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# BRISCOE COUNTY NEWS

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## BUSINESS MEN'S

### Second Meeting Set For Tonight

The second meeting of Silverton business men is being held tonight in preparation of entertainment and Saturday drawings to be held in Silverton each Saturday.

The meeting will be held at the Methodist Church at 7:30 p. m. tonight. All business men and women are urged to attend these meetings. There are over 60 business establishments in Silverton that will be effected by discussions at these meetings.

Committees were set up at the meeting held following Lion's Club last Thursday night, for the purpose of getting Saturday's entertainment for our town under way.

Committee for drawings consisted of: E. E. Minter, Hugh Nance, A. L. Robinson, and Fred Logan. Committee for entertainment consisted of: Milton Dudley, Fred Mercer, Ralph Glover, Glen Bunch, and Robert Ledbetter.

Minter and his group met Monday afternoon and began contacting business men for their reactions and urging them to attend tonight's meeting. Indications from this group were that almost all were in favor of some type of endeavor along this line. They are expecting to be able to offer some definite plans to put before the group for action tonight.

It is hoped that a permanent organization of business men may be organized for the purpose of discussing and fostering community projects that are of interest to the community, and also problems that are common to all.

Some of the items that were discussed last week were: A Community building for Silverton, and "Why don't our Farmers Briscoe County have telephones?"

### THERE IS A NEED FOR A COMMUNITY BUILDING IN SILVERTON

Some discussion has been made as to the need of a Community Building in Silverton. If Silverton had a building of this nature, numerous clubs and organizations, would have a place to meet, and the gathering together would in itself be of great value to our community.

This is only in the discussion stage, but the proposition is definitely a worthy one. A project of such importance to the whole community and seems to be worthy of further study.

### Mrs. Annie J. Stevenson Seeks Re-election

#### TO THE PEOPLE OF BRISCOE COUNTY:

I wish to announce my candidacy for re-election to the office of County Treasurer of Briscoe County, Texas, subject to the Democratic Primaries. I wish to thank the people for the privilege of having served in this office for the past term, and for the courtesies and co-operation given me during that time. I have endeavored to conduct the affairs of this office to the best of my ability and I believe that my past experience will enable me to render a better service in the future.

Your vote and influence will be greatly appreciated.

Thanks,  
Annie J. Stevenson  
County Treasurer

#### MOISTURE

Saturday nights snow measured of moisture according to the gauge located at Bomar's One

### Mrs. Stella Lea Higgins Buried In Silverton Monday

Mrs. Stella Lea Higgins was born April 15, 1898 in Davis, Oklahoma, and passed away on January 10, 1954 in St. Anthony, Amarillo, Texas.

She was converted and joined the Baptist Church in 1925 at Silverton, Texas. She was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Morton, who preceded her in death.

On March 4, 1920 she was married to F. M. Higgins, who survives. Also surviving is a daughter, Mrs. Paul Merrill, and two grand-daughters of Kingsport, Tennessee, a brother, R. C. Morton of Cove, Arkansas, two sisters, Mrs. J. C. Hill of Silverton, Texas, Mrs. Allie Weaver, Lubbock, Texas, and a host of other relatives and friends.

Out of town relatives here for funeral of Mrs. Higgins, Monday were Mrs. Lou Crump, Mrs. Ollie Weaver, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Perry and Marshall, Mrs. Jean Rippetoe Mrs. Ova McClarney, Mrs. L. D. Daniels all of Lubbock, H. R. Morton, Rotan, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Harold Morton, Abilene Texas, Mrs. Lily Morton, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Kniffin, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Griffin, Clyde, Texas Mr. and Mrs. Robert Higgins, Sweetwater, Texas, Edd Higgins Kermit, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Higgins, Pampa, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Carl Morton, Mrs. Wayne Davis, Canyon, Texas, Mrs. Anna Williams, Amarillo, Texas, Ralph Higgins, Pampa, Texas, and Mrs. Odell Walls, Wewoka, Oklahoma.

Out of town friends here for the funeral were: Mrs. J. C. Freeman, Mrs. E. C. Shuman, White Deer, Texas, Mrs. H. C. McDowell, Bob DeArmand, John Smith, Amarillo, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Mart Brashear, Mrs. H. H. Ingram, Lubbock, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Merriott, Plainview, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Robinson, and Mrs. Robert Barnhart, Cactus, Texas.

### Father Of Mrs. Hill Passed Away Sunday

Mr. T. L. Hamilton, of Abilene Texas passed away Sunday January 10, 1954, at the age of 60. Funeral services were held in the Evangelistic Methodist Church in Abilene, Monday, at 2:30.

He was the father of Mrs. Bailey Hill of Silverton, Mrs. Hill has been with her father much of the time in the past several weeks during his illness.

### DR. AND MRS. FURBY RETURNED HOME SUNDAY

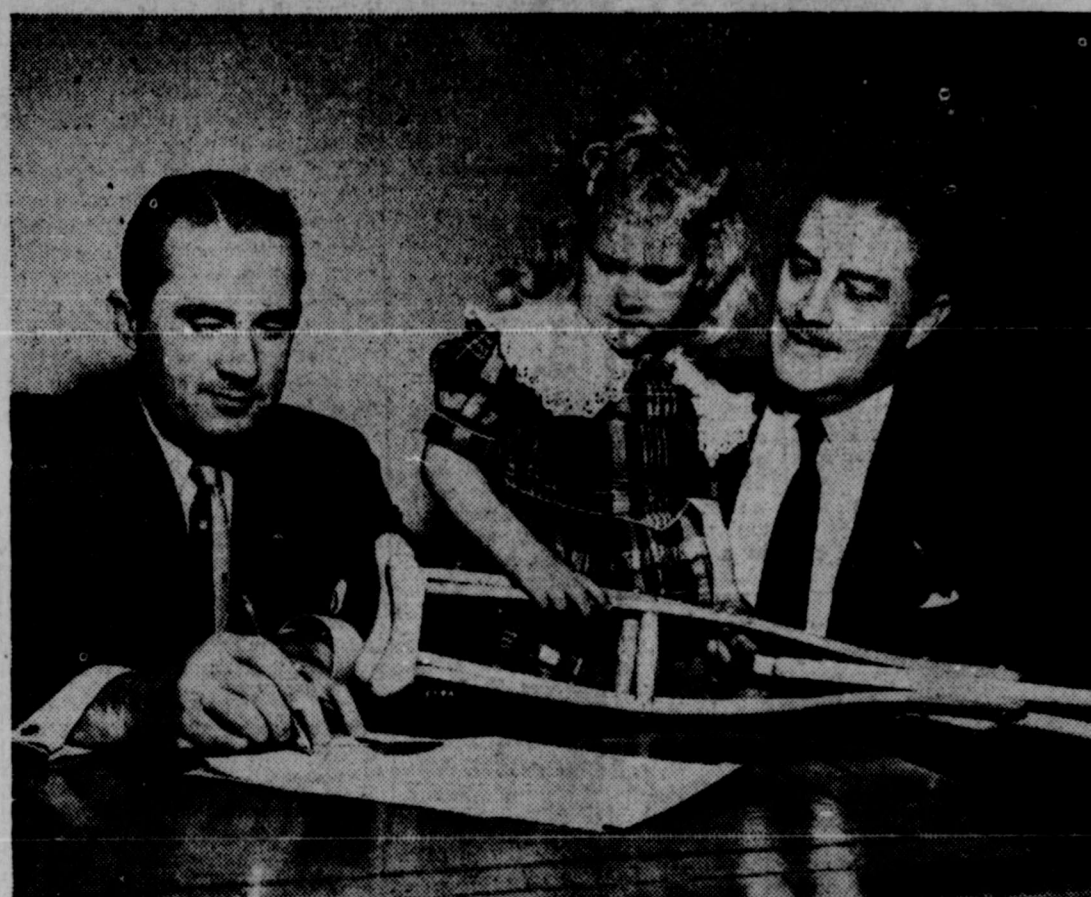
Dr. and Mrs. J. F. Furby returned Sunday night from New York City where they have been visiting for the past month with Dr. Furby's sister, Marilyn Janet and his mother. During their stay, Dr. Furby's sister underwent major surgery and was on critical list for awhile but is home and apparently doing fine.

