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Whoa, Now!

By Grady Lashby

Oscar Kelley and the rest of us ordered coffee over at Burt Drug about 2:30 Friday afternoon, June 5. While waiting for Oscar to draw the coffee, Oscar re-stated a phrase that had been to sound down right true around here - "Something ought to be done about our cemetery!"

But then he went on to suggest just what and just how this long needed project could be handled. Around the table we agreed with Oscar to form a committee to plan such a project.

We have all seen or heard about the results of this coffee session - over 400 people turned out last Tuesday morning to give what many say is the best cleaning the Spur cemetery ever had.

Now, we're not giving Oscar full credit for the project because many, many others have long been conscious of the need and have long been willing to help in such a project - but we do feel that Oscar Kelley is to be commended for the initiative in getting the project underway.

Many others were definitely instrumental in seeing the project through. Co-chairman of the Clean Up Committee was Buddy Hoover. Buddy was one of the first to take to the idea and was right in there all the way seeing the project through. We could never name everyone who helped, but we'll all agree that an excellent job was done.

Mrs. Talitha Watson writes her impression of the project as follows: "I drove over to the cemetery yesterday. It made me very happy to see it looking so nice after the clean up."

I know the people in and around Spur would fall in line if they were called on to do so. I have lived here 31 years and have yet to see the Spur people turn down a good project intended to make Spur a more beautiful place in which to live.

Prizes may I express my gratitude to every one who helped in the work of our cemetery last Tuesday - especially do I want to thank the ones who made this clean up possible.

There seems, however, that possibly some do not understand the purpose of the Spur Cemetery Association in which membership was solicited Tuesday during the clean up.

Several were heard saying "We keep our family plot clean so there is no reason for our joining the association or donating to it."

We've been asked by several to point out as best we can that it is not the purpose of the association to care for the individual graves or plots but to maintain and beautify the general premises of the cemetery.

With this purpose of the association, it looks to us like those who do keep up their own lots would be the ones primarily interested in the beautification of the general premises.

With the possibility that this explanation will cause others to wish to join the association, we are again running the adjoining coupon that may be used in paying dues in the association.

Bloodmobile Due July 1 COUNTY GOAL IS 150 PINTS; LIONS AND LADIES SEEK BLOOD DONORS

Donors are now being solicited for participation in the Dickens County Red Cross Blood Drive to be held in Spur on Wednesday, July 1.

Cecil Godfrey, county chairman of the Red Cross, states that the Bloodmobile will be in Spur only one day and that a goal of 150 pints of blood has been set for the county.

The City Federation of Women's Clubs has agreed to canvass the residential district of Spur soliciting potential donors. The Spur Lions Club will do likewise in the business district and the various community committees over the county are taking care of the rural communities.

Dr. Bob Alexander is chairman of the local drive. He states that approximately 250 pledge cards must be signed to get the needed 150 pints of blood because of the various reasons for which some will be turned down.

Dr. Alexander points out that the Bloodmobile will be set up in a portion of the new Spur Memorial Hospital. However, O. L. Kelley, chairman of the hospital board, states that the hospital will not be open for inspection at that time and requests that those going out there to give blood please not enter areas other than that being used by the Red Cross.

Those who wish to donate blood may sign the pledge cards at any of the following places throughout the county: Peyton Legg Grocery, Afton; John Jackson Grocery, Glenn; Koonsmar Drug, Dickens; Godfrey's Furniture, Spur; and Nickels Butane, McAdoo.

All pledge cards should be signed by Monday, June 22, states Godfrey.

The City Park and Beautification committee of the Chamber of Commerce has been working recently toward getting the city park lighted and getting adequate restroom facilities available in the park.

The City of Spur has agreed to put in lights and to furnish the material for the restrooms. The Spur Volunteer Fire Department has agreed to build the restrooms.

Spur's Boy Scouts will soon clean up the park of all cans, rocks, etc., so that the park can be moved. Arrangements are also being made to secure more trash barrels.

"With very little cooperation from everyone we would have a city park that we could be proud of," states Homer Hindman, manager of the chamber. "When the lights are installed, the restrooms built and trash barrels distributed, the public is asked to cooperate in helping keep it clean."

McGINTY'S LEAVES TO ATTEND SCHOOL SIX WEEKS IN ILL.

Miss O. M. McGinty and two of her children, Ruth and Beth, left Monday morning for Northwestern University in Evanston, Ill., where they will attend school for six weeks this summer.

Mrs. McGinty is working in her masters degree in speech. Ruth is taking courses to finish his junior high school work and Beth is doing elementary work.

Charles and Steve McWilliams of Haskell spent last week with their grandmother, Mrs. Ruby Sprberry and their aunt, Mrs. Pope Gannon and family.

Recognize these conditions as being real and that our town is in no shape to stand a 66 per cent increase in telephone rates at this time or in the near future.

LEE PARKER HOME DESTROYED BY FIRE TUES.

