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It's good to be back home after a short stay in the hospital. And I am glad it was a short time.

come home; My wiferaised the two large bedroom windows beside my bed and when I woke up, I had my days and nights mixed. But the breeze was wonderful.

I was glad when we got to

This was a pretty rough time. A lot rougher than the time I fell around over the house. That time before I was able to stand up, even though I fell. But this time was different. I couldn't get

up or stand up. Sure want to thank my wife for the plug she wrote for our column last week. She's always my right hand stay anyway. She is the one who wakes meup every morning frying bacon and eggs.

visited Up the Canyon Sunday afternoon with sick people.

Students Elect New Officers

Officers for the second six weeks in Mrs. Cox room have been elected.

They are John Dixon, president; Stephen Perry, vice presidnt; Lon Beasley, secretary; Dianne White, reporter, Allen Arnwin, treasurer.

Offices for th first six weeks were Thames,, president; Mike McLean, vice president; Mike Warren, secretary: Pam Sandusky, treasurer and Suzie Wilson, reporter.

Bridge Club **Winners Told**

Merkel Duplicate Bridge Club winners for Thursday night were: 1st - Janice Russell and Bon, nie Dayton.

Tied for 2nd were Jackie Doan and Jo Ann Smith, and Bob Richards and Stan Sutton.

Due to the regional tournament in Abilene there will not be a meeting Thursday night of this

4-H'ers Hear E. C. Bauman

The Mulberry Canyon 4-H Club met recently in the community

Guest speaker for the meeting was E C. Bauman, Taylor County Game Warden. Hhe spoke to the group on the subject of wildlife management.

By candlelight services, officers

o fthe Merkel Pat Neff chapter

of the Future Teachers of Ameri-

ca were installed for this school

The service was held in the

high school library. Mrs. Ellen

McReynolds read the service and

each leader a tiny white candle.

semi - circle of light from the

Douglas Barnhart, first vice

president; Sarah Harris, second

Jack Mansfield, president;

"Lamp of Knowledge:"

The following foficers formed a Crawford.

FUTURE TEACHERS

INSTALL OFFICERS

asked each officer to catch a ney Robertson, Mary Clark, Hay-

gleam of light from the N. E. A. den Griffin, Vicki Teaff, Patsy

candle as the sponsor handed Tate, Gayle Gladden, Suzanne

Thirteen members attended the

Victory Over Roscoe Would Give Canyon Merkel Badgers District 6 Crown Chili Supper

Set to Aid **Badger Morale**

Members of the Merkel Booster Club have scheduled a Chili Supper to be held Tuesday, November 5, at the High School

Proceeds from the supper will be used to help defray expenses the Booster club undergoes in furnishing films of Badger games as a coaching aid and other morale building Booster Club ac-

Horace Hargrove, chairman of Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Modgling the time and place committee, also asked that anyone with meat suitable for chili who wishes to donate to the Booster Club project to please take the meat to Carson Super Market or Wilson's Food Store.

Mrs. Roland **Buried Monday**

Sarah Jane Roland, 85, longtime resident of the Merkel community died at 7:45 a.m. Sunday at Sadler Hospital after a critical illness of two weeks.

Funeral was held at 3 p.m. Monday in the First Baptist Church with the Rev. W. D. Tanner, pastor, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Thomas Young of View. Burial was in Rose Hill Cemetery under direction of Starbuck Funeral Home.

Born Sarah Jane Watson Oct. 6. 1878 in Giles County, Tenn., she married Charlie R. Roland Dec. 24, 1896 there. They moved to Merkel in 1903 and had lived

here continuously since that time. She was a longtime member of the Baptist Church.

Mr. Roland, a farmer, died Sept. 23, 1946. She was als preceded in death by a son, Henry Reland, October 21, 1963, and a daughter, Susie Mae Roland, Jan. 8, 1914.

