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Up The Canyon

By TOM
RUSSOM

The drought is still holding on in our area. Farmers and stockmen have decided a rain now would be too late for planting any kind of feed for fall grazing or to make hay.

We believe that our area is as bad as it was during the last drought we had. In some places the fields have been completely grazed.

Some boys told me this week that there wasn't enough feed between the Plains and Merkel to feed 10 cows.

Stock cattle and sheep are going to market everyday. Lots of stock tanks are dry.

The Rev. and Mrs. Kent Marrs, pastor of Pioneer Memorial Church have his parents as guests in their home this week.

Ray Orsborn has returned to his home after a few days in Sadler Clinic Hospital.

This Sunday, August 9, there will be an all day singing at Pioneer Memorial Church. Church services will begin at 10 a.m. with the singing at 11 a.m. Lunch will be served at 12 noon followed by an afternoon of singing.

Everyone is invited to attend. There will be plenty of ice water and ice tea. Bring a small lunch and enjoy the day.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Knipe and children visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Seymore Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Pyburn of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Seymore Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Douglas Pyburn of Abilene visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ray. They all attended the MYF social Saturday night.

The program Saturday night sponsored by Pioneer Memorial Church MYF was greatly enjoyed by about 60 people. Several from Merkel attended. C. B. Brown, Phil Winter, Sammy Smith and Kenneth Don Ray furnished music. Watermelons and dominos were enjoyed by all.

Brenda Barnett of Anson, granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dewel McCleans visited in the home of her grandparents and is now attending the Butman Youth Camp. Donald Russom is also attending Butman Youth Camp this week.

Those attending 4-H Camp from Mulberry Canyon were Myrtle Davis, Mary and Betsy Johnson, Katy Neill, Robert and Mark Clemmer, Judy Brnovak, Mark Dudley, Suzie Riney, Glen and Becky Bryan.

Bobby L. Womack On USS Morton

Bobby L. Womack, machinist's mate third class, USN, son of Mr. Jess L. Womack of 816 Yucca St., Merkel, participated in an operation called "Exercise Bird Dog" off the Coast of California while aboard the destroyer USS Morton.

The operation, held July 10-17 under simulated battle conditions is designed to test the Pacific Fleet's combat readiness in strike, anti-aircraft and anti-submarine missions.

Both "friendly" forces and "opposing" forces will have carrier striking forces as well as support forces.

Operations of this type are conducted periodically to increase the combat readiness of Pacific Fleet units.



HOMECOMING OFFICERS — The four homecoming officers are making plans for the 1964 homecoming. Plans have been made for a Saturday night football game October 24 with Coahoma. Officers from left are Mrs. Roy Dalziel, treasurer; Pinky Cypert, vice president; Waymon Adcock, president and Mrs. H. C. Reid, secretary.

Winners Named Saturday In First Of 6 Local Riding Club Contests

The Merkel Riding Club met Saturday night for the first in a series of contests slated for six consecutive Saturday nights.

The following winners were named.

Stick Horse Barrels: 1. Bill Russell 2. Ann Russell 3. Galen Boone 4. Tie between Robbie Whitehead and Tim Wozencraft.

Flags: 1. Robbie Whitehead 2. Tie between Tim Wozencraft and Bill Russell 3. Ann Russell 4. Galen Boone.

Poles: 1. Bill Russell 2. Tie between Galen Boone and Robbie Whitehead 3. Ann Russell 4. Tim Wozencraft.

Barrels — 9 and under — 1. Cindy Whisenhunt 2. Pat Moore 3. Tim Wozencraft 4. Robbie Whitehead.

Barrels — 10-12 — 1. Kathryn Criswell 2. Leslie Chapman 3. Jeff Whisenhunt 4. Tie between Dayna McAninch and Gaylen Frazier.

Barrels — 13-16 — 1. Terry Wozencraft 2. Lynn Gilbert 3. Bronwyn Gamble 4. Pat Bifbee.

Barrels — 16 and over — 1. Jarrett Pinckley 2. Jean Moore 3. Walter Whisenhunt 4. Ann Babbitt.

Flags — 9 and under — 1. Robby Whitehead 2. Bill Russell 3. Tim Wozencraft 4. Tonja McAninch.

Flags 10-12 — 1. Leslie Chapman 2. Dayna McAninch 3. Gay-

len Frazier 4. Bill Hatley. Flags 13 - 16 — 1. Lynn Gilbert 2. Terry Wozencraft 3. Shirley Sandusky 4. Jean Reed.

Flags — 16 and over — 1. Ralph Russell 2. Jarrett Pinckley 3. Tie between Alvin Wozencraft and Walter Whisenhunt 4. Della Henslee.

Poles — 9 and under 1. Cindy Whisenhunt 2. Gail Boone 3. Robby Whitehead 4. Bill Russell.

Poles — 10 to 12 — Kathryn Criswell 2. Pam Sandusky 3. Jerry Don Sandusky 4. Jeff Whisenhunt.

Poles 13 to 16 — 1. Shirley Sandusky 2. Lynn Gilbert 3. Jean Reed 4. John Reed.

Poles — 16 and over — 1. Barbara Whisenhunt 2. Walter Whisenhunt 3. J. D. Sandusky 4. Ann Baggett.

