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ABWA TO ORGANIZE CHAPTER IN MERKEL

The Oro Negra Chapter of the "American Business Women's Association" of Abilene are making plans to organize a Friendship Chapter in Merkel, according to Lola Dunagin, Abilene Chapter member.

ABWA is an educational association with its major aims and

purposes directed toward the improvement of employer-employee relations, keeping business women up to date on business techniques and the advancement of women in business through more efficient service to business, Mrs. Dunagin stated.

She further stated that individual benefits are stressed for members of the association including a 10 to 25 per cent discount while visiting at any of seventy-five resorts plus many listed hotels across the country.

This is an organization for business and professional women interested in personal success, increased earning ability and personal development to share a friendship with other business women, said Mrs. Dunagin.

For further information concerning the ABWA there will be a committee at the Chamber of Commerce office Thursday and Friday, April 16 and 17 from 7 to 9 p.m. and Saturday, April 18 from 1 until 5 p.m.

Funeral Rites For Will Moore

Funeral was held at 2 p.m. Friday in East Side Baptist Church in Abilene for William Henry Moore Sr., 76, of 1501 Truman, who was dead on arrival at Hendrick Memorial Hospital at 9:30 p.m. Wednesday.

The Rev. Hershel Thomas, pastor, officiated. Burial was in Rose Hill Cemetery with Elliott's Funeral Home in charge.

Born in Cleburne Oct. 24, 1887, Mr. Moore married Nina Kemp in Munday Dec. 24, 1923. They moved to Merkel in 1936 where he farmed until 1950. In April of 1950 they moved from Merkel to Abilene. He was a member of East Side Baptist Church.

Survivors are his wife; five sons, John H. of Tolar, William H. Jr. of Aledo, Howard of Blair, and Alonzo and Jerry of the home; three daughters, Mrs. Harvey Bryan of Blair, Mrs. Milton Williams of Aledo and Mrs. Wayne Maxwell of 3418 Vogel, Abilene; seven sisters, Mrs. Nannie Norwood of Tahoka, Mrs. Gilie Lewis of Roby, Mrs. Stella Parramore of Cedar Hill, Mrs. Eugene Searcy, Mrs. Claude Hill and Mrs. Jim Proffitt, all of Munday, and Mrs. Bessie White of 3602 Grape in Abilene; and 21 grandchildren.

Pallbearers were Guy Boss, Don Shupe, Houston Jones, Bill Wallace, Britt Foy and W. C. Wallace.

Pancake Supper Slated Thursday

A pancake supper, sponsored by the Trent Pep Club, will be held Thursday, April 16 at the Trent High School.

Trent High School Cafeteria, according to Jackie Guy, Pep Club president.

Pancakes will be served from 6:30 until 8:30 p.m. with tickets on sale at 50 cents.

Proceeds from the supper will go toward an Athletic Banquet to be held April 20.

Yarborough To Speak at REA

Senator Ralph Yarborough will be the principal speaker at the 23rd annual meeting of the Taylor Electric Cooperative in Merkel April 16.

According to Norman Winter, general manager of the Cooperative, the program will include registration at 9:30 a.m. with entertainment by the Merkel High School Stage Band.

The Gospelairens will sing from 10:30 until the introduction of area candidates for political office.

At 11:30 Congressman Omar Burleson is to introduce Senator Yarborough.

Luncheon is to be at 12 noon. According to Winter the Larks will furnish entertainment until the business session Thursday afternoon.

Funeral Held For Brother Of Merkel Woman

Services for W. R. (Dick) Dwiggins, decorated World War II veteran, were held at 2 p.m. Monday at Gause Ware.

Burial was in Emerald Hills Cemetery at Kennedale.

Mr. Dwiggins, 55, of Kennedale, died Saturday in the veterans hospital in Dallas after a long illness. He was a retired machinist with the T&P Railway, member of Masonic Lodge and a member of the Baptist Church.

He is survived by his wife; a son, Samuel Calvin; a daughter, Susan; a step-daughter, Marjorie Sweeney, all of Fort Worth; three sisters, Mrs. Kim Merritt, Fort Worth, Mrs. Earl Watts, Merkel, and Ms. Jack Arnwine, Carlsbad, N.M.; and three grandchildren.

CEMETERY FUND

Recent donors to the Cemetery Fund were: John J. Toombs, Abilene; Mrs. D. W. Ashby, Abilene; Mary Collins; Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Moore.

MERKEL SENIORS PRESENT PLAY

Approximately 325 attended the Tuesday evening performance of "It's Great to Be Crazy" presented by the Merkel Senior Class.

The 3 act comedy was centered around a "Crazy mix-up" due to a letter the Maxwell family had received concerning their family tree.

Leading roles were played by Larry Howard, as Mr. Maxwell, the father; Mary Clark as Mrs. Maxwell, the mother; Mary Dunigan as Betty Lou Maxwell, the 15 year old daughter; Carole Sue McAninch as Connie Maxwell, the 17 year old daughter and Doug Barnhart as Wilbur Maxwell, the

13 year old son.

Also appearing in the play were Sarah Harris as Bernadine, a friend, Jimmy Crawford as Hercules Nelson, Joy Lewis as aunt Mary, Beverly Butman as Gertrude and Phil Winter as Louie, two unsuccessful robbers. C. E. Brown as Mr. Mallory, the boss of Mr. Maxwell, Audrey Reagan as Gladys, the maid, Paulette Gillespie, as Clara Smith the policewoman, Jack Mansfield as Grover Jennings and Carol Lynn Joiner as Mrs. Jennings.

Director of the play and sponsor of the senior class is Linda Peck.

Merkel Takes First Place In District 6-A Track Meet



SOUND YOUR 'A' — Members of the Chord Master Quartet that will be among the singers to present a program in Merkel April 24 are from left to right Garvel Hecto, baritone; John Townsend, bass; Reece Foster, tenor, and David Bedford, lead.

Cancer Crusade Can Help You

Volunteers for the Cancer Crusade are asked to meet at the Merkel Elementary School Monday, April 20 at 5:30 p.m. for house to house canvassing, stated Johnny Cox, chairman.

He said that some 90,000 persons will die of cancer this year simply because they did not get to their doctors in time for an early diagnosis and prompt treatment.

TRENT JUNIORS HONOR SENIORS

The Trent Juniors honored the Seniors with a banquet at the HighwayHouse in Abilene last Saturday.

The banquet, "The Days of Wine and Roses," was held in the Carriage Room with approximately 60 attending.

