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"For Forty-Five Years a Builder in Collingsworth County"

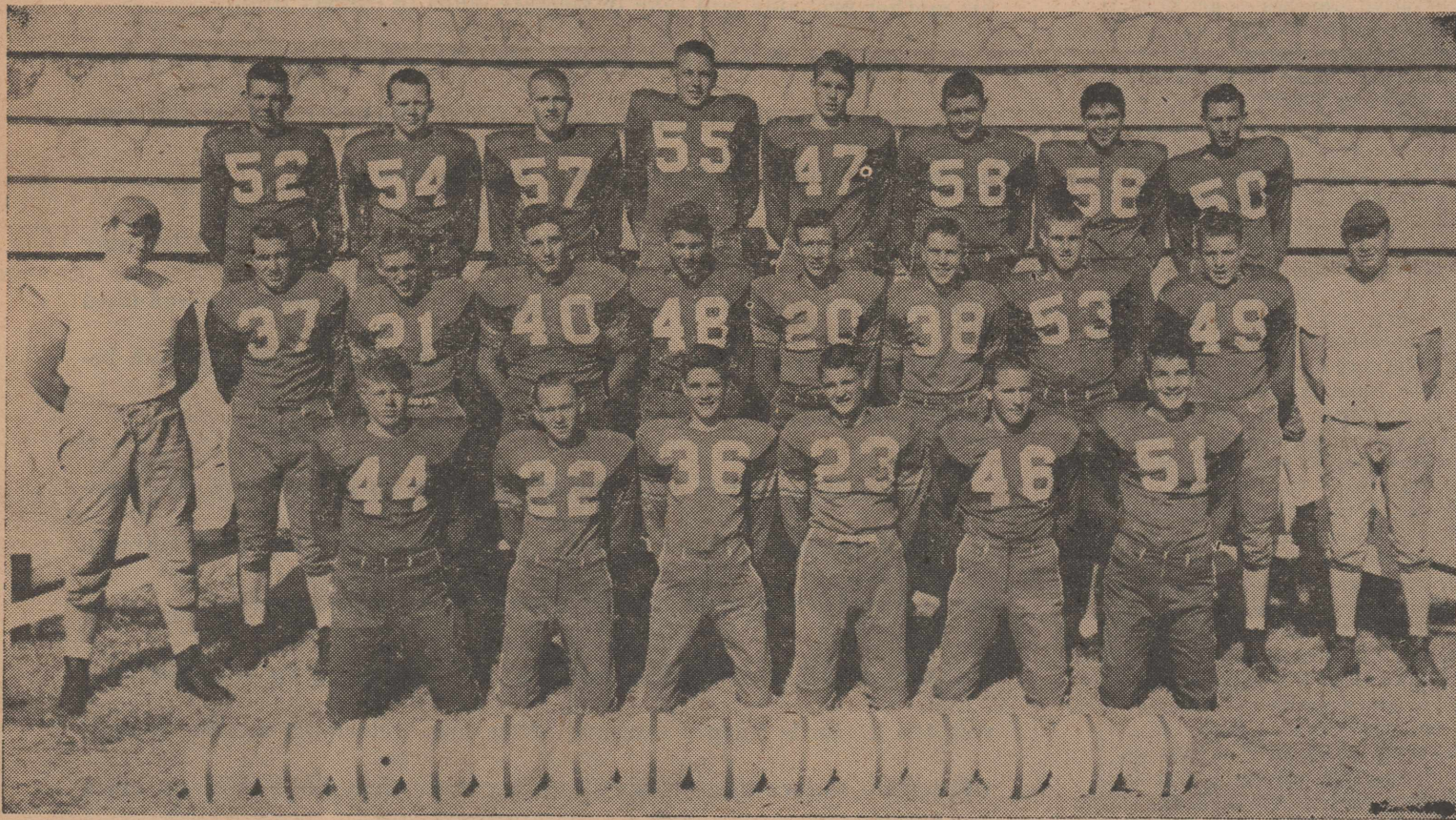


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WELLINGTON SKYROCKETS, 1953 EDITION

Ready to start a tough season against an unknown aggregation of district opponents, this year's Rocket roster numbers 22. The team opens its season Friday night against Hollis at Hollis. Pictured in the back row are Donald Sessions, Don Roy Raburn, Billy Frank Agee, Frank Jones, Jimmy McCutchen, Doolen Starkey, Ed Bawcom and

John Cartwright. Middle Row, Assistant Coach John Hurley, Lynn Couch, Calvin Hiett, Doug Duncan, Johnny Brock, Dennis Holliman, Bill Gardner, Odie Hood, Hanes Isaacs and Coach Maxey McKnight. Bottom Row: Lonnie Wood, Billy Branch, Gary Phillips, Eugene Brown, Ray Wauer and Camal Dakil.

Funeral Services Held Friday for Mrs. N. C. Beam

Funeral services for Mrs. N. C. Beam, active in many phases of the town's life during her 16 years here, were held at the Methodist Church Friday afternoon, September 4, with the Rev. J. F. Michael, pastor, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Chester O'Brien, pastor of the First Baptist Church.

Mrs. Beam died at her home Wednesday morning about 5 o'clock, following a heart attack, her death coming as a shock to all who knew her. She had told members of her family of a hurting in her chest Tuesday night, but felt it was not serious enough for medical attention. She awoke about 3:00 a.m. with intense pain, and although a doctor was called immediately, she failed to rally.

A large group, including friends from all parts of the county and many towns in West Texas and other areas gathered to pay tribute to her memory at the service Friday. Pall bearers were John Holton, Vince Thompson of Fort Worth, E. F. Bartlett, John Coleman, J. W. Holder and Bryan Denley. Flower bearers were Miss Lennie Lou Coleman, Miss Sue Anderson of Dallas, Miss Naneen Pound, Mrs. J. W. Holder, Mrs. John Coleman and Mrs. Vince Thompson of Fort Worth.

Following the service here, burial services were held at the Vernon cemetery, where interment was made under the direction of the Kelso Funeral Home.

Mrs. Beam was born and grew up at Vernon. She was the former Emma Louise McCrary, the daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs. J. L. (Continued on Page Twelve)

Display Year's Work

Club Woman' 4-H Girls Hold Achievement Day Saturday

A climax to their year's work comes for women of the county's Home Demonstration Clubs and girls of the 4-H Clubs Saturday, September 12, when Achievement Day will be held on a larger scale than any time in recent years.

Displayed will be examples of work accomplished during the year, including both sewing, needle artcraft, canned and baked goods, Miss Mary Trammel, county home demonstration agent, announced.

The entries will be judged and prizes awarded.

The Achievement day will end with the presentation of the Grand Old Opry Saturday night, sponsored by the 4-H girls.

This is a public event, and every man and woman interested in the work being done by the extension service among the women and girls of the county is invited to attend, Miss Trammel pointed out.

All entries, with the exception of baked goods, will be set up Friday, September 11. Foods will be brought in before 10:00 a.m., and at 10:30 a.m. Saturday, judging will begin.

Cash prizes will be awarded the winners of first, second and third place in the 4-H Girls contests. This Achievement Day event takes the place for them, of the entries formerly made in the Youth Project show, which comes in the middle of the 4-H Club year.

Winners in the Home Demonstration Club contests will receive first, second and third place ribbons.

In the clothing division, there

will be separate classes for women and girls on blouses, skirts, children's clothes, adult's clothes, and 4-H Girls will display accessories. In the home management division, there will be classes for tea and hand towels, pillow cases, fancy work, crocheting, and art needlecraft.

A loving cup is being offered the winner of the most points in the crocheting contest.

Divisions in the foods department will include breads, cookies, cakes, pies and candy. There will be separate sections for women and girls.

Prizes in the Betty Crocker Chiffon Cake contest will be a silver tray, third.

Four-H girls wishing to enter the sponge cake and cherry pie contest are to bring their entries Saturday morning. They will be judged on both items, and the winner will compete in the district

Seventeen Chicks Hatched From Seventeen Eggs

Joe Rountree, Lutie cattleman, and for many years a livestock dealer in the county feels he has set some sort of record — with a hen.

Mr. Rountree several weeks ago set a hen on 17 eggs, and she hatched 17 chicks for him.

He has not heard of any record among his neighbor's flocks to beat this.

School Enrollment Reaches 922

Enrollment in the Wellington schools has reached 922, principals announced Tuesday, September 8, and a few additional students will be registered during the remainder of the week.

This is 55 below the enrollment figure at the beginning of school last year.

Bennett Goodloe, high school principal, said that division had 207 students, compared to 258 last year.

Junior high enrollment is 233, eleven more than last year, according to Lee Plante, principal.

Jack Davis, elementary principal, said 398 boys and girls are enrolled there, just a few under the 404 figure of last year.

At Booker T. Washington school, which has been in session several weeks, 84 children are enrolled. Last year's enrollment at this time was 93.

Four vacancies still remain to be filled in the system, a band director, assistant coach for junior high, and two special service teachers, Mr. Goodloe said.

contest at Amarillo September 26, 4-H Club day at the Tri-State Fair.

Each 4-H Club will also prepare an educational booth.

A number of other contests will be featured.

A baked goods sale and gift sale will be featured.

Saturday night, the Opry will begin at 8:00 p.m. and last about an hour and a half. Already on the program are Mrs. Lowell Wells and her Quail chorus girls sextet and Brenda White; Bennett Goodloe and his band; Buster Sublett; and the Knoll twins. A small charge will be made to cover expenses.

Mrs. Glen Harvey On Leader Staff

Mrs. Glen Harvey this week joined the staff of The Wellington Leader as society editor, Deskins Wells, editor and publisher, announced.

Other changes include hiring Don Scott to cover sports news for Wellington high school, James Glascock, who wrote sports during the past year and worked full time during the summer, left the staff to enter McMurry College, Abilene, where he will study for the ministry.

Mrs. Harvey, a resident of Wellington for the past two years, has been employed at Strong's Flowers for 18 months. Before coming here, she managed a drug store at Crosbyton, assisted her husband as city secretary at Petersburg, and was employed by the Wallace Theatres six years at Petersburg and Crosbyton.

During World War II, she was employed by aircraft companies at Glendale, Calif., and served as a reporter on the company newspaper.

Loco Community Meeting Set

Residents of the Loco community will meet Tuesday night, September 15, to organize an association to handle the affairs of the community center, George Adkins, who will be in charge, has announced.

This meeting, scheduled earlier, had to be postponed due to conflict with other meetings.

With the announcement that students of the Loco School will attend in Wellington this year, trustees turned over to Mr. Adkins the keys to the building for the organization of the community set-up.

Everyone interested is urged to attend the Tuesday meeting. Officers will be elected and other business attended to.

Rockets Open Season Against Hollis Friday

Coach Maxey McKnight takes his Wellington Skyrocket football warriors to Hollis on Friday evening to meet the Tigers of that city in the opening game of the 1953 grid season. Play is scheduled to start at 8:00. In last year's encounter between these two teams the score was Wellington 47, Hollis 21.

McKnight has been drilling the Rockets daily since the first of last week, which together with a hard scrimmage session with the Canadian Wildcats on Friday evening, is shaping them into a promising aggregation. According to the coach, "the team may not look too sharp at Hollis Friday, but they are going to do all right."

Faced with the problem of building an effective team with only ten returning lettermen, Coach McKnight is finding the task simplified a good deal by numerous very promising recruits from last year's B team. The ten returning veterans are: Douglas Duncan, Lonnie Woods, Calvin Hiett, Dennis Holliman and Eugene Brown in the backfield; Lynn Couch, guard; Camal Dakil, center; Edward Bawcom, end; Frank Jones and Doolen Starkey, tackles.

The probable starters for the Hollis game, Coach McKnight said, will be:

Douglas Duncan, 180 pound full-back, winner of top scoring honor in area AA high school football last year;

Lonnie Woods, 168, quarterback, who did an outstanding job at this position last year, but who is suffering from a knee injury received during practice last week which may prevent him from playing the full game at Hollis;

Dennis Holliman, 155, halfback, who showed unusual ability as a defense player last year;

Odie Hood, 170, halfback, who comes up from last year's B team, where he carried plenty of weight;

Ed Bawcom, 175, end, from the 1952 first string;

Billy Frank Agee, 170, end, another excellent recruit from last year's B team;

Doolen Starkey, 200, first string tackle in '52, and top point-after-touchdown man in the area;

Frank Jones, 210, tackle on the 1952 squad;

Ray Wauer, 158, guard;

Donald Raburn, 168, guard;

Donald Sessions, 180, center; or Camal Dakil, 165, center, will be starting at the center post.

This year's Tiger team is carrying a handicap similar to that of the Skyrockets, having only 10 lettermen back from their strong 1952 squad. Two of these are Billy Joe Keesee, 160-pound backfield man who averaged 131 yards rushing per game, and Max Claiborne, 165, who quarterbacked last year's Tigers in five wins and five losses. It is expected that Danny Cummings, 170, will be a backfield starter; Dale Orr, 140, is a probable center, and Bobby White, 145, will likely be in an end position, according to Coach Don Roy.

Sponsored by Domestic Science Club

Style Show Thursday Features Latest Fall Fashions in City

Latest fall fashions, modeled by women and girls from Wellington, Dodson and Quail, will be featured at the style show Thursday night, September 10, at the community building at 8 p.m.

This event is sponsored by the Domestic Science Study Club, in co-operation with the merchants of Wellington and Dodson, including Dodson Dry Goods, Hatch Dry Goods, Fashion Shop, Wells Department Store, The Fair and The Leader Department Store, and the Fabric Shop.

The public is invited to attend, and men of the community are extended a special invitation.

Mayor Lester Hunter announced a tax cut from \$1 per \$100 valuation to 90c per \$100 valuation on 1953 city taxes. He said the reduction was made by the City Council at its last regular meeting, September 1.

After a careful study of our trial balance sheet as of August 31, 1953, the Council decided that

Beyond Call of Duty

Brim Commended for Bravery in Korea

Burl Brim, hospital corpsman second class, with the U. S. Navy attached to the First Marine Division, recently received a commendation and commendation medal pendant form the commanding general of the U. S. Marine Corps, Major General E. A. Pollock, for rearmist against the enemy late in March.

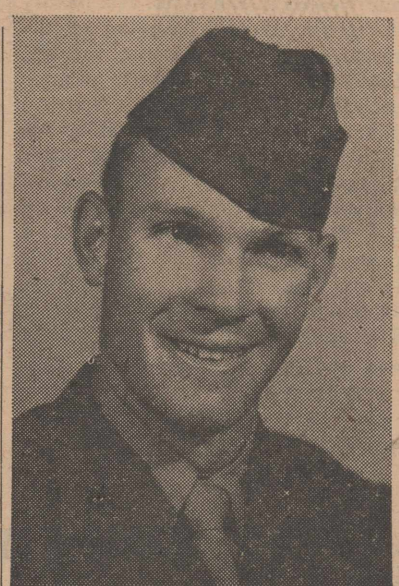
Brim, the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Brim, who live south of Wellington, is still in Korea, and is due to remain until around the first of the year.

His commendation read: "For heroic service in the line of his profession while serving with Marine Infantry Company during operations against the enemy in Korea on 28 March 1953. Serving as a corpsman, Hospital Corpsman Third Class, Brim displayed outstanding ability and professional skill. During the assault and subsequent defense of a vital combat outpost located far forward of the main line of resistance, he unhesitatingly volunteered to replace a wounded corpsman at the outpost. Despite

the fact that he had been working tirelessly for 36 hours without rest, he joined the assaulting force and expressed complete disregard for his personal safety as he fearlessly moved about through the intense enemy small arms, mortar

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300 Firemen, Guests At Convention Here

Panhandle firemen and their families, nearly 300 strong, called their Wellington convention the most successful of recent years at the close of the event Tuesday night, September 8.

Twenty-one Panhandle towns were represented.

R. D. Mayfield of Dimmitt was elevated from the first vice-presidency to president for the coming year; T. S. Furlow, from second to first vice-president; and G. T. Williams, Childress, was named the new second vice-president; V. E. Hafner of Childress was re-elected secretary-treasurer and R. A. Massey of Memphis the new assistant secretary-treasurer. The Rev. J. F. Michael of Wellington was named chaplain of the 40-county district.

Hereford was chosen for the spring meeting.

Jay Taylor of Amarillo was the morning speaker, stressing the theme of Americanism.

During the business session, a committee was appointed to coordinate with other district associations a program to supplement the pension funds each city has to pay retired firemen.

During the round table discussion, firemen brought out the need for reporting and checking accurately the amount of fire loss charged to each city annually, since the fire insurance rate of that town is determined to the loss charged against it. Some cit-

ies, the men pointed out, have found they are overcharged as to the fire loss.

In the pumper hookup race the Pampa team was first with 19.5 seconds; Memphis second with 21.2; and Canadian third with 21.4.

