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LISTEN TO LUKE

The newly-organized Chamber of Commerce is off to a good beginning. Clyde Griffith, as president, has some active committee chairmen who are on the job doing things.

At the meeting of the Chamber last Monday night it was quite evident that the committees are functioning and that results will be forthcoming in the very near future.

One of the most noticeable factors in the new organization is that the main burden of the load now being carried by a relatively few members who are determined to work for this county's interest and bring some of our dreams to a reality.

This column takes the stand that those who claim they have no time to do any of this work and make some financial investment in the chamber's progress will awaken to the realization that they have more time than business if something is not done.

Three active members of the local organization made a trip to Midland and McCarney — at their own expense and loss of time — on a very worthwhile mission to recruit aid in getting the next dam started in this section of the country. We find the neighbors to the north of us willing to give aid that we can supply a recreation spot for those who like to fish. Their help is needed and appreciated, but without a united effort of our own, we cannot hope to accomplish a great deal.

Most of those in the neighboring counties have been of the same opinion as expressed many times in this column. The commitment of the United States and Mexico in their treaty a few years ago is that a certain number of large dams will be constructed on the Rio Grande with both countries participating. This will not call for appropriations nor added governmental expenditure. This program is already set up and will be carried out. The dam can be constructed in the southern part of Terrell County or it in the southern part of Brewster County. Over by several million dollars further east on the river, the economy-minded Congress that should be a very definite factor in choosing a location.

Let's all get behind the president of the Terrell County Chamber of Commerce and give our time and efforts to the things that will help

B. Carter, D. D. S. Stayed In Opening Offices Here

Dr. B. Carter, dentist of the week, who planned to open offices here, would be delayed in the while he is receiving eye treatments.

John E. Carter, son of the dentist, who is practicing medicine, stated that his father plans to open his office here in two or three weeks.

Dental offices will be located in the Kerr Building being vacated by the Vanity Beauty Shop. The building is moving to the space formerly occupied by Dr. S. N. Smith, dentist.

DR. W. COX REPORTS SMALLPOX TUESDAY

A local physician received word from Dr. George W. Cox of the State Department of Health, that Beth Clark does not have the smallpox.

Clark was examined by an ophthalmologist and, after consulting with her attending physician, was definitely decided that the ailment is not smallpox.

Clark, the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. Clark, of Dryden, was hospitalized in Del Rio for several days following an illness of several weeks.

Clark's condition Tuesday was reported to be unsatisfactory.



Pictured above is Clyde Griffith, local postmaster, as he received a cake with the figure "20" outlined by 20 candles, in observance of his 20 years as postmaster in Sanderson. The recognition was made by E. F. Pierson at the Rotary Club meeting last Wednesday. Herbert Brown, program chairman, made the presentation of the cake to Griffith. Times 1-minute photo

County Ranchers Try Pitting For Re-Seeding Effects

In the last three months co-operators of the Rio Grande-Pecos River Soil Conservation District have pitted approximately 5,000 acres of their rangeland, with more being pitted each day.

The ranchers that have already done pitting are Tol Murrah, 400 acres; Lee Dudley, 600 acres; Sid Harkins, 580 acres; Ele Hagelstein, 120 acres; G. K. Mitchell, 100; C. C. Mitchell, 100; Tom Herring, 250 acres; C. Gregory, 550; Jack and Roy Deaton, 1500; Hugh Rose, 500 and H. A. Smith, 150. These ranchmen believe pitting is one of the best methods of getting water penetration and grass production on their clay flats, according to A. T. Wilhite, soil conservation specialist here.

A large percentage of the pitted land is being seeded to native grass as most of the flats are badly depleted of seed source.

A few of the ranchers own pitting machines and are doing their own pitting. The cooperators that do not own a pitting machine may secure the use of the one owned by the district, Wilhite stated.

Since most of the pitted areas are badly in need of a seed source, the Board of Supervisors of the district bought grass seed at a big discount and are offering it to co-operators at cost. They have on hand Sidecoats grama, Blue grama, Buffalo grass and Sand dropseed. Anyone wishing information on this contact Tol Murrah, C. C. Mitchell, John Harrison, G. K. Mitchell or Herbert Brown. The price of the seed varies from 20 cents to \$1 per pound.

Dr. Alfredo Nanex To Be At Local Methodist Church

Dr. Alfredo Nanex, D. D. executive secretary of the Board of Education of the Rio Grande Conference of the Methodist Church, will arrive in Sanderson Saturday. He will be here from Saturday, March 13, until Monday, helping local leaders of the Latin-American Methodist Church in the educational work.

Dr. Nanex comes from San Antonio where he has his office. He will preach next Sunday at 11 a. m. and at 7:30 p. m. in the Latin-American Methodist Church.

The public is invited to attend.

JERRY BELL SERIOUSLY ILL IN SAN ANTONIO

Jerry Bell, who has been seriously ill in his home in San Antonio for a month is showing no improvement, according to word received this week by his brother-in-law, Willie Banner. Mr. Bell is suffering with a heart ailment.

Mrs. Banner has been in San Antonio with her sister, Mrs. Bell, for a month. When Mr. Banner returned home from San Antonio, he brought his mother, Mrs. Maggie Banner, who had been with the Bells for five months.

Pierson To Head Sanderson Rotary For Coming Year

E. F. Pierson, local butane dealer, was named as president of the Sanderson Rotary Club at the regular weekly luncheon here Wednesday.

