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ohn M. McNeill also of Cor- noon on last Saturday in the "I Love You Truly." Christi. Miss Hardt is a Methodist parsonage home of rdt of Rankin. Mr. McNeill and Mrs D. G. Hardt. son of Mr. and Mrs. T. G.

rriage by her brother, E. G. triple-tiered imported illu-, O. C. Puckett and S. H. Boyd. ift to her mother. She carried gifts. large white bouquet of white

heaf of pink carnations.

ther of the bride, served the idegroom as best man. Oliver Hardt and Calvin Hardt, both ousins of the bride, were ush-

The church was decorated with n arch of greenery and pink dadiola in front of the pulpit. wo baskets of pink gladiola tied with pink ribbons and two large andelabra were on either side

anist and Miss Ann White sang east. Because" and "The Lord's Pray-

f the arch.

A reception was held immedi-

The three-tiered wedding cake, t which Mrs. Walton Harral pre-

he bride's book. For her wedding trip to Mexico sage was of white carnations. were visiting their parents over They will be at home at 920 Eliz-

abeth St., Corpus Christi. The bride received her BA from Texas A&I in Kingsville and her MA from Teachers' College in San Marcos. She is an English teacher in the Corpus

Christi High School. ding were Mr. and Mrs T. G. vacation in Boerne, Texas. McNeill and Cecil McNeill of Corpus Christi, Miss Willena High of San Antonio, Earl Hardt stin; Calvin Hardt and Oliver she will visit Miss Joan Starnes. Hardt of Hondo.

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Wanda Chastain Becomes Bride of Jim W. Pettigrew

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In a ceremony performed on June 27 at 8 p. m., Miss Wanda Beth Chastain, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Chastain of Big Lake, became the bride of Jim W. Pettigrew, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Pettigrew of Dallas. The single ring ceremony was read in Dallas in the Sunset Church of Christ.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white linen suit with white accessories. She carried a white Bible topped with an orchid

Mrs. C. E. Pitts of Houston served ner sister as matron of honor. She wore a yellow linen suit, and her flowers were white.

W. J. Walker of Little Rock, kin, Miss Lillian A. Hardt of party were guests at the rehear- Helen Pettigrew, sister of the us Christi became the bride sal dinner given at 12 o'clock bridegroom, sang "Because" and

The couple left immediately for a ten day trip to the Davis

The bride received her BA degree in history from Texas Tech in 1946. The groom received his BS in civil engineering from Texas A&M in 1942.

The couple will be at home in

te and sleeves were accentu- ry, hot rolls, ice cream, cake and Friends in Rankin will rememed with small satin points. The iced tea and was served by Mes- ber Mr. Pettigrew as "Peegrew," skirt carries a deep train, and dames Hamp Carter, R. O. White, the baseball star with Atlantic Seismograph crew here last sum-

Offer Awards To 4-H Present at the dinner were the Girls For Top Dairy

Mary Priscilla Walchar of Ran- Workman, Miss Ann White, Earl ing community groups how to use in was flower girl. Her cos- Hardt of Abilene, Sterling Hardt dairy products to make appetiz- the Alpine-Ft. Stockton highume was fashioned in blue mar- of Austin, Oliver and Calvin ing, healthful dishes. One of the way.

dishes using milk, cream, cheese Rankin and Wink. or butter.

It is pointed out that by giving the Masonic Hall where baskets and wife of Van Horn, have been ords, but gain sent control of pink gladiola decorated the guests in the B. S. Taylor home.

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EXPLOSIVE ARMFUL - The girl with the rockets and the crepe paper Fourth of July costume is actress Charlotte Lawrence. Actually, Charlotte's holiday promises to be safer and saner than her portrait might indicate. Chances are she'll be rehearsing and broad-casting in her role in the NBC serial drama, "Front Page Farrell."

Girl Scout Officers Of Permian Basin To Meet On July 12th

Mrs. George Ramer, Girl Scout old Miter Peak Guest Ranch on cident occurred.

will select an individual and a portunity to explore both the upteam as state champions. Each per and lower canyon on the J. A. De'Arman and Malcolm during the ten day operation.

records are provided in the 1947 Basin Girl Scout Area are: Al- er it appeared that the driver 4-H Dairy Foods Demonstrations pine, Andrews, Balmorhea, went to sleep and left the high-Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Adams re- by Kraft Foods Co. For their Kermit, Marfa, McCamey, Mid. times and several through the Customer Service Mr. and Mrs. O. R. Adams returned Sunday from a two weeks demonstrations, the girls may seland, Monahans, Odessa, Pecos, adiabiting road force. The course turned Sunday from a two weeks demonstrations, the girls may select any dish or combination of lect any dish or combination of Nacation in Ohio and other points lect any dish or combination of Rankin and Wink.

Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Dameron demonstrations, 4-H girls not on- Wheeler will be glad to know that ately following the wedding at and sons, Clayton and Taylor, ly strengthen their own club rec- she is doing nicely at last rethe Masonic Hall where baskets and wife of Van Horn, have been ords, but gain self - confidence ports from Scott and White Hos- Methodist Fellowship

Couple Injured In Car Accident Friday

Lt. (jg) William E. Kelly and his wife received bruises and cuts last Friday about midnight

Terry Roach, Jr., and Jack WAA. Perry, both of McCamey, discovuisette, and she wore rosebuds Hardt of Hondo, and Rev. and girls will be chosen as the best Two important items on the ered the accident and brought Mrs. D. G. Hardt and son, D. individual demonstrator and the agenda are, planning a calendar the injured couple to McCamey

> Mr. and Mrs. Zackie Monroe left Tuesday for Hobbs, N. M., of the three state winners wil get miles south of Et Davis of the accident and gathered full The towns in the Permian particulars. According to Reimwere driving a 1940 Cadillac, and officials declared that it was to-

Meeting At Big Lake

Youth Fellowship from McCamey, Parkin, and Texon meet at Big Lake for their quarterly Sub-District meeting on June 29. The business meeting which footwear offering. followed a very interesting program was chiefly to elect officers.

The following officers were elec-President-Robert Lea of Mc-

Camey.
Vice President—Carol Harris, Big Lake. Sec.-Treas.- Claudyne Brown,

McCamey. Youth Counselor-Rev. C. J Mann, McCamey.

The 48 members who were day in August. Claudyne Brown,

Reporter.

ling's mother, Mrs. Flora Mc- above the May, 1946, level. Clendon, at Sanger, Texas, for the past few weeks.

ceive medical treatment.

Stribling Resigns As **County Service Officer**



First exclusive offering of electronics and related materials in North Texas will be included in a bid sale of surplus aircraft supplies to be held July 8 to 11 at the Grand Prairie plant warehouse, it is announced. Fifteen lots of such items as strut assemblies, wing tanks, amplifiers and Kelly Field in San Antonio for craft parts will be offered at high bid. Lists of materials contained will be posted on each of the lots and inspection and bidding will continue Tuesday through Thursday. The bid opening will take place at the sales warehouse at 9 a. m., Friday, July 11, with successful bidders required to be

Texas cotton pickers this summer could be supplied with 10,646 white cotton duck mattress covers used by GI's and offered for 50c each by Grand Prairie regional office of WAA to store their cotton as they pick from row to at the Customer Service Center at Grand Prairie and will be offered for sale until July 7.

Folks who plan camping out ian Basin Girl Scout Area Coun- when their car overturned about this summer will probably be cil, has issued a call for the Pres- 15 miles west of McCamey on interested in the 10,969 folding idents and Chairmen of the Lo- Highway No. 67. They were en- cots offered to all trade channels cal Girl Scout Organizations to route to Brownwood, Texas, from on a competitive basis until July parquesette and she carried a and Mrs. Jack Walcher and ing county in Texas will receive convene July 12 at the newly ac- San Diego, to attend the funeral 11. Information and description daughter. Priscilla, Mrs. Tom honor medals this year for show- quired Girl Scout Camp at the of Lt. Kelly's father when the ac-Grand Prairie regional office of

> other two as the top ranking team of Area training for 1948 and where they entered a hospital. veterans who attended a sale of in those correspondence courses the county.
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> Information can be secured from the function of the function of these items, day morning to continue their originally costing \$103,556.11. Six allowance may not be paid. ans participated in the buying the nearest VA office.

