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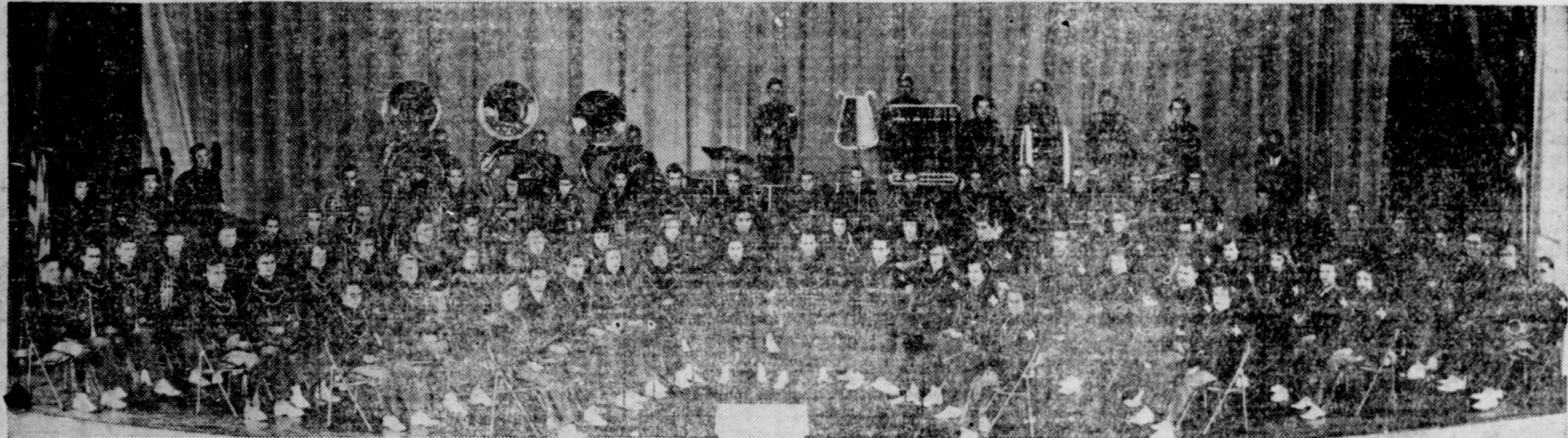
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CLUB INSTITUTE OF 7TH DIST. OF TEXAS FEDERATION OF WOMEN'S CLUBS BE HELD HERE FEB. 25



WEST TEXAS STATE BAND TO BE HERE FEBRUARY 24TH

The big 85-piece West Texas State College Concert Band, directed by M. J. Newman, will be presented in a concert Wednesday, Feb. 24, at 3:00 p.m. in the Brown-

field High School auditorium. The Brownfield concert is one of 14 which the West Texas State group will present in a week's tour of Panhandle and South Plains towns. When the annual tour closes Friday, Feb. 26, the band will also have appeared in Tulia, Dimmitt, Littlefield, Abernathy, Olton, Levelland, Amarillo, Seagraves, Sundown, Portales, N. M.; Meulshoe, Friona, and Hereford.

Opening selections chosen by Newman for the tour program include "Overture" from "Music For a Festival" by Gordon Jacob; the "March to the Scaffold" from "Symphonie Fantastique," by Hector Berlioz; and the "Ballet Music" from "Faust," on opera by Charles Gounod.

Three West Texas State students will appear on the program as soloists. Miss Marilyn Cowan, Ama-

rillo sophomore, will be piano soloist for the contemporary "Warsaw Concerto" by Richard Addinsell. The concerto was theme music for a war-time movie. Miss Peggy Williams, clarinetist from Plainview, will play solo portions of "Concerto, Opus 26," by von Weber; and Purris Williams, Hereford senior, will appear in trumpet solo for "la Virgen de la Macarena" by Mendez.

"Ouvre ton Coeur" by Bizet; "Conquest" from the modern "Captain From Castile" by Alfred Newman; a "Suite of Old American Dances" by Bennett; "Marche Bombastique," a march composed last year by West Texas State's Dr. Houston Bright; and "Arrangers' Holiday" by Bennett, Walters, and Yoder.

Five other selections will be in the band's repertory, including

DISTRICT 19 LEGION CONVENTION PLANS BEGUN THIS WEEK

Howard Henson Post No. 269 of the American Legion are busy this week inviting Legionnaires from 41 posts in the 19th District to attend the State Convention to be held here April 3 and 4.

The State Commander, Vice Commander, and 19th District Commander, will attend festivities among which will be a parade, April 3. The National Guard, the Brownfield bands, 41 American Legion posts, and the color guard for the State of Texas, from Morton, have been invited to participate in the parade.

The local post still lacks 60 members making their year's membership goal, and it is hoped that during the convention, the goal will be reached, according to Commander Lynn Nelson.

MORE THAN 150 WOMEN FROM OVER SEVENTH DISTRICT ARE EXPECTED TO ATTEND INSTITUTE THIS YEAR IN BROWNFIELD; PLANS COMPLETE

Methodists To Have Opening Services In New Building, Mar. 14

The Brownfield Methodist Church will hold last service in the present building on Main Street, March 7, and the opening service in the new building across from the high school will be held March 14, according to Rev. Uel D. Crosby, pastor of the church.

The congregation will use the educational building for services until the sanctuary is completed, some time next year. Folding chairs will be used until sanctuary is completed, when pews will be installed.

A club institute and workshop will be conducted by the Seventh District of the Texas Federation of Women's Clubs on Feb. 25, at the Brownfield First Presbyterian Church. Mrs. Wayne Boren of Sny-



Mrs. H. P. Mundy, in charge of the club institute, and local general chairman is Mrs. Grady Goodpasture. Registration from 9 until 10 a.m. will open the session, and a fee of 50 cents per person will be charged for registering. Every club woman

World Traveler And Humorist To Speak

Dr. Charles Karsakoff, world traveler and outstanding humorist from Washington, D. C., will be the featured speaker at the Feb. 23 Brownfield Chamber of Commerce banquet at the Jessie G. Randal Cafeteria.

Karsakoff, considered one of America's greatest platform speakers, has been active in community and business affairs and has made over 5,000 appearances in the United States and foreign countries. His subject will be "Behind the Iron Curtain."

Tickets are on sale from any Chamber of Commerce Board of Directors member, or may be obtained by calling the CofC office at 4410.

World Day of Prayer To Be Observed Here

World Day of Prayer will be observed in Brownfield at 10 to 11 a.m., Friday, March 5, at the First Baptist Church.

Mayor Homer Nelson has issued a proclamation, elsewhere in this issue, asking all stores to close one hour on the above date.

The service will be non-denominational and everyone interested is urged to attend.

Among the major aims of your Heart Association is that of protecting healthy as well as sick hearts.

PROCLAMATION THE CITY OF BROWNFIELD

HOMER NELSON, Mayor.

EXECUTIVE ORDER

Proclamation DAY OF PRAYER March 5, 1954

WHEREAS, there are conditions of tension and uncertainty in the world today, and it is recognized that the many problems confronting us can be solved only with the help of Almighty God; and

WHEREAS, the people of the world are cooperating in a worldwide Day of Prayer in one hundred and fourteen countries;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Homer Nelson, Mayor of Brownfield, do hereby proclaim Friday, March 5, Nineteen Hundred Fifty-Four, as a

DAY OF PRAYER

with special cooperation in community observance of an Hour of Prayer from 10 until 11 A. M. at the First Baptist Church, for a better world for all people, to remember the needs of our Nation, and all other Nations, as we bow our heads in reverent acknowledgement of our dependence and reliance upon Almighty God.

GIVEN under my hand this Fifteenth Day of March, A. D., 1954.

(Signed.) HOMER NELSON, Mayor.



JUNIOR HIGH PHYSICAL EDUCATION TALENT REVUE ENTRANTS—A few of the performers who have entered the Lions Talent Revue are shown above as they presented a program at the weekly meeting of the Lions Club. The group is under direction of Mrs. Vivian Forbus, with exception of Charles Lindsey, pictured at extreme right, who will present western songs. Over 41 performances are scheduled at the Revue, which will be held tonight (Friday) at 7:30 o'clock, at the high school auditorium. Lions officers state that the show will not last, at the very most, over two hours and will be fast-moving. Tickets may be obtained from any Lions member or at the door. (Staff Photo.)

Crescent Hill Church To Have New Minister

According to information given out here last week by the elders of the Crescent Hill Church of Christ, they will have a new minister by April 1. The new minister is John McCoy, who is married

City Council Opens Bids—Awards Two

The City Council met at 7:30 p.m., Feb. 11, to open bids for 344 four-way street markers. The contract was awarded to C. B. Anderson and Company, of Amarillo, at \$8.20 per unit.

A called meeting was held at 10 o'clock that morning for sale at public auction to the Union Sulphur and Oil Corporation, of Midland, a five-year mineral lease for \$40 an acre bonus and \$1 per acre per year rental, on the east half-section 50, block TD&W Railway Company Survey in Terry County.

On February 15, bids were opened for the foundation for the new light plant unit. The contract was awarded to R. U. Robinson and Company, of Lubbock, for \$10,140, according to Jake Geron, City Secretary.

and they have one child. He is 29 years of age, an ACC graduate, who obtained his Master degree at North Texas State College at Denton.

McCoy has been at Nacona for the past three years, and is said to have done a fine piece of work there. McCoy stated while here that there was a possibility of his getting his release from the Nacona church by March 1, and if so, would be here by that time. Otherwise, April 1.

Mrs. Theda Baggett Announces For Office Of District Clerk

Mrs. Theda Baggett this week authorized the Herald to announce her candidacy for the office of District Clerk, with the following statement: "After considerable deliberation, I have decided to announce for a political office for the first time, as a candidate for District Clerk."

"While I am not familiar with the duties of this office at this time, I feel I am fully capable of performing those duties. I have served the public for several years as a clerk at Collins and Kyle grocery."

Mrs. Baggett also said, "If elected I will make every effort to serve to the utmost of my ability. I have lived in Brownfield all my life and fully intend to continue living here from now on."

Thanking one and all for their consideration and support for this office, I beg to remain,

Sincerely,
MRS. THEDA BAGGETT.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Dickson, Rt. 4, Brownfield, returned last Thursday night from a few days visit with Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Johnson in Waco, and with relatives and friends in Deport, Texas.

BANQUET FOR OIL PEOPLE TUESDAY

The Herald has notice that the banquet—mixing oil with business—will be held next Tuesday, 7:30 p.m., at the Jesse G. Randal School cafeteria. Gave no names, but an outstanding humorous speaker will be on hand to address the banqueteers.

We want to join in with the directors of the Chamber of Commerce in urging that more local business, and farmers if possible, get tickets to this affair. For instance last year, some 200 oil people, representing 45 companies were on hand. But only 100 business people were present.

We hope the business men will not only buy tickets for themselves but, if possible, invite someone to go with you.

REP. GILLHAM STATES MANY DEMANDS BEING MADE ON STATE FUNDS

State Representative J. O. Gillham of the 98th District, will leave the latter part of the week for a short trip to Austin, in order to consult with Attorney General John Ben Shepperd and others. A called session of the legislature is coming up March 15. Mr. Gillham stated to a reporter that there are many demands on the legislature at this special called session, other than the request of teachers for a pay hike.

For just a few, he mentioned the well known fact that the housing of our eleemosynary institutions are inadequate, and badly crowded. In fact, some three people are occupying housing and bedding that was intended for two people. On top of that to make matters much worse, is the fact that these institutions are badly understaffed, both as to treatment with less than half enough physicians, nurses, and even caretakers are badly understaffed.

If we are not already in a bad way, as far as money for all the above, and a \$400 yearly hike in teachers pay, the fact that the Supreme Court threw out the tax on gas and oil large companies who are piping the natural resources of Texas to other states for sale, we also have a well known condition that most of our citizens, of the small calibre variety, are paying just about all the taxes they

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LIONS HAVE EXCELLENT PROGRAM FOR TALENT REVUE HERE TONIGHT

41 PERFORMANCES SLATED FOR BIG SHOW AT HIGH SCHOOL AUDITORIUM AT 7:30 P. M.

The screening committee for the Lions Talent Revue met at 7:30 p.m., Monday, to approve the talent submitted to the show, according to John Hansard, publicity chairman.

Master of Ceremonies Virgil Crawford, indicated that the show will be fast moving and will not extend to a late hour. The entire duration is estimated from 1 1/4 to 2 hours.

In the Lions contest to sell tickets, Vernon Townes Red Dusters are leading with over 500 tickets having been sold, Cliff Jones' Blue Boys have sold more than 300 tickets.

The following persons are scheduled to appear on the Talent Revue at 7:30 tonight (Friday) at the (Continued on Back Page)

The Law Concerning Poisoning Of Dogs

Article 1373 — "Whoever shall wilfully maim, wound, or disfigure any . . . dog or other domesticated animal, or whoever shall wilfully kill, wound, poison, or disfigure any dog . . . of another with intent to injure the owner thereof, shall be fined not less than \$10.00 nor more than \$200.00. In prosecutions under this article the intent to injure may be presumed from the perpetration of the act."

Under the above article any person who poisons a dog can be fined up to \$200.00. In addition, thereto if any human should be poisoned by such person in attempting to poison a dog and death should result therefrom, the offense would be murder. If death did not result then punishment could be by confinement in the penitentiary for any term not less than two nor more than ten years.

A very serious and widespread wave of dog poisoning has been going about Brownfield. There have been a great number of dogs to die, death resulting from strychnine placed on meat, in some instances being placed on pork liver, and in other instances from being placed upon weiners or bologna.

This is a very serious matter, affecting not only the owners of dogs, but also offering a serious menace to health as to small children.

One person has offered a \$25.00 reward for any information leading to arrest and conviction of the person or persons poisoning dogs here in Brownfield, and there is little doubt that a reward of much greater portions would be made to any person furnishing such information.—Vernon Townes, County Attorney.

TWO KILLED IN SUNDOWN COLLISION

A two-car collision (head-on) one-half mile south of Sundown at 7:05 p.m., Thursday, resulted in the death of Mrs. A. L. Christopher, 37, of Wellman; and Otis Stewart, 53, of Sundown. Others in the Christopher car who were critically hurt were Mrs. Margaret Weaver, 38, of Wellman, with a back injury and right arm broken and other lacerations; Glynda



Mrs. Robert R. Lindsey in the district is invited and urged to attend, according to Mrs. H. P. Mundy of Shamrock, district president.

Experienced club women will assist with discussions on the following topics: "Mechanics of Federation," program courses, club reports, year books, parliamentary law, and others. The Mental Health Program will also be outlined to the federated group, and a complete explanation of it will be made. Question and answer periods have been planned.

A luncheon is being planned for the day of the institute, and the meal is to be served at Nick's Cafe. Tickets will be \$1.75 each, and reservations should be sent to Mrs. J. O. Burnett, Jr., 814 Tahoka Road, Brownfield, by Feb. 23. As luncheon entertainment, the Cen-Tex Harmony Music Club Chorus of Brownfield will sing several selections under the direction of Fred R. Smith, Brownfield High School music director.

Immediately after the close of the institute, a tea honoring out of town guests will be held at the Seleta Jane Brownfield Clubhouse.

Other district officers participating in arrangements for the institute and workshop are Mrs. Robert R. Lindsey of Borger, first vice president; and Mrs. A. T. Coconougher, of Lubbock, second vice president.

Jane Christopher, 13, with an injured pelvis; LaRue Rex, 13, with a dislocated hip and injured pelvis; Mrs. Jimmie Christopher, who was brought to Theadaway-Daniel Hospital with a broken jaw and other injuries.

Otis Stewart was alone in his car at the time of the accident. The ladies and young girls were on the way to a basketball tournament at Whiteface where Wellman was to play Ropesville.

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The American Creed

We believe in the United States of America as a government of the people, by the people, for the people, whose just powers are derived from the consent of the governed; a democracy in a republic; a sovereign nation of many states; a perfect union, one and inseparable established upon these principles of freedom—equality, justice and humanity, for which American patriots have sacrificed their lives and fortunes.

gotten the heinous crime, and the egghead gets five years perhaps with time off for "good behavior." Folks, such performances as that, and the main news we are fed on these days, is enough to disgust any good old fashioned citizen, and almost make him wish that he was hid away in some jungle deep in Africa. We are hoping and trusting that the better class of people will finally wake up to what is transpiring; that the best men and women will agree to jury service, in order that we may clean our country of these worthless rudiments of humanity once and for all.