In the election of officers, besides Pierson, E. J. Hanson was elected vice president; Joe Little, secretary-treasurer; W. A. Davis, Troy W. Druse and Herbert Brown as directors. L. H. Gilbreath, president will become a director by virtue of being the immediate past president.

The newly-elected officers will assume their duties at the first regular meeting of the club in July. Out-going officers will include Gilbreath as president; Troy W. Druse, vice president and M. W. Duncan as secretary-treasurer.

GIRL CAGERS LOSE IN REGION MEET

The Sanderson cage sextet lost out in their regional title efforts in Odessa last week end after having attained district honors in a brilliant season here under the coaching of Norman Rath. The district title was the first in the history of the school for the girls' team.

Sanderson had an 18-5 season record in the won-loss columns with 9 district wins to 1 loss. Sanderson drew the first game of region play against Barstow and lost 30-37 in a game which was closely-contested all the way. Yolanda Esqueda netted 16 points for the local team.

In the consolation bracket, the local girls met Fort Hancock and lost by the close score of 41-42. The game was won in extra time by a free-throw following the end of the regular time with a 39-39 score. Esqueda was top scorer for the girls with 20 points.

MRS. ED LACY HOME FROM VISIT SON, BILL MAGILL

Mrs. Ed Lacy returned home Sunday night from Tucson, Ariz., where she had visited for several days with her son, Bill Magill, who had been hospitalized there for ten days.

Bill is able to be up on crutches and is wearing a brace on his fractured leg. He has numerous abrasions and bruises on his body. He was kicked, trampled and pawed by horses that broke a pipe hitching rack when they became frightened. Bill was struck on the pelvis by the pipe which resulted in the fractures.

A CORRECTION

In naming the newly elected officers of the local GI Forum, The Times was in error when the word representative was used for reporter. Mrs. Ramona Olivares is the new reporter for the organization and Miss Juanita Valdez is the assistant reporter.

LEE McCUE DIES IN FT. WORTH SUNDAY

Funeral services were held in Fort Worth Tuesday afternoon for Lee McCue, 72, who died at his home at 4728 Washburn Avenue, in that city Sunday evening at 9:15 following a lengthy illness. He had surgery over six months ago and had never made complete recovery.

Mr. McCue, a native of Missouri, came to Sanderson in 1928 from Del Rio. He operated a plumbing business in Del Rio and then in Sanderson before buying the ranch north of Sanderson where the McCues resided until recently. They established residence in Fort Worth about a year ago.

Survivors include his wife, Mrs. Beulah Kirkpatrick McCue; a son, Bobby Lee McCue; a granddaughter; a sister, Mrs. Helen Moody of Fort Worth; a brother, Carol McCue of Fort Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. Austin Nance and Vannah Jo left Monday for Fort Worth to attend the funeral services.

Free Chest X-Rays To Be Made Here On March 24 and 25

Posters will be put out this week to call attention to the mass chest X-ray survey planned in Sanderson on March 24 and 25.

Last year an all-time high of 795 X-rays were made and an effort is being made to pass that mark this year.

Mrs. L. H. Gilbreath is chairman of publicity; Mrs. J. W. McKee, transportation chairman; Mrs. J. W. Byrd, chairman of clerks; Cucco Perez, chairman of loading committee; W. F. Frazor, location chairman. Mrs. M. W. Duncan is general chairman of the survey.

The team from the Texas Tuberculosis Association will arrive in Sanderson on Tuesday afternoon with a mobile unit which will be ready to be put into service at 8:30 a. m. on Wednesday, March 24.

All residents over 15 years of age are being urged to have free chest X-rays made during the local survey.

"Often diseases of the heart and lungs are discovered in X-rays and in some instances, tumors have been found in such X-rays," said Mrs. Duncan.

"Tuberculosis of the lungs is the most common disease revealed in the chest X-ray surveys. Tuberculosis can be cured. Early diagnosis is important if we want to cure all patients and to eliminate tuberculosis from our country.

"Chest X-rays each year are important and all persons in Terrell County over 15 years of age should have the free chest X-ray during the survey here," Mrs. Duncan concluded.

Second Quarterly Meeting of TS&GRA To Be In Del Rio

The Second Quarterly meeting of the Texas Sheep and Goat Raisers' Association will be held in Del Rio on Saturday, March 13. Walter L. Pfluger, TS&GRA president, has announced. Headquarters will be at the Roswell Hotel.

Pfluger said that members and directors will be given a full report of actions taken by the association officers on the new wool bill now before Congress. Of particular interest to ranchmen also is the bracero situation which might be in operation again by meeting time, Pfluger added.

"All TS&GRA members in the area are invited and urged to attend this spring meeting," he concluded.

Mr and Mrs. Jimmie Plumbley left Wednesday for Houston to visit relatives after visiting here with his uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. John Reininger. Mr. Plumbley has recently returned from service in Korea and has received his discharge.

Red Cross Drive To Get Underway Monday, March 15

The Terrell County Red Cross drive for funds and membership will get off to a start early Monday morning, March 15, according to Mrs. Matt Bader, drive chairman.

The week of March 14 to March 21 has been designated as Red Cross Week in Terrell County, but the committees and their captains will start the county-wide drive on Monday.

The county's quota for this year has been set at \$875.00 and 300 members. The theme of the campaign this year is "Answer the Call — Join and Serve." Special emphasis on members will be stressed by the workers this year.