Ribbon Roping — 1. Ralph and Jeff Russell 2. Pam Sandusky 3. Gaylen Frazier 4. Mike and Wiley Moore 4. Stacy and Vernon Stanley.

Tie Down Calf Roping — 1. Don Parmelty 2. L. J. Gray. 3. Freddy Toombs 4. Carroll Gilbert.

Pickup Race — 1. Sue Pinckley and Don Dudley 2. Jean Moore and Jarrett Pinckley 3. Tie between Terry and Alvin Wozencraft and J. D. and Shirley Sandusky 4. Kathryn Criswell and Ralph Russell.

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Backing up the stage shows will be the Billy Williams orchestra, an outstanding band, whose recent engagements include the New York State Fair, the Peabody Hotel in Memphis, the Aragon Ballroom in Chicago, and numerous other entertainment centers over the United States.

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Four recording artists take top billing during the week of September 14 - 19 with Johnny Tillotson, whose hit "Talk Back Trembling Lips," skyrocketed him to a nationally-known singer, appearing Monday and Tuesday; Roy Clark, fastest guitar player in the world and singing comedian, seen frequently on the Jimmy Dean Show, booked for Monday through Thursday; Roger Miller, fiddle player turned song writer, whose current hit, "Dang Me," is taking the country, scheduled for Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday; and climaxing the

week of entertainment is long-time singing cowboy star, Eddy Arnold.

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Johnson - Joiner Represent County In Dress Revue

"A Roman Holiday" will be the theme of the District Seven 4-H Dress Revue which will be held in the Crystal Room of the Cactus Hotel on Thursday, Aug. 6.

Taylor County will be represented by Mary Johnson, junior, and Carol Lynn Joiner, senior.

The Dress Revue is sponsored by West Texas Utilities Company and Hemphill - Wells Company will present prizes to the girls after they model their garments at the luncheon.

The senior girls who score in the upper one fourth will represent District Seven at the State Dress Revue at the State Fair in October.

Suzanne Orr of Abilene will serve as mistress of ceremonies and Paula Hardy of San Angelo will be the fashion commentator for the revue.

School Term Begins In Merkel Aug. 31

Registration for the new school year at the Merkel schools will be on Monday, August 31, with regular classwork beginning on Tuesday, Sept. 1, according to Mack Fisher, superintendent of the local schools.

School buses will run Monday afternoon, August 31, for registration of students. The buses are scheduled to deliver the students to the schools at approximately 1:30 p.m. and return the students to their homes at approximately 3:30.

Four new teachers have been named to the local school system.

Miss Irma Foster, a graduate of Texas Technological College in Lubbock will teach vocational homemaking. She will replace Mrs. Roberta Bender who has returned to Colorado.

Miss Foster has been teaching homemaking in Bryson High School during the past three years.

Miss Sue Payne will teach English and speech. She will be graduated from McMurry College in Abilene in August Commencement exercises.

Mrs. Mary Rodgers Easton, a graduate of Hardin - Simmons University will teach Spanish and English. She will replace Mrs. Diane Marrs who recently resigned. Mrs. Easton received her bachelor and master degrees from H-SU. She has also done research work in Spanish in the University of Mexico City. Her teaching experience includes five years in the Carlsbad, New Mexico public school system, one year in Midland High School, two years in Abilene High School and two years as an assistant in the foreign language department of H-SU.

In the elementary school Mrs. Bessie Dixon, a graduate of North Texas State College, will replace Mrs. Lavelle Bronniman. Mrs. Dixon has just completed a major in elementary education. Mrs. Bronniman resigned in order to be in the school system in which her husband is employed.

A list of the Merkel faculty for 1964 - 65 includes: Mack Fisher, superintendent of schools, Edwin Read, high school principal, Miss Irma Iene Foster, Robert Byerly, Chester Collinsworth, Mrs. Joy Davis, Mrs. Ellen Reynolds, Mrs. Ruth Perkins, Mrs. Evelyn Read, Winford Reed, Mrs. Linda Peck, Miss Sue Payne, Jimmy Stubblefield, William J. Tate, A. J. Walla and Mrs. Mary Rogers Easton.

Leon Walker, principal of the primary and the elementary schools, Mrs. Jo Finley Barnett, Mrs. Lena Dunagin, Miss Norah Foster, Mrs. Hazel Pargament, Mrs. Lucy Haynes, Mrs. Naomi Holloway, Mrs. Ida May Seymore, Mrs. Jane Wade and Mrs. Eula West.

Also Mrs. Helen Benson, Miss Lydia Norcross, Ralph Bratcher, Mack Davis, Mrs. Linnie Fisher, Mrs. Elleta Orsborn, Mrs. Bessie Dixon, Mrs. Anna Belle Shouse, Charles Warford and Mrs. Mildred Winter.

The auxiliary employees are Mrs. Ida Mae Graham, bookkeeper - secretary; Clyde Bartlett, Tax assessor - collector; E. R. Clark, foreman of custodians; T. C. Satterwhite, Louis Floyd and T. G. Hull, custodians; Mrs. Velma Rutledge, cafeteria manager; Mrs. Chester McWilliams, Mrs. Joe Seymore, Mrs. Esther Luke, Mrs. Tommy Smith, assistants;

and Mrs. Rex Martin and Mrs. Lonnie Beard, part-time assistants.