On their return trip home they visited Mrs. Furby's parents at Parum, Oklahoma before returning to Silverton.

Dr. Furby's sister has been studying voice and opera in New York for the past 4 years.

### 37 1/2% AS MANY DIVORCES AS MARRIAGES HERE

From a report given by Dee McWilliams, Briscoe County and District Clerk, 16 marriage licenses were issued, and 6 divorces were granted in 1953.



MARCH OF DIMES MONTH in Texas, January 2-31, has been declared by Governor Allan Shivers, above left. As Governor Shivers signs the proclamation, he is watched by Ruth Ann Bryant, 3206 Cherrywood, Dallas, a three and one-half year old polio victim, and General Robert J. Smith of Dallas, State Chairman of the 1954 March of Dimes Campaign and President of Pioneer Air Lines. The National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis, through the March of Dimes Campaign, is seeking to raise an average of 50 cents for every person in Texas. Part of the 1954 plans are to conduct vaccine field tests in the State.

## March of Dimes Porch-Light Drive

TONIGHT at 7:30 it is requested that all who wish to contribute to the MARCH OF DIMES, Porch-Light Campaign, being made by members of the local Fire Department please turn your "Porch-light" on and leave it until some member calls to accept your donation.

We all pride ourselves on being neighbors. Within the circle of our community, the helping hand is extended to those in distress. But being a good neighbor in just our own community is not enough. There are many mutual problems facing all of us that can be solved only on a national level. Some of these are health and welfare problems that are much better solved voluntarily through all our own efforts than by a paternalistic all-embracing government.

The scourge of polio is one problem that cannot be solved locally. Victory can be won only if every community voluntarily supports a coordinated national attack against the disease. This requires a national organization to lead the fight. Fortunately we have a battle-tested leader in the National Foundation for Infantile Paralysis.

For 16 years the National Foundation and its county chapters have spear-headed the attack against polio. It is a purely voluntary organization financed solely by the March of Dimes. It grew out of the recognition of millions of people that polio could be conquered only through an expensive and expansive effort. This is the American way of doing things, as opposed to the totalitarian way in which government does it all and people must simply accept what is done.

### NEW OLDSMOBILE'S DUE JAN. 26TH

Providing that a new 1954 Oldsmobile has been received, the local Oldsmobile Dealer, Crass Motor, will have a showing of this car January 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Latham attended the funeral of Mrs. Bailey Hill's father, Mr. T. L. Hamilton, at Abilene, Monday.

If you are too busy to pray, you are too busy.

### Captain Laney Declared Dead

Word has been received that Capt. Guy F. Laney, missing in action since July 1951, has been presumed dead by the Air Force. Capt. Laney was the grand-son-in-law of Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Turner of Silverton. His wife, Barbara, who lived until recently with her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Turner, near Happy, now lives at Moriarty, New Mexico. A veteran of World War II, Capt. Laney was a member of a bomber crew in Korea. Mrs. Laney received the Distinguished Flying Cross and Silver Star in his behalf early in 1952 at ceremonies at Amarillo Air Force Base.

He is also survived by a 5 year old daughter, Charlotte, and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Laney of Denton, Texas.

### MR. AND MRS. FRED STRANGE PARENTS OF A SON

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Strange are the parents of a son, born January 8, 1954 at the Briscoe County Hospital. He has been named Ronnie Allen. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Poole of Floydada, and Mrs. Bryan Strange of Silverton. The child is believed to be the first born in the county in 1954. He is the first child at the Fred Strange home.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Davis, of Estancia, New Mexico are great grandparents.

### OIL LEASES BEING PAID IN BRISCOE COUNTY

About 1948 several sections in Briscoe County were leased by major oil companies. Report reached the news office this week that rentals have been kept up and that some were recently received by land owners here.

## Owls Win First Conference Tilts

Tuesday night of this week, Silverton Owls, both boys and girls played Matador on Matador home court.

### First Conference Home Game

Tuesday night, January 19th, Silverton plays their first conference game at home against Flomot.

The boys won their game with the score resulting 78-30. Freddie Hamilton was high point man for Silverton with 18 points, Jack Williamson, second with 15 points and Joe Howard made 12 points. The entire squad were playing a jam up good game with all scoring readily. Pipkin was high point man for Matador with 12 points. The girls lost their game by a small margin, the score being 48-43. Sharon Gilkeyson was high point girl with 20 points, and Pat Redin second with 13. Hughes was high point girl for Matador.

Friday afternoon, Silverton will compete in the tournament being held this week-end in Tulia, both boys and girls playing their first game against Dalhart.

### SILVERTON BOYS AND GIRLS WIN GAMES FROM TURKEY

Many fans witnessed the conference opener at Turkey, Friday night. There were three games played the "B" squad boys playing a Turkey "B" team.

The Silverton "A" boys came out winners with a score of 47-32 over Turkey. Freddie Hamilton was high point man for Silverton with 20 points to his credit. Joe Howard was second with 12 points. High point men for Turkey were Hawkins 14 and Colvin 13. Jack Williams, a local Owl proved an outstanding player on defense.