Committee chairman for the Dryden area is Mrs. John Harrison. Chairman for the Sanderson residential section for this year's drive is Mrs. W. F. Frazor. Captains working under the supervision of Mrs. Frazor, include Mmes. James Caroline, I. B. Rusk, James Word, Carl Cochran, Weldon Cox, Alicia Marquez.

Mrs. J. F. Tronson has been named chairman for the business area solicitations. Her captains include Mrs. B. E. Carr, Mrs. Carmen Sanchez and Mrs. Olivia Alvarado.

Letters have been mailed to the ranchers in the county.

Mrs. Bader stated that an effort will be made to complete the drive and reach the county's quota during the week-long drive ending on Saturday, March 20.

T. B. ASSOCIATION NAMES OFFICERS

The annual meeting of the Terrell County Tuberculosis and Health Association was Monday evening in the Turner Hotel with Mrs. James Caroline presiding.

New officers were elected to include Mrs. Ed Lacy, president; R. S. Wilkinson, first vice president; Mrs. W. F. Frazor, second vice president; Mrs. H. E. Ezelle, secretary; C. G. Riggins, treasurer.

The executive committee for the year will include Mrs. M. W. Duncan, Mrs. P. M. Arredondo and M. F. Bader.

New directors elected for a two-year term included Dr. John E. Carter, Mmes. I. E. Rusk, Ed Lacy, Refugio Perez, J. W. McKee, M. W. Duncan, James Word, R. R. Clark, Rufus Ross and Messrs. R. V. Spears, W. W. Sudduth, James Caroline, Lewis A. Wright, Hugh Rose, M. F. Bader and Rev. Claude Bridges.

At the quarterly meeting of the directors of the association which followed, details of the mass chest X-ray survey were discussed. The group voted to pay \$100 on the salary of a therapist for the TB hospital at Sanitorium. C. G. Riggins, treasurer, reported \$272.00 contributed on the sale of Christmas Seals.

Emmett Beauchamp of Pecos, mayor and also district manager of the Community Public Service Co., was a business visitor in Sanderson Wednesday.



Mr. and Mrs. Jack Riggs are the parents of a daughter, Jackie Bob, born by Caesarian section in a Del Rio hospital on Thursday, February 25. Mrs. Riggs and the infant are in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Altizer in Del Rio.

The fifth child, a son, born to Mr. and Mrs. Bartolo Galvan was given the name, Ernesto. The birth weight of the baby, born March 3, was seven pounds.



MISS MARY LANDON ROSE

Miss Mary Landon Rose, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Rose of Sanderson, has been named to the Dean's honor roll at Stephens College in Columbia, Mo., according to an announcement by Dr. Eugene Shepard, dean of student personnel. The honor is one of the highest to be awarded to a student at Stephens.

Students named to this honor roll must rank scholastically in the upper seven per cent of the student body and must participate actively in campus life.

SENIOR PLAY SLATED FOR FRIDAY NIGHT

The play, "Snap Judgment", to be presented by the senior class of the Sanderson High School on Friday evening, March 19, will be in the high school auditorium with curtain time set at 8 o'clock.

The play finds the three Martin sisters, Enid, Myrtle and Gladys, played by Ruby Hibbard, Carolyn Spears and Mary Ann Belcher, residing in a small New York apartment with their motherly housekeeper, Aggie, played by Donna Wooten. The sisters all work in business offices and are struggling along on small salaries. Many amusing and exciting things begin to happen when Aunt Agatha (Janell Littleton) arrives for a visit and, at the same time, Uncle Joe dies, leaving the girls a small fortune "on condition". Dorothy Hill has the role of Miss Titus, Uncle Joe's lawyer who almost became the girls' aunt, and who is in charge of the legal aspects of the case. To add to the confusion, a woman peddler, Josefina Martinez, steals a portion of the money. Spice is added by Mrs. Simpkins, Yolanda Esqueda, who just knows there is something "fishy" about the whole thing.

The play is full of laughs and tense moments and the seniors are expecting a large attendance of local residents.

Mrs. W. H. Savage is director of the play.

Local Teachers Go To El Paso Meeting

The schools of the county will be closed for two days this week, Thursday and Friday, while the faculty members attend the annual meeting of District 6, Texas State Teachers Association, in El Paso. Classes were dismissed Wednesday afternoon.

Sessions of the teachers' meeting convene at 7:30 Thursday night for a general session. Sectional meetings will be held all day Friday with another general session that night. Saturday morning there will be a meeting of the house of delegates. All sessions will be held on the campus of Texas Western College.

AMONG OUR SUBSCRIBERS

John L. Bowen of San Antonio is a new subscriber to The Times; also, Mrs. H. C. Goldwire of Sanderson.

Renewals have come from Hal Tyler, H. A. Mullings, Dick Hill, H. A. Finger and A. Shelton of Sanderson; James Hal Ogle of Wink; Lynn Hartell of San Antonio; Mrs. Marie Burgess of Los Angeles, Calif.; F. F. Knotts of Wichita Falls.

SHEFFIELD MAN KILLED IN WRECK EARLY MONDAY

W. L. Ivy, 20, of Sheffield, was killed instantly when he was apparently thrown from an overturning automobile and crushed as the car passed over his body.

Ivy was driving the vehicle and had as companions, Bobby Locker and Kenneth Herron both of Sheffield who were uninjured in the accident.

