

THE PRIDE OF DODSON

These young singers and musicians are among the most popular entertainers appearing throughout the southeast Panhandle and southwest Oklahoma in recent months. Pictured with their director,

Ted Parker, standing at back, the Pride of Dodson includes Roger Hugh Painter, cornet; Kenneth Hunt, drums, and these vocalists: Garth Lewis, Glenn Ray Hunt, Eddie Z. Hunt and Joe Lennon.

—Leader Staff Photo

Petition Presented Board on School Bond Election

A petition asking for a bond election for construction of a new school gymnasium and other improvements, was presented to the board of trustees of the Wellington Independent School District in a called meeting Friday night, April 20.

This was an official petition and makes it mandatory that the school board call the bond election, Velman Warrick, president of the board explained. The earlier petition circulated, he pointed out, for sampling purposes to get an idea of the public feeling on a bond election for this purpose.

The board, in a meeting planned for Wednesday night, April 25, will call a bond election in the amount of \$250,000 for construction of a gymnasium and band room in one building on the high school grounds, and for a cafeteria on the elementary school grounds.

A cafeteria, Warrick explained, is a cafeteria and auditorium combination.

The date of the election will be set at the Wednesday night meeting.

The school board has been conferring with William C. Townes and associates, architects and engineers of Amarillo regarding estimated costs and plans, and Mr. Townes is due to have for the board Wednesday night an architects drawing of the proposed buildings. These will then be put on display in some store downtown for the general public to see.

Wellington Area Landmark Burns

The home of the W. W. McClaskey farm, northeast of Wellington and one of the oldest houses standing in the county, was destroyed by fire around midnight Tuesday, April 24.

It has not been determined how the fire started, but there is a possibility it may have been from electric wiring, Mrs. Keith Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. McClaskey, said.

Also destroyed was an undetermined amount of household goods belonging to Mr. and Mrs. Bill Benton, formerly employed by Rusty Henard, who has the McClaskey place leased. They had been away for several weeks, Henard reported. The Bentons had previously lived in a house on the Henard farm, and that, too, was destroyed by fire about five or six weeks ago. The items lost Tuesday night had been acquired since the first fire.

The McClaskey home was built about 60 years ago by the late Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McClaskey, who homesteaded the section in the 1890's. One of the largest houses in that area, it was a story and a half structure, with seven rooms and two large halls.

The fire was seen by a Mr. Shields driving along Highway 83, and Henard was notified. The Wellington Fire Department farm truck was called but Henard reported the roof was falling in by the time he reached the place, and the truck was unable to halt the blaze.

Ready Plans For Greenbelt Meet

Approximately \$300 in door prizes will be given away at the annual meeting of the Greenbelt Rural Electric Cooperative, Inc. Friday, April 27, George Henry, manager, announced this week.

"There are 18 separate prizes, and there are no strings attached," Henry declared.

Around 1,000 members and their families are expected to be in Wellington for this event, which starts at 2 p. m. and will be held in the community building.

Luther Lowry, Claude, Greenbelt president, will preside.

Henry is directing general plans for the meeting.

The entertainment program will consist of songs by the Pride of Dodson, directed by Ted Parker, and the Quail high school chorus directed by Mrs. Lowell Wells.

Officers and directors for the (continued on page twelve)

Opening of Wellington's Improved Ellison Park on Tuesday, May 1

The opening of Ellison Park, Wellington's playground, has been set for Tuesday evening, May 1, Mrs. Deskins Wells, president of the Wellington Garden Club, has announced.

Appearing at the opening will be the 65-piece Wellington high school band, directed by Charles Blossch, in a half-hour concert. The music will begin at 7:30 p. m.

Wellington area residents are invited to bring picnic suppers and spread them in the park before the concert, Mrs. Wells said.

"This is your park. Your work has made possible the beauty you will find here during the coming summer months, and it is our sincere wish that you will enjoy it," she continued.

There will be no formal pro-

gram, simply an evening of relaxation and band music, the Garden Club president explained.

The Garden Club was given complete responsibility for improving Ellison Park last spring, when it adopted park improvement as a project. The work was begun under the leadership of Mrs. Jim Light, president last year, and is being continued by Mrs. Deskins

Wells, this year's president.

The direct supervision and responsibility for improvement was given to a committee composed of Mrs. Chester Fires, chairman, Mrs. A. L. Elliott and Mrs. Temple Slay.

The City of Wellington volunteered much of the labor, and this work has been done under the supervision of Bura Handley and Jake Leach.

Co-operation of all civic groups was enlisted by the Garden Club as soon as the scope of their project was realized last year, and most of the plans laid out at that time have been carried out by the club sponsoring them, or are in the process of being completed.

The overall improvement program briefly included cleaning up the park, planting permanent shrubs and trees, planting bulbs and flowers for seasonal beauty, and increasing the picnic facilities.

In reviewing the work, Mrs. Fires reported these activities:

The City has repaired and repainted all playground equipment in the park, reworked the tennis courts and volley ball ground, leveled and grassed the park, installed the water system, moved dead trees and replaced them with new ones, and installed a much more adequate lighting system.

The Garden Club itself has been responsible for planting a large part of the shrubbery and flower beds. The shrubbery has been scattered over park, and include, along with trees, a weeping willow, minosa, forsythia, evergreen, red bud, flowering peach, an American elm, and others.

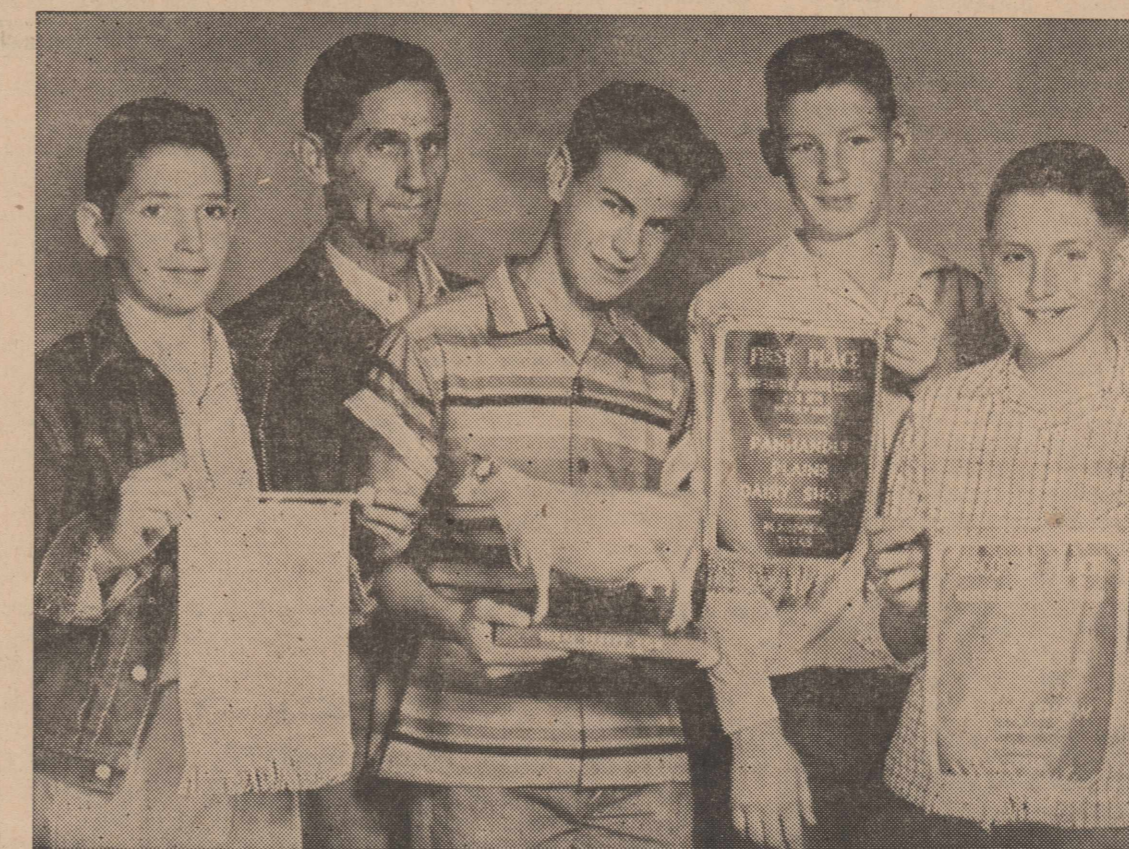
One special tree has been set out by the Garden Club—a permanent Christmas tree. This is a pine, set out this year, and each Christmas season it will be lighted, Mrs. Fires said.

Several rose beds have been set out, and many pink, yellow and red cannas have been planted.

Responsible for the beds are a number of clubs, including the 19-24 Study Club, B&PW Club, Belles Lettres Club, JFF, Domestic Science Club, Past Matrons and Patrons Club and others. Several individuals have taken full responsibility for a complete bed.

This covers the park improvement from the standpoint of plantings.

In the past several permanent concrete picnic tables were built, (continued on page twelve)



PLAINVIEW DAIRY SHOW WINNERS

These boys, who make up the Collingsworth County 4-H Club dairy judging team are Don Langford, County Agent J. W. Thomas, Travis McGuire, Jimmy Peters and Teddy Gentry.

—Photo by Cooper Studio

Labor Survey Will be Taken in Wellington Trade Area May 7

A labor survey, to determine accurately how much labor is available in the Wellington area, will be made Monday, May 7, under the direction of the industrial committee of the Wellington Chamber of Commerce.

While the information gained from the survey will have a number of uses, it is sought primarily as a part of the effort to bring industry to Wellington and figures on the area's labor pool will be available to any industry, or manufacturing concern that may consider the town for a location.

"One of the first questions industrial leaders ask about a town is its supply of labor, and to tell them 'an adequate supply' is not the answer they want, N. M. Higdon, chairman of the Industrial Committee, declared.

Mrs. J. W. Thomas, C-C secretary, explained briefly how the survey will be made.

Headquarters will be in the newly remodeled Chapman building on the west side of the square from 1 to 8:30 p. m. Monday, May 7. Each person wishing to be registered will come to the headquarters where clerks will assist in filling out cards with the desired information. These cards will be put in a permanent file system in the

Chamber of Commerce office. Information is strictly confidential. Information asked for will include: name, address, age range, education (highest grade completed), sex, work experience, handicaps, dependants under age 7 years, and if so can child care be arranged, hourly wage expected, and whether or not the individual is employed, either temporarily or permanently.

More Than \$90 Taken

Burglars Enter High School Sunday Night

Burglars, believed to have entered Wellington high school Sunday night, April 23, took money in excess of \$90 from the office of Principal Maxey McKnight.

Officers are not certain how the burglar or burglars gained entrance to the building, as they might have come in at several points, Sheriff John Rainey said.

The burglar then climbed through a transom into the outer office, then used a knife or screw driver to get into McKnight's office, and a door to the filing cabinet where

the money was kept was pried off. McKnight said the amount of money taken was "something over \$90", most of it junior and senior class money.

The burglary was discovered by McKnight when he opened his office Monday morning, and officers were notified.

Phipps Opens Conoco Station

Formal opening of the Phipps Conoco Station at the corner of 8th and Haskell Streets will be held all day Saturday, April 28, Muri Phipps, proprietor, announced this week.

Mr. Phipps has been operating a station in another location in Wellington for the last 8 years.

The Phipps Conoco Station has moved into a completely new building erected by John Holton, Continental Oil Company Consignee. It is 30 by 50 feet in size and is of concrete block construction with white stucco finish. There is a broad covered driveway with three pumps.

The station is completely modern in design, and was built to meet the needs of the present operator. There are separate wash and grease rooms.

Phipps announced that in addition to the Conoco products, he is handling tires, tubes, and all the usual accessories, and does washing and greasing. Pick-up and delivery service is featured.

"I sincerely appreciate the patronage of all the fine customers I have had, and I cordially invite you to visit me in my new location. Your support makes a man want to get out and do a better job of serving," Phipps said.

This location has been the site of a Conoco Station for around 30 years. The late Judge Holton, long-time Continental Oil Company consignee here, first operated it, and it has been operated by some member of the family most of the time since then.

Youthful Good Will Ambassadors

The Pride of Dodson Brings Recognition to Their Town

The Pride of Dodson is just that! You don't stay in Dodson very long these days till someone asks if you've heard this mixed vocal group. If you haven't, they tell you that you should.

Six boys make up the Pride of Dodson, some of them not yet in their teens. The local quartet includes Garth Lewis, Glenn Ray Hunt, Eddie Z. Hunt and Joe Lennon. Roger Hugh Painter plays the cornet and Kenneth Hunt the drums.

Directing the group is Ted Parker, talented young musician who is also high school principal, coach and teacher. He is their accompanist at the piano.

During recent months, the town of Dodson has gotten publicity from the appearances of the Pride of Dodson that has made neighboring areas frankly envious.

Saturday, April 28, The Pride of Dodson will appear on television, over station KGNC-TV, on the Don McMillan Show at 6:00 p. m.

The Pride of Dodson began the middle of last year as a trio, with Glen and Eddie Hunt, who are cousins and Joe. They practiced several times together, then made their first public appearance at the Samnorwood Talent Show—and won first prize.

Next night they brought down the house at the Wellington Chamber of Commerce banquet.

They became a quartet at the end of the year when Garth joined the group. They didn't sing any during the summer.

This fall instrumentalists were added. Roger Hugh had studied cornet two years at Littlefield, and Kenneth declares he learned to play a drum by practicing on a tin can. The boys sing popular songs, hymns, spirituals, novelty numbers, and a few light-classical pieces.

This year they have appeared at churches in Amarillo, Clarendon,

Estelline, Hollis and Wellington, in addition to those at Dodson and rural churches around there. They sang at Chamber of Commerce banquets at Memphis and Hollis, and they were guest entertainers at the banquet in Plainview honoring the Hutcherson Flying Queens of Wayland College, the Women's AAU National basketball champions.

Added to these appearances at Kiwanis, Rotary and Lions Clubs, the Lacasa Jr.-Sr. banquet; the Gould Alumni banquet, and the Dodson Farmers Co-op Gin annual meeting, Tuesday night they sang at the Wellington Business and Professional Women's Club and Friday they appear at the annual meeting of the Greenbelt Rural Electric Co-operative.