The Silverton girls won their game also with the score being 41-24. Sue Smith was high point girl with 20 points and Pat Redin was second with 16. Waniee Grabbe did an excellent job of rebounding guarding Sharon Gilkeyson was also outstanding in her passing and rebounding. King was high point for Turkey.

The Silverton boys "B" team lost their game to Turkey with a score of 43-37.

### Wayland Defeats Panhandle A. & M.

Coach Harley Redin's Wayland Pioneers defeated Panhandle A. & M. basketball team in Plainview, Tuesday night by a score of 97-71. Davis was high point man for Wayland.

The Wayland Flying Queens won their game against Wolforth. Next home games for the Wayland Pioneers will be with Tyler Junior College, one of the leading junior colleges in the nation, on Monday and Tuesday nights, Jan. 18 and 19.

### MR. AND MRS. E. D. ENGLEMAN MOVING TO SPUR

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Engleman are moving this week to Spur, Texas, their former home.

While here Mr. Engleman farmed land he had leased in this county and Mrs. Engleman owned and operated the Engleman's Fashion Shop. We regret the closing of this nice shop and also the Engleman's leaving.

### MAJOR AND MRS. CLANAHAN VISIT PARENTS HERE

Major and Mrs. J. R. Clanahan, Kay and Pat spent the holidays here with Mr. and Mrs. Clay Fowler and J. C., parents and brother to Mrs. Clanahan. Major Clanahan has returned home but she and the daughters are still here. Mrs. Clanahan has recently had minor surgery in a Lubbock hospital.

### Briscoe County 4-H Judging Team Placed Third

The Briscoe County 4-H Livestock Judging Team placed third at Canadian in a Livestock and Grass Judging Contest sponsored by the Canadian Chamber of Commerce for 4-H and FFA teams. In the 1-H Contest there were nine teams entered. These boys judged classes of fat lambs, breeding ewes, breeding gilts, fat barrows, fat steers and bulls. Over 300 4-H and FFA boys participated in this judging. Robert Haley Hill, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hill was second high individual in the contest.

Hill made a total score of 369. He was topped only by a boy on the Potter County 4-H team that won the contest. Other members of the team are John Schott, Bill Baird, and Carrol Welch.

Livestock judging is one of the many activities that 4-H Club members are interested in. Other contest will be held in Amarillo, and Plainview. The district contest is held in Lubbock after school is out and the winners there are eligible to attend the 4-H club round-up and State Judging Contest at College Station. The State winner is awarded an expense paid trip to the International Livestock Exposition in Chicago.

### MORGAN "SPEEDY" CLINE DIES AT OKLAHOMA CITY

Word was received here last week of the death on January 4, of Morgan "Speedy" Cline in an Oklahoma City Hospital after an extended illness. Mr. Cline was a former resident of Silverton having moved to Oklahoma about 1933. Graveside services held in the Sunny Lane Cemetery on Tuesday January 5th were attended by Mr. and Mrs. Leon Martin of Silverton. Mr. Cline is survived by his wife Mrs. Nellie Cline, of 700 North Douglas Street, Oklahoma City, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Fisch attended to business in Lockney and Floydada on Monday.

### SHE'S GOT APTITUDE!



How accurate is "accurate?" Attractive Ruth Wenger, one of the top feminine artisans at the Eterna watch factory, of Grenchen, Switzerland, knows the answer in split-second vibrations, because her business is precision.

Her job is to adjust and synchronize by vibration-count the incredibly sensitive spirals and balance wheels of high-precision, self-winding Eterna-Matic watches, famed throughout the world for their unique ballbearing winding system that insures timekeeping accuracy.

The delicate operations involved in handling these spirals, laminated to approximately four ten-thousandths of an inch, or one-third the thickness of a hair, require a steady hand, a sharp eye and an aptitude for perfection. According to Dr. Rudolph Schulz, director general of Eterna, about one-third of the skilled artisans at his factory are women.



## Time Study Club Elects New Officers For 1954

The arch of Time Study Club met in their annual Business Meeting in the Club Room on Thursday, January 7, 1954.

Access for the meeting was Mrs. True Burson. The invocation was given by Mrs. Alvie Mayfield. Roll Call was answered with a Parliamentary Law. A report from the Federation news by Mrs. W. E. Schott, Jr., in the absence of the Federation Counselor. A Parliamentary drill was conducted by Mrs. Fred Mercer.

In the business session conducted by the Chairman, Mrs. W. E. Schott, Jr., each officer gave a report on their years work.

The election of Officers for the 1954-1955 Club Year was held, the following Officers being elected:

President, Mrs. W. E. Schott, Jr.

First Vice-President, Mrs. Clarence Anderson.

Second Vice-President, Miss Anna Lee Anderson.

Recording Secretary, Mrs. Marvin Montague.

Corresponding Secretary, Mrs. Tony Burson.

Treasurer, Mrs. Troy Burson.

Reporter, Mrs. J. W. Lyon, Jr.

Parliamentarian - Critic, Mrs. Fred Mercer.

The club project for the month is the March of Dimes.

Those present were: Mrs. W. E. Schott, Jr., Mrs. Marvin Montague, Miss Anna Lee Anderson, Mrs. Obra Watson, Mrs. Conrad Alexander, Mrs. Roy Mayfield, Mrs. Bob Hill, Mrs. Fred Mercer.

## Zeta Lambda's Met With Mrs. Martin

The Zeta Lambda's met in the home of Mrs. Ferris Martin Wednesday evening January 6, for their first business meeting of the year. A salad supper was planned for the next social event.

Plans for a new project for the coming year were discussed. Members present at the meeting were: Agnes Seane, Mavis Minter, Dureen Nance, Sybil Stevenson, Miriam Logan, Jean Steele, Diamond Williams, Fay Whittemore, Eunice Elkins, and the hostess, Melva Jean Martin and one guest, Ava Nell McJimsey.

After serving refreshments, the meeting adjourned.

## Girl Scouts Met At Methodist Church

The Dusty Trailers Girl Scout Troop met January 5, 1954 at the Methodist Church. We held our meeting outside. Officers were elected for four months.

They are: President, Peggy Grundy, Vice-president, Jori Baldwin, Secretary, Waynell McCutchen, Treasurer, Mary Jane West, Reporter, Susie Anderson. Our regular troop leader is having to resign, and we all hope that Mrs. Robert Ledbetter will be our new leader. We adjourned at 5:00.

Mrs. Conrad Alexander and Marsha spent the week end in Clarendon; they returned home last week there with his grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Rampey, and Aunt, Miss Geraldine Rampey.

## A Cheese Specialty Designed for Dunking



Bavarian Fondue, when accompanied with dunking-size pieces of crusty French bread and tall glasses of nasty beer, makes a wonderful combination for informal, weekend suppers.

