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Drive Safely!

The Texas Safety Association urges you to obey the traffic laws while going to and from the ball games this year. These laws are designed to insure your safety and a safe for your benefit alone. When you disobey these laws you are endangering your life and the lives of others on the highway, so play fair with yourself and your fellow man, and drive carefully.

A. L. Davis, Director of Texas Safety Council

Visitors in the John Dickson home last week end included Messrs. and Mesdames Chas. Wilson, Joe Thomas, Frank Atkeson and J. M. Dickson and family, all of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Noel have returned from a visit to California.

Mrs. Ruth Boykin of Bakersfield, Calif., is visiting in the D. M. and Clyde Grimsley homes.

Mrs. W. W. Armstrong, Mrs. L. E. Blankenship and Don Alan, and Mrs. J. E. Blankenship visited in Goodnight, Claude and Amarillo Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Alva Simmons spent Easter in Turkey.

Mr. and Mrs. Hobart Moffitt visited in Memphis Easter Sunday.

Mrs. Velma McKenzie and son of Hobbs visited in the Rains home last week end.

Martha Jo Alexander was at home from Snyder last week end.

Mrs. M. W. Mosley accompanied her sister and husband, Mr. Mrs. T. B. Morgan of Amarillo, to Cooper last Thursday to attend the funeral of his brother, Sam Morgan. They returned Sunday.

A little daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Murray Donald of Claude March 22. She weighed 10 lbs. and 15 oz. and has been named Connie Jeanne. Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Blankenship left Wednesday for a week's visit with them.

Visitors in the home of Mrs. J. A. Lemmon Sunday included Mr. J. P. Alexander and Mrs. Elton Johnston and son Dale of McLean, Kay Woods of Stinnett, Mr. and Mrs. T. P. Rozell of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Lemmon, John and Sue of Memphis.

Mrs. Vestal Mosley, son J. D., daughter Mrs. Boo Rose and granddaughter Diana Kay Rose of Pampa visited in the M. W. Mosley home last week.

Church of Christ

Regular services of the church include the Sunday morning services at 10 and 11, the Sunday night service at 7:30 and the Wednesday night service at 7:30.

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Baseball News

The Hedley Lions will go to Clarendon next Sunday for their first Cap Rock League exhibition game. Game time is 3 p. m. Go up and see what the '51 team is going to look like. A workout was held last Sunday to get the boys in shape for this game.

The club has passed the \$300.00 mark in donations for the grandstand. If they can get a few more dollars promised they can start work. It would be mighty nice to have the grandstand ready for the opening game of the league season.

The High School baseball team will play Estelline here Friday afternoon. The Estelline boys defeated them there 11 to 5 and they will be out to get revenge Friday. Come out and see a good game.

American Legion

Tom Hunnicutt and Clifford Johnson of the local Legion Post attended a zone meeting at Clarendon Tuesday night. Purpose of the meeting was to start off the Aerial Round-Up of 1951 members and to plan the program for the district convention at Borger April 11 to 15.

The Post now has 97 members and hopes to exceed last year's membership during the Aerial Round-Up. Dues collected during the Round-Up will be flown into Amarillo and then on to Austin. Carroll Deahl of Hedley is a member of the of the Aerial Round-Up committee.

Card of Thanks

I wish to take this means of expressing my sincere thanks to all who helped me financially. Your kindness was very much appreciated.

Mrs. Joe Bailey

Pierces Honored

On Wednesday night April 21 the friends and neighbors of Mr. and Mrs. Curt Pierce gathered at the McKnight school house and honored them with a going away shower. They have lived in this community many, many years and will be missed immensely. In his "Thank You" speech Curt said they were not moving away for good, but would be back one of these days.

Hostesses for the occasion were Mesdames M. C. DeBord, J. W. DeBord and Tom Tate.