All of the boys live in Dodson. Eddie Z. Hunt is a 7th grade student, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hunt; Glenn Hunt, a sixth grader, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Teutsch; Joe Lennon, in the seventh grade, is the son of (continued on page twelve)

Bratten, Groves Top Graduates At Wellington

Honor graduates of this year's class from Wellington high school were announced Monday, April 23, by Maxey McKnight, high school principal.

Billy Bratten is valedictorian, while Barton Groves is salutatorian. This is the first time in several years that both top honors have gone to boys. Bratten had a grade point average of 2.925, while Groves' average was 2.736.

Donna Sue Lewis was the high ranking girl with an average of 2.621.

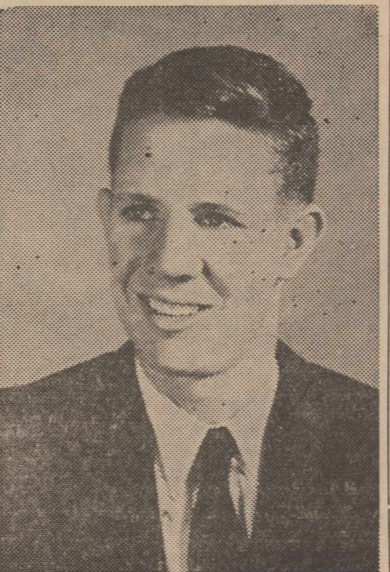
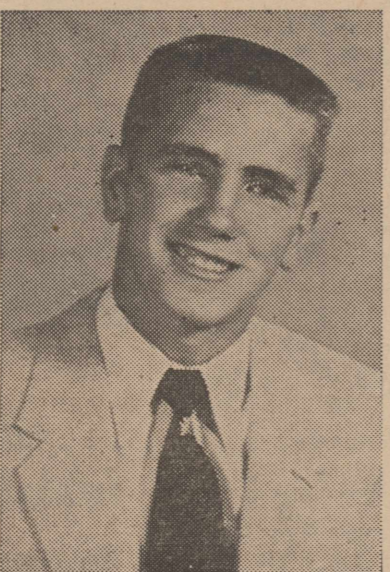
Bratten is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L.B. Bratten, while Groves' parents are Mr. and Mrs. Claude Groves and Miss Lewis is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George R. Lewis.

Ranking above these three, however, were two girls who were not eligible for honors because they are graduating from high school in three years, McKnight explained.

They are Alta Jackson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Jackson, who had the highest grade point average among this year's graduates, 2.970, and Lyda Thomas, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Thomas with a grade point average of 2.941. One of the requirements of a student in order that he be eligible for the honor of valedictorian or salutatorian is that he must have been in high school four years.

Recognition is given the top 10 boys and girls in the 31-member class. These, with their grade point average are:

(1) Miss Jackson, 2.970; (2) Miss Thomas, 2.941; (3) Bratten, 2.925; (4) Groves, 2.736; (5) Reggie Smith, son of Mr. and Mrs. Sunday Bill Smith, 2.725; (6) John Alvin Horton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Horton, 2.675; (7) Miss Lewis, 2.621; (8) Don Scott, 2.512; (9) Ted Stansbury, 2.450; and (10) Gus Drake, 2.425.



Champions of Region 1

Drake, Smith Play In State Tennis Tourney

Gus Drake and Reggie Smith of Wellington high school won the regional tennis championship in the boys doubles division at Lubbock Saturday, April 21 and will play in the state Interscholastic League Tournament at Austin Friday, May 4.

They are playing in Class B competition.

The boys are coached by E. W. Clement of the high school coaching staff.

Smith and Drake received a trophy for their school, and individually they were awarded a certificate and medal.

The two have played tennis together since they were freshmen, but this is the first time they were able to get through regional com-

petition. It also marks the first time Wellington has been able to send a tennis player into the state tournament.

Drake and Smith played four matches, two preliminary games, then Rule in the semi-finals and Girard in the finals.

Four other Wellington high school students participated in the regional meet at Lubbock. Athan Lowrie was entered in the half mile run; Doyle Owens, the 440 yard dash; and Alta Jackson and Elizabeth Hurst in typing. Neither boy placed in the athletic events, and the results of the commercial contest have not been learned.

Accompanying the students to Lubbock were Coaches Clement and John Hurley and Miss Peggy Willis.



Phipps Service Station

—Photo by Cooper Studio

A Student Speaks

Education on Worth of Industry Needed Here

(John Alvin Horton, Wellington Senior, was winner of second place in the recent essay contest. "What Can Wellington Do to Have More Industry", conducted by the industrial committee of the Chamber of Commerce. While Horton's essay was not judged in the regional contest, sponsored by the West Texas Chamber of Commerce, officials did ask that it be sent them in order that they might read it, since it was considered outstanding.)

By John Alvin Horton
On entering a town some 150 miles from Wellington there is a sign that reads, "Home of 9,000 good people and a few old sore heads." This sentence could very well apply to most any town, as there are always a few fanatics and grouches among the best of people.

If we are to bring industry to this town we must get these fanatics out of office and off of committees. We must vote for and elect to offices and committees, people who are really interested in making Wellington a better place to live. People who have their homes and businesses here and who plan on staying. Don't put someone in office just because you like him or he is an old timer, as he might be the very one who would vote against everything, especially if it were going to cost him any money. Consider the qualifications of each person and if you find he is capable, efficient, and interested, he is the kind we need.

Wellington must first be educated and convinced that to establish an industry would be worth while. If a town doesn't go forward, it is bound to go backward. Experience has shown that progress can be made in any community where there exists a spirit of cooperation, and a will to do and share with neighbors. Special committees can be set up, and each work on different ideas and be concerned with their one major objective.

As long as American life draws much of its strength from industry, community development plans will continue to revolve locally around industrial interests and activities. No community's future is entirely divorced from industry.

Some cities are built primarily upon a basis of agriculture. Others are a result of tourist's dollars. Still others are largely a result of distributions. Yet, no city wants all its eggs in one basket.

Practically without exception every community has resources which constitute a challenge to its leadership. The first requirement is vision, intelligence, and courage on the part of those in positions of leadership. There must be an enlarged understanding of the possibilities inherent in the natural and human resources. Then there must be courage to undertake new ventures. Finally, there must be an increasing recognition on the part of civic leaders of the common good as a goal of endeavor rather than private gain alone.

There must also be a consciousness of building for the future, and a venturesome and creative outlook that is supported by courage. Community leaders must be willing to take chances and trust to superior judgment and sane practices to see that the successes more than balance the failures.

A community organization is a must. There must be a meeting place with regular meetings. There must be over-all leadership and some one must be in charge of each activity. Plans must be made which fill the needs of the community and the plans must come from the folks who will carry them to completion.

Developing new industry is at once a science and an art. There is no standard procedure to follow in this field. Requirements for new industries program vary as between communities of different population classification, and between different sections of the country.

Sooner or late, however, practically every city considers it advisable to promote an industrial development campaign. In this it should offer the best opportunities. Industrial promotion demands clear thinking, careful planning, thorough analysis, able leadership, and constructive sales effort.

Wellington has the possibilities of quite a few industries. One is a pumice and gypsum plant, as there is abundant quantities of it in several parts of the county. Cleaning powders and toothpaste



GOVERNOR SETS TEXAS CANCER CONTROL MONTH—Governor Allan Shivers is shown above as he signed a strongly worded proclamation this week declaring April as Cancer Control Month in Texas, urging all citizens to support the educational fundraising crusade of the American Cancer Society. With the Governor are Joe Polichio (center) of Rosenberg, 1956 ACS crusade chairman for Texas, and Maxwell T. Dalby (right), crusade director for the Society's Texas Division. Governor Shivers designated April 17 as Texas Cancer Control Day—a day on which thousands of ACS volunteers will make a concerted statewide effort to tell all Texas citizens lifesaving facts about cancer.

could be made from the pumice, plaster board and sheet rock from the gypsum. A plant like this could easily employ 300 people, which would bring up problems of living quarters. With a building program going on this would still employ more people.

A pumice plant was organized and built here several years ago, but due to lack of interest on the part of officers and directors, it was closed after trying to operate for about a year. It just did not have the right people behind it.

There is also the possibility of a sand and gravel plant here, as the sand and gravel is available in large quantities. This plant would do well to deal in washed sand and gravel. That way it could furnish all the irrigation wells with sand and gravel also asphalt

for the roads. A cotton oil mill should flourish here, as cotton is our main crop when weather conditions are right. Up to date \$1,800 bales have been ginned in this county this fall, and all the seed had to be hauled to Ft. Worth by truck.

Industry has contributed much to the welfare and progress of the typical American community. The alert Chamber of Commerce will supply the leadership in a program designed to let the community reap the maximum benefits from industrial growth.

Wellington's Chamber of Commerce program for 1956 includes many things within our grasp. The directors are asking for our cooperation and help. Let's give it to them.

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Mrs. Claude McKinney and Mrs. J. D. King and Elinor of Dumas visited their mother, Mrs. Arthur Skeen of Paris over the weekend. Mark Horn of Plainview is here

this week visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Horn, while his parents, Dr. and Mrs. Joe Horn, are in Galveston for a medical meeting.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ford and family and Mrs. J. L. Burt spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Brinson of Borger.

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Dr. and Mrs. J. M. Wattam had as luncheon guests Thursday Mrs. Wattam's sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Heckathorne of Childress and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Morrow of Wellington. The three sisters spent the major part of the afternoon looking over their childhood home and other familiar places in the Pleasant Point Community.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thompson had as Sunday visitors her sister, Mrs. C. E. Vaughn of Enid, and Mrs. David S. Martinez also of Enid.



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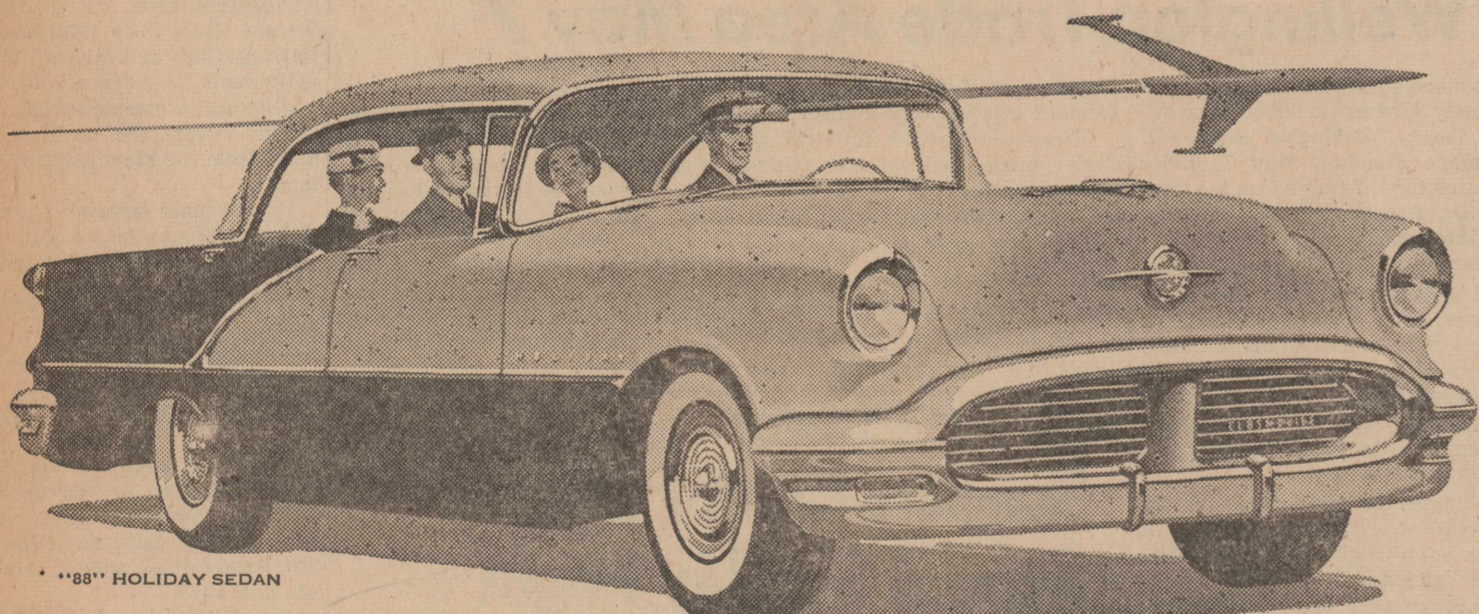
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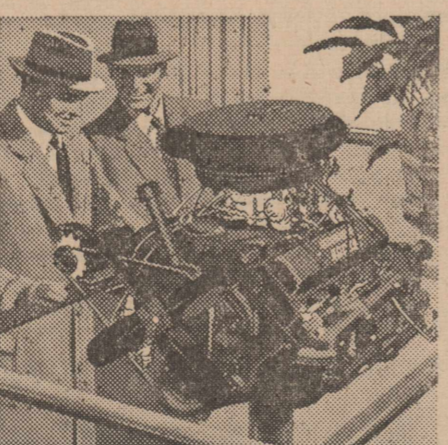
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Mary Beth Kelso Receives State Degree, Highest in Future Homemaking Work

Mary Beth Kelso, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Kelso was awarded a State Degree in a presentation of degrees ceremony at State Meeting of Future Homemakers of America in Ft. Worth on Friday, April 20.

There are three degrees of achievement that can be obtained in the Future Homemakers program—Junior, Chapter and State. These degrees are conferred only to Future Homemakers who have complied with the Degree requirements set up by the National Organization of Future Homemakers of America. The Junior and Chapter Degrees are conferred on applicants in local organizations. The State Degree is acted upon by a state degrees committee, and can be conferred only at a state meeting.



This is the first State Degree to be conferred upon a member of Wellington Chapter of Future Homemakers of America.

County Winners in Girls 4-H Club Contests Named, Group to District

Winners in the county-wide Girls 4-H Club contest eliminations were announced this week by Miss Kathryn Potter, county home demonstration agent.

Winners in the senior division will compete in the district eliminations in Canyon Saturday, April 28. Junior winners were named but they do not go beyond the county level.

Junior demonstration winners were: first, making a milk shake, Jeri Whitfield and Sherry Crownover of Dodson; second, "Time to Shine", Janice Rountree and Barbara Favor of Samnorwood; third, a wrist pin cushion Mary King of Samnorwood.

