
Colorado, Wyoming and South
Dakota. They visited Denver,
Colorado Springs, Estes Park,
Cheyenne, and went on to the
Black Hills of South Dakota. In
Ree Heights, S. D., they visited
Mrs. Clements' daughter, Mr. and
Mrs. T. J. Poindexter, and her
son, Mr. and Mrs. Dub Clements.

Eula Belle Mott has been a
patient in Medical Arts Hospital
in Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Philip White
visited last week and over the
weekend in East Texas.

Visiting during the weekend in
Wingate were Mr. and Mrs. Rich-
ard Doggett and daughter.

Advertising doesn't cost . . . it
pays!



SCARE 'EM TO DEATH—

This is what the well-dressed
hunter will wear afield this
season, according to the Lon-
don, England, arbiters of men's
fashions. Fly-front jacket but-
tons up to the neck, has slitted
shoulders and waist, wristband
cuffs and vertical side pockets.
It's of wool in a hound's tooth
pattern.

Church Fair Is Well Attended

Approximately 250 persons at-
tended a Community Fair held
Friday night at the American
Legion Hall. It was sponsored by
the Reorganized Church of Jesus
Christ of Latter Day Saints.

The different booths included
a game booth, an art show, a
fortune teller, a food booth, and
a horse barn. Church slides were
shown by Douglas Church.

Mrs. Floyd Thigpen of Odessa
won the cake baking contest.
Second place winner was Mrs.
Ed Lawson. Mrs. Roy Polk and
Mrs. Ermine Hardy tied for third
place.

Fred Church was master of
ceremonies. The program includ-
ed a trio, Earl Koonce, Geryl
Koonce, and Fred Church; song,
Marlin Springer; alto, Max
Ridings and Earl Koonce; song,
Nina Rice accompanied by Ima
Joy Williamson.

Sermon, Reggie Church; whis-
tling act "The High and Migh-
ty," Fred Church; song and
quartet, Earl, Geryl, Roy and
Thadd Koonce; skit, "Little
Nell," Dan Saunders, Denton
Hines, Oradell Standerfer, Lois
Brice, Olive Church; songs, Jim-
my Leonard; horse cut, "Extra-
ella," Doris Linthicum and Joan
Bratcher; pantomime, "Liberace
and George," Geryl and Earl
Koonce.

GMC Diesels Will Help Clean Chicago

PONTIAC, Mich., Aug. 3—An
entirely new field of diesel truck
application was opened up re-
cently when the City of Chicago
ordered 75 GMC diesel sanitation
trucks for its trash and
garbage collection service.

A. S. McEvoy, fleet division
manager for GMC Truck and
coach division, said Chicago or-
dered the units after keeping
performance records on three
trial GMC diesel trucks used in
its sanitation operation for three
years.

He said Chicago is the first
major city in the world to place
a large order for diesel-powered
trucks for this type of work. The
GMC trucks are DP660-47A cab-
over-engine models powered by
GM 4-71 diesel engines develop-
ing 150 horsepower.

"Truck and engine durability
as well as economy of operation
were the main governing factors
in the order," McEvoy explained,
"as Chicago sanitation trucks
work as much as 24 hours a day
and operate under severe con-
ditions in the dumping areas."

"The Chicago bureau of equip-
ment kept performance data on
the trial trucks during three
years of operation and found
that the operating and mainte-
nance expenses for the units were
extremely low."

The trucks, equipped with
bodies having a 20-yard capa-
city, have a gross vehicle weight
of 36,000 pounds. All 75 of the
diesel-powered GMCs are sched-
uled to be put into operation in
Chicago in the very near future.

CINDY AVERY HAS BIRTHDAY PARTY

Cindy Avery was honored with
a party on her second birthday
Monday, August 1, in her par-
ents home. She is the daughter
of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Avery.

Attending were Mrs. Bernard
Houston, Mary Nell Dool, Mrs.
J. T. Mims, Mrs. Seth Morrison,
Mrs. Mary Christian, Mrs. T. S.
Liles, Mrs. Avery, Scherry Avery
and the honoree.

The famous "Flirtation Walk"
is at West Point.

SCHOOL SITUATION IS STUDIED

Water Mobilization Urged To Conserve The Supply

By VERN SANFORD
Texas Press Association

AUSTIN, Tex. Whether Texas
school laws have been nullified
is under a statewide advisory
committee's study.

Gov. Allan Shivers outlined
major desegregation problems at
the committee's initial meeting
last week. Although he denounced
the US Supreme Court de-
cree, he said the answer was not
in defiance. He recommended ad-
justment in the best interest of
Texas school children.

Shivers said an El Paso district
court decision ordering desegre-
gation at Texas Western College
may necessitate rewriting the
Gilmer-Alken laws. School mon-
ey now is allocated on the basis
of separate, but equal, facilities
for white and colored.

Bi-racial, the group includes
34 community leaders appointed
by the governor and eight legis-
lators named by the house
speaker and lieutenant governor.

Will Morris Crews, San Antonio
lawyer and contractor, was
named to head a 12-member ex-
ecutive committee. A legal sub-
committee will study legislative
needs.

Areas of study suggested by
the governor:

1. What to do about com-
pulsory attendance and compulsory
segregation laws.
2. Whether either white or
colored children can be forced
to attend a certain school, or
integrate, against their will.
3. Ways and means of giving
maximum authority to local
school districts.

Polio Vaccine Allocated

Children under 10 and expec-
tant mothers have won priority
recognition for Texas' supply of
commercial Salk vaccine.

Such preference was recom-
mended by the State Polio Vac-
cine Committee. Dr. Henry Holle,

state health commissioner, called
the group to decide how the
36,540 vaccine doses released to
Texas should be used.

Recommended use was split
83 per cent commercially, 17
per cent by public agencies.

Agencies were asked to order
through retail outlets, not from
manufacturers. Doctors were ur-
ged to keep accurate records.

Nationally, it had been sug-
gested preference be given chil-
dren 5 to 9. Basis for the change
in Texas was records showing 44
per cent of paralytic polio last
year hit children under 5.

Though the state vaccine com-
mittee has no official authority,
it anticipated no difficulty in
getting cooperation. Its nine
members represent top officials
and leaders in the medical,
pharmaceutical and osteopathic
profession.

Senterfitt Chooses Chairman

Reuben Senterfitt last week
announced that a fellow San
Saban, Kelly Owen, will direct
his campaign for governor.

Owen will have his first polit-
ical experience when Senter-
fitt's 22-member steering com-
mittee meets in Austin Aug. 17.

Leasing Program Clean

Multi-million dollar public
school land leasing operations
apparently are not involved in
Texas' land scandal.

State Land Commissioner J.
Earl Rudder testified last week
he had found no evidence of
school land irregularities.