Memphis placed first in the water polo contest; Childress was second and Dumas third.

A barbecue was held for the visiting firemen and their wives, and Wellington guests of the department Tuesday evening at Ellison Park. Earl Hunter was in charge of the barbecuing. The convention closed with the Firemen's ball, with music by Bob Wills and his orchestra.

"We feel it was one of the best meetings the Association has had," Bura Handley, Wellington chief and the first president of the organization when it was formed in 1929. "We are grateful to the people of Wellington for their co-operation. It could not have been finer," he added.

Members of the Wellington department, who were in charge of the event, are Billy Ray Bledsoe, Toots Breedlove, Joe Christoph, Wayne Cudd, Hiram Cudd, Johnnie Cagle, Frank Campbell, T. H. Franklin, Mr. Handley, Buster Hughes, Billy J. Hajek, Odie Killingsworth, Hubert Leach, Bill McDonald, Morris Reed, J. T. Slay, Earl Smith, Raymond Terry, Her-

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the reduction was practical and that it would provide adequate revenue to meet contemplated public improvements, street repairs, water works maintenance, police and fire department work as well as meet the need of our bond and interest fund.

This gives Wellington one of the lowest per capita tax rates of any incorporated city in Texas, Mayor Hunter said.

A study of the last trial and balance sheet reveals that the City has a total valuation of \$3,132,883. It has \$5,137.33 in the bond and warrant sinking fund; \$10,012.87 in the general fund and \$2,550.42 in the public improvement fund. In addition the City has \$25,000.00 in bonds of the United States Government.

The city has \$157,000.00 in bonds outstanding and it requires approximately \$16,000.00 annually to meet the requirements of the bond and interest fund. Total property of the City such as the water system, sewerage system, fire fighting equipment, city, Ellison park, Marian Air Park, etc., is valued at \$8,160,048.75.

Improvements contemplated for next year include the improvement of a 600,000 gallon storage tank near the standpipe. An automatic pump will be installed at the storage. Excess water from the standpipe will drain into the storage tank. In event of a big fire the mains from the wells east of town might not be sufficient to fight the flames. In that event the automatic pump at the storage tank will start pumping when the water in the standpipe reaches a dangerous level and water will be pouring into the standpipe from two inlets.

Mayor Hunter said that the Council was grateful to the people of Wellington for the manner in which they had paid their taxes in recent years. Collections have averaged better than 92 per cent of all taxes due. But he had a word of caution to the taxpayers, and that was that the people would have to keep their tax payments on a similar prompt basis; otherwise the new tax reduction would not meet the needs of the city.

Mrs. Guy Clay to Legion Convention

Mrs. Guy Clay, active in the Legion Auxiliary and the 40 and 8 Auxiliary affair of the Panhandle, has returned from the National convention of the Legion and Auxiliary in St. Louis.

This convention began Sunday with an ten-hour parade, and closed Thursday.

Among the key speakers at the convention were Vice President Richard Nixon, whom Mrs. Clay described as "a most wonderful speaker," and whom she met, and Secretary of State John Foster Dulles.

It was estimated that around 60,000 Legion and Auxiliary members attended this Convention.

Baker Sells First Cotton at Quail

By Mrs. G. T. Stephens
Creed Baker harvested the first bale of cotton of the 1953 crop for the Quail community on August 21. The bale was ginned at the Quail gin and weighed 525 pounds.

Mr. Baker sold the cotton for 32c per pound, which was two cents above the market price. The 2c extra was given as a premium and he also received free ginning and hauling on the bale, which was approximately \$16.80.

Leroy Pate is manager of the Quail Gin.

Rebekahs to Hold Benefit Box Supper

The Rebekah Lodge will hold a box supper Monday night, September 14, it was announced this week.

If the weather permits, the entertainment will be held at Ellison Park, and if not, it will be at the community building.

This is a benefit affair and funds will go to the IOOF Convalescent Home at Ennis.

The public is invited and all ladies are asked to bring boxes.

Fayteen Peeples District Farm Bureau Sweetheart

By Mrs. G. T. Stephens
Miss Fayteen Peeples, 17 year old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Peeples, won first place in the Farm Bureau district beauty contest in Amarillo Wednesday, September 8.

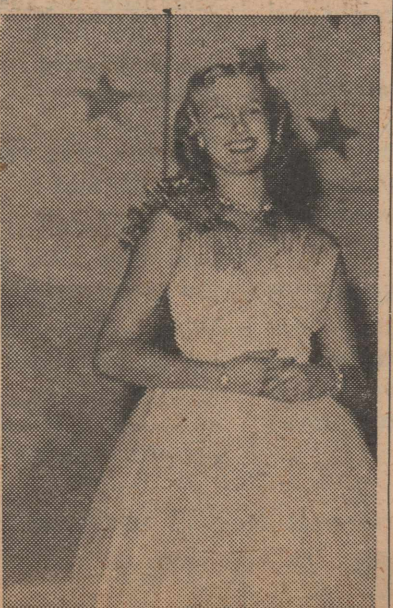
She will represent the district in the state contest held during the annual state meeting at Mineral Wells November 9, 10 and 11.

The winner there will be crowned Miss Texas, and will receive a prize of a trip to Chicago, Ill., to the national convention, and \$500.

At noon all delegates in the Amarillo contest had lunch at the American Legion hall and the contests began at 3:00 p. m. Eight girls participated, and each was interviewed by Cotton John of Radio Station KGNC.

Miss Peeples was crowned by the field director of the Farm Bureau from Spearman. She received a dozen red roses and the beautiful crown. She will also receive a watch at the State Convention.

She was accompanied to Amar-



illo by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Peeples; her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Peeples; and by Mr. and Mrs. Monty Mitchell.

Texas Unconfidential

By John Ben Shepperd
Attorney General of Texas
Having spent some time in Washington lately, I discovered that everybody is interested in Texas. I was amazed at the number of people who asked me, "Confidentially, what makes you fellows in Texas tick?" I began to wonder myself. What does make a Texan tick? What kind of person is he? What does he do? What does he have? How does he live? I have put together a few revealing figures that I would like to pass on to you.

The average Texan, besides being a laughing, bragging, God-fearing and hard-working character with a terrific sense of humor and a vision of greatness, is about 29 years old, married, has 1.3 children, lives in a town of 2500 people or more, and earns \$2,813 a year. That is several hundred a year less than the average American, but the Texan's living costs are so much lower that he still comes out ahead.

He owns his own house and pays \$54 a year in state taxes, and in that respect also he is better off than his neighbors. In Louisiana he would pay \$102, in New Mexico \$91, and in Oklahoma \$82. But if he chose to live in one of those places, it would serve him right.

As you walk down the street in Texas, every third person you rub shoulders with paid his poll tax in 1952, and one out of five of those who paid did not vote. Three out of five are church members, but not more than five out of 100 are tithers. Every tenth person is a veteran and one out of every 120 is a school teacher earning an average salary of \$3,122. That is \$112 above the national average, but sixteen states that are not so

rich as Texas pay their teachers more. Every sixth person you meet is a school child on whom we spend about \$214 a year.

Texas bachelors outnumber single women by 141,000, and this makes Texas girls choosy. But there are more than twice as many widows as there are widowers, which makes the widows rather friendly. One out of four Texas women works outside her home, and there is one working woman for every three working men. If you lined up a hundred working Texans and separated them by occupation, you would have 11 1/2 professional or technical workers, 10 managers, 11 clerks, 7 salesmen, 9 1/2 farmers, 5 hired farm hands, 12 craftsmen, and an assortment of other people. Fifteen per cent of them would be earning \$5,000 a year or more, and 2.6 per cent, or 63,000 people, would be making more than \$10,000. Forty-four out of the hundred would be earning less than \$2,000.

Texans listen to 215 radio stations, receive television from eleven, read about 700 newspapers, and keep their money in 906 banks, which have enough on deposit or in resources to give each one of us \$2,000. If we lived in California we would get only \$1,750, and in Mississippi \$900; New York could give us \$7,000. But wherever you live, you won't find anybody giving it away.

Of course we Texans don't keep our wealth in the bank. It's mostly under the ground, hanging on the trees, or grazing on the hillside. If all the Texas livestock, mineral output and farm crops in a single year were divided among all of us, each of us would get, among other things, 1/7 of a hog, and 1 and 1/8 cows, and 1/80 of a jackass. We'd get 2/5 of a bale of cotton, 4 pounds of pecans and 104 barrels of oil. There is a lot of oil in Texas — one producing well for every 64 people. If all the lucky people who get royalties from oil in Tex-

as were laid end to end... I would be standing up.

About every third Texan owns a car and pays \$37 a year in gasoline tax, which helps to maintain one mile of highway for every 36 people. If you happen to be run over by one of the almost three million cars driven by Texans, you're lucky. It could have been one of the 3 1/2 million driven by out-of-state tourists. The population of the state is temporarily more than doubled every year by an influx of 8 1/2 million tourists, 20 per cent of them from California, who spend almost \$9 a second to stay an average of 5.4 days in Paradise.

The old saying that it is easier to pick a tourist than to pick cotton is true. They flock to Texas in 8,500 cars a day with 2.7 people to the car, and each party leaves enough money in the state to buy a bale of cotton or a thousand feet of pine logs. But Texans make more money picking each other; we travel six billion miles a year on our 198,000 miles of roads for recreation alone, and spend enough money on it to pay the cost of public welfare for three years.

We Texans have more farms than any other state — 331,000 — and out-produce everybody. It takes 1 1/2 acres of land to sustain a human being adequately, but we have 21 acres for every Texan, with only 3 1/2 acres growing crops in a single year. The other 17 1/2 are used to graze our 3/4 of a sheep, 1/4 of a goat and other livestock. Texas farm cash income for 1952 for \$2,121,000,000 — about \$7,900 for every independent farmer, or \$6,400 for every farm in the state.

Texans are accused of having a nasal quality of speech. If we talk through our noses, it is because we don't want to stop breathing Texas air while we talk. There is no smog in Texas, but that does not mean there is no industry. Texas industry has skyrocketed in the last five years; 124,000 new

industrial jobs have been created in that time. Wholesale trade has more than quadrupled in the past ten years, and the number of businesses has more than tripled. The number of factories has doubled since 1939, and we now rank eighth in the nation with our 10,250. There are 60,000 corporations in Texas; we gain about 2500 new ones a year, and 9/10 of them are profit-making. With \$279 invested in new construction for every person in the state, Texas ranks second in the nation in building.

We're building people, too. Texans are born four times as fast as they die, and have the third lowest death rate in the nation. A baby is born each year for every 3 persons, and one out of every 125 persons dies. It is easy to get people to be born in Texas, but it is hard to get them to leave it. The average Texan now expects to move on when he was 63. But Texas is so much like heaven they don't see the point in moving on — and of course, there is always the element of doubt as to which way they'd go.

That element of doubt seems to be greater among women — they usually live longer. Four hundred and thirty-five Texans, or about 1 out of 18,000 are more than 100 years old — and most of them are women.

In spite of the Texan's prospects for long life, 231 Texas life insurance companies have 8,200,000 policies in force — as many as there are people in the state — and they are worth nine billion dollars. If all the people in Texas would make Uncle Sam their beneficiary and die, the insurance would pay off about 1/28 of the national debt.

Texas ranks far above the national average in keeping her native sons. Over 80 per cent of all people born here stay here during their lifetime, and those who leave have merely gone forth as missionaries to intoxicate others. Of the almost 8 million people in Texas, 6 million were born in Texas — the rest are taking refuge here. Oklahoma is the largest contributor to the Texas population and Delaware the lowest. Even at that, 6,000 natives of Delaware have settled here permanently.

In Texas everything is big, and that includes government. We are paying four times as much for state government as we did ten years ago. State taxes last year were more than 17 per cent higher than the year before, even though we got one-fifth of our income — 290 million from Uncle Sam in Federal aid. The only two states that got more were California and New York. Federal aid is no windfall or bonanza. Of every dollar we get in Federal aid, the federal government taps us for

four or five in taxes. The handling charge is pretty high.

If every Texan sold all his livestock today, and there were not an animal left in Texas, it wouldn't pay the cost of state government for the next two years — \$1,200,000,000. For all purposes we are spending \$1,700,000 a day, or \$1,180 a minute. Who is getting all our money? Ninety-eight and one-half dollars out of every hundred go to education, highways, welfare and institutions; and the people we usually think of as bureaucrats — the legislative, judicial and administrative branches — get \$1.50.

For every 25 Texans standing outside a government building, there is one on the inside looking out. We have 330,000 public employees, or 1/21 of the seven million in the country; 121,000 work for Uncle Sam, 44,000 work for the state, and 164,000 work for the 3,962 local governmental units in Texas. We have enough public employees to put one to work on every farm in Texas (and that might be a good idea). Only four states have more of them than we have, but ours have been multiplying four times as fast as the national average. Only six states have a larger government payroll than ours, but 37 states pay their legislators more than we do.

Some of the more progressive states have passed laws restricting the number of departments in their state governments to 21, as an absolute maximum. But Texas has about 190 boards and agencies, 128 of which spend money.

In spite of all this only 11 states have a smaller burden of debt, per person, than Texas. Each of us owes about \$9.00. In Nebraska we would owe only 68 cents, but in Delaware we would owe \$240.

Taken all together these figures show that Texans are not ticking, but clicking, and there is nothing confidential about the way we're doing it. We're tooting our own horn and running in high gear, and the world had better clear the way. It isn't hard to describe the State of Texas — just talk about the place where people are working, praying, building, planning and growing, and bragging about it — that's Texas, and it's unconfidential.

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The known volume of oil underground today is more than a trillion gallons.

Drive-in service stations were inaugurated in 1903. Today there are 250,000.

Prince Albert of England composed songs, church music and an opera.

IT'S PART OF GROWING UP!

When four-year-old Johnny grabs a toy away from his younger sister, his mother probably will take immediate steps to correct him.

She may talk to him and explain what he did wrong — or, if it is a repeated offense, she may punish him — but whichever method she uses, her purpose will be to teach Johnny good manners.

Johnny's mother knows, as do millions of other parents, that learning good manners is a part of growing up. She wants Johnny to be well-liked and popular when he gets older, and so she knows she must help him become well-mannered.

If Johnny's mother is wise, she will put just as much effort into helping him from safe traffic habits. It can be just as slow and painstaking a job as teaching him good manner. It can be even more important.

Learning safe traffic habits also is a part of growing up — indeed, how well the lesson is learned can, and often does, determine whether a child will have a chance to grow up. Last year more than 4,000 children, killed in traffic, didn't get that chance.

Recognizing the importance of traffic safety for our future citizens, the Texas Safety Association and the National Safety Council are conducting a monthlong program on child safety in September.

To this vital and worthy effort we would like to add our support, and this advice to parents:

"Teach your child safety as you would good manners."

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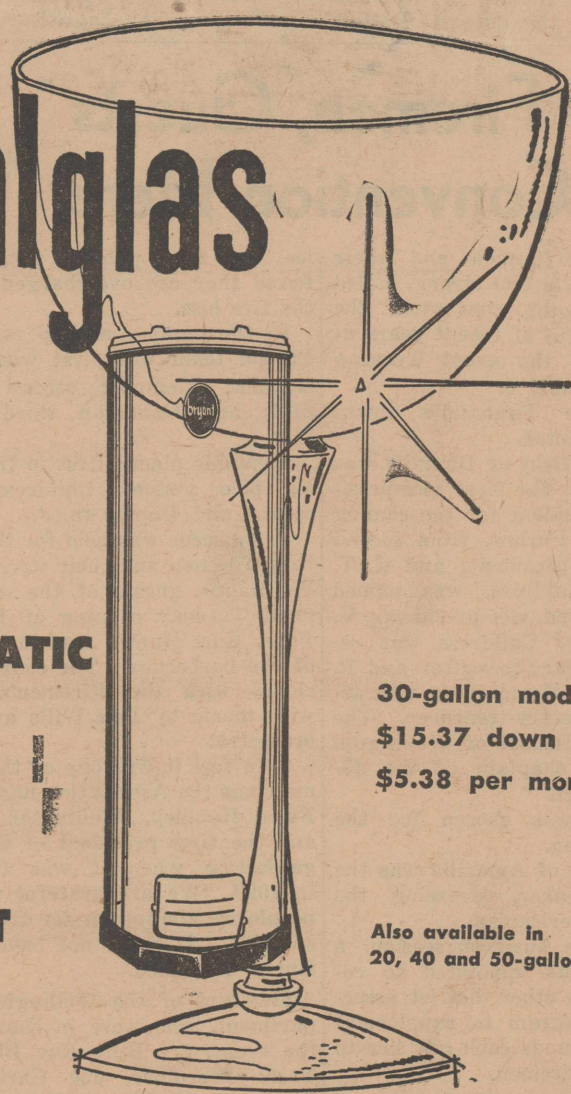
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EDITORIAL COMMENT — THE WELLINGTON LEADER

Thursday, September 10, 1953

Child Safety in Traffic is a Three Way Proposition

"Child safety in traffic is a three-way proposition," Col. E. B. Tilley of Houston, President of the Texas Safety Association.