Speaker for the occasion was Ed Winn, math teacher from

Earth. Mr. Winn recently taught math in the Trent schools.

The program was presented by Sammy Burns Combo, a group from Abilene Christian College.

The highlight of the evening was a ceremony including a toast to the senior class and a red rose presented to each member of the class.

Badgers Set 3 New Records

Merkel walked off with the team championship at the District 6-A Track meet held in Sweetwater Saturday with a score of 107 points.

Roscoe finished second with 96 points followed by Coahoma with 86½.

Three new records were set by Merkel Badgers Jackie Reynolds, Douglas Barnhart and Charles Dannheim.

Reynolds clocked a 22.8 in the 220 yard dash, Barnhart set a new record with a 4:45 on the mile run and Dannheim's new record came in the high jump with 5 feet 10 inches.

Other Badgers to place in the track events were Howell Cooper, third in the 880 yard run; Don Rich, sixth in the 100 yard dash and Jimmy Crawford, third, Nealon McWilliams, fifth and Johnny Hardesty, sixth in the 440 yard dash.

Also Don Rich, fourth in the 220 yard dash and Hayden Griffin sixth in the mile run. Larry Owens, first in pole vault and Robert Shouse third in discus and fourth in shot put.

Merkel placed first in the 440 relay with a time of 45.5 and placed second in the mile relay with a time of 3:34 by team members Nealon McWilliams, Howell Cooper, Jimmy Crawford and Jackie Reynolds.

H. Teaff Injured In Auto Accident

Henry Holland Teaff, 73, of Rt. 3, Merkel, was in critical condition at Hendrick Memorial Hospital with a head injury sustained in a two-car accident at Pine and Huckleberry Lane in Abilene Friday about 1 p.m.

His sister, Miss Selina Teaff, 72, was held for observation at Hendrick.

Carrence W. Roberts, 43, of 1465 Tanglewood, driver of the other car, told investigating Patrolman Shelby Fancher he would see his physician about a cut on the bridge of his nose.

Both cars were moving north on Pine. Fancher said Teaff started a left turn and his car was struck broadside by Robert's car.

Teaff is a prominent farmer of the Merkel area and has received several awards for his conservation efforts. He has been a leader in promoting interest in conservation practices among school students in Taylor County.

Trent Wins 17-B District Track

The Trent Gorillas walked off with the District 17-B track and field championship over the week end in their meet held at Indian Stadium at McMurry College.

Trent's Lee Lanning, who set records in the low and high hurdles by topping his performance in those events last year, won individual honors with 33 points. The Gorillas had 145½ team points.

Blackwell edged out Roby 125 to 123½ for second, while Highland had 52½ and Divide 27 points.



THE BOSSES — These are the officers and directors of the Taylor Electric Cooperative — the men who have made the policies and guided the power coop for 1963-64. Standing from left to right are Noble Touchstone, Tuscola; Jack Morrow, Hawley; Ray Orsborn, Merkel; R. C. Watts, Hylton; Norman Winter, manager, Merkel; Bryan Bradberry, attorney, Abilene; seated, Odis Moore, Nolan; Henry Roberts, Ovalo; Comer Haynes, Merkel; Riley Miller, Potosi; Elmo Jones, Tuscola.

Welcome Taylor Electric Co-Op Members

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF TAYLOR

By virtue of an Alias Execution issued out of The 78th District Court of Wichita County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 21st day of December, 1959, in favor of Burk Royalty Company and against the said George D. Harris, in the case of Burk Royalty Company against George D. Harris, No. 64,409-B, in such Court, I did on the 7th day of April, 1964, at 3:00 o'clock P.M., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land and the following identified items of personal prop-

erty and equipment, all situated in the County of Taylor, State of Texas, as the property of George D. Harris as of December 28, 1959, at 10:20 o'clock A.M. (being the date upon which Abstract of Judgment in the above cause was filed for record in Taylor County, Texas, now shown at Volume 16, page 449 of the Abstract of Judgment Records of Taylor County, Texas) as well as the present interest of said George D. Harris in such land and personal property referred to hereinafter:

"Such property consisting of an undivided one - eighth interest in each of the oil and gas leases known as the West Texas Utilities Company Leases situated in Taylor County, Texas, formerly under operation by Gly, Incorporated, as follows:

"Lease No. 1: Dated October 23, 1951, executed by West Texas Utilities Company, Lessor, to Warren Oil Corporation, Lessee, recorded Volume 433, page 450 of the Deed Records of Taylor County, Texas, covering a tract of land particularly described therein as 230.19 acres, more or less, situated partly in the East part of the South half of Survey No. 61, and partly in the West part of the South half of Survey No. 60, both in Blind Asylum Lands, Taylor County, Texas, reference to which lease is expressly made for full description and for all

purposes, but only insofar as said lease covers rights from the surface to and including 1900 feet below the surface in the North half of that portion of the leased premises situated in Survey No. 61 and the South half of that portion of said leased premises situated in Survey No. 60, both in Blind Asylum Lands, Taylor County, Texas;

and an undivided one - eighth interest in all personal property and equipment and oil field supplies used and obtained in connection with such lease as to said lands, including but not limited to: two 150 barrel storage tanks, one Axelson pump jack with electric motor, one T-5 American pump jack with electric motor, 3,500 feet of tubing and rods, 1750 feet of one - half inch casing, 1750 feet of two and seven - eighths inch casing, two bottom hole pumps, and flow lines with all miscellaneous fittings and connections; with the same interest in the wells on said lands.

"Lease No. 2: Dated October 23, 1951, executed by West Texas Utilities Company, Lessor, to Warren Oil Corporation, Lessee, recorded Volume 433, page 450 of the Deed Records of Taylor County, Texas, covering a tract of approximately 153.38 acres in the Southwest portion of Survey No. 1, Lunatic Asylum Lands, Taylor County, Texas, but insofar only as said lease extends from the surface to a depth of 1900 feet below the surface of the land described as the South half of the Southwest quarter of said Survey No. 1, Lunatic Asylum Lands, Taylor County, Texas.

and an undivided one - eighth

interest in all personal property and equipment and oil field supplies used and obtained in connection with such lease as to said lands, including but not limited to: one T-5 American pumping unit with electric motor, two 150 barrel storage tanks, 1750 feet of four and one - half inch casing, 1750 feet of tubing and rods, one bottom hole pump and all flow lines with miscellaneous fittings and connections, with the well on said land which is equipped with the above.