Rudder's testimony was in the
windup of a court of inquiry.
Begun in April, it was conducted
by the Attorney General's De-
partment.

Emphasis has been on land of-
fice activities other than the
veterans program. Multiple in-
vestigations in the latter area
resulted in 319 indictments and
conviction of former Land Com-
missioner Bascom Giles.

Rudder said he still is sending
files of questionable veterans
land transactions to district at-
torneys.

Other witnesses told of land in
Mexico traded under the veter-
ans program, and of question-
able block deals in Maverick
County.

Investigation of these stories
was begun immediately by the
Attorney General's Department.

Giles Jury Cost Extra

As a postscript to the Bascom
Giles theft trial, Travis County
has a bill for \$542.20.

This was the cost of putting
jurymen in air-conditioned hotel
rooms. One juror had become ill
from stifling courthouse dormi-
tory heat, threatening a mis-
trial.

Plans for courthouse air con-
ditioning have since been initia-
ted.

Water Mobilization Urged

Mobilization in a "battle for
survival" against water shortage
is urged by State Senator Dor-
sey B. Hardeman of San Angelo.

Hardeman heads the Texas
Water Resources Committee
which met last week to review
water conservation action by the
recent legislature.

He recommended farm and
business interests and local lead-
ers organize to make Texans
water conscious.

Recommendations for future
government action will be in
the committee's biannual report
Sept. 1.

Construction Record Set

Estimated value of construc-
tion in Texas hit an all-time
peak the first half of 1955. It
prompted prediction for a new
overall business record this year
from the University of Texas
Bureau of Business Research.
Only a severe decline, said bur-

Sarah Louder Becomes Bride of Stanley Barnes in Rites at Home

Sarah Louder, daughter of Mr.
and Mrs. Henry Louder of Stan-
ton, became the bride of Stanley
Barnes at 7 o'clock Saturday
evening, August 6, in the home
of her parents.

The bridegroom is the son of
Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Barnes of
McCauley. He served two years
in the army and is presently em-
ployed by Cap Rock Electric Co-
operative. The bride is a 1955
graduate of Stanton high school.

Rev. J. W. Arnett of Big Spring
read the double ring ceremony
before an altar of ivy. White
candles in tiered crystal holders
flanked the altar.

Given in marriage by her
father, the bride wore a dress of
white imported organdy trim-
med with rows of white lace. It
was fashioned with a pleated
waist length skirt and a fitted
bodice which was buttoned with
tiny satin covered buttons.

Pearls, silver beads and a white
veil trimmed her white satin
hat. Her white shoes also were
trimmed with pearls.

She carried an orchid on a
white ribbon. A white lace hand-
kerchief and tiny white velvet
flowers centered with pearls at-
tached to streamers completed
the bouquet.

As something old the bride
wore a pearl pin belonging to
her aunt, Mrs. George Lewis.
Something borrowed was a pen-
ny borrowed from an aunt, Mrs.
Gertrude Rodricks of Los Ange-
les, Calif. A garter crocheted by
her grandmother, Mrs. W. M.
Thomason of Big Spring, was
something blue. Her dress and
accessories were new.

Anna Belle Heckler was maid
of honor. She wore a waist
length dress of blue polished cot-
ton. Her corsage was of white
carnations.

Joyce Petree was bridesmaid.

After the ceremony, the bride
and groom, accompanied by their
parents, went to the home of Mr.
and Mrs. A. T. Barnes, Richard
and Johnny of McCauley; Mr.
and Mrs. Donald Barnes of
Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. W. M.
Thomason of Big Spring; Mr.
and Mrs. Roy Evans, Ronnie and
Bubba, of Odessa; Mrs. Rodricks
of Los Angeles; and Mrs. Bea-
trice Mittel of Big Spring.

Her waltz length dress was of
pink antique taffeta. Her flow-
ers were white carnations.

Donald Ray Barnes of Sweet-
water served his brother as best
man. Groomsman was Jack Al-
len of Stanton.

A reception was held in the
home of the bride's parents fol-
lowing the ceremony. The lace-
laid table was centered with a
miniature wedding cake topped
with a miniature bride and
groom. Fern and white flowers
surrounded the cake.

Pink punch and cake were
served by Mrs. Dorothy Voelke,
Mrs. Roy Evans of Odessa, and
Mrs. Gertrude Rodricks of Los
Angeles, Calif.

Linda Louder, sister of the
bride, was at the register.

For a wedding trip to East
Texas the bride chose a two-
piece navy linen dress with navy
accessories.

The couple will make their
home at 505 N. St. Joseph in
Stanton.

Out-of-town guests were Mr.
and Mrs. A. T. Barnes, Richard
and Johnny of McCauley; Mr.
and Mrs. Donald Barnes of
Sweetwater; Mr. and Mrs. W. M.
Thomason of Big Spring; Mr.
and Mrs. Roy Evans, Ronnie and
Bubba, of Odessa; Mrs. Rodricks
of Los Angeles; and Mrs. Bea-
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Baptist W.M.U. Has Service Program

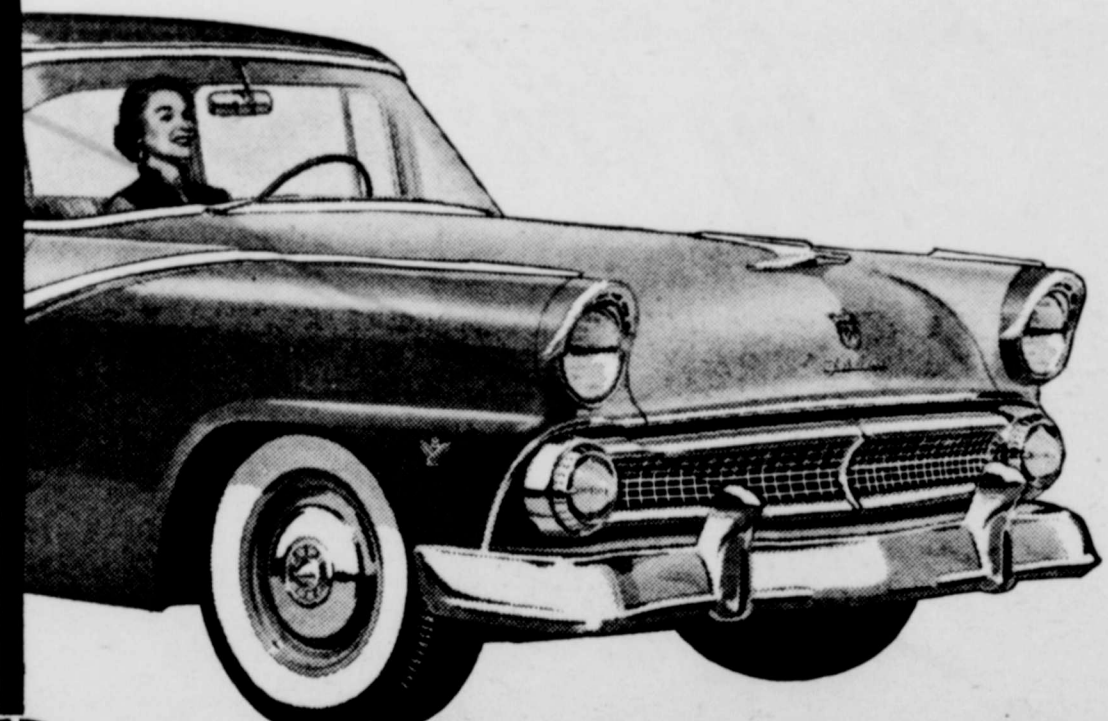
The Women's Missionary Un-
ion, First Baptist Church, met
Monday at the church for a
Royal Service program.