Survivors include two sons Elsie of Merkel and Eugene of Idalou; one daughter, Mrs. Angrandchildren and 20 great-grandnie Lee Campbell of Snyder; 11

Pallbearers were James Gray, Marion Goff, James Henry Roland, James Johnson, Troy Roland, Anson Rigsby, Billie Ray Cocanougher and Billy Morris Campbell.

mentarian; Mary Dunagin, re-

cording secretary; Carole Sue

McAninch, historian; Aleta Scott,

corresponding secretary: Jil

West, song leader; Jacky Rey-

nolds, music chairman; Beverly

Members present included Rod-

Howard, Ann Tipton, Jimmy

Supterintendent Mack Fisher

told of the needs of Texas schools

and outlined the future of the

Butman, photographer,

trict championship. From left to right are Joy Lewis, Sharon Dudley, Mary Dunigan, Gayle Gladden and Pat Tate. memorable moments"

Garden Club Slates Fall Flower Show

COME ON, BADGERS - These Merkel cheerleaders will be on hand Friday night

to help the hometown supporters urge the Badgers on in their tussle for the Dis-

Show scheduled for November 2 Grimes, judges and hospitality; sign using some form of the and 3 at the Farmers and Mer- Miss Norah Foster, Mrs. W L. chants National Bank

Key to the theme is "Think of all the happy memories you have of Autumn - then with your own hands "paint them with flowers" for others to enjoy.

Mrs. C. L. Sherrell is chairman of this year's show, which will be held from 3 p.m. until 6 p.m. Saturday and from 2 p m. until 5 p m. Sunday.

Mrs. S. D. Gamble is club president.

Chairmen of the show include: Mrs. Odell Freeman, Mrs. C. L Sherrell and Mrs. Erma B. Black, schedule; Mrs. Jarrett Williams, Mrs. Dale Litton, Mrs. W. S. J. Brown and Mrs. W. T. Sadler, staging; Mrs. Joe Hartley, Mrs. Ernest Teaff, Mrs. R. M. Ferguson and Mrs. Herber.t Mrs. J. B. Foster Patterson, entries; Mrs. Mack Fisher, Mrs. W. L. Brown, Mrs. Eunice Massey and Mrs. Earl Hughes, classification;

Mrs. Robert Hicks, Mrs. Johnnye Cox, Mrs. C. B. Leach, and Mrs. Mary Click, Horticulture; Miss Christine Collins and Mrs. memory of "Daddy Earl."

"Autumn's Memorable Mo- John Shannon, publicity; Mrs A. fresh plant materials predominments" is the theme chosen for H. McElmurray and Mrs. H. N. antly using "semething old." the Merkel Garden Club Flower Odum, properties; Mrs. Dee Brown, Mrs. Dale Litton, Mrs. Joe Hartley, Mrs. Ernest Teaff and Mrs. Robert Hicks.

crescent.

possible entries.

paper for Class II.

Century - a futuristic design.

Division II will place emphasis

The Juniot Division will show

nine different types of leaves

Junior Garden Club chairmen are Mrs. Clyde Bartlett, Miss Christine Collins and Mrs. Lucy

Classes in the first division will Autumn's Encore, an arrange-

ment of predominantly fresh Random Harvest - A still life

composition.

Autumn's Treasurers for Winter Pleasures - a design using dried or treated materials. Memories of Thanksgiving

CEMETERY FUND

Pierce Horton, Plainview E. L. Criswell, Plainview

Mrs Ada Mae Johnson Mrs. Amy Sears Mrs. R. G. Toombs in mem-

ory of Mrs. C. R. Roland Mrs. J. J. De La Garza in

The Merkel Badgers can wear rushing and 75 through the air, the District 6-A Crown by de- while amassing 280 yards runfeating Roscoe at Merkel Sta-ning and 83 passing. Merkel got its first score from

dium in the game starting at 7:30 Friday night.

untied in league play. But so the one to finish a 63 yard drive. are the Roscoe Plowboys, Merkel Weldon Tittle then scored from is also hurt with injuries. And the five to make the tally 12 to the Plowboys will be set and 0 with two minutes left in the eager to defeat Merkel.