"Lease No. 3: Dated October 23, 1951, executed by West Texas Utilities Company, Lessor, to Warren Oil Corporation, Lessee, recorded Volume 433, page 447 of the Deed Records of Taylor County, Texas; and a certain lease dated November 26, 1951, executed by L. P. Rankin and others, Lessor, to Warren Oil Corporation, Lessee, recorded in Volume 434, page 101 of the Deed Records of Taylor County, Texas; both said leases describing a tract of 117.67 acres, more or less, out of the North half of Survey No. 1, Lunatic Asylum Land, fully described in each said lease to which reference is hereby expressly made for all purposes, insofar only as said leases cover rights from the surface to a depth of 1900 feet below the surface of the South half of the tract of land described therein:

"Which said lease interests are subject to an overriding royalty interest reserved to Gulf Oil Corporation."

and on the 5th day of May, 1964, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. on said day at the courthouse door of Taylor County, Texas, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said George D. Harris as such interests existed on the 28th day of December, 1959, and at all times subsequently.

Dated this 7th day of April, 1964.
J. D. WOODARD, Sheriff of Taylor County, Texas.
By ROBERT ALEXANDER, Deputy.

Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Palmer of Merkel spent Thursday visiting their son and daughter in law, Mr. and Mrs. Earl Palmer.

Blue Bonnet HDC Program Varied

Members of the Blue Bonnet Home Demonstration Club met recently in the Community Center with Mrs. R. E. Clemmer and Mrs. Maurice Johnson as hostesses.

Members of the Mulberry Canyon 4-H Club spoke on the following subjects:

Mary Johnson, public speaking; Judy Brnovak, 4-H money management; Robert Clemmer, soil conservation; Mark Dudley, share the fun; Gaylon Brnovak and Glen Bryan, farm and ranch management.

Donald Russom, public speaking; Betsy Johnson and Susie Riney, poultry.

New members were Mrs. Odis Griffin and Mrs. Elmer Patterson.

Bridge Club Winners Named

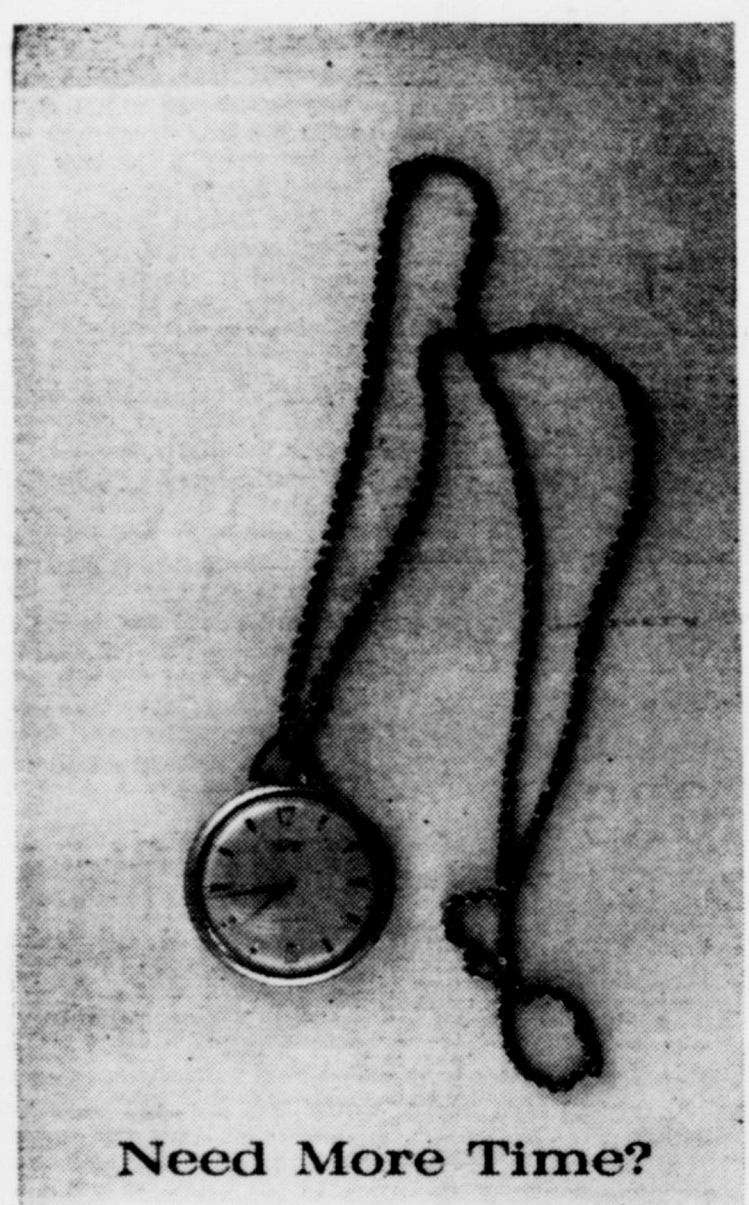
Winners of the Merkel Duplicate Bridge Club were announced last Thursday.

Winning first place were Meyer Mellinger and Bob Ford followed by second place winners Bea Flesher and Isadore Mellinger.

In the third place position were Mary Cleo Sadler and Bonnie Dayton.

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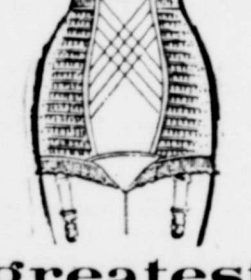
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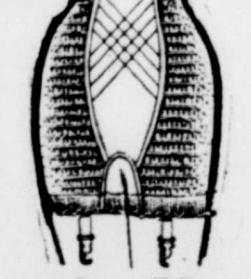
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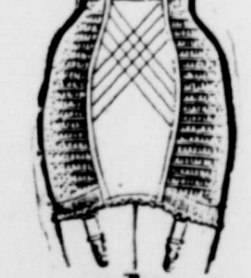
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DANIEL DISTRICT JUDGE CANDIDATE

J. Neil Daniel of Abilene, former District Clerk, City Judge and City Attorney, and in the private practice of law for the past ten years, has announced his candidacy for District Judge of the 104th District Court.



J. NEIL DANIEL
... Abilene attorney

Daniel, in asking the people of Jones and Taylor counties to effect a change in the judgeship of the 104th District Court, in making his announcement said: "The time has come for a change of judges in the 104th District Court, and I and my many friends are asking the people of Taylor and Jones counties to help me make this change. My opponent has been judge of this court for twenty-four years, he is sixty-eight years of age, and ample provision has been made for the retirement of such judges from the bench.

