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Home Paper  
"Bringing News  
People You Know"

Off Date Set  
Monday Noon  
Street Paving

to get the gravelled  
of Memphis paved, ends  
Monday, according to an  
ment made this week by  
L. Helm.  
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this morning (Thursday)  
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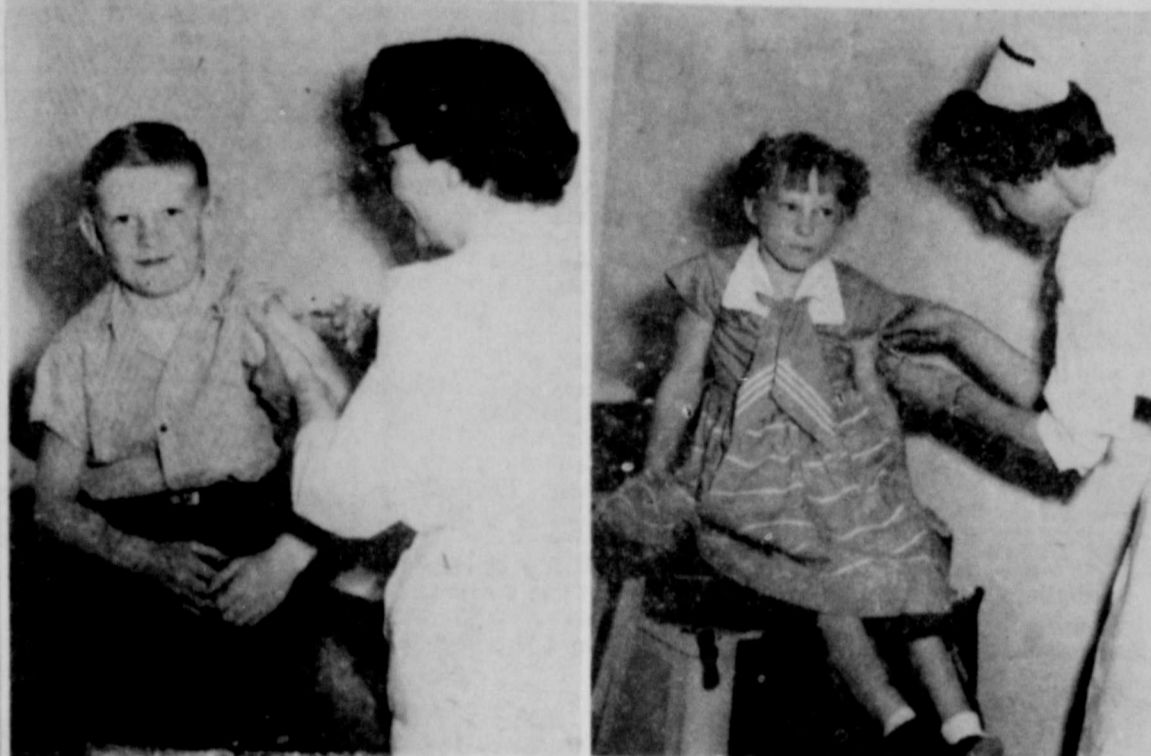
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## Harham Wins 2nd; Reach Net Finals

Harham placed second in  
regional Intercollegiate  
tennis contest and three  
tennis players reached  
the regional meet  
Friday and Sat-  
day.  
A sophomore scored  
points by typing 51 words  
for 12 minutes with  
mistakes. He was beaten  
from Monahan, who  
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state 12 times.  
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The senior doubles team  
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are losing to Crane 6-1,  
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day.

the girls beat teams  
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4-1 and 8-6.  
Donnan lost in the boys'  
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5-3, 8-4 and 6-3. The  
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the finals.  
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Junior High of  
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ed, 10-8, 6-0.  
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defeated by Phillips 6-3,  
4-4. In the first round  
Big Spring girl 6-1 and  
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team, Don Davis and

H. N. Davis  
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N. Davis, 85, mother  
Judge Tracy Davis  
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been in the hospital  
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arrival of two other  
ives in Lubbock and  
in California.



THIS DOESN'T HURT AS BAD AS POLIO—and these two children should know, they both had the disease before starting school. Jimmy Lavender (left) was the first Memphis child to be vaccinated. He is being vaccinated by his grandmother, Mrs. Mabel Lavender. The second child, Sandra Jones is receiving her inoculation from Mrs. Jo Solomon.

## First Inoculations Completed For 352 Hall County Children

The first inoculations of Salk polio vaccine have been given to 352 first and second grade children here in Hall County.  
The second round will be given approximately two weeks after the first inoculation, or as soon after that date as the vaccine is available, Miss Mary Foreman, county school superintendent said.  
The county received only enough vaccine for the first inoculations and must wait until the second shipment from Austin is

received, before giving the second injections.  
According to Miss Foreman and the county health officer, Dr. J. A. Odom, the third inoculation will be given to each child approx-  
imately seven months after they receive the second.  
This is being done so that the vaccine will be available to more children during the polio season.  
According to the National Foundation of Infantile Paralysis, the two shots will immunize the child to polio and the third shot at the later date acts as a booster.  
The 63 first and second graders at Turkey were the first children in the county to be vaccinated. Dr. Davis of Turkey gave them the injections last Wednesday.  
Memphis children, 192 strong, received their's Thursday morning and all 50 first and second grade children from Estelline were vaccinated Thursday afternoon.  
Lakeview had 47 children inoculated Friday morning.  
Three children from the county who have had polio in the past, received the inoculations along with their classmates.  
Two of these children were (Continued on Page 12)

## Child Loses Part Of Finger In Siren

"Rusty" Culp, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clinton Culp of Memphis and a third grade student, lost the tip end of his left forefinger in a minor accident Thursday morning.  
The children in his room at school were visiting the local fire house and the child stuck his finger in the siren on one of the trucks, and it clipped off the end and about half the nail.

## Hedley Entry Wins Lions Queen Title

Miss Janice Christal of Lelia Lake and candidate of the Hedley Lions Club was selected Queen of the Lions Club District 2T-1 at the district convention in Lubbock this week.  
This was the first of two honors won by the Hedley club. They also, received a plaque for having the best attendance record of any club in the district for the past year.  
Four delegates from the Memphis club attended all or part of the three day convention. Those attending were club president, J. W. Coppedge, Bill Leslie, Gene Lindsey, and Herschel Combs.  
The convention opened Sunday when more than 1,000 Lions and their Ladies registered, and was concluded Tuesday at noon.  
The 52 candidates for the queen's contest were judged Sunday afternoon and interviewed on television. Miss Christal was crowned Monday night at the Districts Governor's Banquet and Ball.  
Miss Lois Ann Cofer, the Mem-

## Honor Students Announced For '55 At Estelline HS

Barbara Smith has been named valedictorian of the 1955 graduating class of the Estelline High School, school principal J. A. Ballard announced this week.  
She compiled a four year grade average of 97.44.  
Salutatorian for the class is Billy Mack Burnett, with a four year average of 96.18.  
The third and fourth place students were Eddie Braidfoot with an average of 94.31, and Doris Thomas with an average of 93.94.  
Miss Smith is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Smith. She has won the district declamation contest for five years, was editor of the school annual, editor of the school paper, and a member of the girl's sextette this year.  
She has participated in all dramatic activities during her high school career, and is a four year letter winner in basketball and volleyball.  
And just to take up any spare time, she was cheer leader and football queen this year. Also, she has been school pianist for four years and was a district winner in the typing contest.  
Billy Mack Burnett is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Burnett (Continued On Page 12)

## Top Bull Sold By Caprock Angus Farm

For the third straight year the Caprock Angus Farm of Memphis, owned by Clifford Farmer, sold the best bull at the West Texas Angus Association sale in Lubbock last week.  
The animal, CR Prince Eric 20th was bought by Hinds and Company of Clovis, N. M., for \$610.  
The Caprock Farm was the only consignee from the Lower Panhandle Association at the sale.  
Last year the Caprock bull tied with a bull owned by Jerrel Rapp of Estelline. Both animals sold for \$500.  
The first year of the sale, 1953 Caprock's bull sold for \$1,000.

## YEAR'S WORST SANDSTORM HITS HALL COUNTY HARD SATURDAY

The worst sandstorm of the year hit Memphis and set people talking about the "dust bowl" days of 1935 and 36. Some of the new-comers to the area compared it with the bad storm that buried the county last May.  
The wind and sand blew all day Saturday and then about two o'clock the wind slackened and the sand began settling. It reached its peak around four o'clock when the street lights were turned on and cars were using their headlights. At times the visibility was down to one to one and one-half blocks.  
Some people who were traveling through the area, reported to a local druggist that on the highways it was impossible to see more than two car lengths at times.  
County Agent W. B. Hooser was out in the country Saturday morning while the wind was blowing its hardest and he reported that some of the chiseled land was blowing away down to the depth it was plowed.  
Hooser said the chiseling was a

practice that ordinarily would keep the land from blowing, but now the soil is so dry that even this is failing.  
There has been some sand in the air every day this week and a small duster blew up last night.  
Five days during the past seven days the temperature climbed in to the 90's and sent people scurrying about getting air conditioners running.  
The high and low temperature for the past week as recorded by J. J. McMicken, local weather recorder, are: Friday, 96-53; Saturday, 99-56; Sunday, 77-58; Monday, 86-55; Tuesday, 97-58; Wednesday, 98-58; Thursday, 93-56.

## Lakeview Captures Girls Tennis Title

Sonya Verden and Sherry Denton of Lakeview High School won the Class B regional Intercollegiate League girls tennis doubles championship in Lubbock last Saturday.  
The two girls will compete in the state finals in Austin May 5, 6 and 7. They will attend the tennis clinic and draw for opponents on the fifth, play will begin the sixth.  
Rita Durrett, a freshman, from Lakeview advanced to the finals in the class B singles before losing to a girl from Booker. The Booker contestant was making her third appearance in the regional tournament.  
The Lakeview doubles team drew a bye in the first round, then beat Pollett in the semi-finals, 6-0, 6-2.  
In the finals they defeated Seagraves 6-2, 6-2 to win the title.  
Miss Verden is a senior this year, but Miss Denton is a junior and has one more year to play.

## Salmon Selected For Boys' State

Nolan Salmon, a high school junior, has been selected to represent Lakeview at Boys' State the first of June in Austin, Lakeview Lions Club President Loran Denton announced.  
Boys' State is a program open only to high school juniors and each year boys from all over the state go to Austin to take part in the week-long program.  
While there they elect boys to every office in the state's government and the officials and legislators carry out the duties of their offices.  
Salmon is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roland Salmon and lives near Brice.  
He will be sponsored at Boys' State by the Lakeview Lions Club and the Memphis Veterans of Foreign Wars, Denton said.