Bus drivers will be Lewis Corder, driver - mechanic, M. M. Owens, Irl Walker, Mrs. Mary Floyd, W. G. Read, and A. J. Walla. Part time bus drivers are Ed Lewis, A. D. Agnew, Jimmy Stubblefield, and Charles Warford.

A vacancy exists for the bus transporting students to Sweetwater.

The registration schedule is as follows.

Freshmen and sophomores will register on Monday morning, August 31, beginning at 9 a.m.

Juniors and seniors will register on Monday afternoon, beginning at 1:30 p.m.

Primary and elementary pupils will register on Monday afternoon at 1:30 p.m.

The lunchroom will begin serving meals on Tuesday, Sept. 1. Lunches will cost 30 cents. Parents are urged to purchase lunch tickets which will sell for \$3.

Members of the Merkel school board include Ford Smith Jr., president; W. R. Cypert, vice president; Mrs. John Hardesty, secretary; D. L. Moore, Joe McDuff, Dr. Jarrett Williams and Odis Griffin, board members.

Baptist Church Slates Revival

The New Live Oak Baptist Church has slated a revival for August 9 - 16.

Evangelist will be the Rev. Allen B. Earnest, pastor of the First Baptist Church of Trent. Ronnie Freeman of Trent will lead the song service accompanied by pianist Ginger Earnest of Trent.

Sue Dickerson will be in charge of the hostess band.

The evening services will begin at 8 p.m. preceded by a prayer service at 7:30 p.m.

Sunday services will include Sunday School at 10 a.m., worship service at 11 a.m., training union at 6 p.m. and evening worship service at 7 p.m.

Ann Carson will be the pianist for the Sunday services.

LOCAL BOYS RETURN FROM MC RESERVES

The Abilene reservists of the 5th Motor Maintenance Company United States Marine Corps Reserve arrived in Abilene Saturday following two weeks annual active duty training at Barstow, California.

Marine Corps Reservists from Merkel are Joseph and Marvin Swinney, sons of Mr. and Mrs. Joe Swinney and Vernon and Dwayne Wade, sons of Mrs. Thelma Wade.

AREA STUDENTS TO RECEIVE H-SU DEGREES

Two students from Merkel will receive degrees during summer commencement exercises at Hardin - Simmons University on August 20.

William Sherman Bradley will receive the bachelor of arts degree in chemistry.

He was graduated from Merkel High School in 1959 as high ranking boy of his senior class. He was graduated from McMurry College with a bachelor of arts degree in history in spring com-

mencement exercises. Bradley is the son of J. D. Bradley of Rt. 1.

Eleanor Kay Teaff will be awarded the bachelor of arts degree in psychology. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Nim J. Teaff, route 3.

Miss Anita Louise Horton of Tuscola will receive the bachelor of business administration degree in the commencement exercises. She is the daughter of Charlie T. Horton.



MARVIN H. CLARK
... local pastor

Calvary Baptists Set Open - Air Revival Aug. 12

Calvary Baptist Church, 506 Rannels Street, has set its second annual open - air revival for August 12-16.

Evangelist for the revival will be Marvin H. Clark, pastor of the local church. Song director will be Larry White accompanied by pianist, Mrs. Larry White.

Prayer services will begin each evening at 7:30 p.m. followed by the worship service at 8 p.m. The Fundamental Baptist Church Choir from Sweetwater will be in charge of the song service Friday evening.

"We are expecting to have other out of town music talent to assist in our revival meeting," stated Rev. Clark.

The open air meeting will be held on the north side of the Calvary Baptist Church building.

Noodle Club Meets In Cox Home

The Noodle Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. C. A. Cox with Mrs. Ernest Spurgin in charge of the meeting.

Mrs. Palmer lead the opening prayer followed by a program presented by the Noodle 4-H Club girls. Janis Hill spoke on "How To Be A Good Leader in Recreation." She also led the group in games.

Karen Sullivan spoke on "Purchasing Towels for Beauty and Usefulness" followed by Marilyn Maxwell and Martha Cochran, speakers on "Proper Care of Clothing and Shoes." Dresses were modeled by Marilyn Maxwell and Sandra Womack.

Refreshments were served to nine members and seven visitors.

Announcement

The Riggan reunion will be held Sunday, August 9 at Abilene State Park in Buffalo Gap.

TRAVEL TALK

By HULIN FOWLER

San Francisco, for sheer scenic beauty and a variety of foods and entertainment, is almost incomparable.

San Francisco has the famed Golden Gate, its unique cable cars, famous Fisherman's Wharf, fine beaches, cliffs overlooking the sea, mountains and hills.

In fact, San Francisco is not-

led among hills between the mountains and the sea. Some of the grades in the streets are painfully steep, a problem picture-souly solved by the old cable cars you will want to ride.

San Francisco is older than the Declaration of Independence and in some of the more interesting areas it looks it. Yes, it is difficult to realize that this old-new city was almost completely destroyed by the great earthquake and fire of 1906 which

PUBLIC NOTICE

Proposed CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT NUMBER ONE ON THE BALLOT

PROPOSED CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT TO BE VOTED ON AT AN ELECTION TO BE HELD ON NOVEMBER 3, 1964.