Mrs. Guy Eiland was in charge
of the program.

Attending were Mrs. Eiland,
Mrs. B. F. White, Mrs. Roy Mar-
tin, Mrs. Joan Long, Miss Carrie
Alvis, Mrs. W. H. Yater and Mrs.
John Pinkston.

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Farm & Ranch Review



By JAMES E. KELLY

If there is anybody who has a good word to say about this hot weather it is the cotton farmers. It's right up their alley. They have an expression of praise for weather which has a temperature that can easily boil water. The hot weather has its effect on checking the progress of insects damaging the cotton. The process of spreading poison over the cotton fields by the growers is in full swing.

A survey of the assortment of insects working on the cotton, is finding a new comer in the ranks of the destructive insect family. It is called the cabbage looper that feasts on the cotton leaves.

If the first bale of the 1955 cotton crop meets the record made by the first bale of the 1954 cotton in Martin County, it will have to make its appearance on the corner of the First National Bank in Stanton, this Friday, Aug. 12. It was on that date last year that Troy Pierce brought the first bale of cotton to town. The bale came from the dry land farm of Pierce, 10 miles northwest of Stanton. The bale sold at Chinese auction for \$651.90, and it weighed 530 pounds. The seed was of the Mocha variety and was planted April 10.

The Mitchell County cotton growers are relying strongly on the work of ladybugs to rid their fields of destructive insects. The bugs eat the larvae and the eggs of the insects, thus destroying them before they reach the stage to do the crop much damage. Most of the ladybug invasion is in the irrigated fields in the Loraine community. The destructive ladybugs are being purchased from a dealer in California at the price of \$3.50 per gallon. There are several thousand ladybugs in a gallon, we understand.

At the Texas Angora Goat Raisers' Assn. and show held last week at Kerrville, Miss Nancy Bryan Hunt of Sonora, was selected Miss Mohair. She is the 16-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Hunt, ranch couple at Sonora.

The Fort Stockton Chamber of Commerce is taking time by the forelock in raising its premium money for the first bale of cotton. A drive is being made among the merchants for contributions, and at the moment, the amount of money in escrow waiting to handover to the grower of the first cotton bale produced from the 1955 crop in

Pecos County, stood last week at \$359.50.

A new gin is being readied for taking care of this year's Pecos County cotton crop. It is located 4 miles west of Fort Stockton on highway 290, and is capable of turning out 10 bales per hour. The plant will cost \$250,000.

Report from the Extension Service County Agent Work out of Lubbock the bollworm activity increased in seven of the South Plains counties, among which the report included Martin County. Since bollworm moths are appearing in larger numbers in cotton fields and since conditions are favorable for development of the insect, frequent checks should be made for the presence of eggs and small worms.

Cabbage loopers appeared in larger numbers in many fields throughout the area. Many cotton growers in Martin County, report finding the loopers working in their cotton.

The Hill Country Cowboy Camp Meeting, opened Sunday for a week's engagement. The meeting is being held on the Kerrville-Junction section of State Highway 27, 15 miles northwest of Kerrville.

Preachers chosen by the sponsoring organization comprise one a Presbyterian, one Methodist, and one Baptist.

The Agricultural Department, Washington, D. C. announced the production of shorn wool will be 2 per cent less than last year. The reduction in production this year was the result of decrease in the number of sheep shorn.

Texas' production this year is 42,427,000 pounds.

Stantonites Attend Education Seminar

A group of ladies from the First Methodist Church attended an education seminar held last Tuesday at Wesley Methodist Church in Big Spring.

Attending were Mrs. Morgan Hall, Mrs. Bob Cox, Mrs. Raymond Phillips, Mrs. Bob Halslip, Mrs. Finley Rhodes, Mrs. James Jones, Mrs. Phil Berry and Mrs. James Biggs.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Butcher of Hobbs, N. M. visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Butcher, and other friends and relatives.

Strict Tests Through Every Process Assure Safety of Salk Polio Vaccine

For the first time in history, a vaccine is protecting millions of human beings from paralytic polio. While the Salk vaccine will not work in every case, American children are being safeguarded against the dread disease, with no more risk than they would take in a vaccination against smallpox or a typhoid shot. The Salk vaccine must pass elaborate tests under the watchful eye of a government inspector at every stage of production. Then the final packaged vaccine is approved by the U.S. Public Health Service for distribution. Here are shown a few of the steps that assure American parents their children are being given a safe vaccine.



This technician is filtering dead cells and all other foreign matter from polio virus after it has grown on animal tissue in glass containers.



Virus is "cooked" in tank with formaldehyde (from bottle) until it is rendered harmless, after which it must pass exacting safety tests.



Animal tissue in tubes is inoculated with vaccine and let stand. If any live virus remains, it will multiply here, hence can be detected.



This expert is examining tissue after contact with vaccine, to determine absence of live virus.



It's all over and it didn't hurt a bit! Salk vaccine makes this little girl safer now from paralytic polio. And her parents feel better too!

New Garden City Co-Operative Telephone System Already Boasts 80 Subscribers

By SANDRA WILKERSON

The new telephone system that is being formed in Garden City will be the Glasscock County Telephone Company and already has 80 subscribers. They expect to have 100 telephones.

The system will be run on a cooperative basis with 21 directors. Shares are now being sold. Plans for the system are being drawn and bids for construction are to be asked in about two weeks.

Formation of the new telephone system climaxed a long period of dissatisfaction in Garden City. Telephone users have voiced complaints about the quality of service offered in the present exchange.

The present exchange is still doing business, although most of the telephones it had are now disconnected.

Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Sawyers and Jimmie McCorquodale have gone to Colorado Springs, Colo. where the men will participate in a rodeo there.

Mrs. Jennie Young has returned to her home in Coahoma after visiting her mother, Mrs. Lucy Hightower.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hightower visited their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Hobbs and Barry, over the weekend in Stamford.