"I have had an ambition for quite some time to be your District Judge, and to that end have devoted these past ten years preparing myself for this position. I ask you to give me the opportunity to serve you. I am ready, and my many friends who have urged me to run say I am ready, and my experience qualifies me for the judgeship.

Announcement

Dr. L. R. Chapman of Abilene, will be in Merkel April 29 at 3 p.m. to vaccinate dogs. He will be located at the Fire Department in the City Hall Building.

The Quarterback Club is hosting an All-Sports hamburger supper for all junior high and senior high boys and girls at the football field Friday, April 17 at 6:30 p.m.

A ground-squirrel eradication demonstration will be held at 2:30 p.m. Thursday, April 23, at the Merkel Cemetery. G. N. Reynolds said he would show any interested persons how to get rid of the squirrels.

All fathers of boys of pony league age, 13-15, are asked to meet at the REA shop behind the Taylor Electric Building Tuesday, April 21 at 7:30 p.m.

Election Names 3 Cheerleaders

Cheerleaders for 1964-65 were named in a recent election at Merkel High School.

Five of 14 candidates were elected. Cheerleaders headed by senior Gayle Gladden are Pat Tate, senior; Sharon Dudley and Janice Shurgart, both juniors, and Cathy Derington, freshman.

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104th District Judge
J. NEIL DANIELS

U. S. Congress
OMAR BURLESON

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LUTHER LAND (Reelection)

"My opponent is serving his 24th year as Judge, and back when he first ran for office, he made the statement after his predecessor had served fifteen years as Judge, to use his own words, 'It is right, democratic and proper that a young man be given a chance,' and I submit to you now that it is indeed time to give a younger man a chance."

Daniel is a graduate of Abilene High School, a 1939 graduate of McMurry College and has lived in Abilene most of his life. He is a veteran of 23 years service in the United States Army and Army Reserve and holds the rank of Lieutenant Colonel in the Army Reserves.

He was discharged from World War II service in December, 1945, and in 1946 was elected District Clerk of Taylor County by an overwhelming majority. While serving as District Clerk he studied law and was admitted to the bar in April, 1954. Daniel has been associated in the private practice of law with Judge Tom K. Epley for the past ten years and during this time also served as City Judge in Abilene and as City Attorney.

Active in civic affairs, Daniel is a past member of the Jaycees; is a member of the Abilene Chamber of Commerce; past president of the Abilene Kiwanis Club; and has been active in all United Fund drives in Abilene since World War II. He served four years as Scoutmaster of Troop 8, sponsored by St. Paul Methodist Church in Abilene, and is still merit badge counselor for Scouts needing assistance.

Daniel has been a member of the Official Board of St. Paul Methodist Church for many years, has served as chairman of various committees on the board and is currently the Church Treasurer. Daniel's wife is the former Francis Hill Cooper. They have three children: Gayle, 18, a senior in Cooper High School; Sharon, 17, a junior at Cooper; and Walter Cooper Daniel, 15, a ninth grade student at Madison Junior High School.

Daniel is a member of the American Bar Association, of the State Bar of Texas, and is a director in the Abilene Bar Association. Mrs. Claude Warren has returned home following a visit with her sister, Mrs. Mary Hines in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Davis Shirley of Weatherford visited in the home of her brother, Allen Agnew and family over the week end.



SHE'S BEAUTIFUL... SHE'S MINE!—Max Murrell, local Chevrolet Dealer is shown accepting the keys to his 1964 Corvair from W. A. McKee, Dallas Zone Chevrolet manager. Murrell attended the spectacular mass driveway of new Corvairs at Arlington sponsored by the Dallas Zone of Chevrolet Motor Division.

Eleven Attend WSCS Meeting

The Women's Society of Christian Service met in the chapel

of the First Methodist Church Tuesday with Mrs. Vernon Hudson in charge of the meeting.

Mrs. J. S. Pinckley was in charge of the program "World Federation of Methodist Women." Also on the program was Mrs. Ruth Anderson. Eleven members attended the meeting.

INTRODUCING

(If You Haven't Met Him Already)

MAX CARRIKER

AND FAMILY
THE DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE FOR CONGRESS

FAMILY MAN Max married Dorothy Dry of Rotan upon returning from WW II. they are shown here with their children. Stuart is 16, Steve is 13, and Diane is 11. The Carrikers are Methodist.

LEGISLATOR Now completing his third term in the Texas legislature where he has made an outstanding record of accomplishment, MAX CARRIKER is equipped to move into a greater field of service in the U.S. Congress with full knowledge of how to go about getting things done for his people and America.

FARMER MAX graduated from Hardin-Simmons University in 1941 and immediately entered the service for WW II. MAX has lived on and operated his own Fisher County farm since 1946.

RANCHER Member of a pioneer West Texas ranching family, operating in Fisher and Kent counties, Max runs his own beef cattle herd at the present time.

BUSINESS MAN A seedsman for many years, MAX CARRIKER has struggled with all the recurring problems of production, processing, sales and distribution.

DEMOCRAT MAX CARRIKER has worked in and for the Democratic party since long before he first sought public office. Before going to the Legislature he served as county Democratic chairman for his home county, resigning from the Roby school board on which he had served as president, to take on this task for his party. Long a friend and supporter of President Johnson, Max Carriker would be of valuable help to the President and his Program.

SEND CARRIKER TO CONGRESS

Help Elect A Man Who Can Keep In Touch

Pd. Pol. Adv.

FARMER'S COOP GIN

MERKEL, TEXAS

Annual Membership Meeting

TO BE HELD AT MERKEL SCHOOL CAFETERIA

April 25, 1964, 2:30 p.m.

It Is Important That You Attend This Meeting

THREE DIRECTORS TO BE ELECTED
THE ANNUAL REPORT WILL BE READ
DIVIDEND CHECKS WILL BE HANDED OUT

Date: Saturday, April 25, 2:30 p.m.

DEE TEAFF, President
CURTIS McANINCH, Secretary

OMAR BURLESON SEEKS REELECTION

Omar Burleson, veteran Congressman from the 17th District, is conducting an active campaign for the Democratic Primary nomination for reelection.

In seeking reelection, Burleson states he is basing his campaign on his record of nearly 18 years service in Congress.

"In that time, I have never been a rubber - stamp, but have fulfilled my responsibility to vote on each issue for the best interest of my Country, my State, and my District," Burleson said.