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400 At Cemetery Working



DOT COUNTING CONTEST WINNER receives a brand new Domestic Sewing Machine from Godfrey's Furniture. Shown is Mrs. Fred Kinney receiving the machine from Floyd Ball, salesman at Godfrey's. In the background is Homer Hindman who was judge for the contest. Other contestants received cash certificates that may be used at Godfrey's toward the purchase of Domestics or other merchandise of comparable price. Photo by Morgan Studio

CITY DUE TO ASK POSTPONEMENT OF TELEPHONE RATE INCREASE

Approximately 15 citizens of Spur met with the city commission at the City Hall Monday night to discuss the rate increase being requested by Southwestern Bell Telephone.

Mayor George Gabriel reports that the commission meeting with the citizens was of the opinion that a compromise should be sought for a much lower percent increase in the city's telephone rates.

Mayor Gabriel also states that the commission and the mayor intend to seek an agreement with the telephone company that will be satisfactory to both the company and the local subscribers.

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ASSOCIATION SEEKS MEMBERSHIPS TO MAINTAIN GENERAL PREMISES

Over 400 eager workers showed up at the Spur Cemetery early Tuesday morning to give the cemetery a complete and thorough cleaning up.

Under the direction of O. L. Kelley and Buddy Hoover, co-chairmen of the clean up, and Lawis Lee, trustee of the Spur Cemetery Association, the large number of workers were well organized and completed the bulk of the job before noon.

The ladies of Spur served refreshments from a cemetery tent. During the clean up, the Spur Cemetery Association solicited memberships. Money collected amounted to over \$400 with nearly 200 members signing up.

The association's purpose is to maintain the general premises of the cemetery and to beautify the whole site. Ladies that helped in the membership drive reported that several people thought that the dues money was to be used for the care of graves primarily, but Mrs. John King, present president of the association, states that individuals will still be responsible for their own lots and that the association extends to maintain and beautify the general premises.

A meeting of the new and old members of the association will be called in the near future, according to Lawis Lee, secretary. D. J. Drees, president of the Spur Chamber of Commerce, is urged the following after the cemetery cleaning.

Bob Reed, 33, from Wilmington, Delaware, is now in Spur to serve as pastor of the First Presbyterian Church for the summer months.

Reed and his wife, Mae, are living at the Presbyterian manse at 308 E. Hill while in Spur. He is a student in the Austin Presbyterian Seminary, Austin, Texas. He has been doing student preaching for the past six years.

Reed is a World War II veteran and served in the Air Force and has studied voice in the college at Memphis, Tenn.

Regular services are being held this summer at the Presbyterian Church with preaching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. on Sunday and prayer meeting at 8 p. m. on Wednesday.

Dr. Joe Alexander, county chairman of the Republican party, has announced a called meeting of the Dickens County Republican Party for 7:30 p. m., Monday, June 22, in the chamber of commerce office over the bank.

Carolyn Kelley, seventeen-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Kelley, received an invitation to attend the Colorado High School Speech Institute at Boulder from June 21 to July 17.

The institute is a four-week program of speech education for a select group of high school juniors and seniors with provisions for specialized study in either forensics or dramatics. Only forty boys and girls over the U. S. are chosen to attend.

Carolyn has been chosen to participate in dramatics and forensics and her course will be as follows: dramatics, voice training, public speaking, dramatic workshop, rehearsals and conferences.

An experienced faculty under the direction of Thorpal B. Post, Assistant Professor of speech at the University of Colorado and of Colorado State Speech Institute, along with Mrs. Dorothy A. Walsh, M. Ed. of the University of Missouri as the Assistant Director of the Institute will be teaching the 40 students.

The students will attend the staging and directing of the University Theatre's production for the summer, "Iolanthe". Excursions to Central City opera, Saturday New York Casts are scheduled. Trips on chartered buses are planned along with the daily recreation program.

Carolyn merited one of the forty places because of her high scholastic rating, varied activities where leadership was noted in high school, her deep interest and participation in speech for the past seven years and, last and perhaps the most valuable consideration, was her repertoire of forty poems, stories, plays, and prose selections, carefully selected under wise counseling.

Her family will accompany her to Boulder Saturday, June 20.

Mercury Tops 100 For 11th Straight Day

The hottest and the driest still are the correct adjectives to describe the weather in Spur.

Last Sunday the official thermometer at the Spur Experiment Station hit 110 degrees. The mercury has risen to 100 or higher for the past 11 days and has remained below the 100 mark only two days this month.

Sunday's 110 was not a record, however. In June of 1924 a 114 was recorded, and 113 was reached in June of 1945.

As far as the drought is concerned, we've still got that. Should there be no rain or no more than an inch of rain in the remaining days of the month of June, we will have endured the hottest, driest five months on record. To date, this year, the station has recorded 3.75 inches of moisture. The average through the month of June is over 10 inches.