We had a letter this week from Mr. James Kerney, Jr., editor of the Trenton Times, up at Trenton, N. J. The burden of his address to us, was on the subject of "Brotherhood Week," which is designated as Feb. 21-28. And the enclosure in a large envelope gave us the choice of numerous editorials, written by some of the greatest writers across the nation, along this line. This matter could be printed verbatim with proper credit, of course. Or we had choice of using what we wished as comment from these editorials, on why we should all be brothers, regardless of flesh, blood, religion or politics. After a reading of some of the editorials, we decided right off that the matter did not apply down here in West Texas. That the Jew and Gentile, the poor and the rich, the good and the indifferent all get along pretty well. In fact, we might know a man for years and never ask him his politics or his religious leanings, unless he happened to be the kind that insists on making a stinker of himself. We will state that some of these religious bodies that have a predominant majority in some of the European countries have made asses of themselves, to our notion, but we have had many good friends among these religionists here in the USA. In fact, we don't believe that the ones we know, approve of what their people are putting over in some countries, as they have always enjoyed religious freedom in the US, even in communities where they have a real minority. As to politics, this religion, this race or color may be a Republican, a Democrat, a Socialist, or even a few Communists, perhaps. But if Communists, they are very quiet about the matter. All of us just get along fine. Oh, we may yell "Ho Mose" at a good friend of the colored persuasion; we might even yell "Si Juan" as our Latin friend passes by, but we don't call them damniggers or a nastygreaser. Because we believe they are OK, and they treat us the same way. We don't all believe alike, or go to the same church or lodge, or contribute to the same political party, but we can work, fish and hunt together or guy each other without drawing our guns or knives.

Most of us have heard of guys that whistled as they passed a cemetery to keep the "haints" off. To say the least, when a young fellow, sometimes we would spend too much time visiting Sunday afternoons before leaving for home, and we had to pass old New Hope cemetery. So far as we know, no person had ever seen what he or they took to be a ghost while passing that old silent city of the dead. But in those days, we had little outside the weekly Memphis Commercial Appeal, perhaps a religious paper and the old county paper to read. So, a large part of the long winter forenoon was taken up with conversation, much of which had been gone over from time to time. But we liked to talk and sometimes these talks would drift into the old time "haint" stories. They were mostly a laughing matter with the grown ups of the time, but in our youthful mind, we sometimes wondered if some of them could not be true? And that is exactly what comes of talk-

ing and thinking, perhaps. Of late we have had a lot of loose talk about a depression, or at least a recession. Some people have an idea that prices can climb the highest pinnacle of the Rockies, and that they just have to stay there, no matter if we have a lot of the essentials of life in storage, and are already over produced. They cannot conceive that somewhere or another, things have to level off, and in the leveling process, perhaps some of us will be hurt a bit. But as long as it is just the politicians and partyites who are doing the talking, we are not badly scared of the ghost stories. This is especially true, when some of the biggest firms and manufacturers in the nation, say we are doing OK, and keep right on building for the future. Let's take General Motors for one, they have put millions of dollars into huge plants since War II, and are still going strong. Last year one was built in the Fort Worth-Arlington section that covered a sizeable farm, as well as several others. It is true they are cutting back on auto production this year, just as all other car manufacturers are doing, as they do not want to saturate the market. But they are putting millions in new plants. As long as they are not scared, why should we be?

Perhaps you have been reading some of late about the billion-dollar canal that would lead off from the Sabine on southwest across the Trinity, Brazos, and Colorado rivers, and on down to a few semi arid counties in southwest Texas. It seems that some have a big idea, at the expense of others, to make the section centered around Duval-Jim Wells area another San Joaquin Valley. And one of the professors down at Texas U. even went so far as to write a booklet on the matter. But people who have studied the matter, say that after the proposed canal left the Colorado, it would be an uphill pull from there on, and this leaves a lot of people wondering who would pay for that huge water lift? And according to an editorial in the Dallas News, which commented on the idea rather unfavorably, gave one version that, "the program would benefit West Texas by draining off the surplus population, allowing that section the maximum water supply." Who says West Texas has a surplus population to be drained off? And we might mention that the folks of East Texas are not favorably impressed by big dams that would flood a lot of their tillable land, in order to supply Duval and Jim Wells counties with abundance of water. The News says the Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior broached the question, which was instigated by Senator Lyndon Johnson. Well, old Duval gave Johnson just about all the votes it had, and saved him the Senate job by 88 votes over Coke Stevenson. If Duval had voted on a par with other counties, Coke and not Lyndon would have been the US Senior Senator from Texas by some 2,000 votes. And the professor down Austin way, Webb, we believe, refers to that area as the region of the "Golden Crescent." The Dallas News then comments that it is no more of a "Golden Crescent" than the upper and lower Plains of West Texas. Continuing, the News says this inland area in this section (Panhandle-South Plains) produces more wheat, cotton, beef, petroleum and natural gas, and many other products in greater proportion than the coastal area. But the argument is that all available water should be used as near where found as possible, and not piped off to other sections.

So far as we know this is the only time Daniel has ever supported an oil measure and the first time he has ever shown any interest in oil. The fact that Texas was granted the oil in the Gulf of Mexico when Texas joined the Union has no bearing with Morse. He was against the measure which was signed by President Eisenhower, but was opposed by Governor Stevenson. Texans will recall that Governor Shivers made a trip to see Governor Stevenson before the election and Shivers and the school children of Texas were turned down. This was when Governor Shivers and Price Daniel bolted the Democratic ticket and started to fight for the election of Eisenhower.

The declaration of Senator Morse that Senator Lyndon Johnson is a nobody, who is fearful of an opponent is all bosh. Johnson has represented the people of Texas well—all of the people—and Morse showed his littleness by jumping on the chosen representative, not only of Texas, but the Democratic leader of his own colleagues in the Senate of the United States.—Canyon News.

Bellingham, Wash., Herald: "The responsible farm organizations are generally agreed that this continuing use of the government's credit is economically unsound and basically dangerous."

Myrtle Point, Ore., Herald: "Radical labor bosses have labeled the Taft-Hartley Act 'The Slave Labor Law' when, in reality, the Taft-Hartley law is 'The Laboring Man's Bill of Rights.'"

Newport Beach, Calif., News-Times: "A balanced budget means a sound dollar and an end to the threat of inflation. The Administration must continue to strive for further reductions in spending, regardless of the demands of pressure groups."

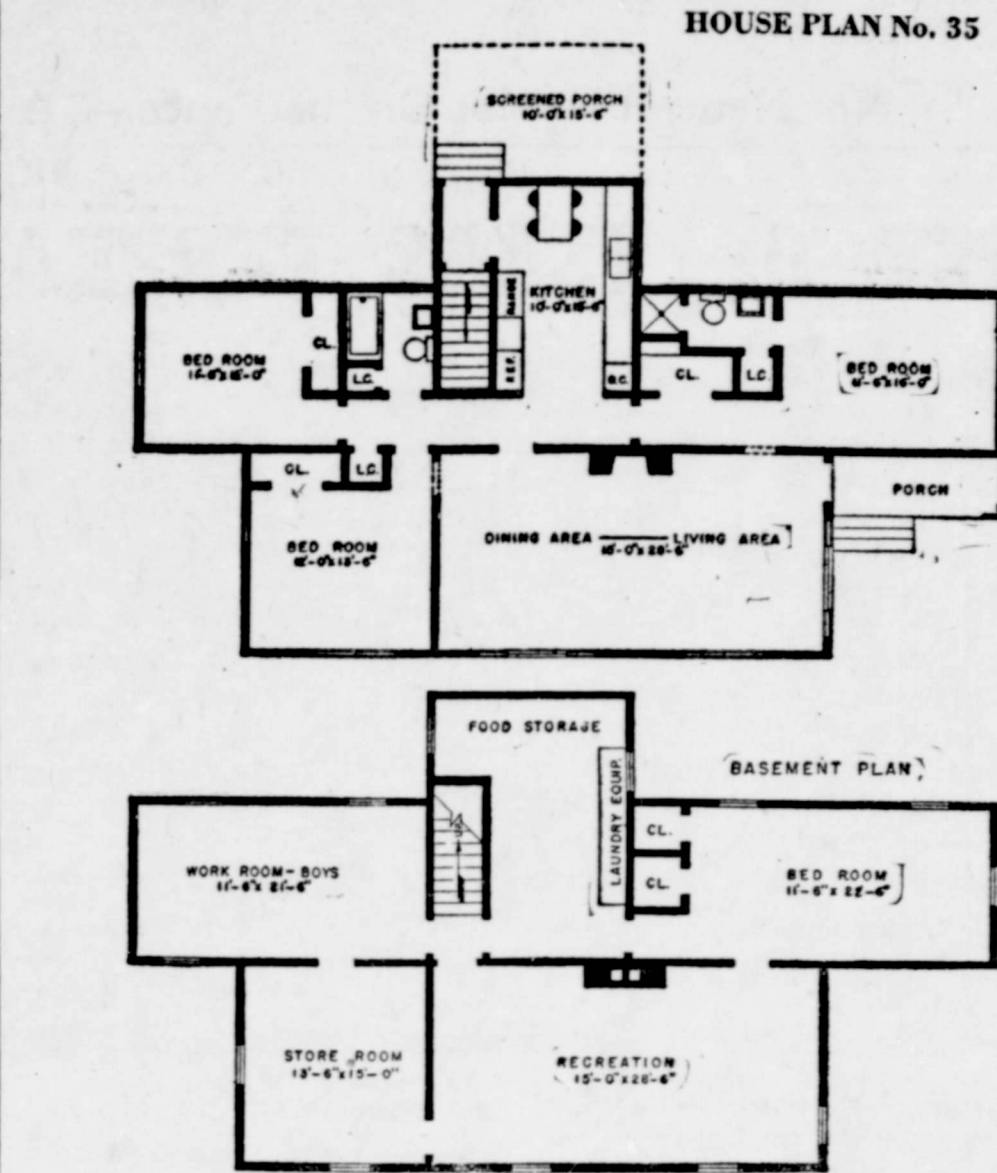
Port Huron, Mich., Times-Herald: "Because criminals operate on a national scale, the Federal Government steadily has assumed new responsibilities for enforcing laws—and to these responsibilities have been added in recent years the responsibility of protecting American institutions and the National Government itself against Communist conspirators."

WARDENS PROSECUTE 54 FOR NIGHT HUNTING
Austin.—The Director of Law Enforcement for the Game and Fish Commission reported that the latest arrest report shows fifty-four prosecutions for night hunting. The list included forty-eight cases specifically citing illegal shooting after dark. The Director said the force was constantly improving on the two-way radio technique in discouraging headlighters. He added that the enforcement pressure was further reflected in the fourteen prosecutions carried in the report, traced to hunting from an automobile. Aflameback to the recent general hunting season was contained in the item reporting thirty-six cases of outsiders hunting without non-resident licenses.

Insurance Company Organized at Midland
Midland. — Western Indemnity Life Insurance Company has now been chartered, with a paid-in capital and surplus of \$300,000. Home offices will be established in Midland, according to Dale R. Major, president of Life Underwriters, Inc., the organizing company. "Midland has been selected as the home office of Western Indemnity Life because of its location in

the center of fast growing West Texas," he said. "The first objective of the company will be to specially serve the needs of the people of this area." Mr. Major added, "West Texas offers an ever-expanding potential for growth to all lines of business and industry, and we are happy to take part in

Are most heart attacks fatal. No, says your Heart Association, sponsors of the 1954 Heart Fund. After a heart attack, the majority of people recover to lead productive lives. helping to further promote this growth."



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The lines of this Farm & Ranch House No. 5135 are simple. Economical to construct, it will be especially suited to areas of flat terrain. This house is planned to accommodate your married children who come home for a visit and bring their children. Also, it is planned so that if there is anyone ill the housewife can take care of them and do the housework, too. A full basement will provide a lot of low cost space for a large recreation room and a bedroom to be used in emergencies or for extra hired help. The laundry room—food storage area has ample room for tubs, washing machine, and freezer chest, plus the storage space. The kitchen has a nook for the family meals, and will be light and cool. Also, there is provision for a screened porch if you desire one. You may want to divide the living-dining area into two rooms, thus making a separate dining room. If so, instead of the fireplace, use a chimney which begins in the basement and can serve heating equipment both there and in the living-dining area. The doors shown on the dotted lines are optional. If you want them, we suggest that they be sliding doors; that will save wall and floor space. Easy access from the kitchen to both bedroom and bathroom areas without having to go through the living-dining room area will save many steps. You can obtain blueprints for this Farm and Ranch House Plan No. 5135 and a handy list of materials by which you can figure your construction cost accurately. Send \$1 to Building Editor, Farm and Ranch-Southern Agriculturist, Nashville, Tenn. Order by number—Plan No. 5135. Blueprints are adequate for any farm carpenter or for any farmer handy with tools.

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Some Folks Are Old At 60; Others At 80

Austin.—Some folks are old at 60 while others are mentally and physically alert at 80. The number of years one has lived may not be a true index to ones physical condition. Actually, the length of a person's life span is influenced by the condition of his arteries. "Premature hardening of the arteries, often due to avoidable infections, improper diet and possibly worry and strain is to a certain extent preventable," declared Dr. Geo. W. Cox, State Health Officer. Many of the problems connected with the hygiene of old age are due to lowered mental power. Therefore, a cheerful and optimistic attitude toward the aged, especially during sickness, is essential to their well being. Old people regard their condition as far less serious when they can be fully dressed and out of bed. When they can be up, the

cretory organs function more satisfactorily. However, when an elderly person complains of being overtired, or otherwise not physically fit, a day of rest in bed is advisable. By providing light and easily digested food and applying warmth to the body of an aged patient, he is often tided over mild or threatened illness. Special attention should also be paid to proper clothing, diet and exercise of the elderly. With reasonable attention to certain well defined and easily followed principles of personal hygiene, it is possible to grow old gracefully. Furthermore it is also possible, in many instances, to retain ones faculties to such an extent as to make old age a pleasure rather than a burden. The major research objective of the Heart Fund is the discovery of the basic causes of high blood pressure, hardening of the arteries and rheumatic fever, which, together, account for 90 per cent of all heart fatalities.

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Boost Back Yard Garden Profits

College Station.—It isn't necessary to plan your spring garden on paper, but a little advanced thought will be helpful in paving the way toward increased back yard vegetable production this spring.

More than half a million Texans planted gardens last year and indications point to more in '54, says Blueford G. Hancock, extension horticulturalist.

The garden fever oftentimes persuades people to plant a larger area than they can properly take care of, so keep your garden small, Hancock advises.

Make a series of plantings so your harvest will spread out over a longer period. A garden planted at one time causes over-production for a short period and then supplies are gone.

The horticulturalist suggests that gardeners plant a variety of vegetables. There are about 32 garden crops commonly grown in Texas so why not plant at least one new vegetable a season, he says.

Have supplies of commercial fertilizers, insecticides, seed treating chemicals and other gardening materials on hand for ready use.

And, finally, plant only vegetables adapted to your area.

English peas, turnips, cabbage plants, onions, head lettuce and

Many Drivers Want The Whole Road

"A lot of Texas automobile drivers act as if they were driving down the Pennsylvania Turnpike with the whole road to themselves!"

Col. E. B. Tilley of Houston, President of the Texas Safety Association, and Services Advisor for the Gulf Oil Corporation made this comment today as he discussed the need for the current Know and Obey Traffic Laws program sponsored by the Texas Safety Association and the Texas Department of Public Safety.

"Too many of the people driving cars today have practically no sense of responsibility," he said. "They drive as they please and expect everyone else on the road to look out for them. Unless they can be persuaded to change this irresponsible attitude, I see little hope of reducing the present heavy traffic accident toll."

Col. Tilley called upon all citizens to lend their full support to

white potatoes withstand considerable cold weather and may be planted four to five weeks prior to the last average killing frost, Hancock says.

Other vegetables adapted to planting two to three weeks before the last frost are radishes, mustard, beets, carrots and leaf lettuce.