The accident, reported to be the result of a blowout, occurred about 30 miles north of Dryden on FM 1217.

C. M. Turk, Terrell County ranch owner, brought the two boys into Sanderson for a medical examination and an O. T. Sudduth, Inc., ambulance brought the body into Sanderson.

Ivy is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo Ivy of Sheffield, and funeral services were held in Sheffield Tuesday afternoon.

Successful Week In Local School Observance Here

The annual observance of Texas Public Schools Week, which was observed here last week was a far greater success than any previous years, according to school officials and members of the citizens' committee who planned the program for the observance.

Visitation at the schools was up over previous figures, according to the registers that were placed in the local buildings. Seventy-two registered in the elementary school, 41 in the high school and 23 in the Lamar School.

Members of the citizens' committee take this opportunity to express their thanks to the school officials for their cooperation, and to the teachers who were responsible for their students' participation and to those who helped in any way to make the local observance a success.

MRS. TOM PARSONS DIES IN ALPINE

Mrs. Rosa Tankersley Parsons, 78, of Christoval, died in Alpine Tuesday at the home of a sister, Mrs. J. L. Brown. She had been ill about 10 days.

The body was taken to Christoval for services and burial.

Mrs. Parsons was born March 7, 1876, and was married to Tom Parsons 53 years ago. The couple ranched in Brewster and Terrell Counties for about 55 years before retiring in 1945. They lived in Alpine five years before moving to Christoval.

Survivors include the husband, of Christoval; one daughter, Mrs. Mary Stirman of Indian Gap, Texas; one granddaughter, Mrs. Earline Blair, of Tucson, Ariz.; one grandson, Bill Stirman, of Snyder; two brothers, C. T. Tankersley, of Tahoka and Joe Tankersley of Alpine; two sisters, Mrs. C. W. Wilson, Miss Clara Tankersley; and four great-grandchildren.

BUTCH STAVLEY INJURED IN SCOOTER-PICKUP WISHAP

Butch Stavley, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. H. Stavley, received a gash on the calf of his leg Tuesday afternoon when the scooter he was riding collided with a pickup driven by Marion Batson. Batson was backing the pickup out of the garage at the James Word Station when the accident occurred.

The boy was treated by a local physician and taken to his home for convalescence.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Ohlson left last week for their home in Tucson, Arizona, after attending the funeral of her mother, Mrs. Sam Bell. Her sister, Mrs. Don de la Hunt, and Mr. de la Hunt left Thursday for their home in Lubbock.

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John Dewey Studies Celebrates Fourth Birthday Wednesday

Bonhomie Club Meets in Boyd Home

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make this section of the country a vacationer's paradise.

In Washington, the Department of Agriculture wishes to announce that only 10,000 copies of the booklet, "Think of Food Preparation and Disposal," are left.

If you don't know whether to fry an egg in a frying pan or wash it, if you don't know how to make persimmons or candy pop chords, then you should get a copy of this great book.

The booklet represents years of research and will not be reprinted until a more favorable atmosphere returns to Washington.

Thursday afternoon we witnessed the results of what we have heard for some time.

This column isn't going to try to place the blame for this or any other accident.

We have many patterns of open stock China which can be made up in any number of services.

Pre-St. Patrick's Day tea in the C. F. E. office beginning at 10 a. m. Tuesday, March 23.

We have been fortunate so far in keeping down accidents of this kind.

Dryden News

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Powers were called to Fort Huachuca Saturday where their granddaughter, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Powers, was in the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Foster and Mr. and Mrs. Simon Shaw attended the Baptist church wedding Saturday night in Del Rio at the Methodist Church.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Young attended the funeral of T. E. Pearson in Eden Sunday. Mr. Powers was a cousin of Mrs. Young.

Mr. and Mrs. Elroy Griffin and son of San Antonio spent the week end here with their daughter Mrs. Jimmie Merritt and family.

Mrs. Jessie Briggs, Mrs. Elizabeth Peckham and Mrs. Ann Matthews returned to their home here Sunday after spending several weeks in Ft. Worth.

Mrs. J. E. Smith and daughter Ruth Marie, have moved to Sanderson.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hoffman of Wadland spent Wednesday with R. E. Freeman at business.

Mrs. Iva Rutledge is spending several days visiting her daughter, Mrs. E. F. Leit, and family in the Big Bend National Park.

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Mr. and Mrs. P. G. Harris have returned to Sanderson and established residence at their home place. The Harris have been in Bryan with their daughter, Mrs. W. E. Chisman, and family for several months.

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Roger Rose of Del Rio attended the Chandler-Clark wedding here last week and visited with friends.

Word was received this week from N. E. Charlton of Del Rio that he had recovered from recent surgery and was at his home now, planning to make a fishing trip soon.

Mr. J. E. Anderson and children left Tuesday morning for San Antonio to visit relatives for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Rusk and family left Wednesday afternoon for Rusk and other East Texas cities to visit with relatives for a few days.

Among those attending the regional basketball play in Odessa last week end were Mrs. Francis Mansfield, with Tommy Mansfield, David Mitchell, Charles Huggal and Orvil Cartwright, and Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Williams.

John Watts, who ranches near Dryden is recovering satisfactorily in El Paso following major surgery.

Ralph Daniels left Sunday for San Antonio where he will be in his office for several weeks. He is an IREX engineer.