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 6 proposing an amendment to Section 5 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas so as to remove the authorization to transfer not exceeding one per cent annually of the total value of the permanent school fund to the available school fund.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF TEXAS:

Section 1. Section 5 of Article VII of the Constitution of the State of Texas is amended to read as follows:

"Section 5. The principal of all bonds and other funds, and the principal arising from the sale of the lands hereinbefore set apart to said school fund, shall be the permanent school fund, and all the interest derivable therefrom and the taxes herein authorized and levied shall be the available school fund. The available school fund shall be applied annually to the support of the public free schools. And no law shall ever be enacted appropriating any part of the permanent or available school fund to any other purpose whatever; nor shall the same, or any part thereof ever be

appropriated to or used for the support of any sectarian school; and the available school fund herein provided shall be distributed to the several counties according to their scholastic population and applied in such manner as may be provided by law."

Section 2. The foregoing Constitutional Amendment shall be submitted to a vote of the qualified electors at an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1964, at which election all ballots shall have printed thereon the following:

"FOR the Constitutional Amendment to remove the authorization to transfer not exceeding one per cent annually of the total value of the permanent school fund to the available school fund."
"AGAINST the Constitutional Amendment to remove the authorization to transfer not exceeding one per cent annually of the total value of the permanent school fund to the available school fund."

Section 3. The Governor of Texas shall issue the necessary proclamation for the election and this amendment shall be published in the manner and for the length of time as required by the Constitution and laws of this State.

took 500 lives and damaged \$500 million worth of property.

Slightly over three hours from Dallas by jet, you will find the climate of San Francisco cool and comfortable at an almost unbelievable year-round average of less than 70 degrees, about 65 degrees this time of year, due to the favorable combination of high land and sea breezes.

San Francisco is famous for its food. For seafood, Fisherman's Wharf at the foot of Taylor Street is an area of old and interesting restaurants which feature such specialties as local shrimp, giant crabs, abalone and clams. A local favorite is cioppino, a type of soup-stew that is delicious. Foreign cuisine is abundant and delicious — Armenian, Chinese, East Indian, Japanese, Mexican, Russian and many others.

There is a lot to be seen in San Francisco. You can spend several days just shopping, dining and sightseeing in the city's Chinatown, said to be the largest Chinese community outside of the Orient.

In and around the city you will enjoy riding the cable cars to dizzying heights or visiting the colorful flower stands that are much the same as they were before the great quake.

Although the evil Barbary Coast is gone — cynics say the big quake was punishment for San Francisco's sins — there are historical spots aplenty in the area.

Don't miss "Embarcadero," historic waterfront district; the Old Opera House, Telegraph Hill, Nob Hill, and "Maiden Lane," the city's first pedestrian promenade. It is only by chance that the lane occupies the same location and route as the old city's red light district and the name has nothing to do with this coincidence.

Blue waters, silvery palm trees, white sands, rolling mountains — Most Americans will agree that it would be an ideal setting for a dream vacation on the French or Italian Riviera.

West Texans, however, are only a few hours away by air from one of the most beautiful and spectacular resorts, not only in this hemisphere, but the entire world. Acapulco, sometimes called the Riviera of the Pacific, is nestled among mountains overlooking the blue ocean, on the western coast of Mexico.

Boarding a jet in Dallas, Houston or San Antonio, you are less than three hours away from Mexico City, where you will transfer to another plane bound for Acapulco. On the hour long flight you will enjoy the scenic view, rolling hills and green mountains of the Sierra Madre. Your first sight of Acapulco is unforgettable especially at night, when the lights of the city seem to ring the calm bay with a string of pearls.

One of the few resorts with a "morning beach" (Caleta) and an "afternoon beach" (Los Hornos), the blue, clear waters and white sands are made for enjoyment and relaxation. There is no problem with stingrays, Portuguese men-of-war and other vicious sea life that infest Texas beaches at times. On both beaches you will find little bam-

boo-like stands which sell drinks and tidbits. Be sure to try some of the drinks made of pineapple and coconut milk, which are served in the plants original husk.

Among the many attractions of Acapulco are the famous divers that leap from towering cliffs, barely soaring past the rocks into the sea. For the active sportsman, there is also wonderful fishing and hunting.

The cost of a fabulous vacation can be very reasonable. Mexico's currency is stable and the exchange rate of 12½ pesos to the dollar, gives the American tourist a favorable purchasing power in this neighboring country. A good hotel in Acapulco will cost from \$10.00 to \$16.00 a day for two, European plan and excellent meals can be obtained for less than \$2.00.

Your best buys in Mexico will be leather goods, silver, perfumes, pottery, glassware and other curios. The "vendedores" in the small shops will expect you to bargain with them. Don't disappoint them and you will be surprised at the good buys you can find.

Contrary to popular opinion, Mexican foods are not generally hot and spicy. Do not fail to try "mole de guajolote," which is delicious turkey in a spicy chocolate sauce and red snapper, Vera Cruz style, that is, sauteed with pimientos and spices. Also available are a variety of strange and exotic fruits as well as delicious fresh bananas, pomegranates, guaves and limes.

All you need to go to Mexico is a smallpox vaccination certificate and a tourist card. The lat-

ter is free of charge for a stay of one month or less. It can be obtained from the Mexican Government Tourist Bureau or thru your travel agent.

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Mrs. Lucy Ford has returned home after a two month visit in the home of her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. T. Blair. She also visited in the home of her sister, Mrs. Faye Lyles in Savoy.