Those present to wish the Pies' happiness and health in their new home included Messrs. and Mesdames Tom Tate, O. S. Martin, J. W. DeBord, Pete Messer, Boo Farris, Conley DeBord and boys, O. S. Shannon, Boge White, and Bill Clay, Mr. and Mrs. Jim Tidwell and children, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Wood and boys, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Perkins and Oleana, Mrs. Dorothy Neil Messer and children, Mrs. Gardwell Duggins, Mrs. T. N. Messer and boys, Mrs. Ellis Garrison and children, Sigmund Laughlin and the honorees Mr. and Mrs. Curt Pierce.

Those sending gifts were Messrs. and Mesdames W. F. Walker, Chester Walker, Woodrow Farris and Joe Miller, Mesdames Wilkerson, T. O. Whitwell, Dock Kennedy, Joe Kennedy and Maggie DeBord.

Queen Contest

Among the good looking girls entered in the Lions Club Queen contest at the school auditorium Friday night are Ann Dishman, Virginia Owens, Virginia Milton, Charlene Barnett, Carolyn Reeves, Mary Ruth Sargent, Joyce Sanders, Patricia Pritchard, Oretta Sanders and Patsy Usrey. Several others may enter before that night.

The Queen contest will be the last thing on the program Friday night which begins at 8 p. m. The first event will be a concert by the High School Band, following that the Glee Club will perform, then the Queen contest. All in all it should make a program worth your time and money.

The judges will be persons from out of town who do not know the girls. The girls will draw numbers and appear on the stage according to the number they draw.

Band Booster Club

The Band Booster Club will meet at the high school auditorium Thursday night, April 5, at 7:45. There will be a tea and social hour preceding the band concert and business session.

Everyone is cordially invited to attend.

Shower

The W. S. C. S. was hostess for a stork shower last Friday for Mrs. W. L. Stewart.

First games were played, one being an Easter egg hunt, which ended in the honoree finding a lovely Easter basket, filled with gifts.

About 20 guests enjoyed the afternoon.

Mrs. J. F. Weatherly, Mrs. Agnes Howe and Mrs. Opal Purvines of Panhandle visited in the Carroll Deahl home Sunday and attended the dedication service at the Christian Church.

Leroy McKee of Plainview spent last week end here.

W. S. C. S.

The W. S. C. S. met at the Methodist Church March 26 at 2:30 to continue the study of "We Seek Him Together."

The business was conducted by the president, Mrs. Henry Moore. The program was opened with quiet music played by Mrs. W. L. Stewart for the meditation prayer closed by Mrs. Story, who then gave the scripture readings.

The story of the Praying Hands by Druer was given by Mrs. C. L. Johnson, leader of the study course. Responsive reading was led by Mrs. Jack Bramley. Review of the first part of study was given by the leader "Building and Using a Worship Service" was given by M. S. Atkinson.

The closing worship service was opened with the lighting of the candles by Mrs. Ross Springer, each one present taking part in the illustrated worship, followed by the benediction.

On April 2 at 7:30 Mrs. Hamilton of Clarendon will bring us the Discus on the 5th chapter of our study, Christian Symbolism and the Arts. There will be special music. Also it is fellowship night. So let's have a big crowd.

Teachers Resign

J. M. Baker, A. B. Truitt, W. L. Davis, Oscar Patterson and James Ward have resigned their positions at the end of this school term. All have accepted civil service positions as airplane instructors in the air force located at Wichita Falls and Amarillo. They will report June 12, 1951.

City Election

The ballot for the city election to be held Tuesday, April 3, carries the name of Henry Moore for mayor, and eight names for aldermen, of whom five will be elected. They are M. L. Thornberry, B. H. Kirkpatrick, D. H. Cox, C. L. Taylor, Clyde Grimsley, Marshall Stone, W. B. Wiggins and Olin Pluuk.

Amateur Show

The Clarendon Band Parents Organization is sponsoring an Amateur Show to be held Thursday night, April 19, at the Junior College. Entries are being made from over the entire Panhandle area, the only restriction being that you have not entertained professionally. Prizes will be \$25, \$15, \$10.