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Political Announcements

The Times has been authorized to make the following announcements of candidacy for political offices subject to the action of the Democratic Primary to be held in July.

Names for various offices will be published in the order in which received.

For State Representative: Earl Huggal of Tarrant County.

For County Judge: R. E. Williams (re-election).

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor, Collector: Lee Hillings (re-election).

For County and District Clerk: Ford Leatherwood.

For County Treasurer: Ben F. DeWain (re-election).

For Commissioner, Precinct 1: Frank Weigand (re-election).

For Commissioner, Precinct 2: Billy Holland.

For Constable, Precinct 1: George Gunn (re-election).

For Justice of Peace, Precinct 1: Marshall Cooke (re-election).

Pre-St. Patrick's Day tea in the C. F. E. office beginning at 10 a. m. Tuesday, March 23.

Mr. and Mrs. Anita Deans and two sons of El Paso visited here last week with his grandmother, Mrs. Anita Deans, and other relatives.



TODAY'S TELEPHONE TIP by Emily Post

A correspondent says: "The other day, I was working in the garden. Three times within an hour, my telephone rang and, each time, the person calling hung up before I could get to the phone."

I'll be very glad to. One of the fundamental courtesies, yet one of the most neglected, is giving the person you call ample time to answer the telephone.

Emily Post

An advertisement of Southwestern Bell Telephone Company

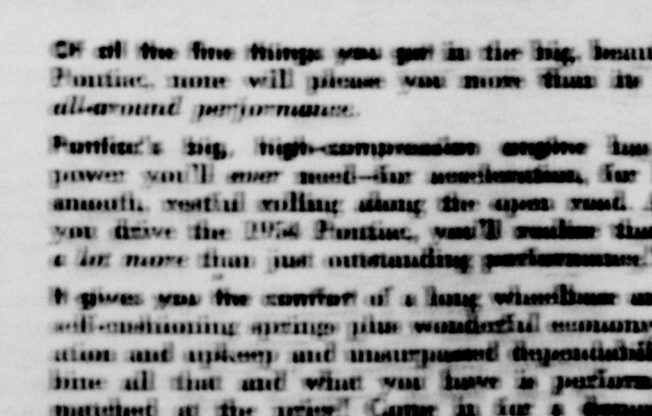
RADIO TROUBLE! COMPLETE RADIO REPAIR SERVICE With Modern Testing Equipment ALL PARTS GUARANTEED F&M RADIO SERVICE IN THE SANDERSON BLDG & GARAGE BLDG



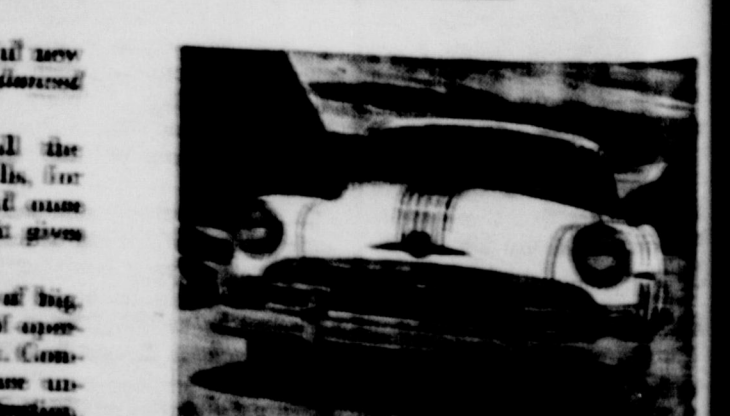
PERFORMANCE Unmatched at the price!



OF all the fine things you get in the big, beautiful new Pontiac, none will please you more than its balanced all-around performance.



Pontiac's big, high-compression engine has all the power you'll ever need for acceleration, for hills, for smooth, restful riding along the open road.



It gives you the comfort of a long wheelbase and of big, self-cushioning springs plus wonderful economy of operation and upkeep and unsurpassed dependability.

PONTIAC FRANK'S SUPER SERVICE SANDERSON, TEXAS

TROY W. DRUSE INSURANCE

Priced To Sell 1951 Chevrolet Fleetline, - deluxe tudor, Radio and Heater. 1946 3-4-ton Chevrolet pickup with a new motor. A good buy! 1946 Dodge 4-door, radio and heater and new motor. 1950 Chevrolet 3-4 ton pickup. Good Buy. Good Selection --- Good Buys! McKNIGHT MOTOR CO.

Mrs. Sid Harkins Leads Program For Presbyterian Women

Following observance of Week of Prayer with services each morning in the home of Mrs. N. M. Mitchell, the Presbyterian Women of the Church closed the special period with a service at the church last Monday afternoon. Following two hours of work shop in which bandages were rolled for a leprosy hospital, and squares knitted to make crib blankets for Korean orphans, the group went into the sanctuary for a book review. Mrs. N. M. Mitchell reviewed the mission study book, "That the World May Know" for the special period of prayer followed by a self-denial offering.

Monday afternoon the group met in the church in regular monthly business session. The hymn, "The Ships Glide in at the Harbor's Mouth," was sung by the group.

A round-table discussion followed the presentation of the program on "Boldness and Opposition" by Mrs. Sid Harkins. She based her discussion of the third and fourth chapters of the Book of Acts.

Those present were Mmes. R. E. Corder, J. W. Byrd, E. E. Farley, J. W. McKee, C. C. Mitchell, E. J. Hanson, Sid Harkins, N. M. Mitchell, J. D. Nichols, E. F. Pierson, R. S. Wilkinson and Sue B. Mosley.