THE LOW DOWN FROM HICKORY GROVE

This is to be a lecture on thrift and will power. And will power is the keystone. Without determination you are sunk. Like when you say you will quit smoking, and in 2 days are back at it—or like mama will say, "no more cake" as she has a little struggle and tussle with the girdle. Now if you choose to be a person of distinction, to have individuality, to be no less important than any other person, pay heed.

A gentleman of high esteem that I used to visit on occasion in San Francisco had a test he applied to see how his vertebrae was stacking up—if he was slipping or holding his own. He was a character—a distinctive one—you listened when he talked. He was a banker—a big

the Know and Obey Traffic Laws program. He asked the cooperation of women's clubs; civic, business, and fraternal organizations, and churches. He also urged every individual to acquaint himself with local traffic laws and to obey them after he has learned them.

"If every driver and pedestrian would suddenly decide to observe traffic laws and regulations and to practice safe walking and driving rules," Col. Tilley said, "the local traffic picture would change overnight. In fact, experts estimate that if such a change in conduct could be accomplished, the annual traffic toll could be reduced 90 per cent."

Small grain pastures being used for grazing can be given a new lease on life with an application of nitrogen fertilizer. The fertilizer is especially needed if the plants are yellow to a light green in color.

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one—he had started as office boy. He liked his pipe. Here was his test for will power. He filled his pipe, laid a match alongside, went to work. For 2 weeks he would do this. He knew then—when the pipe went untouched—that he was himself, in fettle, sure of himself.

Our USA congress and a 1,000 or 2,000 mayors and 48 governors—all of 'em saying they are for thriftiness in government behavior, should fill their pipe and put a match alongside. Determination to get the USA out of its floating around in a barrel of red ink is the prime job. To be a 100 per cent People's Choice next autumn will require—sure as shootin'—some political vertebrae this spring and summer.

Yours with the low down,
JO SERRA.



INTRACITY TRANSFER SERVICE—R. L. Walker, 215 East Ripley, has started an intracity transfer service in this city. Doing local hauling and making car unloading a specialty. Mr. Walker has had 31 years in the transportation business, having worked 17 years as a railway station agent and telegraph operator, and 14 years operating trucks of his own. Besides being an experienced Morris operator, he also used the Continental Code during World War I, while serving with the American Expeditionary Forces. Mr. Walker is a member of the First Baptist Church, and American Legion of Brownfield, also a member of the Masonic Order. He owns and operates a clay mining business and farming in Terry County with the assistance of Mrs. Walker taking care of the office work. Mr. and Mrs. Walker moved here in 1943 from Seagraves. (Staff Photo.)

YOUR SENATOR REPORTS

By LYNDON B. JOHNSON

NO. 1 PROBLEM

Most Texans consider that, of the 10 biggest problems facing the State, the greatest is water shortage and its effects. The fact was brought out strongly in a recent public opinion poll.

Thirty-eight per cent of the Texans interviewed named water shortage or effect of water shortage as the No. 1 problem. This was mentioned almost more than the next five biggest problems combined—improvement of schools, cost of living, improvement of highways, unemployment, cost of government.

WATER PLAN

Dr. Walter Prescott Webb, famed Texas historian, reports that the great inland canal recommended for carrying water to the Lower Gulf Coast area would increase the region's annual income by five billion dollars.

This is the plan drawn up at my request by the Bureau of Reclamation of the Department of Interior.

In time, says Dr. Webb, the plan must be carried out, because "the logic of facts is so strongly in its favor, and because the need is imperative."

The future of Texas is bound up in a solution of our water problems.

TEXAS JUDGSHIPS

In the 1953 session, I introduced a bill creating a badly needed additional Federal judgeship for the Eastern District of Texas and making permanent the temporary additional judgeship in the Southern District.

The provisions of my bill were included in an omnibus bill, on which a House-Senate conference committee has reached agreement. The measure is expected to become law in the near future.

DEFENSE BUDGET

Committee hearings have started on the military part of the President's budget. The President re-

TO THRESH OUT MEX. NAT'L. LABOR PROBLEM

Turkish President To Visit Texas

What happens when a foreign dignitary visits Texas? What preparations are made for his entertainment, for his security?

You'll see on next week's Texas in Review, the Humble Company's weekly telecast. The program's featured film, titled "Texas Talks Turkey," shows the elaborate behind-the-scenes preparations made for the three-day visit of Celal Bayar, president of the Republic of Turkey, who was scheduled to arrive in Dallas, Feb. 14.

This will be the second program to follow the series' revised format. From now on, the weekly telecast will give fuller coverage on items of special interest to Texans, rather than highlighting spot news events throughout the State. It will be more like a magazine than a newspaper. The program will be carried next Tuesday over nearby stations.

Mr. and Mrs. Buel Culver, of Aurbasse, Miss., visited last week end with Mr. and Mrs. Pete Curtis, 208 Tahoka Road.

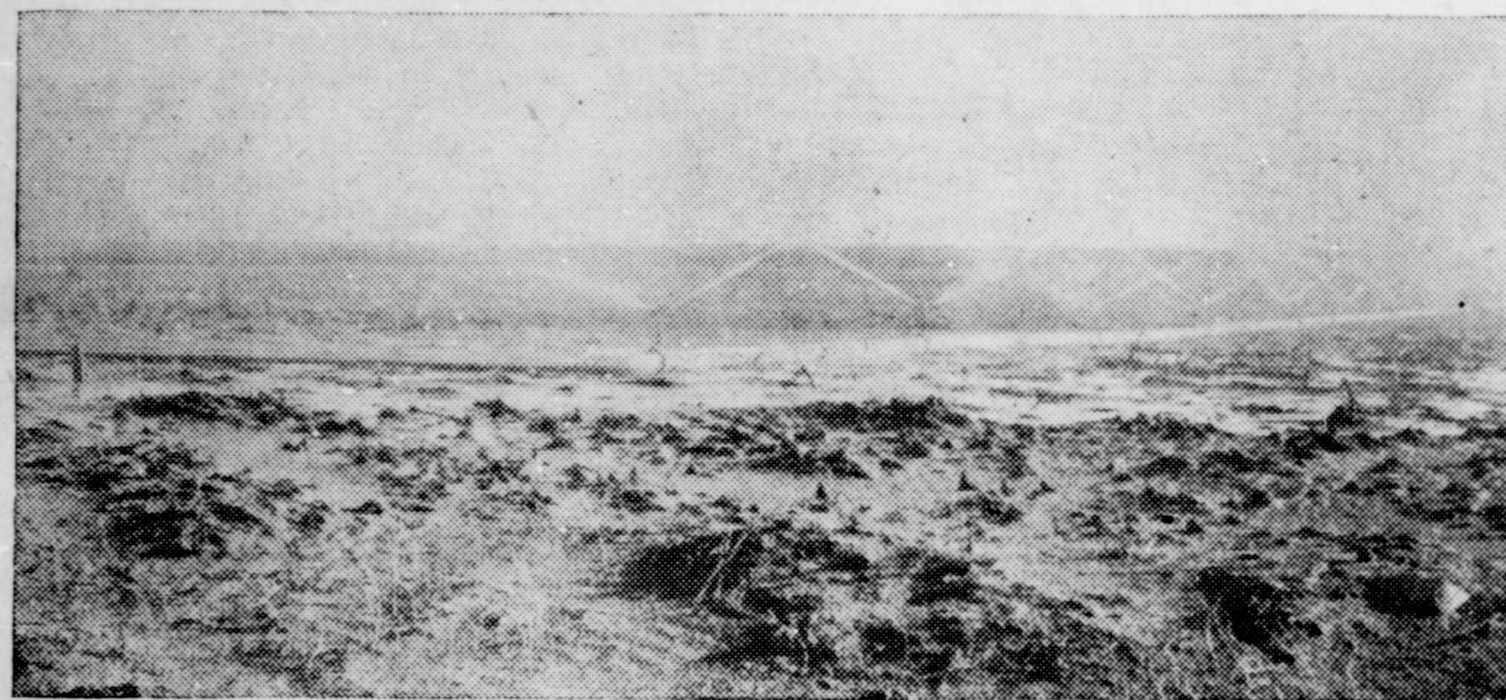
requested 31 billion dollars for the Department of Defense. He asked about five and one-half billions for foreign military aid and other military and international programs. He wants four billion dollars for the Veterans Administration.

Biggest single item in the budget, other than for the Department of Defense, is approximately seven billion dollars for interest on the national debt.

BAYAR OF TURKEY

President Bayar of Turkey, miracle nation of the twentieth century and our true friend, addressed a joint session of the Senate and House. He will be in Dallas on Feb. 15.

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Sonny Zant and Dickie Mann, students at Sul Ross College at Alpine spent last week end visiting with Sonny's mother, Mrs. Thelma Zant, 402 Tahoka Road, who recently returned home from a Lubbock hospital. Also visiting with Mrs. Zant is her sister, Mrs. Harold Hall, of Albuquerque.

Mrs. A. W. Blankenship of Lubbock and daughter, Mrs. Jimmy Thornhill, of Seagraves, visited in the home of Mrs. A. J. Stricklin, Sr., Monday.

A new Agricultural Extension Service publication, C-341, Guide For Controlling Insects on Ornamental Plants in Texas, is now available at local county extension agent's offices or the Agricultural Information Office, College Station.

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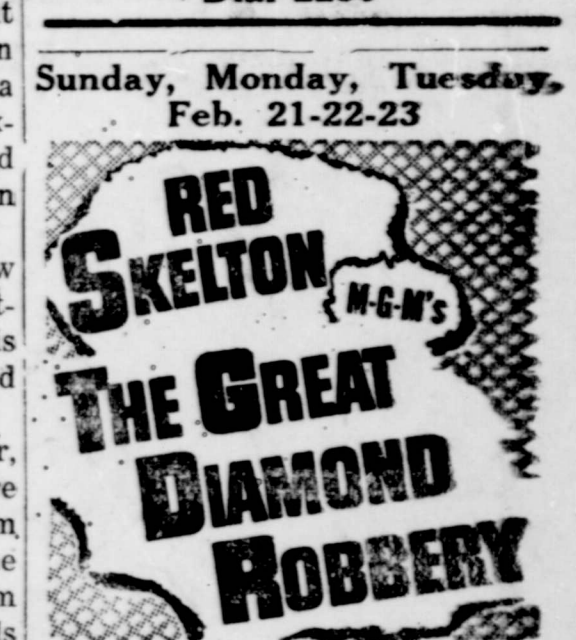


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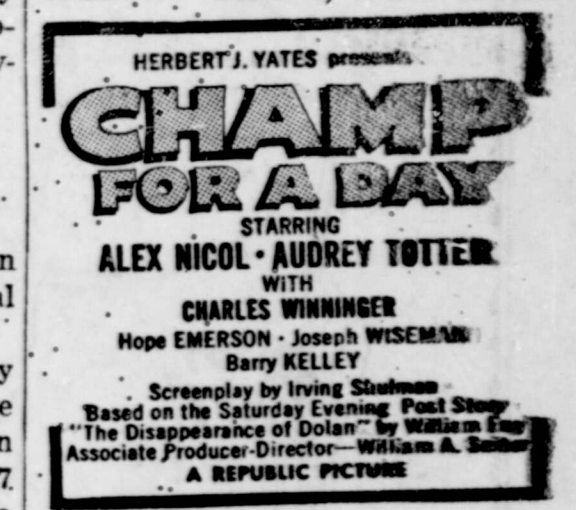
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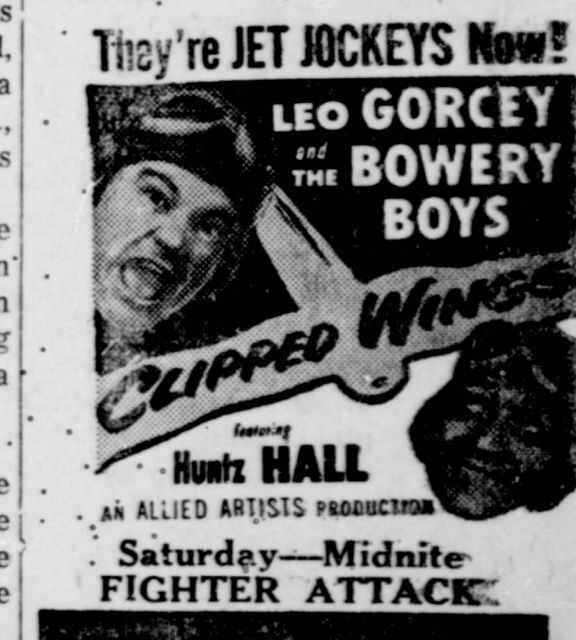
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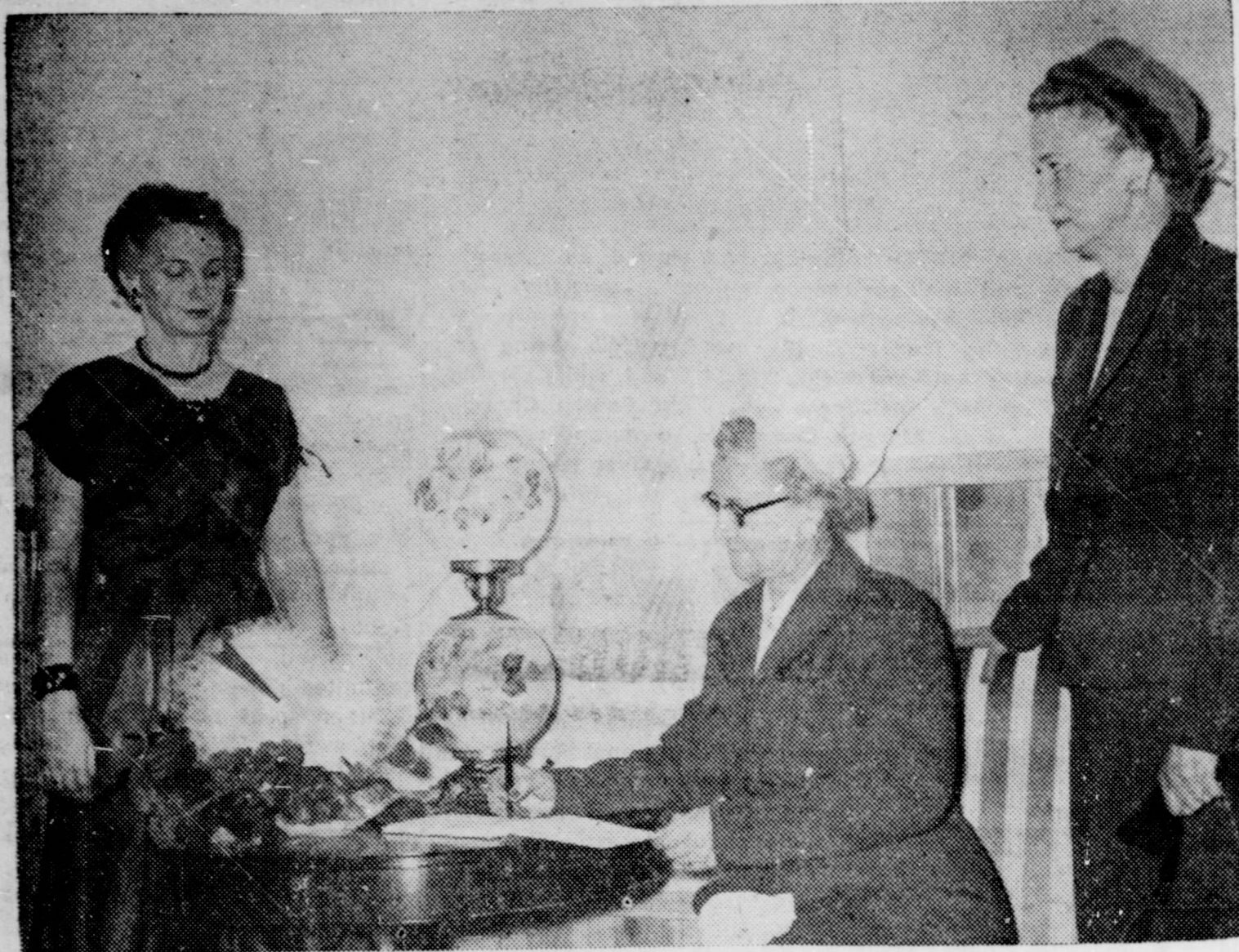


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BROWNFIELD GARDEN CLUB GUEST SPEAKER, Mrs. A. J. Manjeot, of Hereford, Dist. 1 Governor, is shown above as she signed the register at the Feb. 10 meeting of the local Garden Club, held at 12:30 p.m., at the Seleta Jane Brownfield Clubhouse. A luncheon was enjoyed by the local women and their guests, the Tahoka Garden Club, and an afternoon program featured a talk by Mrs. Manjeot concerning the art of flowers in the home. Pictured above, left, is Mrs. A. L. Tittle, who conducted the business meeting in the absence of the president, Mrs. James King; and at right is a Tahoka Garden Club member. (Staff Photo.)