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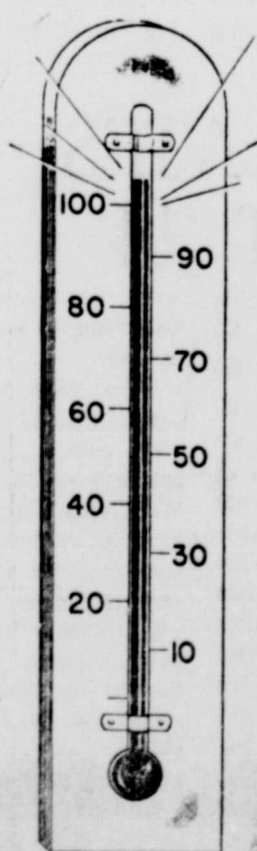
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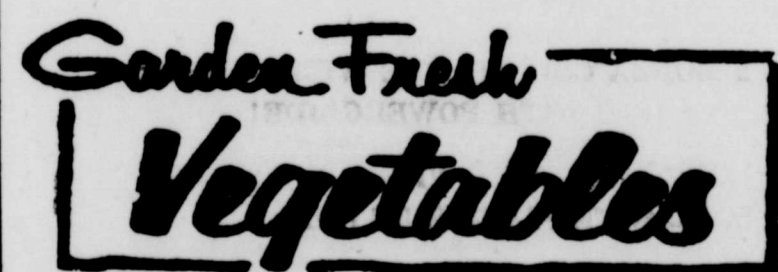
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NOODLE NEWS

By SIMMONS CALLAWAY

There were 95 attending the Callaway reunion at the Ramada Inn in Abilene last Saturday and Sunday. Six states were represented. Ohio, Louisiana, Florida, New Mexico, Arizona and Arkansas.

The oldest person attending was Gib Callaway from Brownwood. The youngest Callaway attending was Wesley, son of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Callaway from Key West, Fla. Jack is in the Navy and is the nephew of Mrs. Stanley King of Merkel.

The youngest child attending was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Dan Brothers of Paducah, three month old Dinah Brothers. She is the great granddaughter of Mrs. Fronia Sosebee of Anson.

Mrs. Pearl Van Huss of Wichita Falls visited her mother, Mrs. Dock Callaway Monday. She visited Monday night in the home of her sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Obie Wade.

Mrs. Zenobia Lucas visited friends in Noodle Monday and Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Travis Cooper and daughter, Barbara and Mrs. Faye Berry, all of Houston, are spending this week in the home of Mrs. Alice Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. Roland Jackson of Henderson are visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Maxwell.

Al Newman and Nath Maxwell visited over the week end at Fort Sill at Lawton, Okla.

Mr. and Mrs. Karl Bonneaux and granddaughter, Marilou, Karel and P. J. visited relatives in Milsap Sunday.

Minister and Mrs. James Fulbright and son and Mr. and Mrs. Vic Hunter were dinner guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Troy Sloan Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Lantrip of Hawley visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Womack and family Monday.

The Casualty Count by Jerry Marcus



More than 3,500,000 persons were killed or injured in highway accidents in 1963.

HITCHHIKERS HAVE POLICE RECORDS

There are startling facts to back up the frequent warnings to drivers not to pick up hitchhikers, a leading motoring magazine reports.

In New Jersey, state troopers checked turnpike hitchhikers and discovered 162 runaways, 93 servicemen absent without leave, seven inmates fleeing mental institutions and five escaped convicts. The fingerprints of 500 others were on criminal records.

Out of 100 hitchhikers passing through a small Arizona town, lawmen discovered that 84 had criminal records and twelve others were either juvenile runaways or AWOL servicemen. Only four of the 100 were without police records.

Can you pick out a reputable and harmless hitchhiker? Many people think so — and guess wrong. Five members of one family picked up a young man who murdered them and stole their car. A woman driving alone picked up a uniformed serviceman because his car had broken down. He killed her.

Many states prohibit hitchhiking, but the laws are not rigidly enforced. Despite police warnings against picking up hitchhikers, motorists continue to invite strangers into their cars.

Motorists who pick up hitchhikers face another hazard. A hitchhiker may sue the driver after an accident. In 20 states and the District of Columbia the law provides that an auto owner is liable to his "guest" in case of injury through "ordinary negligence."



A son, William Alton, was born to Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Kinder of Novice, Monday, July 27, at 1:34 a.m. in Sadler Clinic Hospital. Weight was 8 pounds 8 ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Parmely are parents of a daughter, Kimberly Carol, born Thursday, July 30, in Sadler Clinic Hospital. Weight was 7 pounds 16 ounces.

A son, Christopher, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ortiz of Merkel Tuesday, July 28 at 4:47 a.m. in Sadler Clinic Hospital. Weight was 7 pounds 6 ounces.

Pioneer Observes 88th Birthday

Mrs. Ada Higgins, a pioneer of Merkel, observed her 88th birthday August 1 at the home of her son, Jack, on the Anderson Ranch in Hondo Valley, New Mexico.

Attending the celebration were 52 relatives and friends, including four sons and one daughter.

Among other gifts, Mrs. Higgins was presented an "88 dollar" corsage. Mrs. Higgins has 89 living descendants.