The Weather in a Nutshell
STILL HOT

day	prec.	H	L
THURSDAY	0 101 95		
FRIDAY	0 103 99		
SATURDAY	0 105 99		
SUNDAY	0 110 99		
MONDAY	0 107 99		
TUESDAY	0 103 95		
WEDNESDAY	0 101 70		

NEW ARRIVALS

Joe Wayne is the name given to the baby boy of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Wooten. He was born Tuesday, June 16, in their home and weighed seven pounds and twelve ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Estanladio Rod. request announce the arrival of their baby girl on Tuesday, June 16. The baby was born in their home and has not been named yet. She weighed five pounds and twelve ounces.

Mr. and Mrs. Don Hite are the proud parents of a son, born Saturday, June 13, at Ramie Air Force Base in Portia Rica. The maternal grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Smith of Spur.

Mr. and Mrs. Wilburn Bell are the proud parents of a baby boy born Monday, June 8, at the Central Hospital. The baby weighed six pounds, eleven ounces and was named Benny Wayne.

Mrs. L. J. Hill of Munday has been visiting in the McCaughey home this week.

DIRT DOBBERS TAKE LEAGUE LEAD; C. BASS TOPS HITTERS WITH .616

The Dirt Dobbers turned the power loose on Hoover-McAtee last Thursday and there on the City Drug Tuesday night to take over the lead in the city softball league.

However, Carlos Bass of the Hot Rods tapped Foy Johnson, fast ball artist of the Dirt Dobbers, for two hits in two times at the plate to take over the individual batting lead. In the same game Bud Simms managed only two hits at four times to the plate to drop into second place.

In the opening game last Thursday night, the Lions Club gave the Bread Boys a 10-1 going over to keep their second place spot secure.

The first round of the two-round schedule will end with the first game tonight, pitting the Lions against the Hot Rods. The Bread Boys and City Drug open the second round as the night cap.

THE STANDINGS

team	p	w	l	pct.
Dirt Dobbers	5	4	1	.800
Lions Club	4	3	1	.750
City Drug	5	3	2	.600
Bread Boys	5	2	3	.400
Hoover-McAtee	4	1	3	.250
V. F. W.	5	1	4	.200

THE BIG SIX

player	team	ab	h	pct.
Bass, Hvr-McA	13	8	.616	
Simms, Dirt Dob	22	13	.591	
Gabriel, Hvr-McA	14	8	.571	
Reid, Dirt Dob	18	9	.500	
Waltz, Dirt Dob	20	11	.475	
Quinn, City Drug	21	8	.428	
Williams, City Drug	11	5	.454	

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GABRIEL SCORES 100 ON SWOLINE ENTRY EXAM

Franklin Gabriel, freshman at Haskell University, reported to his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Gabriel, that he scored 100 on the English Essay examination at Boyer.

A score of 100 is average for students in the class.

SPUR'S OWN TELEVISION PERFORMERS

The Jenkins Quartet of Spur is shown as it appeared on television on channel 13 Tuesday night. The quartet has made several appearances recently on radio and stage. Last Tuesday and Wednesday they were heard over station KJRH, Lubbock. The family will present a concert in Leckney this evening, sponsored by the Home Demonstration Club there. Left to right are Byron, Beverly, Byron, Jr. and Tony.

Afton News . . .

Robert Bourell, who is in the army, was here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Fullegim over the week end.

Lewis Mullins, son of Mr. and Mrs. Ray Dell Mullins, is home on leave after spending eleven months in Korea.

Jax McSpadden and Alton Shaw of Lubbock visited, friends and relatives here over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Woody and children of Abilene are visiting this week in the home of D. R. Hale and family.

Miss Jessie Legon of Eastland visited here with her brother, Bill Legon and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Gale of Girard visited here with her sis-

ter, Mrs. S. J. Smith.

Melvin Hickman has returned home from Supply, Okla. where he had been employed.

Mr. and Mrs. Darr Blasingame and son and Mrs. Irene Jarr of Lubbock, spent the week end at Possum Kingdom fishing.

Miss Lane Legon is visiting relatives and freinds in Eastland.

Mrs. Don Hinson of Portales, New Mexico, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Hext.

Mr. and Mrs. Burnett Haney returned Saturday from a vacation in New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Peyton Legg and sons were dinner guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Buck Pruett.

Mrs. Covey, the H. E. teacher, entertained her H. E. girls with a picnic and swimming party at Roaring Springs Monday.

Mrs. Sally Jackson spent the week end in Matador in the home of her sister, Mrs. Steigler and family.

Mrs. S. J. Smith was honored Sunday with a birthday dinner in the home of her son, Ferrell Smith of Lubbock.

Miss Francis Martin of Lubbock spent the week in the home of her parents, the A. C. Martins.

The Charlie Gage family visited in Ostessa over the week end.

The Patton Springs Homemakers are having a community meeting July 17, at 8 p. m. The public is cordially invited to attend.

The Sam Gages and Johnny Gage went fishing at Possum Kingdom last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Yeates and son visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Gage last week.

Mrs. Iva Edwards has been spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Homer Miller.

Mr. Ned Martin of Matador has been visiting in the community.

E. J. Nichols is doing some repair on the Sam Porter place in Afton.

Albert Brendle had business in Lubbock Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Kate Gipson and Harold Blair took their mother, Mrs. Blair, to Pearson, Okla., for medical treatment.