BROWNIE LEADERS PLAN CALENDAR—Troop No. 20 Brownies' Leaders Group are shown above as they discuss the program for the troop for the rest of the year, which will end with the school term. Tentative plans were made for the little girls to go to summer camp. Troop No. 20, which is made up of Fourth Grade girls, ages 9-10, hold their Brownie meetings every Tuesday from 4 to 5 p.m., at the Girl Scout Little House. The fly-up service, when they will go into the Girl Scouts, will be held the last of April. Table manners and setting of a table will be the topic of discussion at next week's meeting and recently the troop cooked fudge and learned to make beds in the leaders' homes. For one week afterwards, the girls made beds at their various homes. Flag drill is especially stressed during the meetings throughout the year and field trips and hikes are scheduled during May for the 26 girls registered in the troop. Pictured above, left to right, are Mrs. R. E. Thompson, Jr., leader of the group; and her assistants, Mrs. Jack Bailey, Mrs. Bill Williams, and Mrs. Harold Crites. (Staff Photo.)

57th Year Of Nat'l. PTA Work Observed At Silver Tea, Feb. 11

A Silver Tea was held by the Jesse G. Randal-West Ward Parent Teachers Association at 4 p.m., Feb. 11, at the Randal cafeteria, in commemoration of 57 years of national PTA work.

Mrs. Jake Gore spoke on "The PTA Keeps Pace with America," and Mrs. John Happ presented the meaning of Founders' Day. Mrs. Bob Collier served as program chairman for the afternoon.

During the executive meeting, held before the tea, it was decided

that the next meeting, scheduled March 11, which will be Father's Night, will begin at 7:30, and mothers will bring pies and the PTA will furnish coffee. Mrs. Harry Goble, president, presided during the meeting.

Mrs. Tommy Hicks served red fruit punch from the serving table, centered with a bouquet of red and white carnations, carrying out the Valentine theme. Refreshments were red frosted Valentine shaped cookies.

Mrs. Mary Ann Venable and Miss Mary Adams furnished piano selections throughout the afternoon.

During the business session, it was voted to present Supt. O. R. Douglas with a life membership

WANT SOME FREE BARBECUE WOOD, BUD?

Raymond Simms and son, Harold, are putting in some new land seven miles west and two miles north of Brownfield, and of course they have a pile of mesquite grubs and small trees that they are giving free for the next two weeks.

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as he is citizenship director of the 14th District of Texas PTA and has worked with the West Texas visual program, especially in Brownfield. Over 100 persons attended.

KOLONIAL KARD KLUB MET LAST FRIDAY

Kolonial Kard Klub met for dessert bridge at Mrs. Mike Barrett's, 1104 East Tate, at 2:30 p.m., February 12.

Mrs. N. L. Mason made high score, Mrs. R. L. Bowers, second high; and Mrs. Bill Williams and Mrs. Chris Hafer binged.

Those attending included Mesdames E. C. Davis, Walter Hord, Tobe Howze, A. A. Sawyer, Mon Telford, L. M. Wingerd, Money Price, C. C. Primm, Mason, Bowers, Williams, and Hafer.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Darlin, of Brownfield, visited, Sunday, in Canyon, and came home by way of Dimmitt, where they visited Bro. and Mrs. T. J. Finley, formerly of Brownfield.

Maids And Matrons Club Discusses The American Presidents

Presidents of the United States were the topic of the February 16 meeting of the Maids and Matrons Club, held at 4 p.m., in the Seleta Jane Brownfield Clubhouse.

Mrs. Will Adams discussed "The First President from the West, Andrew Jackson," with reference material taken from "The Story of America," by Harlowe.

"The Profile of a President" and "Mary Lincoln" was discussed by Mrs. Barton Evans, who used as reference material, the March 1, 1953 Look; and July, 1953, Reader's Digest.

"Andrew Johnson," was topic of Mrs. W. B. Brown's talk, from the book, "The Age of Hate," by Milton.

Mrs. Evans served as chairman for the afternoon, and hostesses were Mrs. O. B. Larner and Mrs. Gaster Spencer.

Mrs. Frank Wier poured punch from an American fortoria punch bowl. Colors of pink and green were carried out on the serving table, which was covered with a pink Irish linen cloth and centered with an arrangement of pink carnations in graduated colors, flanked by pink candles. A yellow jonquil potted plant was placed on the mantle.

Frosted lime punch and angel food cake were served to those attending: Mesdames W. M. Adams, W. A. Bell, W. B. Brown, E. C. Davis, Barton Evans, Eunice Jones, E. F. Latham, O. B. Larner, W. F. McCracken, E. O. Nelson, Money Price, A. A. Sawyer, Cecil Smith, Gaster Spencer, M. G. Tarpley, J. M. Teague, F. G. White, Frank Wier, L. M. Wingerd, George Hunt, and W. B. Downing.

Mrs. Stallings Teaches Darlene Sears Circle

The Darlene Sears Circle of Calvary Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Carl McIntyre for Bible study, Monday afternoon. Mrs. W. L. Stallings taught a chapter from the book, "Young People of Destiny in the Bible," entitled "Gideon."

The Circle will meet at Calvary Baptist Church next Monday for a business meeting.

Present were Mesdames Cecil George, Lottie Evans, Bill Conlee, Mary Howell, Loy Lewis, Oscar Decker, W. L. Stallings, and the hostess.

ROSSES ENTERTAIN WITH SUPPER PARTY

Mr. and Mrs. Mack Ross, 1113 E. Cardwell, entertained friends at a supper, Tuesday night. Meat balls, spaghetti, salad and all the trimmings were served to Mr. and Mrs. Harold Shaw and son, Barry, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Elliott.

The group enjoyed a game of Bridge following the meal.

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The Board of Directors of the Brownfield Chamber of Commerce reported this week that ticket sales for the annual banquet were selling good, and that many of our oil companies had expressed a desire to attend the banquet, which is set for Tuesday, Feb. 23, at the Jesse G. Randal cafeteria.

Part of the Lions Club Talent Show will be used for special entertainment.

Harlen Glenn, Magnolia Oil Company official, will be installed at the banquet, as president of the Board of Directors; and J. T. Hoy, Marion Bowers, Joe Christian, B. F. Hutson, C. C. Primm, and J. E. Smith will be installed as new directors.

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THURS. AFTERNOON BRIDGE CLUB MEETING

Thursday afternoon Bridge Club met at 2:30 p.m., Feb. 11, at the home of Mrs. Jim Murchough, 1112 East Cardwell.

Mrs. Robert Craig made high score and Mrs. Dick Chambers won bingo.

Cherry pie and coffee were served to Mesdames Curtis Sterling, J. E. Smith, Bobby Jones, J. C. Powell, Robert Knight, Edgar Self, Craig, and Chambers.

WEDNESDAY BRIDGE CLUB AT MRS. HAFER'S

Mrs. Chris Hafer, 803 E. Reppto, was hostess to the Wednesday Bridge Club, at 1 p.m., Feb. 10.

Mrs. Dick Chambers and Mrs. Bill Anderson binged and Mrs. Dip Pemberton made high score.

A valentine luncheon of chicken spaghetti was served to Mesdames Bill McGowan, Loyd Hahn, Bobby Jones, Sam Teague, Calvin McIntosh, Anderson, and Pemberton.

GIRL SCOUT CALENDAR

A WEEKLY FEATURE TO WATCH FOR

Feb. 22—Troop I. Practice Square Dancing.

Feb. 22—Troop II. Birthday Celebration.

Feb. 23—Troop VIII. Practice Radio Program.

Feb. 23—Troop XX. Table Manners and Table Setting.

Feb. 25—Troop IX. Review of Home Nursing.

Feb. 26—Troop XV. Practice Folk Dance and Pantomime.

GIRL SCOUTING

Deep interest in the growing up of young people is as old as history. Every tribe, community, or nation has realized that youth was a valuable asset for its own future.

A girl growing up these days needs a variety of things: friends her own age, to feel important and useful, information on all subjects, plenty of activity, to have ideals and religious faith.

From its earliest beginnings the Girl Scout movement has been recognized as a way of developing good citizens. The first troop was started in March, 1912, by Juliette Low, friend of Lord Baden-Powell, who was the founder of the entire Scout movement for boys and girls.

Our Scout Program has been designed to meet the needs of three different age groups: Brownie Scouts—girls from 7 to 10; Girl Scouts—10 through 14; and Senior Scouts—high school girls.

Each age level has its own activities but are bound together by the organization's basic philosophy and methods. The activities cover the same program fields, each of which represents a present or potential interest of girls: Arts and Crafts; Community Life; Health and Safety; Home-making; International Friendship; Literature and Dramatics; Music and Dancing; Nature; Out-of-Doors; and Sports and Games.

A Girl Scout promises: On my honor, I will try: To do my duty to God and my country. To help other people at all times. To obey the Girl Scout Laws.

ACTIVITIES**TROOP I**

On Saturday, Feb. 13, sixteen girls visited the Museum and Planetarium. The girls enjoyed the Planetarium as they had studied

the stars in school. The girls are practicing hard on their square dancing, as they are scheduled to appear on KDUB, Lubbock, on March 9, on the show, "Johnny On The Spot."

Officers were elected this past week. Those elected were: Vvonne Parker, president; Janice Nowell, vice president; Margaret Schofield, secretary; and Shiela Primm, treasurer.

TROOP 2

The girls on Feb. 8 made Valentines to give to their mothers. Then they learned to make a bed, played games and sang songs at their last meeting.

For their Birthday Celebration they are planning for the 22nd, they will celebrate George Washington's birthday, and all their own. The girls are to draw names and make a birthday card for the name they draw.

They elected officers and those chosen were: Jane Rogers, president; Margaret Adams, vice president; Cathy Bryant, secretary; and Cheryl Powell, treasurer.

TROOP 8

Only three girls were present and they studied the radio script and voted to move the meeting night to Tuesday so that it would not conflict with other activities.

This past Tuesday they are to elect their officers for the rest of the year. They will select the characters for the radio play to be given in March.

TROOP 9

They are working on their Home Nursing Badge, and had Mrs. Viola Simmons to show them how to use the thermometer and the hot water bag, and also how to care for them. The past weeks they have completed their Junior Citizen Badge.

TROOP 15

The past weeks have been busy for the troop, they had a Valentine Party. They made their own favors of caps. Had refreshments, played games and sang. Then Troop 1 showed them folk dances and a new song.

TROOP 20

The girls have planned an outdoor meeting with refreshments of fudge made by the girls themselves.

MRS. BROWN LEADS DISCUSSION ON JEREMIAH AT WCS

The Woman's Society of Christian Service met in Fellowship Hall, Monday, Feb. 15, at 3 p.m.

Mrs. Ernest Latham presided, and Mrs. A. E. Proctor led the opening prayer.

Mrs. James Warren resigned as chairman of Christian Social Relations and Local Church Activities. Mrs. G. N. Brown gave the devotional. The group repeated the Lord's Prayer. The song, "Sweet Hour of Prayer," was sung. Mrs. J. H. Carpenter offered prayer. "The Great Prayers of the Bible" were read by Maudie Bailey, Mrs. B. L. Thompson, Mrs. R. L. Cornelius, and Mrs. Jess Smith.

The study, "The Prophet Jeremiah," was led by Mrs. Brown. The Study and Action Committee was appointed as: Mrs. Hobart Lewis, Mrs. Jess Smith and Mrs. J. H. Carpenter. The luncheon for next Monday will be postponed.

Those present were Mesdames Jim Griffith, W. B. Downing, Jess Smith, R. L. Cornelius, D. S. Sampson, R. J. Partell, G. N. Brown, Lula Singletary, Joe Johnson, Vernon Henderson, A. W. Early, A. E. Proctor, B. L. Thompson, A. E. Butler, Ernest Latham, Uel D. Crosby, Leo Holmes, J. H. Carpenter, Hobart Lewis, and Miss Maudie Bailey.

FRIDAY NITE BRIDGE CLUB MET WITH CRAIGS

Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Craig, Jr., 606 East Reppto, were host and hostess to the Friday Nite Couples Bridge Club at 8 p.m., Feb. 12.

Mrs. Tommy Hicks and Morgan Copeland made high score and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Self binged.

A Valentine motif was carried out in the tablecloth and napkins decorations, and cherry pie in the shape of valentines was served with coffee to the following members present: Messrs. and Mmes. J. E. Smith, R. L. Craig, Calvin McIntosh, Hicks, Self, and Copeland.

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They sang songs and played games. This week they plan to have a talk on table manners and table setting. They are working on their Tenderfoot rank, and will finish it this month.

IDEAL BRIDGE CLUB AT MRS. LARNER'S

Mrs. Otis Lerner, 720 E. Broadway, was hostess for the Ideal Bridge Club, at 3 p.m., Feb. 10.

Mrs. R. N. McClain made high score; Mrs. L. M. Wingerd, second high; and Mrs. Edison Wilder binged.

The serving table was centered with a bouquet of red and white carnations and a valentine motif was carried out in refreshments of cake and sherbet with coffee.

Those attending were Mesdames A. A. Sawyer, Bruce Zorns, Bob Bowers, Slick Collins, Kenneth Watkins, Bob Land, Ned Self, E. G. Akers, Wilder, McClain, and Wingerd.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Karr and family, who recently moved to California, are now living at 111 S. Poli St., in Ojai, a small town in the mountains near Ventura. Karr is employed with the California Petroleum Co.

COUPLES BRIDGE CLUB MET AT BROWNFIELDS

The Couples Bridge Club met at 7:30 p.m., Feb. 11, with Mr. and Mrs. Lee Brownfield as host and hostess.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Hamilton made high score. Mr. and Mrs. Bill McKinney, second high; and Mrs. John Portwood and V. L. Patterson binged.

A Valentine theme was carried out and heart-shaped cherry pies were served to Messrs. and Mmes. Grady Goodpasture, Lee Brownfield, Hamilton, McKinney, Patterson, and Portwood.

WILLOW WELLS H-D CLUB HAS MEETING

The Willow Wells HD Club met recently in the home of Mrs. E. G. Lamm, with the president, Mrs. W. M. Nelson, president, presiding. Roll call was answered with "What I did for a Polio Patient."

The HD Council Finance and Education Committee recommendations were approved by the club.

Balanced and unbalanced plaids were demonstrated by Betty Kinney, and laying the pattern on plaids was demonstrated by Mrs. W. C. Faulkenberry.

Refreshments of lemon pie and hot chocolate were served to five members. The next meeting will be on February 24, in the home of Mrs. W. M. Nelson.

FUTURE FARMER**WEEK COMING UP****Beginning Feb. 20**

"Our State's future progress and prosperity depends to a great extent on agriculture and therefore on the young people who are studying agricultural education in Texas' public secondary schools and who are members of the Future Farmers of Texas." Governor Allan Shivers stated today as he signed the proclamation designating Feb. 20-27, 1954, as National Future Farmer Week of America.

Membership in the FFA is made up of farm boys who are students of vocational agriculture in high school. The organization's activities are designed primarily to help develop rural leadership and good citizenship, and to stimulate the boys to better achievement in their study and work toward successful establishment in farming.

There are four FFA chapters in Terry County, at each of the public schools, Brownfield, Meadow, Union and Wellman, all doing a fine work with the youth of the county.

Future Farmers choose the week of George Washington's birthday each year for observance of National FFA Week. Although generally recognized as a Revolutionary War general and our first President, Washington's first love was the farm he called Mount Vernon. There, he was one of the first in the nation to practice contour planting, crop rotations, fertilization, and other soil conservation and improvement methods.