Col. Tilley was speaking in connection with the child traffic safety program which his group is sponsoring this month in Texas in cooperation with the National Safety Council.

"The safety of children on the streets and highways of our nation is dependent on the traffic attitudes and actions of three groups — parents, motorists, and children themselves," he said.

Schools are doing a fine job of teaching safety in the classrooms, from kindergarten on up, Col. Tilley pointed out, and in many cases also are conducting driver education courses which give high school students practical experience behind the wheel.

"But if the program to save our children from injury and death in motor

vehicle accidents is to be really effective, he said, it must be carried beyond the classroom.

Parents must set a good example to children in their traffic habits, Col. Tilley explained, and must use the authority and discipline of the home to instill in children respect and obedience to traffic safety rules.

"Children lack the mature judgement of adults, however," he said, "and even with the best training, their actions sometimes are unpredictable. So it is up to the motorist to be especially alert near schools and playgrounds, in residential areas — and any place children may be expected to gather."

And the children themselves also must do the best they can to walk and play safely, observing the rules they have learned at home and in school, he said.

"Child safety can be reality only if all three groups work to bring it about."

OTHER EDITORS SAY:—

A Call to Action by Civilization

Heartening is the surprise move of Dag Hammarskjöld Friday. He added to the agenda for the forthcoming session of the General Assembly of the United Nations investigation of the fate of the vanished prisoners of war.

From time to time, history has been intrigued by the fate of single persons who have disappeared, for instance, Philip Konigsmark, Ambrose Bierce, the Englishmen, Fawcett. But here are involved the fates, not of a few men a score, a few hundreds, a few thousands, but of 2,000,000 World War II prisoners, never accounted for. In the cruel eventuality of war, they vanished into the huge, gaping maw of voracious Russia.

Russia is a member of U.N. Hammarskjöld thinks that U.N. should find out what has become of them, how many are still living and where.

Here is a clarion call to civilization to act. Undoubtedly Russia will oppose the resolution. To be sure this is a reflection on the integrity of a sovereign nation. A charge of murder is always a reflection on the integrity of the killer. But this grim subject of mass slaughter or slavery cries to high heaven for investigation. If the Soviet is innocent, it should have no qualms about opening its records to the scrutiny of the world. If the Soviet is guilty, as is grimly probable, it stands indicted before that world. Then let the apologists for the Red hands of the butchers speak up.

This investigation is long overdue. The American Government is itself largely at fault. The most shameful blot in our War II record is the failure in turn of the Roosevelt-Truman administrations to publicize the failure of the Russians to account for American internees in Russia. These were not prisoners of war but the fighting men of a Russian ally. The American Government is large-kept silent. And we still have our fellow travelers saying they should not be judged for helping an ally even to the cost of ourselves. What would they have done had they known what our murderous ally was doing?

The Katyn massacre is still officially brought one to no nation's door. But there is no longer question that the Soviet murdered 10,000 Polish officers in cold blood. How many more when the missing total 2,000,000? Germany alone knows that 1,200,000 are not accounted for Italy and Germany come in with tragic totals. Spain lists another 100,000 from as far back as its civil war and from the ranks of its "Blue Division" that sided with Hitler.

Nor are all of the missing fighting

men. The deported civilians and the repatriates that we callously helped to hand over to Soviet claws should be identified, located, explained. Our own responsibility is great. The full weight of this country should be placed behind Hammarskjöld in his effort to account for all, perhaps to save the pitiful remnants.

—Dallas Morning News

STRICTLY FRESH

A power-saw blade tore itself loose and zoomed through houses, walls, the head of a bed, and landed in a field. Just another flying saw-er!

Applying for a driver's license got a middle west motorist jailed for intoxication when officials noted his unsteady gait. Suppose even in the gasoline age a rider must watch his gait.

A Maine lady picked up a rock to toss at a cat and found some long-lost jewels in her hand. Sounds like a case of happy happenstance.

The Charleroi, Pa., Chamber of Commerce says that it had women in mind when it built extra-large stalls in the new municipal parking lot. So who hasn't?

Two heads are better than one, if they're both filled.

The American Red Cross was founded in 1881 with Clara Barton as its first president. It is one of 68 similar world societies.

The U. S. War Department purchased its first military plane from the Wright brothers in 1909, thus founding the Army Air Corps, now called the U. S. Air Force.

The only horse that beat Man o' War in his 21 starts was Upset, in the Sanford Stakes at Saratoga, N. Y., Aug. 13, 1919. Man o' War made his first start at Belmont, N. Y., on June 6 of that year.

There were 56 signers of the American Declaration of Independence. Charles Carroll, a lawyer from Carrollton, Md., was the last to die, Nov. 14, 1832.

The End of the Trail



The Buck Creek Philosopher



Editor's note. The Buck Creek Philosopher on his Johnson grass farm on Buck Creek is confused, his letter this week reveals.

Dear editor:

I have been reading in the papers lately where President Eisenhower has been thinking about maybe havin' to call Congress back into a special session to raise the debt limit.

This ain't the first time a man has taken over an outfit and discovered it was in worse shape than he'd realized, and all my sympathies are with the President as he struggles to make ends meet. Balance the budget, keep up our defenses, lower his golf score, pave all the roads everybody wants, build all the dams the cities want, increase Social Security, contend with Congress and cut taxes at the same time.

Understand, I don't want him to call a special of Congress on my account, but if he does call em back and they raise the government's debt limit, how about puttin a rider on the bill to increase mine?

One of the greatest bars to expansion business in this country is the debt limits some merchants put on their customers, and what I would like to know is why don't they take on a more international viewpoint and pen the floodgates? There are literally thousands of people in this country ready and willing to buy, and all that's stoppin em is these privately imposed debt limits.

On my place out here, I can sit down, or could if I wasn't already sittin down, and enumerate dozens of improvements that could be made in the next thirty days, except for these private debt limits that're holdin the country back. And my problem is more complex than Eisenhower's. It ain't just one debt limit that's in my way, it's dozens of em. Even if the lumber yard raised mine and allowed me enough credit for a new roof, I'd still have to get the carpenters to raise theirs before construction could start.

You multiply my situation by the whole country and you begin to get an idea of how much more business everybody could do if this limit was changed.

Personally, my sympathies are all with the President, and while I don't know anything about the national debt limit, if raisin it will

start a trend, I'm in favor of it. Yours faithfully, J. A.

Al Smith called the New York Fulton Fish Market his "alma mater."

Robert Fulton was a portrait painter before he became an inventor.

Lincoln Ellsworth was the first man to fly across the Antarctic continent.

An intaglio is an engraving pressed below the surface of a material.

The Paisley shawl originated in Paisley, Scotland.

Stephen Foster, who wrote songs about the south, was a northerner.

Benjamin Harrison was the last U. S. President to wear a beard.

A dog's tongue is the only part of its body that can perspire.

Winters in places near the ocean are warmer than those inland.

A howdah is a canopied seat upon the back of an elephant.

Leonardo da Vinci, the painter, wrote from right to left.

A pound of ice occupies more space than a pound of water.

Charles Goodyear first manufactured rubber overshoes.

The eye responds more quickly to stimuli than the ear.

Harvard University celebrated its tercentenary in 1936.

Gilbert and Sullivan provided the tune for the song "Hail Hail the Gang's All Here."

On a pipe organ, the short pipes produce the high notes.

A Balalaika is an old Russian stringed instrument.

Musicians speak of sweet music when they use the word "Schmalz."

Bible Comment For Sept. 13

Jesus Lives, and Still Leads On

If one thinks of the earthly life of Jesus as lived in its Palestinian homeland, the Resurrection was its triumphant climax.

It was not only the victory over death, it was also the victory over those who sought to destroy Him. But for the world at large, into which Jesus had come, it was not a climax, but a beginning.

It was now that He told His disciples to go forth and preach the gospel. In obedience to that great commission, 20 centuries have seen the growth of Christianity.

But even greater than the outward power of churches and organizations is the mystic fellowship of all believers, who have taken to themselves the Christian name and who have sought to live according to the teaching and example of the Master.

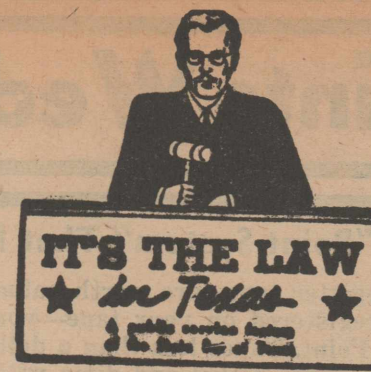
The evil that Jesus fought and that crucified Him is still abroad in the world, seeking to destroy His teaching, setting up other standards of selfishness, violence, worldly power and caring nothing for justice, mercy and right.

So great is this evil, so apparently overwhelming and successful, that it is easy to underestimate the power of good, the forces of righteousness and the strength of Christian progress toward what may still be a far-off goal.

But the power and impulse of Christianity are not in the past. Jesus still lives and leads in every devout soul whose daily life, no matter how lowly or great its place and environment, is attuned to love.

He lives and leads in every service for one's fellowmen, in the schools and colleges and in the missionaries.

We sing in our prayer, "Jesus Still Leads On," and that prayer has its answer before it is spoken. For the surest, truest, most hopeful thing in all the world is that Jesus is still leading on.



INTERSECTION TRAFFIC LAWS EXPLAINED

Texas laws regulating traffic are quite simple, yet they are misunderstood by many people. This is one factor which places Texas right at the top in number of traffic deaths. Possibly the most mystifying of all traffic rules to the average driver are those relating to "Right of Way" at an intersection.

In trying to understand the laws regulating intersecting traffic, it is best to start off with the premise that all streets are of equal dignity, legally speaking. Traffic signs and signals may vary this rule somewhat, but when in doubt it is safest to assume that all drivers crossing your path have a claim to the right of way equal to your own.

Obviously, however, in many cases one driver or the other will be legally entitled to the right of way. When it becomes necessary to determine right of way in a particular situation, the driver who reaches the intersection first, or who is going to get there first, is ordinarily favored.

But when two automobiles are an equal distance from the intersection, that one approaching from the other driver's right normally has the right of way.

Some intersections are known as "courtesy corner," having a stop sign or a flashing red signal facing each direction of approach. The first driver reaching the corner and coming to a complete stop will normally have the right of way over vehicles not already in the intersection. However, don't depend too much on the other fellow's courtesy, and be sure to keep a "proper look-out" and your car under "proper control," as ex-

plained in a preceding column.

At intersections involving one through street and another street having a stop sign, a driver approaching the stop sign and coming to a full stop is ordinarily said to have the right of way over vehicles approaching on the through street but not already in the intersection.

However, this last rule must be qualified by saying that you should not proceed, cross or turn onto the through street until you can do so without interfering with oncoming traffic. In other words, if an approaching car will arrive within the intersection before you are completely clear, wait just a little longer. The same rules apply to entering a highway from a side road containing a stop sign.

Many drivers violate the rules of right of way covering left-hand turns at intersections. When turning left, you should always be on the inside (or center) lane, displaying the proper hand signal. You must allow all cars coming from the opposite direction, already in the intersection, to pass through before completing your turn. Even when the intersection is cleared, do not proceed unless other oncoming traffic is far enough away to be able to see your signal and slow down to allow you to turn with safety to all concerned.

Stay in the inside lane until your left-hand turn is entirely completed, and only then move gradually over to the right-hand lane if you wish. When turning right, stay in the right-hand lane at all times. Do not swing wide into the center lane, as to do is unnecessary, unlawful and dangerous.

Many detailed rules and suggestions for safe driving are included in the official "Texas Driving Handbook" which is available to any person requesting same from the Texas Department of Public Safety, Drivers License Division, Austin, Texas.

Karl Marx was a German by birth, a Jew by extraction, and a Protestant by faith.

Benjamin Franklin invented the harmonica.

Looking Ahead With George S. Benson

MURDER IN KOREA

During the years that I've been aggressively combating the infiltration of Communism in America, a person occasionally has asked: "What keeps you going in your crusade against Communism?" The answer: Our people as a whole don't fully understand the true nature or recognize the real danger of Communism. Until they do, all we love is threatened.

Phillip Deane, an English newspaperman in Korea, didn't learn the full truth about Communists until he was wounded and captured by the North Korean Reds. He was a prisoner for 33 months. He has put down his experiences in his book, "I Was A Captive in Korea" (Norton). His description of the Communists' brutality is almost unbelievable. Those people in America who are "soft" toward Communists, those who are everlastingly attacking our Congressional committees as they expose hidden Reds in government and elsewhere, ought to read and reread Phillip Deane's report on the death of Cordus H. Thornton, an American lieutenant from Texas whom the Reds captured along with Deane and remnants of Thornton's platoon.

THE TIGER

The North Korean Commandant known as "Tiger" ordered Thornton not to permit any of his men to collapse during a terrible starvation death march the Reds forced them to make. Finally, so many of his men fell dying along the way Lieutenant Thornton could no

longer comply with the Tiger's command. The Texan was hauled before the Tiger. Phillip Deane reports the scene in his book:

"Why did you let those five men drop out?" asked the Tiger. "Because, sir, they were dying." "Why did you not obey my orders and have them carried?" "Because, sir, that meant condemning the carriers to death from exhaustion." "You knew I had ordered no one should drop out?" "Yes, sir."

"In wartime the penalty for disobedience is death. You disobeyed orders. I will kill you. That is what would happen in the American Army also, is it not?"

"In the American Army, sir, there would be a trial."

The Tiger turned to the assembled Korean soldiers: "I have authority to kill him. He has disobeyed orders. What must I do?" "Kill him," screamed the soldiers, "kill them all!"

"You see," said the Tiger to Lieutenant Thornton, "You have had your trial, a People's Trial, People's Justice. Now I will kill you."

"In Texas," said Thornton, a tone of contempt in his voice, "we call that lynching, not justice!"

"Tell him," said the Tiger (to the Red soldiers), pointing to Thornton, "he must turn about." Lieutenant Cordus H. Thornton was on parade. His shoulders squared, head up, chin in, arms firmly at his sides, he about-faced as one does during drill. The Tiger

took a handkerchief and bound Lieutenant Thornton's eyes. Then with his pistol he shot him in the back of the neck. A tall, blond sergeant jumped forward and caught his officer's body before it touched the ground. Tenderly, as if carrying a child, the sergeant took the lieutenant's body to the ditch.

ONLY ONE INCIDENT

This incident was a part of the education of Phillip Deane, newspaperman. But it was only one episode in the account of his 33 horrible months a captive of the Communists. Reading Deane's story, I was reminded of a statement made by Matthew Cvetich, the courageous American who spent nine years in the inner circle of Communism as a counter-spy for the FBI. "The Communists are mass murderers," Matt Cvetich said. "They've killed 25,000,000 people in cold blood in China; and if they gain control in America they already have made plans to kill a still larger number of our citizens, men, women and children." Matt Cvetich knows. He was one of them, in disguise, for nine years.

And yet many people are hamstringing the efforts being made in this country to expose and stamp out this evil, godless, savage conspiracy which has infiltrated all phases of our national life, and which would destroy religion, constitutional government, and private ownership of property. In self defense we should allow Communism and all its front apparatuses.

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Deck's DIDACTICS

—By Deskins Wells

The City Council has announced a tax cut from \$1 to 90 cents on the hundred dollar valuation. This compares favorably with any of our neighboring towns. The last time I looked it up, which was not too long ago — Shamrock had a tax rate of \$1.25, Childress \$1.40 and Memphis I believe was \$1.50. And their valuations are as high or higher than ours as far as I have been able to observe.

My wife says that I may give a plug to the style show which will be held at the Community Building Thursday evening, September 10. Well, madam, consider it plugged. If you ladies would follow my suggestion and model some nylon night gowns in high heels, there would be no need for all this free publicity. There wouldn't be any standing room for the women either.

Peter Pan is showing at the Ritz Theatre this Wednesday and Thursday. It is the sort of a show that will delight your child and it is the kind of picture that children should see. The way to get better quality pictures is to attend the good ones and say away from those based on books or stories that you know are cheap or sordid.

School days are here again, and the need of being careful in school zones is once again being brought to the attention of the motorists as well as the law regarding school buses. Most drivers know that they are supposed to come to a full stop when overtaking a school bus that has stopped, and then proceed ahead at a prudent speed not to exceed 10 miles an hour. But what a lot of Texans do not seem to know is that the law says that you shall do the same thing when meeting a school bus that has stopped.