Tuesday Club Meets With Mrs. Kellar

Mrs. Mary Lou Kellar entertained the Tuesday Bridge Club members and additional guests in her home this week. The party rooms were decorated in peach blossoms, iris and snapdragons.

High score prize was won by Mrs. Bustin Canon, second high by Mrs. A. J. Hahn, and low by Mrs. M. F. Bader.

The hostess served a salad plate with tea and coffee to her guests including Mmes. Tol Murrach, S. H. Underwood, W. R. Stumberg, James Kerr, J. O. Little, M. F. Bader, I. B. Rusk, J. R. Anderson, R. S. Wilkinson, M. W. Duncan, Bustin Canon and A. J. Hahn, Jr.

B of RT Auxiliary Meeting Monday

Eight members attended the meeting of the Auxiliary to the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen in the Masonic Hall Monday afternoon.

Following adjournment, the group went to the home of Mrs. W. F. Frazier where Mrs. Irvin Robbins assisted in serving apple pie and cherry pie with coffee. Members present were Mmes. A. C. Garner, H. E. Ezelle, Ed Robbins, G. G. Grigsby, Weldon Cox, Jack Laughlin, and C. H. Stavley. Mrs. M. W. Duncan was a tea guest.

GIRL SCOUTS GIVE PROGRAM FOR SPONSORING CLUB

The Evening Study Club met on Tuesday evening in Fellowship Hall of the Methodist Church.

During the business meeting Mrs. W. W. Sudduth was named delegate to the district meeting of Texas Federation of Women's Clubs in Fort Stockton next week. The group planned to have some special courtesy for the girls of the basketball teams of the Sanderson High School who participated in the regional tourney in Odessa for the first time. A committee, Mrs. Vic Littleton, Mrs. Campbell Kerr and Mrs. H. A. Finger will plan the affair.

Mrs. J. A. Gilbreath was leader of the program on "My Community" and presented her Girl Scouts with the assistance of Mrs. George Herzing and Mrs. W. W. Sudduth. Mrs. Irvin Robbins played piano accompaniment for the girls to sing a group of songs. They led the group in repeating the Pledge of Allegiance to the Flag and gave the Scout Oath. Second class, first aid and good housekeeper badges were presented to the Scouts by Mrs. Herzing.

A color scheme of yellow and green, the Girl Scout troop colors, was noted in the refreshments of frosted punch, cup cakes and nints which were served. The linen-covered table was centered with an arrangement of pussywillow and daffodils in a pottery bowl. Carol Daniels served the punch with the other Scouts assisting in hostess duties.

Mrs. Austin Nance was co-hostess with Mrs. Gilbreath.

The mothers of the Girl Scouts and the members of the Scout Council were invited guests.

Club members present were Mmes. H. L. Surratt, W. E. Lea, Jr., Roy Deaton, C. W. Burdett, Irvin Robbins, M. F. Bader, H. A. Finger, Phil Cherry, Norman Rath, A. T. Wilhite, Jr., Campbell Kerr, Vic Littleton, H. A. Finger and W. W. Sudduth.

Altar Society Sets Date For Tea - March 16 At C. P. S. Co. Building

The pre-St. Patrick's Day tea sponsored by the women of the Altar Society of St. James Catholic Church will open Tuesday morning at 10 o'clock in the office of the Community Public Service Co.

St. Patrick's decorations will be featured at the tea when cake, pie, coffee and tea will be served. Pies and cakes may also be bought whole to be taken home. Aprons and bonnets will also be offered for sale. The sale will close at 5 o'clock.

Watch for these dates - April 1st through April 10th.

Special Numbers By Second Grades For P.-T. A. Program

Mrs. Chester Boyd was program leader Thursday night when the Parent-Teacher Association met in the Sanderson High School auditorium. Judge R. S. Wilkinson gave an informative talk on "What Our School Taxes Provide". A film "Safety First", was shown by Supt. Matt Bader.

Diana Duke played a piano solo: "Texas, Our Texas."

The second grades entertained during the latter part of the program. Mrs. Alice Winder's second grade gave a St. Patrick's Day skit with all the children dressed in green costumes. Mrs. Clarence Jessup's second grade gave a "Rodeo as Seen by Television" number. Travis Williams was the announcer and Eddie Wright was the time-keeper.

Lewis A. Wright, minister of the Church of Christ, gave the invocation.

Mrs. Jessup's room was the attendance prize.

Bridge Luncheon In Kellar Home

Four tables of bridge players were invited to the home of Mrs. Mary Lou Kellar last Thursday when she was hostess for a Mexican luncheon served at 1 o'clock. The dining table had a centerpiece of iris and stock. The luncheon was served buffet-style with the guests seated at quartet tables.

At the conclusion of the card games, Mrs. John Reiningger held high score, Mrs. Bustin Canon, second high and Mrs. E. J. Hanson, low.

Mrs. W. F. Frazier and Mrs. W. D. O'Bryant were luncheon guests. Others present were Mmes. J. E. Carter, John Harrison, S. H. Underwood, J. A. Gilbreath, Herbert Brown, James Kerr, W. R. Stumberg, W. W. Sudduth, R. S. Wilkinson, J. T. Williams, Clyde Griffith, John Reiningger, S. L. Stumberg, E. J. Hanson and Bustin Canon.