B'FIELD CAMERA CLUB TO HOLD 2ND MEETING

The recently organized Brownfield Camera Club will hold its second meeting Thursday, Feb. 25, at 7:30 p.m., at the South Plains Health Unit.

Everyone interested in camera work or study is invited to attend.

CARD OF THANKS

We wish to thank all the people who helped in any way during our husband and father's illness. We appreciated the cards, flowers and all the people who visited him in the hospital.

The F. B. Condra Family.

B'field Toastmasters**Organize Levelland****Club Monday Night**

The Brownfield Toastmaster Club held the regular weekly meeting with the Levelland Club to help organize a club there. The meeting, held Feb. 15, at the Cal Boykin Hotel in Levelland, was primarily for election of temporary officers and to receive temporary permission to assume the name, "Toastmaster."

Officers elected were John Potts, president; and Orlin Brewer, secretary and treasurer.

Guest toastmaster for the evening, Wade Yandell, was introduced by the president of the local club, Arlie Lowrimore.

Robert Baumgardner won the week's toastmaster cup for his speech, "Reparation, Reuterance, and Reiteration." He was presented the cup by Lowrimore, winner of the previous week. Bill Neel served him as critic.

Baumgardner stated that there would be a loss of constitutional right if Bricker's amendment is not passed, giving the President unlimited power to make treaties.

Other speakers and their subjects were as follows: Bobby Jones, "We Found a Substitute for Monday," critic, Lowrimore; Grady Elder, "Are You Interested," critic, C. V. Fleming; J. C. Powell, "A Commodity for Sale," critic, David Nicholson.

Joe Stevens was extemporaneous speaker, answering the question, "How Do We Measure Success?" Harold Simms served him as critic.

Table topic chairman, Earl Jones spoke concerning "Do You Favor Letting 18-year-olds Vote?" James Evans was general critic of the evening and stated that speakers lacked enthusiasm and used too many pauses, "uhs" and "ahs," and "and uh."

Fourteen local members and one guest, Jim Bayless, were present, and twenty Levelland members attended. A ham supper was served.

Glad to see the Same Privitts back in the old burg. Mrs. Privitt called to have the Herald changed back to Brownfield, and says she is having a time living with two Sams. She says little Sam is a corker.

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PROPOSITION FOR CONGRESSMEN
A commission of citizens appointed by the President has made a study of the pay scale for members of Congress and has recommended substantial raises. A higher salary scale for Congressmen would be a good investment for the American citizenry. I think one should be approved at this session. It should be a straight salary raise and should not include any tax-free allowances or provisions.

In our present day American society Congress is the most vitally important agency of government, the heart of the Republic. Its members have a value to the nation that cannot actually be measured in dollars and cents. Only a few are independently wealthy, and this will likely be the situation in future Congresses. Therefore, for nearly all Congressmen and Congressional candidates the size of the pay check—and the "take home" pay—is a determining factor in their career.

Great Public Service
The American people should be in favor of any reasonable measure that would help attract the very highest order of citizens to serve in Congress. Once they are in Congress the members' pay is not calculated on comparative merit. Unlike employees in private enterprise and other governmental fields, Congressmen may not expect additional salary compensation or promotion for unusual ability, extra hard work, long hours, or extraordinary diligence.

For the type of intelligent, wise, honorable, self-sacrificing, public-spirited and courageous citizens we need in Congress, the chief incentive is the opportunity Congressional membership affords for great public service. The big reward is the inner satisfaction that comes from performing this service creditably. Yet, Congressmen and prospective Congressmen are human. They desire for themselves and their families an improving living standard, the good things of life. It is to our advantage to place the salary scale for Congress in balance with the challenging requirements of the job. The philosophy of Americanism is for reward on the basis of worth.

Inflation and Inflation
But while suggesting a pay raise for Congressmen, we citizens ought to remind them that the \$10,000 salary they received 20 years ago was considered adequate at that time; and the \$15,000 salary they began receiving five years ago also was considered adequate. Inflation made the \$10,000 salary inadequate; and finally, the \$15,000 salary too. And a large part of the inflation was caused by permitting the Federal budget to go unbalanced during 17 of the last 20 years. In many of those years, Congress should have balanced it!

Another factor in making the \$10,000 and \$15,000 Congressional salaries shrink in purchasing power has been the constantly increasing tax bite taken by the Federal government. The United States News calculates that a Congressman drawing \$15,000 today actually has 33 per cent less purchasing power than in 1939 when he drew only \$10,000! Inflation and higher taxes are the reasons why. If Congressional salaries now are raised to \$27,500, as the presidential commission suggests, the Congressmen actually would be only \$1,322 better off than they were in 1939 while drawing only \$10,000, because of inflation and increased taxes.

A Fair Bargain
We citizens might well tell our Congressmen that the raise we are suggesting at this time, to bring their living standard in line with the value and importance of their service to our nation, is being approved with two stipulations: (1) that Congress balance the 1954-55 Federal budget and thereafter keep the budget balanced; and (2) that a program of tax reduction and reform be continued until taxes are drastically lowered and are levied equitably, without favoritism.

Above all, we should tell our Congressmen that they must not legislate to themselves a tax-free allowance or adopt any other provisions that would set them apart from other Americans. Favoritism to any group, whether in taxation or governmental service, is not in keeping with the philosophy of Americanism and would eventually destroy our freedom system. Congressmen need to get bitten by the teeth of taxes just as deeply as the rest of us are bitten.

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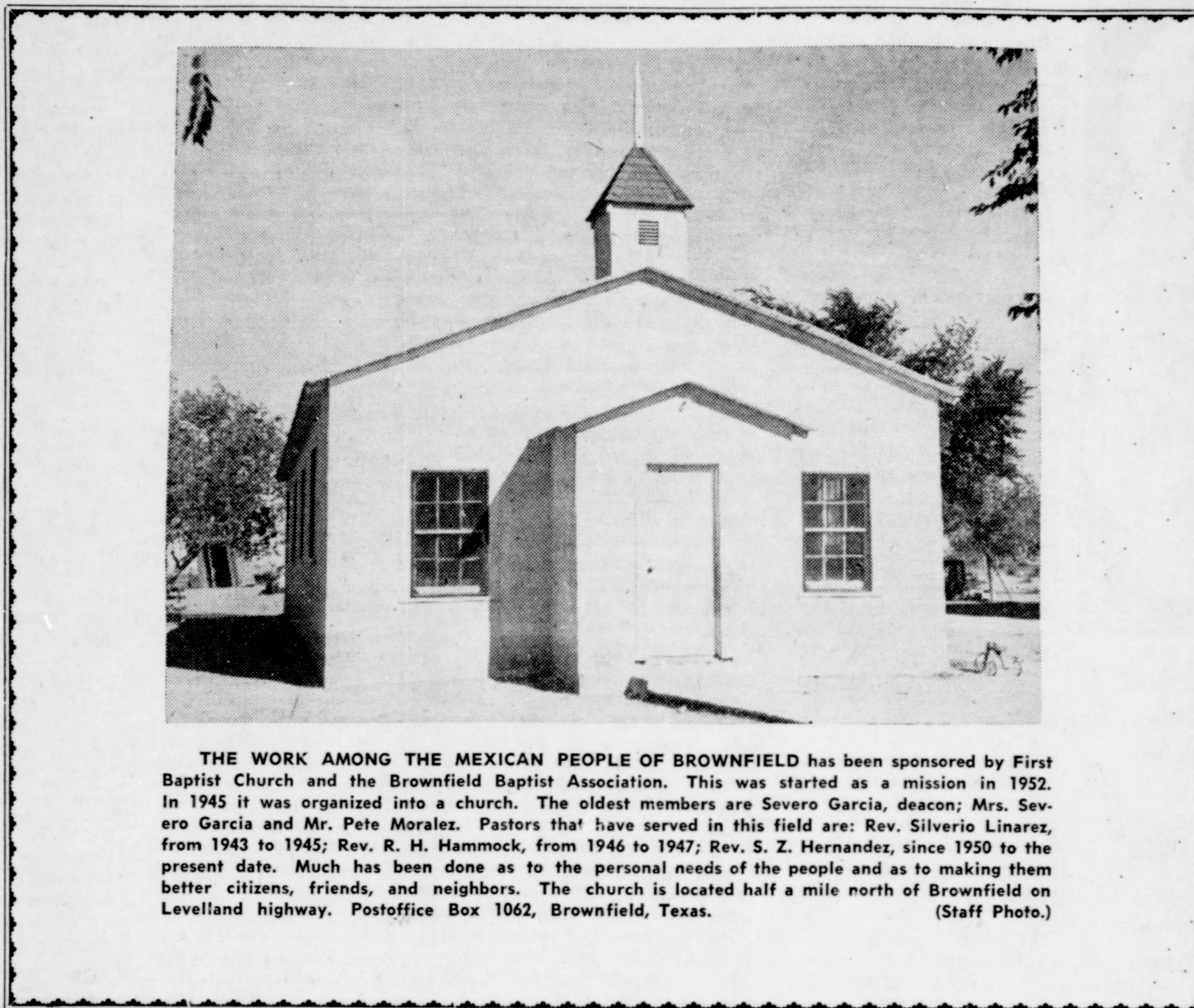
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THE WORK AMONG THE MEXICAN PEOPLE OF BROWNFIELD has been sponsored by First Baptist Church and the Brownfield Baptist Association. This was started as a mission in 1952. In 1945 it was organized into a church. The oldest members are Severo Garcia, deacon; Mrs. Severo Garcia and Mr. Pete Moralez. Pastors that have served in this field are: Rev. Silverio Linarez, from 1943 to 1945; Rev. R. H. Hammock, from 1946 to 1947; Rev. S. Z. Hernandez, since 1950 to the present date. Much has been done as to the personal needs of the people and as to making them better citizens, friends, and neighbors. The church is located half a mile north of Brownfield on Levelland highway. Postoffice Box 1062, Brownfield, Texas. (Staff Photo.)

CHURCH OF GOD
Rev. O. Stegall, pastor
Sunday:
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
8:00 p. m.—Evangelistic Services
Wednesday:
8:00 p. m.—Mid-Week Services
Saturday:
8:00 p. m.—Young People's Services

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Rev. Tom Keenan, pastor
Sunday:
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
8:00 p. m.—Evening Worship

SOUTHSIDE CHURCH OF CHRIST
Bill Andrews, Minister
Sunday:
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
10:45 a. m.—Morning Worship
6 p. m.—Young People's Meeting.
7 p. m.—Church Service.
7:30 p. m. Wednesday Night—
Thursday:
10:00 a. m.—Women's Bible Class

CHURCH OF CHRIST
at Wellman
Minister. S. A. Ribble
Sunday Morning:
10:00 a. m.—Study Period
10:45 a. m.—Preaching Services
Sunday Evening:
7:30 p. m.—Study Period
8:00 p. m.—Preaching Services
Wednesday Evening:
7:30 p. m.—Bible Study

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
Uel D. Crosby, pastor
Sunday:
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
10:50 a. m.—Morning Worship
6:30 p. m.—Intermediate Fellowship
7:00 p. m.—Children's Choir
7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship

WEST SIDE BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. S. R. Respass, Pastor
Sunday—
10:00 A. M.—Sunday School.
11:00 A. M.—Morning Worship.
6:30 P. M.—Training Union.
7:30 P. M.—Evening Worship.
Wednesday—
7:30 P. M.—Prayer Meeting.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Jones W. Weathers, pastor
Sunday:
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 Morning Worship
6:45 p. m.—Training Union
8:00 p. m.—Evening Worship

CALVARY BAPTIST CHURCH
Rev. Bill Austin, pastor
Sunday:
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p. m.—Training Union
8:30 p. m.—Evening Worship

NORTH SECOND STREET CHURCH OF CHRIST
219 North Second
J. L. Pritchard, evangelist
Sunday Morning Services, 10:30.
Evening Services, 7:30.
Wednesday Evening, 8:00

CHURCH OF THE NAZARENE
Rev. Howard Smith, pastor
Sunday:
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
8:00 p. m.—Church Service

FOUR SQUARE GOSPEL
Rev. R. J. Walls, Pastor.
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
7:00 p. m.—Young People's Services
8:00 p. m.—Evening Worship
Wednesday:
8:00 p. m. Prayer Meeting

ASSEMBLY OF GOD
Rev. Elmer Tyler
Sunday:
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
8:00 p. m.—Evening Worship
Friday:
8:00 p. m. Bible Study

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Rev. Rex C. Simms, vicar
Sunday:
8:45 a. m.—Morning Prayer and Sermon
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
Holy Communion, second and fourth Sundays

CRESCENT HILL CHURCH OF CHRIST
Sunday:
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
10:45 a. m.—Morning Worship
6:30 p. m.—Young People's Service
7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship

IMMANUEL BAPTIST CHURCH
506 East Stewart
Rev. E. Denton, pastor
Sunday:
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p. m.—Training Union
8:30 p. m.—Evening Worship

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
Paul Farrell—Minister
Sunday:
9:45 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
7:00 p. m.—Young People's Fellowship
7:30 p. m.—Evening Worship
Wednesday:
7:30 p. m.—General Night Service

NORTHSIDE BAPTIST CHURCH
(Fundamentalist)
Rev. A. J. Franks, pastor
Sunday:
10:00 a. m.—Sunday School
11:00 a. m.—Morning Worship
7:30 p. m.—Bible Study and Young People's Meeting
8:00 p. m.—Evening Worship
Wednesday:
8:00 p. m.—Prayer Meeting

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A Grand Niece Came In From Denver, Mon.

Miss Emma Gene Stricklin, Ex-WAC, who has for the past two or three years been on duty in a clerical way at the big ten-story, 600-bed General Fitzsimmons Service Men's Hospital at Denver, Colo., is here for a visit to relatives. Gene got up to corporal. But in the meantime she met a fine soldier boy from Ohio, and they both fell head over heels in love.

Gene came in Monday for a few days visit here with the Stricklins, Phillip Rogers out at Harmony community being an uncle, and Mrs. Wyndell Miller, a newlywed here, also is a first cousin. Well, all this crowd gathered at the Old He's home Monday night, and of all the rag chewing, it came off.

After a few days here, Gene will go on to Paris, where she will be carried by relatives on to Little Rock, meeting a car from Tennessee, and on in home, together with her grandmother, Mrs. Will Rogers. After a visit with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Stricklin, near Middleton, Tenn., as we understand it, the wedding bells will peal out, and we may even hear them clear out here in West Texas. Well, you know you can say just about what you like to in print about kin folks. You have to be more careful about others getting themselves married.

HOUSEHOLD HINTS

To peel sweet potatoes with ease and without waste, grease the skins with lard before putting them in the oven.

After washing brushes, stiffen the bristles by dipping them in a little diluted milk.—Santa Fe Mag.

Mrs. Dora Karr, who recently fell and broke a rib, is reported improving at the home of her daughter, Mrs. M. C. Mace, in Lubbock. Mrs. Karr will return to Brownfield this week end for a visit in the home of her daughter, Mrs. Bill Powers and family, at 1904 S. Fourth.

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THE WELLMAN NEWS

By Rev. Alvin F. Hamm

The steel for the roof of the new high school buildings and cafeteria has arrived and now the construction can really begin in earnest. The walls to the cafeteria are complete and also the walls on the new auditorium and agriculture work shop are completed. The buildings are really showing up nicely. J. T. Bryant, the school superintendent, said Tuesday, according to the best information he could get from the contractors that the aluminum windows are en route to Wellman, so now it should not be very many weeks until the outside work will be completed and then the "slow" finish work will begin. Everyone in the Wellman community is really anxious for the completion of the fine new building.

For the information of those away from Wellman that would like to know about the condition in Wellman concerning rain, there hasn't been any. Land is fast changing hands day by day. The winds this week have moved thousands of yards of good top soil and deposited it on someone else, and then the next day it all returns. We do not know yet whether the land is going to stay put so that a crop can be made or not. Those who have listed their lands are now going back over taking the sand out of the middles. It is always darkest just before the light.

Mrs. W. H. Carmichael and young daughter, Amelia Ann, have just returned from the hospital in Brownfield. Both mother and daughter are getting along just fine. The baby was born Friday evening at 8:07.

Nelda Bowlin had as her guest Sunday, Cpl. Raymond Adcock, of Plains, and Clovis Air Base, and his two brothers, Don and LeRoy, of Plains, and Ray Ballard, of Seagraves.