In spite of the information contained above, I have seen motorists pass stopped school buses at 30, 40 and 60 miles an hour. And from now on I intend to start turning them in to the Highway Patrol if I can read the number. It might be a good idea for other people to do the same thing.

Bill McCarver says that four fines have been paid for speeding on the city streets as a result of people phoning in the speeder's car number. Well, I think I will go out to Highway 83 and see if I can't pick up the numbers of some of those big trucks that zoom into the city limits at 60 and 70 miles an hour. Others might join in that.

Perhaps Wayne Cudd, past president of the State Truckers Association, might help our situation some by having his association send out a bulletin warning fellow truckers. You see, there is an illusion about approaching Wellington from either the north or the south. You are going down hill both ways and you pick up speed either coming in from the high point past Salt Fork on the north or coming in from the rise four miles south of town. I also

thing that Wayne might well join me in my effort to get the highway department to put up more warning signs farther from the city limits both north and south. Bill McDonald says that they have them up as required by highway marker regulations. That is true; but it is not adequate for the Wellington situation where traffic is approaching a 30 mile zone from both directions on a decided downgrade.

College Students -

(Continued from Page Ten)

Other students who will attend college include these:

Ruthie McCaskill and LaDonna Sparks will enroll in Bethany Peniel College, Bethany, Oklahoma. Their parents are Mr. and Mrs. Garvin McCaskill and Rev. and Mrs. Sam Sparks.

Colin Lamkin, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Lampkin will go to Tech.

Jessie Davis is due to enroll in West Texas State College.

Georgia Ann Durfee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Merritt Durfee of Loco, will attend North Texas State College.

Vesta Lee Orr, son of Mr. and Mrs. V. K. Orr of Shiner, will enroll in Southern Methodist University.

All of these are 1953 graduates of Wellington high school, and altogether, approximately half of this class will enroll in some college.

Around 60 per cent of the Quail graduates of 1953 will be in school. Students from that community will be:

Elizabeth Wilson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Wilson, Texas Tech.

Jo Helen White, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Obie White, and Gene Pegram and Jimmy Pegram, sons of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Pegram, will go to West Texas State.

Seven Quail students will ride the bus daily to Clarendon College. These include Jasper Peebles, son of Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Peebles; Donald Kennedy, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Kennedy; Alvin Homer, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Homer; Gaylon Tow, son of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Tow; Alvie Clay, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clay; Jack Neeley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Z. J. Neeley; and Garland Fielding, son of Mr. and Mrs. S. W. Fielding.

Wallace Blasingame, son of Mr. and Mrs. William Blasingame, will attend Arlington College at Arlington.

Jan Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Allen, returned to Texas Christian University, Fort Worth.

George W. Stephens, son of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Stephens, will enroll as a junior in Texas Wesleyan College, Fort Worth.

From Dodson, Edal Bonneau will go to Texas Tech. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Van Bonneau.

Wilma Hightower will return to Bethany Peniel College, and her twin sister, Wanda Hightower Carter, will go to Amarillo College.

Fern Fitzgerald, daughter of Rev. and Mrs. J. M. Fitzgerald, will return to Texas State College for Women and her sister, Juanita Fitzgerald goes to a Bible Institute at Los Angeles.

Mr. Ben Lowry was in Amarillo Sunday visiting with her husband, who is in the veterans hospital there.

Society

Harvey's Hostess To Wedding Party

The back yard of the Glen Harvey home was the scene for an informal rehearsal supper given on Saturday night, September 5, at 7 p.m. Members of the wedding party were honored. The supper, consisting of barbecue, potato salad, baked beans, pickled beets, watermelon and coffee and cokes, was served cafeteria style with individual tables set up for the guests.

Those attending were Rev. and Mrs. Chester O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ingram and Doyle Wayne, Mrs. Benny Moore, Tanya Smith, Marilyn Dickey, Patsy Patton, Shirley Agee, Clyde Ingram, Harley McKinney, Orval Copeland, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Dickinson, Mrs. Beth Allen, Martha Audrey, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Scarborough, Gene Lewis Martin, and the hostess and girls, Betty and Billy, and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Harvey, Sue and Bill.

Family Gathering In Terry Home

By MRS. JACK LOWRY
Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Terry and Mr. and Mrs. Newt Price have had a number of relatives that have visited them during the past two weeks.

A special day for all the Terry family to be together was arranged for Saturday, September 5, when a dinner was served in the Terry home.

Those attending were Mrs. W. W. Cummings and Mrs. Kate Browning of Athens, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Price of Mincola, sister and a brother of Mrs. Terry and Mr. Price, Mrs. Bill Hargrove, Terry and Keith of San Antonio, Mrs. F. D. Williams and Terry Francis of Detroit, Michigan; a niece, Tennie Witten of Tucson, Arizona; Troy Holcomb of Shamrock; Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Terry and children. Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Terry, Daphne Terry and Le Don Terry.

Mr. and Mrs. Horace Clark of Chickasha, Oklahoma, were here for the funeral services of Mrs. Cameron Beam and visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Denley.

Annual Picnic for Abra Club

The members of the Abra Home Demonstration Club and their families met for the annual picnic supper at the Abra community building on Wednesday night, September 2. Miss Mary Trammel, County Home Demonstration Agent, met with the group.

A delicious supper and ice cream was served. The social hour was spent visiting.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Billingsly, Gerald and Doyle, Doug Divinney, Pete Myers, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Breeding and Karon. Mr. and Mrs. Pete Bentley, Bill, Richard and Suzanne, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Stapleton and children and grandmother Stapleton, Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Nix, Margaret Ann and Sandy, and Mrs. Winnie Nix, Mr. and Mrs. D. A. Kincannon and Dee, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Brown, Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Honeycutt and Glen, Patricia and Wanda Keller. Andra Sue Boone, Mrs. Wayne Laycock and Royce, Mr. and Mrs. Guss Gooch and Ronnie, Mr. Loy Harvey, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Bradley, Paul, Donald and Harvey Pat, and Mrs. O. E. Dodson and granddaughter of Wellington.

Nancy Sue Thomas Celebrates Birthday

Nancy Sue Thomas celebrated her 3rd birthday with a little party given by her mother in the Little community, August 28 at 4 o'clock. The little tots entertained themselves with a box of old toys and fancy whistles given them for favors. The evening was spent taking colored snapshots of the children. The three little candles were blown out by little Nancy and every one joined in singing Happy Birthday to Nancy Sue. Refreshments of angel food cake, pink ice cream, cheese crackers and jelly beans and punch were served to the following: Nancy Ann Emmert, Patsy Sue Aaron, Mike and Connie Hughes, Clarice and Laura Wheeler, Cina Sybil and Edmond D. Thomas, Stan Letcher, Patricia Wilson, Tommie, Billie Thomas, Patricia Thomas, Beatrice Beard, Gary Mike Gulley, Rhonda Kersten, Billie Evelyn Lowe, David

and Denzil Phipps, Mae Nell Ratliff, Mike Little, Jan and Dan Langford, Fredda, Lynn, and Mina Bourland, Jamie Ross, Judy, Tim and Ted Bailey, Connie Roberts, Marie and Jimmie Farrow, Irene and Annetta Tienda, Cinda and Jamie Warren, Luther G. Thomas, Mrs. J. D. Thomas, Cicero Gulley, C. T. Roberts, Jim Farrow, Henry Langford, Charley Little, Ben Ratliff, Ted Wheeler, Richard Bailey, Ronald Kersten, Dudley Phipps, Buster Hughes, Joe Thomas, Deanie Thomas, Burt Thomas, Joe Darden, Susie Bennett, John Alf Thomas and the hostess, Mr. and Mrs. Zook Thomas.

News of Men in Service

A/1c Howard Ball, stationed at Chaumont, France, with the Air Force, talked with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Otis Ball by telephone Wednesday, August 26. Mrs. Ball reported the long distance visit most satisfactory and said that the overseas phone connections were good.

Ball told his parents he recently had a 21-day leave, which he spent visiting France, Germany, Italy and Austria.

He has been in service two years and seven months and is assigned to mechanical work.

Pvt. Benny Benton, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Benton of the Aberdeen community, is now stationed in Germany as a tank mechanic. He is the eighth son of Mr. and Mrs. Benton to have served in the armed forces since the beginning of World War II.

He was at Camp Chaffee and Fort Sill before going overseas.

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Personal

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Compton of Plains spent the week end in the home of her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Bennett. Mrs. Compton will be remembered here as Miss Betty Bennett. Other guests in the Bennett home late last week were their daughter, Mrs. W. W. Boykin of Childress, and her daughter-in-law and granddaughter, Mrs. W. J. Boykin and Brenda of Olton.

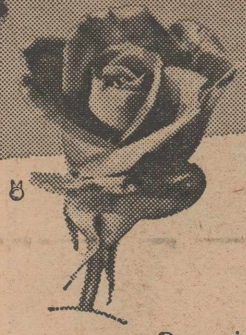
Mr. and Mrs. William W. McClaskey of Lockney and Miss Claudia Clement of Alexandria, La., spent the Labor Day holiday here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. W. McClaskey and Miss Dora E. McClaskey.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Boverie, their daughter and grandson, Mrs. Truitt McCoy and Charles, of Athens spent the week end with his sister, Miss Katherine Boverie. Mrs. McCoy will be remembered here as Miss Rebecca Boverie.

Mr. and Mrs. Myrett Henry and daughters of Jackson, Miss., visited with friends and attended to business here last week and again Monday. In the meantime they visited with relatives at Amarillo and Plainview. Mr. Henry is district manager for O. K. Rubber Welders at Jackson.

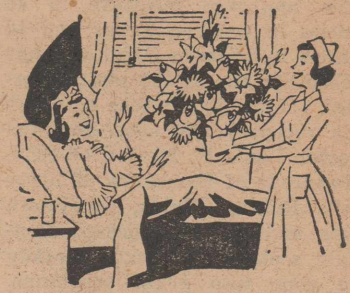
Mr. and Mrs. Wess Cain of Sayre, Oklahoma, spent the week end with her sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Wilton Ketchum and Glenn.

Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Johnson of Etter have been visiting their parents, Mrs. W. W. Johnson and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ball, and other relatives.



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FOR SALE: Ithico Pump Shotgun, Phone 207, Newell Van Pelt. 10-2p

FOR SALE: Sixteen month old Hereford bull, Domino breeding, well marked, not registered. Mrs. Allen Smith, Rt. 3, Shamrock. 11-2c

FOR SALE: Peaches at Boarman Orchard 1 1/2 miles North of Wellington on Highway 83. Jim Clark in charge. 7-tfc

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WANTED — Man with car to sell and deliver household supplies nearby. Full time. Good earnings. Can also use part time man. Write Rawleigh's Dept. Tg1-200-270, Memphis, Tenn. 11-1p

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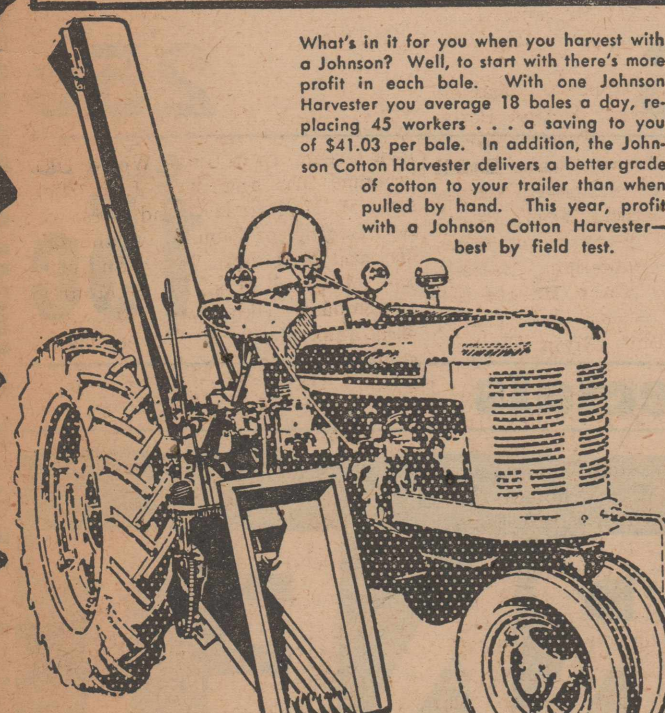
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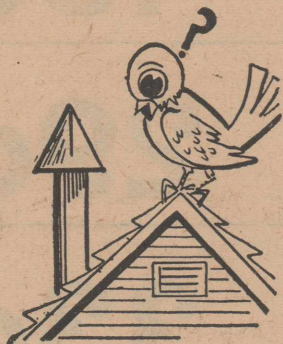
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Miss Sue Harvey Weds Doyle Ingram September 6

The First Baptist Church was the scene of the marriage Sunday, September 6, of Miss Sue Harvey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Glen B. Harvey, and Doyle Wayne Ingram, son of Mr. and Mrs. Homer Ingram.

Vows were exchanged at 4 p.m. beneath an arch of greenery, flanked by palm and baskets of pink asters, and candelabra holding pink candles. The double ring ceremony was read by Rev. Chester O'Brien. The bridal aisle was marked with pink bows.

Miss Patsy Patton played a collection of pre-nuptial marches. She accompanied Miss Tanya Smith who sang "Because" and "The Lord's Prayer." She carried a nosegay of pink mums.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white Chantilly lace over white satin. The gown featured a fitted bodice with long sleeves and a high neckline with pointed collar. The skirt was topped with a lace redingote finished in scallops. Her three-tiered veil of illusion fell from a coronet of seed pearls.

She carried a cascade bouquet of an orchid surrounded by small orchids. She followed the traditions of something old, new, borrowed and blue.

Miss Betty Scarborough of Petersburg and cousin of the bride, was maid of honor. She wore an ankle length dress of blue net over taffeta, with a brocade bodice. She carried a cascade bouquet of pink asters and wore a tiara of tiny pink mums.

Bridesmaids attending were Miss Jannine Crawford, wearing a melon dress of nylon net, Miss Billy Scarborough of Petersburg and cousin of the bride, dressed in an aqua dress of satin and net; Mrs. Benny Moore, sister of the groom, and wearing an ankle length dress of orchid net over taffeta, and Miss Marilyn Dickey, dressed in a blue ankle length net. They carried identical colonial bouquets fashioned of pink asters with showers of rainbow ribbon. Their head dress was made of tiny pink mums.

Miscellaneous Shower Honors Mrs. Charles Mulkey, Recent Bride

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Mulkey of Amarillo, who were married recently, were honored with a miscellaneous bridal shower on Tuesday, August 25, in the home of Mrs. Jess Cook. Mrs. Mulkey is the former Miss Jerry Huston of Wellington.

In the receiving line with the recent bride were her mother, Mrs. D. M. Huston, the groom's mother, Mrs. Ray Mulkey of Amarillo, and Mrs. Cook.

Assisting Mrs. Cook as hostess were Mmes. Lillie Langford, Ben Lowrie, Alva Cristy and Miss Roberta Posey.

The refreshment table was covered with a white crocheted cloth and was centered with an arrangement of sweet peas, and using tall white candles.

Mrs. Langford registered the guests. Mrs. Lowrie was in charge of the gift display. Miss Posey, assisted by Mrs. Cristy, presided at the punch service.

Those attending and sending gifts were Mmes. Jerry Austin, Roy Mulkey and Mays Turman, both of Amarillo; L. I. Barry of Childress; Ollie Raburn, L. C. Lowrie, Eva Fulcher, John Trew, E. M. Trew, J. L. Burt, Gene Bawcom and Patsy, C. P. McCutchen,

John D. Ingram served his brother as best man, and ushers were Bill Harvey, Orval Copeland, Harley McKinney and Clyde Ingram. The bride's mother selected a dress of black crepe, with black accessories, and wore a corsage of white carnations. The bridegroom's mother was attired in a brown crepe dress, accented with brown and pink accessories. Her corsage was of white carnations.

Following the wedding a reception was held in the church parlor. The three-tiered wedding cake was topped with a miniature bride and groom. The table was laid with a lace cloth over pink and the bride's bouquet formed the centerpiece.

In the receiving line were the bride and groom, the bride's mother, the groom's mother and father and members of the wedding party. Miss Glenna Fred Yarbrough registered the guests in the bride's book. Miss Rugene Black served the cake and Miss Jean Stengel poured the punch. They were assisted by Mrs. Pete Brock and Mrs. W. O. Copeland.

When the couple left for a wedding trip, the bride wore a pink two-piece dress of faille with black and white accessories. Her corsage was an orchid from the bridal bouquet.

Mrs. Ingram was graduated from Wellington High School with the class of 1953 and at present she is employed as secretary to C. T. Roberts, school superintendent. Mr. Ingram graduated from this high school in 1951, where he was active in sports. He is now employed at the Modern Market. The couple will make their home in Wellington and will reside on East Avenue.