"I do not think the people of the 17th District want or deserve anything less."

Burleson, at 58, is already one of the senior members of the U. S. House of Representatives in point of service.

His seniority has carried him to the Chairmanship of the potent House Administration Committee and to the third ranking position on the powerful House Foreign Affairs Committee. In addition, Burleson serves on two important Joint Committees formed from senior members of the House and Senate, as Chairman of one and Vice Chairman of the other.

"In all my years in Congress," Burleson said, "I have followed two guiding principles: First to know the views of my constituents and to reflect their sentiments to the greatest degree possible in my actions as their Representative. Second, to inform and advise as closely as I can on those



OMAR BURLESON
... 18 years service

issues which affect my District, my State, and the Nation.

Burleson termed his approach to government as one of "common sense," gained through his years in public service.

A former Special Agent for the Federal Bureau of Investigation, Burleson is former County Attorney and County Judge of Jones County, and served three years during World War II with the Navy in the Pacific.

As a leader in Congress, Burleson has consistently urged the return to a sounder fiscal policy, and the cutting of unnecessary and extravagant federal spending.

"I have tried to see that your tax money is spent wisely, and as frugally, as you would have spent it had you been in my place," Burleson said. "The record will definitely show that on

many occasions I have found myself in the minority — especially on needless spending of the taxpayers' money. I am proud that I have never failed to exercise the right to vote and to do as I thought best."

"At every session of Congress, I have voted for expenditures below that recommended by the Executive Department, and far below that actually appropriated by the Congress, except in the field of National Defense," Burleson said.

"When it comes to the defense of this Country, I have always voted for those things calculated to make and to keep our Nation stronger than any other in the world," he said.

He urged residents of the 17th District not familiar with his background of service to investigate the record he has made — "And if you believe I have been faithful to duty and worthy of your continued support, then your active participation in my campaign will be greatly appreciated."

Burleson is a native of the 17th District. He was born and raised on a farm between Anson and Stamford in Jones County. He attended rural school, and graduated from Anson High School. Following graduation, Burleson attended Abilene Christian College, Hardin - Simmons University, and graduated from Cumberland Law School. Later, he studied postgraduate law at the University of Texas.

Burleson married Ruth DeWeese, daughter of the Rev. R. D. DeWeese, who pastored Baptist Churches in West and South Texas.

Merkel Schools Receive Yearbook

The 1964 Merkel Badger Annual Yearbook was presented by Jill West and Carole McAninch, co - editors, during an assembly program in the high school auditorium.

The annual was dedicated to E. R. Clack and T. C. Satterwhite, high school custodians.

Members of the yearbook staff are Jill West and Carole McAninch, co - editors; Johnny Hardewig and Tommy South, assistant editors; and Velma Orsborn, Paula Arnwine, Robert Shouse, Larry Howard and Carol Joiner, advertising.

Also Beverly Butman, Vickie Teaff, Cynthia Ayers and Mary Clark, circulation and Mary Joiner, Mary Dunigan, Sarah Harris, Suzanne Howard and Minjon Beard, Booster Staff.

Trent Places Second In Meet

The Trent High School boys placed second as a team in the Athletic division of the Interscholastic league meet in Sweetwater Wednesday.

Steve Kiser tied for third place individually in the over - all meet.

Entered in the track events were Keith Claborn, Kenneth Talburt, Elton Payne and Steve Kiser.

West - Higgins Exchange Vows

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Eager are announcing the marriage of their daughter, Jill West, to Robert Jess Higgins, son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Higgins.

The Rev. Howard Marcom, pastor of First Methodist Church, read the vows in the home of the bride's parents Friday evening.

The bride's sister, Bitsy West, and Tom Laney were attendants. Sidney Jack West of Midland was candle lighter.

Higgins is employed by Central Texas Iron Works, Abilene. Mrs. Higgins will be a May graduate of Merkel High School. The couple will live here.

Clyde Bartlett Attends Meeting In Sweetwater

Clyde Bartlett, manager of Burton - Lingo Company attended a meeting of the Burton-Lingo managers and employees in Sweetwater.

Twenty - five employees attended the meeting representing a total of 686 working years with the Burton - Lingo Company.

Brownie Troop Elects Officers

Brownie Troop 62 met at the Scout Hut Monday to elect officers. Serving as president is Jeri Mullenix with Kay Hollar, secretary, Christine Viera, treasurer and Dora Ascensio reporter.

Patrol leaders are Kathy Cypert, Cecelia Wade and Diane Allen.

Dr. Edwards Available For Speaking Engagement

Dr. Charles H. Edwards, who will be conducting a revival at Calvary Baptist Church beginning Sunday, April 19, will be available to appear before school and civic groups in the area to speak on "Alcoholism, Narcotic Addiction and Communism," according to Marvin H. Clark, pastor of Calvary Baptist Church.

Rev. Clark added that Dr. Edwards is an authority in these fields.

He also stated that appointments for Dr. Edwards can be made by calling 928-3844.

Dr. Beall Speaks To Local 4-H Club

The Merkel 4-H Club met in the Taylor Electric Building with president Finley Barnett in charge of the meeting.

The American Pledge was led by Terry Doan followed by the club pledge and prayer led by Vickie Robertson.

Christie Lucas, first place winner in the Declamation contest in Big Spring, gave her declamation on "Sober Men."

Guest speaker for the occasion was Dr. Beall who spoke on "Horsemanship." He was presented with a gift from the club by Katherine Criswell.

A demonstration on "Taylor Electric Co-op" was given by Gail Boone and Patricia McDuff. Recreation was led by Terry Doan and Kay Tipton.

Trent Enters Meet In Divide

Students of Trent High School entered the Interscholastic League contest held in Divide last Thursday.

First place winners from the Trent School were Sue King, slide rule; Barbara McAninch, speech and Kaye McWilliams and Susan Scott as a team in typing.

Second place winners were Betty McAninch, prose reading; Linda Barnhill, persuasive speaking; Jerry Shafer, poetry interpretation and Betty Reddin and Peggy Hartline won as a team in debate.

Trent third place winners were Donna Sharp, speech; Betty McAninch, ready writing; Sue Dickerson, poetry interpretation, Susan Scott, individual typist and Ginger Ernest and LaVerne Mitchell won as a team in spelling.

John Purcell To Preach Here

John Malcolm Purcell, second year student at the Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary in Austin, will be guest pastor at the Merkel Presbyterian Church on Sunday, April 19.