Senior demonstrations: neither group had competition, and Karon Breeding and Harriett Lowry of Samnorwood will give the electric demonstration and Mary Beth Kelso of Wellington and Lois Amerson of Samnorwood the farm and home safety demonstration.

Junior share the fun: first, a tap dance, Sherry Crownover of Dodson; second song, "I'm a Little Dodson"; and third, songs by the Dodson; and third, songs by the Quail Junior 4-H Club. Other entrants in this division were "Grandmother's Cat", Janice Rountree, Barbara Favor and Bobbie Richards of Samnorwood; "Touch of the Master's Hand", Sue Latham of Samnorwood;

Songs by Sherry Crownover; song by Carolyn Saxton and Zana Davis of Dodson; "Life's Arithmetic", Barbara Viok of Dodson.

Senior share the fun: first, vocal solo, "A Girl's Life", Mary Beth Kelso of Wellington; second and alternate to Canyon, tap dance by Patricia Depauw of Quail. Other entries were a song, "Swinging on a Star", Quail Senior Club; and a novelty reading by Karon Breeding and Harriett Lowry of Samnorwood.

Judges in the various events were Miss Vera Crippin of Wheeler, Mrs. Hubert Mauldin, Mrs. Robert Posey, Mrs. Clark Anderson Mrs. John C. Harper, Miss Katherine Boverie and Mrs. J. B. Stevenson.

Mary Beth Kelso, president of the county 4-H Club Council, was mistress of ceremonies.

Homer Reunion Held at Hamlin

A reunion in Hamlin brought together eight brothers and sisters, including J. M. Homer of Wellington, some of whom had not seen the others for 26 years. The event was held recently at the Hamlin Hotel. In addition to the eight honor guests, a number of nieces and nephews, brothers-in-law and sisters-in-law were present.

The eight included Mr. Homer of Wellington; Mrs. Edna Patterson of Hico; Mrs. Ersie Purdon of Stephenville; Mrs. Molly Patterson and Walter Patterson of Lamesa; Mrs. Mayne Jordan of Amarillo; N. R. Homer of Salinas, Calif.; and Johnny Homer of Hereford.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer were accompanied from here by her brother, Grady Fenley.

Mrs. Dukeminier Circle Hostess

Mrs. J. A. Dukeminier was hostess at the recent meeting of the Betty Tennis Circle of the First Baptist Church of Wellington, in the home of Mrs. Leonard Karnes.

Mrs. C. E. Hall led the opening prayer, and Mrs. Milford Harris had charge of the mission lesson. On the program were Mmes. Joyce Holton, J. F. Isaacs, C. E. Hall, W. A. Morrow, and Bill Langford, and Mrs. Lester Harwell offered the closing prayer.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. Isaacs, John Trew, Karnes, Thomas McGarry, Holton, Harwell, Hall, L. D. McMinn, W. A. Morrow, Langford, Milford Harris, J. C. Whisenant, Charles Cason, Stovall, and the hostess, Mrs. Dukeminier.

Dinner Honors Mrs. J. A. Leslie

Mrs. J. A. Leslie of Childress was honored with a dinner on her 81st birthday Wednesday, March 18, given in the community building. Hosts were her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Chester Fires, assisted by Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Fires.

Bridal wreath, iris and white lilacs were used to decorate the club room.

The birthday cake was in book shape, decorated with pink roses. It was made by another daughter, Mrs. Sam Miller of Childress.

Mrs. Leslie is one of the pioneer residents of Childress county.

Only relatives were present for the dinner, including the honor guest, Mrs. Leslie and Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy A. Leslie, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Miller Mr. and Mrs. Bud Adams and Becky, Jim and Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Fires, Mark, Allen and Dan; and Mr. and Mrs. Chester Fires.

Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Nunnally returned Sunday from a fishing trip to Corpus Christi. While there, they were guests in the Clinton Epps home. Nunnally caught the biggest fish in the party, a 45-pounder, but he was advised that it was too old for good eating, and he brought home only a picture of his catch.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Durfey and children Walter and Deana, of Snyder were here last week to visit his mother, Mrs. W. D. Durfey of Loco and his brother and sister, Merritt Durfey and family of Loco and Mrs. Velman Warrick and family of Wellington.

Visiting in Hereford Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Velman Warrick and children, Mr. and Mrs. Dean Durfey and children of Snyder, and Mrs. W. D. Durfey of Loco. They were guests of Warrick's parents and brother, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Warrick and J. E. Warrick Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Davis and three small daughters of Tulsa, Oklahoma, and Mrs. N. W. Morton of Oklahoma City were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Paul Starr and Mrs. Charles Allen and family during the weekend. Davis is the son of Mrs. Starr and brother of Mrs. Allen. Mrs. Morton is Mrs. Starr's sister.

Miss Louella Trimble, Mrs. Rosie Trimble, Cecil Trimble, Mrs. W. D. Bergvall and daughter, and Misses Eva and Dona Bishop were in Borger last week visiting Mrs. Trimble's son, Mr. and Mr. R. J. Trimble and family.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Shadid, Mr. and Mrs. Abe Shadid and family and Mr. and Mrs. Coy Shadid of Altus, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dakil of Childress were visitors Sunday in the home of Misses Rose and Marie Shadid and George Shadid.

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Society News

VFW Holds Social Meeting

The Pride of Dodson two musicians and four singers, none of whom is yet in his teens entertained the Veterans of Foreign Wars and Auxiliary members at the regular social Tuesday evening April 17.

Directed by Ted Parker, high school principal and coach, as well as special activities director, the vocalists are Eddie Hunt, Glenn Hunt, Joe Lennon and Garth Lewis. Roger Hugh Painter plays the cornet and Kenneth Hunt is drummer. Parker accompanies the boys at the piano.

Their numbers included "Cherry Pink and Apple Blossom White," "Earth Angel," "Tweedle-dee," "I've Been With Jesus," Tennessee Wigwalk," "My Bonnie Lasso," "Seventeen" a cornet solo, and "In the Mood," drum. The youngsters got 7 encores.

Hosts for the social were Mr. and Mrs. Buster Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Childress and Mr. and Mrs. Ruel Alexander.

Registering were Mrs. Jim Leach, Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Leach, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Coleman and Anne, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Winton, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Scott and children, Mr. and Mrs. Odis Killingsworth and children, Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Bowen, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Berg, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hunt, Mrs. V. L. Stewart and Don, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Swift, Mrs. Olga Roberts, Mr. and Mrs. James Richardson, Karen and Linda, Mr. and Mrs. Quinton Brewer, Becky and Gary Mr. and Mrs. John Coleman Mr. and Mrs. Herman Belew and Mrs. Oleta Smith.

Mrs. Jo Covey to Sorority Meet

Mrs. Jo Covey, Delta Kappa Gamma president for 56-57, will attend the State Convention of Delta Kappa Gamma April 27, 28, and 29 in San Antonio.

She will be accompanied by Mrs. W. H. Bevers, Clarendon; Miss Lucille Polk, Clarendon, and Miss Zada Bell Walker, out-going president, Memphis.



Sally Parsons, left Nancy Elliott

Nancy Elliott and Sally Parsons to Present Piano Recital on May 3

Nancy Elliott and Sally Parsons, piano students of Mrs. John C. Harper, will be presented in a joint senior recital Thursday, May 3, at 8 o'clock in the evening in the community building.

Miss Elliott is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Elliott and Miss Parsons is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Parsons Jr. Both began their music study with Mrs. Harper the year they started to school. Both are seniors and will graduate this spring.

The young recitalists have won high ratings in the additions of the National Music Teachers Guild. Both play the organ as well as the piano, and each plays these instruments at her church.

Buck Creek News Mrs. J. C. Hartman

The Friendship Church would like to cordially invite everyone to the fifth Sunday meeting that will be held at the Friendship Church. The services will begin Friday evening at 7:30, and will be held all day Saturday, beginning at 10:30.

Joan Lacy was home over the weekend from Draughan's College of Oklahoma City.

Mr. and Mrs. Marshall Peters were hosts to a party given for the Juniors Thursday, April 9. Games were played and refreshments were served to LaRita Patterson, Jay Hartman, Sherry McQuire, Ronnie Hartman, Teddy Gentry, Junior McQuire, and Jimmy Peters. Everyone had a grand time and parents who visited later were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Patterson, Mrs. L. Stonecipher, Travis McQuire, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hartman, and Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hartman, Jr. and Mitzie.

Meeting in the home of Johnny Patterson recently to visit with relatives from California were Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Patterson and Rita, Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Patterson and Pam, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Patterson, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brown and family, Jr. and Mrs. R. F. Branch and son, and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Patterson and daughter. Those visiting from California were Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Craven, Ray Craven, and Mrs. Mec Lawrence.

Homemakers To State Meeting

Carolyn Keller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Keller and Wanda Shinn, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George D. Shinn were delegates to State Meeting of Future Homemakers of America in Fort Worth, April 20-21.

Mary Beth Kelso, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Kelso attended the meeting as a candidate for State Degree.

The theme of the meeting was "Faith for the Future", consisted of four general sessions. Some of the outstanding numbers on program were: message by Dr. J. Chess Lovern, pastor, First Methodist Church, Lubbock; Denton Civic Boy Choir directed by Mr. George Bragg; Panel, "What FHA Has Meant to Me" composed of homemaking teacher, the state advisor, and four ex-FHAers, who are now making homes of their own; conferring of State Degrees of Achievement; a pageant, "Deep in the Heart of Texas"; the state president's message, "FHA Stars and Diamonds" and installation of officers for 1956-57. The meeting was held in the Will Rogers Memorial Auditorium. Mrs. Jimmy Kelso, FHA Club Mother and Mrs. Jo Covey, FHA sponsor accompanied the girls.

Dr. Jones Addresses Club

Dr. Chas. B. Jones was guest speaker at the Quail Friendship Club Thursday April 19 discussing polio vaccine, and following this with various other health notes.

Program leaders were Mrs. Tom Crabtree and Mrs. Lonnie Noeley, while the hostesses were Mrs. A. M. Saunders and Mrs. Henry Langford.

Roll call was answered with each member giving a health hint. Attending were Mmes. Pat Kimbro, J. C. Emmert, Earl Gibbs Bill Clay Mary Lee Gilbreth Zook Thomas J. R. Godbey, John Bishop, Crabtree, Ira Morgan, J. I. Morgan Neeley, Jack Phipps, Delbert White, Ted Wheeler, Troy Marsh, Ocie White, C. D. Messer and the hostesses.

Jerrold Peters Weds at Lubbock

A recent Lubbock wedding of interest here was that of Miss Jo Ann Short, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Short of Brownfield, and Jerrold Dabney Peters, son of Mr. and Mrs. D. D. Peters, 2102 24th Street, Lubbock, formerly of Wellington. The ceremony took place in Ford Memorial Chapel of the First Baptist Church at Lubbock.

The Rev. Abe Hester officiated as the couple stood before an altar decorated with Easter lilies. Traditional wedding music was used by Mrs. Cecil Springer, organist, and Dr. Lee Hewitt, vocalist.

The bride, who was given in marriage by her father, wore an original gown of French lace over bridal satin, designed with a portrait neckline framed by satin, embroidered with lace and seed pearls. The fitted lace bodice had long sleeves that tapered to points. The satin skirt was accented by flounce lace panels cascading into a chapel length train. Her fingertip veil of French silk illusion fell from a tiara embroidered with seed pearls and iridescent sequins. She carried a white lace-covered Bible topped with a white orchid showered with stephanotis and ribbon.

Mrs. Jimmy Parker was her sister's matron of honor. She wore a dress of pink lace over satin fashioned like the bridal gown. Bridesmaids were Misses Wanna Loy Nickel of Odessa, Jan Wilcox of Odessa, Marlene Jeffcoat of Lamesa and Dorothy Rushing of Sweetwater. They wore dresses of pink crystalet with wide satin cummerbunds.

Billy Dean Harris of Amarillo was best man and groomsmen were James Reynolds, Robert Hoare, Jack Aldridge and J.C. Hunsucker of Levelland. Dwain Short, brother of the bride, and Rodell Byers of Wellington, uncle of the groom, were ushers, while Susan Cathy and Ronald Bain, the bridegroom's nephew, lighted the candles.

A reception followed the wedding. Assisting were Mrs. Lavelle Bain, sister of the groom, Mrs. Dwain Short, sister-in-law of the bride, Mrs. Dax Gill and Misses Nelda Wilks, June Harman, Bertha Hays and Carmen Gilbreck.

A graduate of Brownfield high school, the bride attended Texas Tech and is completing her senior year at Methodist Hospital School of Nursing, Lubbock. The bride groom spent his youth in Wellington and attended school here. He is a nephew of Allen Peters, Gordon Peters, Hunter Peters, Milburn Gibbs and Mrs. Rodell Byers of Wellington. He was graduated from Hedley high school and attended Texas Tech, where he was affiliated with Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity. He is now employed by International Harvester Company.

Following their wedding trip to Santa Fe, N. M., the couple has established their home at 2112 Duke, Lubbock.

The two closing numbers will be piano duets by Miss Parsons and Miss Elliott: "Andante", Chaminade, and "Blue Danube Waltz", Strauss.

A reception honoring the two young pianists will be held immediately following the program.

Baptist Church Honors Seniors With Banquet

Thursday evening, April 19, the ladies of the Women's Missionary Unit of the First Baptist Church were hostesses at their annual banquet for the Wellington High School Seniors and the faculty.

Theme for the banquet, which was held in the basement of the church, was "The Miracle of Spring" and the room was decorated throughout to resemble a flower garden. Large beds of artificial flowers were placed on the floor, and the tables were decorated with candles and lilies.

Members of the WMU prepared and served the food.

Bennet Goodloe served as master of ceremonies, and first on the program was Mrs. Charles Cason, Sr., WMU president, who gave the welcome. Senior class president, Ernest McNabb, gave the response.

Homer Peden sang two selections, and Mrs. Peden introduced the seniors.

Miss Nancy Elliott and Miss Kay Hubbard played piano solos. Speaker for the evening was Russell Pogue, Minister of the First Baptist Church. His subject, "Three Bugs and a Rabbit", was taken from Proverbs.

Members answered roll call with suggestions for next year's club programs.