This savory cheese specialty combines the best features of two famous national dishes—Welsh Rabbit and Swiss Fondue. Like the Welsh dish, it calls for the blending of cheese with ale or beer to make a smooth, tangy sauce. But, like the Swiss Fondue, it's made with Swiss cheese and seasoned with nutmeg.

It can be served Welsh-style, as a sauce on toasted bread or English muffins. Or, it can be served in the Swiss manner from a chafing dish or casserole on a candle-lit warming stand, with enough forks and bread for everyone.

**BAVARIAN FONDUE**  
(Makes 4-6 servings)  
1 12-ounce can or bottle ale or beer

1 pound Swiss cheese, grated or cubed  
2 tablespoons flour  
1/2 teaspoon salt  
Dash nutmeg  
Sprinkling black pepper

Open ale or beer and let stand about 15 minutes. Pour ale or beer into top of double boiler over hot water and heat until it begins to boil. Add cheese in handfuls, stirring after each addition until cheese is melted and smooth. When all cheese is added, stir in flour which has been blended with a little cold water. Season with salt, nutmeg and pepper. Serve immediately in a casserole which has been rinsed with hot water.

Mrs. J. C. Jacob and children, of Flydada, were Sunday guests of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Burson and children.

Mrs. Florence Fogerson and Mr. and Mrs. Ware Fogerson and children were Sunday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Henderson, in Matador.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray C. Bomar and Mrs. Robert London attended the funeral of Mrs. T. J. DeFee, in Ralls, Monday afternoon. Mrs. DeFee was the father in law to Mrs. Bomar's sister, Mrs. Roland DeFee, of Conroe, Texas. The London and DeFee families were neighbors at Itasca, Texas, many years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Norland Dudley and Joan and Mr. and Mrs. Grady Kelley and Eldoon, of Petersburg, were seven o'clock dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Dudley and Connie one day last week.

Mrs. Addie McLeroy, of Canyon, visited her sister, Mrs. Florence Fogerson, and nephew and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ware Fogerson, Diane and Stanley, from Wednesday through Friday of last week.

## Striking New Colors Feature 1954 Oldsmobile

A striking new concept of two-tone color styling is introduced to motorists with the appearance of the 1954 Oldsmobile Series "98" models, according to G. R. Jones general sales manager of the Oldsmobile Division of General Motors.

"In a brilliant departure from the familiar 'top and body' combinations, Oldsmobile stylists have utilized the location of the exterior trim of the '98' series to create an entirely new two-tone effect," Jones asserted. "This brings the luxury of custom design into mass production, medium-priced automobiles. Its sparkling originality may revolutionize the color styling ideas of the entire industry."

The conventional two-tone effect, with body of one color and to be offered in the Oldsmobile top of another color, will continue "98" and Super "98" series, as well as the "98". But in addition to this combination, the "98" series also will present two other two-tone effects. One of these is achieved by painting the roof, rear deck, upper rear fenders and quarter panel one color and the rest of the car a contrasting color. This combination is offered in the "98" four-door sedan.

A third unique two-tone effect is available in the "98" Deluxe Holiday and Starfire. The long decorative chrome strip that originates in the front fender and extends almost the length of the car—culminating in a "V" formed by the narrow sash on the rear quarter panel, is the dividing line. The lower body area below this chrome strip and to the rear of the "V", including the rear deck and rear fender,

is painted one color. The rest of the car, including the roof of the Holiday, is painted a contrasting color.

In addition to these revolutionary two-tone effects, eight brand new paint colors are offered by Oldsmobile in 1954.

Forty-nine conventional two-tone combinations are available in 1954 to buyers of Oldsmobile closed body cars.

Oldsmobile's safety padded instrument panel is now standard equipment on all "98" series cars.

Genuine leather and nylon weave cloth are offered in six

color combinations in the Super "98" Holiday coupe. Similarly, red leather or five two-tone leather combinations are available in the Super "98" convertible.

Back and seats are bordered with one color leather, with a contrasting color in the center.

Mrs. Tom Autry returned home on Saturday after an extended visit with relatives in Dallas. Her daughter, Miss Vonna Autry, and a granddaughter and her husband brought Mrs. Autry home and remained here over the week end.

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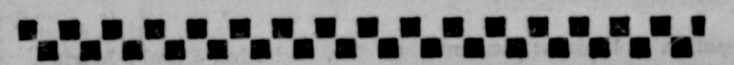
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**CEREBRAL PALSY CLINIC**  
**IN LUBBOCK, JANUARY 18**

A clinic for the examination of cerebral palsied children will be held Monday, January 18, at Lubbock Cerebral Palsy Treatment Center, 3502 Avenue N. Lubbock.

Specialists present to examine children will be: Dr. E. T. Driscoll, Midland, Dr. R. Q. Lewis, Lubbock, and Dr. Charles Raliff, Lubbock, orthopedists; Dr. R. K. O'Loughlin, Lubbock, neuropsychiatrist; Dr. C. J. Breaud, Lubbock, dentist; Dr. G. M. Wallace, Lubbock, eye specialist; and Dr. N. A. Ellis, Lubbock, pediatrician.

Cerebral palsy, sometimes referred to as spastic paralysis or birth injury, is evidenced by the child's inability to sit or stand alone or walk or hold objects at the age these things are accomplished by the average child. Research has shown that treatment is most effective if started within the first few months of the child's life, although children responded to treatment before.

Parents who plan to bring children to the clinic are requested to register the children at the Center before the date of the clinic. Information regarding the clinic may be obtained by writing Dr. Esther Snell, Director or calling Lubbock 4-7110.

**LOOK AHEAD**

The holiday season has come and gone; it was either good or bad, but that doesn't matter now. The important thing is to start 1954 with a burning faith that it will be better than 1953. You are in a position to do something about that which lies ahead by really and truly expecting more in 1954. If you are sincere in what you expect, you will tend to do those things that will make your expectations come true.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Smith, of Plainview, were seven o'clock dinner guests of his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Marshall on Sunday. Mrs. Carl Lewis (Millie Marshall) returned home with them for a visit in their home and with other relatives in Plainview.

Mr. Malcolm F. (Mack) Miller of Texline, visited friends here recently. He was a seven o'clock dinner guest of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer May. He and Miss Virginia May and Mrs. J. H. May visited a while in the Carl Crow home during the evening. He worked with the local S.C.S. here several years ago.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray C. Bomar spent Christmas day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Hawkins, in Lubbock. They were met there by Mr. and Mrs. Roland De Fee, of Conroe, Texas. The ladies are sisters.