Francis Roberts, Roy Horn. Homer Ingram, Porter Loving, Mack Saied Sr., Effie Thompson, Peggy Harrel, George Farris, Charles Underwood of Garner, Curtis Williams of Eastland, Jim Cook, Vada Wauer, Glen Washer of Dumas, J. M. Strong, Dora Ryan, Hick Morrow, Ben Brewer, Frank Light, Bura Handley, Calvin Hurst, H. A. Davis, Fleet Pruden, Paul Browning, Lee Hughey, W. A. Bennett, Roy Cunningham, Ernest Harrell, George Farris, Charles Jay, Pink Sullivan, George Nevels, J. M. Stowell, D. M. Huston, Mmes. E. L. Pease, Joan Fint, Jhon Atkinson and Sonja of Quail, Douglas Moulding, Eva Puryear, Charles Mulkey of Amarillo, and Misses Dorothy Ray, Peggy Jeffers, Janita Morris, Pauline Brown, Barbara Graves, Nelda Scott, Doris Sweet, Rickey Boyd, Nancy Elliott, Maxine Useton, Mary Bess McKinney, Sue Harvey, Beatrice Hutchins, Doris Lewis, Betty Quail of Dalhart and Sharon Turman of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Thomason and children of Lubbock spent the week end visiting with the latter's brothers, W. L., D. C., and Frank Thomason and families.

Lake Texhoma Scene of Reunion

By MRS. G. D. THOMAS
The A. J. Ashtons had their annual reunion this year with the R. P. Bucks reunion at Lake Texhoma, at the Strickland Lodge, on August 28, 29th and 30th. On Friday night there was around twenty-five present, with a crowd of fifty on Saturday night and approximately one hundred in attendance on Sunday.

On Saturday night moving pictures were shown of the reunion held last year in Palo Duro Canyon. Everyone enjoyed seeing these pictures.

On Sunday morning an hour of worship was conducted in honor of the parents of those attending. Many of the old hymns were sung that the parents loved to sing so well.

A wonderful chicken dinner was served at the noon hour. The afternoon was spent visiting and taking pictures to be shown at the next reunion, which will be held at Sulphur Springs, Oklahoma.

Those attending the reunion that have lived in and around Wellington were Mrs. G. D. Thomas, Lillie, Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Ashton of Cactus, Mr. and Mrs. Presley Ashton and daughters of Cactus, Archie Lee Ashton and Jerry of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Stegal of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Luther Webb of Maysville, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Thomas of Plainview, Mrs. Mary French of Denver, Colorado, Mr. Arthur Hefner of Plainview, Mrs. Annie Munn, of Denison, Mrs. Maud Mitchell of Fort Worth. States represented were Texas, Oklahoma, Colorado, Kansas, and Ohio.

Home Demonstration Club Meets

The North Wellington Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Bob Stevenson, Tuesday afternoon, September 1st, for a business and social session.

The meeting opened with the singing of "America" and prayer was led by Mrs. J. G. Gardner. Roll call was answered by the members telling "Why I Have the Floor Covering I Now Have."

Mrs. L. L. Easter, the president, conducted the business session. Mrs. Morgan Tucker, council reporter for the club, told of business of last council meeting. State Line Fair and Achievement Day were discussed.

Refreshments of cakes and ice cream were served to seventeen members, including two new ones, Mrs. H. P. Forbis and Mrs. Thomas Jesse.

Family Has Reunion In E. B. Seale Home

By MRS. JACK LOWRY
The Seale reunion was a day of joy in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Seale on Sunday, September 6.

A covered dish dinner served buffet style was served at the noon hour. The afternoon was spent singing, making pictures and visiting. Those present for the occasion were Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Seale, Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Seale and Doug, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Seale and Vickie of Vega, Pfc. Malcolm Seale of Baltimore, Maryland, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Smith and Jimmie of Rosco, Mrs. Richard Beall, Richard Wayne and Mildred of Perkins, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Homer Duckworth and Delmer, Jr. and Mrs. Tom Duckworth and son, Mr. and Mrs. S. B. Bowen, Pfc. and Mrs. Robert Duckworth of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Seale, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Chandler, and son, Billie, who is to receive his discharge soon from the Army, after having spent nine months in Korea, Mr. Bob Seale and the host and hostess, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Seale.

Royal Ambassadors of Lillie Elect Officers

By MRS. G. D. THOMAS
On Wednesday night, September 2, the Clyde Hankins Chapter of the Royal Ambassadors of the Lillie Baptist Church met and elected new officers for the coming year. New officers will begin serving in October.

Elected were Dale Ratliff, Ambassador-in-chief; Loyd Langford, first assistant ambassador; Dee Blasingame, second assistant ambassador; Gano Wilson, chapter recorder; H. C. Langford, chapter scribe; Marcus Haralson, chapter steward; Julius Haralson, chapter custodian; Johnny Barnette, chapter herald.

The R. A.'s meet twice a month on Wednesday evenings. Counselors are Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Ratliff and Mrs. Haskel Manuel is the young people's secretary.

Society News



MORE FARM BUREAU BEAUTY
Placing second and third in the recent Farm Bureau beauty contest for Collingsworth County were these two county beauties, red-haired Joyce Martindale, left, and brunette Laverne Purkey, right. Miss Martindale is employed in Wellington and Miss Purkey is entering Texas Tech as a freshman this fall.

Coffee Honors Wives Of Visiting Firemen

The new home of Mrs. Hiram Cudd was the scene for a coffee given Tuesday afternoon, September 8, from 3 to 4 p.m. in honor of the visiting firemen's wives and also honoring the local past and present firemen's and city officials' wives.

Mrs. Bura Handley and Mrs. Russell Yates served with Miss Cudd as hostesses for this occasion.

The serving table was laid with a linen lace cloth, centered with an arrangement of bronze mums in a crystal bowl. Other decorations was an arrangement of gladioli to carry out the fall color scheme.

Mrs. Yates poured from the silver service. Open face sandwiches, fancy cookies and mixed nuts completed the service. Printed napkins with "Panhandle Firemen's Convention" were used.

Guests were received by Mrs. Cudd and Mrs. Handley. Mrs. Jake Leach directed the ladies through a tour of the new home.

Approximately sixty ladies called during the afternoon.

Young Adult Class Enjoys Social

The young adult Sunday school class of the Methodist church met for a social in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. King on September 3, with Mr. and Mrs. George Emanuel as co-hostess.

The evening was spent playing 42, bridge and canasta. Refreshments of cookies, mints, punch and coffee were served.

Those attending were Messrs. and Mmes. John Graves and family, Walt Winters, Frank Wilson and baby, Mack Saied Jr., Luther Geiger and family, Robert Lewis, Henry Sullivan, L. J. Courtney, Louis Berg, and the hosts.

Busy Bee Club Meet for Lunch

By MRS. R. F. HARRIS
The Busy Bee Club of Swearingin met on Wednesday, August 2, with Mrs. R. F. Harris as hostess. Two quilts were completed. Eighteen members were present to enjoy the covered dish lunch served at noon.

Members present were Mmes. John Messer, Travis McGuire, J. L. Souder Sr., N. E. Shields and daughter, Harvey Skaggs, Brenda, A. L. Adeock, A. B. Jones, C. E. Pitts, J. H. Gleaton, George Creed, Clyde Brown, Henry Newman, C. L. Harris, and Ted, L. G. Yarbrough. Elvis Pitts and daughters, Frank Boyles, H. E. Gleaton and children, and the hostess.

Coffee Honoring New Residents

A coffee honoring new residents of Wellington was held in the home of Mrs. Fred Squires on Thursday, September 3, at 10 o'clock. Assisting Mrs. Squires as hostess were Mrs. Lynn Courtney and Mrs. M. L. Burks.

Ladies honored on this occasion were Mrs. John Hurley. Mrs. Franklin Wilson, Mrs. Luther Geiger and Mrs. E. S. Edwards.

Coffee, cookies, mints and a fruit and meat assortment were served.

Guests other than the hostess and those honored included Mmes. Charles Cason, Jr., Ed Miller, George Emmanuel, John M. Graves, Maxey McKnight, John Rainey, Lee Plante, Chester O'Brien, David Robertson, B. M. Goodloe, J. B. King, Hubert Mauldin, and a number of children attended.

Mrs. G. C. Wright Party Hostess

By MRS. R. H. ISBELL
Mrs. G. C. Wright entertained friends and relatives on Friday night, September 4, at her home in the Salt Fork community with a party.

Refreshments of cookies and fruit punch were served to the group.

Those attending were Mrs. Maxwell, Mrs. J. P. Cummings, Mrs. Ray Love, Mrs. John Gollighugh, Clyde and Jeanette, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Clifton, Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Bolton, Nell and Richard, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Peters, Jimmy and Linda, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Maxwell, Don Ernest Lee, Johnny and Jerry Lynn, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Wright, Charles and Edna Ellen, Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Isbell and the hostess.

Entertains Visitors During Week-end

Visitors in the Homer Ingram home during the week end and to attend the wedding of Miss Sue Harvey and Doyle Wayne Ingram, included Mr. and Mrs. John D. Ingram of Borger, Mr. and Mrs. Denzil Ingram of Wichita Falls, and Mr. and Mrs. Benny Moore of Hondo.

Those entertained in the Glen Harvey home were Mrs. Leota Esby and girls of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Brashers, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Scarborough and Betty and Billy, and Gene Lewis Martin, all of Petersburg, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Brashers and children of Hale Center, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brashers and children of Crosbyton, Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Dickinson, Mrs. Beth Allen and Martha Audrey, all of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Jameson and Johnny of Davidson, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Elihue Dockery and Mrs. Roy Blanchard of Vernon.

Salt Fork Club In Regular Meeting

By MRS. R. H. ISBELL
The Salt Fork Home Demonstration Club met with Mrs. J. P. Cummings last week on Wednesday afternoon, with eight members present. Roll call was answered as each one gave her way of cleaning the kitchen linoleum. Several other topics were discussed. It is hoped that Miss Trammel can be with the group at their next meeting which will be in the home of Mrs. C. D. Messer on September 16. All members are urged to be present.

Refreshments of cookies and fruit punch were served to Mmes. Willie Morris, Henry Wischkaemper, Saunders, Sudie Wright, C. D. Messer, Ernestine Cummings, Mrs. J. P. Cummings, the hostess, and Mamie Isbell.

Fresno Club Elects Officers

Mrs. W. A. Morrow was elected president of the Fresno Home Demonstration Club when members met in the home of Mrs. C. E. Rippetoe on Tuesday, September 1st.

Other officers elected for the coming year were Mrs. Rippetoe, vice-president; Miss Mabel Clement, secretary; Miss Inez Clement, reporter; Mrs. J. E. Forbis, council delegate; Mrs. Carthel Lewis, alternate delegate; Mrs. Hubert Mauldin, parliamentarian.

Recreation was directed by Mrs. Forbis. Refreshments were served to Mmes. Morrow, Forbis, Mabel Hall, Lena Florence, Lewis, J. B. Killian, Gary and Mark, Mrs. H. B. Lowrie, Mrs. Marvin Clubb, Billy, Wada and Patsy, Mrs. E. C. Clement, Inez and Mabel, and the hostess, Mrs. Rippetoe. The next club meeting will be in the home of Mrs. J. B. Forbis on Tuesday, September 15.

Mrs. M. E. Rountree Birthday Honoree

By MRS. JACK LOWRY
Mrs. M. E. Rountree was honored with a dinner at her home on her seventy-ninth birthday, Sunday, September 6. An enjoyable time was reported by those attending. She received a number of lovely gifts.

The dinner menu consisted of fried chicken, ice cream and watermelon and all the trimmings. The birthday cake was made by a granddaughter, Mrs. Pete Melton. The afternoon was spent visiting and playing games.

Attending were Mr. and Mrs. Rueben Roundtree and girls of Kellerville, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Roundtree and Janice, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Melton, Mrs. Bill Jones and Kim, Mr. and Mrs. Sam White and Gail of Childress, Mrs. Roy Duncan and Pat and Terry Hart of Oklahoma City, Jess Roundtree and Burgess Roundtree of Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Roundtree, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Deger, Mrs. George Clark, Mrs. Eli Haralson, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Raburn and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Deger.



Miss Jo Ann Bumpas to Wed T. A. McKinzie, Jr. of Amarillo

Mr. and Mrs. Guy Bumpas are announcing the approaching marriage of their daughter, Jo Ann, to T. A. McKinzie, Jr., of Amarillo. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. T. A. McKinzie, Sr. of Williams St. in Amarillo.

The wedding is to take place in Amarillo September 20, at 3 p.m., in the home of an aunt of the bride's. Mrs. Arzeene Winter, 1322 Taylor St. Dr. Clifton Tension of Borger, cousin of the bride, will officiate. Close friends and relatives of the couple will be invited.

Mrs. Maurice Hewlett of Oklahoma City, will be her sister's matron of honor. The groom's attendant will be his brother-in-law, Hal Grider of Norman, Oklahoma.

Miss Bumpas graduated from Wellington High School with the class of 1950 and at the present is employed at the First National Bank in Amarillo.

The groom graduated from Amarillo High School and has completed two years in the service, a portion of this time spent in Korea.

Miscellaneous Bridal Shower Honors Mrs. Lloyd Wooldridge, Recent Bride

Mrs. Lloyd Wooldridge, a recent bride, was honored with a bridal shower on Thursday night September 3, from 7:30 to 8:30 in the home of Mrs. Earl Hunter. Assisting Mrs. Hunter as hostess were Mmes. Ernest Harwell, Joe Roundtree, Jess Deger, Walter Deger, Jack Lowry, Lee Roark, and Misses Dorothy Robertson, Anna Lee Graham, and Dora E. McClaskey. The house was attractively decorated throughout with garden flowers. A cutwork linen cloth covered the serving table, and the centerpiece was in the form of a double wedding ring, flanked by flowers of mixed colors. Miss Dorothy Robertson presided at the punch service, serving punch, cookies, mints and nuts.

Mrs. Ernest Harwell registered the guests.

Attending and sending gifts were Mmes. Henry Davidson, Paul Starr, John C. Harper, Elbert Watts, Denny Judd, Grady Finley, Leon Hartman, Floyd Thompson, C. R. Nunneley, Cicero Gulley, Donna Houston, Eugene Terry, Cecil Brown, Bura Handley, M. E. Roundtree, J. W. Deger, John Bevers, Dewey Maroney, Beryl Faulkner, Barney Glenn, Quinton Brewer, Arthur Hudson, Naoma White, Cal Sugg, C. L. Lowry, T. C. Young, Bill McClaskey, Calvin Hurst, Odell Finley, Mmes. A. Y. Bell, Russell Yates, Dick Wiley, T. B. Whitson, Ben Lowry, Walter Deger, Verna Light, John Rainey, Misha Dukeminier, Mickey Kendrick, L. D. Merriwether, Grant Wooldridge, Les Wooldridge, Doc Barjenbruch, Pink Sullivan, Heber Brantley, John Coleman, James Sullivan, Byron Duncan, Bryan Denley, Elvis Crawley, H. C. Morrow, C. C. Bishop, Millard Brown, Jr., Bert Starkey.

Mmes. John Henard, Charley Hill, Cecil Elbert, Frank Pope, Wilton Ketchum, Harris Royal, John Holton, Marvin Seale, Edsel Bartlett, Claude Simpson, Austin O'Neill, Jim Leach, Newt Price, Pat Shields, Marcella Frost, Elzie White, Frank Anderson, Barney Walker, Walter Starr, Harold Elbert, Jimmie Kelsor, Joe Terry, Weldon Cleveland, Alvin Horton, Bernice Welch.

Mmes. C. E. McKinney, James McClellan, Ernest Nunneley, Don Nunneley, Sandy Parsons, Jr., John D. Glenn, Ada Thompson of Shamrock, Fleet Pruden, Lee Hughey, J. C. Ward, Virgil Estes, Joe West, Alene Nix, Donnitia Jones, Sandra Wooldridge, Dan Henard, A. L. Nowlin, Durant McInnis, Donald Briggs, Bill McCaver, Grady Graham, George Tucker, James Q. Tucker of Hollis, Oklahoma. David Armstrong and Mary Elizabeth.

Mmes. Austin White, John Logan of Hollis, Gene Lewis, Bob Glenn, Ross Wilkerson, Rufus Sweat, John Ford, J. L. Burt, John French, Frank Thomason, Leon Coleman, Darlene Rainey, Helen Hurst and Elizabeth, Dan Austin of Lamesa, Dean Perkins, W. W. Neely, Chester Fires, Emory Hunter, Joe Thompson, Virginia

Evans, Emmett Passmore, E. R. Smith, Claude Nelson.