Pre-St. Patrick's Day tea in the C. P. S. office beginning at 10 a. m. Tuesday, March 16. Aprons, bonnets, cakes, and pies for sale, also. Auspices Altar Society, St. James Catholic Church.

Garden Club Hears Talk On Horticulture By District Official

The Sanderson Garden Club met in the home of Mrs. O. T. Sudduth Monday morning with Mrs. Dorothy Dean Armstrong of El Paso, governor of District 9 of Texas Garden Clubs, Inc., as a guest.

Following a period of planning with the group, Mrs. Armstrong gave a lecture on "Horticulture." The Sudduth home was decorated in two dried arrangements prepared by Mrs. T. R. Arrington. One arrangement was in driftwood and the other in a large piece of bark from a log.

Refreshments of sweet rolls, coffee and frozen grapes were served. The table was centered with a beautiful arrangement of pussywillow, daffodils and hyacinths in a white pottery bowl.

Guests were Mrs. Ben Scott of Alpine, Mrs. Clyde Higgins and Mrs. James Kerr. Members present were Mmes. S. L. Stumberg,

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Men's Bible Class Has Banquet Monday

The Men's Bible Class of the Baptist Church had a banquet in the basement of the Masonic Hall Monday evening to close the contest between two teams working for new members, visitors and attendance points. The wives and families of the teams were invited guests.

The menu consisted of turkey and dressing, cranberry sauce, vegetable salad, peas, rolls, coffee and cherry pie a la mode. Following the banquet, all who could go attended the meeting of the men's brotherhood at the church.

Office Supplies at the Times

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH OFFICERS MEET MONDAY

The officers of the Presbyterian Church met in the church Monday evening for regular monthly business meeting. Following adjournment, the group was invited to the home of Rev. and Mrs. John W. Byrd for pie and coffee.

Those present were R. S. Wilkinson, J. D. Nichols, G. K. Mitchell, W. J. Ferguson, Jr., C. C. Mitchell, W. E. Grigsby and Rev. Byrd.

James Word returned home Thursday from Dallas and is recuperating from surgery. He came by plane to Fort Stockton and Mrs. Word met him there.

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TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

Notice is hereby given that the Commissioners' Court of Terrell County, Texas, will offer for sale separately by the tract or parcel an oil, gas and other mineral lease on each of the following described tracts or parcels of Terrell County School Lands situated in Gaines County, Texas, to-wit:

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Each of the above-described tracts or parcels of land is to be bid upon and leased separately from any and all of the other above-described tracts or parcels of land; each lease to be executed on a lease form providing a primary term of not more than ten years from the date of the execution and approval thereof, 1-8th royalty reserved, and an annual delay rental of not less than \$1.00 per acre.

Said Commissioners' Court will meet on the 12th day of April, 1954 at the Courthouse of Terrell County, Texas, at Sanderson, Texas, at 10:00 o'clock A. M. to receive and consider all bids submitted for the leasing of each of said tracts or parcels of land, and will award the lease of each of said tracts or parcels of land to the highest and best bidder submitting a bid therefor, provided that if in the judgment of said Court the bids submitted do not represent the fair value of such lease or leases, said Court in its discretion may reject any and all bids.

All bids are to be mailed or delivered in sealed envelopes to R. S. Wilkinson, County Judge of Terrell County, Texas, whose address is Sanderson, Texas.

Given under my hand and the seal of said Court, at office in Sanderson, Texas, this 8th day of March, 1954.

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NO MORE DEBT, PLEASE!

The American taxpayers are being told by the Administration's budget-makers in Washington that government expenses cannot be cut to the estimated \$62.6-billion which the Federal government will receive in taxes for the 1954-55 fiscal year. Therefore another year of operating on borrowed money is proposed. This means lifting the national debt above the \$275-billion statutory limit, inflating the currency, and again making the taxpayers pay interest on borrowed money to operate the government. It means other things — none of them pleasant to think about.

By requesting a spending program of \$65.6-billion for 1955, the Administration is telling the taxpayers, in a sense, that 2,365,000 people must be kept on the federal pay roll, that comparatively few of the 1,680,000 Americans serving in the armed services overseas can be cut off the multi-billion-dollar pay roll and maintenance budget, and that we must continue to send \$5.4-billion a year in "military and economic" aid money to foreign countries.

When war seems less likely than at any time in recent years, there seems little justification for declaring that our government can't operate on \$62,642,000,000, especially when there are so many places where common sense economy could save billions. It is my conviction that the American people expected some drastic cutting of governmental expenses by the new administration. The campaign promises were for drastic cutting.

Just a few months before his untimely death, I sat with Senator Robert Taft in his office in the Senate Office Building. He had become the administration's wheel horse. "Our first job," Senator Taft said to me, "is to balance the budget. After I conferred with General Eisenhower in New York early in the campaign, my statement promised a balanced budget for 1953-54, and further reductions in expenditures of \$10-billion, to a total of \$60-billion budget, in the fiscal year of 1955." That was the program of the administration. Yet, the 1953-54 budget was \$3.3-

billion out of balance; and the proposed 1954-55 budget calls for approximately \$3-billion of deficit spending.

The job of Congress is to whitewash about \$3-billion of the \$65.3-billion expenditures recommended in the President's budget message. Would that be so difficult? Not if hard-headed common sense is applied and petty political expediency is ignored. The vast majority of the American people want the federal government's expenses drastically cut; they want their tax bill cut; and they want the budget balanced — now. Any political pressure sidetracking these sound objectives is not important, in my opinion, to the political future of any present office holder.