> > competitive bid basis to all chan- to a new VA tabulation. nels of trade until July 11 generally industrial equipment, group accounts for 8,785,000 vetermachinery parts and unused asn. Of these, 43,000 are under The friends of Miss Kathleen tally demolished in the accident. footwear. In the general indus- 20 years of age. trial equipment are listed several VA estimates the average age generator sets, transformers and of all World War II veterans at one chain drive type conveyor. 29.1 years as of June 30. In machinery parts are offered gears, gaskets, pumps, bushings, More than \$2,250,000 has been two million pairs of men's shoe of World War II. soles and thousands of rubber This was revealed this week heels are included in the unused when NA reported cumulative ex-

For purposes of wheat storage, under the GI Bill and the Voca-West Texas and Panhandle farm- tional Rehabilitation Act for disers have purchased oil tanks and abled veterans. leased ammunition storage igloos The report showed expendifrom WAA. Prompt action was tures during the first ten months taken by WAA to assist in find- of the 1947 fiscal year increasing ing storage for the bumper crop. 350 per cent over cumulated prior

Texas Postal Receipts Double Prewar Years

Texas Bureau of Business Re- week's flood. search.

iting in the home of Mrs. Strib- month. Receipts stand 4 per cent urday.

ceipts on the upswing during May schedule last Saturday, but it was while all others reported slumps. early this week before the train Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Smith and Dips in receipts as high as 24 was able to meet all schedules baby, Jackie, left for San Angelo per cent drop recorded in Chil- because of the soft track shoul-Saturday where Jackie will re- dress but on the whole declines ders where repairs were being were not so great.

Tuesday that he had submitted a letter of resignation to the County Commissioners' Court as County Service Officer. In making this announcement, Stribling so that he may accept a position as Statistician in the Cost Accounting Department at the Pyote Army Air Field.

Stribling was selected for this position after successfully passing all civil service requirements. It is under the War Department's supervision.

Before going to Pyote to the new position, Stribling will go to hundreds of miscellaneous air- two weeks of instruction, thereupon, he will go to Pyote to fill his new post. He expects to be in Pyote by Aug. 1, and will be joined by his family at that time.

He has served as County Service Officer here since July 1, 1945, when the office was created by the Commissioners' Court. Members of the court will act on his letter of resignation at their next regular meeting, scheduled to be held on July 14 in Rankin.

News Of Interest To Ex-Servicemen

Upwards of 150,000 World War row. The covers are on display | II veterans are now taking correspondence courses under the GI Bill, the VA announced today.

> The courses cover a wide range of subjects, including such specialized studies as gemology, criminology, yacht designing, cinematography, industrial plastics and air conditioning.

VA has contracts with approximately 130 state - approved schools, colleges, universities and other institutions to give veterans mail order courses at government expense.

More than half of the 1,223 | Veterans may be enrolled only

Three out of five, or 61 per cent Three categories of surplus of all World War II veterans are merchandise are offered on a under 30 years of age, according

Based on the estimated total of

Members of the Methodist valve springs, piston plugs and spent to provide education and many other similar parts. Over on-the-job training for veterans

penditures of \$2,283,000,000 by May 1 for education and training

Rail Service Back AUSTIN, July 3.—May postal To Normal This Week

present voted on McCamey as receipts for Texas were more Freight and passenger service the place for the next meeting, than double the prewar years' over the Santa Fe lines was back which will be held the last Sun- average, according to information to normal this week after the disreleased by The University of ruption of service following last

The first freight tran to make May receipts felt a seasonally- a run on the Rankin line west Mrs. Earl Stribling and chil- expected setback, however, fall- came through late Friday night. dren, Joyce and Sherry, returned ing 2 per cent below the April The first east bound train to go to McCamey last week after vis- figure to total \$2,661,445 for the over the tracks ran early Sat-

> Passenger and mail service Nine Texas cities reported re- was back to a through service made.



Hardt-McNeill Party Rehearsal Saturday the Methodist Church at The Hardt-McNeill wedding Ark, attended as best man. Miss

ighter of Rev. and Mrs. D. G. the bride-elect's parents, Rev. The dinner was served at foursome tables, place cards be-The double ring ceremony was ing bride and groom handmade formed at 8 p. m. Saturday by etchings. Yellow snapdragons

in decoration in the dining room. The menu consisted of baked rdt, of Abilene, wore a white ham, green beans, sweet corn, Ozona where Mr. Pettigrew is tin gown designed with a yoke buttered carrots, individual po- employed by the Atlantic Remisty nylon marquesette. The tato salads, sliced tomatoes, cele- fining Co.

and Shasta daisies were used in

veil falls from a crown of Following the dinner, Miss mer. ffled illusion and lilies-of-the- Hardt and Mr. McNeill presentley. She wore a necklace ed their attendants and others ich was her father's wedding of the wedding party with lovely

wedding principals, Miss Lillian, Miss Willena High of San An- Hardt and Mr. Milburn McNeill. Food Demonstrations nio attended the bride as maid both of Corpus Christi; Miss

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where he will be employed with a \$50 U. S. Savings Bond award. miles south of Ft. Davis. his brother.