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Donations to the Cemetery Fund are:

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17 Attend Optimist Club

The Merkel Optimist Club held its regular noon luncheon at Ira's Cafe Wednesday with 17 attending the meeting.

The club had as its special guest, Finley Barnett, president of the local 4-H Club. Barnett spoke to the group on the 4-H Club's recent tour and activities.

Other guests included Richard Walker, Robert Wilson and Hayden Griffin, scouts who recently returned from the National Jamboree at Valley Forge, Pa. They reported on their trip and activities of the Scout Camp.

RELATIVES VISIT IN FOX HOME

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Thompson and grandson David of Sepulveda, Calif., visited last week in the home of his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Ollie Fox.

Also visiting Sunday in the Fox home were Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Thompson, Anson; O. D. Thompson, Stamford; Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Lane, Lubbock; Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Wallis, Lubbock; Mrs. Nell Russell and Randy, Anson; and Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Fox, Jerry, Terry and Nan of Abilene.

of blue silk shantung with chiffon drape. A headdress of blue daisies held her veil of illusion. Her bouquet was of white carnations.

Reception was in the Robert Riney home.

After a wedding trip to South Padre Island, the couple will be at home in Tye.

The bride is a graduate of Merkel High School and has attended Hardin - Simmins - University where she was a member of the University band. She is employed by Universal Life and Accident Insurance Co. in Abilene.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Pharr High School.

The rehearsal dinner was hosted by John Wilson in the Robert Riney home.

Tea Compliments Donna Lou Riney

A blue and white color theme marked the appointments for a gift tea complimenting Donna Riney, bride-elect of John Wilson, Tuesday evening, July 28th in the Herman Carson home at 1501 Sunset Dr.

Guests called between 7 and 8:30 p.m. and were received by Mrs. Carson, Mrs. Don Riney and the honoree.

Guests were registered by Ann

Riney, sister of the honoree.

Blue carnations and white candles centered the serving table, laid with white linen. Appointments were silver.

Mary Jane Horton served guests assisted by Judy Brant, Reta Cumby, Karen Rankin and Kay Mosley.

Displaying gifts were Mrs. George English, Mrs. Almeda Bullock, Mrs. Norma Bond, Mrs. George D. McConnell, Sarah Harris, Carolyn Anderson and Beth Dunagin.

Forty-five guests were registered.

Approximately 29 served as hostesses.

HOSPITAL NEWS

Admissions to the hospital for Sunday, July 26 through Saturday August 1 were:

- Helen Mayfield
- Bettye Crick, Abilene
- Mrs. D. H. Vaughn
- M. M. Reamy
- Mrs. W. T. Howard
- E. D. Brooks
- Ray Orsborn
- Mrs. Lee Ward

Dismissals for the same period were:

- Mrs. Ruth Ishmael, Trent
- Mrs. Arnold Seydler, Abilene
- Mae Springer, Abilene
- Mrs. Raymond Ortiz and baby Earl Henry
- Lana Sewell, Sweetwater
- Mrs. Ira Stanley
- A. V. Teaff
- Mrs. R. L. East, Abilene
- Mrs. Orvin Robinson, Trent
- Carolyn Brady
- J. J. Langford
- Mrs. Joe Seymore
- James Janda, Abilene
- Mrs. J. D. Porter
- Debbie Clift
- Mrs. Adah Heeter
- Mrs. Charles Kinder and baby, Novice
- Lonnie Bryan, Abilene
- B. L. Hook
- J. T. Glaze, Abilene
- Mrs. Don Parnely and baby.



MRS. JOHN ROBERT WILSON
... formerly Donna Riney

Donna Riney - John Robert Wilson Pledge Vows In Garden Ceremony

Donna Lou Riney became the bride of A. C. John Robert Wilson of Dyess Air Force Base in a garden ceremony read Saturday evening in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Riney, uncle and aunt of the bride.

Officiating for the double ring rites was the Rev. C. G. Sewell of Sweetwater, retired Baptist minister.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Don Riney, Rt. 3, and Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Wilson Sr. of Pharr.

Mrs. Norman Winter, pianist, and Lonnie Harris, soloist, pre-

sented wedding music.

Mrs. Arthur Bryant of Abilene was matron of honor.

Candlelighters were Tommy Riney, brother of the bride, and Bud Harris, of Ballinger.

A. C. C. T. Williams Jr. of Dyess was best man. Ushers were Jack Riney of Abilene and Robert Harris.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a dress of silk shantung with bell skirt and lace jacket. A crown of pearls held her fingertip veil. She carried roses atop a white Bible.

Matron of honor wore a dress

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4-H Club Holds Tea

The Mulberry Canyon 4-H Club members met Monday for an Achievement Tea.

Donald Russom, president, was in charge of the meeting with Susie Riney leading the American Pledge and Becky Bryan leading the club motto and prayer. Inspiration was given by Myrtle Davis. Mary Johnson read the minutes followed by a council report by Betsy Johnson.