The Church of Christ revival has been in progress a week. There has been large crowds, good preaching, and good singing reported.

Mrs. Jewell Goodwin had bus-

Dry Lake Community News . . .

Mrs. J. R. Cole and children of Hereford and her mother, Mrs. Velma Rogers of Spur, were all day visitors with Mrs. Coy Dopson Wednesday.

Mr. Coy McLaughan stayed all night Tuesday night with his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Ivy McMahlan.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Smith drove to Littlefield Monday and visited their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Forrest Martin, Jr. They returned home Tuesday.

Mrs. Kenneth Coursey had the doctor with her daughter, Jean Tuesday. Jean has the measles.

Miss Shelly Williams and Bob accompanied their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Howe to a family reunion Wednesday.

Rummaging is the summer craft selected by the Dry Lake Home Demonstration Club. Mrs. W. M. Calvert will teach the project.

Russell Williams is at Haskell this week on wheat harvesting.

Miss Gay Nell Bass attended the wedding of Miss Jean Barlay in Spur Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Forbes are the parents of a baby girl. Mrs. Forbes is the former Jean Calvert.

Mr. and Mrs. Jeff Smith have bought the D. H. Sullivan house in Spur.

Sunday School at the Foremaniness in Spur Saturday.

Wilburn Brendle visited at the Richey home Saturday.

A letter from Howard Richey stated that he is improving. Those who would like to write to him may write:

Howard Richey
c/o George Stark
Pearson, Oklahoma.

Henry Edwards attended the court when it was in session this week.

Jimmie Perryman was meeting friends and transacting business in Spur Saturday.

Chapel Church was well attended on Children's Day Sunday. After Sunday School the children were taken to Swenson Park at Spur for a basket lunch.

Mrs. E. J. Lassetter was carried to the Crosbyton Hospital Monday morning. She will remain there as a patient for a few days.

The Dry Lake Progress Neighborhood Club met in a regular meeting at the Community Center, Thursday night at 8:30. J. B. Karr was in charge of the meeting.

The meeting was opened with singing led by Mrs. W. M. Calvert, and prayer led by Mrs. Coy Dopson. Because the meeting was not well attended, the meeting was postponed until August 17. At this time the community will have their regular picnic and plays will be made to start the community meetings again.

The Dry Lake Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. W. M. Calvert Wednesday, June 18.

Mrs. Joe Jeffers gave a demonstration on how to store clothing during the summer. She emphasized the fact that all clothing should be labeled in order to make an article easy to find. Refreshments were served to 11 members.

The next meeting will be July 8 in the home of Mrs. Ellis Draper. Mrs. Jeffers will then give tips for better sewing.


Mrs. Evalene Holly and her children, Hazel Jo and Bobby, of Amarillo, are visiting in the home of her mother, Mrs. W. M. Hazel of Spur.

Mrs. Dick Ford and her daughter, Gwen, are visiting in Spur this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. D. Engleman were in Spur on business last week.

Jimmie Draper visited his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Savon of Abilene over the week end.


Brother Bill Ware and his family were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Draper Sunday.



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GABRIEL'S



- WEMBLY TIES
- STETSON HATS \$10 to \$25.
- VAN HEUSEN SHIRTS \$3.95.
- MUNSINGWEAR SOCKS ● CUFF LINKS
- DRESS and WESTERN STRAWS \$1.98 to \$10.

<p>ONE GROUP SUMMER DRESS PANTS</p> <p>● NYLONS, RAYONS, etc. 4.95</p> <p>● Regularly to 7.95 pr.</p>	<p>CITY CLUB SUMMER DRESS SHOES</p> <p>● With Nylon mesh insert. 6.95</p> <p>● Values to 10.95 pr.</p> <p>● CLOSE OUT!</p>
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FATHER'S DAY

Gabriel's

These Trees Will Grow Farm Telephones



IF YOU JOINED ALL THE TELEPHONE POLES we've used to extend telephone service to rural Texas in the past seven years into one big pole it would tower 1,350 miles into the clouds. That gives you an idea of how we've been breaking records in our efforts to meet the demand for farm telephones. Already there are six times as many Southwestern Bell rural telephones in Texas as there were just seven years ago. This year we hope to be able to spend more than \$4 million to push still more telephone lines out to the farms around the communities we serve. SOUTHWESTERN BELL... A TEAM OF 28,000 TEXAS TELEPHONE PEOPLE... AT YOUR SERVICE.

The Winner!

Mrs. Fred Kinney

FOR THE FIRST CORRECT ANSWER TO OUR BIG DOT-COUNTING CONTEST!



A NEW DOMESTIC SEW MACHINE HAS BEEN PRESENTED TO MRS. KINNEY AS THE BIG FIRST PRIZE!

Cash Certificates mailed to other contestants may be used in our store toward the purchase of Domestic Sew Machines as indicated on the certificates, or on other merchandise of comparable price . . .