Miss Maggie Taylor, B. S. Taysided, was surrounded by pink lor, and Jap Taylor, left Tuesse buds and pink net. Mrs. day for Ozona where they will Hamp Carter was at the punch spend a few days resting and bowl and Miss Mary Northcutt at fishing on Devils River.

Misses Mary Ann Workman with black accessories. Her corthe weekend.

> Stanley Sheffer of Midland was-a business visitor here on Saturday.

Dr. J. C. Bredehoft returned Out of town guests for the wed- home Monday from a two weeks

Miss John Ann Lowery left last week for Fort Worth where

Mrs. R. L. Bell spent Saturday and Sunday in McCamey where she received medical care.

railway service was re-Saturday a. m. when the rains went through, alseveral hours late. Evis happy to have them nd be able to hear a train



Dorothy Parick and Arturo de Gordova find the course of true love rough in "New Orleans," the sage of the development of jazz. The United Artists film opens at the Grand Theatre in McCamey

for a two-day run, Wednesday, July 9.

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John Paul Jones Anniversary

Calling upon the nation to join with the Navy in a trib-ute to John Paul Jones on July 6, President Trmuan said: "The daring and courage of John Paul Jones won for him immortality as an American."

The date of the tribute marks the 200th anniversary of the birth of one of the founders of the Navy's earliest traditions of heroism and victory.

Full text of the President's statement:

"The daring and heroism of John Paul Jones won for bim immortality as an American. To recount his victories is to recall his love of this land of his adoption and his fervent devotion to the principles of freedom.

"Familiarity with the indomitable valour and heroic Potts stated: traditions which have their origin in the life of John Paul Jones should endow the American of today with a moral stamina necessary to meet the future with wisdom and by means of multi-lane highways

"We could not choose a more appropriate occasion than maintain; and, the bi-centennial of his birth to rededicate our efforts to the | 2. Facilities must be provided furtherance of our democratic ideals and the preservation of so that farmers can take their a peace so dearly won.

Local observances of the bicentennial will be held duce to market; so that people in throughout the Eighth Naval District.

Amercan Independence Day

We are the only major power left on earth which is independent in the fullest sense. We are ndependent of domination by foreign powers-and, equally important, within our own borders our people are independent of dictation or oppression by any ruling class. That is what the American system means-and that is the true wealth of this great

We observe this Independence Day at a time when our economic machine is in high gear, the goal of full employment has been pretty well achieved, and wages are at record levels. There is no want in this country now. Under these conditions, it is a relatively simple matter to preserve our institutions and our freedoms. The real test will come when -- and if-major economic dislocations occur, with their depressing influences on employment, income, and living standards. In Europe, great economic pressures have always paved the way for dictatorship. Nations have surrendered every human liberty in search of the chimera of bare

This Fourth of July, the American people should give sober thought to what the day stands for-and to what its implications are in the modern world. Those matters go a great deal deeper than fire works and Independence Day

It is to be hoped that the American people never have to choose between this kind of security and liberty. But if the time ever comes when that choice must be made, there should be no question in our minds. We have the privilege of celebrating an Independence Day because the founders of this nation made their choice without hesitation. They chose liberty, and fought for it.

If the United States ever loses that spirit, it will lose with it all that the nation represents, regardless of material wealth and resources. If need be, we must stand alone in the entire world as the one power devoted to the doctrine that the purpose of the state is to serve the people-and that the rights of man are sacred.

The Bond-A-Month Plan

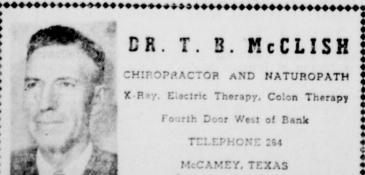
Most of us have a keen appreciation of money. There are at least three reasons why we necessarily have so much respect for it. First, we have to work to get it. Second, whenever we want anything from today's groceries to a college education for the children or eventual retirement in future years, money is the first consideration. The third reason why we regard money with respect is the fact that it is hard to save. Anything that makes saving easier is automatically in the "boon to mankind" category.

The United States Treasury has come up with a plan to make saving easier for millions of income earners who do not have the benefit of regular savings through payroll deductions for buying U.S. Savings Bonds.