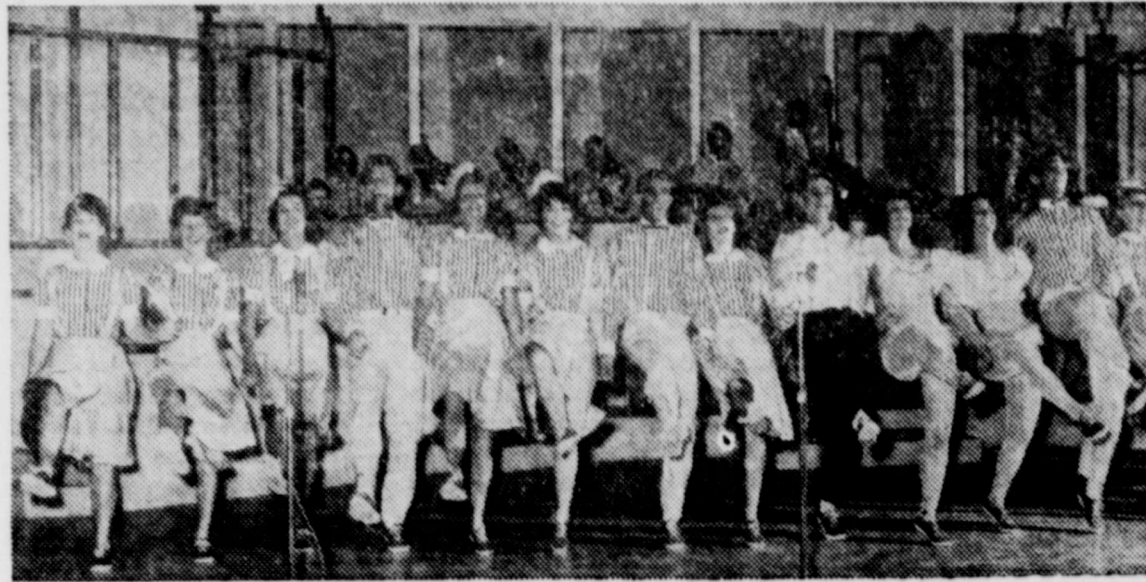
The program, "I always do the dishes," was presented by Mark Dudley. Guest speaker for the tea was Judge Roy Skaggs of Abilene.

Judge Skaggs was presented a gift by Robert Clemmer. Judy Brnovak presented a gift to Mrs. Dobkins as a going away present.

Attending the tea were Mickel Ray, Glenn and Becky Bryan, Betsy and Mary Johnson, Mark and Robert Clemmer, Mark and Mike Dudley, Judy and Gaylon Brnovak, Donald Russom, Myrtle Davis, Mr. and Mrs. Mark Williamson and Mrs. R. G. Toombs.

Also Willie Jo Perry, Mary Floyd, Pat Hunter, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Skaggs, Mr. and Mrs. Lon McDonald, Mrs. Verdean Dobkins and Kent, Larry Osborn, Mr. and Mrs. David McLean and Mrs. Jud McReynolds.

S. Sgt. Albert Stansbury and family were week end visitors in the home of D. B. Smith and their grandmother, Mrs. Winnie Cypert. Formerly stationed in Tampa, Fla., they are now moving to San Antonio where he will be stationed at Brooks Air Force Base.



SIX FLAGS REVUE — Six Flags Campus Revue cast shows audience collegiate style of Can Can dancing during one of the hit show's big numbers. This year's musical variety production features 27 talented youngsters from 15 colleges and universities in Texas and the Southwest.

SIX FLAGS CAMPUS REVUE "DAZZLING" SUCCESS

"One of the most dazzling amateur productions in local theatre history," wrote noted Dallas night club columnist and critic Tony Zoppi, of the Dallas Morning News, of the 1964 Six Flags Campus Revue "The Singing Flags."

The show, which opened at the Six Flags Amphitheatre recently, features 27 talented youngsters from 15 colleges and universities in Texas, Oklahoma, Louisiana, Colorado and Illinois.

Produced and directed for the third successive year by Charles R. Meeker Jr., the lavish production concerns a musical junket through Six Flags celebrated theme park.

Mr. Zoppi continued his rave review with "the jet propelled show was professional from ovation to finale, and credit a

swinging 17-piece collegiate orchestra with a share of the show's success."

Jack Douglas, reviewing "The Singing Flags" for the Fort Worth Star Telegram, wrote "a standing ovation plus four curtain calls let the college singers and dancers know they had a hit on their hands. Fast paced and surprisingly smooth, the show gives a real meaning to an over-used word rollicking."

The popular Campus Revue productions presented by Six Flags each season have attracted over

half a million theatregoers since they were inaugurated in 1962. Performances of "The Singing Flags" are staged three times a night for the remainder of the summer until the show closes on September 7.

During the fall and early spring months, Six Flags talent scouts commence an annual tour of more than 100 colleges encompassing Texas and the Southwest auditioning talented undergrads for the Campus Revue.

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WEDNESDAY
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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
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SUNDAY
Sunday School 9:45
Preaching 10:55
Youth Meeting 6:00
Evening Worship 7:00
WEDNESDAY
Choir Practice 8:00

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Preaching Service 11:00
Training Union 6:00
Preaching Service 7:00
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Evening Classes 6:00
Evening Worship 6:45
WEDNESDAY
Bible Classes 8:00

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Worship Service 10:50 a.m.
Radio Broadcast 11:00 a.m.
Training Union 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.
MONDAY—
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TUESDAY—
Intermediate GA's .. 7:00 p.m.
WEDNESDAY—
Women's Missionary Society 9:30 a.m.
Sunbeam Band 3:15 p.m.
Junior GA's 3:45 p.m.
Intermediate Royal Ambassadors 6:30 p.m.
Mid-Week Services .. 7:30 p.m.
Choir Practice 8:30 p.m.