Anyone wishing to enter the contest may write Mrs. J. G. McAnear, Mrs. Dick Vallance, or Mrs. Harold Longan, Clarendon, Texas. Be sure to give your full name, address, the kind of act you want to enter and the approximate time required to do the act.

All entries must be in by Monday, April 16. No local judges will be used.

Garden Club

The Garden Club will meet April 3, at 2:30 o'clock.

Mrs. W. E. Grimsley will be leader for the following program: Lillies for your Garden, Mrs. Garden, Mrs. Frank Story. Basic facts of Insect Pest Control, Mrs. W. H. Jones. April Pointers, Mrs. Henry Moore.

Table of the Month, Mrs. Fred Watt.

Roll Call, April Planting. Hostesses will be Mesdames C. E. Johnson, W. W. Wiggins and H. Kirkpatrick.

Miss Mahdnie Barrington of Amarillo, Connie DeBord of Lubbock, Mr. and Mrs. Waldo Emerson of Canyon and Don Willingham of Amarillo spent the Easter holidays with Mr. and Mrs. Walter DeBord and Mr. and Mrs. Conley DeBord. Others taking dinner with the DeBord's were Mr. and Mrs. Cardwell Duggins and the Jim Tidwell's.

Visitors in the C. W. Bain home over the Easter holidays were Mrs. Bill Smith of Fort Worth, Mrs. Winfred McPherson and Mariwyn of Amarillo, Mr. and Mrs. Basil Smith of Clarendon and Anita Bain of Canyon.

Mrs. W. W. Armstrong and children of Gainesville visited here the past week end.

Pvt. Bill McKee was at home last week end from Camp Carson, Colo.

Mrs. D. B. Leach Dies

Funeral services were held in the Methodist church at Canyon Saturday for Mrs. Sarah Elizabeth Leach of Canyon, who passed away in an Amarillo hospital Thursday. The services were conducted by Rev. Hershell Thurston. Burial was at Plainview.

Mrs. Leach was born in Limestone County. She was married in August, 1908, to D. B. Leach. They moved to Hedley from Groesbeck in 1915, living here until 1941, when they moved to Canyon. She was a lifelong member of the Methodist church.

She is survived by her husband, D. B. Leach; four daughters, Mrs. A. B. Spalding of Hedley, Mrs. Jack Stafford of Turkey, Mrs. Jeff Wiggins of Borger, and Mrs. Marvin Kinney of Canyon; five sisters, Mrs. Clara Leach, Mrs. Willard Bachelor, Mrs. Ernest Pippin and Mrs. Ernest Browder, all of Groesbeck, and Mrs. Ada Rogers of Port Arthur; four brothers, Mack Wilson of Groesbeck, Tom Wilson of Mexia, Clyde Wilson of Waco and Alvin Wilson of Sundown; 14 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Dedication Service

A dedication service was held Sunday afternoon at the new Christian Church here, which was decorated with pots of Easter lilies for the occasion. The church looks very nice and shows much hard work on the part of the members.

Patsy Usrey sang, accompanied by Joan Ray Moreman, then Clovis Bolton of Amarillo delivered a sermon on the Resurrection, assisted by Ministers Bedford Smith and Jimmy Mitchell of Clarendon.

Many members of the Memphis and Clarendon churches attended the dedication, as well as a large number of other visitors from out of town.

Among the college students at home for the Easter holidays were Mrs. Patricia Emerson, Thelma Moss, Wanda Shaw, Anita Bain and Jimmy Owens from Canyon, Corky and Mary Alice Hunsucker and Connie DeBord from Lubbock, Mary Sue Scales from Abilene, Joan Ray Moreman from Denton, Johnnie Everett from Austin, Adrian Youngblood from College Station, and Sarah Rains from Amarillo.