Mr. Purcell received his bachelor of arts degree from Austin has served as youth director for College in Sherman in 1961, and Casa Linda and Synnwood Presbyterian Churches in Dallas.

DOLLAR DAY SAVINGS

ALL DOLLAR DAY PURCHASES MUST BE FOR CASH

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MEN'S UNDERSHIRTS
Swiss rib, full cut, and Nylon reinforced.
2 FOR \$1.00

MEN'S SPORT SHIRTS
Short sleeves and your choice of solid colors and neat printed patterns. Sizes small, medium, large. Real Value.
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All any quality "H Bar C" shirts, with values to \$7.95. Attractive patterns. CHOICE.
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(No Whites in this group)

MATCHED KHAKIS
8.2-ounce, well tailored, sanforized shrunk Army Cloth matching pants and shirts. Available in Suntan and Postman Gray colors. All sizes.
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"Dickies" type 1 Army Cloth pants and shirts in Suntan color available at
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MEN'S SPORT COATS
A wide range of colors and patterns to select from. All are wool-blends or all wool fabrics. Available in regular and long sizes.
Group I **\$14.95**
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SEAMLESS HOSE
Guaranteed 1st Quality and in the season's newest shades. All sizes.
69c PAIR

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MEN'S SHORT SLEEVE SHIRTS
Available in White only. Fine, single - needle construction, dress collar, fine fitting and comparable to shirts selling at \$3.50 and up.
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WORK PANTS
A good quality Army Cloth pants for men. Well tailored, zipper fly, and 8 - ounce weight. All Sizes.
\$2.49 PAIR

MEN'S SPORT SOX
SPECIALLY PRICED
3 PAIRS \$1.00

WORK SOX
Men's work sox in both regular length or anklets in colored or white.
5 PAIRS FOR \$1.00

BOYS' JEANS
These are good fitting Loughran Brand Blue Jeans for boys - DOLLAR DAY ONLY
Sizes 1-10 **\$1.79**
Sizes 11-16 **\$1.98**

LADIES' HATS
Just a few left to close-out. Your Choice
\$1.99

MEN'S JEANS
13 3/4-ounce sanforized denim tight fitting jeans by "Dickie."
\$2.98 PER PAIR

MEN'S STRETCH SOX
DOLLAR DAY ONLY
2 PAIRS FOR \$1.00

QUADRIGA PERCALES
Season's newest prints in quality 80-Square Percales.
39c YARD

NYLON HOSEIERY
Styled and manufactured by one of the Nation's foremost manufacturers. Guaranteed absolutely FIRST QUALITY, all the Season's newest shades, and all sizes.
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DIAPERS
27x27-inch Birdseye diapers - hemmed and packaged.
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LADIES' SANDALS
Just Arrived - Hundreds of pairs of Ladies' Summer Sandals in white and bone. Choice of smooth leathers and Patinas, as well as straws. All sizes.
\$2.98 to \$4.98 Per Pair

GINGHAMS
Checked Cornal Gingham - 45 inch width
69c PER YARD
BROWN DOMESTIC
Wide width and smooth quality
5 YARDS \$1.00

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New Spring Colors in print for DOLLAR DAY
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CLOSE-OUT!
One big table of Ladies' Summer Dress Shoes and Flats - All are broken sizes but excellent colors and styles. Values to \$9.00.
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All cotton Plisse Crepe. A nice selection.
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SPECIAL PURCHASE ITEM

Lots and lots of smooth quality chambray. The ideal fabric for the seasons ahead.

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BATH TOWELS
A nice quality and size 20x40 inches. Many colors to select from

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Fine thread - count white sheets by "Garza." Double bed size.

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Pillow cases to match these sheets ONLY
98c PER PAIR

PASTEL SHEETS
Top quality by "Garza." All the wanted colors and double - bed size.

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HOUSE DRESSES
See this rag of ladies' house dresses and dusters.

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"MERKEL'S LARGEST DEPARTMENT STORE"

LEGAL NOTICE

THE STATE OF TEXAS
To any Sheriff or any Constable
within the State of Texas —
GREETING:

You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty-eight days before the return day thereof, in a newspaper printed in Taylor County, Texas, the accompanying citation, of which the herein below following is a true copy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION
THE STATE OF TEXAS
TO: Betty Jean Ware, Defendant.
Greeting:
YOU ARE HEREBY COM-

MANDED to appear before the Honorable Court of Domestic Relations 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 this citation, same being the 18th day of May A.D. 1964, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 30th day of March A.D. 1964, in this cause, numbered 962 on the docket of said court and styled Clarence David Ware, Plaintiff, vs. Betty Jean Ware, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature

of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff and Defendant were married on or about 9th day of April, 1962 and became permanently separated on the 3rd day of November, 1963. Plaintiff sues for divorce on grounds of harsh and cruel treatment, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit. If this citation is not served

Merkel P-TA To Meet In Auditorium Monday

The Merkel Parent - Teachers Association will meet Monday, April 20 at 7:30 p.m. in the school auditorium, according to Leon Walker, elementary school principal.

The second grade class will be in charge of the program under the direction of Mrs. H. C. Reid, Mrs. Ted Pargament and Mrs. Brandon Wade.

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 directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Abilene, Texas, this 6th day of April A.D. 1964.
(Seal)

Attest: R. H. ROSS, Clerk,
Court of Domestic Relations,
Taylor County, Texas.
By Irene Crawford, Deputy.

Edwin E. Read Buys Registered Angus Bull

Edwin E. Read, Merkel, recently purchased an Aberdeen - Angus bull from Jarrett Williams, also of Merkel.

Robertsons Host TEL Class

The TEL Sunday School Class met in the home of Mrs. Houston Robertson with Mrs. Clay Satterwhite as co-hostess.

The meeting was opened with a group prayer followed by a business meeting.

Refreshments were served to ten members.

H-SU Group To Sing

New Live Oak Baptist Church, now in revival with evangelist V. D. Walters, will have a special song service Saturday, April 18, by a group of students from Hardin - Simmons University in Abilene.

Following the service will be a youth fellowship under the direction of Marvin Williams, song director, and Jim Porter, pianist.

JIM LANGDON—A WINNER!

Railroad Commissioner Jim Langdon is a 49-year-old native Texan with a winning record in public office. When John Connally appointed him to the Railroad Commission, the Governor said:

"I have for several weeks been attempting to find a man I consider to have outstanding ability, integrity and honor... I am happy we have found that man — Judge Jim C. Langdon."