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**Silverton Co-Op**

**Chevrolet Convertible Makes '54 Debut**

Chevrolet introduces three series of passenger cars for 1954, each containing advances over previous models. In addition to more power and extension of the Powerglide automatic transmission option to all models, the cars carry striking styling revisions both inside and out. Exterior changes provide a longer, lower appearance. New interiors make liberal use of new fabrics. Above is the Bel Air Convertible.

**The SNAPSHOT GUILD**

A home developing and printing kit and a kitchen in which to use it will bring added pleasure to your snapshotting.

**Snapshots and the Kitchen Sink**

WE'VE heard of people who tried to include "everything but the kitchen sink" in their pictures. We don't approve of this, but do heartily approve of something you can do with your pictures in which the kitchen sink can play a very important role. We're talking about your trying your hand at developing and printing your own pictures at home—and we're putting all the emphasis on the kitchen sink so you'll know right away that you don't need a darkroom in order to do it. Start with a visit to your photo dealer for a look at the various kits that he has to show you. You'll be amazed to find that compactly fitted into a quite small box is everything you need for the operation. Of course, there are detailed instructions for doing it, too.

With one of the kits and your kitchen as a work place, you're all set to embark on an activity that is fun for the entire family. In fact, it is so simple and fascinating that the youngsters are likely to want to take over the entire operation.

Only one step in the procedure calls for complete darkness, and it is one that can be done in a hurry and any light-tight closet is a good place for doing it.

You can do the whole printing operation in subdued roomlight because there is a special kind of photographic paper, called Velite, which can be used under such conditions. This adds to the fun of home printing because everyone can gather 'round to enjoy the thrill of seeing the picture appear as you put the photographic paper into the developing solution.

One minute you have what appears to be a blank piece of paper—and then, almost as if by magic, there's a picture on it. That's what I think is the biggest thrill of the whole thing.

—John Van Guilder

Mrs. Mildred Reid, Le Wanda and Paula were recent visitors with Mr. and Mrs. Meek Gaston and children in Amarillo. The ladies are sisters.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe H. Smith met their friends, Mr. and Mrs. Will Poole, of Dougherty, in Floydada last Monday and they went together to Lubbock for the day. Mrs. Smith wants it kept a deep, dark secret as to what she and Mrs. Poole did!

Mrs. W. A. Rowell is spending a visit with her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lowell Rowell and children at Optima, Oklahoma. She returned home with them when they spent a recent week end here with her and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Berton Hughes and sons spent the week end in Memphis, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Hall and daughters. The ladies are sisters.

Mrs. Wiley Bomar, Sr. and Leo Corner were in Amarillo on Wednesday.

**Dr. R.F. McCasland**  
DENTIST

Heard and Jones Building

Phone 25 Tulla, Texas

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell McWilliams and Ricky are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Terrell, in Booneville, Arkansas. He is Darrell's great uncle with whom Darrell and his brother, Dean McWilliams lived during their childhood years.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Chitty and children and Mr. and Mrs. Roy Teeter visited Mr. and Mrs. Buck Campbell and children, in Tulla, last week.

Messrs. Ray Teeple and Datis Martin attended the Cotton Bowl game, Alabama vs. Rice, in Dallas, on New Year's day.

**Dr. Lynn McCarty**  
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Tulla, Texas  
Phone 304

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Long spent a long week end in Sweetwater with her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Will Tait.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Isbell spent last week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Andy Isbell in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

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## They Plumb Forgot The Ephs!

Below is a clipping that Gene Grundy ran across and brought by the News office, it struck me as being worth passing on:

The first issue of The Silverfork Journal, a gusty little silver-rush town newspaper, published high in the Rockies, in 1876, were produced under a terrific handicap, as this announcement on the front page explained:

"The damn phools in the Philadelphia phoundry phrom whom we bought our type plumb phorgot to send us any ephs. So please phorgive us phor the phunny looking words that need ephs in them. Phor the phirst time in our lives we realized how important ephs are to a newspaper. We have sent word to those phuzzleheads in the Philadelphia phirm to send us some ephs phast. Iph they don't get here soon we will trp to phinagle some phrom the newspaper in Phort Collins, althougth I know that editor and is a stingy phat head who probably would repheuse to lend us any. Meantime, we will only charge phour cents per copy instead of phive—the price we phormerly phixed."

### THINGS!

I hold it true that thoughts are things  
Endowed with bodies, breath, and wings  
and that we send them forth to fill  
The world with good results—or ill.  
That which we call our secret thought  
Speeds to the earth's remotest spot  
and leaves its blessings or its woes  
Like tracks behind it as it goes.  
Then let your secret thoughts be fair:  
They have a vital part and share  
in shaping words and molding fate—  
God's system is so intricate.  
—Ella Wheeler Wilcox

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## Pay Your Poll Tax And Be Eligible To Vote

Sheriff Grewe wishes to remind the Citizens to be eligible to vote in the coming elections. January 31st is the last day for paying Poll-Tax.

**EVERYONE IS URGED TO PAY THEIR POLL TAX.**

**Raymond Grewe**  
Sheriff-Tax-Assessor And Collector  
Briscoe County

## The SNAPSHOT GUILD



Snow makes a fine setting for gay color pictures of your favorite people.

### There's Color in the Snow

WHEN the view from your window looks like a winter wonderland, with the snow-covered landscape sparkling under a clear, blue sky—that's your cue to get out with your camera and be sure that you have color film in it.

Whether you encounter such scenes regularly on home ground, or see them when vacationing in colder climes, they offer wonderful picture-taking opportunities.

Why the emphasis on color, when snow is so white? For the very good reason that it offers such a very fine background for the people and things you'll be picturing.

Can't you just see a group of children playing with their sleds on a snow-covered hill? They'll be wearing snowsuits of brilliant reds, blues, greens, yellows that'll be so outstanding against the glistening white of the snow. They'll make a really pretty picture, of the kind you'll want to keep for a long time and look at again and again.

This glistening surface offers you another advantage in addition to being a good background. It reflects the light from the sun, so that your subject is well lighted from all directions. This will do away with the shadows that you'd

get if the ground were bare.

However, speaking of the reflected light brings me to warning you about an effect that the light may have on your picture. It is quite likely that your snow will have a blue cast, especially if you are making color snapshots with a simple camera. It is easy to see why this happens. We just talked about the reflected light. Well, the light from the bright blue sky that is illuminating the snow is blue. And that is the color of the light, which bouncing off the snow, reaches the film in your camera.

This bluishness often adds charm to the picture because the blueness of the sky in the same picture explains it. And the presence of other strong colors, like the red of the snowsuits we mentioned earlier, takes attention away from any blueness in the snow.