35 to 0 at Coahoma last Friday night to add the Coahoma Bull- Merkel dogs to the Badgers' string of 18 First Downs 7 victories. Merkel played a score- 280 .. Rushing Yardage .. 38 less tie with Stanton and was 83 Passing Yardage 75 defeated 50 to 14 by Albany. Merkel's victories include:

Kel 6, Baird 0; Merkel 20, Rotan 3 for 15 .. Penalties, yds. 3 for 39 6; Merkel 13, Aspermont 0; 4 Fumbles Lost 4 Merkel 48, Wylie 12.

to their fourth district victory · over Coahoma in what Coach Byerly described as one of Merkel's best games. He said the team has played better defensively in games and better offensivedy in others - but that the Bad- 506 Runnels, began an attendance gers played better all around ball campaign this past week, and the against Coahoma.

members of the Merkel Booster Club that he looks for Roscoe to this number is to be increased by of ball from what they have been

don Tittle, Gary Adcock, Jimmy night. Rives and Larry Owen.

Lacking in depth, the Badgers the goal for next Sunday is 105, could be in desperate straits with

the loss of manpower, The Merkel team held Coahoma its last opponent, to 38 yards

A. L. Walden Rites Held

Arthur Lee Walden, 81, retired farmer and longtime Jones and Taylor county resident, died at 5 a m. Saturday at Sunshine Rest Home in Abilene, where he had resided the past two years.

Funeral was held at 3 pm. Sunday at Merkel Methodist Church, with the Rev. Howard Marcom, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Rose Hill Cemetery in

Born July 29, 1882, in Walnut Autumn5s Moon Magic - a de-Grove, Ark., he married Della Andrews in December, 1903, in Cecil, Ark. They moved to the Tomorrow's Autumn - 21st Stith community in Jones county in 1923, later residing north of Tye and south of Merkel. The on horticulture with over 200 couple moved into Merkel in

He is survived by his wife; two Witches Frolic in Class I and sons, Clarence B. of Midland and Woodrow of 30 Cambridge Courts presed or dried on construction in Abilene; two daughters, Mrs. Fred Horton of Hawley and Mrs. Division IV will be on conserv- Troyce Bagley of 761 Amherst, ing the soil under the supervision Abilene, and 11 grandchildren and 8 great grandchildren.

of Holland Teaff. Hallowe'en Carnival For Merkel Scheduled at Community Center

Merkel Community Center will be the scene for the annual Hallowe'en Carnival Thursday night, October 31st.

A concession stand will have hot dogs, cold drinks, coffee, and doughnuts for sale. Other activities include: a penny pitch, ring the bottle, cake walk, bingo, basketball ring, dart board, fishing booth, and a parade of spooks. There will also be several door prizes given away throughout the evening.

Proceeds will be contributed to charity and various Beta Sigma Phi Projects for the year.

BADGERS LAME

half. Merkel scored in the third

CTATISTICS

7 of 15 .. Passes Comp... 7 of 19

2.. Passes Intercepted by ..1

Calvary Baptists

Start Campaign

The Calvary Baptist Church,

very first Sunday the attendance

The goal for Sunday was 100,

Coahoma when halfback C. B.

The Badgers are unbeaten and Brown crossed the goal line from

The Badgers blanked Coahoma quarter and twice in the fourth.

Merkel 26, Cross Plains 0; Mer- 3 ofr 36.3 Punts, Avg. 6 for 35.0

The Badgers slashed their way

However. Coach Byerly told was well above the goal set. lay an entirely differnt brand 1st, when the goal will be 125.

Attendance Sunday was 115. On theinjured dist for Merkel with well - atended preaching at this time is powerhouse Wel- services both morning and

According to the original plans but the pastor and superintendent are hopeful of going over this by a wide margin. Having established an average of 125 by the end of the year, the pastor anticipates a greater growth next year. He says he sees no reason why Calvary Baptist cannot reach 200 in Sunday School next year, except "our laziness and

prayerlessness.' "Of course," Pastor Clark states, "the real goal is not the mere number itself, but to see more and more people being blessed by the study of the word

Johnson finishes **Mechanic Course**

Army Pvt. Johnny W. Johnson, son of Mrs. Connie Johnson, 811 Locust St., Merkel, recently completed a 14 - week automotive mechanic course at the Ordnance Center, Aberdeen Proving Ground, Md.