Mmes. Gibbs Glenn, Everett Fain, Estes Burt of Hollis, Arthur Burt and Peggy of Vinson, Ralph Gray, W. A. Bennett, W. W. Boykin of Childress, Herbert Bennett of Tulsa, Selma Rainey, Duane Burrows of Amarillo, W. J. Boykin of Olton, James Hassell, Junior Smotherman of Childress, Lee Compton of Plains, Ruth Cochran, Pauline Rudy, C. A. Rudy and E. W. Jones.

Misses Ada Allred, Maudie Coffee, Elizabeth Hardin of Muleshoe, Sarah Doyle, Lennie Lou Coleman, Bessie Rainer, Betty Price, Margaret Shields, Rose and Marie Shadid, Peggy Riggs, Inez Leach, Virginia Robey, and Bonnie Willis.

Tyson Family Reunion Held at Lugert Park

The annual family reunion for the Tyson family was held at Lugert Park Sunday, August 30th. A basket lunch was served at noon. Attendance was the largest in several years.

Those present were Mr. and Mrs. Leon Tyson of Oklahoma City, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Sauls and children of Amarillo. Mr. and Mrs. Bud Tyson and Billie Jack, and Mr. Elmer Tyson of Sanger, Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Morris, Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Tyson, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Tyson and Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Tyson all of Mustang, Oklahoma, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Douglas and children, Mr. and Mrs. Buckley, all of Hedrick, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Dee Tyson. Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Nel, Wanda Faye and G. I. Nell, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Tyson and children all of Hollis, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Almus Tyson and son of Cordell, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Tyson and son, Lee Card, R. D. McCubbin Sr., Mrs. Cora Gahran, Miss Eva Green, all of Lone Wolf, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Tyson, of Hollis; Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Corning of Gould, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Olan Tyson and son, and Mr. and Mrs. I. W. Monroe of Hobart, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Myers of Vinson, Oklahoma, Mrs. W. W. Monroe of McClellan, Mrs. Reta Garrett of Mangum, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Tyson and boys and Mrs. Wilton Ketchum of Wellington.

Annual Chicken Fry At Rolla Gin

Rolla Gin and Chickasha Gin Company entertained their customers and friends with the annual chicken fry at the Rolla Gin on Friday night, September 4 at 9 p.m. Fried chicken with all the trimmings was served to approximately two hundred and sixty people.

People of the community helped Mr. Davis with the fry. Entertainment was furnished by the Lions Club from Hedley. Their program consisted of a variety of musical numbers, acts and readings.

QUAIL NEWS

By MRS. G. T. STEPHENS

(Intended for Last Week)
Alfred White of Wellington preached at the Church of Christ for the Sunday morning and Sunday evening services.

Mr. and Mrs. Leroy Robinson, Worlin and Kathy Denise, of Amarillo visited Sunday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur E. Robinson and Connie Tom.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Carter visited in San Jon, New Mexico, over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Carter and family. While they were there Mr. and Mrs. Billy Carter and family of Long Beach, California, came for a visit also.

Mr. and Mrs. Ira Page and sons, Don and Charles of Hereford visited with Mrs. Page's mother, Mrs. Judy Bell Sunday, August 30. Mr. Page and Don went back to Hereford Sunday afternoon, while Mrs. Page and Charles are spending this week here.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Shields visited in Willow, Oklahoma, Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Benton Shields and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Newell Shields and

children of Swearingen community visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alex Shields Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coleman Jr. and children and Mr. and Mrs. Austin O'Neil visited Saturday night in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Coleman Sr. The Frank Coleman Jr. family and the O'Neil family had just returned from a vacation in Colorado. While in Colorado on Sunday, August 23, they attended church in Canon City, and visited that day in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Austin Carmack and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Alex Shields visited in the Memphis hospital Thursday, August 27, with Mrs. J. Davis who is a patient there. Mrs. Davis was the former Dorothy Starkey.

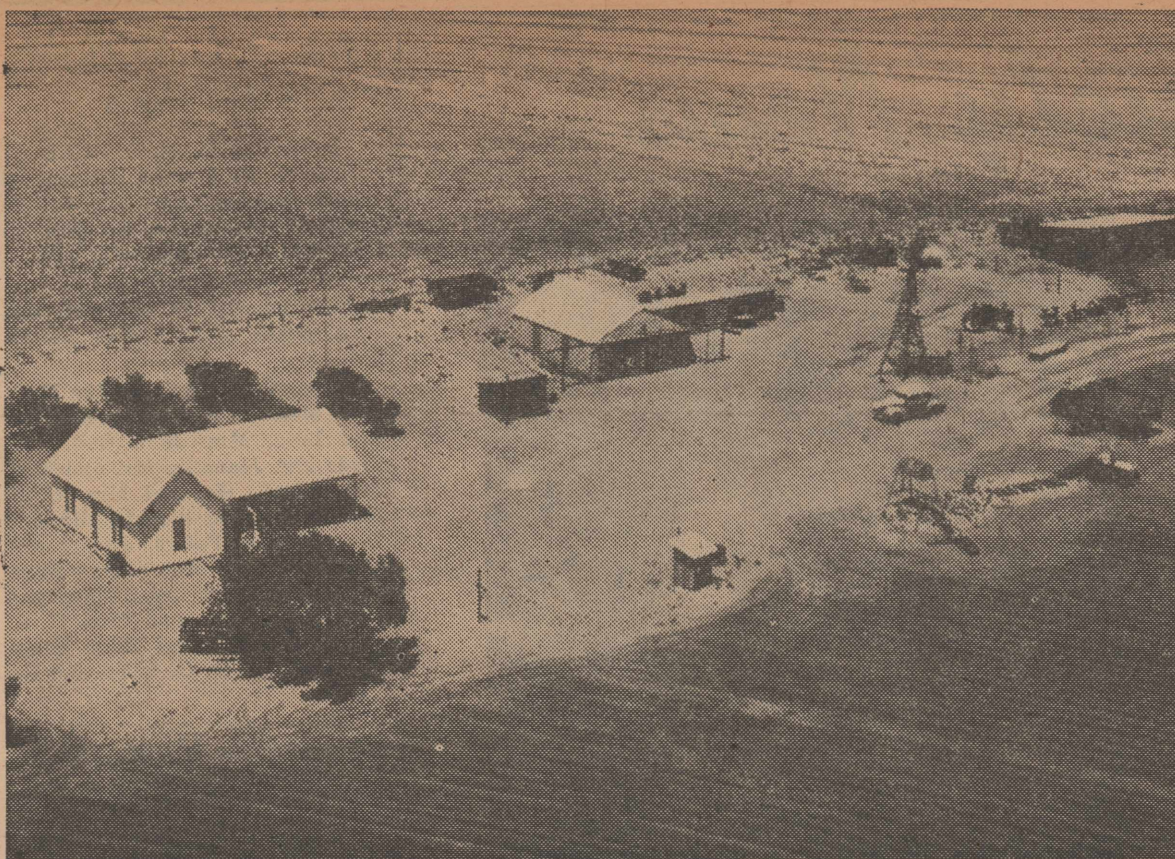
Jack Neeley, who has been in the Middle states in the harvest for some time returned home Tuesday, August 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bourland and children visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Messer Sunday, August 30.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred White and children of Wellington were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Obie White.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. White of Wellington were Sunday dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Carol Blevins.

Nancy Stephens spent Saturday night with Miss Mary Hagler of Wellington. They, with Mary's mother, Mrs. Walter Hagler, visited in Clarendon Sunday. Then Mary spent Sunday night in the



MYSTERY FARM NO. 7

Mystery Farm No. 7 appears to be a long-established place, with considerable improvements for mechanized farming, and should be fairly easy to identify. The owner

of this farm will receive a mounted picture like the one shown here. Identification by readers should be made to The Wellington Leader after 8:00 a. m. Thursday.

G. T. Stephens home and visited school Monday.

Mrs. Mary White and Mrs. Vera Coffee of Wellington were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Oyle White and family Sunday. Mrs. Mary White is Oyle's mother and Mrs. Coffee is his sister.

Sunday night supper guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester White were Mr. and Mrs. W. L.

White and grandson, of Wellington and Donald and Rudell White.

Annell Lacy and Connie Kay Souder spent Monday night with Connie Tom Robinson.

Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Robinson and son, Gary, of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Jess Robinson and sons of Vega visited Thursday and Friday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Robinson.

son of Tulia.

Mr. and Mrs. Reno Pepper of Estelline visited in the Elvis Pitts home Wednesday.

Those visiting in the Harris home recently were Mr. and Mrs. George Creed Jr. and niece, Beverly Joyce. Mr. and Mrs. Jett E. Roberts and Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Shields and girls.

Mrs. W. C. Poage of Tulia visited with her sister, Mrs. John Messer and family recently.

Mrs. A. H. Glasco of Lubbock visited over the week end with her sister and family, Mrs. John Messer.

Mr. and Mrs. N. E. Shields and girls visited Mr. and Mrs. Noble in Lelia Lake Sunday.

Several families of this community enjoyed the chicken fry at the Rolla Gin Friday night. A good time was had and the food was delicious.

The Rev. George Shoff and his son, Donald Shoff, were in Wellington Thursday for a short visit with friends. They were en route to their home at Clovis, N. M., from Fort Worth, where they had attended a convention of Fundamental Baptist churches. Rev. Shoff formerly was pastor of the Fundamental Baptist church here.

John Elliot of Natick, Mass., translated the Bible for the American Indians.

SWEARINGEN

By MRS. R. F. HARRIS

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Allen visited the C. E. Pitts recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John Farrar and family of Amarillo visited Mr. and Mrs. George Creed Jr. Saturday night.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Farrar and family of Wellington visited in the George Creed Jr. home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Skaggs attended the Anthony family reunion last Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Adcock and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Adcock and boys went to Stillwater, Oklahoma, Monday to see about their cattle. They returned Tuesday.

Mrs. Jack Miller and children of Oklahoma City spent last week with her mother, Mrs. L. G. Yarbrough. Also visiting with her mother was Mrs. H. F. Rankin and

Crossroads Report

Dear Mr. Sec'y Weeks:

Piece in the paper says you have decided to leave this scientific shark Dr. Austin on the job at the bureau of standards, on account of maybe he has promised not to jerk the axminster out from under any more good business rackets.

Serves the man right, keeping him on the possible list for a while. Maybe now he won't be going around interfering with the rights of us yokels to give somebody a dollar for 2 cents worth of powder and a package of hand-carved testimonials, if we get pleasure out of doing so.

It's worth a dollar just to enjoy the hope for a couple more days that the magic stuff will work and you won't have to buy no new battery. Just like it's worth maybe \$3.98 to imagine what a rip-snorter you are going to be after the bottle of tonic comes from the mail-order house.

D. E. Scott

Frank Lookadoo Of Fritch Dies

Friends here have learned of the recent death of Frank Lookadoo, who formerly lived at Quail, and who died in St. Anthony's Hospital. His home was at Fritch.

Funeral services were held under the direction of the Rev. W. T. Connor of Fritch, assisted by the Rev. Pat Riddle of Pecos. Pall bearers were Gene Anderson, Clinton Ragsdale, Frank Wright, R. B. Moore, Verlin Noland and Clarence Moore.

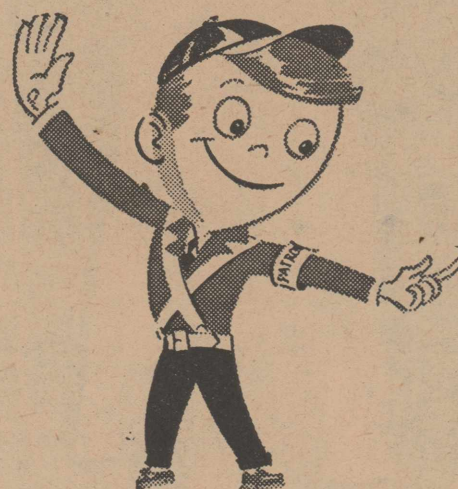
ence Moore. Honorary pall bearers were Bill Gibbs, Ed Wright, Earl Bullock and Jack Lallament. Burial was in Memorial Park cemetery, Amarillo.

Mr. Lookadoo is survived by his wife; one son, Alton Frank and one daughter, Linda Kay, all of Fritch; his mother, Mrs. Nunnally of California; two sisters, Mrs. Frances Smith of Anaheim, Calif., and Mrs. Ruby Wilson of Pampa,

and a half brother, D. G. Taylor of Vernon.

Attending the funeral from this county were Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Jones and Beatrice, Mrs. Sara Jones and Mr. and Mrs. Ben Farmer of Quail; Mrs. S. J. Glazner and Mr. and Mrs. Tom Cunningham of Samnorwood; Mrs. Judy Bell and Guy Bell of Wellington; also Mrs. Jodie McBrayer of Chil-

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New things happen in science faster than textbooks can be revised.

New words puzzle our ears and eyes before these words are in dictionaries : : : atomic-pile reactors, silicones, jet engines with "afterburners," UHF television. Some problem for teachers, that.

Last year over 100,000 letters from schools hit our desks at General Electric asking for things in print on "what's new."

Just to give you an idea of how this adds up, one booklet, *Adventures Inside the Atom*, has been requested to the tune of five million copies since 1948.

Adventures in Jet Power, also handled in comic-book treatment, has since 1946 gone into eight printings.

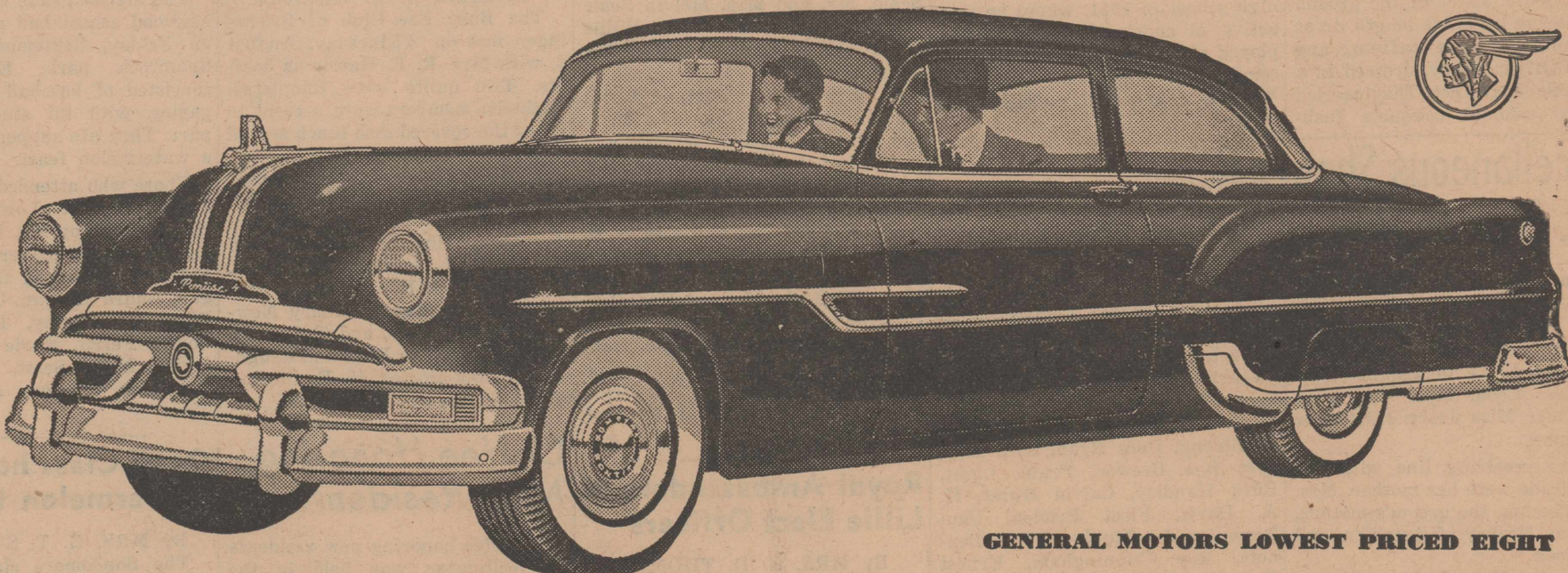
This may surprise you: a new booklet, *Why Study Math?*, will run over a million copies this year. (It answers that question Junior is always raising.)