The new plan is known as the "Bond-a-Month" plan. It enables farmers, business and professional people, and others not on a "payroll" plan to save regularly. For a long time, these people have not enjoyed the advantages of automatic savings created by buying United States Savings Bonds regularly

Under the new plan, all that these people now need to do is authorize the bank where they keep their checking account to buy and send to them a U. S. Savings Bond each month. The bank buys the bond, registers it in the name of the purchaser, and deducts the purchase price from the owner's checking account balance. There is no charge for the service. The full purchase price is invested in a Savings Bond. and there are no 'extras.

Here is a plan we can endorse. It enables people to become not only savers, but also investors in what has come to be the world's safest interest bearing investment-U. S. Savings Bonds. The new plan should go a long way toward producing a degree of financial competence and independence for a large part of our people-and they are helped by the banks to create it for themselves.



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The Next Two Or Three Years Will Be Momentous Ones In Road Building

AUSTIN, July 3 .- The next two or three years will be the most momentous ones in the history of the road-building industry, R. J. Potts of Harlingen, the newly-elected president of the Texas Good Roads Assn., said today in an interview.

"The world is going to be on! wheels to a greater degree than! ever before," Potts declared, pointing out that a stupendous amount of preparation must be done for increased travel, in view of the fact that wartime traffic made great demands and necessitated exceptional wear upon the road system of the nation.

Road planners and builders face these two major problems, the Assn. at its annual meeting

1. frafin must be handled expeditiously in congested areas of Gainesville, first vice presithat are expensive to build and

children to school and the prorural areas can comfortably remain there in the interest of continued agricultural productivity.

The two goals must be reached, Potts added, without rendering the Texas Highway Department incapable of expanding and maintaining thee Stat and Federal primary road system.



Potts was elected president of in San Antonio on May 23. Other officers chosen were Joe Leonard dent; H. B. Zachry of San Antonio, second vice president; T. C. Jones of Fort Worth, third vice president; E. P. Cravens of Austin, secretary and treasurer; and Ike Ashburn, executive vice-

New directors chosen were Lucian Morehead of Plainview.

Savings Bonds were bought during 1946. Do you have your share weakness. of these safe and sound securi-

Weekly Swing of Southwest Markets

Fruits and vegetables showed general easiness last week, and some cattle prices dropped, but most other SW farm products remained steady to strong.

Grains tound generally good demand last week. Wheat, oats and yellow corn stayed about unchanged. Barley, white corn, and old crop sorghums showed some strength, with advances limited to 3 to 6 cents. A little new crop milo from South Texas came on but sows lost around 50c at Ok- ry's Bond-a-Month Plan. the market at several cents per lahoma City. Fort Worth paid hundred lower than the old crop. \$24.75 to \$25 for the closing bulk

nut producing areas aided crop prospects. Rainy weather interferred with hay making but improved pastures and reduced demand for hay. Seven to ten million pounds of Texas wools sold in the past ten days.

Growers received 42c to 45c Santa Fe's Earning per pound grease basis for average to staple.

Daily ups and down of cotton prices left quotations \$1 per bale lower to \$3.25 higher. Spot mar- erating income for May, 1947, kets saw little trading. Crops looked unusually good in most

in East Texas last week. Late This is an increase of \$1,723,288 shipments sold mostly at \$2 per compared with May, 1946. Net lug box for 6 by 6 and larger income for the first five months Electric Floor Sanding Frank Barney of San Angelo and U. S. No. 1's, and \$1.75 for 6 by of 1947 was \$15,594,233, compar-\$2.50 for the larger sizes. Whole- five months of 1946. \$7,427,193,000 worth of U. S. sale product markets in the South and Central West showed general

last week, and poultry saw very a-Month Plan at your bank.

little change Current receipt | Shriners Share Camels at Fort Worth, and Dallas paid son youngsters do not just log

at Oklahoma City and Denver too, by courtesy of the Shrin last week, and some classes sold The Zor Shrine camels have no lower at other SW terminals. made their summer debut, an Good calves brought \$19 to \$21 from now until school begins i at Housten, and top medium to September, the children will average choice kinds \$19.50 to offered free rides every Sunda \$22.50 at San Antonio. Oklaho- morning. ma City paid up to \$22 for a few choice heavy vealers and calves.

Hog markets ruled generally U. S. Savings Bonds for you reg steady to 25c higher for the week, ularly through the U. S. Treas Good rains throughout SW pea- of good and choice medium weight butcher hogs, and Denver \$24.50 to \$25.50.