Mrs. Belle Wilkerson is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Burnson in Midland.

Visitors Sunday in the C. E. Crow home were his sister-in-law, Mrs. Annie Crow, and her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Pierce, all of Lubbock.

Visitors in the Ellmore Johnson home over the weekend were Mr. and Mrs. Morris Cecil and family of Fort Wayne, Ind.

West Texas C. of C. Directors to Meet

MIDLAND—Directors of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce from throughout the 10 counties of the regional chamber's District Number 6 will meet here August 11.

Principal item on the agenda is the election of a vice-president for the district.

Directors will then consider recommendations of the organization's program of work committee, to be presented by Fred H. Husbands, executive vice-president and general manager of the WTCC.

Ray Grisham of Abilene, president of the 132-county regional chamber, will preside at the meeting which will be held at 10:00 a.m. in Parlor 4, Scharbauer Hotel.

Cecil Bridges, director of the WTCC, and Ed Davis, manager of the Martin County Chamber of Commerce, have been invited to attend this meeting.

MRS. BUCKLAND IS HONORED ON BIRTHDAY

Saturday Mrs. T. O. Buckland was honored with a birthday dinner in her home.

Attending were her daughters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Harris and children of Midland, and Mr. and Mrs. C. I. Odell. Also Mr. Buckland, Sandra and Gaylon attended.

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4-H Club Girls---

(Continued From Page One)

blouse for school. Her blouse was pink and the skirt was of dark print.

Mrs. G. F. Gideon, Singer Sewing Machine clothing instructor of Big Spring, judged the revue. A lattice entwined with ivy and fresh garden flowers provided a background for a garden scene on the stage. The stage was covered with grass and on one side of the stage was wrought iron garden furniture. On the other side was a wishing well, which carried out a wishing well theme.

Glenn Reid stood by the well and wished for dresses, skirts, blouses, formal, aprons and sports wear as Janelle Jones presented each girl and her costume.

Other entries in the senior division were Johnnie Rhodes and Bonnie Green.

Also entering school clothing in the junior division were Sandra Miller, Barbara Graves, Ina Faye Kilpatrick, Linda Nichols, Loretta Jenkins, Zella Odom, Dorothy Hill, Alice Fay Overby and Sandra Kelly.

Others in the junior division were LaVern Morris and Patsy Cox, who modeled aprons, and Marsha Bristow, who modeled pedal pushers.

Mrs. O. J. Jenkins and Mrs. Elma Nichols assisted the girls in the staging of the revue.

Gifts were presented the winners from Bentley's, Hall Drug, Stanton Drug, Sheila Dress Shop, Wilson Dry Goods, Deavenport's, and The Family Store.

Stage material was furnished by Mrs. John Pinkston, Boothe Variety Store and Arrington Funeral Home.

Stanton Folks To Wedding, Reunion

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Cox were in Hico over the weekend to attend the wedding of Miss Karon Higginbotham of Hico to Donald Gene Ross, also of Hico. Mrs. Cox was a bridesmatron and Cox was a groomsman.

After attending the wedding they went to Robert Lee where they attended a reunion Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Freeman Clark. Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Hall also attended the reunion.

Mrs. A. C. Abernathy and children have moved to Big Spring. Paula and Jimmy Cook of Florey are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Cook.

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CAKE MIX, Pillsbury's, white or yellow			29c
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PEARS, Banquet, 303 can			2 for 45c
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BOLOGNA ALL MEAT POUND **35¢**

BACON, Armour's Star, lb.	53c
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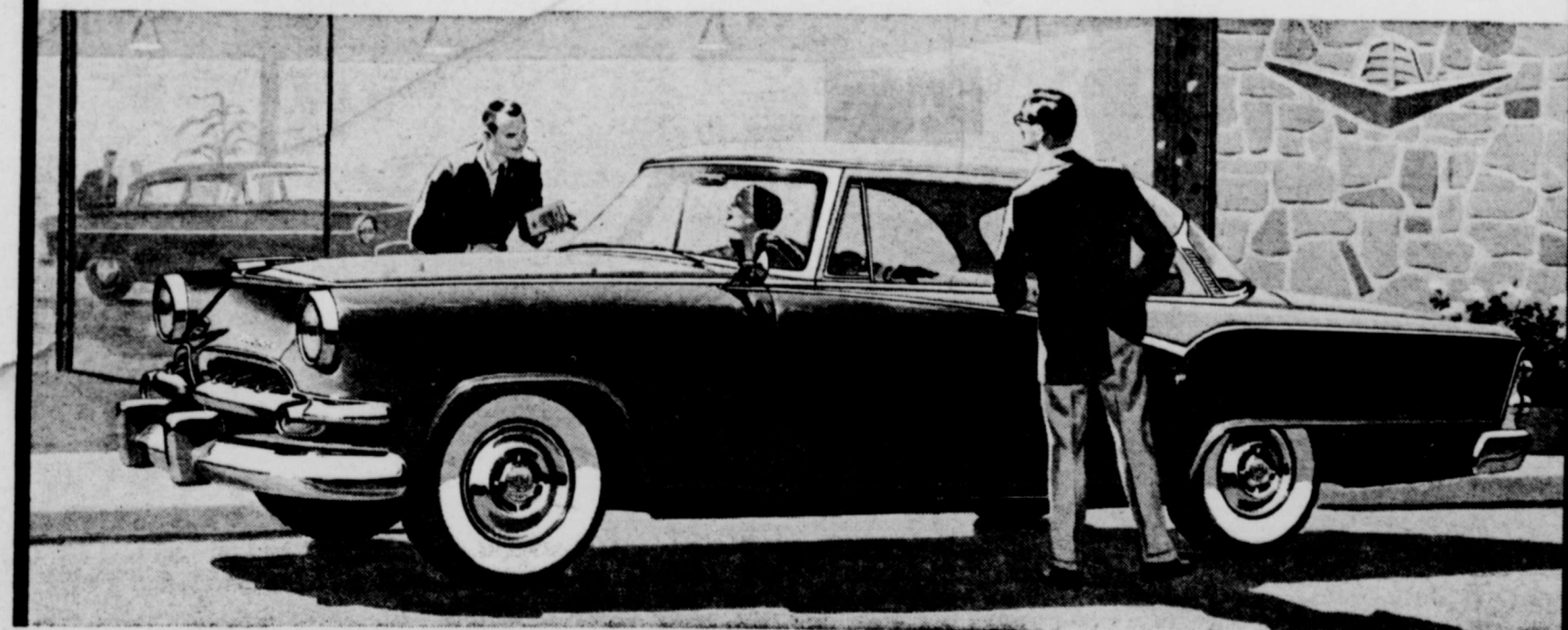
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Mr. and Mrs. George Hogue of Corpus Christi visited last Tuesday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Kelly.