Jim Langdon has fully lived up to Governor Connally's expectations. He has conducted his office in the spirit of Governor Jim Hogg, who had the Commission set up in 1891 to look after the public interest in railroad and freight rates. It now regulates also truck and bus rates and the production of oil and gas. Judge Langdon will continue to keep transportation rates in line and see to it that our oil reserves are protected against waste and greed. This will help keep down Texas gasoline prices, already among the lowest in the nation.

Jim Langdon was elected District Judge twice and re-elected Chief Justice of the El Paso Court of Civil Appeals.



ON THE OTHER HAND—

Jim Langdon's Opponent Is a 10-Time Loser!

Jesse Owens, 69-year-old attorney, is still running for office after 38 years and TEN DEFEATS. He has lost the following races:

- 1926—Defeated for Sheriff of Foard County by L. D. Campbell.
- 1930—Defeated for District Attorney by John Meyers.
- 1932—Defeated for District Attorney by Ed Gossett.
- 1940—Defeated for District Attorney by T. Gene Rogers.
- 1946—Defeated for Court of Criminal Appeals by Tom L. Beauchamp.
- 1952—Defeated for Court of Criminal Appeals by K. K. Woodley.
- 1956—Defeated for Court of Criminal Appeals by W. A. Morrison.
- 1958—Defeated for District Judge by Tom Davis.
- 1960—Defeated for Court of Civil Appeals by James Denton.
- 1962—Defeated for Texas Supreme Court by Meade F. Griffin.

A Winner All the Way—

Jim C. Langdon

for Railroad Commissioner

(Pol. Adv.—Paid for by Jim Langdon Campaign Committee, Charles C. Langdon, Chairman)

RE-ELECT THE QUIET MAN WHO GETS THINGS DONE

OMAR BURLESON



INCOME TAX REDUCTION

The income tax reduction bill that became effective in April of 1964 had the vote and support of OMAR BURLESON who has long felt that tax relief for the public was one of the most important issues before Congress.

LIMITED BEEF IMPORTS

OMAR BURLESON introduced a bill in Congress to limit the imports of beef from foreign countries. With a 25% wholesale price decrease caused by foreign imports this bill would provide a broader market for the ranchers and cattlemen. Retail prices remain high.

REDUCE FEDERAL BUDGET

Long an advocate for lower federal spending, OMAR BURLESON, in his 18 years in Congress, has voted to reduce the federal budget from three to 13 BILLION dollars each of his nine Congressional terms. He has never voted to reduce defense expenditures.

CUBAN EMBARGO

During the Cuban affair OMAR BURLESON introduced a bill for a complete embargo on trade with that country. He voted against the sale of wheat to Russia, recognizing that it would encourage our allies to sell to Cuba which they have done in fact.

CIVIL RIGHTS

Because the present form of the Civil Rights bill contains provisions to limit the freedoms of all Americans, he voted against it. He is for the constitutional guarantees for all Americans regardless of status.

LIMITED OIL IMPORTS

In 1949 OMAR BURLESON introduced the first bill to limit oil imports, and then voted for the bill that gave the President of the United States power to limit or abolish oil imports.

REDUCE COMMITTEE BUDGETS

As chairman of the House Administration Committee, OMAR BURLESON has consistently reduced the spending of congressional committees. He reduced Adam Clayton Powell's committee spending budget by 50%.

FOREIGN AID

OMAR BURLESON has voted against foreign aid since the late 1940s. The recent reaction in Congress as to drastically reducing foreign aid and discussion about abolishing it proves him correct.

Born and raised in Jones county.

Is a lawyer. Served as County Attorney, County Judge, Special Agent FBI and in U.S. Navy, WW II.

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YOUR CONGRESSMAN

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Johnny Cox, Accountant

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Carson Super Market

Hick's Auto Supply

Burton-Lingo Lumber Co.

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Palmer Motor Co.

F & M National Bank

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF SALE THE STATE OF TEXAS COUNTY OF TAYLOR

By virtue of an Order of Sale and Execution issued out of the 104th District Court of Taylor County, Texas, on the 7th day of April, 1964, on a judgment rendered in said Court on the 3rd day of April, 1964, in favor of Melvin Dixon d-b-a Dixon Oil Company and against David Vance Cole, also known as David V. Cole, and Ellen Mae Cole, his wife, in the case of Melvin Dixon d-b-a Dixon Oil Company vs. Arnold L. Petersen, et al, No. 10,082-B in such Court, I did on the 7th day of April, 1964, at 1:25 o'clock p.m., levy upon the following described lands and property situated in the County of Taylor, State of Texas, as the property of said David Vance Cole and Ellen Mae Cole, to-wit:

Being an undivided 1-20th interest in all rights, title and interests vested in the original lessee under and by virtue of that certain Oil and Gas Lease executed by A. B. Webb and wife, Bessie Webb, as Lessor, to P. N. Wiggins, Jr., as Lessee, under date of October 13, 1949, duly recorded in Volume 400, page 179 of the Deed Records of Taylor County, Texas, INSOFAR ONLY as said Lease pertains to the South eighty acres of the William Humphrey Pre-emption Survey No. 16, Taylor County, Texas, subject to and bearing the same proportionate part of outstanding 1-16th of 7-8ths overriding royalty interest, together with the same undivided 1-20th interest in all personal property used or obtained in connection therewith:

and on the 5th day of May, 1964, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A.M. and 4:00 o'clock P.M. on said day, at the courthouse door of said county, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said David Vance Cole and Ellen Mae Cole, his wife, in and to said above described real estate and property, as such interests existed on September 7, 1963,

and at all times subsequently. Dated this 7th day of April, 1964.
J. D. WOODARD, Sheriff of Taylor County, Texas.
By Garland N. Ellison, Deputy.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS To any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas — GREETING:

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS TO: Jeneva Belle Akin Walker, Defendant, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable Domestic Relations Court 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 this citation, same being the 25th day of May A.D. 1964, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court on the 7th day of April A.D. 1964, in this cause, numbered 995 on the docket of said court and styled Charles M. Walker, Plaintiff, vs. Jeneva Belle Akin Walker, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff and Defendant were married on or about September 1, 1951 and separated on or about Nov. or Dec. 1951, they have not cohabited for and over 7 years and have accumulated as community property one 1959 Pon-

tiac, which Plaintiff prays for as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit. 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 directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Abilene, Texas, this 8th day of April A.D. 1964.

(Seal)
Attest: R. H. ROSS Clerk,
Domestic Relations Court,
Taylor County, Texas.
By Janie Brock, Deputy.