A salad plate was served to Mesdames A. L. Elliott, A. B. Clark, Brvan Denley, Cicero Guley, F. A. Hatch, J. W. Holder, O. D. Holton, S. B. Owens, Dick Richards, Howard Riggs, Zook Thomas, J. H. Wood, Stowell, and Welch.



Engagement of Miss Hurst and Bennie Bob Graves Announced

Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hurst, 110 West Avenue, have announced the engagement of their daughter, Eva Nell, to Bennie Bob Graves, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Savage, 709 Childress Street.

The date of the wedding has not been set, but is planned to take place during the next period of leave from the Navy the groom-to-be receives.

Miss Hurst, who graduated from Wellington high school last year, is now an employee of General Telephone Company.

Her fiancé, a graduate of Wellington high school also, is stationed at Great Lakes, Illinois.

Dodson Woman on Church Committee

Mrs. Glenna Eltha Ready of Dodson is serving this year as a member of the assistant committees on publication for Texas for the Christian Science Church, according to a recent announcement.

She is the only member in this immediate area, and serves both the Wellington and Dodson areas.

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Fifty-Six On High School Six Weeks Honor Roll

Fifty-six boys and girls of Wellington high school were listed on the honor roll for the six weeks just ended, Maxey McKnight, high school principal announced Monday, April 23.

Eleven of these has an A average and included Sandra Smith, Kern Pigg, Theda Martin, Ada Carole Thomas, Jo Ann Langford, Alta Jackson, Jonaquin Cecil, Francis Drake, Ginger Reynolds, Pat Wilkins and Loretta Phipps.

Other honor roll students are Diana Harrison, Barton Groves, Billy Bratten, Mary Hagler, Carolyn Keller, Reggie Smith, Gayle Young, Ted Stansbury, Linda Brantley, Wanda June Reynolds, Mary Parsons, Patsy Bawcom, Don Scot, Carroll Nunnelley, Grover Graham, Ray Henry, Helen Gardner, Cynthia Watkins, Doris Wolf, Glenna Jean Ward, Glen Reeves, Steve Smith, John Alvin Horton, Buddy Dodson, Joyce Warrick, Eurus Phipps, Sharon Bettis, Clyde Powell, Carolyn Coburn, Frankie Campbell, Donna Lewis, Doris Sharp, Randall Raburn, Reggie Scott, Caloyln Gamill, Athen Lowrie, Claudell Hudson, Sandra Allen, Patricia Hughes, Lyda Thomas, Wesley Savage, A. C. Gray, Don Crawford, Nell Bolton and Bill Durfey.

92 Per Cent Have Church Preference

Approximately 92 per cent of Wellington's population has definite church preferences, or are children of families with definite preferences, the Rev. Russell Pogue said, April 23, as tabulations began on the city-wide church census conducted the preceding day.

Approximately 75 per cent are church members or young children of church members, he continued. "The census has been quite successful and there was the finest co-operation I've ever had," Rev. Pogue declared.

Fifth Sunday Singers Meet Here April 29

The Fifth Sunday Singing will be held at the Nazarene Church Sunday, April 29, at 2 p. m., W. S. Brewer, president, has announced.

This is a district singing, composed of singers from several adjoining counties.

A special feature will be the Quail high school girls chorus, directed by Mrs. Lowell Wells.

Other singers are expected including the Walker Quartet of Elk City, Oklahoma, Mr. Brewer said. The public is invited.

Davis to Manage Colorado Lodge

Mr. and Mrs. U. N. Davis and 10-year-old daughter, Zana, of Dodson, are leaving within a few days for Meredith, Colorado, where they will manage the Noree Lodge for the six months season.

Mr. Davis has asthma and hay fever, and the family went to Colorado several months ago and he was hospitalized three months in the Veterans Hospital at Grand Junction. He reported he finds relief from asthma in that area.

Noree Lodge is a private lodge owned by a club, with facilities for a few additional guests, he said. It is in the hunting and fishing section of the state.

Zana will ride 18 miles each way to school.

They are closing their house at Dodson for the six months period.

Melton Attends Compress Meeting

Pete Melton, manager of Traders Compress, returned recently from the meeting of the National Warehouse and Compress Association in Galveston.

During the week-long conference, problems of the industry and the outlook for cotton were discussed.

Attend District Rotary Meeting

Five Wellington Rotarians attended the annual conference of District 183, Rotary International, held at Levelland April 15 through 17.

Going were president Fred Squyres, president-elect J. W. Wells, O. C. McMinn, Jim Cochran and Emil Kersten.

News of Men in Service



Donald L. Branch is now taking his basic training at Lackland AFB in San Antonio.

Seventeen years old, he enlisted nearly three months ago.

He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Branch.

GREAT LAKES — Bennie B. Graves, seaman apprentice, USN, is presented an honor man certificate and an engraved identification bracelet during recent graduation at the Naval Training Center, Grate Lakes, Ill. Capt. W. F. Morrison, Director of Training, 9th Naval District, made the presentation March 24.

Graves is the son of William L. Graves of Weatherford, Tex., and Mrs. Lucille Savage of 709 Childress St. Wellington.

He was selected honor man by his instructors, company commander and fellow company members.

Before entering the navy in January, Graves graduated from Wellington High School.

FOSTER AIR FORCE BASE, TEXAS — Born in Oklahoma, but claiming Texas as his home is A-2C William J. Swift, Jr. Bill came to Foster Air Force Base from Sheppard Air Force Base where he attended a Tech School in jets.

Presently he is assigned to the

450th Field Maintenance Engine Mechanics, and we might add he is doing a nice job and likes his work. Airman Swift is a graduate of Wellington High School, Wellington, Texas, and also a graduate of the Jet Engine Mechanics School, Sheppard Air Force Base.

Athletically inclined, William the son and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Swift of Borger, Texas, participated in Football and track for two years, and spent several years a time.

FORT GORDON, GA. — Pvt. James L. Hunnicutt, son of Joe L. Hunnicutt, 500 Fort Worth St., Wellington, Texas, recently was graduated from the lineman's course at the Army's Southeastern Signal School, Fort Gordon, Ga.

The eight-week course trained Hunnicutt to construct and maintain both open and lead covered field communication wires and cable.

Hunnicutt entered the Army in November 1955 and completed basic training at Fort Ord, Calif. He attended Butler College.

Former Resident Dies at Denver

Mrs. Henry L. Underwood, 2209 Macon St. Aurora, Colo., a suburb of Denver, died in Presbyterian Hospital there Monday, April 16, after a 6-week illness.

A former county resident, she will be remembered as Miss Evelyn Thomason of Wellington and Dodson. She had been an employee of Gates Rubber Company for the last 11 years.

Mrs. Underwood was born November 10, 1925, at Dike. She received her education in the Dodson school.

She was married to Mr. Underwood December 24, 1951.

Funeral services were held at the Capitol Mortuary Civic Center Chapel and burial was at Fairmount.

Surviving, in addition to her husband, are her mother, Mrs. Beatrice West of Wellington; her father, R. E. Thomason, of Wellington; three sisters and a brother: Mrs. Allene Dickerson, Mrs. Nellie P. Youngren and Mrs. Billie Hassell, all of Denver, and Virgil Thomason of Memphis.

Mr. Underwood returned to Wellington with Mrs. West to visit

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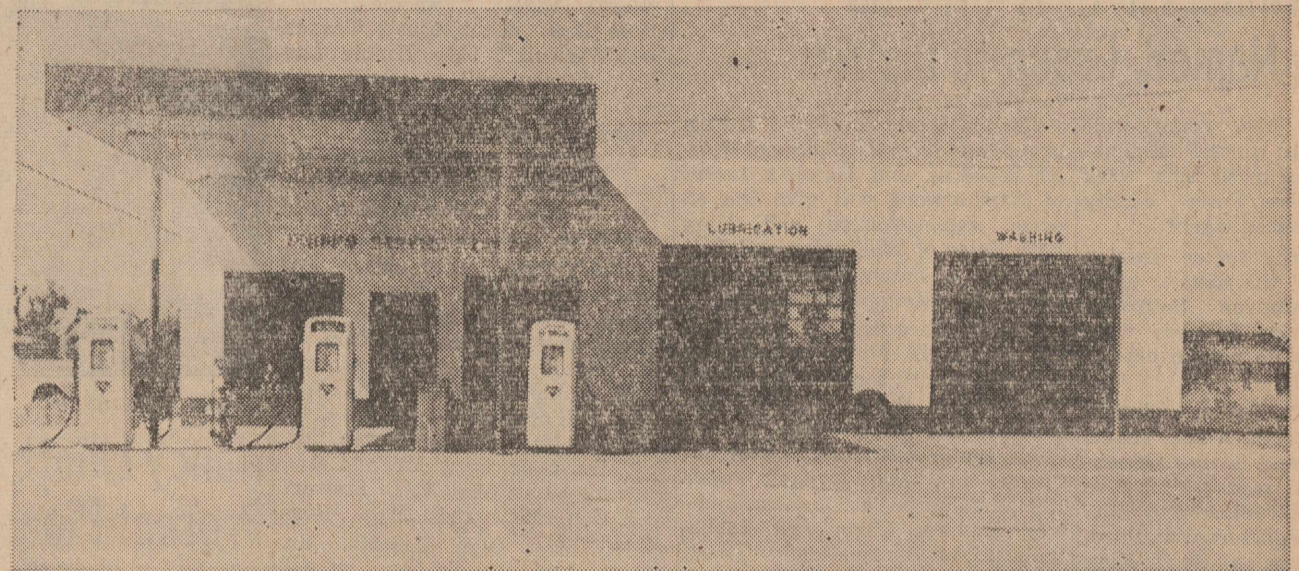
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Quail Places Second In Recent League Meet

An Interscholastic League Meeting was held at Quail School Saturday, April 14, with approximately 150 students from various communities competing.

The winners in each division were as follows: Senior girls declamations first place winner, Bidean Craig, Groom; second, Evelyn Hooker, Claude and third, Lois Amerson, Samnorwood. First place winner in senior boys declamation was Darryl Morris, Quail, and second, Johnny Byrd, Groom. Elementary girls declamation first place winner was Linda Cornett, Groom; second, Jo C. Wood, Claude, and third, Doris Woods, Samnorwood. Junior girls declamation first place winner was Karen Breeding, Samnorwood; second, Nancy Hines, Hedley, and third, Jamesie Clay, Quail. Robert Reeb, Groom, took first place in elementary boys declamation; second was Julius Harrison, Quail, and third, Joe Lowry, Samnorwood. Senior boys declamation winner by default was Leonard Mullins of Hedley.

Senior girls poetry reading first place winner was Evelyn Hooker, Claude; second, Patsy Aaron, Quail, and third, Vickie McCoy, Groom. Senior boys poetry reading winners were first, Neil Reck, Claude; second, Darryl Morris, Quail and third Johnny Gorman, Groom.

In the extemporaneous speech division Marilyn Nelson of Claude won by default.

Diane Moseley of Quail won first place in story telling; David Baker, Hedley, second, and Alice West, Groom, third.

In the picture memory division there was a tie between the Lelia Lake and Claude teams, with each group having perfect papers. Three entrants from Quail had perfect papers and Quail finished third in the division. The Lelia

Lake team was composed of Levetta Shields, T. Rose Stapp, and Ronnie Woods; Claude, Sara Byrd, Nancy Hundley, Betty Graham, and Shirley Oles, and Quail, Patty Perkins, Jenny Kennedy, Lynn Hill, and Rita Clay.

In high school ready writing, Louise Harrell, Groom, took first place; Nancy Hughes, Claude, was second and Peggy Smith, Samnorwood, was third. Jo Carolyn Wood, Claude, won first in elementary ready writing; Lea Oles, Claude, second, and Judith Wilson, Quail, third.

High school spelling was conducted by teams composed of two members. Darryl Morris and Linda McGill on the Quail team won first; second were Annette Doe and Beverly Harrell, Groom, and third Billy Moore and Vada Bolliver, Hedley. In 7th and 8th grade spelling the Quail team, Judith Wilson and Renee Patchell, also won first; Judy Hand and Karen Stephenson, Claude, second, and Georgia Boyd and Neal Eschle of Groom, third. Fifth and 6th grade spelling winners were Marjorie Conner and Pete Smith, Samnorwood, first; Dale Hood and Betty Ranson, Claude, second, and Mainell Ratliff and Amelia Tidwell, Quail, third.

At a previous tournament the Quail girls team won in volleyball but were defeated by default were Sandra Hughes, Claude, and Myrna Matlock, Claude.

Total scores for each competing team in literary events were Claude first with 154 points; Quail second with 120 points; Groom third, 86 points, Samnorwood fourth, 60 points; Hedley fifth, 27 points, and Lelia Lake sixth with 6 points.

Dorothy Looten, Groom, won



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first in typing, Roy Hoffman, Samnorwood, second, and Sandra Hughes, Claude, third.

First and second place winners in shorthand by default were Sandra Hughes, Claude, and Myrna Matlock, Claude.

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Workshop in Arithmetic Mon.

A special workshop in arithmetic was held Monday night, April 23, at the high school auditorium from 5 to 7 p. m., in order that parents of elementary grade students could see how that subject is taught.

This was sponsored by the WTSC extension course now under way here. In charge of the workshop were Mrs. Rufus Sweat, Mrs. Lynn Carter and Mrs. Frank Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Caldwell Jr. and Mr. and Mrs. Sandy Parsons Jr., were visitors at Lugert Lake Sunday.

Mrs. Frank Moore returned recently from a four months trip to New Mexico and California to visit her daughters. In Stockton, she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Hardy Driskill and family, while at Albuquerque she was with Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Richards.

Mrs. C. D. Messer of near Quail was in Leveland recently to be with her brother, Weldon Simmons, who is recovering from a heart attack suffered two weeks ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Haynes, Sr. attended the golden wedding anniversary celebration of Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Purell in Shamrock Sunday.