Mr. and Mrs. Carrel Young and son visited with Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Watts and Linda, Sunday.

Mrs. Leroy Gooding and daughter, from Roswell, N. M., visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Faught over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Chrestman, of Clovis, N. M., visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Tom Chrestman and Nita over the week end.

Margaret Ferguson, a junior in the Wellman High School, and daughter of A. A. Ferguson of the Carbon Black Plant has been in the hospital at Seminole with the flu. She is much improved, according to friends.

The Junior Class has had to postpone their play, which was scheduled for March 15, until later, and the date has not been set, according to reporter Gloria Ingram. However, play rehearsals are continuing and this is expected to be one of the best performances Wellman has had the privilege of seeing. The name of the play is "The Bat in the Belfrey."

The Wellman PTA met Thursday night in the high school gym with the president, Mrs. Alton Lee, presiding. The meeting was opened with Rev. Alvin F. Hamm leading the group in singing, "America." Alton Lee gave the opening prayer. Linda Watts sang two fine numbers. The program which was to have been a film and talk was not given due to a delay in arrival of the film. Business was conducted, which included giving out the delayed year books, voting to buy the First Grade a Radio-Phonograph combination, and to have a chili supper in March. It was the smallest crowd to have attended any meeting this year, but due to ball games and other things happening on that night, it was to be understood. Rev. Hamm dismissed the group with a closing prayer.

A New Business
A new business in Wellman? Yes, it is true. Mrs. W. H. Jackson has opened a novelty shop and she will sell films, comic cards, greeting cards, and several other novelties; and also in connection will be the bus depot. Mr. Jackson is the postmaster in Wellman. I would certainly call Mrs. Jackson an optimist because during this drouth she is willing to invest and tie up her money in merchandise for the people of Wellman. Mrs. Jackson has been a great help to this correspondent in helping to furnish the news you have been reading, so let me say for all of us to back her up. Her shop is next door south of the postoffice, same building.

Dr. D. M. Cowgill and John Happ, from the South Plains Health Unit are attending the annual Texas Public Health Association Meeting in Galveston this week.

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Well, Ben Renews—He Got First Issue

Had the renewal the past week from Ben Hurst, manager of the Cicero Smith Lumber Co., up at Wellington. Ben was on hand here in old Terry County on that eventful day, Friday, Dec. 11, 1909, when the first issue of the Herald, or Voice, as it was called at that time, rolled from the press at Gomez. He, along with a few others still this side of the vale of no tears, was on the first subscription list, and got the first issue.

Of course Ben was just a young cowboy at that time, coming into Gomez (no Brownfield then) each week or two for a hair cut or shave. Perhaps he had no beard to shave at that time. But he told us one time that like many others, in order to have their own weekly paper, they not only took the paper themselves, but sent it to all and sundry of their folks "back home."

But over the years by some hook or crook, his date got changed from December to February. We remember that during the drouth of 1917, he took a bunch of cattle to Colorado for Ross Rentfro, who bought out the M. B. Sawyer herd and grazing rights on the ranch. After his return, he got hooked up with Cicero Smith here as assistant manager, and has been in the lumber and racket business ever since.

We just wonder how many more families now living have taken the Herald all the 50 years? We believe that the Uncle Billie Howard family, Noah Bell family, Bill Fulton are among the number. Are there others? If so, drop us a card.

Anyway, Ben was sent to Wellington as manager about 1930, and has been there since, but he still wants his Herald every week.

GRANDFATHER OF MRS. HILL PASSES AWAY

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Hill, of Brownfield, were in Littlefield last Thursday on account of the death of Mrs. Hill's grandfather, Martin Arend, 85, who came to America from Germany when he was 21 years of age. He leaves 25 grandchildren, and 26 great grandchildren.

Read the Herald Ads and save.



SEATED AT HIS DESK is Governor Allan Shivers as he signed the proclamation designating February 20-27, 1954, as National Future Farmer Week. Standing at left, Vannoy Stewart, State FFA Advisor, Austin; and at right, Jon Hagler, State FFA president from La Grange, Texas. National FFA Week is celebrated each year during the week of the birthdate of George Washington, who is considered by the Future Farmers of America as one of the first great leaders in the advancement of agricultural enterprises.

Gus Farrar Called On The Herald

Had a visit last week from Gus Farrar. He was here with his wife, visiting his aunt, Mrs. J. L. Randal. Presently Gus is chief clerk in the Comptroller's office at Austin, and has been there since the first term of the late Geo. H. Sheppard. Sheppard was a Sweetwater man, and took two likeable young men with him to Austin, the present Comptroller, Robert S. Calvert, and Gus.

Gus Farrar had served a couple or more terms as county clerk of Nolan County, when he moved with Sheppard to Austin. Yep, we used to enjoy calling on Gus at the courthouse between trains at Sweetwater, and sometimes we would go to his home, and Mrs. Farrar would serve a fine meal, especially at night, and then carry us to the train about nine that night.

But going back still further, Gus was just a high school boy and living with the Randal family, when we landed in Brownfield. He was a member of the first graduating class of four, here,

VISIT IN EL PASO

Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Morgan, Mrs. Ida Bruton, and Mrs. Lillian Blake, visited in El Paso last Friday until Monday in the homes of F. L. Morgan and Mrs. Ethel Harris. The Morgans and Mrs. Blake shopped in Juarez, Mexico, Saturday morning.

They were accompanied home by Mrs. Harris for a return visit by way of Ruidoso, and a short stop at Fox Cave.

Mrs. Bill Andrews, 703 Old Lamesa Rd., is still at the bedside of her mother, Mrs. Earl Prater, who recently suffered a stroke and is in critical condition in a Paris, Texas, hospital.

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either in 1909 or 1910. Gus was always a good moral boy, and every one, old and young, liked him. But after he graduated, he moved back to Nolan County and got in politics.

Sure glad to see you again, Gus.

Just A Bit With The Good Readers

Some time in the past a new editor-manager of the Morton Tribune cut us off right behind the foreshoulder. Lately we have been put back on the exchange list. Then there was that good lady, Mrs. Frank Wier, who dropped in to get on our list again. Johnny Kendrick, VP over at the First National, renewed for the Herald going to his mother at Lubbock.

J. Fred Bucy, down at Port Aransas, where he and the Mrs. fish, sleep and eat, had the Mrs. send us a check for a small ad bill and to have the Herald come to them down there. Fred probably gave the orders to do so, and then went to sleep. Well, old Fred is now in the land of the Brahams, but we know he'll never like 'em like he likes his black Poles. Welcome to

Rev. O. Stegall as a new reader. And the same goes to Rev. S. Z. Hermantz, pastor of Mexican Baptist Church. Last but not least, we got an order from way up at Brownstown, Ind., that the Roy C. Paul family wanted the Herald to visit them. Still having sandstorms, lady.

And some of the old readers and young readers are renewing, too. There was W. E. Brantley, who set their paper up two years. Then there was ailing, but much better T. J. Blankenship, in to renew. Also the J. W. Moss folks at Meadow; Mrs. S. H. Parks, of this city. Mrs. R. L. Hamm, another real old timer up on East Main. Mrs. Sewell Dean and son, from Wellman, were in to renew for their paper. Haven't seen Sewell since the woods burned. Wonder if he just sleeps and eats?

And of course Ben Hurst up there at Wellington, and he had the gall to ask us to send him a rain. We'll not be selfish, Ben,

HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients in the local hospital during the past week were:

Medical: Ray Hewitt, Rev. Harvey Scott, Charlie Palmer, E. R. Howard, Mrs. D. C. Newsom, Lynn Smith, Richard Cortez, Mrs. H. B. Grant, Lonnie Bartley, Rev. Ed Harp, John Salasan, Maria Salas, Minnie Carroll, Redell Johnson, Arthur Bates.

Surgical: Mrs. Clarence Clark, Mrs. Fred C. Redling, Mrs. Marie Mitler, R. L. Nelson.

Accident: Mrs. H. J. Tankersley, J. B. Maxwell, Mrs. Buford Burnett, Frank Ramin, R. D. Moore.

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POOL NEWS

Rev. Scudday, Nazarene pastor, preached here Sunday with 50 in attendance at the morning services.

Mr. and Mrs. Barnard Bishop and children, of Snyder, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Barrier.

Rev. and Mrs. Scudday and Mr. and Mrs. Sam Park ate dinner with Mr. and Mrs. Homer Dunn, Sunday.

Mrs. Jewel Howard and girls, of Odessa, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Duncan, and attended church here.

Mr. and Mrs. Will Terry visited her brother and family in Big Spring, Monday night.

Mrs. Major Howard and children spent the week end in Odessa, visiting her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Gunn.

Those who had dinner in the W. M. Joplin home, Sunday, were: Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Joplin and daughter of Clovis, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Richardson and family of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Bramlett and family of Tokio, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Joplin and sons of Meadow, and Mr. and Mrs. Elvive Duncan.

Mr. and Mrs. Welch and children, of Levelland, spent Sunday with his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Sam Parks.

We are sorry to report that Jean and Lulu Salisbury are on the sick list. We wish them speedy recovery.

The 4-H Club met at Pool, Monday night with good attendance. Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Green are the sponsors.

MEADOW NEWS

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Verner, of Fort Worth, visited Tuesday night with his mother, Mrs. J. T. Verner.

Mrs. Betty Sims of Coleman visited last week with her daughter, Mrs. E. F. Swartz and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Tod Boyd spent the week end with their son, J. T. Boyd and family, of Odessa.

Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Castleberry, of Morton, visited last Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Bill Henson and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Parks, of Pool, visited Saturday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Welch.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Bandy and family visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Bandy of Plains.

Superintendent Homer Barnes of Meadow Schools was in Brownfield on Business, Tuesday.

Mrs. Betty Sims, of Coleman, was a dinner guest at Mrs. L. J. Caruth's, Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edd Peek visited last week at Stamford with her son, Guy Harvick and wife and daughter, Peggy Joyce; and at Hamlin with her sister, Mrs. Hattie Harvick; and in Abilene with his daughter, Mrs. Jesse Turner and family.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Castleberry visited at Morton last week with their son, Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Castleberry.

Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Fore had as visitors over the week end, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Fore and daughter of Balmorhea, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fore and baby of Denver City, and Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Carroll and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gray and sons, of Brownfield, were visitors at the morning services at the Baptist Church and visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Gray.

Mr. and Mrs. Harris Massey, of Lubbock, spent Friday night with his brother, Frank Massey and wife. Mr. and Mrs. Massey went to Lubbock, Saturday, to visit for a few days with relatives.

Bro. Scott preached a special sermon, Sunday, on the occasion of his first anniversary here. A large crowd was present, including several visitors and a basket dinner was served at noon in the dining room.

Mr. and Mrs. John Myers and daughter, Miss Lenora and son, John Harold, of Union, were visitors at the services, Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Wendell Whisenant and daughter, Carolyn, of Denver City; Wayland Whisenant, Fresno, Calif.; and Junior Whisenant, Socorro, N. M., spent last week end in the home of Mrs. Homer Winston, 601 East Repetto, and visiting with other relatives.

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The period between March 6-14 has been designated as National 4-H Club Week in the United States. It's the time local 4-H members, their leaders, extension agents and friends pause to take a look at the past year's work but mainly to make plans for bigger and better things in the future.



BHS CUBS BASKETBALL TEAM—The "A" team shown above, won two games this season, over Seminole and Kermit; and lost twice to Andrews, twice to Levelland, and once each to Kermit and Seminole. Robert McIntyre has best scoring average for the year, with James Meeks and Vernon Brewer as runners-up. Pictured above, left to right, back row, are Coach Farris Nowell, Jerry Don Brown, James Meeks, James Erwin, Eddie Howell, Delbert Bradley, Vernon Brewer; front row, James Chesshir, Billy Thomason, Lee Allen Jones, Richard Baggett, Robert McIntyre, and Manager, Lin Barbee. (Staff Photo.)

JR. HIGH CAGERS END YEAR WITH FAIR RECORDS

The Seventh Grade Basketball team completed their season's schedule Thursday, Feb. 4, by defeating Seagraves, 27-18. John Eldon Jones was high point man for the Cubs with 13 points. Spears got 4, Willis 3, and Mitchell, Chisholm and Bartley each had 2 apiece. Robert Burk got 1. The young Cubs won five of their eight games in their schedule.

Eighth Gets 2nd Trophy

The Eighth Grade brought back their second trophy of the year by winning second in the tournament at Sundown. Friday night they defeated Muleshoe in the beginning round by a score of 39-25. High point in this game was Kenneth Cason with 12 points, followed by Huckabee with 10 and Merritt with 8.

In the semi-finals, Brownfield downed Dawson, 26-24. In this game Ellis Cox took the scoring honors.

In the finals, a Threeway beat Brownfield 29-24, taking the lead early in the fourth quarter. Lloyd Merritt was high with 10 points. On Thursday, Feb. 11, the eighth and ninth grades went to Denver City and enjoyed two victories. The eighth grade winning by a score of 38-15, and the ninth winning by a score of 36-24. Rayburn was high with 12 points, Hamilton and Meeks followed closely with 11 each. In the eighth grade game Cox was high with 9. The eighth and ninth grades have two games remaining in the current season. Monday, Feb. 15, Denver City at Brownfield. Friday, Feb. 19, Plains at Plains at 3:30 p.m. This will complete the ninth's schedule.

D-E STUDENT OF WEEK NAMED BY CUB STAFF

DE Personality of the Week, chosen by the Cubs Den Staff, is Bill Turner, 17 year old junior student, now employed at J. B. Knight Furniture Co.

This week's Distributive Education student has blond hair and blue eyes, weighs 135 and is 5 feet 10 inches.

His favorites are as follows: food, steak; color, red; pastime, going to Lubbock; movie star, Marlyn Monroe; song, any western. His exciting experiences include being involved in two bad wrecks lately.

Turner moved here last week and has gone to school in Lubbock, and Artesia, N. M.

TRIM AND SLIM



Even shorts are trim and slim this season, National Cotton Council fashion authorities report. These abbreviated shorts are designed in bright-colored cotton satin to be teamed with a softly-tailored shirt. Blending stripes, made of Hope Millman cottons, this active sports costume is from Leon Levin's fashionable collection.

"Help Your Heart Fund—Help Your Heart."

Eighth Grade Comes From Behind To Win Final Game

The Eighth Grade came from behind to win their final game of the 1954 basketball season, by defeating Denver City, 36-29. The first quarter score was 4 for the Cubs and 14 for Denver City. In the second quarter, the Cubs scored 11 points while holding Denver City to only 1 free shot. The half-time score being tied, 15-15.

Denver City held a 2-point lead at the beginning of the fourth quarter, and Brownfield took the lead with only two minutes left to play.

The record for this team is 12 wins and 7 losses. They scored 618 points while their opponents scored only 530. Ellis Cox having scored 134 of the 618 points. Jerry Don Huckabee scored 127 points; Loyd Merritt scored 138; and others who fell shortly below 100 points were Kenneth Cary, Kenneth Cason, and Bobby Rose.

Freshman End The Season With Win Over Denver City

The Brownfield Freshmen completed their 1954 basketball season, Monday night, by defeating Denver City with an overwhelming score of 37-4. The game was not a spectacular one to watch as the score should indicate. Brownfield played only fair, and Denver City could not find the basket. Only one boy scored for Denver City, making two free shots and one field goal.

Scoring for Brownfield were Johnny Raybon, Jackie Meeks, and Gerald Jenkins, each with 9 points. Mike Hamilton had 6 points, and Bobby Moore had 2, and Buddy Campbell 1. The record for the season for the Cubs was 9 losses and 8 wins. However, the Cubs scored 613 points while their opponents only scored 589. The team won one 3rd place trophy.

FEBRUARY BIRTH MONTH OF TWO GREAT AMERICANS

While the shortest month in the calendar year, February, has given us some great men and women, among them Washington, our first President, and Abraham Lincoln as President during the stirring days of the great Civil War, with its division, hatred and strife among the citizens of the land.

George Washington was often designated as "first in peace, first in war, and first in the hearts of his countrymen." While a man of considerable wealth for that time, Washington had the utmost sympathy for the lower strata of society, and his suffering men at Valley Forge took their hardships better because they loved their commander-in-chief. His aversion to entangling alliances was an admirable trait to many, and perhaps the nation would be much better off today if it had followed this course, more closely.