## 200 People Attend Fellowship Rally At Local Church

An estimated 200 out-of-town guests and local people attended the West Texas Fellowship rally held in the Memphis First Christian Church here Sunday afternoon and night.  
Christian Churches from Tulia, Clarendon, Hedley, Canadian, Wellington, Shamrock, Crowell and two churches from Amarillo were represented at the meeting.  
The first service was held at four o'clock Sunday afternoon. After this service the people ate supper at the church. Each person attending, brought a picnic lunch. Pies for dessert and cold soft drinks were provided by the local church.  
Min. Jimmy Mitchell, pastor of the Canadian Church, preached the afternoon service, and Min. William R. Tucker pastor of the Crowell Church, delivered the evening message.  
Min. Dan Hartscock, pastor of the Tulia Christian Church delivered the afternoon devotional and Min. Delmer Freeman, pastor of the Wellington Christian Church, gave the devotional for the evening service.  
Special music for the services was provided by Min. Jack Cox, pastor of the Washington Ave., Christian Church of Amarillo, and Min. Dan Hartscock.  
Min. Cox and Min. Peterson, pastors of the Park View Christian Church of Amarillo, presided over the two services.  
Min. Tom o'Peay, pastor of the host church said the next rally will be held in Park View Church in Amarillo September 25. The rallies will not be held during the summer months.

## "Region Is In Nation's Spotlight" John C. White Tells FFA Audience

"This region is in the spotlight of the nation," John C. White, Texas Commissioner of Agriculture, told his audience at the Father-Son Future Farmers of America banquet in Estelline Tuesday night.  
White, who is making a tour of the Panhandle drought region this week, spoke to approximately 90 fathers, FFA boys and special guests attending this annual affair.  
Not only farmers, but merchants, professional people and big business is watching this region, White said.  
The newspapers and magazine stories are making the entire nation aware of this drought, White said, and the nation is interested in the section's plight.  
White has been keeping a tight schedule since arriving in the Panhandle and has been meeting with farmers and businessmen throughout the area.  
"When I left Austin to come up here, I was worried about what I would find," the commissioner said, "but I shall leave feeling much better because of my talks with the people of this area."  
He summed up his findings from talking with the people who

are fighting the drought and its adversities in this manner.  
"Not one farmer has said to me, 'White, we want a dole, or we are going to quit.' They are only asking for aid. They say to me, 'loan us some money, we'll pay it back.'"  
"This is the spirit of Texas," White added, "It is a tribute to the people of West Texas, and I am proud to be a West Texan."  
White said that he hoped that Secretary of Agriculture Benson, who is touring the drought areas of Texas, Colorado, Oklahoma, New Mexico, and Kansas, would get out and talk to some of the

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## \$1.69 Support Set For Grain Sorghum

The support price for grain sorghums grown in Hall County this year will be \$1.69 per hundred weight, according to R. A. Eddleman, chairman of Hall County Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee.  
Loans and purchase agreements are assured to the farmer and will be available from the time the sorghum is harvested until February 1, 1956.  
This year's price is 52 cents below the price of 32.21 that the local growers received last year.  
To be eligible for support the grain sorghum must grade no. 2 or better and must be stored in commercial storage or in an approved storage structure on the farm.  
Farmers who wish to take advantage of this price should contact the Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee.

## THREE MEMPHIS WOMEN LEAVING TO BE WITH HUSBANDS OVERSEAS

Three wives of Memphis servicemen are joining their husbands at overseas bases in Europe, Japan and Alaska.  
Mrs. Roddy Lynn Smith, wife of Pvt. Carl Jack Smith, U. S. Army, left Amarillo Monday night by plane for Tokyo, Japan, where her husband will meet her.  
They will live on Eta Jima, a small island in the Inland Sea of Japan near the southern end of Honshu. This is the main island in the Japanese homeland.  
Mrs. Smith and her nine month old daughter will fly from Seattle, Washington, via Alaska and to Tokyo.  
Pvt. Smith was called into service in July and took his basic training at Ft. Bliss, El Paso. He is an engineering graduate of Texas Tech and is now an Army instructor at Eta Jima base. He was ordered to Japan in December of last year.  
Pvt. Smith is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Smith, his wife is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Patton, all of Memphis.  
Mrs. Roberta Jo Payne left April 21, by plane to join her husband PFC Donald D. Payne, U. S. Army, in Frankfurt, Germany.  
He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Payne, and a 1951 graduate of Memphis High School and attended West Texas State for one semester before going into business with his father here in Memphis.  
Mrs. Payne is the daughter of

## D. Kinard Elected Director In Bank

In the last meeting of the board of directors of the First National Bank of Memphis, Dwight L. Kinard was elected to a place on the board.  
He was elected to fill the vacancy created by the death of his father, D. L. C. Kinard, who died March 9, 1955. Mr. Kinard went to work in the bank March 2, 1907, and became a director January 9, 1917. He was a director from that date until his death.  
The newly elected board member is a 1942 graduate of Memphis High School and a 1947 grad-  
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### Report From Washington

By Walter Rogers

Congressman, 18th District

**AIRCRAFT CARRIERS**  
The House passed H. R. 4393 by 372 yeas to 3 nays, 7 answering present and 51 not voting. This bill was referred to as the Fiscal Year 1956 Navy Ship-building and Conversion Program. Actually, it will take four years to complete the program therein proposed. It involves the construction of 34 new ships, 24 being combatant types. It authorizes 14,000 tons of landing craft and provides for conversion and modernization of 28 other vessels. The cost of the new ships and landing craft is one billion 150 million dollars. The remaining cost is 202 million for modernizing the 28 old vessels, and there is around 33 and one-half million. This was all in the President's budget and is now being considered by the Appropriations Committees. The bill before the House yesterday was an authorizing bill.

In the debate it was pointed out that our Navy today has 1100 ships in commission, 1300 ships in mothballs, 16,000 airplanes and

665,000 men. 407 of the 1100 ships are battleships, aircraft carriers, cruisers, destroyers and submarines. 26 are aircraft carriers. 195 vessels are now under construction and 13 more have been authorized but construction has not started. Four of the 105 vessels are FORRESTAL class carriers, 11 are destroyers and 11 are escort vessels. Nine submarines are included, four being nuclear powered. These vessels are being constructed at 80-odd shipyards, and the overall cost will be about 2 billion 300 million dollars.

This gives you some picture of the present strength of the Navy of this country and the increase that will be provided by the new authorization. One of the big controversies concerns whether or not aircraft carriers are obsolete. The answer to this will probably come if and when we have another war. As the matter presently stands, we would be taking a serious chance not to provide a sea-going airport for fighter planes to protect our long range bomb-



TEXAS' Marlene Comer of Moody is shown in front of historic Burton's Parish Church in Williamsburg, Va. She is the Texas representative in the search for the American Home-maker of Tomorrow. The 48 state winners toured Washington, D. C., Williamsburg and Philadelphia as guests of General Mills and received a \$1,500 educational scholarship.

### Parnell Club Meets April 20

The Parnell Club met April 20 with 22 members present. Hostesses for the afternoon were Roxie Orcutt and Jo Anna Potts.

The meeting was opened with a prayer by Lucille Cope. Bertha Morehead gave the devotional. Roll call was answered with a Bible Verse.

Members are to bring a guest to the next club meeting. Plans are being made for a Mother's Day party. The afternoon was spent quilting.

Those present were: Mae Weatherly, Lottie Buchanan, Bessie Latham, Mary Lou Latham, Layway Boney, Frances Wheeler, Cordye Hood, Nita Weatherly, Lucille Cope, Fern Mullin, Opal Winn, Rita Hedrick, Nell Burk, Lena Freeze, Dot Darnon, Colleen and Leona Burk, Bertha Morehead, Jo Anna Potts, Marie Johnson, Roxie Orcutt, Neida Ferrel and one visitor, Mrs. Sybil Griggs of Oklahoma.

Little guests were: Wanda Griggs, Vickie Burk, Jackie Darnon, Kathy Burk, Nimra Wheeler, and Pamela Latham.

The group was dismissed in prayer by Frances Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jacobs, Mrs. J. T. Aday and Mrs. Forest Crowell of Fort Worth spent the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Roy Curran.

Mrs. Claude Hickey and Mrs. Lucille Wright attended the regional meet in Lubbock over the weekend and visited with Mr. and Mrs. Don Wright.

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### Questions & Answers For Veterans

Q—I obtained a loan on my permanent GI insurance policy. Can I apply my regular dividend toward repayment of the loan?

A—Yes. Well in advance of the date your dividend is due, you should ask VA to take necessary action to apply it toward repayment of your loan.

Q—I am considered totally disabled for insurance purposes, and yet I have been given only a 30 percent disability rating for compensation. Why the difference?

A—For insurance purposes, you may have other non-service-connected disabilities which, when combined with your 30 percent rated service-connected disability produces total disability. Moreover, the criteria for determining total disability are not identical to insurance and compensation purposes.

Q—Must a veteran's blindness be service-connected, in order for

him to receive some of the aids for the blind, from the VA?

A—Not necessarily. A blinded veteran must be compensated for a connected disability, in order to qualify for the special aids for the blind. Blindness is not a service-connected disability.

Q—I entered military service in 1955, the date of the expiration of my wartime benefits. I need at least 90 days of duty to qualify for a GI discharge. Must all 90 days be before January 31, 1956?

A—No. Some part of the period—but not all of it—must be before January 31, 1956. Furthermore, the 90-day period may be extended if you were waived for disability during your period of duty.

Mr. and Mrs. James and Holt of Hereford spent the weekend with their parents, Hester Boudens and Marvin Long.

### HIGH EGG PRICES EXPECTED BY FA

say most economists

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ers. Frankly, I do not feel that all of the information that is contained in this letter should be made public, but it is well known in every corner of the globe and is set out in detail in the Congressional Record and in the hearings before the Armed Services Committee.

**The Afro-Asian Conference**  
You have been reading lately about the Afro-Asian Conference in Bandung, where the Chinese communists seem to be taking a terrific beating at the hands of free nations. Not much has been said about it, but this country is indebted to Congressman Adam Clayton Powell, of New York, who is attending the conference as a United States observer. Congressman Powell did a masterful job of putting the communists, both

Chinese and Russian, on the defensive, from which they have not recovered. He is entitled to much acclaim and credit for his contribution against communism at this conference.

**Farmers Versus Foreign Aid**  
It was recently announced that the administration would ask for three and one-half billion dollars for new foreign aid money. This announcement came shortly after a small group of farmers from the Southwest had been in Washington trying to obtain slight relief from the drastic price support cuts engineered by the Department of Agriculture. Many people, including this writer, find it impossible to understand policies which are depressing farm prices going along side by side with practices increasing grants to foreign countries. One fellow suggested that what we need to do is to put Benson and his policies in charge of the foreign aid program and let Stassen and the foreign aid appropriations be used in the Department of Agriculture. He might have something.

**The Gas Hearings**  
A witness at the gas hearings who represented quite a utility empire referred to his empire and another giant fuel corporation as guinea pigs. One committee member remarked that they look like guinea pigs to the witness, but they resemble full-grown hogs to him.