Be sure to do your snow shooting—either in black-and-white or color when the sun is bright. On grey days the snow looks drab and dull. Of course, if you're striving for mood pictures, that's all right. But for everyday picture taking, we're sure most of you will prefer the bright-day snow scenes when everything is sparkling and lively.

—John Van Guilder

Mr. and Mrs. Fulton Gregg had all their children and grand children at home during the holidays. They were Mr. and Mrs. A. A. Boling, of Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. Andy Isbell, of Albuquerque, N. M.; and Mr. and Mrs. Buster Snodgrass, of Oklahoma City. The entire party enjoyed a Christmas day dinner with the Bollings in Lubbock, and a feast was spread in the Gregg home on the 26th.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Marshall, of Wood Lake, California, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Marshall, of Stonewall, Oklahoma, and Mrs. F. D. Auburg, of Brownfield, were recent over night guests of Mr. and Mrs. T. M. Marshall and family. Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Marshall are the parents of Kenneth and T. M. Marshall. Mrs. Auburg is the mother of Mrs. Kenneth Marshall.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Womack made a vacation holiday trip to Brownsville with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Womack and Jo Lynn. They spent New Years in Dallas with Mrs. Womack's brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Russell and children, and a sister, Mrs. Michael Muller, and Mr. Mueller and children. They were gone about two weeks.

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### HAPPENINGS IN SILVERTON

#### 15 Years Ago

J. W. Lyon, Jr., Quitaque attorney, has been appointed by Gov. Allred, to serve as special judge in the case of Farmers Fuel Association vs. W. E. Graham, owing to the fact that Judge Coffee, disqualified.

From a bulletin issued by the Post Office Department, it is found that January 24, 1939 is the last day for getting in bids for positions of Star Route mail carriers. A new route will be established from Tulia to Silverton.

All of Silverton is proud of A. J. Rowell, for he is the first player from Silverton High School to make the All-District team.

Datis Martin, George Martin, Jas. L. Allard and Charley Dunn attended the Cotton Bowl football game Monday between Texas Tech and St. Mary's. The latter won 20-13.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray C. Bomar, Misses Nora Mae Thompson and Ruth Mercer were in Plainview Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Reeves came from Tulia last week, and are busy cleaning up the hatchery, getting ready for the coming season.

#### WONDERING

What became of the three little monkeys: See no Evil, Hear no Evil and Speak no Evil?

Why people who always say just what they think seem to have such unpleasant thoughts?

If we may get a lesson from the small unlettered boy, who said "you need not be a saint with your eyes fixed on a star. Just try to be the fellow Your mother thinks you are!"

My neighbors and I have different views.

On politics and food  
But my neighbors and I unite at least.

In humble gratitude  
That as long as our flag  
Shall wave on high —

And wave it every will —  
My neighbors and I can disagree and live as neighbors still!

About things happening in January.

Prohibition went into effect 1920.

Peace treaty with England-U. S. 1784.

Gold discovered in California 1848.

First colored regiment formed 1863.

First practical locomotive 1831.

First telephone across Atlantic 1927.

Battle of Princeton 1777.

Battle of New Orleans 1851.

Electric Trolley patented 1892.

Edward VIII of England ascends throne, 1936.

Utah becomes a state 1896.

Contributed

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hunt and daughters, of Ralls, visited Mr. and Mrs. Sam Hunt and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hunt and family recently. The men are brothers.

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Charter No. 1752

Bank's Official Statement of Financial Condition of the

## First State Bank

AT SILVERTON, TEXAS

at the close of business on the 31st day of December, 1953, pursuant to call made by the Banking Commissioner of Texas in accordance with the Banking Laws of this State.

### RESOURCES

|                                                                                                                                                     |               |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|---------------|
| 1. Loans and discounts, including overdrafts                                                                                                        | \$ 983,673.71 |
| 1a. (After deduction of \$25,022.70 valuation allowance or bad debt reserve)*                                                                       |               |
| 2. United States Government Obligations, direct and guaranteed                                                                                      | 136,084.41    |
| 3. Obligations of state and political subdivision                                                                                                   | 81,398.68     |
| 4. Other bonds, notes, and debentures                                                                                                               | NONE          |
| 5. Corporate stocks, including \$ none stock in Federal Reserve Bank                                                                                | NONE          |
| 6. Cash, balance due from other banks, including reserve balances, and cash items in process of collection (including exchanges for clearing house) | 582,041.62    |
| 7. Banking house, or leasehold improvements                                                                                                         | 20,000.00     |
| 8. Furniture, fixtures, and equipment                                                                                                               | 7,000.00      |
| 9. Other real estate owned                                                                                                                          | NONE          |
| 10. Other assets                                                                                                                                    | NONE          |

11. Total Resources \$1,810,198.62

### LIABILITIES AND CAPITAL ACCOUNTS

|                                                                                                                                             |              |
|---------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|--------------|
| 1. Common Capital Stock                                                                                                                     | 50,000.00    |
| 2. Income debentures                                                                                                                        | NONE         |
| 3. Surplus: Certified \$50,000.00. Not Certified None;                                                                                      | \$50,000.00  |
| 4. Undivided profits                                                                                                                        | 33,241.38    |
| 5. Capital reserve (and debenture retirement account) (Not to include specifically allocated reserve for expenses, or valuation allowances) | NONE         |
| 6. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations                                                                            | 1,244,786.20 |
| 7. Time deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations                                                                             | 118,554.60   |
| 8. Public funds (Incl. U. S. Govt., states and political subdivisions)                                                                      | 249,536.92   |
| 9. Deposits of banks (excluding reciprocal balance)                                                                                         | NONE         |
| 10. Other deposits (certified & cashier's checks, etc.)                                                                                     | 64,059.52    |
| 11. Total all deposits \$1,676,957.24                                                                                                       | x x x x      |
| 12. Bills payable, rediscounts, or other liabilities for borrowed money                                                                     | NONE         |
| 13. Other liabilities                                                                                                                       | NONE         |

14. Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts 1,810,198.62

### CORRECT ATTEST

Alvin Redin, Spencer Long, Perry Whittemore, Directors.  
STATE OF TEXAS, COUNTY OF BRISCOE, I, William Strange being Cashier of the above named bank do solemnly swear that the foregoing statement of condition is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

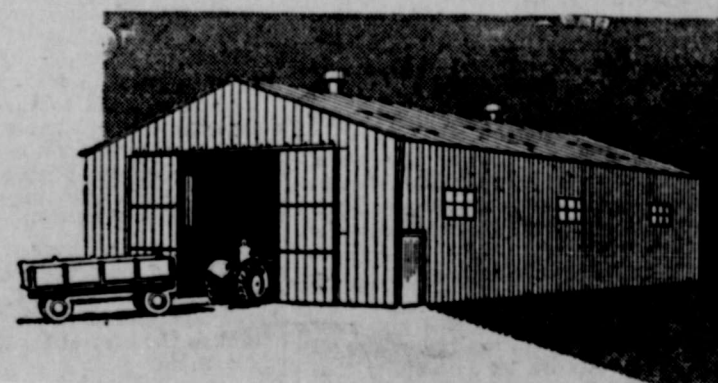
WILLIAM STRANGE

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 9th day of January, 1954.