During the course Johnson received instruction in the maintenance and repair of engines for the Army's tracked and wheeled vehicles. The 23 - year - old soldier en-

tered the Army last April and completed basic training at Fort Polk, La.

Johnson attended Merkel High School.

MIKE MELTON GETS MASHED HELMET

Mike Melton, son of Denzel Melton and grandson of Price Melton of Merkel, missed serious injury at Kermit when playing football.

Mike butted heads with Carmen Orozco in practice. The thud was heard from one end of the field to the other.

Mike's helmet showed a 6-inch cave in.

vice president; Larry Howard, treasurer; Tommy South, parli-

teaching profession. Mrs. Diane Marrs gave readings, Mrs. Jimmy Stubblefield talked on teacher

HOME DEMONSTRATION NOTES

By LORETA ALLEN

I am back in the office today as past president of the County Home Demonstration Agent's Association with my desk stacked with mail that accumulated while Friday and Saturday attending ist the annual meeting of the County Home Demonstration Agest's

stration Council will meet Thursday to elect council officers for 1964. Mrs. Charles Smith has been Chairman this year: Mrs. Herman Hamon, vice chairman; Mrs. Lance Smith, secretary and Mrs. J. A. Moore, treasurer.

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> Medium to small size apples by the bag may be the best value. Today grapes and bananas are featured at attractive prices this week, but check for quality, the specialist adds.

Cranberries are available for a new menu offering. Grapefruit on the market with prices ranging from moderate to high. Sweet potatoes, russet and red pota-

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toes, cooking greens, cabbage, eggplant and carrots are among the budget extenders for vegetables this wek. And there are limited quantities of localy grown peas, okra, broccoli, and cucumber coming to market.

Poultry departments abound with good buys. Fryers, chicken hens, turkeys and eggs are all good protein choices. Large supplies of beef and pork await your other 'cook out' methods are selection. Various beef roasts and hindquarter cuts for broking are featured. Ground beef continues as a good value, and pork loin roasts, shoulder steaks and Boston butts are attractively priced. And you may want to consider cured and canned ham, picnics and bacos, the specialist adds. Here is a fresh apple bread you might like to try

> FRESH APPLE ORANGE BREAD

1 cup brown sugar 1cup white sugar (or 1/2 cup oney & 1/2 cup white sugar

- 25 cup shortening 212 cups ground or grated un
- 2 cup finely chopped nuts
- 4 cup orange peeling, ground 4 cups sifted flour
- 2 teaspoons baking powder teaspoons soda 11/2 teaspoons salt

Cream together sugar and short until light and fluffy. Mix together orange juice (you may use powder, soda and salt. Add fruit mixture alternately with dry mixter comes out clean. Baking con-Noured. Try making small round loaves by baking in No. 2 popforn or soup cans. Fill cans about a full of batter. When cold, cut Grange, Trustees, recorded in in thing rounds and spread with butter or creamed cheese for aftersoon tea, or party refreshments. Nippy cheese is much bet-

The Missippi River is known s the "Father of Waters."

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complete description of said

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Merkel Girl

Grange and husband, G. O. La

which is here made for a full and

Deed Records of Taylor County, Texas, reference to

Miss Betty Jo Richardson of Merkel was recently accepted as a member of Pandora Social Club at Abilene Christian College

more home economics major, The 1962 graduate of Merkel High School is the daughter of

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Richardson,

401 Rose, Merkel. Roy and Hazel Largent have returned from Dallas where he was judge of the Hereford show at the State Fair. They also at-

tended the American Royal Livestock Show in Kansas City, Mo.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Joe Swinney last Sunday were their children, Harold of Wichita Falls Tommy of Abilene, Herbert of Shamrock and Nancy of Merkel.