**The Younger Generation**  
One of the younger Rogers brought a friend in the other evening as an overnight guest. When he asked permission for his guest to stay, I told him that some of the other children had brought in friends and I doubted if there were any beds left. He and his friend assured me they would arrange for sleeping facilities. The next morning I found out that they had taken the cushions off the divan downstairs, wrapped them up in sheets, and made a bed on the floor. The strange thing to me was that the guest was sleeping on the floor. When I was that age, the guest got the bed and I had to sleep on the floor. I guess we are living in a changing world.

Pfc. Gerald W. Payne son of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Payne of Lakeview is home spending a 30 day furlough with his parents. Payne is serving with the Armed Forces in the Panama Canal Zone.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Payne visited Sunday with W. J. Payne, who has been ill the past week.

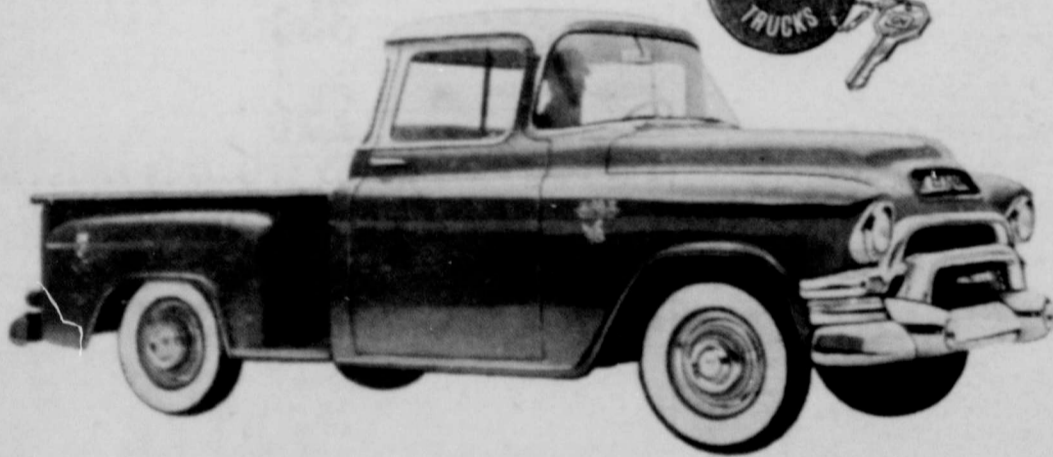
Jimmy Ray Gowdy received his discharge recently after serving in Japan for more than a year. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Gowdy of Lakeview.

Among those attending the wedding of Miss Jan Allen and Dan E. Whelan, Jr., in Amarillo Saturday were: Mrs. and Mrs. Mac Tarver, Mrs. R. S. Greene, Mrs. Pauline Knight, Mrs. Myrtle Wood, Mrs. T. M. Isham, Mrs. Joe DeBerry, Mrs. Clyde Milam, Mrs. J. W. Stokes, Mrs. Jim McMurry, Mrs. Seth Palmeyer, Mrs. L. W. Stanford, Mrs. T. W. Harrison, and Mrs. R. C. Lemons and daughters, Betty and Bobbie.

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### Texans Purchase Almost 56 Million In Savings Bonds

DALLAS—Texans bought nearly \$56 million worth of United States Savings Bonds during the first quarter of 1955, Nathan Adams and Ed Gossett, State Savings Bond Co-Chairman, reported today.

March sales of Series E and H bonds combined were \$15,129,724—17 per cent above the same month of last year, he said. The three month total of \$55,837,769 was 24 per cent greater than the first quarter of 1954.

"With a fourth of the year gone," the co-chairman's report stated, "we have attained 27.7 per cent of our annual goal of \$201.9 million. Sales are traditionally higher in the first quarter, however which means that we must step up our efforts in Texas in order to do our part in meeting the national goal of \$5.5 billion in '55."

Leading area in bond sales for the first quarter was District 3, in the Panhandle, comprising Bailey, Briscoe, Castro, Floyd, Hale, Lamb, Parmer and Swisher counties. Sales of a little over a million dollars represented 43 per cent of this district's annual goal. J. M. Wilson of Floydada is volunteer district chairman.

On a basis of dollar sales, Harris County (Houston) leads the state, as might be expected, with E and H sales of \$7,856,657 for the first three months. This is 28.5 per cent of the annual goal. Dallas County ranked second with sales of \$5,411,366—23 per cent of the 1955 goal.

Mr. Adams and Mr. Gossett called on the more than 1200 bond volunteers throughout the state to redouble their efforts, especially in those areas that are below the state average.

### Forrest Leakes Visit Here; Friends Invited To Call

Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Leake of Long Beach, Calif., are visiting here with Mrs. Mildred Stephens and Mrs. A. B. Jones. Mrs. Leake nee Miss Blanche Temple, was reared in Memphis and a former teacher in the local school.

Friends of Mrs. Leake are invited to call at the Jones home on Sunday afternoon, May 1, from 4 to 6:30 o'clock.

### LAFF OF THE WEEK



"That's ONE Place Where You Get More for Your Money Than You Used To."

### Five Couples Get Marriage Licenses During Past Month

According to the records of Mrs. Ruby Goodnight, Hall County Clerk, the following marriage licenses were issued during April, prior to the 26th.

Hi Wesley Malena and Joann Bryan, April 2; Billy Wayne Hayes and Edrena Louise Williams, April 9; Billy Eugene Scott and Betty Sue Paschall, April 15; Arthur Bruce Campbell and Rose Lorene Lamb, April 16; Daniel Edmond Whelan, Jr., and Janet Ann Allen, April 20.

One out of every 102 persons in the United States is an active volunteer for the American Red Cross.

Last year the American Red Cross transmitted 1,583,000 emergency and welfare messages through its telecommunications system.

### Highest Yielding Cotton Varieties In Iowa Park Test

COLLEGE STATION — Paymaster 54, Hi-bred, Lockett Stormproof No. 1 and Deltapine TPSA have made the highest yields in five-year regional cotton variety tests at Iowa Park in the Wichita Valley.

During 1954, only Paymaster 54 among these varieties ranked in the top-yielding group. Sixteen varieties were grown last year at the Iowa Park substation of the Texas Agricultural Experiment Station.

Average annual production of the top-yielders from 1949 through 1954 included Paymaster 54 545 pounds of lint cotton to the acre, Hi-bred 493, Lockett Stormproof No. 1 475 and Deltapine TPSA 465 pounds per acre. Complete results on these studies are given in Progress Report 1765, which is available from Agricultural Information Office, College Station, Texas.

### Cataracts Thought Common Affliction For Older People

AUSTIN — Though cataracts are considered a rather common affliction of older people, there is no longer any reason to fear them, declared Dr. Henry A. Holle, State Health Officer. Many think that once cataracts appear they are doomed to either blindness or an ordeal of surgery which may destroy what sight is left. Such notions have no basis in fact.

An advancing cataract brings on a dimming of the vision, and in some cases the individual sees spots before his eyes or sees double. If a cataract is left to develop long enough, it will appear as a faint grayness in the pupil of the eye. With complete development, the grayness will turn dead white. Cataract is not a disease but a clouding of the lens of the eye.

Cataract can be well underway before the patient notices any visual defect. In such cases, only

a physician or eye surgeon can discover the condition in time to arrest the process. When the fogging moves to the center of the pupil, the individual becomes conscious of a reduction in vision. The cataract is now well on its way. Its growth may be hastened by ill health, focal infections, overwork and neglect of one's health. Another contributing factor is defective vision resulting from astigmatism, and neglecting to use properly fitted glasses to correct such defects. Eyestrain, conscious or unconscious, can play

a major role in cataract formation.

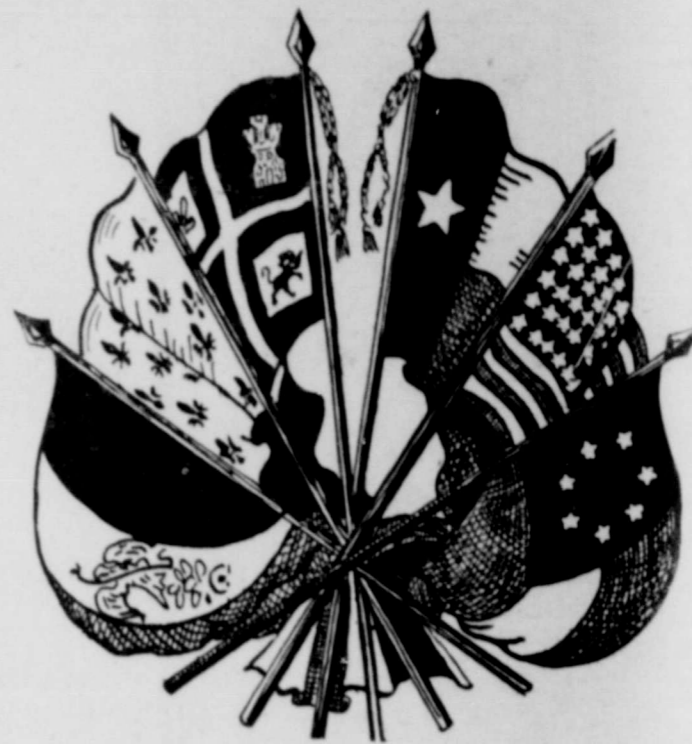
Cataracts resulting from aging cannot as yet be prevented. The important thing to know about cataract is that doctors can keep it from being incapacitating. Cataracts can be removed when they first appear. They need not interfere with a person's work, or embarrass him in any way—they can often be cured. Cataracts should be treated early, before important skills are lost or unnecessary years are spent in frustration. Without fear of blindness, disfigurement or unbearable dis-

comfort, a person can be in the hands of a good surgeon, when cataract is the cause of trouble.

Last year an average of 100 persons a day donated blood to the American Red Cross for defense and civilian use.

By the congressional act of 1905, all Red Cross funds are audited by the Department of the United States Government.

### The First State Bank Presents Interesting Facts About Texas



SIX FLAGS OF TEXAS—Above are the six flags which have flown over Texas. The first, that of Spain, was flown in 1520. In 1685 La Salle planted the French flag, and in 1821 the Mexican flag appeared. In 1836 Gen. Sam Houston defeated Santa Anna, and Texas won her independence. She became the 28th state to join the Union in 1845. Last flag was that of the Southern Confederacy.

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## FOWLERS Your Rexall Store

FRIDAY, APRIL 28, 1955

### Ballew Reopens Studebaker House This Week

Ballew has been named Studebaker sales and service manager for Memphis and is showing 1955 models in his showroom on Main street this week.

He is featuring the new Regal Commander with its 162 horsepower engine in his showroom display.

Priced with the low-down cars in the low-price field, Ballew added, "That's why the Regal Commander is the new champion in the car business."

Garage at the corner of Main and Noel will be the parts house for the new Studebaker.

Ballew is returning to the Studebaker business after a 14 year absence. "I first started selling cars in either 1920 or 1921," he said.

He said that the new Studebaker features three different models this year. The new V-8 line has the 185 hp engine. The V-8 is powered by the "Beard" engine. The new Commander engine has an increase in horsepower, but still tops the best economy record of all its kind in the low price field.

Ballew emceed and emceed the new showroom to provide for the cars.