(Seal) FAYE WHITTEMORE

Notary Public, Briscoe County, Texas

\*Note: Reporting and publication of item 1a is optional with the bank.



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FOR SALE: 2500 dry land cane bundles. C. A. Tipton, about 3 miles east and 7 miles south of Silverton. 2-3tp

FOR SALE — Good Baby Bed, large size. — Mrs. Roy Teeter. 51-tn.

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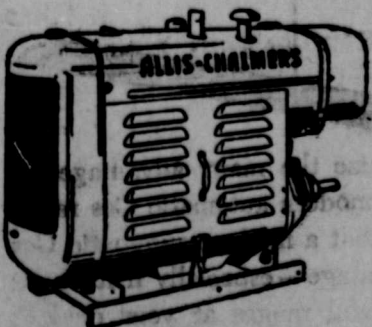
TWO BEAUTIFUL new lamp tables in Mahogany, regular \$21.95 will sell for \$10.00 each. Call 2861, Mrs. M. G. Moreland 2-1tp.

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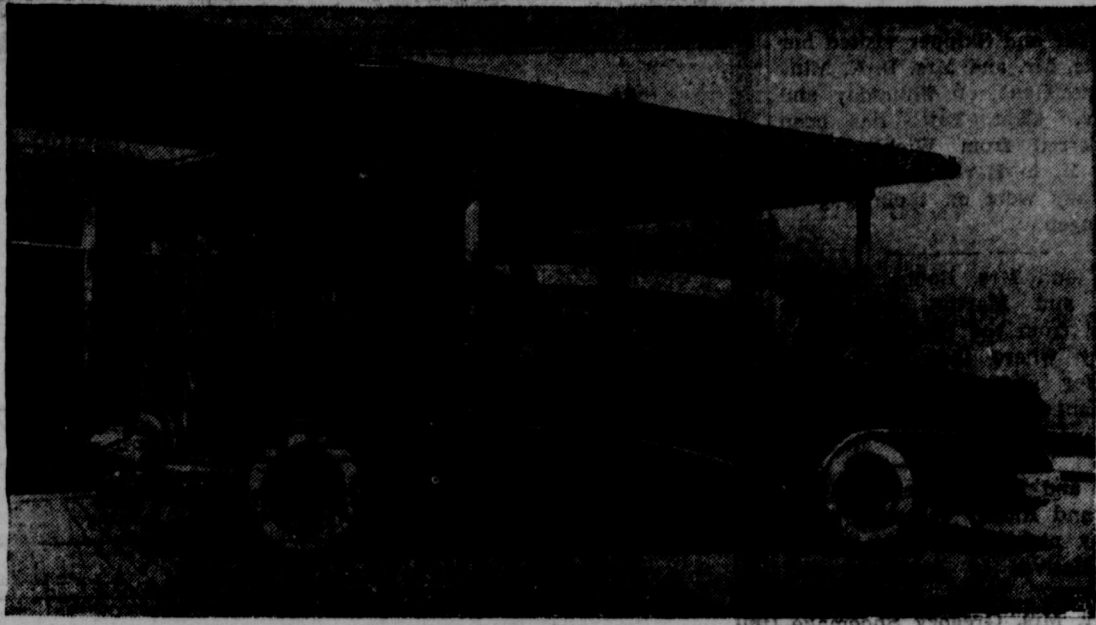
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## Buick Offers Complete New Line for '54



An outstanding beauty among the completely new line of cars which Buick offers for 1954 is the two-door Super Riviera. It has a rakish sports car styling modeled after Buick's famed Skylark, the Riviera features a new panoramic windshield, a cut-down door belt line, full rear-wheel cut-out and a refined sweepover mold-

ing. It has a completely new front end, all new styling, new instrument panel, new rear fender and new lid treatment, and new interior. It is mounted on a 127-inch wheelbase and is powered by a 122-horsepower V-8 engine when equipped with Twin-Turbine Dynaflo, wire wheels are offered as optional equipment.

FLINT, MICH. — Buick today announced a completely new line of automobiles for 1954, studied with the most revolutionary styling changes since the introduction of streamlining.

The new Buicks come in four series with all new, roomier bodies, beautiful new exterior and interior styling, longer wheelbases, panoramic windshields, and more powerful and efficient V-8 engines.

The Special Series makes its debut in the V-8 class in 1954 with a brand new 150 horsepower engine modeled after the valve-in-head V-8 introduced in the Roadmaster and Super Series last year. Horsepower in the Roadmaster has been boosted from 188 to 200, and in the Super from 170 to 182.

New also to the Buick line for 1954 is the Century Series, designed to sell in the price range between the Special and Super. The Century, which features a 200 horsepower Roadmaster engine mounted on a 122-inch wheelbase, has a very high power-to-weight ratio and is the outstanding performer in the Buick line. All-steel estate wagons are available for the first time this year in the Century and Special series.

Among outstanding styling features in addition to the new pan-

oramic windshield are full rear wheel fender openings and sloping door line on all two-door Rivieras and convertibles, built-in sun visor and rain cover on four-door sedans in the Roadmaster and Super Series, new high crown front fenders which permit the driver to see the right fender at all times, and new instrument panel.

The new V-8 engine in the Special Series, new combustion chamber design which increases power and economy, new power brakes, new front end suspension which improves steering and provides better cornering ability, and cowl ventilation are among the top engineering advancements. The sweepover molding, so closely identified with Buick, has been refined, with 49 thin bars of chrome enclosed in a chrome frame. The traditional Buick emblem on the front of the hood has been replaced with the word B-U-I-C-K in narrow, delicate letters.

Interior styling has been enhanced by a new, double roll instrument panel, similar to the one on Buick's experimental Wildcat. A new speedometer, unique in the entire industry, is featured on the Roadmaster and Super Series.

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Judge and Mrs. J. W. Lyon, spent the recent holidays with her relatives in Tennessee. They were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Lyon, Sr., of Quitaque.

## Stop Taking Harsh Drugs for Constipation

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Mr. and Mrs. Billy Morton and his sister Jo. Ann visited their grandmother, Mrs. Flora Dickerson, Monday afternoon.

Rev. and Mrs. G. A. Elrod left Monday afternoon for Fort Worth where they will visit relatives and attend an Evangelistic Conference this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Watkins and daughter, of Amarillo, spent the week end with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Bud McMinn.