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ASSETS

Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	387,951.05
United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	216,000.00
Obligations of States and political subdivisions	18,500.00
Corporate stocks (including \$3,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve Bank)	3,000.00
Loans and discounts (including \$5,566.82 overdrafts)	1,136,354.71
Bank premises owned \$1,500.00, furniture and fixtures \$6,000.00	7,500.00
Other assets	2,006.30

TOTAL ASSETS 1,771,312.06

LIABILITIES

Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	1,319,718.96
Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	138,990.38
Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	none
Deposits of States and political subdivisions	143,438.45
Other deposits (certified and officers' checks, etc.)	1,899.22

TOTAL ALL DEPOSITS 1,604,047.01

CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

Capital *	50,000.00
Surplus	50,000.00
Undivided profits	17,265.05
Reserves (and retirement account for preferred capital)	50,000.00
TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	167,265.05

TOTAL LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS 1,771,312.06

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- \$1.00 MEN'S & LADIES' SUN GLASSES Newest styles in choice of colors... 2 for 1.01
- 10¢ HELEN CORNELL BOBBY PINS Regular or rubber-tipped, black or bronze 2 for .11

10 BONUS BUYS SPECIAL BARGAINS NOT ON 1¢ SALE PLAN

Writing Paper Gray Mist, Pink Glo, Dresden Blue or Mint Green, 60 sheets, 36 envs. EACH 98¢

Everyday Greeting Cards 3 styles: Studio style, Tall size, Conventional. REG. \$1.25 EACH 59¢

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Devon Electric Clocks Alarm with buzzer. Ivory plastic case, or circular kitchen clock in red, yellow or ivory. U.L. approved. \$3.98 Value ONLY 2.79 Each

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- GLYCERIN SUPPOSITORIES Infants' or adults'... 12's... Reg. 43¢ 2 FOR .44
- SACCHARIN TABLETS 1/4 gr., 100's... Reg. 35¢ 2 FOR .36
- 1/2 gr., 100's... Reg. \$1.08 2 FOR 1.09
- 1/2 gr., 100's... Reg. 45¢ 2 FOR .46
- 1 gr., 100's... Reg. \$1.26 2 FOR 1.27
- 1 gr., 100's... Reg. 55¢ 2 FOR .56
- 1 gr., 100's... Reg. \$1.49 2 FOR 1.50
- MULTI-VITAMIN FORMULA V10 With B12 and iron. Pint... Reg. \$1.98 2 FOR 1.99
- COD LIVER OIL High potency. Pint... Reg. \$1.49 2 FOR 1.50
- MILK OF MAGNESIA Pint... Reg. 47¢ 2 FOR .48
- CASCADE LEAD PENCILS... Reg. 5¢ 2 FOR .06
- THERAMINS High potency multi-vitamin capsules, 50's... Reg. \$4.75 2 FOR 4.76
- LAVENDER MENTHOLATED SHAVE CREAM Lather or brushless... Reg. 59¢ 2 FOR .60
- ADRIENNE HAIR SPRAY Sets pin curls, controls hair-do, 11 oz... Reg. \$2.00 2 FOR 2.01
- ADRIENNE BEAUTY CREAMS All-purpose, Cold, Cleansing, Hand Reg. \$1.00 2 FOR 1.01
- THEATRICAL CREAMS Cold or Cleansing, 1 lb... Reg. \$1.25 2 FOR 1.26
- WRITING PAPER WITH ENVELOPES Boxed, 6 choices, new items... Reg. \$1.00 2 FOR 1.01
- SKIN ANTISEPTIC For minor cuts, scratches, 1 oz. Reg. 33¢ 2 FOR .34
- DAINTY CREAM DEODORANT Anti-perspirant. 1 1/2 ounces... Reg. 49¢ 2 FOR .50

Rexall AEROSOL READY-SHAVE Push-button lather for close, cool shaves. 10 oz. REG. \$1.00

2 for 101¢

Rexall KLENZO TOOTH BRUSHES Tufted, convex, oval or fine texture, flat trim styles. Best nylon. Medically approved. REG. 39¢

2 for 40¢

Rexall BATH POWDERS After-bath luxury in a choice of three appealing fragrances: Garden Spice, Adrienne or Lavender. REG. \$1.50 Each

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Rexall PANOVITE Multi-vitamin capsules with B12. 100's REG. \$3.10

2 for 311¢

Rexall EYELO Soothing, refreshing eye lotion. 8 oz. REG. 69¢

2 for 70¢

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- BABY CREAM, LOTION & OIL... Each 57¢ Value 2 FOR .58
- QUICK-BANDS adhesive bandages, plain or merc., plastic... 47's Reg. .59 2 FOR .79
- CANDY POPS Jumbo cluster of 6... 2 FOR .12
- SPUNTEX NYLONS Plain or dark seam. First quality; latest shades. 51 gauge, 15 denier... \$1.09 Pair Value 2 PAIRS 1.51
- MEDFORD FACIAL TISSUES Soft, absorbent, white... 300's 2 BOXES .39
- ELKAYS MOTH FUME CRYSTALS... 1 pound 79¢ Value 2 FOR .80

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PARSONS' DRUG

In Plainview Event

4-H Dairy Judging Team Wins Second at Show

The Collingsworth County 4-H dairy judging team was second in the annual judging events of the Plainview Dairy Show Saturday, April 14.

A team from Canyon placed first and the Wheeler team third.

County Agent J. W. Thomas, who trains the boys, reported.

Members of the local team are Don Langford, Travis McGuire, Jimmy Peters and Teddy Gentry.

In addition to the judging win, the team placed third on total number of points in the entire meet, in which teams from 44 counties participated.

Travis McGuire was third highest individual in the show and received a gold medal. The team was high team in judging jerseys and second in judging brown Swiss.

Meter Connections and Changes

Meter connections and changes reported by the West Texas Utilities Company includes:

M. L. Sasser, disconnect at 309 Childress.

B. J. Stanley from 902 Bowie to 1303 Dalhart St.

Joe Wauer, disconnect at 1104 Graham St.

Cecil Street, disconnect at 1109 East Avenue.

W. M. Nation, disconnect at 1613 Amarillo St.

Hardy Wright, connect at 1613 Amarillo St.

Dave Beaver, disconnect at 700 Floydada St.

Wm. Stutt, disconnect at 205 Amarillo St.

J. S. Dorn, disconnect at 1201 Belton St.

Frances Younger, from 1201 Childress St. to 711 Childress St.

Paul Little, disconnect at 303 Amarillo St.

NEW CARS AND TRUCKS

New cars and trucks registered in the office of John Rainey, sheriff, assessor and collector of taxes, includes:

The R. A. Company, 3905 Live Oak, Dallas, Chevrolet station wagon.

G. B. Harvey, Wellington, Chevrolet 4-door sedan.

L. O. Cummings, 1018 North Ninth St., Wellington, Chevrolet 4-door sedan.

Frank E. Kennedy, Quail, Studebaker, 2-door sedan.

Warrick Machinery Company, Studebaker 4-door sedan.

Harold Morrow and Lorene Morrow, Wellington, Chevrolet Club Coupe.

Earl L. Bartlett, 1411 Amarillo, Wellington, Chevrolet Club Coupe.

Fad D. Hill, Box 638, Sunray, Oldsmobile 4-door sedan.

W. R. Franks, Wellington, Buick 4-door.

C. O. Caison, Wellington, Chevrolet half ton pickup.

C. W. Caison, Wellington, Chevrolet half ton pickup.

J. E. Holton, Wellington, Chevrolet two-ton truck.

Clee Parr, Box 644, Wellington,

Methodist Revival Opening Reset

The date for the opening of revival services at the new Methodist Church at 8th and Haskell Streets has been reset for Friday, April 27, the Rev. Cecil Guthrie, pastor, has announced. It will continue through Sunday, May 6.

The meeting was originally planned to open April 22, but the Rev. John Crow of Abilene, who is to do the preaching was unable to come at this time.

At the close of the revival, the church will be named and charter members received.

With the moving of the church building from Quail to its new location in Wellington, a new feature of the church entrance was noted by the pastor. There are no steps, but a special type walk is designed particularly for the aged and physically handicapped.

Preaching services at the church are 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. on the second and fourth Sundays of each month, and this fifth Sunday. Sunday School is held every Sunday at 10 a. m. with a devotional led by a layman. There are singing and Bible Study each Sunday and Wednesday nights.

Oil and Gas News

LEASES

Mattie A. Jameson to Floyd Teutsch, lease covering the north one-fourth of section 22, block 10.

Raymond Robinson and Sarah E. Robinson, his wife, to William H. of the southeast quarter of section 71, block 16.

Homer Lee Robinson and wife Frances, to Wm. Kane, the south half of the southeast quarter of section 71, block 16.

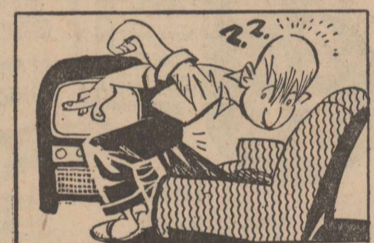
Ernest Robinson and wife, Gertrude P., to Wm. Kane, lease covering the south half of the southeast quarter of section 71, block 16.

CARD OF THANKS

I want to thank my friends, nurses, and doctors for their kindness during my illness while I was in the hospital. I also wish to thank my friends and neighbors for their nice presents, flowers, and cards for my 75th birthday, April 20.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Neeley Quail, Texas

We were glued to the television for most of a recent evening. Our



three-year-old left a piece of taffy in the easy chair.



AT FOSTER AFB

A-2c Billy Pat Swift is now assigned to the 45th Field Maintenance Engine Mechanics at Foster Air Force Base, San Marcos. Swift is a graduate of the Jet Engine Mechanics School at Sheppard Air Force Base, Wichita Falls. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Pat Swift, now of Borger, and a grandson of Mrs. Estella Cocke of Wellington and Mrs. W. P. Swift of Dodson.

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Mrs. Doc Turner, prop.

Wellington School Lunch Menu

Monday, April 30; hot pork sandwich, carrot and celery sticks, mashed potatoes, fruited jello with whipped topping half pint milk or chocolate milk.

Tuesday, May 1: tuna salad, baked potato with butter, cantaloupe slices, Harvard beets, hot rolls and butter, half pint milk or chocolate milk.

Wednesday, May 2: pinto beans with chili, cabbage, carrot and raisin salad, buttered vrococli, buttered cornbread squares, apricot cobbler, half pint milk or chocolate milk.

Thursday, May 3: fried spring chicken with milk gravy, potato salad, seasoned green beans, rice pudding with cherry sauce, half pint milk or chocolate milk.

Friday, May 4: oven fried pork luncheon meat, pork and beans, cheese curls, buttered whole kernel corn, strawberry short cake with whipped topping, half pint milk or chocolate milk.

Update a popular epithet of the early days of motoring and you have a phrase which applies to today's reckless driver: "Why don't you get a hearse?"

Farmers Can Study Bindweed at Meet At Bushland

Collingsworth County farmers interested in bindweed control will have the opportunity to attend a weed control meeting at the Bushland Experiment Station Thursday, April 26, County Agent Lefty Thomas has announced.

Those interested should be at the county court house at 7:30 a. m., Thomas said.

Farmers from Kansas, Oklahoma, New Mexico and Texas will

Smallest particle of a substance isn't necessarily a molecule. In the case of the coffee shop around the corner, it's the amount of tuna which is incorporated in each of the tuna salad sandwiches served there.

We'd like to visit the places the cameraman visits to take the pictures which appear in travel folders of places to visit.

Crossroads Report

Dear Editor:

My farming neighbor says he is getting a little tired of reading about the unprecedented prosperity on all sides, while his personal ends have not met in three or four years.

He claims that it takes a man with a very tall fellowship bump on his character to get much joy out of hearing about how everybody else around the pot has got a bigger spoon.

In fact, he says that if the papers don't quit waving these tales about high living in his worried face, he is going to sue them for unconstitutional conduct. On account of they are violating the 8th amendment which is supposed to protect citizens from unnecessary cruelty.

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

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Quarterly Report Of Collingsworth County Finances

FOR MONTHS OF JANUARY, FEBRUARY & MARCH, 1956

Fund	Balance of 12-31-55	Receipts	Receipts Plus Balance	Disbursements	Balance	Indebtedness
Jury	1,469.97	702.70	2,172.67	758.21	1,414.46	
Road & Bridge Special	2.33	21,956.78	21,959.11	12,810.84	9,148.27	
General	156.67	16,263.45	16,420.12	16,193.90	226.22	7,500.00
Precinct No. 1	1,013.60	3,983.69	4,997.29	4,676.12	321.17	17,339.10
Precinct No. 2	161.13	3,759.57	3,920.70	3,876.07	44.63	18,630.15
Precinct No. 3	201.66	3,057.39	3,259.05	2,724.72	534.33	11,839.97
Precinct No. 4	459.74	3,405.06	3,864.80	2,714.66	1,150.14	9,947.71
General Miscellaneous	16.12	4,110.08	4,126.20	3,877.98	248.22	
Officers Salary	471.90	10,952.17	11,424.07	9,746.37	1,677.70	
Court House & Jail General	81.00	1,733.09	1,814.09	1,705.73	108.36	500.00
Road & Bridge Special Current	17.02	3,835.00	3,852.02	3,174.11	677.91	
Road Bond Sinking	6,631.01	1,218.91	7,849.92	5,306.25	2,543.67	30,000.00
Court House Bond Sinking	5,569.83	1,728.97	7,298.80	5,171.25	2,127.55	71,000.00
County Road & Bridge Sinking	9,809.73	2,083.39	11,893.12	7,841.25	4,051.87	97,000.00
Collingsworth Co. Social Security	3,082.97	792.56	3,875.53	739.60	3,135.93	
Laternal Road No. 4	384.06		384.06	384.06		
TOTAL	29,528.74	79,582.81	109,111.55	81,701.12	27,410.43	263,756.93
Road District No. 1	3,806.76	1,313.85	5,120.61		5,120.61	68,000.00

Approved: R. L. Templeton
County Judge

Signed: David Robinson
County Clerk

Signed: Mrs. J. D. Aaron
County Treasurer

Name	MARITAL STATUS	DRAFT CLASS.
Mailing Address		
Location of Residence		
Age Range: 18-30 () ; 30-45 () ; 45-60 ()		
Education (Highest grade completed):		
Work Experience:	SKILLED	SEMI-SKILLED
Handicap Description	NON-SKILLED	AGRICULTURE
Dependants Under 7 Years:	CLERICAL	SERVICE
Hourly Wage Expected:		
Are You Now Employed?	(yes) (no) (temporary) (permanent)	

LABOR SURVEY INFORMATION CARD
Shown here is the information card that will be used in the Labor Survey to be taken by the Wellington Chamber of Commerce Industrial Committee on Monday, May 7. The information gained will show the available labor

in the county for any industry that may request this figure. All persons in the county interested in whole or part time employment are urged to come to the registration center on that date.