He expects everyone to drop in to see these new and exciting cars, he said.



**DREAM QUEEN** . . . Swedish beauty Anita Ekberg rules as Queen of Dream Ball given by New York city art students.

### Secretaries Needed By Civil Service

The U. S. Civil Service Commission has announced that there is a continuing and urgent need for stenographers for filling positions paying from \$2,750 to \$3,175 a year, in various Federal agencies in the Washington, D. C. area. There is also a steady demand for typists for positions paying \$2,750 and \$2,950 a year.

Written tests for these positions are being held at periodic intervals throughout the country and persons with stenographic or typing skills who are available for employment in Washington, D. C., are urged to apply. No experience is required; applicants must have reached their 18th birthday.

Although applications will be accepted until further notice, those who wish to receive early consideration should file application immediately with the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington 25 D. C.

Further information and application forms may be obtained from Mr. H. C. Pounds located at the post office in Memphis or from the U. S. Civil Service Commission, Washington 25, D. C.

Charleston is the capital of Michigan.

### LOCALS

Hubert Dennis attended the Texas Pool and Beach Association meet in Tyler Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Gene Lindsey and daughters spent the weekend in Dallas in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Gilmore.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Johnson were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Keith Weddel Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Butler, Mr. and Mrs. Ernie Anthony and Mr. and Mrs. Garland Moore spent Sunday at Lake McClellan.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holcomb and Buck of Wheeler visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Burnett.

Mrs. Claude Betts returned Sunday after visiting the past few weeks with her son and family, Mrs. and Mrs. Dick Betts in Dallas.

Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Gunstream and family visited over the weekend in Littlefield with Mr. and Mrs. Harmon Elliott.

Rev. and Mrs. Frank King visited in Fort Worth with their son and family the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Shanklin visited in Lockney Sunday with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lee.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pritchett visited relatives in Wichita Falls Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hall were in Muleshoe Wednesday on business.

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### Cemetery Working At Lakeview May 5

The semi-annual joint meeting of the Lakeview Odd Fellows Lodge and Union Hill cemetery association will be held in Lakeview Thursday, May 5.

This will be an all day meeting and cemetery working. All members are invited to bring their lunch and stay all day, an official of the association said.

Mrs. J. E. Morrow of Hollis, Okla., spent last week in the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Lindsey.

Guthrie Bennett of Las Vegas, N. M. spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. H. B. Bennett.

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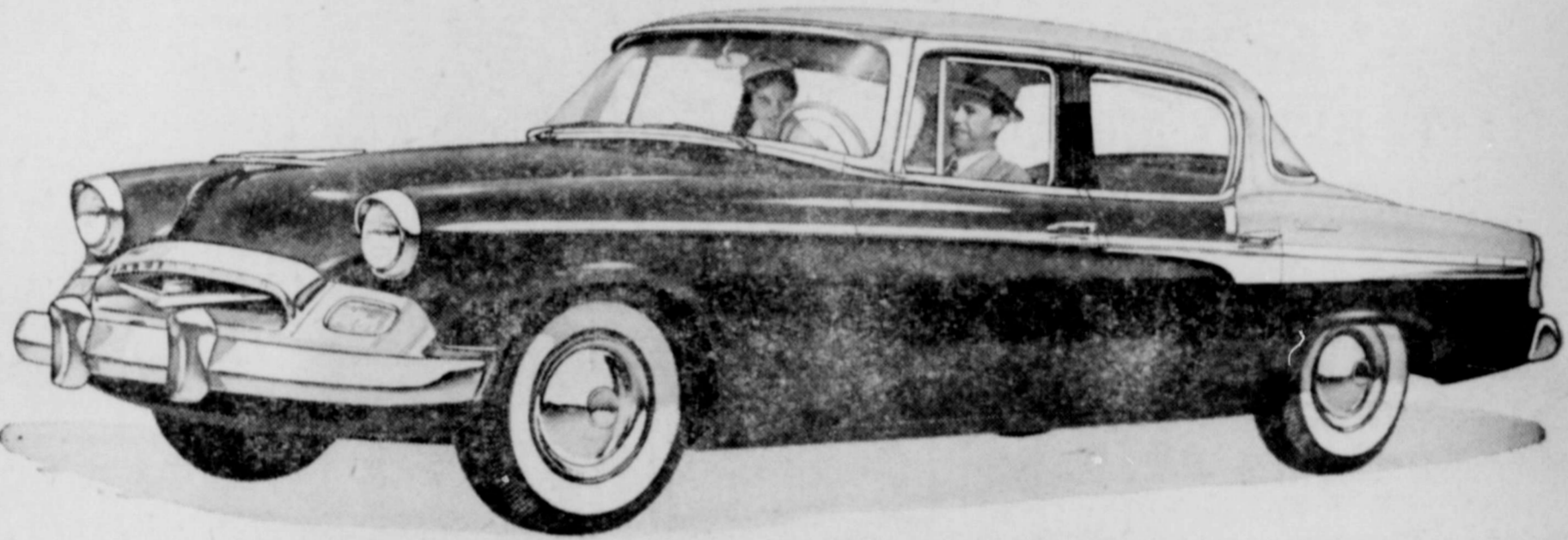
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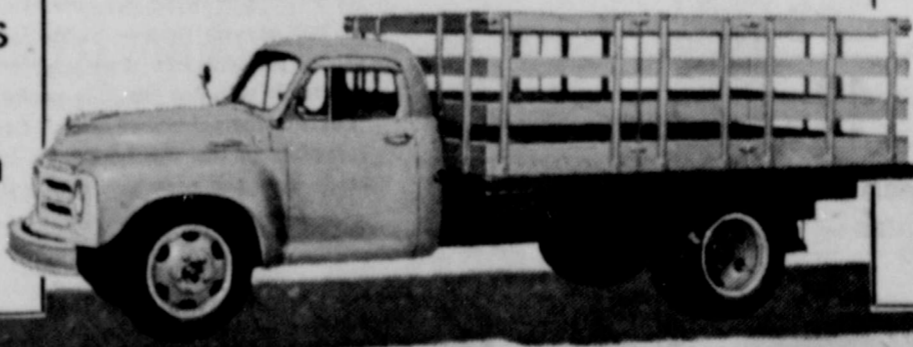
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# Guar Introduced As New Legume

During the last few years a different summer legume, guar, has been introduced to farmers and ranchers in the soil conservation districts around in this area.

Information can be obtained from districts or technicians of the Soil Conservation Service, who are assisting the farmers and ranchers cooperating with the districts.

Plans are being made by several districts to permit trial plantings during the approaching crop year. The Lipcomb Soil Conservation District has obtained 1000 pounds of seed, produced in the Salt Fork Soil Conservation District, for use by district cooperators.

The plant is called guar and, although, it seems to do best on sandy loams and lighter soils it is adapted to a wide range of soils, including the heavier clays, with good management.

It is believed that the crop may prove to be beneficial to the entire Northeastern portion of the Texas Panhandle. The plant is extremely droughty and grows well under dry land conditions.

Little is known at the present of the possibilities for the crop under irrigation and trial plantings under irrigation may be desirable.

Other advantages are: adds nitrogen to the soil, helps loosen up packed soils, may be used as a green manure crop and provides supplemental income as a cash crop.

In addition, more water should be stored in the soil, and, due to the added water and fertility, other crops following guar should show an increase in yield.

These are two possible objections to the use of the crop in this area. First, the plant does not offer protective cover for the ground during the "blow season." Upon maturity, after frost, fol-

age sheds and cover can be expected only in the amount comparable to that of a cotton crop. The second objection is that a local market has not been established. A market may be established if sufficient acreage is planted.

All seeds should be inoculated with Culture "E" (Nitragin Inoculant) or with special Guar Inoculant. The directions for use of the inoculant, usually on the container, must be followed.

Seeds should be planted one and one-half inches to three inches deep, in rows spaced thirty-six, thirty-eight or forty inches. The seed bed should be firm and well prepared. Seeding should be at the rate of five to seven pounds per acre and may be done with an ordinary planter using maize plates. One hundred fifty to two hundred pounds of 0-20-0 fertilizer should be applied per acre.

Planting can be made during the period May 1—July 31 for the Northern Panhandle area, although earlier plantings may be desired in the Memphis, Wellington, Childress areas.

If the crop is to be used as a green manure it should be mulched into the soil when it is in full bloom. If harvested for seed a regular combine may be used.

"Enchanted Rock" between Fredericksburg and Llano, Texas, is a piece of granite some 500 feet high and covering about a square mile.

Either is produced by distillation of alcohol with sulphuric acid.

Fielding H. Yost, athletic coach of the University of Michigan, was nicknamed "Hurricane."

Mahogany trees are traditionally cut by moonlight.



SILENCE! . . . Egyptian dancer Samia Gamal, working on "All Baba" movie set in Frankfurt, Germany, gives "shush" sign to camel actor.



CROWNING GLORY . . . Europe's famous hair stylist, Antonio, presented these ornate coiffures at Berlin show recently.



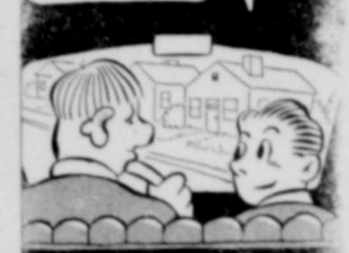
YALTA FUROR . . . Senate leader Lyndon Johnson (Dem., left), discusses 1945 Yalta report with GOP leader Wm. Knowland (Cal.) after release brought clashes between pro and anti Yaltians.



AUSSIE CONFAB . . . Discussions of mutual defense in Pacific were held by Pres. Eisenhower and Australia's prime minister Robt. G. Menzies, with Australian ambassador to U. S. Sir Percy Spender and U. S. secretary of state John Foster Dulles (rear) taking part.

### Vic Vet says

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We want to take this opportunity to thank every one who helped us celebrate our 13th Anniversary last week. The response was wonderful. We had our best celebration in all of our 13 years. THANKS AGAIN.

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### Woman Tells Mystery House

E. E. Lane has returned to Memphis after a seven week trip to California with his daughter and son-in-law, Douglas and Mrs. Douglas, who are in Sacramento, Calif. As Mrs. Lane told of her previous trips to California she told of unusual experiences while out West.

"You ever hear of a house with 160 rooms and thousands of windows? A house with 40 stairways, most of them 13 steps—a house with 47 fireplaces, three elevators and goodness knows how many other things?" Mrs. Lane said.

"We allowed as how we'd heard of any such thing, but we thought to ourselves—'This has been to Hollywood, it's some movie set.'"

Mrs. Lane went on to explain that it was no such thing, but a real house, built in Hollywood, but an old-fashioned house, which is the world's largest. It is located in the San Gabriel Valley about four miles from Los Angeles, Calif., and is called the Winchester Mystery House.



U. S. AIDS FORMOSA . . . U. S. army secretary Robert Stevens inspects American army equipment which Chinese Nationalist troops are learning to use against possible Red invasion.

world famous house, which she visited and went through attic to basement, was built by the late Gen. Winchester, widow of the famed Winchester.