Most sheep and lamb markets gained 50c to \$1, but Oklahoma City closed steady to 50c lower.

Show Nice Increase

The Santa Fe's net railway opwas \$3,237,099, according to a statement released by President Tomato prices dropped rapidly F. G. Gurley today.

North Texas points got mainly ed with \$15,087,932 in the first

Answer to a busy man's investment prayer - U. S. Savings Egg markets continued firm Bonds bought through the Bond- Phone 130W

eggs brought 37 1-2 to 38 1-3c

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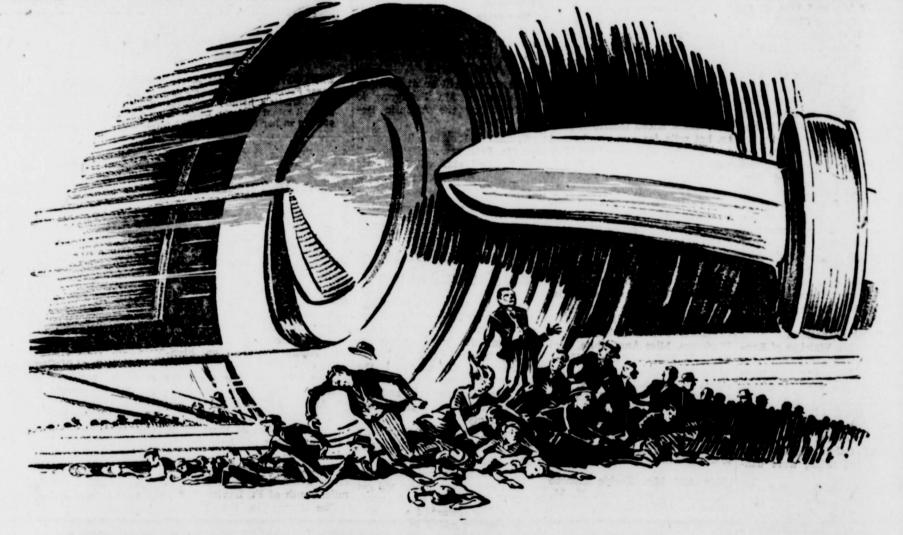
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WHERE THOUSANDS DIE!

91 killed-3,150 tafured! If that were the report of an explosion, wreck or other disaster, it would be front page news. People would be horrified! But worse-it's just one day's automobile casualty list in the United States. It happens every day, week in, week out. Four deaths, 131 injured-every hour. At year's end 33,500 lives snuffed out, over a million injured or maimed for life. That's what happened last year. This year's record threatens to be even higher.

Speed-reckless, wanton speed-drunken driving-defiance of safety rules and regulations—and careless, jaywalking pedestrians, top the list of causes for this grim toll.

What can you do about it? Will the speeding wheels of your car add one death to this mass murder of the highways? Not if you, the driver-and you, the pedestrian-take your individual responsibilities seriously. Drive carefully at all times, under all conditions, and be alert when walking.

Don't be one of the thousands to kill, or be killed. Drive safely -and live!

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of the doctor and hospital where | Enlisted personnel of the U. S. treatment will be given and that armed forces may file claims for es require medical service at ment of the bill, providing tele- still on terminal leave but, in most erative until expiration of term-

> cular No. 289. "In no instance," it is asserted, "will a member of the armed forces be paid readjustment adlowance (Section 700, Public Law 346, 78th Congress) while on terminal leave.'

inal leave, according to VA Cir-

Under present procedures, it is explained, enlisted personnel up for discharge but with accrued leave are given a special or release order showing amount of leave due, the exact date of expiration of terminal leave, and the scheduled date of discharge, and instructions on how to proceed in case of accident or illness while on terminal leave.

Accordingly, enlisted personnel on terminal leave who apply for veterans' benefits should be asked to show the release order. Thereupon the VA will proceed as follows:

1. If the applicant is seeking compensation or pension for service disability, he may file a claim with the explicit understanding that it will be adjudicated only after expiration of his terminal leave, because his service records will not be available to the VA until then.

2. If the applicant is seeking education or training under the GI Bill, he may enter training upon establishment of his eligibility, but subsistence allowance will not be paid until expiration of his terminal leave.

3. If the applicant wants to establish his eligibility for a loan to be guaranteed or insured, under the GI Bill, he will be advised to present his interim orders to the prospective lender, who may establish eligibility and pro-

It is explained that only in disability cases, when the serviceman is transferred from a service hospital to a VA hospital for discharge upon arrival there, are records forwarded to VA at the time of such transfer.