Godfrey's

PHONE 145 SPUR, TEXAS

Your Contribution to the Defense Blood Program

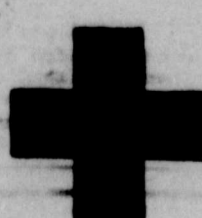
Plasma Blood, They Die . . . children desperately wounded, a neighbor critically injured, a child certainly die

Your dollars can help your Red Cross away out its role of co-ordinator in the nation-wide blood program. Today, blood for civilian and military needs as well as plasma reserves for national defense are equally important. Your contribution saves a big repair—in renewed life for someone!


THOSE WHO WISH TO DONATE BLOOD MAY SIGN PLEDGE CARDS AT THE FOLLOWING PLACES. ALL PLEDGES SHOULD BE SIGNED BY 5 P. M. MONDAY, JUNE 22.

NICKELS BUTANE, McAdoo KOONSMAN DRUG, Dickens GODFREY'S FURNITURE, Spur PEYTON LEGG GROCERY, Afton JOHN JACKSON GRO., Glenn

Pays Big Dividends in Life Itself!



Mobilize for defense give now!



McAdoo News...

Mrs. Henry Harris, Mrs. Jim Early, Mrs. Rusty McWilliams and Mrs. J. E. Woolley attended a district W. M. A. meeting in Muleshoe Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Dean and children of Levelland spent the week end with their parents, the Loyd Deans and the Jim Griffiths.

Mr. and Mrs. O. M. Bailey of Cross Plains were week-end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Nickels.

Mr. and Mrs. J. K. Minter and children, Louise and Jimmie, visited in the J. E. Woolley home Thursday night and Friday. Mr.

Minter is a nephew of Mr. Wooley.

Mrs. J. E. Woolley has returned home after a visit in Ft. Worth. Smokey came home with her to spend the week end.

Margaret Ann Harris is in Dallas attending Stamps School of Music Week, June 7 to 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Giles Turner of Lubbock were supper guests Thursday in the Henry Harris home.

Mrs. Tommy Joe Coffey of Amarillo spent Tuesday to Thursday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harris and family.

Rev. and Mrs. Carl Coffey of Amarillo visited friends here Thursday.

T. J. Brantley, Curby and Norman fished several days last week at Buffalo Lake.

Mrs. N. C. Baum spent Wednesday in Lubbock with her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McCree and girls.

Olin Ward and Loretta Davis of Lubbock were supper guests in the J. J. Griffin home Sunday.

Mrs. Lewis Hickman, who is employed in Lubbock spent the week end at home with her family.

Anita Barton, Dallas, spent last week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Barton.

James and Mark Holland, Amarillo, spent last week with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Barton.

Lorene Johnson, who is employed in Crosbyton, spent the week end at home.

Mrs. J. A. Allen went to Abilene Monday to visit her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Williams.

Mr. and Mrs. John spent Tuesday in Justice with Mr. and Mrs. Cecil Smith.

Betty Walls is spending the week in Lubbock with her grandmother, Mrs. C. P. Aull.

A revival is in progress at the Church of Christ, Brother H. E. Johnson from Spur is bringing the messages each morning at 10 a. m. and each night at 8 p. m. The meeting will be in progress through this week and the public is cordially invited to attend.

Cliff Formby of Hereford stopped for a short visit Monday with his parents, the John Formbys. He was enroute to Dallas to attend a radio convention.

Mrs. Emma Winegar and children of Lubbock spent the week

end in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bush Pipkins.

Neal Christopher of Seminole visited in the Gene Bass home Saturday.

A large representation from the M. Y. F. accompanied by their sponsor, Mrs. T. J. Taylor and Brother Arnold, the pastor, attended the sub-district meeting in Balls Monday night.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Higgins attended the wedding in Lubbock, Friday night of their son Robert and Miss Velda Thomas.

Mr. and Mrs. R. E. Nickels have returned to their home after spending several weeks in Ft. Worth where he has been employed.

Mr. and Mrs. S. J. Mason and boys of Crosbyton visited her parents, Mr. and M. C. Baum Sunday.

W. F. McCarty and son Billy of Clariett have been visiting his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Pullen the past week. They all spent Sunday in Elda, New Mexico with Mr. and Mrs. Elzie Pullen. The McCarty's will visit relatives at Muleshoe this week.

Mrs. Helen Nickels left Sunday for Mineral Wells to spend a few days.

J. F. Egger is hospitalized at the Crosbyton Hospital following a heart attack, last Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. Billy Gene Cybert and boys of Plainview, spent the week-end with relatives here.

St Brantley is here for a visit after making his home in Okla. for several months.

Pete Merritt, who has been employed in Brownfield for some time, is visiting in the home of his mother, Mrs. Dove Hodges.

Charles Wayne Allen returned

with his sister, Mrs. David Welch, to her home in Kansas he hopes to find employment there and spend the summer.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack McLaughlin and family of Hereford visited Sunday with his brother, and family, the France McLaughlins.

Neil Christopher of Seminole visited friends here over the week-end.

Mrs. Carter DeGraw was able to return to her home Wednesday after being confined to the Crosbyton Hospital.