"The interesting things about it is that it was under construction for 36 years. Literal dollars were spent on construction and wonderful workmanship went into it."

"The home of the eccentric architect. A believer in the occult, Mrs. Winchester kept a carpenter busy from the time she started the house until she died. As a result it is that lead to nowhere—blank walls and others into space—floors are trap doors, and there are passages, bling and countless other doors richly entitle this

wierd mansion to be called a Mystery House.

Many of the stained glass windows and other objects of art were imported at great expense from Italy, Austria, Belgium and other European countries, for the Winchester Mystery House was built in an era when such priceless objects were sought by wealthy Americans. Mrs. Lane suggests a visit to the Mystery House to any going to California.

### Pvt. Lindley Goes To Europe For Duty

9TH DIV., GERMANY (AHT-NC)—Pvt. Thollie Lindley, 20, son of Mr. and Mrs. John Lindley, Route 2, Lakeview, recently arrived in Germany and is now a member of the 9th Infantry Division.

As part of the U. S. Seventh Army, the 9th Division conducts rigorous training exercises, including realistic maneuvers and field problems, in southern Germany.

Private Lindley entered the Army last November. He is a 1953 graduate of Lakeview High School.

Mercury is the swiftest moving planet.

### Tourist Spent \$409 Million In Texas Last Year

AUSTIN—Tourists traveling in Texas during 1954 spent 15 per cent more money than they did in 1953 it was announced in Austin, by D. C. Greer, State Highway Engineer.

Figures compiled in the Department's annual Tourist Industry Report disclose that \$409 million was spent in 1954 compared to \$356 million in 1953. The number of tourists also increased from 7,573,500 in 1953 to 8,673,860 in 1954.

Last year 3.3 million cars entered the state each carrying an average of 2.6 persons. These visitors stayed an average of 5.5 days and spent an average amount of \$7.80 per person per day, Greer said.

As in 1953 California topped all other states by sending 537,112 vehicles and 1,398,491 visitors. It is also interesting to note, Greer pointed out, that approximately 205,000 visitors were from Canada, Mexico, and other countries.

Texas witnessed the greatest influx of motorists during the period from March through October, and it has also been established that Texas enjoys a large repeat business from out-of-staters. Department statistics show that 37 per cent of the visitors in 1954 were in Texas for the first time while the remaining tourists had traveled in Texas in previous years.

Figures used to compile this annual survey are obtained from survey cards distributed to tourists at the seven Highway Travel Information Bureaus located on major highways entering the state, Greer said. Figures from these survey cards supplemented with data from other sources produce a report that is believed to be one of the more accurate of its kind conducted in the United States, he stated.

Over 121 thousand inquiries were received through the mail requesting travel information material, and nearly 400 thousand visitors stopped at the travel bureaus for curb service information and descriptive material, Greer stated.

In an effort to assist and stimulate travel in Texas, the Depart-

ment has distributed over 500 thousand Official Travel Maps in 1954, and in addition, published a Road Condition Bulletin, Callendar of Vacation Events, and other tourist material.

A West Texas tradition says that a horned frog can live a hundred years without food or water.

Balmerhea State Park, southwest of Balmerhea, Texas, has the world's largest walled swimming pool—fed by natural springs at the rate of 26,000,000 per day.

About seven-eighths of an iceberg remains under water.

### Lower Panhandle Angus Association Elects Officials

The Lower Panhandle Angus Association met recently in the Memphis Chamber of Commerce office and elected officers and directors for the year.

David Hudgins of Lakeview was elected president, Hulon Clifton Estelina was elected vice-president, and Clifford Farmer of Memphis was elected secretary-treasurer.

Three directors were elected to one year terms and three were elected for two year tenures.

One year directors are: D. C. Messick, Memphis; Edwin Eanes, Clarendon; and Sidney Ewing, Gould, Okla.

Two year directors elected were: Jerrel B. Rapp, Estelina; C. L. Grimes, Hollis, Okla.; Ronald Salmon, Lakeview.

### Marketing Experts And Auditors Needed By Civil Service

New civil service examinations have been announced for Auditor for filling positions paying from \$4,205 to \$10,800 a year in the Department of the Army, and for Agricultural Marketing Specialist for filling positions paying from \$4,205 to \$9,600 a year in the Department of Agriculture and various other Federal agencies.

The positions to be filled are located in Washington, D. C., and throughout the United States. Agricultural Marketing Specialist positions may also be filled in the territories and possessions of the United States.

No written test is required for either of these examinations. To qualify, applicants must have had appropriate experience in the field of work for which they apply.

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Paying For Someone's Irrigation

Mr. farmer, how much of your own money and the bank's money do you have invested in a gamble to find irrigation water, and equipment to pump it to the surface after you find it? Several thousand dollars? While you are spending your own money to find your own water, the people in Washington, who want the government to have control of everything, are trying to add a nice fat tax debt on your back, so that a few farmers in New Mexico, Colorado, Utah, and Wyoming can have irrigation water.

This is being done through two bills that are now in Congress which would set up the Upper Colorado River Basin project at a cost of several billion dollars to the taxpayers. Texas' share of this would be twice the total amount to be paid by the four or five states which would benefit from this project.

This project in its present form calls for six major dams and numerous irrigation projects, and already the planners are crying for more. How much would the final bill for the project be?

There is no doubt that the area needs water. However, what area in the west doesn't need more water, but if the need is so great for the irrigation and also electrical power in the area, there should be private capital available to build the dams and meet the needs, without soaking the rest of the nation for the cost.

We are paying for our own irrigation in this area and there is no reason for us to be saddled with the expense of providing water for other farmers to raise crops that will compete with ours, and make it that much harder for us to pay the debts incurred while getting our irrigation.

Get Your Red Hots Here!

Another baseball season is underway. In ball parks all over the country the crowds are turning out for the most typically American sports.

A culinary delicacy which is also typically American goes with baseball—as it goes with other diversions. That's the hot dog. Last year the incredible total of 8,500,000,000 of these edible canines were consumed—which works out to a little more than one per person each week. It's very possible that the number will be larger this year. And the hot dog's cousin, the frankfurter, is also being eagerly devoured in steadily increasing quantities.

Our devotion to the hot dog is symbolic of the national taste. We are a country of meat eaters. Save for a few small countries, such as Australia and Denmark, we lead the world in per capita meat production. Beef is now the favorite of all meats, having passed pork in 1953, and this year each of us, on the average, will eat close to 77 pounds of it.

That indicates the tremendous challenge that the livestock and meat industry faces. Estimates say that 20 years from now our population will be 215,000,000—almost 50,000,000 more than at present. If our present rate of meat consumption is to be maintained, production will have to be increased as much as 15 per cent over the next 15 years and 30 per cent over the next 20. It's a tall order, but this challenge will be successfully met, so long as we keep our free market and our competitive system.

Wonder if the politicians who are advocating government ownership of electrical power and other commodities are as interested in the "good of the people" as they are in the fat well paying jobs the government owned businesses will provide for party hangers-on.

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Cartoon titled "CROSS-SECTION OF COUNTRY EDITORS U.S.A." showing a man in a suit talking to a woman sitting at a desk. The man says: "AND AMONG OTHER THINGS, DON'T CHANGE THE 'FLEXIBLE' FARM PROGRAM! DON'T CUT TAXES YET! DON'T START NEW 'SOCIAL' PROJECTS! DON'T LET EXPENDITURES FOR FOREIGN AID BECOME LARGER!" The woman is reading a newspaper titled "CONGRESSIONAL LEGISLATION".

Press Paragraphs—  
QUOTING OUR NEIGHBORS

Not Blown Away Yet  
Editor Kenneth Powell of the Southwest Daily Times at Liberal became quite aroused last week by a telephone call from the Denver correspondent for Life and

Time magazines. The Life correspondent had been told by his New York office to get a story and quick about Southwest Kansas and Southeast Colorado "going to pot."

His magazine headquarters in New York had heard that the worst dust storms in history were occurring over this area. Farmers were pulling up stakes and leaving for California and elsewhere and that the highways were jammed with displaced farmers taking to the road.

Editor Powell invited the Denver correspondent to visit Liberal and see for himself how desolate it was. He was also invited to try and buy and acre of this "abandoned" land, and he was assured that he would have trouble finding land for sale.

He was also informed that in spite of less than normal rainfall for three years there has been little "real estate" moving, either by wind or sales, and that wheat still shows signs of life, capable of making a crop if rainfall comes soon.

This country can promise you the most and give you the least, or promise the least and give you the most of any place in the world," said editor Powell.

We don't believe we could have answered the Denver Life and Time correspondent any better ourselves — Ochiltree County Herald.

Memories  
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30 Years Ago  
LITTLE THEATRE PRODUCTION IS BIG SUCCESS— The initial offering of the Memphis Little Theatre, "Kempy" a comedy of American life and manners, in three acts, by J. C. and Elliot Nugent, was a happy start along the route of refined entertainment, which the group of workers will unquestionably bring to Memphis, as the organization expands and the scope of its enterprises broadens. A responsive audience that laughed and applauded the efforts of the actors in spontaneous outbursts registered the fact that the play was a success last Tuesday evening.

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**CHANG'S DEFENSE** . . . Chinese Nationalist troops operate anti-aircraft gun on Matsu Island while bulldozer scoops out placement for more guns to protect Formosa.

### 13,123 Texans Go Into Armed Forces During Quarter

AUSTIN—A total of 13,123 Texans entered the armed forces during the first quarter of 1955, a total of 17,819 getting out during the same period. Of the 13,123 who got into the various uniformed services, 9,961 were drafted by enlistment. The remaining 2,462 were drafted through the state's 137 draft boards.

These figures were obtained from reports of Brigadier General Paul L. Wakefield, state director of Selective Service to national Selective Service headquarters in Washington.

State draft boards sent only 2,733 men for physical mental examinations during the three-month period. Army examining stations rejected a total of 1,097 of these men, a rejection rate of 40 per cent.

During the first three months of 1955, a total of 31 doctors and dentists registered with draft boards under the doctor's draft law were commissioned for armed forces service. Twelve doctors and dentists were examined during this period, seven being accepted and five rejected.

Selective Service records at the end of March indicated about 142,000 Texans in the uniformed services at that time, compared to approximately 152,000 at the same time in 1954.

While 13,123 Texans were entering the armed forces during January, February, and March, a total of 15,643 Texans were registered with Texas draft boards.

Mrs. J. L. Bain, sister-in-law to Mrs. George Bass, visited here with her this week.

Mrs. Tommy Hulsey of Tulsa visited Mr. and Mrs. Roy Guthrie over the weekend.

### Victory Sunday School Class Observes Seventh Birthday With Party Tuesday

During the eleventh birthday of the Victory Sunday School Class met on Tuesday for a banquet in the Victory Class Room.

Approximately 87 members and guests enjoyed this affair.

The class room was attractively decorated for the occasion featuring the theme "Harmony."

On the walls were black and white photographs of the class members decorated with May Day flowers. Garden flowers were scattered throughout the room.