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the said C. M. Tyler and wife, Alice Tyler, Defendant, in the case of E. M. Moody against C. M. Tyler and wife, Alice Tyler, No. 27 140-A, in such court, I did on the 16th day of July, 1964, at 10 o'clock a.m., levy upon the following described tracts and parcels of land situated in the County of Taylor, State of Texas, as the property of the said E. M. Moody, to-wit:

Lots Nos. 21, 22, 23 & 24, of Parnelly's Subdivision of Part of Lot No. 26, Subdivision of Jose Maria Saucedo Survey in Taylor County, Texas

and on the 1st day of September, 1964, being the first Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10 o'clock A.M. and 4 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, to the highest bidder, all the right, title and interest of the said C. M. Tyler and wife, Alice Tyler, in and to said property.

And in compliance with law, I give this notice by publication.

in the English language, once a week for three consecutive weeks immediately preceding said day of sale, in the Merkel Mail, a newspaper published in Taylor County.

WITNESS my hand, this the 16 day of July, 1964.

J. D. WOODARD
Sheriff of Taylor County, Texas.
By Robert Alexander, Deputy.

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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 hereto below following is a true copy.

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: David Wilson, Defendant, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED 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 7th day of September A.D. 1964, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 10th day of July A.D. 1964, in this cause, numbered 1232 on the docket of said court and styled Barbara J. Wilson, Plaintiff, vs. David Wilson, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: A suit for divorce on the ground of desertion and abandonment of plaintiff by defendant with intention of abandonment for more



STITH NEWS

By MRS. FRITZ HALE

Everyone is invited to attend the revival beginning Sunday, August 9 at the Stith Baptist Church. The pastor, the Rev. James Williams will be the evangelist. Ira Stanley will be in charge of the song service.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Filks and baby have returned home from a visit in Newport News, Va., where they visited in the home of her brother and family, Mr. and Mrs. David Taylor.

Mr. and Mrs. Abb Evans and Nancy are visiting in South Texas this week.

Mrs. Nora McDonald has been visiting in the home of Mrs. A. B. Evans.

Mrs. Zellas Bright of Trent spent Monday night with Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Hale. Also visiting in the Hale home last week were

than three years 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 24th day of July A.D. 1964.

(Seal)

Attest: R. H. ROSS Clerk, of the Domestic Courts and of the District Courts and of the Court of Domestic Relations of Taylor County, Texas.

By Carolyn Teten, Deputy.

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Mr. and Mrs. Odell Newton, Kathy and Roger of Monahans.

Mrs. J. E. Swindell is reported to be improving after a recent illness. Visiting her last week were Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Harris, Abilene; Mrs. Billy Ray Browning, Tuscola; Elmer Holland, Jim Reagan, Mrs. W. C. Clyburn, Mrs. Rave Rister and Dianne Morrow, Hawley.

Visitors from Noodle were Mrs. J. E. Boaz, George Cooper, Henry Ueckert, J. A. Griffith and Lettie, Dick Herron, Earnest Spurgin, Leslie Cox and Carolyn.

Also Mr. and Mrs. Benny Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Benningfield, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. Riley Sprayberry, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Bishop and Van Rutherford.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Browning last week were Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Harris, Abilene, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Ray Browning and children, Tuscola, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Bishop, Noodle.

Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Browning attended the homecoming at Potosi Sunday.

Mrs. Ira Stanley remains in Sadler Clinic - Hospital in Merkel following surgery.

Turner Reunion Slated Aug. 9

The descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. F. Z. Turner will meet Sunday, August 9 for their annual reunion.

The reunion will be held at the City Community Center with a basket lunch to be served at noon.

Relatives and friends are invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. T. O. Fry have recently returned to Merkel after an extended visit to their farm near Blanket.

Miss Linda Leach of Llano visited in the home of her parents Mr. and Mrs. Buck Leach the past week end.

SOCIETY

By MRS. T. J. AMASON
Correspondent

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Hartley, Katherine and Dennis Ray of Plainview and Mrs. J. W. Welch of Sweetwater visited Mr. and Mrs. Joe Hartley last week.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cobaugh and daughter, Kim, visited in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cobaugh the past month.

Mrs. Lizzie Martin, Irene and Dawson visited in the home of her grandson, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Anderson in Birmingham, Ala., recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Lonzell Price and son, Donald, of Baird were visitors in the home of his mother, Mrs. Callie Price the past week.

Mrs. Otis Foster and Miss Norah Foster took Mrs. Don Hinds and children to Tulsa, Okla., this past week and visited in her home for a few days. Mrs. Hinds is the daughter of Mrs. Foster.

Mr. and Mrs. Etzel Farmer and children, Billie and Ralph, of El Paso were guests in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adren

Farmer the past week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Oris Reynolds and children, Mark, Becky and Peggy of Vernon were visitors in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cramer Reynolds and family the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Harrison and children Charles L., Jr., and Donna Jean, visited in the homes of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Wilson in Allen, Okla., recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Orval Brown and son, Jerry of Sweetwater were visitors in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Brown the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. George Curb of Abilene were visitors in the home of his father, Charles Curb and his aunt, Mrs. Bettie Sue Berryman the past week end.

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