Howard Griffin has a broken arm, after falling from a swing Tuesday.

Connie Bass left Thursday to be inducted into the army.

Mrs. Jewel McLaughlin has been visiting her daughter and family, the H. L. Dennises.

Mr. and Mrs. O. E. Lumsden are visiting their son, Tommy, who is stationed at Camp Rucker in Alabama. They were accompanied by Mr. Lumsden's Mother, Mrs. J. B. Lumsden of Bowie and his brother, Johnny Lumsden of Threeway.

Mrs. E. E. Phifer was host to a group of ladies with an all day quilting at her home last Thursday.

Mrs. Aline McCombs and children of Carlsbad, New Mexico visited last week with her father, G. W. Allen and other relatives.

Leola Allen of Lubbock, spent Monday night with her parents, the D. E. Allens.

Roddy and Dickie Parkinson of Lubbock spent last week with their grandfather, while Mrs. Hickman accompanied Mr. and Mrs. Rod Parkinson to Temple.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Williams, Abilene, spent Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. Allen.

Bruce, Mary and Carol Ann Allen and Marquitta Barton are in Abilene this week, attending Young Peoples Assembly at McMurry.

Marquitta Barton of McCamey spent last week with Carol Ann Allen.

Randy Paty of Sanger is visiting in the home of his sister, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Hickman.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Joplin and Milton accompanied by Mrs. Holcomb and Lottie of Crosbyton attended funeral services in Buffalo Springs, Thursday for Mrs. W. A. Reeder, a life long friend.

Roy Formby, Denton and James Formby, Borger spent Saturday

in the John Formby home.

Mr. and Mrs. M. C. Formby spent the week-end in Hereford in the home of their son, Mr. and Mrs. Potts Formby.

Mr. and Mrs. Guinn Hickman and Dwight spent the weekend in Ft. Worth visiting in the home of her sister, Mrs. Bob Fortune and Mrs. Ellison Hitt and families.

Van Cyfert, Glenn Cornelius and Curtis McWilliams are visiting in Lincoln, Nebraska with James Barnard.

Last Wednesday night at choir practice at the Methodist Church, Rev. and Mrs. James Patterson and Wendall were presented with a set of crystal in appreciation of their three years they have devoted to the services of the church and community. They moved on Thursday to their new home in Meadow.

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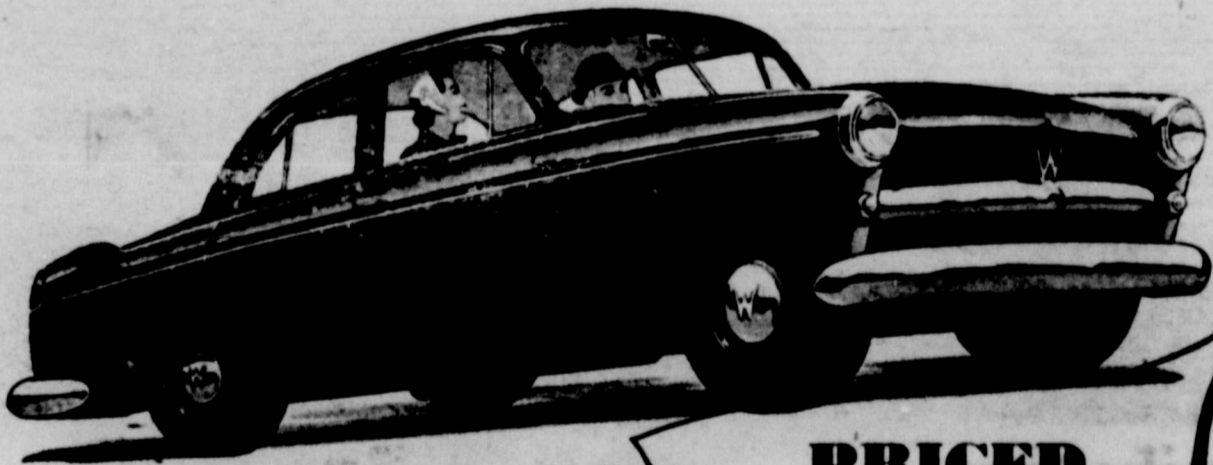
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Shower Compliments Miss Ruth Shugart

Miss Virginia Ruth Shugart, bride-elect of A. R. Cox, Jr., was complimented with a bridal shower Saturday, June 13, from 5:30 to 7:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. H. P. Gibson. The other hostesses were Meses A. G. Dunwoody, Abb Bingham, Binum Britton, R. K. Blackshear, Jerry En-

sey and Miss Patsy Hyatt.

In the receiving line were Mrs. Gansel, the bride's mother, Mrs. Raymond Powell, sister of Virginia Ruth, Mrs. Fannie Sullivan and Mrs. W. F. Shugart grandmother of the bride-elect.

The guests were directed to the register book by Mrs. Gibson. Gifts were shown by Mrs. Bingham and Mrs. Britton and Mrs. Dunwoody, Mrs. Blackshear and

Mrs. Ensey presided at the serving table. The bride-elect's chosen colors of aqua and her chosen flower of daisy decorated the serving table. The centerpiece was of daisies and miniature bridesmaids in aqua dresses.