Seek Bus Line Extension East To Oklahoma Area

W. D. Peery, owner of the Caprock bus lines, is seeking an extension of the line from Wellington to Mangum and Altus, Oklahoma, and on to Vernon, it has been learned here.

Two of the three buses which now run from Wellington to Childress and return would be changed to service the line east, if present plans are worked out, it was indicated. Originating at Pampa, these schedules would pass through Shamrock, Wellington, Vinson, Reed, Mangum, Altus, and to Vernon.

This would leave one schedule remaining daily from Wellington to Childress and return.

Passengers east-bound from here would meet the same schedule, boarding transcontinental buses at Vernon rather than Childress. The bus to Childress would service those going to points directly south of that town, and on to Abilene.

If this plan is put in operation, it will give Wellington the first bus outlet directly east it has had in a number of years.

Mr. Peery recently put in operation all new 14-passenger air conditioned busses. These smaller busses are built along the lines of limousines and for lines of the Caprock type, have proved both popular and satisfactory.

Mr. Peery indicated in Mangum recently that he believed two round-trips per day would be sufficient to serve the needs, but if it is necessary, more trips will be added.

Dodson Co-op Re-elect Officers

All officers and directors of the Dodson Farmers Co-op Gin Society were re-elected in the annual meeting Friday night, April 20, Ed Crowder, gin manager, reported.

These include Pete Nipper, president; Olan Farris, vice-president; Louis Patterson, secretary, and E. C. Alexander, J. F. Kiser of Sandy, and Dewey Caswell of Arnett, directors.

Members and their families registered at the meeting totaled 312.

Around 400 persons were present for the big auction sale that was held by the gin on the following day.

Services For Former Resident

Mrs. Raymond Shumake of Melrose, New Mexico, died in Northwest Hospital in Amarillo Wednesday morning, April 18, following surgery.

Mr. and Mrs. Shumate made their home in Wellington, before moving to Melrose about eighteen years ago. Mr. Shumate is a brother of Mrs. Alton Wilkins.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilkins attended the funeral services in Melrose Thursday.

Mrs. Shumate is survived by her husband, Raymond Shumate, and children Shirley Pat, Carol Sue, Mrs. Peck Gosner, and J. R. Shumate, all of Melrose, and Mrs. Douglas Jones of Belan, New Mexico.

She is also the niece of Joe Stowell of Wellington.

Awards Presented

Quail Future Farmers Honor Dads at Banquet

By Mrs. G. T. Stephens
Quail Future Farmers honored their dads at the traditional annual Father-Son banquet Friday, April 20, at 7:30 p. m. in the high school cafeteria.

The color scheme for the banquet hall was carried out in the Chapter colors of blue and gold. The centerpiece was of blue and gold iris.

Chapter officers opened the program with their regular ceremony, with Don Johnson, president; Dale Ratliff, vice-president; Gano Wilson, secretary; Jerry DeBord, treasurer; Don McGill, reporter; Raymond Minatrea, sentinel; John Thomas, second vice-president; Darwin Homer, third vice-president; Joe Young, historian. Darryl Morris parliamentary and F. E. Kennedy advisor.

Ben Ratliff was toastmaster; Marion Tidwell gave the invocation; Loyd Langford introduced the guests; John Thomas gave the welcome address and Don Johnson presented the awards.

Those to receive medals and certificates were Jerry DeBord, certificate for cotton production; Darryl Morris medal for public speaking; Dale Ratliff certificate on dairy judging; Gano Wilson certificate poultry judging, he was high man in the district. Dale Ratliff certificate in dairy judging, he and Gano tied for first in district on dairy judging. John Alf Thomas medal for soil and water management; Troy Harrison medal for best dairy project program; Denzil Patchell medal on farm electrification; Billy Mosley medal on farm mechanics; Jimmy Lindsay certificate on farm machinery repair; Earl Farris certificate and medal for Farm Safety; Don Johnson certificate

QUAIL NEWS

By MRS. G. T. STEPHENS
Judy Kay, small daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dick Campbell, is ill with the measles.

Mrs. Lucille Gaines of Tulsa, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Vogt and children of McLean, Tex., were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kennedy Sunday. Mrs. Gaines is Mr. Kennedy's sister.

Ocie White, Sam Russell, Leon Shields, Glenn McGill, N. E. Childress and Frank Lindsey left Sunday for San Saba to fish for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Aycock and daughter, Beverly and Mrs. B. A. Aycock of Clovis, N. Mex. spent the weekend in the home of Mrs. Recie DuBose and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Crabtree visited in Cordell, Okla., Sunday with his sister, Mrs. Dora Coe.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kennedy and children visited in McLean, Tex., last Tuesday night in the home of Mr. Kennedy's mother, Mrs. W. E. Kennedy. Other relatives they visited with in Mrs. Kennedy's home were Mr. and Mrs. George Keller of Hawthorne, Calif., Mrs. Lucille Gaines of Tulsa, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Everette and Mr. and Mrs. Rodney Vogt and children.

ing date, giving their reasons

Local Group in St. Louis for Convention, Game and Medal

Alvin Horton, Newel McDaniel of Dodson, A. Y. Bell, Rudy Burquist, and Jones Singley were in St. Louis over the week end to attend a Purina Convention.

They also saw the baseball game between the St. Louis Cardinals and the Milwaukee Braves. Mr. McDaniel's son, Lyndol McDaniel, who is a student at Abilene Christian College, pitched for the Cardinals.

The group returned home Tuesday.

Ex-Aggies Attend A&M Muster

Mr. and Mrs. John Coleman, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Coleman of Fort Worth, Dr. and Mrs. Curtis Thaxton and Tanya, and Mr. and Mrs. Lefty Thomas and Jack were in Wheeler Saturday evening, April 21, for the annual A&M Muster.

This event is held each year in commemoration of San Jacinto Day, and as a memorial to the Aggies who have died during the preceding year.

The Muster was in the form of a family banquet held in the day.

Legal Notices

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

No. 1968
Notice is hereby given to whom concerned that C. B. Lutes, the postoffice address of whom is Pampa, Texas, on the 2nd day of April, 1956, filed his application in the office of the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas, in which he applies for a permit appropriate of the unappropriated waters of the State of Texas, from Elm Creek, a tributary of the Salt Fork of the Red River, in Collingsworth County, Texas, not to exceed 547.78 acre feet of water per annum for the irrigation of 273.89 acres of land in Block 12, H & G. N. Ry. Company Surveys, Collingsworth County, Texas, all being more fully described in said application.

The proposed pump is located between points which bear South 25 degrees 01 minutes West 3807 feet and South 74 degrees 39 minutes East 4760 feet from the Northwest corner of Section 72, Block 12, H & G. N. Ry. Company Surveys, on Elm Creek in Collingsworth County, Texas, and is distant in a Northeasterly direction from Wellington, Texas, about 18.6 miles.

A hearing on the application of the said C. B. Lutes will be held by the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas, in the office of the Board at Austin, Texas, on Monday, May 14, 1956, beginning at ten o'clock A. M., at which time and place all parties interested may appear and be heard. Those opposing the granting of said application should file written protests with the Board at least five days prior to hearing date, giving their reasons

therefor and such other information as is required by Board Rule 305.2. Such hearing will be continued from time to time, and from place to place, if necessary, until such determination has been made relative to said application as the said Board of Water Engineers may deem right, equitable and proper.

Given under and by virtue of an order of the Board of Water Engineers for the State of Texas, at the office of the said Board of Austin, Texas, this 2nd day of April, 1956.

R. M. Dixon, Chairman
STATE BOARD OF WATER ENGINEERS
Audrey Strandman
Asst. Secretary

42-4tc

5 Killed, 48 Hurt In Patrol District During March

Five persons were killed and 48 injured in rural accidents investigated by Texas Highway Patrolmen in the Amarillo district during March 1956, Capt. J. W. Blackwell reports. Property damage was estimated at \$48,995.

Of the 77 accidents investigated, 52 occurred on state and federal highways; 10 on farm to market roads; 9 on county roads and 6 in towns under \$2,500 population.

Principal violation causing these accidents were (1) speeding; (2) driving while drinking; (3) failure to grant right of way and (4) improper passing.

In February, the principal cau-

ses were (1) speeding, (2) driving while drinking, (3) wrong side of road, not in passing, and (4) failure to grant right of way.

Comparing this years fatalities with those of a year ago, Capt. Blackwell said that in March 1955 10 persons were killed, 67 injured, and there was \$47,049 property damage.

In February, 1956, 4 were killed; 77 injured and property damage amounted to \$79,305. For the first three months of this year, 16 were killed, 163 injured and there was \$200,564 property damage. For the same period last year, 22 were killed, 168 injured and property damaged totaled \$173,576.

The total number of traffic arrests for March were 590, of which 351 were for speeding and 23 driving while intoxicated.

Hazardous warnings totaled 1326.

There were 27 safety responsibility policy demand orders serv-

ed and 3 investigations for restoration of drivers license. Patrolmen worked 3616 daylight hours and 1600 night hours in making these investigations, and traveled 76,344 miles.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Wheeler of Quail visited last Sunday in Childress with his mother, Mrs. Stela Wheeler, and his brother, Jess Wheeler.

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FOR SALE: Good 4 row Allis Chalmers Planter. Walter Camp Phone 2631. 43-2-tp

FOR SALE: Nice home with small acreage. Would trade for house close in. C. E. Caldwell & Son Real Estate. Phone 127. 43-tfc

FOR SALE - 4 room house, 6 lots, cellar lots of shade trees, out buildings, this place is pretty well run down is the reason I am offering it at a bargain. Mrs. M. L. Roberson. Phone 477-J. East Ave. 44-tfc

FOR SALE - Western storm-proof cotton seed. Delinted and treated. C. A. Crawford, 1308 El Paso St. 44-2tp

FOR SALE: Aqua net and lace evening dress. Size 20. New. Mrs. Doe Turner, Phone 244-M. 44-1tc

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From the files of the Wellington Leader

Other Days - - Familiar Names

45 YEARS AGO
April 28, 1911
The ten brick buildings that are being built here are nearing completion and when completed will indeed be beautiful and substantial buildings. Included in these is a two-story modern up-to-date hotel of about 25 or 30 rooms and which when completed will be a credit to our city as same as badly needed. A large force of men are now at work putting in around the public square large 8-inch water mains.

Sheriff L. T. Sullivan and Deputy Gordon Neece arrested four men in a private residence in this city Thursday morning in broad open day light for gambling.

T. E. Rinard of the famous Bradley was here this week attending court.

J. N. Pierce and Rev. L. R. Jeffers of beyond Quail were here Wednesday. They report a nice little rain and prospects very fine out that way.

M. S. Ellis of the firm J. M. Ellis and sons, Tinnors of this city, quietly stole away last week to Paducah where on Sunday he was married to Miss Nettie Huff, a beautiful accomplished young lady of that city.

Last Friday night a crowd of young people met at the home of Miss Monnie Ann then they went to Miss Vera Hagood's home and gave a surprise party. Those present were Misses Rosa Williams, Vern Thomas, Violet Goad, Monnie Ann, Oma Lee Hunter, Myrtle Jones and Vera Hagood. Messrs. Frank Holbert, Clyde Williams, Roy Dobbs, Cleo Ann, Ralph Royal, Linsin Thomas and Carl Hunter.

Plymouth: M. L. Gambell has ordered a cotton chopper. He says he intends to ride and chop his cotton this year. . . it is no strange thing to see the farmers going around over his fields with a bucket of strychnine corn poisoning squirrels which are taking up his corn.

Fresno: Misses Lena and Eugene Wade entertained Ollie Allgood, Jim Mahan, Ola Adams, and Ina Powell at dinner Sunday.

Mr. Carey Dysart has completed a new addition on his house.

25 YEARS AGO
April 30, 1931
K. E. Kennedy was the new jeweler at Cochran Drug.

At least two sorghum mills will be operated in Collingsworth County next season, by W. A. Colson and C. C. Ryan. A number of farmers are planting ribbon cane. Kraft's Mint Store is closing out at Wellington and will move to Pampa, Max Leder, manager, announced.

G. C. Bower Dry Goods Store was robbed by approximately \$550 in merchandise and \$103.11 in cash, and the property damaged to an extent of \$500.

Wellington's first Trades Day was scheduled for May 2.

The school census had been completed and the county schools have enrolled 4,254 students, according to J. D. Wilson, county superintendent.

Miss Mildred Henard had opened a studio in Wellington and was teaching private and class lessons in art.

The new court house was nearing completion. And that brought an article reviewing the history of the old building, then 38 years old. It was begun in 1891 and built of bricks baked out of Collingsworth County Clay baked at a kiln on Buck Creek. J. A. White contracted to erect the building for \$31,000. When it was finished in 1893, there was considerable disagreement between him and the county and \$500 of the payment was withheld until he should make changes in the jail, then over the county clerk's office. But after this difficulty was settled, the town began pointing with pride to the new building. A slender spire was

in the center of the building, with a balcony about midway up the steeple. This became a popular place, with families going up to look out over the rolling prairies that were coming under cultivation and "two young beau felt he had shown his girl the sights until he had taken her up on the courthouse balcony."
The Leader Store advertised one lot of ladies silk dresses to be closed out at \$1.95.

10 YEARS AGO
The new Veterans of Foreign Wars Post was named for Lt. Glynn Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Moore, who lost his life in a plane crash in Hawaii.

Farmers were being urged to sell their stored wheat to the government, getting a 30c per bushel premium for it.

R. L. Templeton, who recently passed his state bar examination, opened his office in the Rock Lowrye Building.

From a half to an inch of rain fell over the county.

Charles Roberts, student in Hardin Junior College, Wichita Falls, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Roberts.

Miss Mary Lee Davis of Dozier and J. Hubert Bounds of Stamford were married, and the engagement of Miss Pollyanna O'Neil and William H. Adams of Childress was announced.

Helen White Griffin presented Jean and Louise Anderson in a recital in her studio in New York City.

Drilling was resumed on the Sid Clark oil test 15 miles southeast of Wellington.