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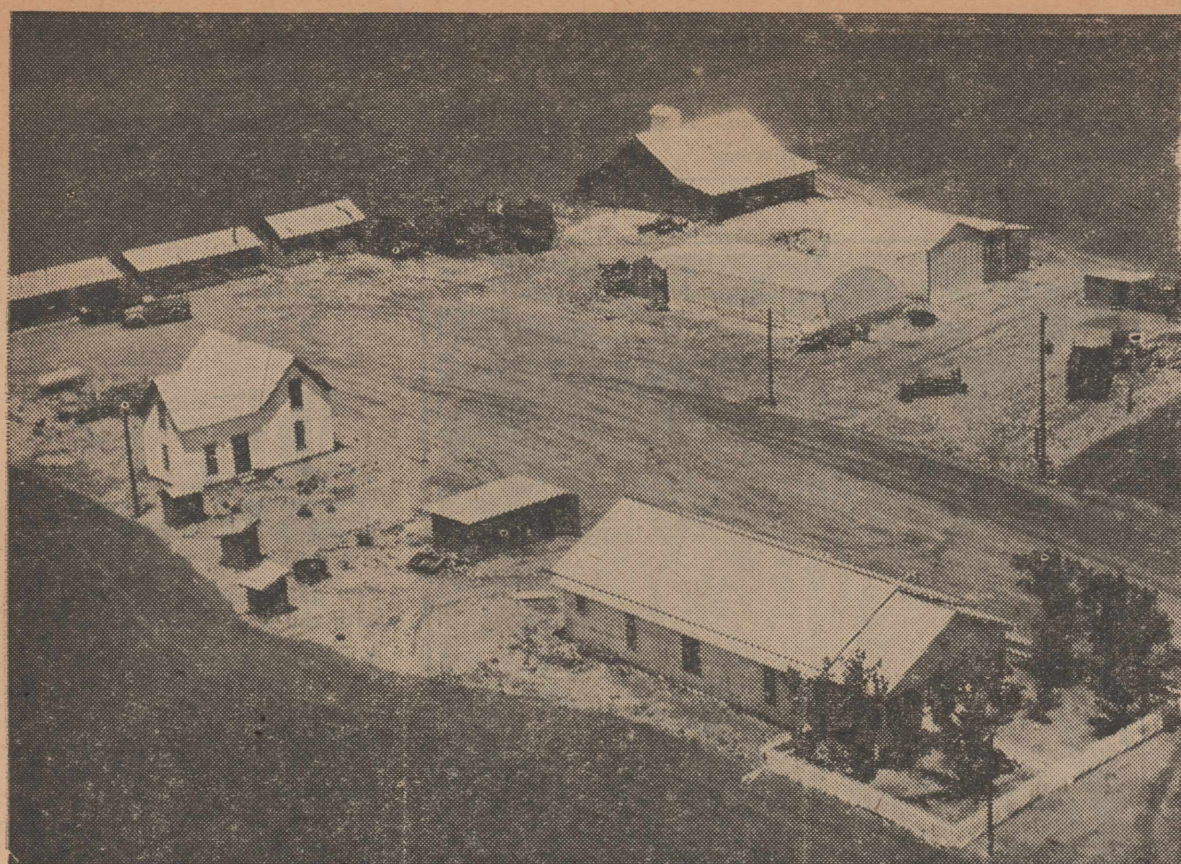
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Jim Wood Farm at Fresno Easily Identified as Mystery Farm

One of the easiest of the Mystery Farms to identify was that run last week, belonging to Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wood, and located four miles southeast of Wellington.

This is another farm that has come down from father to son — and there are a far larger number of these in the county than most realize.

The present owners no longer live on the farm, having built one of Wellington's finer new homes year before last.

First to identify the place and receive the free show tickets was Durant McInnis, also winner of last week's mystery farm identification. McInnis explained that he passes the farm every day as he comes to work at the First National Bank.

Only one person who called in failed to make the correct identification.

Others guessing were Sam Adams, Ted Brock, Bernice Welch, Glen Lacy, Mrs. Byron Duncan, Troy Gardner, Keith Cunningham, Farris Wood, Mrs. J. H. Barton, Billy Hajek, Alta Jackson, Mrs. Albert Fulcher, Mike and Jerry Rainey, Mrs. Troy Godbey, Carroll Nunnally, Mickey Breedlove, Barbara Shanks, Mrs. R. L. Mabery, Mrs. C. A. Kesler, Ernest Jackson, Mrs. Elbert Warren, Bob Trimble, Lester Harwell, Mrs. Donald Nummery, Carolyn Scott, Don Scott and Mrs. John H. Ward.

This farm came into the Wood family in 1917, when the late R. L. Wood and Mrs. Wood, who now lives in Wellington, bought the place, at the time they moved here with their family from near Lawton, Okla. They bought it from a Mr. McKnight, but Jim Wood could not remember if there were any earlier owners.

The modern one-story house in the lower left was built by Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Wood in 1927. The story and a half house is the original Lewis Hill home at Arlie, built in the 1890's. Later on, it was sold and moved to another farm, which was bought by Jim Wood a few years ago and moved to the present location in 1951. It is still in good condition in spite of its near-

ly 60 years age and two moves. Jim Wood and Miss Ruby Crawley were married in 1930, and lived for many years on the farm shown here. They have two daughters, Joyce, now Mrs. Walter O'Neil and

Top Colored Ball Game at Shamrock

SHAMROCK — You "haven't seen football" until you've seen the dark complexioned type played by the colored gridmen of Carver High School, Amarillo, and Boyd High School, Frederick, Okla.

The two great teams, tops in their respective states, will open the 1953 grid season at Denver Field in Shamrock at 8 o'clock Thursday night, September 10.

For the second consecutive year the teams are being brought to Shamrock by the State-Line Free Fair Association, and proceeds from the game will be used to help defray expenses of this year's fair, scheduled for September 17-19.

Reserved seat tickets may be acquired by writing the Chamber of Commerce, Shamrock, Texas. The entire east side of Denver Field is reserved for colored fans.

Price of the ducats are: general admission, \$1.00 for adults and 50c for students; reserved seats (including admission) \$1.25.

The Amarillo team, coached by Johnny Allen, came from behind in the game here last year to defeat the Oklahoma lads by a one touchdown margin. It was the first time the Texans had been victorious over Frederick. In their previous contests, Frederick had won twice and the two teams tied once.

The Amarillo club won the state championship last year. Their star backfield man, "Bobo" Jackson is among the returning lettermen.

Mrs. R. H. Goodloe of Los Angeles, California, is visiting her mother and brother, Mrs. L. T. Sullivan and Luther. Other visitors in the Sullivan home for the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Dutch Sullivan of Littlefield.

PERSONAL

Mrs. L. A. Dickey, Mrs. Paul Brewer and Glenda were visitors in Memphis Friday in the home of their daughter and sister, Mrs. Herschel Combs.

Mr. and Mrs. Charley Goodale and daughters of Canyon City, Colorado, visited Sunday morning with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Gammill, and also with Mrs. W. H. Lindley.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Warren and children and Mrs. Pearl Hamman vacationed recently in Salt Lake City, Utah, Nevada, Yellowstone National Park and in parts of Colorado.

Mr. and Mrs. Elbert Warren and children were in Olton over the week end visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Z. D. Miller, Mr. Warren's parents, and they also visited with his brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Warren of Hale Center.

Here to visit their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Baldwin, and sister, Mrs. Cecil Leggett, during the week end were Mr. and Mrs. Ben Baldwin and family of Albuquerque, N. M., and Mr. and Mrs. Jack Van Beber of Cactus.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Wilson of Cactus were week end guests of her mother, Mrs. W. W. Johnson and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Wood are members of the Methodist Church. He belongs to the Odd Fellows, Chamber of Commerce and Farm Bureau. She is a member of the Belles Lettres Study Club and has been especially active in those affairs connected with the school.

Mr. Wood does general farming, raising cotton, wheat and feed under a well-balanced program. Soil conservation conscious, he has had much of his land terraced and deep plowed.

Applying modern farming methods and good business judgment, Mr. Wood is one of the county's more successful farmers — and last week's mystery farm was his starting point.

Mr. and Mrs. John Shadd of Memphis were here Sunday visiting in the home of George and Misses Marie and Rose Shadd. The entire group went from here to visit with their uncle and wife, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Shadd of Altus.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Payne spent the week end at Carter, Oklahoma, visiting with Mrs. Payne's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Walker.

Miss Lydell Aaron of Dallas was a recent visitor in the homes of her mother and sister, Mrs. J. S. Aaron and Mr. and Mrs. George Jones. She also visited Mrs. Calvin Aaron and other relatives.

Miss Sue Anderson of Dallas visited with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Anderson, and was here to attend the funeral services of Mrs. Cameron Beam. Miss Anderson is public relations director for the Methodist Hospital in Dallas.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Harris Royal were her sisters, Mr. and Mrs. Don Jackson of Los Angeles, California, and Mrs. Edmond Cooke and children of Climax, Colorado. While here they also visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry West, and brother, Willie West and family.

In Amarillo Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Horn visiting in the home of Mrs. Buddy Seewald and her mother, Mrs. Amy Moseley.

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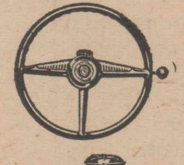
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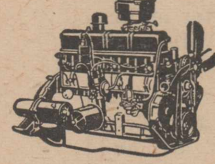
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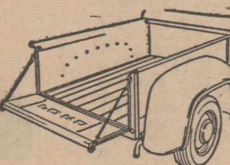
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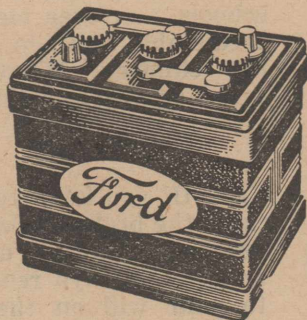
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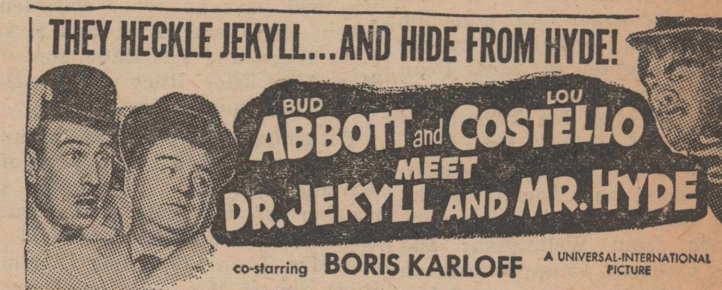
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A Majority Stay in Texas

Nearly a Hundred Students To Enroll in Colleges, Universities

Texas colleges will attract by far the majority of Collingsworth county boys and girls who this fall are continuing their education beyond high school. Altogether, around 100 from the county are enrolling in colleges or universities this year.

Texas Tech, Lubbock, for a number of years one of the most popular schools for local students, will have the following: Ludene Perkins, daughter of Mrs. Dean Perkins; Donald Joe Terry, son of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Terry; Joe Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Moore, who also attended the summer session; and Tommy Beam, son of Cameron Beam, all upperclassmen from Wellington; and Dudley Coleman, an upperclassman from Dozier, and the son of Mr. and Mrs. Wood Coleman. Jim Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Loren Thompson, is entering as a freshman on a Sears Roebuck scholarship; and Mary Jane Johnson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Matt Johnson, and Betty Wood, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Wood, will enter as freshmen, as will Jim Leggett, son of Mrs. Cecil Leggett.

Troy Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Clark of Dozier, will go to Tech, along with Earl Wayne Bryan, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rolan Bryan, and Laverne Purkey, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Purkey of Samnorwood. Ronnie Gooch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Gus Gooch of Abira, returns to Tech as an upper-

classman, and Wendell Phillips, son of Mr. and Mrs. P. W. Phillips of Dozier will enroll there.

Priscilla Baumgardner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Baumgardner of Wellington, will be their eighth child to enroll at Tech. She will be a freshman.

North Texas State College, Denton, will have as upper classmen Jimmy Agee, son of Dr. and Mrs. J. C. Agee, and Pat Riley, son of Mrs. Alice Riley. Riley will be editor of the student newspaper.

Returning to Abilene Christian College are Carroll Dunson, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Dunson and a member of the varsity football team; Ronald Coleman, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leon Coleman; a Donald Hiett, son of Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Hiett; and Mona Jean Tarter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Tarter. Enrolling as freshmen will be Eugene Black, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Osa Black, Freddy Alexander, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Alexander, and Jerry Drummond, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harold Drummond, now of Midland.

Barbara Wells will return to the University as a junior and her sister, Jocelyn Wells, will enroll as a freshman. They are the daughters of Mr. and Mrs. Morris Wells. Fred Saied, son of Mr. and Mrs. Mack Saied, will be a junior, and James Lee, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Lee, will also be an upperclassman. Phil Handley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bura Handley, and James F. LeDerer, son of Mr.

and Mrs. Fred LeDerer, will be freshmen.

Returning to West Texas State College, Canyon, are Joe Raburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Raburn; Bing Crosby, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Crosby; and Orville Copeland, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Copeland. A junior, Copeland is a member of the Buffalo football team. Patsy Roark, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Roark of Lutie, will be a junior, as will Lawrence Overcast, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Overcast of the Elm Valley community.

Jo White of Quail will enter West Texas State as a freshman, and Gene Baird, son of Mrs. Lucille Baird, will be a freshman and member of the Buffalo football squad.

Clyde Caison, son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Caison, will be a senior in Hardin-Simmons University, Abilene; Tanya Smith, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Willie Smith, will enroll as a freshman; and Mildred Newkirk, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Newkirk, Samnorwood, will be a student there.

Enrolling at Bethany will be James Posey, who will edit the college paper, and his sister, Roberta, who attended the summer session. They are the children of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Posey. Also at Bethany will be Jannine Crawford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Crawford; Grazele Scott, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Scott; Glennafred Yarbrough, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Yarbrough of Shinnery; Harold Wayne Moore, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Moore.

Returning to Texas A&M College for their third year will be Don Lacy, son of Mr. and Mrs. Drury Lacy of Shinnery; Thomas Kutch, son of Mr. and Mrs. Horton Kutch of Kelley; LaDwayne Bowen, son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bowen; Spencer Coleman, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Coleman; and Jack Tarter, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jake Tarter. James Slay, who studied two years at John Tarleton



EVIDENCE — Eleven-year-old David Crafts of Cuyahoga Falls, Ohio, proudly holds onto a fin of the 542-pound Marlin he hooked in Hawaiian waters. The young fisherman fought his catch for two hours, and four others landed it after another five and one half hours.

College, is enrolling at A&M. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Temple Slay.

Clifton Hunter, who entered the University of Houston last January after receiving his discharge from the Air Force, will return there. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hunter.

Tommy Wood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Rudell Wood, now of Amarillo, will attend Ranger Junior College.

Jean Stingel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Stingel, will enroll at Baylor University, Waco.

Two Samnorwood girls will enroll at Midwestern University, Wichita Falls; Goldie Tippie, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Purl Tippie, and Bonnie Kidwell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otis Kidwell. Billy King, son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill King of Dozier, will also attend Midwestern.

Dwayne Reynolds of Samnorwood will attend Oklahoma A&M College, Stillwater.

Doug Payne, son of Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Payne of Samnorwood, goes to Panhandle A&M College, Goodwell, Okla.

A group of county students will drive to Clarendon daily to attend Clarendon Junior College. Going from Samnorwood will be Wendell Morgan, son of Mrs. John Morgan; Peggy Garner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Riley Garner; Ray Benton, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Benton of Aberdeen community, who has completed his Army service, and who formerly attended North Texas State College; Billy Ray Alexander, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Alexander; Joe Ray Thompson, son of Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Thompson; and Don Dorman. Mrs. Lawrence Warrick of Wellington will drive to Clarendon for classwork, as will the Rev. John M. Fitzgerald of Dodson.

Donald Shoff, whose parents, the Rev. and Mrs. George Shoff, now live at Clovis, N. M., will return to Bob Jones College at Greenville, South Carolina, where he is a ministerial student.

Naneen Pound, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hughes, will enroll as a freshman in Colorado College at Colorado Springs.

Going to McMurry are Veda Mae Kiker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. A. Kiker; Charles Michael, son of the Rev. and Mrs. J. F. Michael; and James Glascock, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Glascock. Michael and Glascock, who was on the staff of The Wellington Leader during the summer, will be ministerial students.

Floyd Hood, son of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Hood and one of the Panhandle's top athletes, will enroll as a freshman in Oklahoma A&M College.

Returning to college to continue study in the professional fields are Ansel McDowell and V. C. Saied, students in the University of Texas School of Medicine at Galveston. John Jones will return to Baylor University School of Medicine at Houston. They are the sons of Mr. and Mrs. Ansel McDowell, of medical study at Southwestern

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now of Hereford, Mr. and Mrs. Mack Saied, and Dr. and Mrs. Charles Jones, now of Dallas.

Joe Horn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Horn, is entering his last year Medical College, Dallas.

Claude Caperton, son of Mr. and Mrs. Claude Caperton Sr. of Dozier, has returned to the University of Texas Medical College at Houston.

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John Gordon Thomas went to Quanah Sunday afternoon to attend a council meeting of the Methodist Youth Fellowship. John Gordon is vice-president of this district.

Mr. and Mrs. Keith McMillin were week end visitors in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley McMillin. Keith is photographer and news reporter for the Big Springs Reporter.