Mr. and Mrs. George Givens left Monday for their home in California after visiting with Mrs. Shockley.

BAPTIST CIRCLES

The W. M. U. of the First Baptist Church met for a Royal Service and business meeting Monday, June 15, at the church. The short business meeting was presided over by Mrs. C. P. Scudder.

The program presented by the program chairman, Mrs. T. B. Allen, was "Values in Christian Education." Those taking part in this program and discussing the values of Christian education in Christian colleges and universities were Bro. T. B. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Lackey, Mrs. Langston, Sandra Watson, Joe and Emma Lena Simpson. The program was concluded with a few remarks by Mrs. Allen.

Eighteen members and visitors were present for this meeting.

BUSINESS WOMEN'S CIRCLE
The Business Women's Circle of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Thurman Morrow for their regular meeting. Their program was also, "Values in Christian Education." Mrs. Stella Morrow was program chairman and those taking part were Bro. T. B. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. Grady Lackey, Joe, Emma Lena and Jane Simpson.

JUDSON CIRCLE MEETS
The Judson Circle of the First Baptist Church met Monday in the home of Mrs. Nora Lehman. A short business period was presided over by Mrs. Joe Long and then she taught two chapters of a mission book.

Frosted Cakes were served to Meses Wallace Hinson, Ruby Bilberry, Hunter Wilson, C. P. Scudder, and the hostess, Mrs. Lehman.

H. D. Club Meets In Powell Home Wed.

The Steel Hill Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. T. J. Powell Wednesday, June 10th. Mrs. Van North gave a very interesting demonstration on how to make lamps out of scrap materials. She emphasized the facts that the lighting should be indirect, the lamp should be so many inches tall, and that the lamp cord should be replaced often.

Mrs. Joe Jeffers, the new county agent, gave a demonstration on how to store winter clothing in the summer. She suggested newspapers to wrap the articles in because printer's ink is moth repellent.

Refreshments were served to Meses Van North, Joe Jeffers, W. F. Foreman, Cliff Hightower, Andrew Blair, G. W. Justice, Norman Wilson, Brink Carlisle, Walter Carlisle, Roy Nace, Howard Thomas, and a new club member, Mrs. Barney Yoysey. The next club meeting will be with Mrs. Norman Wilson Wednesday, July 1, at 2:30. Friday, June 26, Mrs. P. C. Nichols will give a book review at the Legion Hut and all club women are invited.

Barclay Coker Vows Are Night

In a double-ring ceremony Friday night, June 12, at the home of her sister, Mrs. Randy Clifton, Miss Jean Barclay became the bride of Lyndell (Jimmy) Coker of Midland. Rev. T. B. Allen performed the ceremony.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Barclay of Spur. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Coker of Midland.

The bride was given in marriage by her father. She was attired in an aqua, taffeta dress with pink accessories. She carried a white Bible, topped with a white orchid.

Miss Marcell James was maid of honor. She wore a pink, nylon dress with white accessories. Stan Coker attended his brother as best man. Marcell Beattie and Gay Nell Bass, former classmate of the bride, lighted the candles.

Mrs. G. R. Claude and Miss Gay Nell Bass served as reception hostesses which was held immediately following the ceremony.

The bride is a graduate of Spur High School and the groom is a graduate of Midland High School. He is now employed by the Shell Oil Company.

Shower Honors Miss Campbell

Melba Campbell, bride-elect of Donald Ray Hooper, was complimented with a kitchen shower Wednesday morning, June 10, in the home of Alice Crockett.

Games were played and dishes towels were monogrammed after which refreshments were served to Carolyn Kelley, Frances Wilson, Wanda Cunningham, Lois Dunwoody, Barbara Sharp, Paulita Karr, Wilma Kimmel, Mrs. C. W. Barclay, Mrs. F. B. Crockett, Mrs. Bob Crockett, Janie Sharp, Chris and Phil Kelley, and the hostess, Alice Crockett.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Bird and Jay Cliff were visiting in Spur over the week end.

Shower Compliments Miss Melva North

Miss Melva North, bride-elect of Albert Fry, was honored with a miscellaneous shower Thursday, June 11, in the home of Mrs. J. C. Reese. Other hostesses were Meses Jerry Ensey, E. Hagins, Joe Long, O. R. Claude, Hershel Durham, Bruce Browning, Marshall Bragg and Miss Eula Whitaker.

The guests were greeted by the honoree, her mother, Mrs. W. T. North, the prospective groom's mother, Mrs. A. A. Fry and Mrs. Reese.

Miss Jean Karr presided at the register book and Meses Sue North, Faye Middlebrooks and Gayle Reese played piano selections for the occasion.

The colors on the serving table carried out the honoree's chosen colors of blue and white. The table was laid with a white cloth and peonies tinted blue with blue candles on each side was the centerpiece. The wedding date was emphasized with a blue streamer engraved with "Melva-Albert, June 17." The plate favors approximately 100 ladies called or sent gifts.