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Peaches 17c

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Cake Mix 89¢

STOKELY'S FINEST Whole 2 cans
Green Beans 49¢

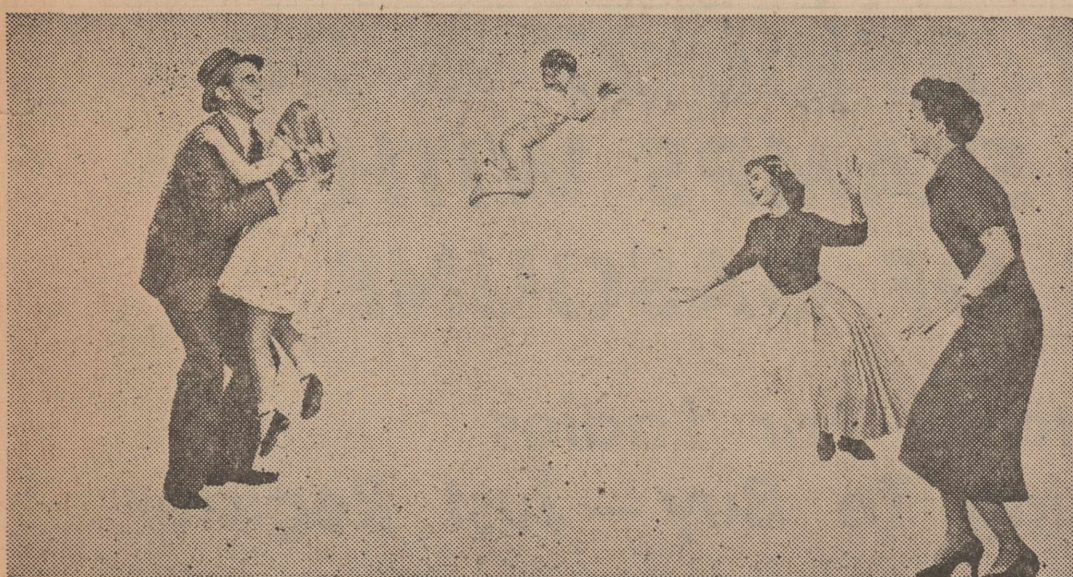
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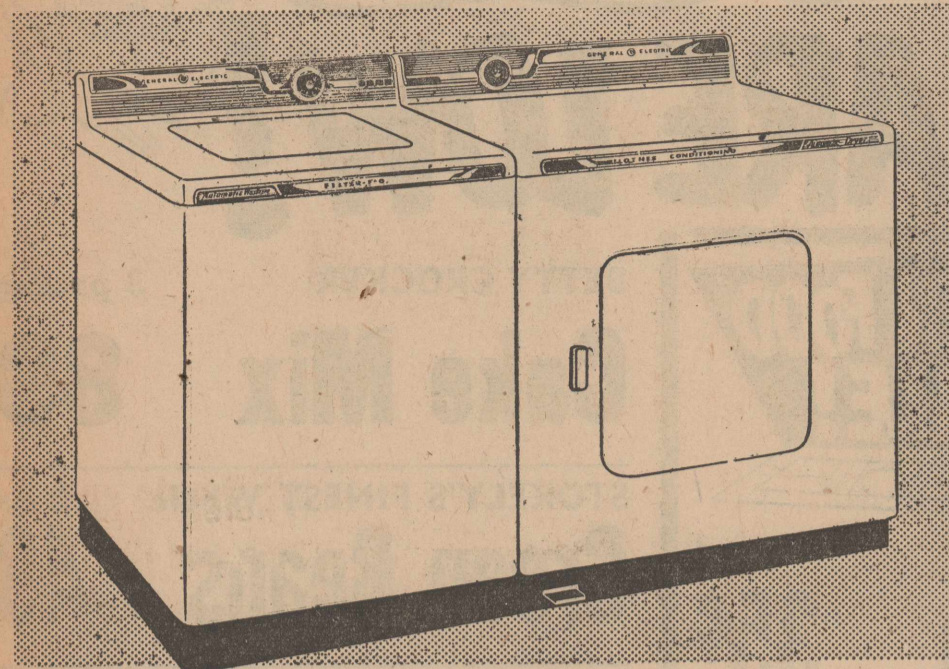
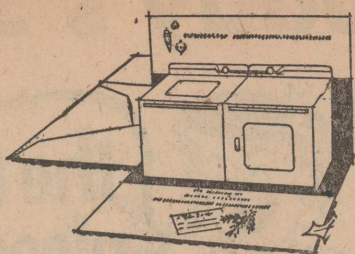
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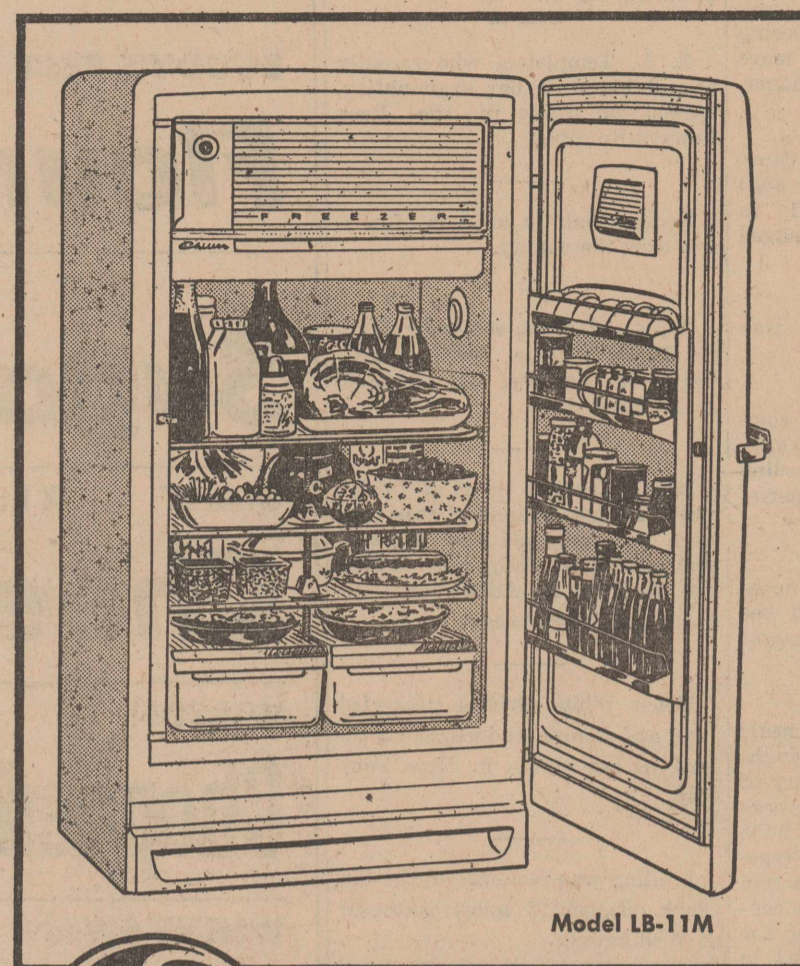
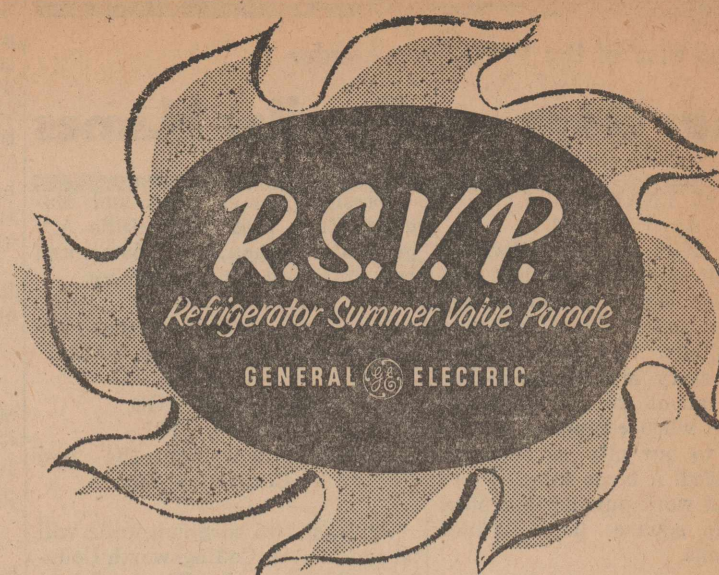
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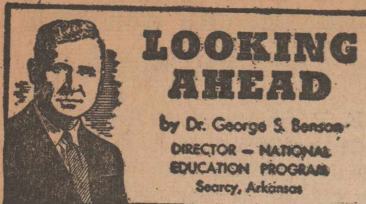
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HANDBOOK FOR CITIZENS
During a period of 25 years the United States Congress has had numerous special committees investigating subversive organizations in America, particularly the Communist conspiracy and its operations here. From the great wealth of factual material compiled the Congress has now published "A Handbook for Americans" on the Communist Party of the U. S. A. This 100-page booklet should become the keystone in every American understanding of Communism, what it is, and how it works to achieve its goal.

Copies of the booklet may be obtained from The Bookmailer, Box 101, Murray Hill Station, New York 16, New York. The handbook was edited by the Internal Security Sub-committee of the U. S. Senate Committee on the Judiciary. Its contents were approved by the full committee membership: Democratic Senators James O. Eastland, of Mississippi; Olin D. Johnson, of South Carolina; John L. McClellan, of Arkansas; and Price Daniel, of Texas; and Republican Senators John Marshall Butler, of Maryland; Herman Welker, of Idaho; Arthur V. Watkins, of Utah; and William E. Jenner, of Indiana.

FACTS TO KNOW

Here are some of the facts presented:

The Communist Party U. S. A. is a "Russian-inspired, Moscow-dominated, anti-American, quasi-military conspiracy against our Government, our ideals, and our freedoms."

The Communist Party functions "at all times of the year, every day of the week, and at all hours of the day. It is a fulltime organization which is not restricted to election campaigns. It persistently seeks to permeate every phase of American life for its own subversive purpose. Communist agents may be found wherever and whenever there is opportunity for Communist propaganda or the promotion of civil strife, whether it be the factory, the union, the church, the school, or the neighborhood."

Fully aware that "if it appeared openly in its true guise, as a bridge-head of a hostile, foreign dictatorship, the Communist Party, U. S. A. would attract little support, its methods are based primarily upon deception."

FBI TESTIMONY

J. Edgar Hoover, FBI Director, has testified: "No longer are Communist Party membership cards issued; maintenance of membership records is forbidden." And yet, Igor Gouzenko (and others) have testified: "On every Communist there is a file at the Comintern in Moscow; for every Communist in the whole wide world there is a file at the Comintern." The Communist Party U. S. A. "thrives on promoting clashes: between employer and employee,

Political Calendar

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Paul Spillman

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John Rainey
Claude McKinney

County Attorney

Denzil Bevers

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landlord and tenant, white and Negro, native born and foreigner, Catholic, Protestant and Jew; between the American people and their government, and within every non-Communist organization."

The conspiracy apparatus in America is composed of the following: open party members, semi-concealed party members, members at large, members of the underground apparatus, non-party Communists, Communist Party supporters, conscious fellow travelers, unwitting fellow travelers.

HELPING THE REDS

From the Communist Daily Worker newspaper: "It is no exaggeration to state that besides the ... Communist members, there are today tens of thousands of individuals who are active in every field of the progressive movement, carrying out the line of the Party in practice. They work shoulder to shoulder with the Party members, follow the Party line through our press ... through mass meetings, lectures, and all struggles in which the Communists are in the forefront. We must point out: First, that their actual work is appreciated by the Party second, that we consider their work Communist work and want them to continue it."

About half of the hard-core Communists in America are stationed in New York state; the next largest number in California.

They are concentrated in vital areas of production, transportation, shipping, and in the communications agencies where propaganda and thought-shaping can be conducted most widely.

The influence of each single Communist is far-reaching.

PERSONAL

Mrs. Ruth Aaron and Mary Beth were in Fort Worth over the weekend visiting Mrs. Aaron's brother, Mr. and Mrs. Aubert Keller and family, and a sister, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Balthrop and family. Mrs. Aaron's parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Keller of Amarillo and her daughter, Jo Ann, of Dallas, met them in Fort Worth.

Mr and Mrs Lawrence Warrick were in Wichita Falls Sunday to attend the Wichita Falls Wholesale Trade Show

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Payne and children of Amarillo, were here Sunday visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alton Wilkerson.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Raburn and Douglas were in Amarillo Sunday visiting Mr. and Mrs. Joe Raburn.

Mrs. George Aaron and Judy and Mrs. N. R. Roberts of Dallas visited Mrs. J. S. Aaron over the weekend. Mrs. Aaron was recently discharged from St. Joseph's Hospital where she had been a patient.