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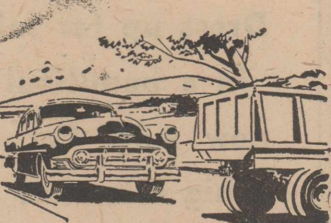
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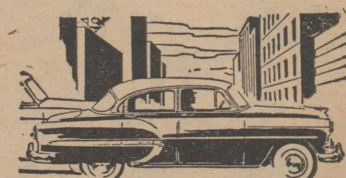
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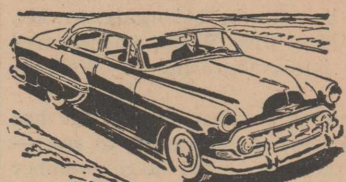


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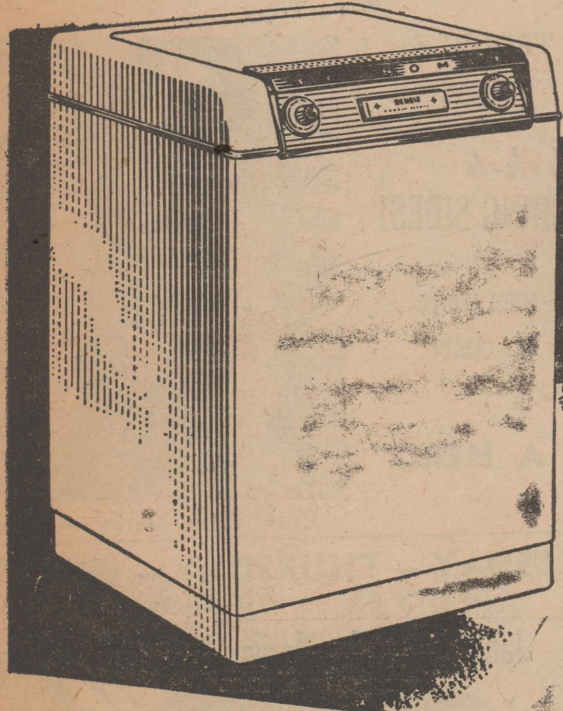
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County Schools Ready For Great Sports Year

Previewing the 1953-54 sports picture shows that most of the county school are ready to get into the thick of it when the cool days of November through March bring the all-American sport, basketball, into the forefront of the sports picture. Quail, Samnorwood, and Dodson will begin to take the hard workouts after cotton-picking for this year has been completed. Wellington's Red Rockets, however, don't particularly worry about the basketball picture this early in the season. They have to think and get ready for their first foe of the 1953 football season, the Hollis Tigers, which will entertain the Rockets at Hollis on September 11.

Dodson is the newest member of the county sports club. With the completion of a gym which will seat approximately 300 people it is only but natural that the boys and girls out that way are showing a new enthusiasm and a ready and willing to try to make the team. About 12 boys and girls are expected to fill out the roster for both teams, according to Superintendent T. E. Lennon. Jack Allen is the probable coach for both squads.

The Samnorwood Eagles and Eaglettes and the Quail Quails and Bobwhites are rated as some of the stronger teams in this section of the state and would be the winners of that particular district, but because of this arrangement they cannot meet in the state finals at Austin every year. The Norwoodians are taking the first few days of basketball season rather easy and improving on their hitting ability. About 14 boys and girls are expected to fill the roster on both cage teams, according to the superintendent of school, Orville Cunningham. Howard Perkins will take the mastering duties of the Eaglettes, while the dean of the Panhandle basketball coaches, Purl Tippie will again lead the Eagles. Last year, Tippie took his boys into the cage battle in district 2-B and won the scrap for the crown and the right to participate in the regional tourney in Canyon. This was the fifth consecutive year that the Eagles lead in the hot battle for the title.

The usual hustlers, the Quails and the Bobwhites, will field some good players for the coming year on the courts. Ten lettermen will return to the line-up for Coach Bill Phillips girls, while Paul Young will take four lettermen

into the title fight. As most of the teams are doing, both Quail quintets will play one or two practice games before the cotton breaks into the spirit of school.

Wellington will have its girls working out as they have done in the years before. The Rockettes will be defending their district crown which they have won for the second consecutive year. Miss Leatrice West will probably fill in at the coaching position for this year's team. However, the boys are doing something more important.

With the smell of the turning leaves and setting of the sun earlier in the season it can only mean one thing. Football is here for the fans and the players. About 33 boys turned out for the first day's practice on Tuesday morning, September 1. More boys are expected to come out and try for position on the team, according to Maxey McKnight, local mentor.

Washington School Notes

Washington School has gotten off to a good start this year with Mrs. L. L. Phegans teaching the first grade; Mrs. D. M. Wilhite, second and third grades; Mrs. R. M. Broadus, fourth and fifth grades; Mr. J. Hogue, sixth and seventh grades; Mrs. E. E. Hambric and Mr. W. F. Simpson, high school department.

The Parent-Teacher Organization had its first meeting with the new officers taking over. They are: Mrs. Lillian Archie, president; Mr. Joseph Hogue, vice-president; Mrs. Ruth A. Randon, secretary; Mrs. Ruth M. Broadus, assistant secretary; Mrs. Earline Powell, treasurer.

The Membership Committee has on a drive seeking new members for the organization.

This organization is raising funds whereby delegates may be sent to the State P. T. A. meeting to be held in Abilene next month.

Each year the P. T. A. selects a project toward which they work for the interest of the children. The Executive Committee will meet this week to decide on the project for this school year.

Norwood Revival Opens Friday

Revival services will begin at the Samnorwood Baptist Church Friday evening, September 11, and continue through Sunday, September 20. The Rev. Lee Furrh of Littlefield will be in charge of preaching.

Tom Cunningham and Theo Parker will direct the singing. Services will be held twice daily, at 10:30 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

The public is invited.

In the patriotic hymn, "America," the word America does not appear.

Taft, an ex-president, swore Herbert Hoover into office as president.

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Marriage Licenses

The marriage licenses issued recently from the office of the County Clerk, David Robinson, are:

Orval Weldon and Miss Barbara Newson of Wheeler County on August 8.

Jerry Berten and Miss Rose Mary Hefley of Wheeler County on August 12.

Carl Ballard and Miss Lula Bell Jolly of Wheeler County on August 12.

Delton C. Morell and Mrs. Jerry Martin of Greer County, Oklahoma.

Ralph Bradley and Mildred Naomi Neeley of Collingsworth County on August 14.

Carrol Newberry and Miss Anita Mott of Denver, Arapahoe County, Colorado.

Luther McAlexander and Mrs. Louise Roberson of Mangum on August 3.

Wenell Hankins and Miss Adeline Hunt of Jackson County, Oklahoma on August 17.

Charles Ramey and Miss Reba Meason of Chaves county, New Mexico on August 22.

Gray Lubbock Student Counselor

C. G. Gray, formerly of Wellington, has been named boys' counselor in the Lubbock schools, it was announced recently.

Gray, a teacher of mathematics at O. L. Slaton Junior High school for the past two years, he was student council sponsor and boys' counselor last year. He has been with the Lubbock schools since 1950.

Gray has both bachelor of science and master of science degrees from Texas Technological College.

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SALT FORK NEWS

By MRS. R. H. ISBELL

Winter arrived with a bang. We almost froze before we could drag our coats and quilts out of moth balls. People were not prepared for such a cold spell. We should have heeded the warning that the weather men have out several hours before the norther reached here. A fire really felt good, but most of us had to sit by the cook stove as the heaters were in storage.

Several from our church attended the revival meeting at Loco Thursday night. People wore their coats, too. A few others that had planned to go that night stayed home by the fire to keep their arthritis and rheumatism warm. Congratulations to the Quail school and Miss Fayteen Peeples who won the beauty contest. There were lots of hurrahs and cheering in homes all over the Quail district when the good news was announced over the radio. There were several other Quail girls who were almost good enough to win. Better luck next time girls. It takes a good sport to lose with a smile.

Mr. and Mrs. Monty Mitchell was in Amarillo on business last Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Morris were recent visitors in Amarillo with their daughter, Mrs. Zora Belle Groves and grandchildren. Bobbie and Sebrin. The children returned home with Grandpa and Grandma Morris and went back to school at Quail.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Maxwell and boys were supper guests in the C. A. Wright home Friday night.

Mrs. C. D. Messer and girls and Mrs. C. A. Wright and Edna Ellen attended the party in the Jimmy Kelso home given for the 4-H girls, Thursday night. They had to play hard to keep warm but a good time was had by all.

Mrs. Henry Wischkaemper is enjoying a visit with her sister who is visiting Mrs. Wischkaemper and Carl.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Bolton and family have returned to Wellington to live. The children liked the Wellington schools best of all, and it begins this week.

The Ray Maxwells visited in the C. A. Wright home recently.

Mrs. G. C. Wright visited Mrs. Bill Clifton last Tuesday.

Mrs. R. M. Isbell spent Tuesday with Mrs. G. C. Isbell and Billy. C. D. Messer is working in Wellington for Holtons.

Mr. G. W. Jones and daughter, Mrs. Tennison, were out at the home place of the Jones family, to gather some peaches last week. The red Indian peaches are good this year. C. A. Wright has the Jones place leased.

R. H. Isbell has about finished the painting job at the Circuit parsonage. He had a badly infected tooth pulled on Thursday which delayed the work. He was dinner guest with the pastor, Bro. Allen and family on Wednesday.

G. C. Isbell has his dad's tractor in his home in Wellington doing some plowing and yard work. Cotton is opening fast now. Lots

of people will begin pulling cotton right away. The shower and cool weather sure freshened things up out this way.

We regretted very much the sudden passing of Mrs. Cameron Beam. Our heartfelt sympathy goes out to her family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sebrin Morris and baby were here last week visiting their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Feemester and Mr. and Mrs. Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Ward and son are visiting at Seagraves, Texas.

We just had eighteen at Sunday school Sunday. To many of our members went visiting.

The C. A. Wrights attended the services at Fresno Sunday.

The John Gollighugh visited in Amarillo Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Bolton and family and Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Isbell and Billy were dinner guests in the Wright and Isbell home Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Pierce of Marella were our visitors at Sunday school Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Baber and girls were visiting relatives in Wellington over the week end.

Burl Brim -

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and artillery fire rendering medical aid to the injured Marines. During the action, he treated an enemy soldier and by saving his life it was possible for the prisoner to be interrogated. Hospital Corpsman Third Class Brim's determined effort and indomitable spirit served as an inspiration to all who observed him and were in keeping with the highest traditions of the United States Naval Service.

Brim, who is 21 was promoted to hospital corpsman second class in June. He is 21 years of age and graduated from Wellington high school in 1949, then attended Bethany Peniel College at Bethany, Oklahoma a year before enlisting in the Navy October 9, 1950.

He completed his recruit training at the U. S. Naval Training Center in San Diego, and then attended the Hospital Corpsman School at the U. S. Naval Hospital in San Diego. He received a certificate of graduation as an honor student, with the second highest grade, 98.7.

He was then assigned to the U. S. Naval Hospital at Bremerton, Washington the first week of March, 1951 and received 18 months additional training, receiving the rating of hospital corpsman third class with an operating room technicians rating.

He was attached to the Marine Corps September 9, 1952 and received his training with the Marines at Camp Pendleton, Calif.

He landed in Korea December 4, 1952, and served with the First Marine Division until he was wounded March 30. His wounds were minor, and a short time later he was assigned to hospital work.

Mrs. N. C. Beam -

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McCrory. She graduated from Vernon high school and on June 13, 1929, she and Mr. Beam were married in that town.

Later they lived for several years at Stamford, and 16 years ago came to Wellington, when Mr. Beam became manager of the West Texas Utilities Company.

Mrs. Beam had been a member of the Methodist Church since early in life.

During much of the time she lived here, she had been active in affairs concerning the local school. She was a former president of the Band Mother's Club, and it was during her tenure in office that one of its major projects, purchase of the curtain for the auditorium stage, was carried out. She also served the Parent-Teacher Association as president.

Likewise active in study club circles, she was a member of the Belles Lettres Club.

Although she gave liberally of her time and work to all these organizations, Mrs. Beam was interested most of all in her home and family. The graciousness that characterized all she did was best reflected here.

Mrs. Beam was interested in another field of activity, civic club work, as she supported her husband during the time he served as a local district and state officer of the Kiwanis Club.

Mrs. Beam is survived by her husband, N. C. Beam of Wellington, and three sons: Louie Beam, who reached home only a few days ago after receiving his release as a sergeant in the Marine Air Corps; A/1c Cameron Beam Jr., serving with the Navy Air Corps in Bermuda; and Tommy Beam of Wellington.

Other survivors are four brothers and two sisters, Dr. J. W. McCrory Jr. of Commerce, Innes M. McCrory and Tommy McCrory of Vernon, John Lee McCrory of Dallas, Mrs. O. T. Warlick and Mrs. Iver Carney of Albuquerque, N. M.

Firemen -

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man Claude Terry, J. L. Warrick, J. H. Williams, Alton Wilkins, Bobby Jack Watson and Russell Yates.

Towns represented at the convention were Memphis, Estelline, Clarendon, Amarillo, Shamrock, Memphis, Canadian, Dumas, Childress, Hereford, Floydada, Quanah, Dimmitt, Pampa, Levelland, Paducah, Dalhart, Perryton, Ralls, McLean and White Deer.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. Emory Hunter were in Altus Sunday to be with Mrs. Thompson's mother, Mrs. Betty Godbey, who is critically ill.

PERSONAL

Jack Boverie, J. N. Glasgow, Richard McClaskey and Wallace Shiflett are fishing this week at Platoro, Colorado.

Miss Virginia Nell White left last week for Amarillo, where she will teach in the public school system. Miss White received her degree from Texas State College for Women this spring.

Miss Peggy Riggs left last week for Dallas, where she will teach in the Dallas school system during the coming year. Her father, Howard Riggs, accompanied her there and also visited in the home of his other daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Holman and children.

George Farris and son, George Jr., are in Oklahoma City to visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Farris.

Martha Linn Taylor returned to her home in Austin after spending part of the summer here with her grandparents. Mr. and Mrs. John Forbis.

Mrs. Ina Jeffers and daughter, Peggy, were recent visitors in the home of their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Anderson and children of Big Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Ball of Mineral Wells visited over the week end with Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ball and Lee and Lena, and friends.

Recent visitors in the Floyd Hood home have been Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Hood and children of Oklahoma City. While here they visited with Mrs. Hood's mother, Mrs. J. J. Conner.

Mrs. Mildred Starr and daughter, Mary John of Amarillo visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Scruggs.

Mrs. Lefty Thomas and daughter, Ada Carole, were visitors in Amarillo on Saturday. They were accompanied by Mrs. C. G. Willis-ton.

Mrs. Joe Thompson was called Monday to the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Betty Godby of Altus. Mrs. Godby has suffered a stroke.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Cochran are in Fort Worth to attend the wedding of her brother, Warren F. Neal.

Dr. Charley Jones of Dallas was a Wellington visitor last week end to see his son, Frank.

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Mr. and Mrs. James Sullivan left Saturday for Royalston, Massachusetts, to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Chase. While there they will attend the wedding of her brother.

Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Horton returned to their home in Coleman Saturday after a ten day visit with their sons and daughters and families. Mrs. E. H. Harwell and John Alvin Horton accompanied them to their home.

Freddie Alexander was a medical patient in St. Joseph's Hospital for a few days last week.

Mrs. J. L. Pendergraft and baby from Dimmitt were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Haskell Baggett, of Quail.

SAMNORWOOD

By MRS. NATHAN THOMPSON

Everyone is cordially invited to attend the revival starting Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the Baptist Church at Samnorwood.

J. L. Alexander and Murle Whitfield and their combine crew returned home Wednesday afternoon.

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Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Ezzell and two small daughters from Amarillo visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Ezzell this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Clement from Lubbock visited over the week end with her sister and family, Mrs. Guy Lindley.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Smith and Ray from Amarillo and Mrs. E. Smith from Wellington visited their sister and daughter, Mrs. Nathan Thompson and family Sunday. George Cunningham also visited the Thompsons Sunday.

Wayne Johnson returned home Sunday and started riding the bus to Clarendon college Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Young and

Debbie from Amarillo visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Bradley and Mr. and Mrs. Robert Young from Saturday until Monday of this week.

Miss Bonnie Kidwell and Miss Goldie Lee Tippie returned to Wichita Falls Sunday after spending some ten days with their parents, the Ottis Kidwells and Purl Tippiess between semesters.

Joe Thompson moved to Clarendon Sunday to attend Clarendon

Jr. College.

Mrs. R. E. Petrick and Mrs. Oregon Addington from Amarillo visited their brother and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Barney Walker over the Labor Day week end. Mrs. Petrick is Mrs. Walker's sister and Mrs. Addington is Barney's sister.

Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Bockman returned home after spending the summer with the W. W. Breedings. They are repairing their home in Samnorwood.

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