Visiting Saturday afternoon in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McClellan were Mr. and Mrs. George Stain of Odessa.

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Sue Rasberry United In Marriage To Pete Grigg in Ackerly Home

By DOROTHY BAKER

Friday evening, July 29, Sue Rasberry became the bride of Pete Grigg in a double ring ceremony held in the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Rasberry of Ackerly. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Grigg also of Ackerly.

The Rev. J. Roy Haynes, pastor of the Ackerly Baptist Church, read the ceremony before an arch entwined with white ribbons. Baskets of white gladioli and fern flanked the arch.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a street length dress of white polished cotton, fashioned with a fitted bodice, buttoned down the front with tiny covered buttons. The Peter Pan collar was covered with tiny seed pearls and the sleeves were three-quarter length. Her full skirt was box-pleated.

The bride's hat was covered with rhinestones and a small veil. She carried a bouquet of pink rosebuds.

Dawn Springfield of Ackerly, cousin of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore a street length dress of blue polished cotton. The sweetheart neckline of the fitted bodice was pearl trimmed and the skirt was full. Her accessories were white and she wore a white carnation corsage.

Dub Grigg served his brother as best man.

Dolores Mabry played organ music during the hour.

A reception was held immediately after the ceremony. The serving table was laid with a white cut work table cloth over yellow, centered with an arrangement of yellow dahlias and yellow rosebuds. The two-tiered wedding cake was trimmed with yellow rosebuds. Refreshments were served by Dean Springfield and Helen Dosier while Joyce Springfield registered the guests.

When the couple left for a short wedding trip to Ruidoso, N. M., the bride was wearing a beige faille suit with brown accessories and a shoulder corsage of pink roses.

Both the bride and groom are graduates of Ackerly high school. They will make their home at 515 North 6th Street in Lamesa where he is employed by the Cope Butane Company.

Mrs. Charlie Everett was honored with a bridal shower in the day evening, August 3.

Punch and cookies were served by Mrs. Ike Low from a table covered with a white linen embroidery cloth with a central arrangement of cut garden flowers. Mrs. R. H. Graham registered 39 gifts and Wanda Williams played piano music during the party.

Hostesses included Mesdames R. N. Adams, Virgil Graham, R. H. Graham, Ike Low, R. H. Quinn, George Hall, Gene Cates, Covie Williams, Leonard Coleman, Howard Armstrong, and A. F. Langford.

The Rev. and Mrs. Roy Haynes have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Lenelle, to Deane Simpson, Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Simpson of San Antonio. The wedding is to take place August 21 in the Ackerly Baptist Church.

The 4-H girls of Ackerly met

Wednesday evening, August 3, to make plans for their clothing workshop that will be held at the school soon. Clara Redman, Dawson County home demonstration agent, will meet with the girls at these all day sessions. The days they have planned to meet will be August 10, August 12, August 15 and August 17. Miss Redman suggested for the girls to make either school clothes or 4-H uniforms.

Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Maxwell, Jr. and boys of Novice visited friends here Wednesday night and Thursday. Mr. Maxwell is a former coach and principal at Ackerly high school.

Mrs. Granville Ingram of Colingo, Calif. has returned to her home after spending a few days here with her sister-in-law and family, Mr. and Mrs. Nick West, and Shirley.

Guests with Mr. and Mrs. Chester Ingram this past week were his parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Ingram, and an aunt, Mrs. Ruby Cate of Tulare, Calif.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Crain and daughter, Zenobia, and granddaughter, Carol Crain of Big Spring spent Thursday night in White City, N. M., and on Friday they went through the Carlsbad Caverns and also visited other points of interest.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Rudeseal and sons spent the weekend visiting their daughter, Mrs. Tommie Myles, Mrs. Myles and Stanley, in Lubbock.

Mrs. H. C. Bristow was to have left Monday morning for Baylor Hospital in Waco where she will undergo major surgery, Wednesday, August 10. She is the mother of J. V. Bristow also of Ackerly.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Cozart are the grandparents of a grandson born to Mr. and Mrs. Robert Cozart, Sterling City Route, Big Spring. The baby was born on August 5 in a Big Spring hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Billie Etcherson and children visited his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Edwards of Gatesville, Texas, then stayed a few days in Ruidoso, N. M.

Sunday guests with Mr. and Mrs. J. Archer were their children, Mrs. Lonnie Coker, Mrs. Gene Turner and Mrs. O. J. Watts and children all from Big

Spring. Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Smith of Lamesa, and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Archer of Ackerly. The Lonnie Coker's were to have left Tuesday for a two-week vacation in California.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Prather were accompanied by three Ackerly basketball girls to San Marcos where they spent last week attending a basketball school.

Rev. and Mrs. James Eubanks, Mrs. Kinzie Reese, Mrs. Frank

Hope and Mr. and Mrs. J. I. White recently attended a Bible class teachers' meeting at the Abilene Christian College.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Proctor and Mrs. Wade Bartlett of Lamesa were Tuesday night guests with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Moore.

Lee Lemon and Thomas Gregg attended a youth activities program in Lubbock recently.

Wymon Russell from California has been here visiting Elmer

Russell, Mr. and Mrs. John Willoughby and Mr. and Mrs. Travis Russell and Beverly.

Lenelle Haynes, who has been attending Howard-Payne College at Brownwood, is now home with her parents, Rev. and Mrs. J. Roy Haynes and Jeanine and James. Cynthia Etheredge of Tahoka has been a guest with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Etheredge.

Mrs. Stant Davis left Wednesday night of last week to visit her son, Garnett Davis, and family in Kingsville.

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Group From Here Attends Wedding

Mrs. Ann Davis was in Crane Friday to attend the wedding of her granddaughter, Betty Lee Bassham. Miss Bassham, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Bassham, was married to Billy Ray Bishop Friday night in the Crane Church of Christ.

Mrs. Norris Chesser also attended the wedding. Another granddaughter, Karen Ann Bassham, accompanied Mrs. Davis home and is spending the week with her.

Assembly of God To Hold Revival

A two-week revival will begin Sunday night, August 14, at the Assembly of God Church. Services will be held each night at 8 o'clock.

Henry Lamb from Alabama will be the visiting evangelist. Special singing will be led by Rev. E. W. Way each night of the revival. The public is invited to attend each service.

The short pipes in a pipe organ produce the high notes.

Mahon Is Off On Important Trip to Europe

George Mahon has announced that he plans to leave for Europe this week to attend a meeting in Finland and have a look at the Military Public Works Program.

He has been appointed as a delegate to the Interparliamentary Union which meets in Helsinki, Finland, on August 24. This is a meeting of representatives of Congresses and Parliaments of many of the countries of the world. Delegates are expected from 29 nations, including Russia. Mahon said he did not know whether the meetings would be worth-while or not, but felt he would like to attend and get the feel of the world situation. He will serve on the Committee on World Disarmament.