Invocation was given by Rev. Sharp, pastor.

President's Greetings" was bro- by Clyde Reed, who also ser- viced for the even-

The group sang "Happy Birth- day to You", two vocal num- bers rendered by M. D. Reed, who sang "My God Is With Me" and "Home," accompan-

### Memphians Attend Galveston Meet

Beverly Crawford and Mary Jane Jones accompanied by their sponsor Mrs. Mary Sue Beasley attended the state F. H. A. meeting in Galveston, April 22-23.

The theme of the meeting was "Peaceful Thinking — Peaceful Living." This theme was carried out in various lectures, skits, talks, and in the stage decorations of red roses, the F.H.A. emblem, and the significant dove of peace.

At the business session Saturday morning Mary Jane Jones served as voting delegate for Memphis. Committee reports were read and approved and state officers were elected. The meeting ended with the formal installation of officers for the coming year.

Milton Beasley, Jr., Mrs. Bill Maddox and daughter Vivian ac-

### Students To Play Recital Sunday

Grade Resco will present a piano recital Sunday afternoon, May 1, at 4:00 p.m. in the First Presbyterian Church.

Following students will play: Beckham, Janie Buchanan, Buchanan, Cheryl Ann, Danny Gunstream, Ginger Leslie Helm, Sharon Kay, Joyce Hull, Celia Leslie, Lindsey, Mary McCreary, McCreary, Cathy McQueen, Nelson, Sue Posey, Georgia Lee Carol Saied, Suzann Smith, Carol Smith, Donny Jim Stewart and John Stewart.

The program is open to interested friends.

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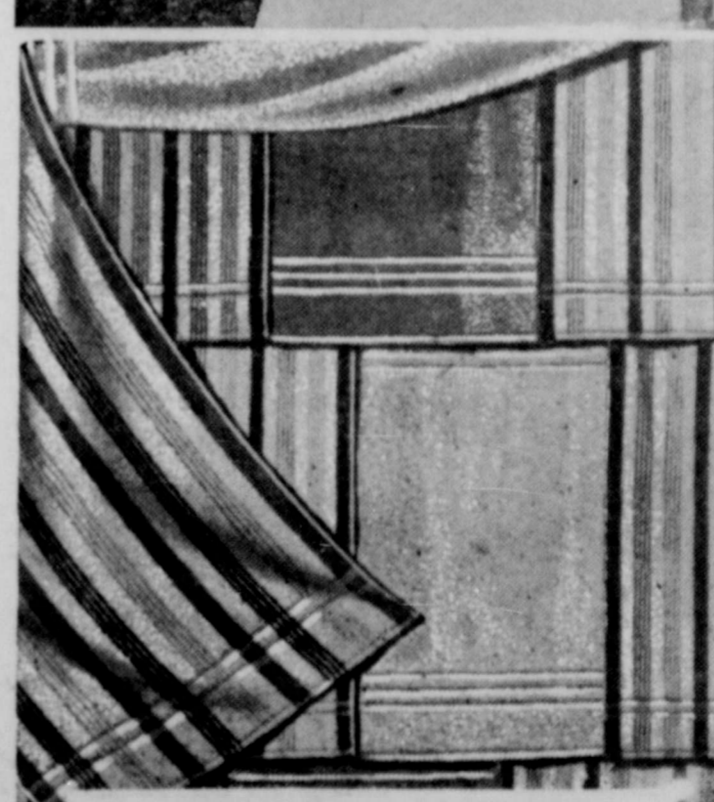
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# Society News

## 1913 Study Club Meets In Home Of Mrs. Howard Finch

Mrs. Howard Finch, 719 South Seventh, was hostess to members of the 1913 Study Club on Wednesday afternoon, April 20.

Mrs. Boyd Rogers, president, presided during the business session and the afternoon's program on "Strength in Federation" was introduced by the program chairman, Mrs. L. G. DeBerry.

Taking part on the program were Mrs. Clyde Milam who discussed "Confederation of Another Day"; Mrs. Herschel Combs who gave a paper on "Federation Around the World" and Mrs. T. J. Dunbar who gave a most interesting report on the district convention of TFWC which convened the previous week in Snyder. Mrs. Dunbar announced the club won the district award for having the best Indian program of the year. She showed the painting which was presented to the club.

Concluding the program Mrs. Mac Tarver and Mrs. Clyde Milam sang "Prayer Perfect" accompanied at the piano by Mrs. Ace Gailey.

Tasty refreshments were served to Mrs. L. G. DeBerry, T. J. Dunbar, Frank Foxhall, R. S. Greene, Allen Grundy, O. L. Helm, Clyde Milam, Joe Montgomery, Paul Montgomery, Boyd Rogers, Mills Roberts, M. G. Tarver, Bluford Walker, R. C. Walker, Ace Gailey, Herschel Combs and one visitor, Mrs. Jack Walker.

Estelle Barber returned home Sunday night after visiting friends in Mineral Wells for the past week.

## Delphians Hear Talk On Texas Indian Reservation

On Tuesday, April 19, at 4:00 p. m. the members of the Delphian Club found out that there was a Texas Indian Reservation. The meeting was held at the High School Visual Aids room so that a film might be shown. Dan Durham of the Visual Aids Department operated the machine.

Mrs. Weldon McCreary, president, conducted a short business meeting.

The Texas Indian Reservation is located about 17 miles from Livingston or 90 miles from Houston in Polk County. There are at present about 400 Indians living on the 4,280 acre reservation. They have their own schools up to the ninth grade, churches, doctors, teachers, and nurses. After the ninth grade, they go to Livingston High School. The film that was shown was "The Pueblo Land" since a film of the Texas Reservation has never been made.

Members and guests present were: Mesdames A. Anisman, Sidney Baker, J. L. Barnes, W. C. Dickey, Henry Hays, C. C. Hodges, J. K. Porter, Lynn McKown, Weldon McCreary, J. S. McMurry, Clyde Smith, J. W. Stokes, Leon Thomas, B. J. Thomson, R. H. Wherry, and Misses Ann and Mary McCreary.

### CARD OF THANKS

I would like to thank each and everyone for their nice cards and flowers sent me while I was confined in the hospital. Also I want to say thanks to the doctors, especially to Dr. Hunt and the nurses who were so nice to me.

W. L. Nabers



MR AND MRS. DARRELL CHILDRESS

## Kelley-Childress Marriage Vows Read In Home Service In Memphis Recently

Marriage vows were exchanged by Peggy Jean Kelley, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Kelley of Claude, and Darrell Childress, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Childress of Memphis, in a ceremony Saturday, March 26, at the home of the bridegroom's parents.

The double-ring service was read by the Rev. Tom Posey, minister of the First Christian Church of Memphis, before an archway covered with garlands of greenery and flanked with baskets of pink gladioli.

Miss Audene Luttrell of Claude was maid-of-honor. She was attired in a blue linen dress with a white hat and a white carnation corsage.

Sam Putts was best man.

Given in marriage by her brother, Richard Kelley of Claude, the bride wore a dress of white linen with baby blue accessories. She carried a white Bible topped with white tea roses and Frenched carnations.

The bride's mother wore a blue crepe ensemble with a white carnation corsage. Mrs. Childress, the bridegroom's mother, chose a pink and blue nylon dress and a corsage of carnations.

A reception honoring the couple was held in the Childress home following the ceremony. Cake and punch were served by Mrs. Sam Putts and Mrs. M. D. Gunstream. Guests were registered by Mrs. Jack Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. Childress are residing at 909-A Parker, in Amarillo. The bride was graduated from Claude High School and prior to her marriage was employed at the Claude Pharmacy.

Mr. Childress was graduated from Memphis High School and served in the Air Force. He is employed by Employers Loan Service of Amarillo.

Out-of-town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Brad Castleman, Phillips; Mrs. Hank Jones, Stinnett; Mr. and Mrs. Claude Childress and son, Borger; Mrs. Wes Kelley and son, Mrs. Jack Childress, Charlie Gleen and Scooter and Miss Audene Luttrell, Claude.

## Parnell Club Gives Program In Turkey

On Tuesday evening, April 19, the Parnell Community Club gave a program at the high school auditorium in Turkey. Proceeds, which were \$67.00, were donated to the city park fund.

Music for the evening was furnished by the Cap Rock Swing Band. Candice Weatherly did a novelty dance. A pantomime, "Is That You Myrtle?" was given by Janet Long, Marue Beverly and Laquetta Wade. Nelda Ferrel and Lois Weatherly gave a humorous skit entitled, "Old Maids Find New Hope." A monologue, "Her First Vote" was given by Jo Anna Potts. A one act play "Wholesale Jealousy" was given by ten women. Climaxing the program was a negro minstrel presented by the Ramblin Coons from Parnell Way. Pianists were Ted Bruce and Lawayne Boney. The highlights of the minstrel were the dance numbers given by Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Weatherly and Ted Bruce. The interlocutor was Mrs. Bruce Damron.

## PARNELL

On Thursday of last week shopping in Memphis were Mr. and Mrs. Slick Johnson, Mr. and Mrs. Ray Weatherly, Mrs. Foose, Mrs. Paul Phillips and Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Potts.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Latham last week were Mr. and Mrs. Roy Griggs and Wanda of Chickasha, Okla. Mrs. Griggs is the former Sybil Latham.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Orcutt and Mr. and Mrs. Zeb Latham visited



SUBS FOR MARILYN . . . Posing with dressmaker's dummy of Marilyn Monroe, whom she is replacing during suspension by Hollywood studio, Sheree North looks thrilled with her big chance.

in Tell Sunday in the Tom Orcutt home.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Potts spent the past weekend near Lawton, Okla., visiting with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Dossy. They visited the home show sponsored by the National Home Builders in the newly constructed U. S. Coast Guard Army building in Lawton.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Mullin Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Byars, Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Mullin and John Luther Byars of Lakeview, Mr. and Mrs. I. D. Mullin, Sr., of Memphis, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Mullin and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Mullin of Turkey and the W. E. Helms of Childress.

Mrs. Harold Burk visited her

mother, Mrs. M. C. Robertson

is ill in the hospital in Memphis. Mr. and Mrs. Travis Brown and son Charles visited Sunday at Bruce Damron home.

Doyle Weatherly of Amarillo visited relatives here Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Leroy Hutcherson visited Turkey Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Bud Meacham.

Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Coates and daughter visited Saturday the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. Richburg in Memphis.

Mr. and Mrs. Elam Orcutt, Betty of Estelline and Mrs. Mrs. Gus Orcutt of Lakeview visited Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Coates.

Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Frensch children spent the past week in Clarksville visiting her mother, the Osburns.

Mrs. Mary Price of Oklahoma, was a guest in the home of her parents, the J. R. Moore Sunday.

O. J. Weatherly who has been serving with the U. S. Army in Korea is home.

Mrs. Neely and Mrs. Weatherly visited in Turkey Thursday and Friday with Ella Weatherly.

Sam Canada is on the job this week.