We judge ourselves by what we feel capable of doing, while others judge us by what we have already done.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Wimberley visited relatives in Canyon on Thursday and Friday and attended to business in Amarillo.

Mrs. Otto Denham and sons, of Amarillo, visited her sisters and families, Mr. and Mrs. Ott Perkins, here last week.

Mrs. Georgia B. Thornton and children have been recent visitors with relatives in Abilene, Alabama and Indiana.

Messrs. Robert Dickerson, Wiley Bomar, Sr., and Bryant Edmonson, men transacted business in Plainview on Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Bryant and son, of Panhandle, spent week end with Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Davis and family.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Hyatt, Sr., were transacting business in Plainview on Tuesday of last week.

## Vic Vet says

TRAINEES UNDER THE KOREA GI BILL APPARENTLY KNOW WHERE THEY'RE GOING. ONLY 1% HAVE MADE THE ONE-AND-ONLY CHANGE OF COURSE PERMITTED BY LAW



## Veteran's Questions And Answers

Q—I've been contributing money to my mother each week for several years. Would that be considered proof that she's dependent when I enroll in school under the Korean GI Bill.

A—The fact that you've been making contributions to your mother is not conclusive evidence in itself that dependency exists. But VA will consider it in connection with all other evidence showing that she actually is dependent on you.

Q—My deadline for starting Korean GI training is August 20, 1954. I want to take a correspondence course. Will VA consider that I started in time if I simply enroll in the course before the deadline?

A—Enrolling in the correspondence course before the deadline is not enough. VA will consider that you started in time if the school sends you your first lesson before the deadline date.

Q—I'm leaving my National Service Life Insurance dividends at the VA so they'll draw interest. Could you tell me how the VA credits interest to my account?

A—Interest will be computed and credited on the balance of dividend deposits remaining the day before the anniversary date of the policy.

Q—Will I have to pay income tax on disability compensation.

A—No. VA benefit payments are not taxable. In fact, they need not even be reported as income, for tax purposes.

Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Hankins and Sandra visited his mother, Mrs. N. B. Hankins, and other relatives, in Fort Worth this week. He has three brothers and three sisters who live in and near Fort Worth.

Mrs. and Mrs. C. E. Merriott, of near Plainview, visited Mrs. Una Burson Monday afternoon. They were here to attend the funeral of Mrs. Higgins.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Durham and children of Turkey, were over night guests of her mother, Mrs. W. K. Grimland, on Thursday of last week.

Messrs U. D. Brown and Sott Smith transacted business in Lubbock on Monday.

Fred Buchanan was a business visitor in Silverton on Monday.

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Cpl Lonnie Wesley, of Fort Bliss, spent the Christmas and New Year holidays here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. (Buck) Wesley. Eddie Wesley, of Levelland, was also a New Year's visitor with his parents, the Wesleys.

Mrs. Joe H. Smith was a patient in the local hospital over the week end. She went home on Monday after having undergone treatment for an infected ear.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnnie Lanham were in Abilene on Monday and Tuesday. They went down to attend the funeral of a friend, Mr. T. L. Hamilton.

Mrs. James Stevenson is spending this week in Amarillo, a guest of Mrs. Iris Mae Graham.

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#### MOTHER OF DOCTOR E. B. KOLLHOFF, DIED IN CALIF.

Mrs. Sarah A. Knollhoff, the mother of Dr. E. B. Knollhoff, of Sudan, died on Tuesday of last week at her home at Long Beach, California. Funeral services and burial were held on Sunday in St. Louis, Missouri.

Dr. Knollhoff is a former resident of Silverton.

Willie Amel Smith, of Memphis, at dinner with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Smith, on Monday.

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#### ALAN B. HALEY OF WICHITA FALLS ANNOUNCES FOR CRIMINAL APPEALS COURT

Wichita Falls — District Judge Alan B. Haley of Wichita Falls announced Saturday that he is a candidate for the Democratic nomination for judge of the Texas Court of Criminal Appeals.

Judge Haley was elected to the 69th District Court (Wichita County) bench in 1951, and is, at 36, one of the youngest district judges in Texas.

Preceding his election as district judge, Haley was District Attorney of Wichita County for one term and investigated and prosecuted a narcotics ring whose operations extended into the Wichita Falls high school. This resulted in 12 convictions in the latter part of 1951 and the early part of 1952.

In a statement announcing his candidacy Judge Haley pointed to his experience as a defense attorney, and as District Judge in providing him with qualifications for this high office.

#### Political Column

Subject to the action of the Democratic Primaries the Briscoe County News has been authorized to announce the following candidates for the office set above their names.

#### For Sheriff-Tax Assessor and Collector:

Raymond K. Grewe  
(For Re-election)

H. L. (Switch) Morris

Jonnie Lanham

#### County Treasurer

Mrs. Annie J. Stevenson

#### Commissioner:

Precinct Number 1

H. A. (Dick) Bomar  
(For Re-election)

Lige H. (Dud) Watters

Precinct Number 4

O. M. (Milton) Dudley

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Capt. and Mrs. C. E. Yates, Thumper and Skipper visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Minter and Gene, on Thursday and Friday. Capt. Yates has been transferred from Wichita Falls A. F. B. to Harlehen A. F. B. and they were on their way to Harlehen.

Mr. and Mrs. Bobby McWilliams and Martha Ann have moved from the Haylanke community where they have resided for several years to the Fairmont community in the Quitaque vicinity.

Mr. and Mrs. Darrell McWilliams and Rickey returned home Sunday night after having visited relatives in Arkansas and Oklahoma. They visited her mother, Mrs. Gregory Shoemaker, and family at Durant, Oklahoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Claud Loudermilk and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Bingham and children spent Sunday in Quitaque with Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Smith and children. Mrs. Loudermilk is the mother of Mmes. Bingham and Smith.

Charles Cowart took his mother, Mrs. C. L. Cowart, to Amarillo on Monday for a check up on her eyes.

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#### SUNDAY & MONDAY JANUARY 17, 18 WINGS OF THE HAWK

Starring  
Van Heflin  
Julia Adams  
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#### TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY JANUARY 19, 20 JAMAICA RUN

Starring  
Ray Millard  
Arlene Dahl  
Wendell Corey  
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Mrs. Donald Paige was a patient in the Northwest Texas Hospital in Amarillo a few days last week.

Mrs. Scott Smith and Messrs. and Mmes. Edwin Cram and Jack Sutton were Amarillo visitors on Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Kline Burson, of Liberty, Texas, came by Monday afternoon for a short visit with his grandmother, Una Burson, and other relatives. They had been to Dalhart with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Blaind Burson, and flew by here on their way home.

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