Mahon handles all appropriations bills in the House of Representatives for our armed forces. This included, during the session just closed, the 31-billion-dollar defense bill and the military public works bill.

In the public works measure a large sum was included for the continuation of the construction of U. S. military bases overseas. Upon Mahon's insistence several million dollars were stricken from the bill for additional new bases in Spain, England and France. "I think our overseas bases have been a great deterrent to war, but I am getting more and more skeptical of this program, particularly from a long-range viewpoint, and I have grave doubts that it should be expanded. The whole program of our having American bases and troops in sovereign countries abroad rests upon a rather shaky foundation. I plan to visit a number of the bases and confer with our own people and citizens and officials of other countries," Mahon said.

Mrs. Mahon will accompany Mr. Mahon to Finland and on a portion of the remainder of the trip, not at government expense. Mahon's Washington office will be open during his absence, and his office staff will be on the alert to be of every possible assistance to the people of our



MISS UNIVERSE — Hellevi Rombin, 21, of Upsala, Sweden, has been chosen "Miss Universe" from a world-wide selection of beauties who met at Long Beach, Calif., to enter the annual contest. Vital statistics: Blonde, blue-eyed, 5 feet, 7 inches tall, 130 pounds; measurements: 36-23-36.

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ENGAGEMENT ANNOUNCED—Mr. and Mrs. A. Ray Russell, Route Two, Big Spring, have announced the engagement and approaching marriage of their daughter, Paula, to Richard Lewis, son of Mr. and Mrs. George Lewis of Stanton. The wedding date will be announced later.

Benny Welch Has Party for Friends

Benny Welch entertained friends with a party Friday night at his home near Tarzan. Ring games were played. Cakes, cookies and ice cream were served.

Attending were Mrs. I. E. Welch, Benny, Charlie, Glynda, and Gracie Welch, Barbara and Leon White, Annette Howard,

Lora Lou Pierce, Doris Godwin, Yvonne Anderson, Faye Ramsey, Jimmy and Jerry Wilborne, Bonnie, J. D. and Joyce Green.

Barbara Stewart, Alice Stewart, J. T. Springer, Jack and Bill Alfred, Lole Badgett, Harold Smith, Gerald Smith, J. D. House, Malcolm Tunnell, Sam Foreman, Darrell Pollock, Margaret Pierce, and Ray Massingill of Brownfield.

District. He himself will be in frequent contact with the Washington office during his trip.

The parrot has no wishbone.

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Officers Elected By Youth Group

Officers were elected when a young people's band, Christ Ambassador, was organized Sunday night at the Assembly of God Church.

Rev. Charles P. Berryhill was elected president. Vice president is Carl Phillips. Other officers are Alice Holder, secretary-treasurer; Madiolyn Holder, pianist; and Sheila Holder, song leader. All young people are invited to attend and take part in the activities each Sunday night from 7 o'clock to 8.

The Thousand Islands are located in the St. Lawrence River.

Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Way and Faunza are attending a Camp Meeting of West Texas District Council of Assembly of God Churches in Lubbock. The meeting started August 2 and will end Friday. Rev. Paul Lowenberg of Coffeyville, Kansas is the preacher. The Ways also plan to visit Carlsbad Caverns.

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It is more than 11,000 higher than the full model year of 1950—when the automobile industry had its greatest year, and Buick established an all-time record that stood unchallenged until now.

It is almost a quarter of a million more automobiles than the full model year of 1941—which was the greatest prewar record Buick ever reached.

In other words, there has never been anything like 1955 in Buick history—when today Buick is building over three cars ever minute to meet the public demand.

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Doesn't it mean that you ought to try Buick's mighty V8 power—Buick's great room and comfort—Buick's cruiser-steady ride and roadability—Buick's superb visibility and precision handling ease?

And doesn't it mean you certainly ought to try Buick's Variable Pitch Dynaflo—the world's only transmission with the switch-pitch principle of the modern plane's propeller—and the most spectacular performance advance of the year?

Come in and see us—this week, at the latest—and learn for yourself why today's Buick is the biggest-selling Buick of all time—and how big a trade-in deal we can offer you with this tremendous volume to back us up.

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NEWS FROM FLOWER GROVE

By MRS. C. A. WEBB

Stanley Hart of Lynn, Mass. spent the weekend with Elmer Lawrence Webb in the C. A. Webb home. He is employed in Monahans.

Farmers in this part of the community have been busy getting their crops plowed over and hoed since the rains fell. Most all the farmers are busy poisoning their crops for worms.

Mr. and Mrs. Winston Davis and sons of Big Sandy spent last week with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Webb and Inez. Mrs. Davis is Mrs. Webb's sister.

Mrs. E. M. Cave has been in East Texas visiting for several weeks. She is now visiting with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs.

Clyde Carmichael, in Cleburne.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Green, Freddie and Bennie, of Forsan spent the weekend in the home of Mrs. Green's mother, Mrs. A. G. Webb, Lue Bell and R. B. Mr. and Mrs. G. F. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Cook, Joy and Billie Fern attended a family reunion over the weekend in Oklahoma.

Thirty-six persons attended Sunday School at Bethel Church Sunday. Only 10 attended training union. Preaching services were not held.

Billie Joe Webb, who is employed in Lamesa, is spending a week's vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Webb.

Workman Injured In Fall From Building

Monday morning Ben Faulkner, 17, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Faulkner of Big Spring, fractured his right leg in a 12-foot fall from an awning on Bill Rhodes' new store building.

He was employed by his father on the remodeling of the building.

Faulkner was lifting some material to a scaffolding when he stepped off the awning, fracturing both bones of his right leg just above the ankle.

He received treatment at Martin County Memorial Hospital and then was transferred to a Big Spring hospital by Arrington ambulance.

Sunday visitors in the R. H. Kelly home were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Eaker, Mrs. L. B. Russell, and Rex Kelly, all of Big Spring.

LEONARD ALEXANDER RETURNS TO BASE

Leonard Alexander, who has been visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Alexander, left Tuesday morning by plane for Bremerton, Wash. He has been in the navy three and one-half years and is stationed on the "Shangri La."

Alexander joined his parents in New Plymouth, Idaho, where they were visiting. They then visited in Grand Junction, Colo., and then returned to Stanton where he spent the remainder of a 20-day leave.

Tuesday visitors last week in the home of Rev. and Mrs. E. W. Way were Mrs. Way's parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. F. Caraway, of Breckenridge. Also her sister, Jane Caraway, of Breckenridge visited in the Way home.

Visiting in the Jack Arrington home is Mrs. Arrington's mother, Mrs. Cora Pierce, of Dallas.