Mr. Swinney has been ill but is reported to be doing better.

ALL **TYPES** 0F **INSURANCE BONEY** INS. AGENCY

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Le Tourneau College in Longview visited Mr. and Mrs. Buck Leach this past week end,

Louis E. Carson is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Carson. He has recently been

Dick Leach and Jim Lee from aboard the USS Bon Homme Richards, on a naval reserve training cruise

> Mr. and Mrs. Buck Leach visited last week with their daughter, Linda at Llano.

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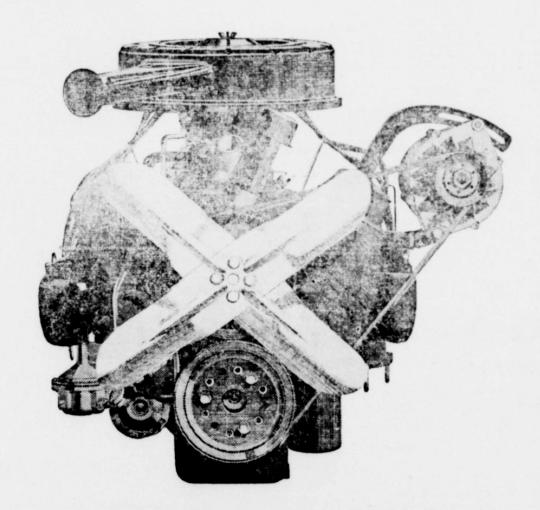
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reassuring to know you're getting a car built with the pure and simple integrity of a Chevy II. (Upkeep has been even further reduced this year by such refinements as larger self-adjusting brakes.)

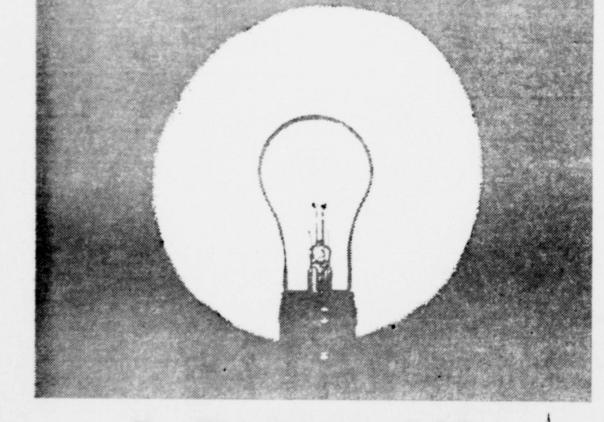
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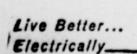
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at Sadler Clinic. He weighed

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The officer executing this writ

tion on file in said suit.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: Betty Ruth Bramlett, De-

fendant, Greeting YOU ARE HEREBY COM-MANDED to appear before the Honorable Court of Domestic Relations of Taylor County at the Courthouse thereof, in the City of Abilene, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of the issuance of this citation, same being the 16th day of December A.D. 1963, to plaintiff's petition filed in the 42nd District Court of Taylor County, Texas, on the first day of April A.D. 1963 and thereafter duly and legally transferred heretofore in July A.D. 1963 to the said Court of Domestic Relations of Taylor County, Texas, and filed and docketed in said Court of Domestic Relation in, as and under cause No. 188 and now pending in said last named court and numbered 188 on the docket thereof and styled S. W. Bramlett. Plaintiff, vs. Betty Ruth Bramlett, Defendant.

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Sharon Kay Cypert, Joseph Alves **Married In Home Ceremony**

Sharon Kay Cypert and A.2.C. Joseph V. Alves were married Bell Bramlett (a girl), Betty Ann in a double ring ceremony Thursday evening in the home of the birde's parents. The Rev. Rod-Bramlett (a gint), all as is more ney Williams, pastor of Matthew Methodist Church of Lubbock, If this citation is not served officiated.

Parents of the bride are Mr. and Mrs. William R. Cypert. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Mary Alves of Wallingford, shall promptly serve the same Conn.