Bank of Commerce and against the said Henry Snodgrass and wife, Orana Snodgrass, No. 28,760-A of the docket of said Court, I did, on the 3rd day of April, 1964, at 3:00 o'clock P.M. levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the County of Taylor, State of Texas, and belonging to the said Henry Snodgrass and wife, Orana Snodgrass, to-wit:

Lot No. Nineteen (19), Block "Q", Richland Acres, an Addition to the City of Abilene, Taylor County, Texas, and on the 5th day of May, 1964, being the first Tuesday of said Month, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock a.m. and 4:00 p.m., on said day, at the Courthouse door of said County, I will offer for sale and sell at Public Auction,

for cash, all the right, title and interest of the said Henry Snodgrass and wife, Orana Snodgrass in and to said property.

Dated at Abilene, Texas, this the 3rd day of April, 1964.
EUGENE WILLIAMS
Constable of Taylor, County,
Texas. 5 3tc

COME TO THE REVIVAL April 19-26



Charles Edwards

EVANGELIST

from

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Church

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Pastor

LEGAL NOTICE

NO. 28-760-A
IN THE 42ND DISTRICT COURT
OF
TAYLOR COUNTY,
TEXAS
BANK OF COMMERCE
VS.
HENRY SNODGRASS, ET UX
ORANA SNODGRASS

NOTICE OF SALE

WHEREAS, by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the 42nd District Court of Taylor County, Texas, on a judgment rendered in said court on the 28th day of February, 1964, in favor of the said

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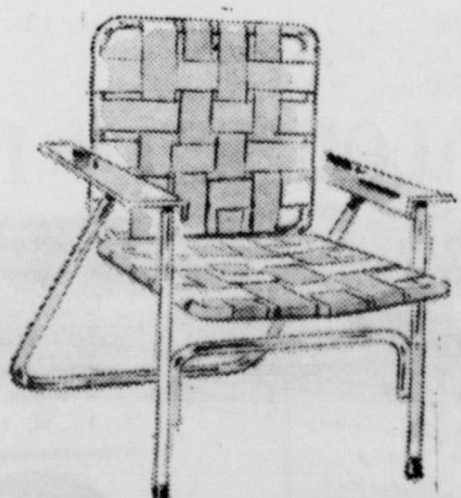
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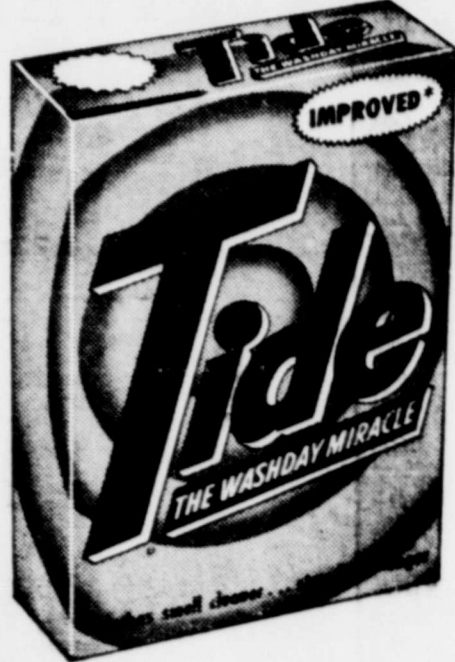


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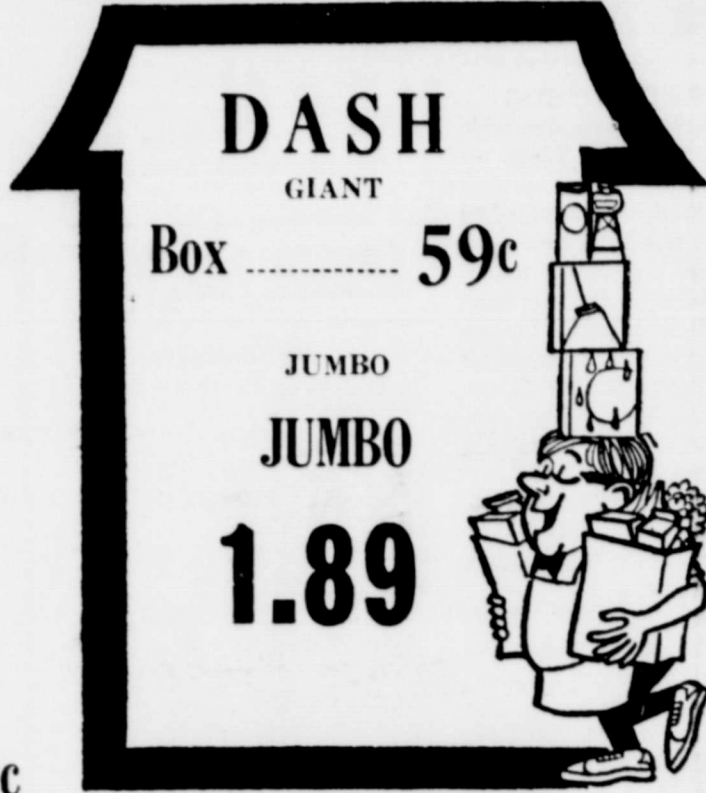


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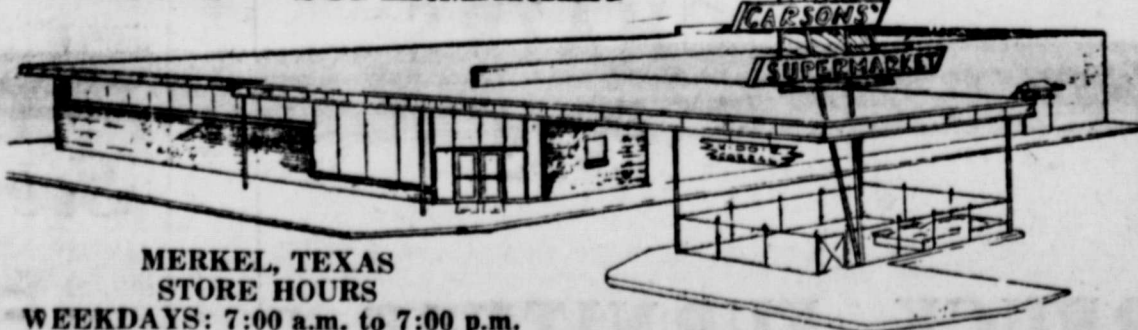
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