Newsmen Will Observe 25th Anniversary

AUSTIN, Tex.—Colorado City—mother city of West Texas and birthplace of the West Texas Press Association, will be homecoming host to the association's Silver Jubilee Convention, Aug. 12-13.

Newspaper host to the convention will be the Colorado City Record, co-published by Roy V. Fox and Joe E. Bell.

Founded in Colorado City on November 20, 1926, the West Texas Press Association has met in Colorado City only one other time—for the 15th annual convention in 1940. While WTPA actually will be 28 years old this year, the convention will be the 25th. It missed several conventions due to transportation difficulties during World War II.

Highlighting the convention, to be held in Colorado City's Civic House—which recently won first place in the United States Junior Chamber of Commerce project contest—will be the past president's luncheon on Friday at which all past presidents of WTPA will be honored.

Max Bentley of Abilene, who helped organize the association and was its president in 1934, will be speaker. A veteran Texas newspaperman, Bentley was co-founder of the old Corpus Christi Democrat, former managing editor of the Houston Chronicle and Abilene Reporter-News and former director of West Texas Chamber of Commerce.

Registration will be from 8 to 9:30 a.m. on Friday, August 12. A business session will open the convention at 9:30 a.m.

Pres. E. B. Harris, Jr. of the Graham Leader will preside. Walter Grubbs, mayor of Colorado City, will give the welcome. Response will be by Ed Wishcamper, managing editor of Abilene Reporter News and first vice president of WTPA.

Following committee appointments, 1955 Better Newspaper Contest Awards will be presented by Contest Chairman Roy V. Fox.

An address, "Starting Them Out Right" by Dr. William E. Hall, head of Texas Tech's department of journalism, will complete the morning program.

Friday's luncheon speaker will be Chester Lauck, executive assistant to the president of Continental Oil Co., Houston. Lauck is "Lum" of the old "Lum and Abner" team.

Following the past president's luncheon, Elmer Wright, publisher of the Sweetwater Reporter, will be in charge of the afternoon session. Speakers will be Roy V. Fox, "Business Forms and Records;" Oliver Cofer, advertising manager of Big Spring Herald, "Special Editions;" Ed Wishcamper, "Selling and Promoting Your Newspaper;" and H. B. Fox, Circulation Philosopher, "How To Get Rich in the Newspaper Business."

Golfing, bridge, cocktail party, barbecue and dancing at Colorado Country Club will conclude first-day activities. Host will be the Colorado City Chamber of Commerce. Joe E. Bell is its president.

West Texas Chamber of Commerce will sponsor its annual breakfast Saturday morning at the Civic House. Wishcamper will preside. Fred H. Husbands, general manager of WTCC, will be featured speaker with Paul D. Marable, Jr., director of information, making the Distinguished Community Service award to the winning newspaper.

Morning speakers are W. H. Graham, Jr. of the State Line Tribune at Farwell, "Agricultural Reporting;" panel of Ben Oglesby of the Bronte Enterprise; J. L. Werst, Jr. of the Big Lake Wildcat and E. B. Harris, Jr. of the Graham Leader, "Thinking of Moving;" Russell W. Bryant of the Italy News-Herald and TPA president, "Teletypesetter in the Weekly Shop;" and Vern Sanford, TPA general manager, "Report From Your Texas Press Association."

Reports of committees and election of officers will complete the morning program.

Group To Attend Reunion of Church

A group left Friday to attend the annual reunion of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints. It is being held August 8-14 in Wilburton, Okla.

Attending are Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Church and Stevie, Mrs. Tommy Hursh and Nancy, Mrs. O. E. Saunders, Eddie Ray and Frankie Jo, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Church and Sherry, and Max Ridings.

Also attending are Mr. and Mrs. Bill Johnson and sons and Mrs. Cecil Schuelke and Roger of Midland.

Mrs. Clark Hursh of Rich Hill, Mo. visited last week with Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Hursh. Mrs. Carl Clardy has been a patient in an Odessa hospital.

Libby Hildreth Is Honoree When Courtney Friends Give Shower

By KATHLEEN LEWIS

Miss Libby Hildreth was honored on Wednesday evening, August 3, with a bridal shower at the recreational hall of the Baptist Church. Hostesses were Mrs. Leslie Hull, Mrs. J. F. Fields, Mrs. Leo Payne, Mrs. R. S. Lewis, Mrs. Curtis Powell, and Mrs. Oliver Vaughn.

The hall was decorated throughout with cut flowers. A cutwork linen cloth covered the table which was centered with the punch bowl. Mrs. Payne served punch and Mrs. Hull and Mrs. Fields served cake.

Alice Stewart presided at the bride's registry and Barbara Stewart played piano selections during the evening.

Miss Hildreth and Kenneth Gilmore were married Saturday evening in services at the Baptist Church in Lenora. Both attended school at Courtney of which Kenneth is a 1955 graduate. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Gilmore, longtime residents of this community, who now reside near Stanton.

The Rev. J. F. Fields, pastor of the Baptist Church, has announced that a revival will begin at the church on Friday evening, August 19, and continue through Sunday, August 28.

The Rev. Richard Philpott, pastor of a church at Odessa, will conduct the services and Jakey Shirley, of Big Spring, will have charge of the song service.

Morning services are to begin at 8:00 and evening services at 8:00 p.m. with prayer services each evening prior to the evening sermon. The pastor invites everyone to come and enjoy this revival.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Stewart were in Waco Monday where they attended funeral services for her uncle, C. H. Tindell of Waco. Mr. Tindell, about 70, succumbed Saturday at his home. The cause of death was attributed to an heart ailment. Funeral services were held Monday afternoon in the First Methodist Church in Waco.

The Stewarts left Sunday and drove to Dallas where they spent the night with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Corley, before driving to Waco Monday for the services.

Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Collins and family of Hanover, N. M., are visiting here with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Claude Davis.

Mrs. Velma Stewart from Galveston visited here recently with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Hazlewood and family.

Visitors this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Holcombe included Mr. and Mrs. Price Holcombe and family of Wink; Jerry Don Holcombe of Monahans; Mrs. J. T. Bell and Maggie McKinnon of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Dunigan and family from Elbow.

Weekend visitors in the M. I. Yell home included their daughters, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Green and sons from Portales, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Mitchell and family from Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Myrick accompanied by their daughter

and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Crone, enjoyed a vacation trip to Ruidoso, N. M., recently.

Mrs. Jess Angel accompanied her sisters, Mrs. Esta Lee Nuttall of Midland and Mrs. Gus Koonce of Lenora to Kerrville over the weekend where they visited with Mrs. Nuttall's daughter, Linda, who is attending camp there.

Mrs. Zelma Milam and Joe of Robert Lee visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Lewis and sons of this community and with Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Bristow and family and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Baum in Stanton.