Of course Lincoln came on when our nation was in great strife over

the slavery question, and was the first nominee of the new Republican Party. Most people up to then were Democrats or Whigs. He left no doubt where he stood on slavery, stating that our republic could not endure half slave and half free.

Lincoln was sincerely hated by many people of the South, especially owners of slaves. Others, and the majority, were appealed to on the proposition of States' Rights. But slavery was banished at great cost of blood and money, and today we are all proud of that fact.

But with a united and powerful nation, let's still be careful of too many alliances with foreigners.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat McMillan and Red Tudor visited in Hot Springs, N. M., over the week end with Mrs. Tudor and her father, who is ill. Mrs. Tudor has been staying with her father for the past several months.

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AT THIS TIME, we would also like to express our thanks to the people who continued to bring their cleaning and pressing to us while we were shut down; and to the other cleaners of the city who so kindly did our cleaning and pressing for us while we were not in operation.

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BHS CUBS BASKETBALL TEAM—The "B" team shown above has laid 'em low this season with 10 wins and 5 losses. The group as a whole has all-around ability to play good, both offensively and defensively. Head Coach Farris Nowell said that Coach H. W. Peace has done an excellent job with them, and that if the boys continue to grow, they could be one of BHS's better teams. Two weeks spring training began Thursday for the boys. Pictured above, back row, left to right are, Nicky Greer, Carl Moore, Lanier Petty, W. B. Darlin, Jerry Goble, James Szydoski, Dennis Knight, Gene Young, and Coach H. W. Peace. Front row, Jack Bishop, Cecil Baker, Phil Addison, Max Miller, Donald Bryant, Virgil Hewlett, and Clyde Bragg. (Staff Photo.)

FLACHE ATTENDS NAT'L. RESOURCE CONFERENCE

Lieutenant Truett Flache is one of the seventy Army Reserve Officers from Texas attending a national resources conference in Dallas, which began Feb. 8 and will end today.

Mission of the conference was to present a condensed course in economic mobilization to selective reserve officers and civilians in the fields of industry, education, labor, and civic life.

Donald Durham, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Durham, Rt. 1, Brownfield, is home on a 20-day leave from the Navy. He has recently been serving in the Far East aboard the ship Repose.

Many Heart Fund contributions are made as "living memorials" honoring the memory of a loved one whose death was the result of heart disease.

The Low Down From Hickory Grove

Today I venture to discourse on the theme of "Pride." She halfway looks to me as if we are in need of a revival, camp-meetin' or something that will get us back to 100 per cent dependence upon our very own efforts to keep our individual boats afloat and making headway. Too much leaning has become the mode—and if you are not operating under your very own steam, you can't have too much pride or confidence in your own skill and ability. We have had so much Govt. telling us to be calm and do so and so that we have lost some of our grip on ourselves. You see it all around—let the Govt. do it.

The lunch club spellbinder says, folks let's get it—free Govt. matching money for a new airport or something, and the idea carries unanimous. And out the window goes local pride in local ability.

The very newest idea is hospitals. Hospitals are needed—more and many of 'em—but matching Govt. money means a back seat for local management. Also it means heftier costs in the long run—March 15th is bad news day. That is the day you repay the "gift" dinero that Sambo dished out so lavish. Even though I see good signs of progress in getting Sambo out of fumiddles here and there—and that is good—it is no time to look away, or gaze out the window. Pride needs burnishing.

Yours with the low down,
JO SERRA.

WORLD HISTORY CLASS NEEDS LIFE MAGAZINES

Holiday, Life, and National Geographic Magazines are needed by the high school World History classes for projects and the making of maps in class work.

Sixty-five students need the magazines, and Mrs. J. D. Akers, instructor, is asking that any one wishing to give away magazines, phone her at 2373, after 4:30 p.m., or John Hill, Jr., at phone 2831, or John Holmes at phone 2274.

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Stricklin Speaking

By OLD HE

When just a lad, if someone wanted to illustrate something quick and hurried, he'd usually say, "Before you can say Jack Robinson." And that reminds us that the Ralls Rotarians have elected a president by the name of Jack Robinson. "Jack be nimble, Jack be quick, Jack jumped over the candle stick." Now isn't that something messy to start off with this week.

Up to last year, Robert C. D. Tuel, Jr., was principal of the Wheatley School for the colored children in Brownfield. After the school term was out, Robert decided to preach, and was named the pastor of the colored Methodist Church in Odessa, and we have seen little of this man who was reared down in old Louisiana, where he gets his French sounding name, perhaps.

Of late Robert has started a monthly magazine designed principally for the Negro readers, and under the jurisdiction of the Northwest Conference of Colored Methodist Episcopal Church. He sent us a copy of Volume I, No. 1, of the magazine, which is well printed on slick paper, and heavy slick cover, the front cover in colors.

In his opening editorial, he stated that he had spent several years in West Texas and eastern New Mexico, liked, and decided that the area needed an official publication of his church. One edi-

torial article in particular appealed to us, headed, "Our Self-Defeating Traits." In it, some of the human weaknesses such as jealousy, greed, unforgiving spirit, disagreeable disposition, stinginess and lust, were given. And he gave the remedy, surrender to Christ.

Before the end of the articles, Rev. Robert got into politics just a bit on segregation and the National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, which is OK by us, except that we didn't expect to see that discussed in a religious journal.

Most of us like nothing better than looking at new automobiles, and none of us like anything better than to rear back in our own new car, and head 'er down the pike. But we do doggone little praising of the men that make them, from the man that sweeps out the office, on through the mechanics that turn 'em out, and the vast multitude of people who invest their money in the huge plants to make them. However, the two squibs below illustrate the fact that some of our national lawmakers recognize what the automobile has done for America:

"Somehow, neither Republicans nor Democrats ever put in a platform plan praising the automobile. They should. The auto raised the nation; it made us one people. Before the automobile we were a group of regions and sections, but the automobile and good roads have changed that forever."—Senator Dennis Chavez, New Mexico.

"I am sure, as I look back, that I would much rather ride in one

of those early cars on a modern highway than in a modern car on those early highways." William C. White in the New York Motorist, telling of his early trips in a 1902 US Long Distance, 1904 Pierce-Arrow, and a Waverly Electric.

Speaking of automobiles, we note in the current issue of Automobile Facts, that the good old State of Georgia is going to try to do something about the large number of "towerists" who are high-tailing it through their state to sunny Florida. In fact, they are busy in that state building modern courts on all the main highways.

Also Georgia is noted for its many old plantation mansions, some of them built long before the Civil War. These old mansions and grounds are being prepared as show places for tourists to see. Heretofore the folks who see through are said to just stop at filling stations and places to get a bite to eat.

Texas has been up against almost the same proposition with people blaring it for Arizona and California, except that Texas is so big most of them have to spend at least one night in the Lone Star State. Admittedly, however, there is not much to see in this area except level or gently rolling plains.

And up in Minnesota, a theatre owner has barred all commercials, not even allowing a stringer announcing another show to come later. This has proved so popular, according to an announcement in a magazine, that he has opened a theatre that had been closed for

some time, and it is doing well.

The theatre owner stated: "People are so tired of commercials on TV, they come to the movie where they don't have to see and hear them."

Although it is our wife's birthday on the 14th, Valentine Day, we nevertheless received the usual greeting from our girl friends, Jo and Becky Oakley, down at Odessa. We used to call them our "little" girl friends, but Jo is now a young lady, perhaps a senior in high school, and Becky is getting to be quite a sizeable girl.

But for many years, they have always remembered "Daddy Jack" on Valentine, Father's Day, our birthday, and Christmas, and their greetings are always appropriate. We have often wondered why these sweet young girls always remembered "Daddy Jack" on such occasions.

Speaking of birthdays in the family last week, four of them this month, reminds us that the Jr. Stricklins had a wedding anniversary on the 10th, and we took their "moneymoon" for them. In fact, we left the next day from Seagraves, in company with the late E. C. Roberts and wife, for a trip and visit with kin folks in Arizona and California. That was Feb. 11, 1934. How time passes.

That was our first trip out in the Pacific region, but the Mrs. and Old He made another in 1946. Haven't been able to make one since.

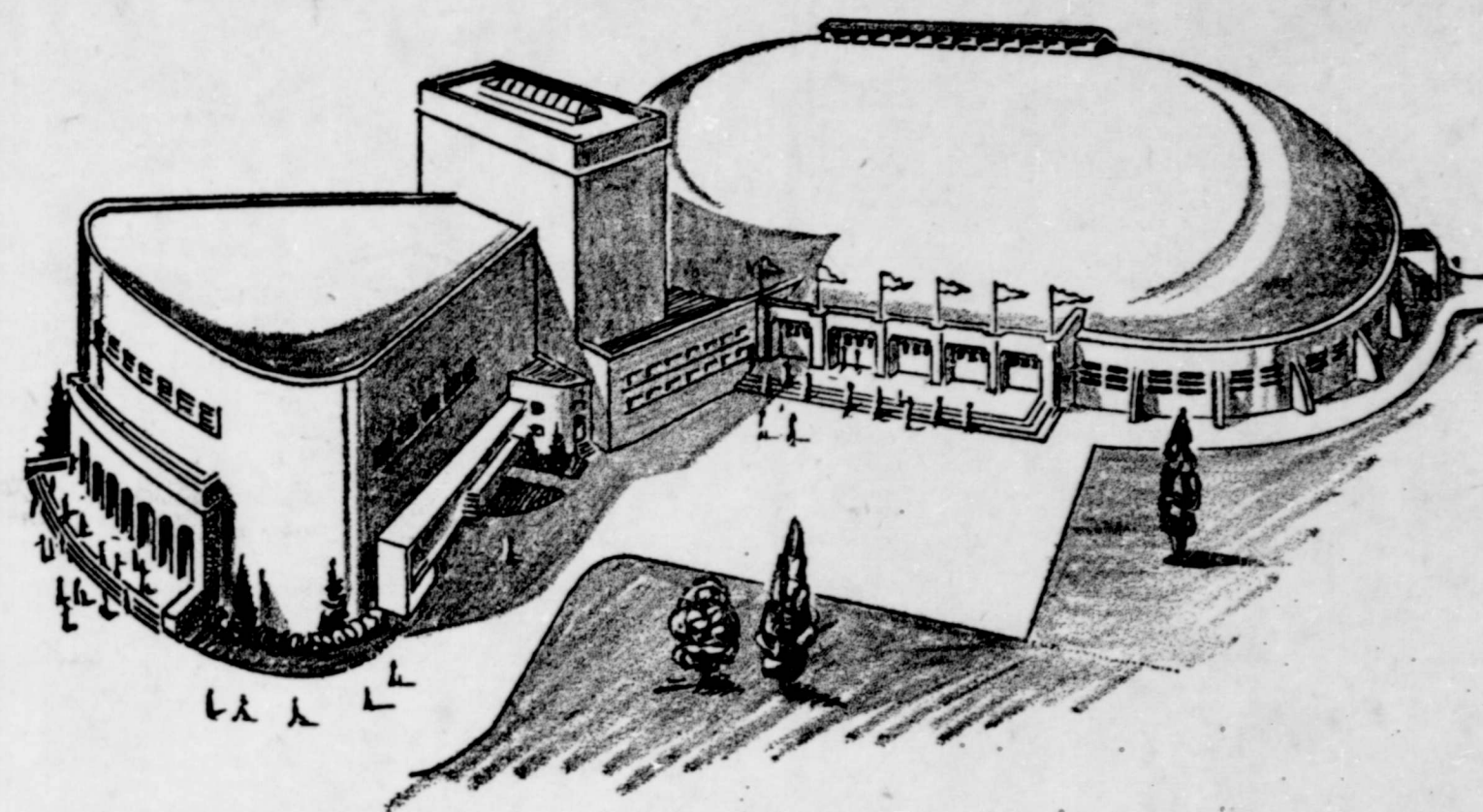
Now for just a bit of jest and

we are through, we think: A man was traveling through the mountain section of the Alleghenies, when he noted a lot of "target circles," with always a bullet hole in the exact center. Such shooting was mystifying to the traveler, and he stopped to inquire the man's name, as such feats of marksmanship were to say the least, unusual. The man or rather lad proved to be considered a half-wit in the community.

But the tourist was still interested and explained that he was anxious to see him, and how he had become so accurate as to put a bullet hole in the exact center of each target. The lad explained that he shot first, then drew the circle around the hole.

Then there was that fellow, Paul Crume, who writes the Big D column on the front page of the Dallas News. He recently related that an Austin couple had moved to Dallas, bringing their family cat. But the family cat disappeared, and former neighbors in Austin wrote the lady that her cat was back at the old home place. Now Crume thought this 200 mile trip of the family cat was some stunt, and it was pretty good for a cat. But nothing to compare with old Jock.

Jock was just a dog, a yellow one, no particular breed. But the Needham Thompson family all moved to Johnson County, Texas, from Hardeman County, Tennessee, about 1893. Some of the sons-in-law went through with wagons, while Mr. Thompson, the women and children, went via train. Old Jock followed the wagons. He



COLISEUM-AUDITORIUM FOR LUBBOCK—This impressive structure is Architects Haynes and Kirby's conception of how the new coliseum-auditorium on the Texas Tech campus will look in a year. The \$1,750,000 building will be able to seat 10,000 in the coliseum and another 3,000 in the auditorium. Tech and Lubbock will use the building jointly, but it is owned and operated by the city.

Lectures To Start At ACC Sunday, 21st

Abilene.—Possibly the largest gathering ever of Church of Christ members in Texas will be held here Sunday, Feb. 21, the opening of the 35th annual Abilene Christian College Bible Lectureship.

College officials estimate that between 6,000 and 7,000 persons will be on the campus during lecture week which will extend through Thursday, Feb. 25. Included will be from 3,000 to 4,000 out of town visitors.

"Overcoming Dangerous Tendencies" will be the theme of the Bible lecture series. The program includes eight main lectures, two stayed some 10 days in Texas, then disappeared, and the Thompsons wrote that old Jock must not like Texas, as he disappeared.

About 15 or 20 days later the writer, on a hunting trip, passed by the old home of Frank Howell, owner of Jock, and was surprised to hear old Jock bark at us. At that time there was no complete wagon bridge across the Mississippi at Memphis, but the girders were in place. Jock either walked the girders, swam the river, or took up with some wagon train that was crossing on the ferry. But Jock came back, all the way, close to 1,000 miles.

Soon a Negro family moved in the old Howell place, and Jock had a home at the old home place, where he could cuss Texas all he wished.

WTCC TO CONVENE IN SAN ANGELO

San Angelo.—The thirty-sixth annual convention of the West Texas Chamber of Commerce will be held here March 28-29-30, R. Wright Armstrong, of Fort Worth, president, has announced.

The convention will be the first general meeting of the 5,000-member regional organization since October, 1952, when at Wichita Falls it was voted to change the convention from Fall to Spring.

Convention Chairman Fred Brown of Mineral Wells said that if plans drafted by his committee at its initial meeting last week in the Abilene headquarters of the WTCC can be completed, the program for the event should be of great interest to every West Texan.

In addition to outstanding speakers, the agenda is to include important meetings of all committees, and San Angelo hosts for the convention are working toward the presentation of events which should be appealing to wives of members as well as to the businessmen delegates, Brown said.

Results of an election of new officers for the WTCC will be announced at the convention. special lectures, mission reports, panel discussions, classes, secular programs and exhibits.

For the second straight year, three auditoriums will be used simultaneously for the evening lectures to accommodate the large crowds.

Here, There And Yonder, In Old Texas

There comes to our desk the announcement via he, himself, a youthful gentleman down there at Austin who had decided that he, himself is the "maiden's prayer" as the Lieutenant Governor of Texas. Qualifications: He "fit" the telephone company to a standstill that wanted a raise of 87 per cent, finally forcing them to take a raise of only 29 per cent. Another qualification as Lieut.-Gov. is the fact he wants pensioners to have \$100 per month. Didn't say where he'd get the money.

Then there is the idea about allowing the 18 year olds to vote. It seems that President Ike Eisenhower believes that Congress should propose to the 48 States a constitutional amendment allowing 18-year-old young men and women to vote, being as we consider the young men in every way qualified to take up arms and fight for our country.