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and the mandates hereof, and by Mrs. Junior Clark, organist, make due return as the law diand Mrs. Walace Cantrell of Abilene, soloist, Issued and given under my

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Attending the wedding were Mrs. Mary Alves, mother of the groom and Zelita Alves, sister of Wallingford, Conn.

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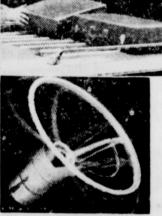
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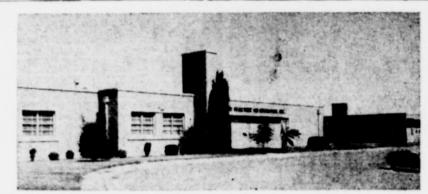
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CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: Clarence Baker, Defendant, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COM-MANDED to appear before the Honorable Domestic Relations Court of Taylor County at the Courthouse thereof, in Abilene,

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A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff and Defendant were married on December 4, 1943, and separated on or about January of 1945, Plaintiff and Defendant have lived apart without cohibitation for more than seven years; no children were born and no property has been acquired as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Abilene, Texas, this the 4th day of October A.D. 1963.

> Attest: R. H. ROSS Clerk Domestic Relations Court of Taylor County, Texas. By Janie Brock, Deputy

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TO: Mario Soto Najera, Defend-MANDED to appear before the lations of Taylor County at the

Courthouse thereof, in Abilene, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty - two days from the date of the issuance of 201 Edwards Ph. 8-6611 this citation, same being the 25th day of November A.D. 1963,

to Plaintiff's Petition filed in thereof, in Abilene, Texas, by filsaid court, on the 8th day of Octing a written answer at or before tober A.D. 1963, in this cause, 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monnumbered 594 on the docket of day next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of said court and styled Ernestina Ramirez Najera, Plaintiff, vs. the issuance of this citation, same being the 11th day of November A brief statement of the na-A.D. 1963, to Plaintiff's Petition ture of this suit is as follows, tofiled in said court, on the 27th wit: Plaintiff and Defendant were day of September A.D. 1963, in legally married on or about the this cause, numbered 10,088-B on 16th day of June, 1963, and bethe docket of said court and stylcame separated on or about the ed R. M. Wagstaff, Plaintiff, vs. 17th day of June, 1963. Plaintiff J. H. Knox and the unknown heirs and personal representasues for divorce on grounds of tives of J. H. Knox, deceased, harsh and cruel treatment as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's and S. E. Knox and the unknown heirs and personal representa-If this citation is not served tives of S. E. Knox, deceased, within ninety days after the date and the unknown owners of the of its issuance, it shall be returnhereinafter described property,

Mario Soto Najera, Defendant.

Petition on file in this suit.

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at Abilene, Texas, this the 8th

Attest: R. H. ROSS, Clerk,

Domestic Relations Court

Taylor County, Texas

By Millie Scott, Deputy

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ceased, and the unknown owners

of the hereinafter described prop-

erty, the residences of said afore-

named defendants being unknown,

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Honorable 104th District Court of

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Defendants, Greeting:

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within the State of Texas

day of October A.D. 1963.

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nicipal Corp., Defendants, A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: This is a suit in Trespass to Try Title in which Plaintiff sues for title and possession of Lots 4, 5 and 6 in Block "J" of Hughes Subdivision of Lot 4, Block 204, of the City of Abilene, Taylor

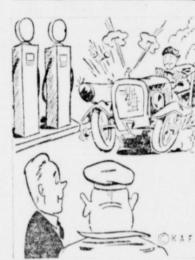
and the City of Abilene, a Mu-

Plaintiff alleges that he has record title to said property, and also title by adverse possession and limitation under the 3, 5, 10 and 25-year Statutes of Limitation of Texas, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

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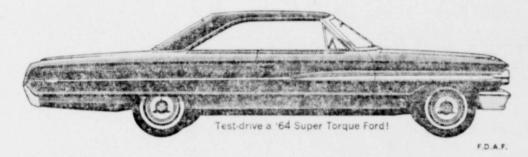
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