Visitors recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bart Davis were her niece, Betty Allen of Evansville, Ind., and her nephew, Mr. and Mrs. Bobby Allen and family of Madisonville, Ky. On Tuesday of last week, the visitors and Mr. and Mrs. Davis drove to Amarillo and visited with the Davis' daughters, Mrs. Louvenia Boykin and Beth, and Mr. and Mrs. J. W. McCullough and daughters.

Mrs. M. I. Yell and Shirley will leave on Thursday for a visit in Los Angeles and San Francisco, Calif. They will visit in San Francisco with Mrs. Yell's brothers and sisters, and in Los Angeles with her mother, Mrs. Ara Solomon.

Diane and Brenda Laird from San Bernardino, Calif. visited recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. B. Hazlewood and family.

The annual Hull reunion was held in Big Spring at the park on Sunday, August 7. Attending from this community were Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Hull and Donnie, Mrs. Elmer Hull, the Leslie Hull's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Murdock and son from Odessa, Carroll Hull and guest, and the Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Fields. One hundred and fifteen attended the affair.

Visitors recently in the home of the Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Fields were their grandsons, George, Eddie and Johnny Clarke of Andrews; their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Hardy and family of Ranger, and the Rev. Cole Merritt of Snyder.

Baptists To Talk Stewardship Duty

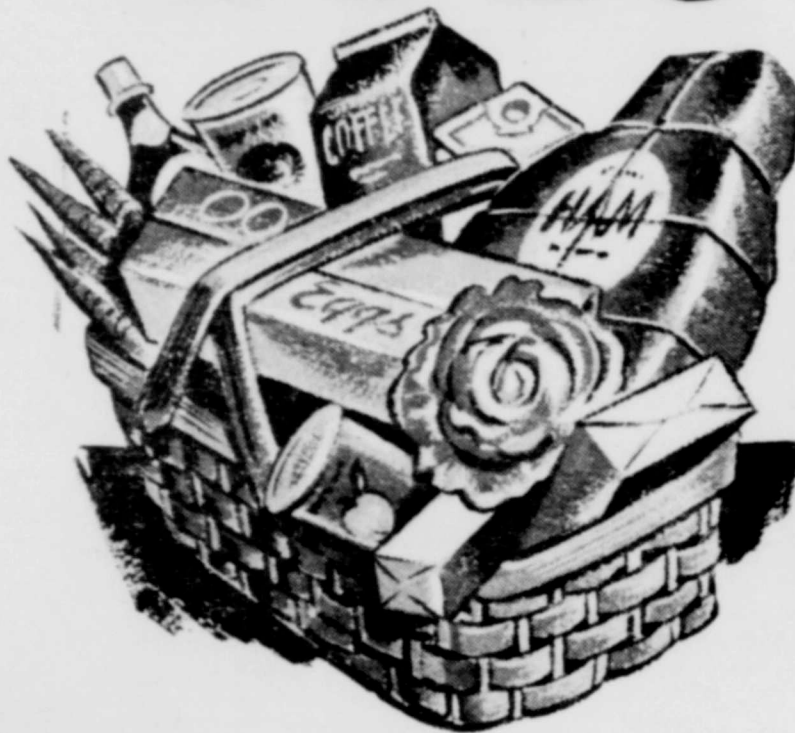
A church-wide school of missions and stewardship will be held in the First Baptist Church of Stanton, beginning Friday, September 4, and closing Friday, September 9.

The Stanton church is cooperating with other Southern Baptist churches in promoting this week and helping to reach a goal of 2,500 schools of missions in the 3,600 Texas Baptist churches.

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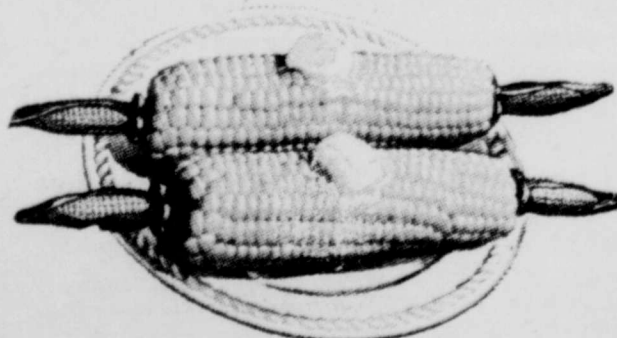
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Soil Conservation Group Plans For New Projects

Mostly routine business was attended to when members of the board of the Martin-Howard soil conservation district met Friday in Stanton.

Plans for 18 new conservation projects were discussed and approved, and the group discussed joining other districts in the placing of boundary signs along the highways. The district voted to sponsor a booth at the Martin county fair September 30 and October 1. Ed Davis, manager of the Martin county chamber of commerce, invited the group to take part in the farm tour August 18.

The supervisors are sponsoring a range tour and judging contest in Howard county. A specific date will be scheduled later.

New methods of handling district equipment were discussed so that the drill and other equipment will be available and ready to use when a farmer wants them. Some district equipment will be stationed in Tarzan.

Marshall Johnson, F.H.A. representative, explained farm ownership loans, soil and water conservation loans and emergency loans.

The Martin - Howard SCD Board of Supervisors next regular meeting will be September 2. Anyone interested in meeting with the board of supervisors of the Martin - Howard SCD is invited to attend.

Group Returns From East Texas Visit

Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Bridges, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Graves and Granville have returned from Yantis, Texas, where they attended the Vest family reunion. One hundred and seven persons attended.

While Mr. and Mrs. Bridges remained one day longer at Yantis, Mr. and Mrs. Graves and Granville enroute home visited the Oddfellow and Rebekah orphanage home at Corsicana and the Oddfellow and Rebekah Old Folks Home at Ennis. Also visiting in the homes with the Graves were Henry Bridges and daughters of Lamesa and Mrs. Mary Bridges and sons of Big Spring.

Cotton Test Plots Are Being Studied

Dr. Lester Blank of New Mexico A. and M. College at Las Cruces, was scheduled to be in Martin county Wednesday, checking on test plots of blight-resistant cotton.

These test plots are being handled by Elma Nichols, George Lewis, A. C. Powell and Billy Joe Smith.

Last week Mr. and Mrs. Tom Angel and Mrs. John Pinkston visited in Snyder. On Thursday they attended a family picnic dinner. Approximately 60 attended including Mr. Angel's brother, Walter Angel of California.

Mrs. Dora Ashley has been visiting with her daughter, Mrs. Leona Howard, in San Angelo. Mrs. Howard has a new son. During her month away from home Mrs. Ashley visited in Junction, Robert Lee, and Abilene. She is to return home this weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Church and Sherry are moving to Lamoni, Iowa where he will attend Graceland College.

The Clayton Burnams visited over the weekend in Iran with their son, H. C. Burnam, Jr. and family.

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