Here are just a few places where some money can be saved: (1) Cut 365,000 civilian government employees from the 2,365,000 pay roll. This would save approximately \$2-billion. (2) Reduce by one-third the force of 1,680,000 American GIs overseas — in 49 foreign countries. This would save \$6-billion (this overseas force is now costing us \$18.4-billion). (3) Cut \$2.5-billion or \$3-billion from the \$5.4-billion requested for "military and economic" aid to foreign governments.

These cuts would total \$10.5-billion — and only \$2.9-billion in cuts are needed to balance the budget. Probably the healthiest of all these cuts would be in the pruning of the federal pay roll. Of the approximately 60-million Americans now employed, four per cent, or about 1 out of every 25, are on the federal pay roll. Our American system would be more vital and our economy would be healthier if this were cut to 1 federal employee to every 50 employees in private enterprise.

FIREMEN EXTINGUISH BLAZE TUESDAY

Local firemen were called out about 2 p. m. Tuesday to extinguish a blaze in the E. T. Connolly home.

A mattress had caught fire and was quickly extinguished following the arrival of the firemen.

Mr. and Mrs. John T. Williams were business visitors in San Antonio the first of the week.

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SPECIAL MASS TO BE SAID SATURDAY, MARCH 13

Saturday being the tenth anniversary of the death of Pic Louis Garza, a requiem mass will be heard to his memory at St. James Catholic Church on Saturday, March 13, at 7:30 a. m.

His parents, Mr. and Mrs. Antonio Garza, invite all his relatives and friends.

MASONS TO HAVE CALLED MEETING TONIGHT

Local Masons are urged to attend a called meeting of the local lodge Thursday night (tonight). The Master Mason's degree will be conferred and lodge will be opened at 7:30.

PERSONALS . . .

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Smith returned home last week from Concord, California, where they had spent two months. They visited relatives during the past month while en route home.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Poag of Del Rio were visitors here Thursday.

Mrs. J. D. Swanson and boys left Wednesday for El Paso to visit her mother for a few days.

Mrs. B. E. Carr and St left Thursday for San Antonio to spend the week end with Mr. Carr.

Mrs. M. F. Bader and Brucks went to San Antonio Wednesday to visit relatives for a few days.

Mr. and Mrs. George Herzing and children went to their farm near Uvalde to spend a few days.

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O. J. Hagelgans, Jr., T&NO employee, has rented the Shelton apartment.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Holt have spent several days in Del Rio this week with her brother, Ira Slade, who is seriously ill.

Pre-St. Patrick's Day tea in the C. P. S. office beginning at 10 a. m. Tuesday, March 16. Aprons, bonnets, cakes, and pies for sale, also. Auspices Altar Society, St. James Catholic Church.

CARD OF THANKS

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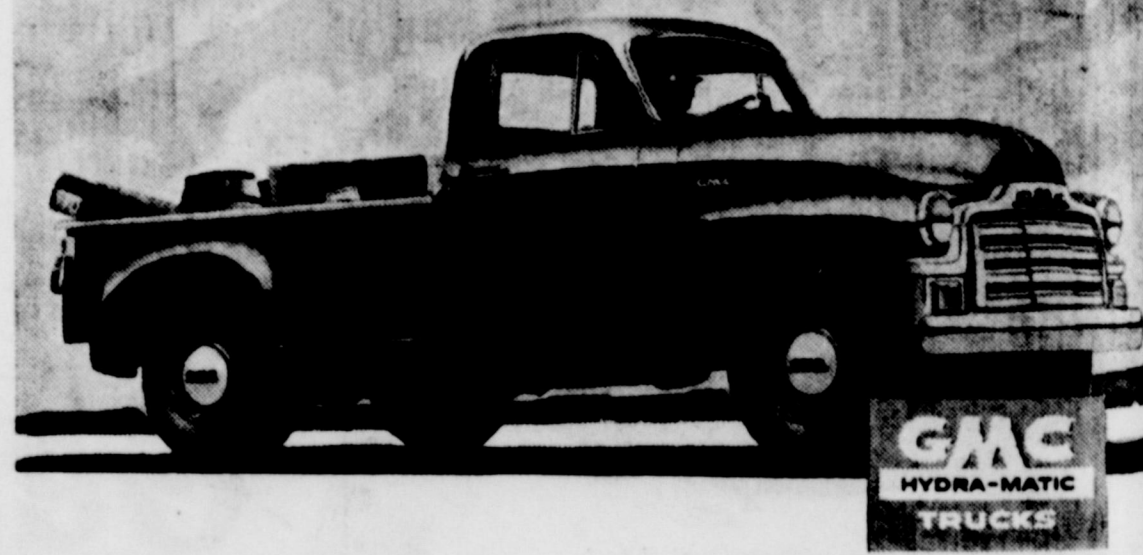
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In their enthusiasm Handy and Easy put it too close to the road—in fact, right on the sharpest curve on the highway. They made

driving unsafe by cutting off the view around the curve.

From where I sit, lots of people—even though they mean well—suffer from short-sightedness now and again. For instance, some can never see any farther than their own preferences. They even go so far as to object to my choice of a glass of beer with supper. Shouldn't we always take the "long view"... and respect our neighbors' rights?

Joe Marsh