Converted Policies

Where the insured is shown to be totally disabled at expiration of the level premium period, his insurance will be automatically converted to the ordinary life plan, unless some other plan is elected. (Conversion to an endowment plan may not be made while the insured is totally dis-

WHO RUNS NATION'S LARGEST* **BUSINESSES?**

TOTHING quite so much astonishes the stranger Y to America as the democracy of American Businesses—where the factory employee can become the president of the largest corporation, or a grocer one of the world's great food suppliers.

In a recent survey of this subject, 50 of the largest businesses in America, employing several million workers, were asked to give starting figures on the men who are now their top management.

Here are the results. One started for \$1.50 a weekeleven others for less than \$5.

Forty-three others started work for less than \$10

Eighty-one others received between \$10 and \$25 a week. And only 7 received more than \$25 a weekthe highest getting paid \$69.23 a week.

The average starting wage of all 143 was \$13.40 a week. Thus every one of these managers, it can be truthfully stated, worked up from the bottom rung of the business ladder.

When you think of the head of a big business, think of a young man who once drew an envelope at the end of the week with \$13.40 in it.

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Coffman-Blake Vows Are Read Saturday, June 28, In Lubbock

Billie Blake, daughter of Mrs. Lubbock, in an impressive cere- sa, Texas. mony Saturday night at 8:30 o'-

The single ring ceremony was read by Rev. Floyd Dawson at the chapel of Foursquare Church. Mrs. Dawson played the traditional wedding music softly in

The bride wore a navy blue suit with navy and pink accessories and a pink carnation corsage. Mrs. Fred Driskill of McCamey, matron of honor, wore a blue linen dress with white and brown accessories and a white carnation corsage. Robert Howell, brother of the bride, served as best man.

Guests at the wedding included members of the bride and bridegroom's family and close friends. among the out-of-town guests.

at home at 218 31st St., Lubbock. Miss Eunice Poteet served the Mrs. Coffman formerly lived in cake. McCamey. She and Mrs. Driskill When the couple left for a lived together on 7th St.

Three Periods Set For Paisano Camps

Dates have been set for three encan:pments at Paisano.

The regular encampment is scheduled for seven days, July 28 of McCamey and O. L. McClure to Aug. 4. The boys camp is from of Midland. June 30 until July 3, while girls will have their encampment from er, Mr. and Mrs. John Guffy,

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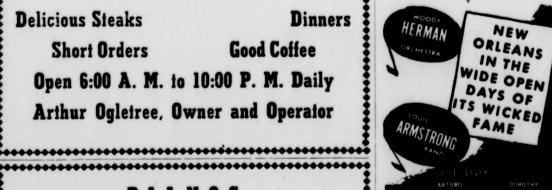
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THE - RANKIN NEWS Lucille Brown, Gordon Raleigh Take Vows

Miss Lucille Brown, sister of Mrs. Ailce Taylor of Baton Rouge, La., and Gordon I. Ra-O. P. Howell of 1415, Ave. O, Lub- leigh, son of Mrs. Lizzie Raleigh bock, became the bride of James of McCarney, were married at 6 Coffman, son of Mr. and Mrs. p. m., Thursday in the Nurses' T. W. Coffman of 225 Thirtieth, Home on the Humble Road, Odes-

Rev. W. C. Guin of the Presbyterian Ministry read a single ring ceremony.

Traditional music was played by Jimmie C. Felton. The bride wore an afternoon

dress of pink embroidery and the background throughout the linen. Her hair was adorned with petite white grosgrain and net brown; and wore white elbow-length gloves. She carried a white leather prayer book topped with gardenias and a shower of stephonotis. For something old and blue, she carried a handmade handkerchief, a gift from the mother of the groom.

Miss Eunice Poteet of Houston was her only attendant and Jack Koonce of Odessa served as best

A reception was held immedi-Fred Driskill of McCamey was ately following the ceremony in the same home. Mrs. Jack Mr. and Mrs. Coffman will be Koonce was at the register and

short wedding trip, the bride wore a light blue suit with white accessories. They will live in

McCamey. Out of town guests were Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Justice of Franklecity, Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Hawkes, Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Duncan and Mr. and Mrs. W. N. Stuart

Others: Mr. and Mrs. Ben Gri-Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hobbs, Mr. and Mrs. Doug Solsberry, Mr. and Mrs. Tony Frank, Mr. and Mrs. Francis Carroll, Midge Smith, Jack Mathis, H. Kay Fair and Zena Raleigh, sister of the groom, and Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Watson.