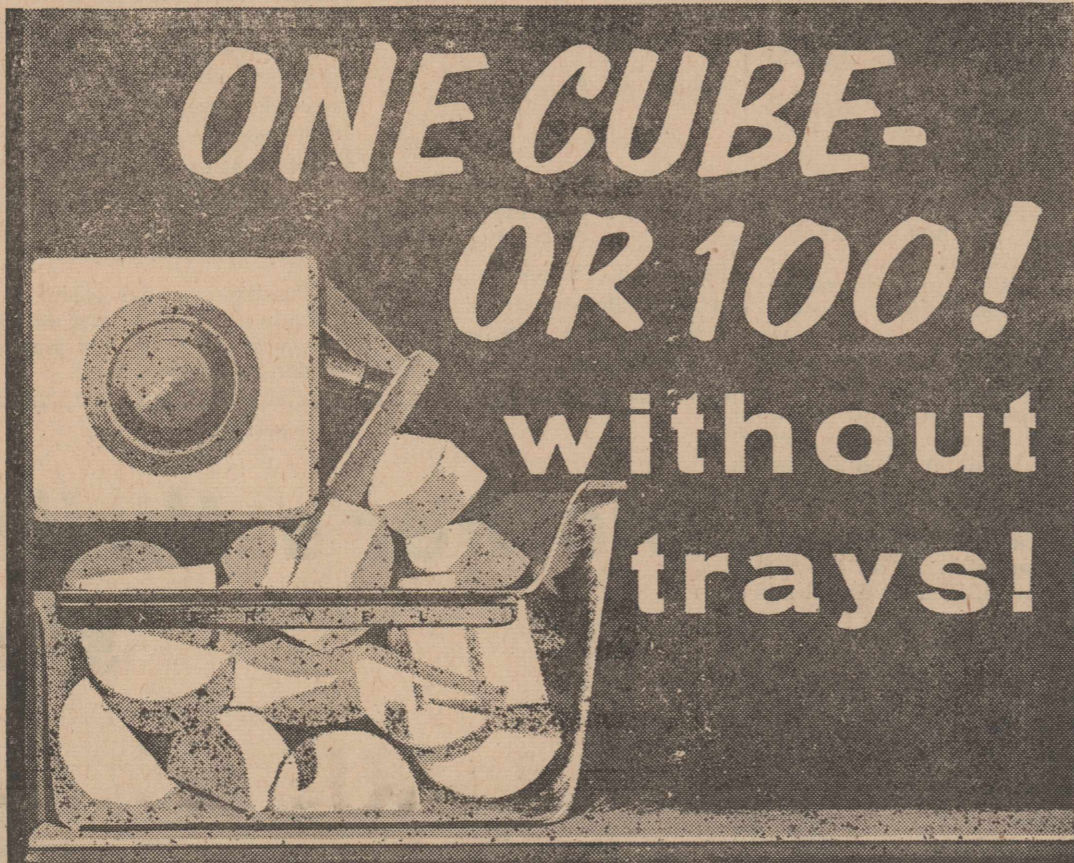
Mr. and Mrs. Fate Hays and Noel Cantrell of Heber Springs, Ark., and the former's daughter, Miss Sue Hays of Little Rock, Ark., were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hill and Nancy in the Needwood community. Meeting theme here were Mr. and Mrs. Ray Hill and son, Rocky, of Olney. Mrs. Ray Hill is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hays, while her husband is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hill. The group also visited in the J. L. Moody home

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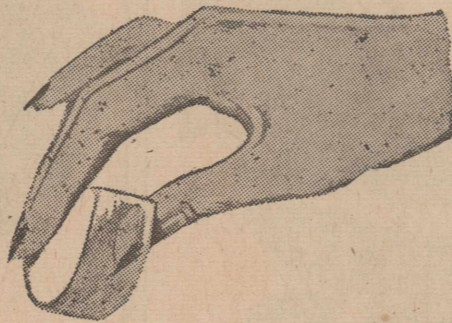
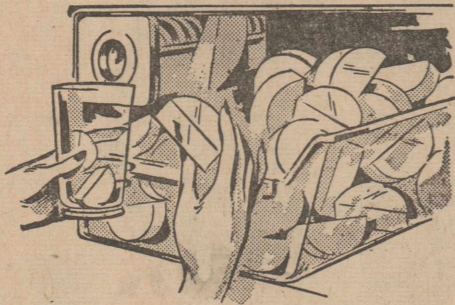
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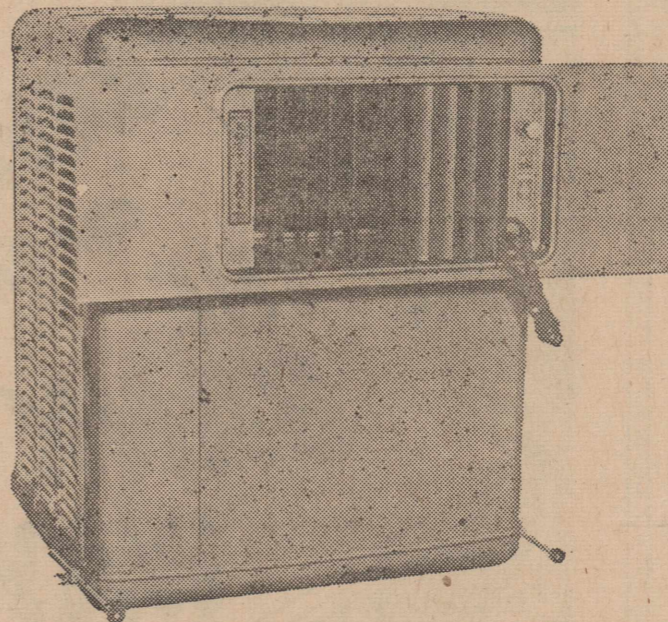
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May 1

VFW Holds City's First Loyalty Day Program

Wellington's First Loyalty Day observance will be Tuesday, May 1, sponsored by the Glynn Moore Post of the Veterans of Foreign Wars.

Mayor J. B. Castleberry has issued a proclamation designating May 1 as Loyalty Day, and VFW Commander Donald Curry and the immediate past commander, Buster Hughs have issued a joint request that all merchants put out their flags on that day.

The Glynn Moore Post and Auxiliary will hold a joint meeting on the evening of Loyalty Day, with Denzil Bevers, county attorney and Lieutenant in the Medical Company of the National Guard, as speaker. His subject will be "Why We Have Loyalty Day."

The joint meeting starts at 8 p. m., Commander Curry said.

While Loyalty Day has been observed for a number of years in some sections of the country, this is the first time it has been stressed here, Curry and Hughs pointed out.

"We hope to educate both the members of our post and the people of the Wellington area on what the designation of Loyalty Day means to us," Curry explained.

They have given this explanation of the day:

Loyalty Day, celebrated each year on May 1st, or days proximate thereto, was organized some decades ago by VFW members in the East as a counter to the annual May Day demonstrations of Communists, or loyalty as opposed to disloyalty. The idea caught on, grew and spread until in 1950 the observance was inaugurated by the VFW on a nationwide basis, not only as a successful counter to Communism, but to afford an opportunity at a specific time each year when all loyal Americans could stand up and be counted.

Cooperation of civic, veteran, fraternal, labor and women's organizations, religious, educational and youth groups, and individual citizens, was sought and obtained in the celebration of this non-partisan, non-sectarian, cooperative program which has the endorsement of the State and Territories and which has continued to expand

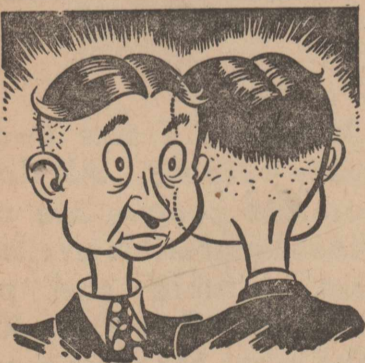
Quail Cemetery Group to Meet

A meeting of the Quail Cemetery Association has been set for Friday, April 27, at the Quail school study hall to close out the year's business. The meeting will begin at 8 p. m.

Four new trustees will be elected to serve two year terms. Present trustees whose terms expire include Carroll Blevins, who is president, Chester White, Lewis Morris, and Monty Mitchell.

The Association also will make plans for the work of the coming year, and all interested are urged to attend.

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Christian Church Has Film Planned

Billy Weeda, who plays the part of John Leigh in the sound, colored moving picture showing at the First Christian Church next Sunday night, April 29, plays his own life story. Mr. Weeda is a student at one of the church-related colleges of the Christian Church and his acting lends a note of realism to his picture. "Where Do Ministers Come From?" Rev. Delmar Freeman has announced.

All the main parts of the film were taken by students on the campus, which fact, along with the humorous incidents, makes this picture appealing to all the young people as much as to the older ones.

There is much light-hearted fun pictured beside some real heartaches and problems, with the romance being well played.

The public is invited to see this film for which there is no charge. An offering will be taken to defray the expenses.

Skyrocket Band To Contest Friday

The Skyrocket Band will participate in District Interscholastic League competition in Canyon Friday, April 27, Band Director Charles Bloch has announced.

The band will compete in concert playing and sight reading, and there will be two entries in the student conductor division, Kern Pigg and Mary McCaskill.

Complete Plans—

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coming year will be elected.

The Greenbelt Rural Electric Co-operative serves all of Collingsworth, Wheeler, Donley and Armstrong counties, parts of Gray and Childress counties in Texas and part of Harmon County, Oklahoma.

Gribble to Discuss House Bills 23, 15

Judge Luther Gribble will speak Thursday evening, April 26, on two House Bills being pushed locally by the county Home Demonstration Clubs. The meeting will be in the county court room beginning at 8 p. m.

These are House Bill 23, seeking the suppression of lurid comic books, other literature, and House Bill 15 pertaining to federal extension money.

The Home Demonstration Club is sponsoring the meeting and everyone interested is invited.

Dr. Nicholson To Show Films

Dr. H. E. Nicholson Sr. of Wheeler will show motion pictures of his extended tour of the Holy Land at the Dodson Methodist Church Wednesday, May 2, at 8 P. M.

These films are in color and are very interesting, the pastor, Rev. Harmon Keelin, said.

The public is invited and a large crowd is expected, he said.

For Church Loyalty

Church Attendance Rises As Campaign Advances

An increase in Sunday School and church attendance over other recent Sundays was seen April 22, as a result of the Church Loyalty Campaign now being sponsored by the Wellington Ministerial Alliance, Delmar Freeman, president, reported one week after the campaign began.

"The members of the alliance estimate that on any given Sunday, not more than 50 per cent of Wellington's people are in church. That's what the Church Loyalty Campaign is trying to remedy,"

Rev. Freeman said. He reported that all pastors contacted reported some increase in attendance for both Sunday School and Church Sunday.

"There's been a lot of comment about the campaign, too, and we are expecting even larger crowds for the second Sunday of the four-week campaign," the Alliance president continued.

Climax of the campaign will come on Mother's Day, Sunday, May 13.

At Memphis

Rocket Baseball Team In District Tourney Friday

The Skyrocket baseball team will go into district 12-B tournament play at Memphis Thursday morning, Coach Frank Lindsey announced this week.

The Wellington boys have drawn Esteline as their first opponent, and if they win this game, they will go into the third round of the tournament Saturday, April 28.

The district tournament is set up to determine the two top teams. There will be no play-offs, but these finalists will decide how they want to determine the champion team, Lindsey explained.

Both Wellington and Memphis are playing in Class B baseball this year, since there is no Class A set-up. There has been no regularly scheduled games, and playing so far has been confined to scrimmage affairs.

Coach Lindsey's probable starters in the tournament play are Warner Ford catcher; Duggie Jameson pitcher; Jerry Elbert, first; Jerry Lacy or Carl Daves, second base; Maxie Tarver, short-stop; Wesley Savage or Charlie Welch, right field, Don Scott or John Horton; center field, Denzil Lacy; left field, Ted Stansbury.

Other members of the team are Jimmy Forrester, R. W. Warren, Sambo Morris, Richard Tigert and Cloyce Scarberry.

The pedestrian record reflected the 5th consecutive year of improvement for motor vehicle accidents in 1955.

Ellison Park—

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but this number has been greatly increased by the 1924 Study Club, 1954 Study Club, and B&PW Club.

Besides these permanent tables and benches, there are a large number of portable benches. Included in the groups who have furnished these are the Garden Club, Excelsior Club, Homemakers Club, County Home Demonstration Club, Council, Wellington Lumber Co., Shamburger Lumber Co., Cicero Smith Lumber Co., Wellington State Bank, West Texas Utilities Co., Lone Star Gas Co., and the individual Home Demonstration Clubs.

In the last two years, the Rotary Club has installed the barbecue unit in the center of the park.

The wading pool can no longer be used for that purpose, and members of the Wellington Volunteer Fire Department plan to install in it a lighted fountain.

A paid caretaker has been hired, Horace Mallard, who is now doing much of the work relating to the upkeep and improvement.

"There have been many, many individuals who have helped us," Mrs. Fires said. "Some have given bulbs, some have worked, or in anyone of a number of ways, they have helped us."

"Without the splendid co-operation that everyone has given us, the Garden Club could never have made the progress that has been made."

Pride of Dodson—

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Supt. and Mrs. T. E. Lennon. Garth Lewis is in the sixth grade and his parents are Mr. and Mrs. Glen Lewis. Roger Painter is an eighth grade student and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Tolbert Painter, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh

Painter, with whom he makes his home. Kenneth Hunt, uncle of the other two Hunt boys, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Hunt and is in the eighth grade.

Parker is in his second year of teaching at Dodson and his third year in the county. Besides his heavier than usual schedule at school, he is active in the South Baptist Church and in community affairs. He has done considerable evangelistic singing, but as far as the townspeople are concerned right now, his principal activity is "The Pride of Dodson".

Labor Survey—

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Farm women who might be interested in working are especially urged to register, since industries in the smaller towns often draw a considerable portion of their employees from this group.

Almost all industries moving to smaller towns prefer to use local labor, bringing in only supervisory help, it was pointed out. Handicapped persons of the area are also advised to register, since many types of industries can find places for them.

Persons now employed are urged to register in order that the total present labor force of the area might be known. Registering will not mean that a person wants to change jobs. "At this time a manufacturing firm is interested in locating a plant in this part of the country and Wellington is one of several towns that will be visited. It's officers have already asked about our labor supply. Whether or not this firm comes here, we still must know what our potential labor supply is if industry is to be interested in us," Mrs. Thomas said.

Twenty-seven per cent of all drivers involved in fatal auto accidents in the U. S. last year were under 25 years of age.

Sherwood Burned In Tractor Mishap

F. P. Sherwood of Samnorwood was painfully burned Monday, April 23, about 5:45 p. m. when the tractor he was starting backfired, blowing fire and gasoline over him.

He received severe burns on his right leg, which was broken only four weeks ago, and also on his left arm and hand and right hand, his son-in-law, Wayne Maxwell, said.

Mr. Sherwood was standing near a sand pile beside the tractor shed, and he rolled in this to put out his burning clothing. He was rushed to St. Joseph's Hospital where he remained for treatment until Wednesday morning.

Revival Begins Friday at First Baptist Church

Spring revival services will begin at the First Baptist Church in Wellington Friday night, April 27, and continue through Sunday, May 6.

The Rev. Russell Pogue, pastor, will do the preaching for the revival, while Homer Peden, music and education director, will lead the singing.

Services will be held twice daily, at 10 a. m. and 8 p. m. with prayer services at 7:30 p. m.

"We invite all of Wellington to come and be a part of this revival," the pastor urged. "We need the prayers, we need the support of all Christians if we are to be successful."

Saturday is the most dangerous day of the week to drive.

Four to 8 p. m. are the most dangerous hours of the day to drive.

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