Easter guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kendall were Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Hinds and Marjorie of Abilene, also their son, J. N. Kendall, who is working out of Abilene for the Moore Oil Co. They all returned home Sunday evening.

Pvt. Douglas Story of San Diego has been visiting his parents, Rev. and Mrs. Frank Story.

Florence gas range for sale. See Mrs. Sam Owens. 212c

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Lions Roar

Something all Lions should be interested in is the Beauty Contest at the high school auditorium Friday night at 8 p. m. No, it isn't a bathing beauty contest, but you should come anyway. Besides the contest there will be a concert by the band and glee club and it will be worth your money and time. Proceeds will go toward paying the Lions Queen expenses to Hereford and to aid the band and glee club.

Let's have another good crowd at the directors meeting next week. Reports from Nomination, Convention, Band, Park and Queen committees are expected. If you have any ideas for the good of the town or community come and bring them with you.

This week is Ladies Night and the time is 8 p. m. The band mothers are serving and the program will be from Amarillo will put on the program.

Lions Messer and Rains attended a zone meeting at Memphis Monday night. Plans were set at this meeting for a social zone meeting soon.

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Mike Thornberry and family enjoyed Easter dinner at Wellington.

Pvt. Jerald Sims of Fort Hood visited home folks last week end.

Miss Alma Hall of Amarillo spent last week end here.

James Reid and family of Amarillo visited here last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Jap Shaw went to Canyon Monday.

Dr. D. H. Cox and family had Easter dinner in Memphis.

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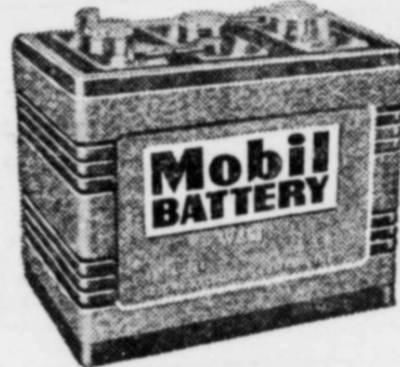


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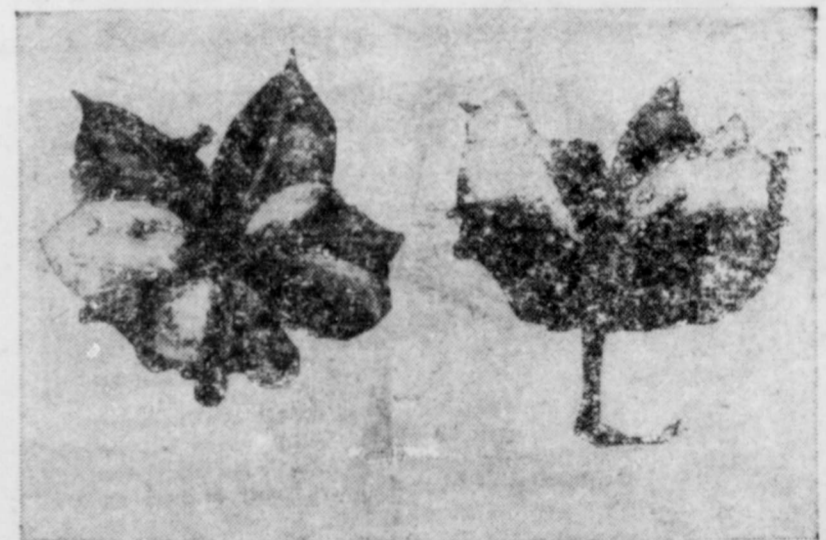
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First All-Texas Worsted Fabric



Garland Adair (left), curator of history for the Texas Memorial Museum, Austin, accepts from Robert E. Pent samples of the first worsted fabric ever woven from Texas yarn spun from Texas-grown wool. Pent is president of Pioneer Worsted Co., New Braunfels, the first worsted plant to be established south of the Mason & Dixon Line.