Joe L. and R. N. Mother and Zack Hood went to Amarillo Tuesday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Phillips family visited Paul Phillips family on Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Warren Adams and Terry of Dallas, Mrs. Mrs. T-Bone Paschall and Fred of Borger and Staff Sgt. and Bill Scott of Amarillo spent over the weekend with Mrs. Paschall.

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**FOR SALE**—4 Duroc pigs, 9 weeks old, \$12.50 each. See Ira Davis Rt. 1 Memphis. 48-2p

**FOR SALE**—Aggregate building blocks. Sizes 8x8x16 and 4x8x16. Contact H & H Block Co., Wellington, Texas. 42-tfc

**FOR SALE**—Worth the money 1950 Case hay baler with automatic blocker. In A-one shape. Harold Hodges, Phone 641 Lakeview. 47-4p

**FOR SALE**—Cottonseed — First year Delta 15 and Northern Star number 11. Harold Hodges, Phone 641, Lakeview. 47-4p

**FOR SALE**—Good used ironer. Call 377-W 47-3p

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**FOR SALE**—Storm proof delinted 89A cottonseed. See L. E. Skinner, Rt. 1, Lakeview. 41-10p

**FOR SALE**—Northern Star cottonseed, first year. \$2.50 per bushel. W. C. Whitten, Rt. 1, Lakeview, Texas. 42-8p

**FOR SALE**—Good used pianos. Lemons Furniture Co., phone 12-3-4f

**For Rent**  
FOR RENT—3 room house with bath. Located on 15th St. Call 174-R. 48-1c

**FOR RENT**—Furnished apartment, 3 rooms and bath. Phone 525-M 601 South 7th. 48-tfc

**FOR RENT**—Well furnished 5-room duplex apartment with or without utilities. Phone 223-W 48-tfc

**FOR RENT**—Unfurnished small house, cheap. Apply at 1521 Montgomery, phone 557-W. 47-tfc

**FOR RENT**—180 acre irrigated farm in Swisher County. Two wells; good house. Renter to buy four row equipment. Contact W. W. Mullin, Box 56, Lakeview. 46-tfc

**FOR RENT**—3-room furnished apartment with bath and two-room furnished apartment and bath. 621 South Seventh. 40-tfc

**FOR RENT**—Furnished or unfurnished apartment. All utilities paid. 821 Main St. 40-tfc

**Special Notices**

I HAVE a boys green plaid jacket that was left in my office. Dr. Leon Taylor. 48-1c

**NOTICE**—Joe Warren Radiator Shop now located at Clarence Baxter Implement Co. 47-6c

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**TIME** of the Memphis Program over KCTX, 1510 Childress, will be changed to 11:00-12:00 a. m. each day except Sunday, beginning Friday, April 1st. 44-tfc

**ELECTRICAL** Repair Work. Contract wiring. Call 671. Perry Glover. 19-tfc

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# Society News

## Sgt. Billy Scott In Amarillo Rites Betty Sue Paschall Becomes Bride

Betty Sue Paschall became the bride of Staff Sgt. Billy Scott in a double-ring ceremony at 3:00 p. m. April 18, at the Amarillo Air Force Base.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. M. W. Paschall, and the groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Scott of Eddy, Texas.

Miss W. McCahmont, United States Air Force Chaplain, performed the ceremony. Organists of "Because," "I Love Truly" and the "Wedding" were provided by a member of the Air Force Band.

The bride was given in marriage by her brother-in-law, Boyce E. Scott, who wore a suit of beige brocade. Her accessories were blue. She carried a white Bible topped with white carnations and white and blue streamers.

Bill Currin, matron-of-honor, was attired in a pink faille ballerina-length dress with white accessories. Her corsage was of white carnations.

A 1/C Bill Currin served the groom as best man.

Guests at the wedding were Mrs. M. W. Paschall, Mrs. Boyce Bruce and Judy, Misses Anna Margaret Collins and Jimmie Nell Hayes, all of Memphis; Staff Sgt. and Mrs. Gerald Wood, Bob Christopher, Joe Cassidy, Harvey Tallon and Alwin Mange of Amarillo.

The bride is a graduate of Memphis High School. At the time of her marriage she was employed in the County Agent's Office here. The groom is a graduate of Bruceville-Eddy High School. He attended Arlington State and Texas A & M College.

After a short honeymoon, the couple will be at home at 801 South Dallas Street in Amarillo.



## Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard To Attend TFWC Meet In Galveston

Mrs. D. L. C. Kinard, who is vice president of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs, will leave for Galveston this weekend to attend the 58th annual Convention of TFWC. The Convention will meet at the Hotel Galvez from May 2 through May 4. Mrs. Kinard will go to Galveston from Abilene where she has been visiting for the past few days with her son, Cearley Kinard and family.

Events begin with the formal opening of the convention at a dinner session Monday, May 2. Honorable Herbert Y. Cartwright, mayor of Galveston, will welcome the group. Entertainment will be by Fred Nanas, popular commentator from station KXYZ, Houston, as master of ceremonies for a program on Fortune as foretold by the signs of the Zodiac. The Ellington Field Aviation Cadet Glee Club directed by Lawrence F. Spics will also be entertainers.

Wednesday events will begin with breakfast around the pool, the program themed on Indian Affairs Project of this administration. Dr. Hyman J. Schachtel of Houston, author of the current best seller, "The Real Enjoyment of Living" will address the morning session.

Techniques of Program Planning will be presented Wednesday afternoon under the direction of Miss Anne Allison of New York, coordinator of Women's Activities, National Association of Manufacturers.

A post convention feature will be Thursday morning when achievement awards will be presented by department, division and committee chairmen at an Awards Breakfast.

## Former Memphis Girl Named Cheer Leader at Brownfield

Miss Judy Land, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bob Land of Brownfield was elected yell leader of the

high school cheer section last week and will direct activities of that group during the 1955-56 school year.

The Lands are former residents of Memphis and Judy was a student in the local schools while the family lived here. She is a junior.

Mr. and Mrs. W. D. McCool of Dumas spent Saturday night and Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McCool.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Leslie visited in Lubbock over the weekend.

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### ENGAGEMENT REVEALED

Mrs. C. H. Booth of Lakeview announces the engagement and approaching marriage of her daughter, Mildred, to Frank Lewis of Kamay. The wedding will be an event of June 4 at the Lesley Baptist Church in Lesley. The bride is a 1950 graduate of the Lakeview High School and a graduate of Clarendon Junior College and West Texas State College. Mr. Lewis is a graduate of Valley View High School and Midwestern University.

### Memphians Attend Delta Kappa Meet in Childress Sat.

The Gamma Kappa Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma met in Childress at the First Methodist Church on Saturday, April 16, at 2 o'clock.

Miss Nelije Agnes Kennedy, English teacher in the Childress High School, introduced the program. Two Childress High School girls, Miss Shirley Jordan and Miss Jan Preston, delighted the group by singing several popular numbers. They were accompanied at the piano by Miss Jimmie Lightfoot. Miss Kennedy then introduced John Poulsen, an exchange student from Odense, Denmark, who is attending high school there. She then, very informally, interviewed him. He had many customs and facts about his country and what he thought of our schools and country. The program was interesting as well as entertaining.

Miss Zady Belle Walker, president, presided during the business session.

It was decided that the Gamma Kappa Chapter would present a \$50.00 scholarship to a Hall County Future Teacher Girl. All Senior Future Teacher Girls of Lakeview, Turkey, Estelline and Memphis are eligible to compete for the scholarship. Any girls interested should contact Mrs. Henry Foster, chairman of the Committee.

Eight members from Memphis attended. They were Zady Belle Walker, Ethel Hillhouse, Carrie Belle Lee, Neville Wrenn, Audrey Tribble, Vera Gilreath, Esta McElrath and Anna May Foster.

Mr. J. E. Willeford of Jacksboro, former Memphis resident, visited here with friends last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Simmons of Abilene visited with Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Harrison Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. John George visited Mr. and Mrs. Earl Bloxon Sunday.

### SKIN ITCH HOW TO RELIEVE IT. IN 15 MINUTES.

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For the girl graduate, for an enchanting prom night—a float of sheer flocked nylon that looks for all the world like spun sugar. From crescent neckline to great billowing hem it's a waterfall of ruffles—and the grand gesture at the waist is a contrasting satin sash. Or wear its little self belt if you prefer. The flocking is permanent and it's blissfully washable. No wonder SEVENTEEN Magazine chose it to feature editorially. White, blue, pink, maize or lilac. Sizes 7 to 15.

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Estelline Children Enjoy Train Trip

On April 22 the Estelline Fourth Grade Class, accompanied by their teacher, Mrs. Clarence Wooten went on a train trip to Childress.

The group left on the east bound train at 9:51 in the morning. When they reached Childress they toured the paper there. Next they went on a guided tour of the Dr. Pepper Bottling Plant where they were given a cold pop and a pencil.

The group then went to the Childress Park where their mothers served a picnic lunch. After lunch, the group had an hour tour of the Round House. Next came the thrill of visiting KTCX. There they were interviewed and it was broadcast Saturday morning. The mothers brought the children back via the airport.

Mothers accompanying the group were: Mmes. J. L. Mothershead, S. F. Crain, Oscar Lambert, Joe Eddins, H. W. Wolf, Clinton Richburg, Glen Bowman and Paul Buchanan.

\$1.69 Support

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To be eligible for price support the grain must meet grade and moisture requirements and must be stored in a storage structure that meets local conditions.



J. C. McCLUSKEY

Revival Begins Here In Assembly Of God

J. C. McCluskey of Oklahoma City, will conduct a two week revival in the Memphis Assembly of God church beginning Sunday, May 1.

Services will be held each night at 7:45 except Saturday. Special music for the meeting will be presented by the Church Pastor Fred L. Ridener.

Last year 907,000 families throughout the United States were given Red Cross assistance through chapter Home Service programs.

McCreary Elected President Of Hall TSTA Organization

Seventy teachers and school administrators heard Sam B. Culpepper, field representative of the Texas State Teachers' Association discuss the teacher retirement program at the Hall County TSTA meeting in Lakeview last Thursday night.

This was the third and last meeting of the county organization for this year.

In a business meeting Weldon McCreary, principal of Memphis High School was elected president of the Hall County TSTA units for the coming year.

O. K. Edmond of Turkey was elected vice-president, E. J. McKnight was elected second vice-president, and Miss Mary Foreman was elected secretary-treasurer.

Culpepper discussed the enabling act that has been passed by the legislature in Austin and provides for more and better benefits for teachers and their retirement.

He also discussed the new teacher retirement act which is now being considered in the legislature and if passed will be put before the voters of the state in the form of a constitutional amendment in November.

Music for the program was provided by six freshmen girls from Lakeview High School. They were: Martha Joy Reed, Brenda Brister, Elvira Sahangun, Neida Jones, Elizabeth Pierce, and Dixie Osborn.

D. Kinard

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uate of Baylor University. He did graduate work at the University of Texas in 1947-48.

In between his high school and college careers, he served three and one-half years in the Navy during World War II.

After leaving the University, he was in partnership with Frank Monzingo in the farm implement business in Anarillo for three years.

Kinard was licensed a Certified Public Accountant in 1950.