On the other hand, former President Harry Truman says that a person should be 21 to cast an intelligent vote, and that 24 years of age would be better. Admittedly there are some 18 year olds that could cast a more intelligent vote than some at 50.

And according to some other propaganda we have been getting, a committee is now in search of an outstanding farmer in Texas, who can comply as nominee for the 1954 Hoblitzelle Achievement Award for the Advancement of Rural Life. This informant came from the Texas Research Foundation at Renner, Texas. We had a time looking up Renner, and finally found it in Denton County, a small village.

Anyway, Terry County is situated in Region 1, the Panhandle-Plains portion of Texas, and begins with the four south counties of Fisher, Scurry, Borden, Dawson and Gaines, and reaches to the north tip of the Panhandle. Anyway we have some mighty fine farmers in Terry, and some not so fine. Hope one of them gets in on this \$5,000 cash and a gold medal.

Mr. and Mrs. L. D. Bullard and daughter visited in Anton, Sunday, with her neices and nephews. They were accompanied home by the father of Mrs. Bullard, D. E. Dudley of Sonora, Calif., who was visiting in Anton. Also a guest in the Bullard home is their daughter, Mrs. Alvin Earle.

Mrs. Fred Smith, city, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Bob McKinney, of San Angelo, were in Lubbock last Friday, where Mrs. Smith had minor surgery on her neck.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob McKinney, of San Angelo, who own a farm in the Gomez community, were here this and last week seeing after the completion of the irrigation system he is installing on the farm. The well was put down late last fall.

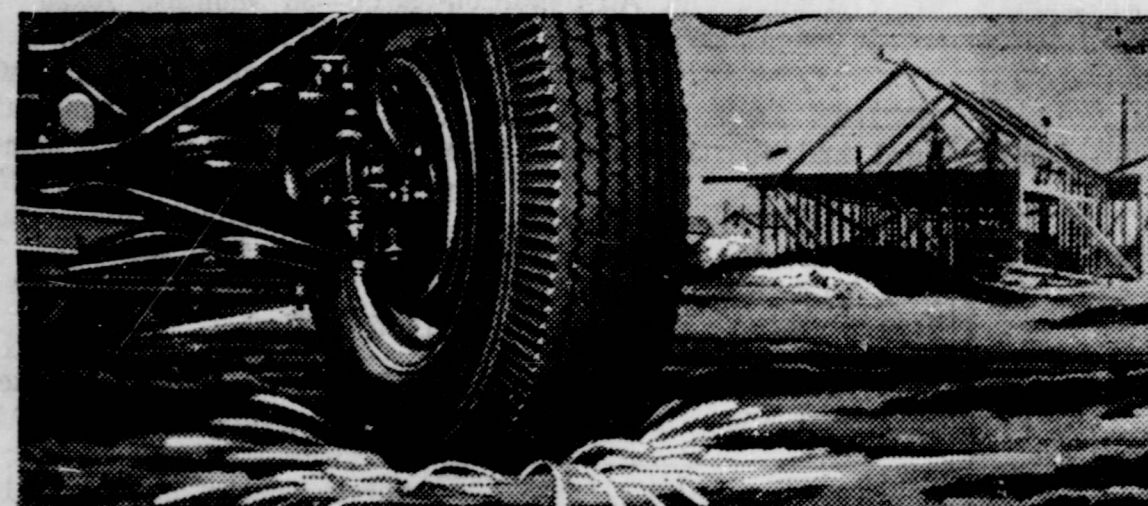
SHE WANTED FACTS
The man at the information booth said: "Lady, that train goes to Emporia, and points West."
She said: "Young man, I'm looking for the train that goes to Oklahoma City and I don't care which way it points."—Santa Fe Mag.

More than half a million Texans planted gardens last year and indications point to more in 1954. Don't make the garden too large. Stagger the plantings.

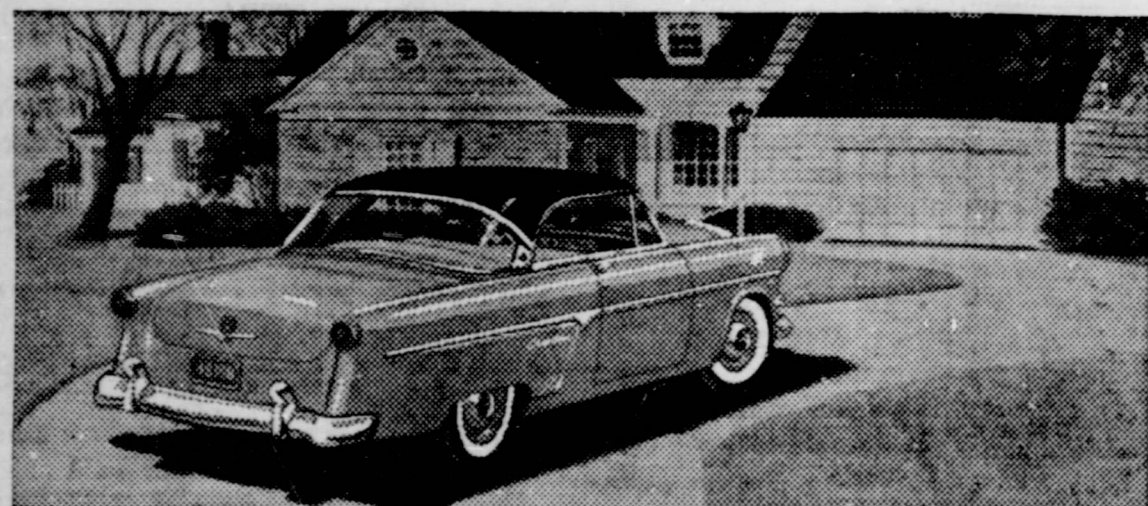
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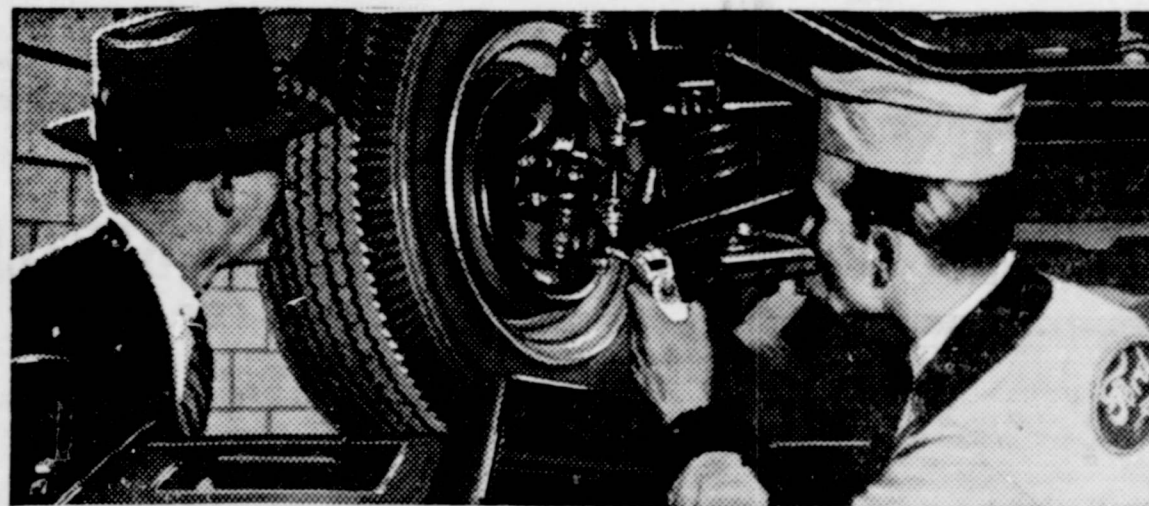
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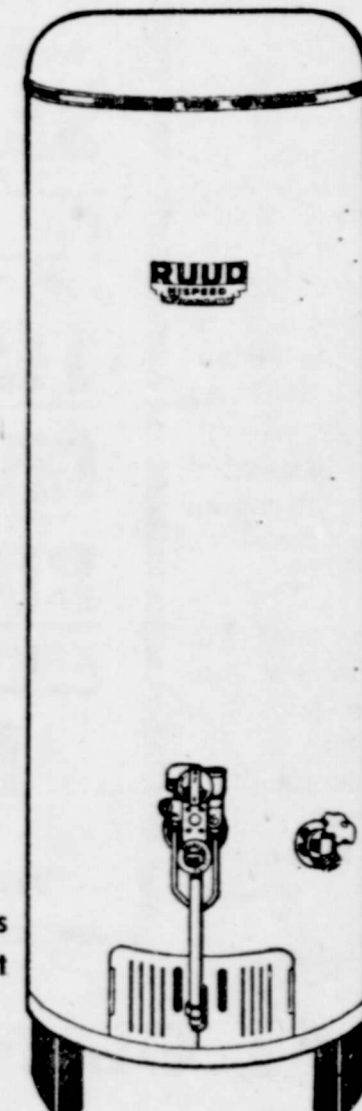
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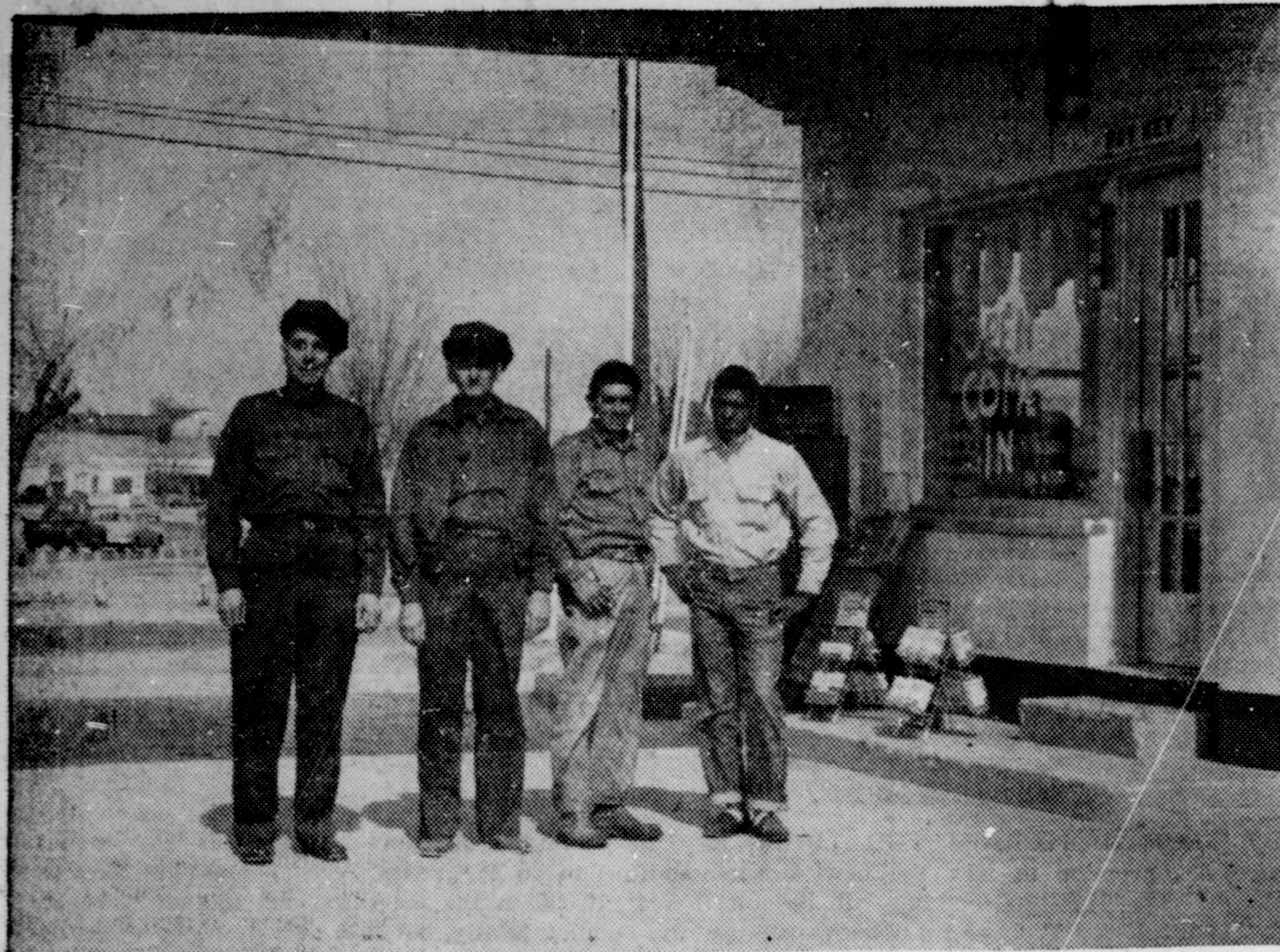


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BROWNFIELD CITIES SERVICE, located at 120 First St., held its grand opening last Saturday.



BOY SCOUT TROOP NO. 47 OPEN HOUSE was held last week at the First Christian Church with approximately 50 Scouts, parents, and friends.

Light And Power Officials Attend Municipal Meet Here

Electric Municipal meeting of the light and power plant officials was held Saturday at 3 p.m., in the City Hall, with 36 present from

mun increases is apportioned to all counties on the basis of recent cotton history in each county.

Lubbock, Foydada, Spur, Crosbyton, Canadian, and Brownfield.

Brownfield Represented At Basin Meeting

E. D. Jones, Jim Cousineau, E. R. Hutson, and Harold Jones, all of Brownfield, attended the Permian Basin Section of the Texas Water and Sewerage Association monthly meeting, held Tuesday night at Tahoka, in the school cafeteria.

Charles Mayfield, student at Texas Tech, visited with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Mayfield, over the week end.

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FOR RENT: Apartments. Call 4583 or see at Marson Trailer Park, Tahoka highway. 41tc

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FOR SALE: Large Simmons (birds-eye maple) baby bed. See Mrs. A. J. Stricklin at Terry County Herald. Dial 2244. 27tc

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LIONS REVUE--

High School auditorium: JR. HIGH ENTRANTS Georgia Sparkman, song, "You, You, You." Tommy Jeff Jennings, song, Glenda Burnett, song, "Side By Side." Sherry Dawn Spears, song, Carma Jeanne Cole, song, Sharon Ray Snedeker, song, "Many Times." Carol Ann Mayfield, song, "Ricochet Romance." Gail Wallis, accordion solo. Beverly Norris, piano solo. Jackie Aldrup, piano solo. Bonnie Bull, Freda Price, Patricia Yarborough, song trio. Venita Shiley and Jennie Wade, song duet. Melba Reed, Theta Moore, Judith Bramlett, Betty Ann Davis, tumbling and balancing act.

GUEST TALENT

Sonny Curtis, western songs. Starlight Exhibition Dance Team, director Bill Bolen; Mr. and Mrs. Pat McWhorter, Mr. and Mrs. Jake Parrish, Mr. and Mrs. Ty Lasaster, all of Lubbock; and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Mitchell of Brownfield (will use blacklight). Brownfield Community Chorus, Fred Smith, director. (First appearance).

TOO LATE FOR LAST WEEK

Roses are red Violets are blue If you've got a poll tax How I love you. -Carl Stephenson. 1p

MAYTAG Sales and Service, expert repairmen. J. B. Knight Hardware.

CHILD BITTEN BY DOG-POLICE URGE THAT DOGS BE TIED UP, OR PENNED

Michael Thaxton, age 9, was bitten by a stray dog, Feb. 15, while he was on the school ground, and five stitches were taken in his left arm at the hospital. The dog is now in the City Pound for a 10-day observation period.

GILLHAM STATES--

Mr. and Mrs. Neal Jennings and baby, of Tulia, visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ross Black, last week end.

But here is something that is going to come up for vote this fall: Voters will be privileged to vote on a Constitutional Amendment to give legislators \$25 per day for 120 day session, and nothing if they run over 120 days.

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Western Auto Store Holds Big Re-opening

"One of the finest openings of any Western Auto Store in the Dallas division," according to company representative, was held at Charlie Price's Western Auto Store last Saturday, when they welcomed the public to view their recently enlarged and remodeled store.

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The work of dividing the increase in the 1954 cotton allotment among cotton farms eligible to participate in the State increase is proceeding rapidly through the county ASC offices (formerly PMA). Notification to farm operators of individual revised farm cotton allotments should be in the mail soon.

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