The bride is a former resident of Baton Rouge, La., but has been employed in Houston for the past four years.

Gordon served overseas three and one-half years in the European Theatre, and served in the send in my premium payment? armed forces five years. He is employed by the Humble Pipe

McCamey Field In **Upton County Gets**

Camey field, have been staked in now that all of my indebtedness Upton County, the applications has been paid. being filed with the District 7-C office of the San Angelo R. R. full loan guaranty entitlemen Commission.

Reno Oil Co. of Wichita Falls will drill its No. 13-A M. L. Baker three miles northeast of McCa- but would like to buy a small

2,050 feet from the east line of farm to get the loan? section 7-R-M. S. Denton. It is contracted to 2,400 feet with ca- position to supervise and direct ble tools to start at once.

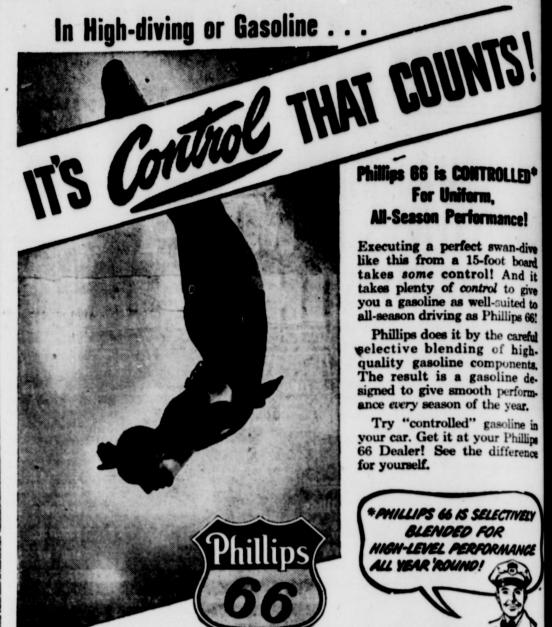
Texaco filed to stake is No. 21-E-6 four miles east of McCamey. It will be 990 from the south, 660 from the east lines of section 32-1-MK&T. It will go to 2,310 feet with cable tools to start on June

Incidence of Measles **High In Summertime**

AUSTIN, July 3 .- With the incidence of measles usually being somewhat higher in summer time, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer, has issued a statement concerning the use of immune globulin for protecting very young or frail children from an attack of this perennial childhood disease and its often serious complications.

"If you have a child less than five years old who has been exposed to measles, your family doctor may recommend giving him immune globulin," Dr. Cox said. "Through city, county or state health departments, doctors can obtain immune globulin free, to be used as they think advisable. Infants and children, whose health makes it inadvisable for them to suffer an attack of measles, may avoid the disease if immune globulin is administered within eight days from the time of exposure."

The State Health Officer emphasized that immune globulin cannot give a child permanent protection against measles, but explained that the protection is ordinarily of about three weeks



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Q: I have repaid a \$4,000 business loan, \$2,000 of which was guaranteed by VA under the GI Bill. Is my guarantee privilege Two locations, both in the Mc- restored to its original amount

> A: No. You may use your only once.

Q: I live and work in the city farm with a guaranteed loan. Do It will be 1,000 from the north, I have to live and work on the

A: No, but you must be in the farming operations.

Q: Can I get a guaranteed

loan to buy or build a small ap- cannot exceed four. If more artment house?

apartment house with a home unit for each veteran participation loan or with a business loan, but ing may be added to the b

A: Yes, you may build a small ment house, then one additi



From where I sit ... by Joe Marsh

The Picnic Was a "Hug" Success!

Our local Wild Life League went on a picnic Saturday, and I went along to cover it for the Clarion. Monday, folks kept stopping me. and saying: "Must have gotton out of hand, that picnic!"

"Nonsense," I says. "It was mighty pleasant and congenial. Just beer and hot dogs, cheese and cider." And then they show me the headline reading: "WILD WIFE PICNIC HUG SUCCESS."

Of course it was Elmer, my typesetter, who had made the misprints; But is my face red! It's only bewell-behaved in our town, that the could afford to take the whole thi as a joke.

From where I sit, even a new paper editor's entitled to a fe mistakes. And since I report that they served a moderate be erage like beer, I'm sure nobe thinks the picnic was the least wild, or anything but a huge so cess - and I mean huge!

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