In 1951 he returned to Memphis and joined his father in the Kinard-Galley Insurance Agency.

He married Miss Mary Margaret Graham of Post, Texas, in 1952, and they now have a six month old son, Kelly Kinard.

Last November Dwight Kinard was appointed City Secretary replacing his father, who resigned because of ill health. D. L. C. Kinard had been City Secretary for 41 years. Dwight had been acting as assistant to his father since 1951.

First Inoculations

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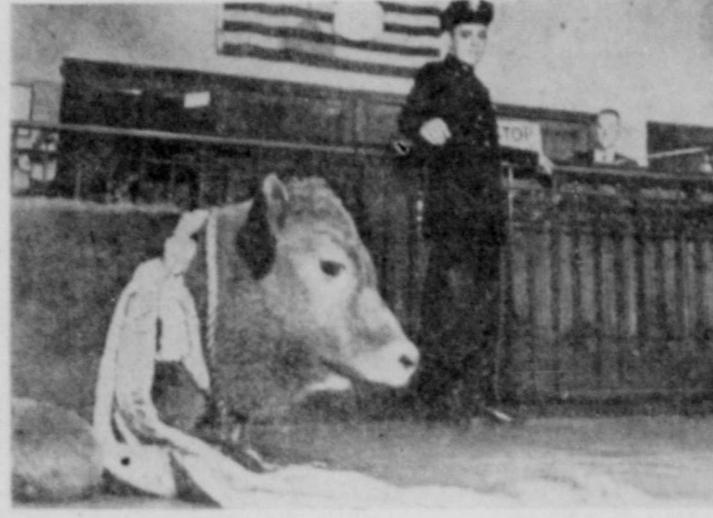
from Memphis, Jimmy Lavender and Sandra Jones, and were the first and second children to be vaccinated. The other child was Mary H. Booth of Lakeview.

Mary and Sandra still wear braces as evidence of their fight with polio, and Sandra still must use crutches.

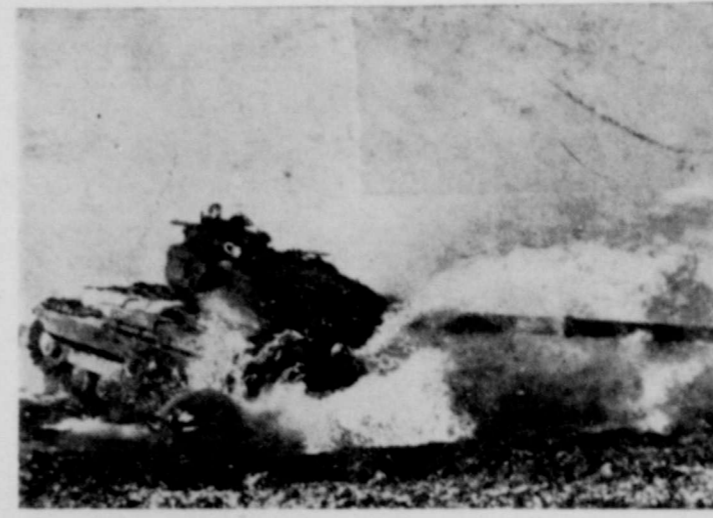
The county school officials expressed their gratitude to Dr. J. A. Odum and his staff of Memphis and to Dr. Davis and his staff in Turkey for their efficient and courteous manner in administering the vaccine to the children.



CLOWNS WITH WIFE . . . Famed circus clown Felix Adler rehearses for New York opening with his wife, Amella, who dons costume for first time in her life.



"WHAT'S THE CHARGE?" . . . Sad-faced calf, escapee from New York city stockyards, is hauled into police station, accused, probably, of loitering.



BRITAIN'S NEW TANK . . . Designed for Rhine service, 65-ton "Conqueror" is tested at Carshalton, England. It has 20MPH speed and carries crew of 4 and huge cannon.

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Quetta Wade, were introduced. Daves Contreras was presented the FFA Star Chapter Farmer award for his work. The boy made a net profit of \$818.90 from FFA projects.

The other five awards went to Gay e Morrison, for dairy cattle; Dwain Kennedy, for public speaking; Charles Anderson, for farm electrification; Bennie Nelson, for farm safety; and Willie McClen-don, for farm mechanics.

Commissioner White stopped in Memphis on his way to Estelline from Amarillo and met several farmers, business men and county officials for a brief discussion on the problems facing the farmers in this area.

The American Red Cross is the only voluntary relief agency officially designated by Congress to work with the armed forces.



BLOSSOM QUEEN . . . Jeannie Raymond, 18, of Lewiston, Me., is crowned Cherry Blossom Queen by Interior Sec. Douglas McKay in capital fete visited by 700,000 people.



CHEAP FOOD . . . Agriculture Secretary Ezra Taft Benson (right) and Sen. Edw. J. Thye (Minn.) sample old-fashioned cracker barrel to prove Benson's claim "food is better buy than ever before."



VISA BOSS . . . Frances G. Knight, career government employee since 1936, is new chief of state dept. passport division.

Local Doctor Goes To Medical Meeting

Dr. O. R. Goodall attended the annual meeting of the Texas Medical Association in Fort Worth this week.

The meeting was in session Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday and memorial services were held Sunday afternoon.

Cut-Off Date

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ford Farmer, for the concentration of work in the north part of town is that the contractor has his equipment over there and its size makes jumping all over town impossible.

In 1954 the American Red Cross gave \$1,000,000 in assistance for aid to disaster sufferers in foreign lands.

The only helium-producing plant in the United States is near Amarillo, Texas.

Cut-Off Date For STREET PAVING

Will Be Mon., May 2nd

All property owners who have not signed up for street paving MUST DO SO BY NOON NEXT MONDAY.

All sign-up lists and checks in payment for paving must be turned in on this date. Checks and lists should be turned in to Clifford Farmer at the Chamber of Commerce office in the City Hall building.

Remember the deadline Is Noon Monday, May 2nd!

STUDENTS' ONE-DAY ALL-EXPENSE Educational Trip to FORT WORTH Saturday, May 7, 1955

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Scenic ride via Jackboro Highway to Inspiration Point at Lake Worth for short rest stop and breathtaking panoramic view of surrounding lake territory and 8-10 Bombers parked at Convair (bomber plant).

Leave Inspiration Point for travel through Carlwell Air Force Base and tour of Convair field, then to Western Hills Hotel for short tour and view of helicopter landing at Hillport.

Thence by Colonial Country Club, Texas Christian University and Campus, and on to Forest Park at 12:00 Noon for lunch, and two hours for inspecting Zoo, Aquarium, Duck Pond and amusement rides.

Travel via beautiful Botanic Gardens for short stop and view of beautiful collection of flowers, also large white swans on inland lake, then on to the Children's Museum, Art Gallery and Will Rogers Memorial Coliseum.

Short side-trips will be provided by shuttle bus service for those who wish to visit Lancaster Railroad yards and/or City Water Works, then return to Museum.

Trip back to T&P Depot to board train for homeward journey takes you down busy Lancaster Boulevard past Measonic Temple, Cook Memorial Hospital Center for Children and Central U. S. Postoffice.

All Expense Cost Includes:

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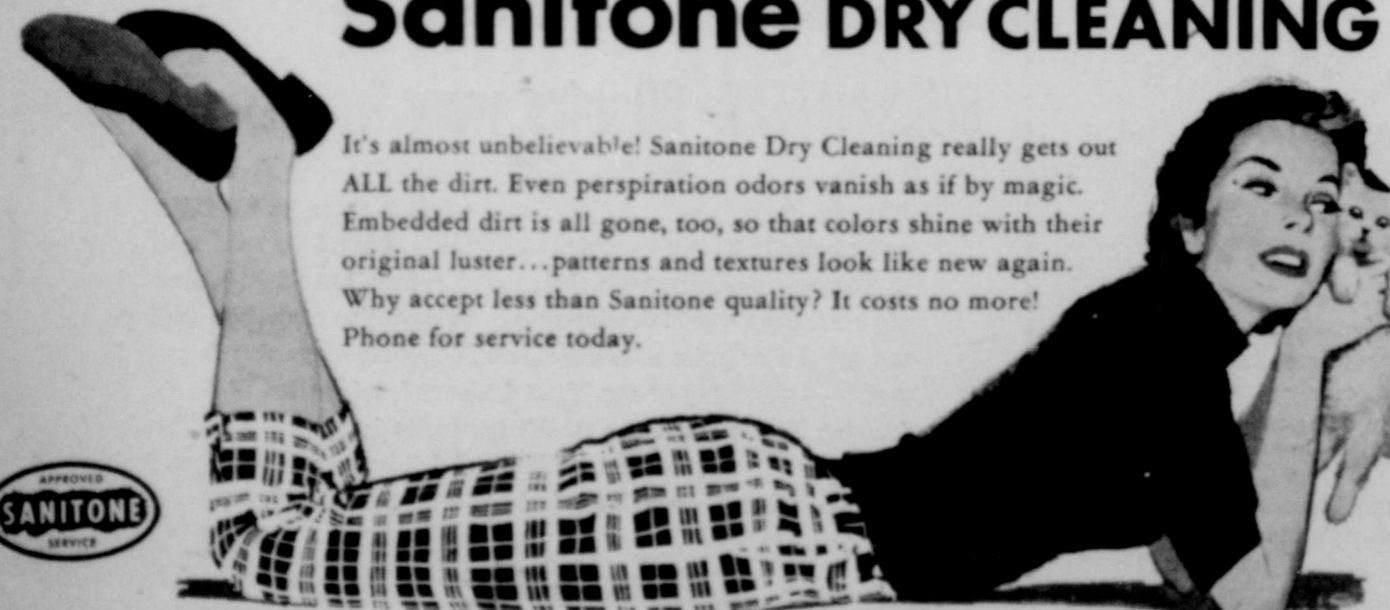
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Adults and Students (12 and Over) \$1208 Students (Under 12) \$894

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Honor Students

(Continued from page 1) and has compiled an excellent record in FFA work. He is on the chapter conducting radio broadcasting team, judging team and crops team. He has been an Inter League speller and is president of the senior class and assistant business manager of school annual. He had parts in the two senior plays. The nineteen members of the graduating class will receive diplomas on May 18.

The record week for total of blood donated to the Red Cross during World War was June 5 through 10 when 123,284 pints were given following the invasion of France of Normandy in France.

Too Late To Cl

FOR SALE—Feeder pigs. Bill Reeves, McLean, Tex.

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Office will be closed May 2, 3 and 4. Dr. Leon Taylor

PALACE Friday—Saturday "Big Tip Off" Richard Conte Constance S. Plus 2 Comedies

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Tower Drive Friday—Saturday "Flat Top" (In Color) Sterling Hayden Richard Ca

Sunday—Monday "White Christmas" (Vista Vision & Color) Bing Crosby Rosemary Cla

TUESDAY BUCK NIGHT \$1 Per Car "The Unholy F" Paulette Goddard

Wed.—Thurs. "Tarzan's Hidden Jungle" Gordon Scott Vera