Campbell-North Are Honored At Shower

Miss Peggy Miles Wilson was the hostess to a lingerie shower honoring Miss Melba Campbell, bride-elect of Donald Ray Hooper and a kitchen shower honoring Miss Melva North, bride-elect of Junior Fry, in her home Wednesday, June 10 at 5:30 p. m.

The honorees opened their gifts and displayed them and each guest gave her favorite receipt to each of them.

Frosted cakes and brownies were served to Meses Gayle Reese, Janie Alexander, Lois Dunwoody, Sue North, Jean Karr, Emma Simpson, Wanda Rhine, Peggy Reid, Meses Alex Fry, W. T. North, Claude Barclay, Madeleine Stanford, and Hunter Wilson.

A/ie Tommy Aldredge from the Laredo Air Port Base and his father Cayce Aldredge and Mrs. J. M. Hahn had Sunday dinner with the Ellis Drapers.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Ponder visited in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Bilberry, last week. They were enroute home after vacationing in New Mexico and Arizona.

Harmony Club Meets In Reese Home Fr

The Spur Harmony Club had a social and business meeting Friday night, June 12, in the home of Mrs. J. C. Reese. Mrs. Jerry Ensey acted as co-hostess. The business period was presided over by Mrs. J. E. Berry, the new president. Several new members were voted into the club.

The program consisted of several vocal numbers. Kathleen Kelley sang "Indian Love Call" and "The Touch of Your Hand"; Lawrence Cook sang "On the Road To Mandalay" and "All The Things You Are"; Rev. Bob Reed, the new Presbyterian minister, sang "O Worship of God And Nature" and "Old Man River"; the closing number was a saxophone and piano duet by Joe Bruce Long and Gail Williams.

Following the program, the organization of a Junior Harmony Club was discussed and it is soon hoped that such a club will soon become a reality.

Refreshments were served to the following: Meses Nell Davis, Eric Swenson, W. T. Andrews, Tom Johnston, Joe Long, P. C. Nichols, Nina King, Sam Hawkes, F. C. Halle, Paul Marion, Mrs. Al C. Williams and Miss Faye Middlebrooks. Guests at the meeting were Miss Margaret Elliott, Mrs. Bob Reed, Mrs. J. C. McNeill and the performing artists.

Mrs. Lewis Reviews Book For W. S. G.

The Wesleyan Service Guild met on Wednesday, June 10, at 8 p. m., in the home of Mrs. W. C. King.

The president, Mrs. W. C. King, presided over the regular routine of business. The program was then turned over to Mrs. W. A. Lewis, who, in a very interesting manner, reviewed "A Guide To Confident Living." The thoughts brought out in the review were inspiring to the group and our appreciation was shown by a gift.

Refreshments were served to Meses Clyde Clifton, J. N. Fletcher, S. D. Hunter, H. P. Cargile, J. T. Swim, Jr., W. A. Lewis, Jo Cooney, Miss Lula M. Swim, a guest, Mrs. W. J. Hamm, and the hostess.

The next meeting will be on Wednesday, June 24, at 8 p. m.

HINTS FOR HOME MAKING -- FRESH CREAM MAKER

"Fresh sweet cream directly from the refrigerator makes nicer butter," states Mrs. Donnie Pace of the Highway Home Demonstration Club.

Take the cream from the refrigerator and place in the small churn or large mixing bowl of the electric mixer. Beat until thick, put hot water in a table-spoon at a time until the butter is just right to mold. Two or three pounds of butter may be made with this method in fifteen to twenty minutes.

SUMMER STORAGE FOR WINTER WEARING

The home demonstration clubs of Dickens County are practicing good sound principles for the preservation of winter clothing. These principles are:

1. Have all clothing cleaned or washed before storing.
2. Blankets and clothing that are not washed or cleaned must be sunned and brushed to eliminate the moth larva and egg.
3. Store all garments and blankets in one of the following ways -- in newspaper and sealed with brown stick tape; in a strong cardboard box with moth repellent and sealed with the brown tape; cedar chests and cedar lined storage closets; or the plastic bags that can be found on the market. These bags make excellent storage things and the different sizes make these the most popular summer storage.

ICE CREAM PARTY HONORS TOMMY ALDRIDGE SUN.

Tommy Aldredge, son of Mr. and Mrs. Cayce Aldredge, was the honor guest at an ice cream party Sunday afternoon in the Ellis Draper home.

Those present were Bro. Bill Ware and family, Mrs. J. M. Hahn, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Hahn and family, Gayce Aldredge and family, Jimmie Draper, Mr. and Mrs. Ellis Draper and the honoree, Tommy Aldredge.

Mr. and Mrs. Minyard Ensey and their daughter, Sandy, visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Ensey and Archer Powell recently. Mr. and Mrs. Jack Ensey and family also visited in the T. C. Ensey home.

Visiting in the R. L. Walker home this week has been her sister, Mr. and Mrs. V. L. Peter, son and their daughter, Mary Ann.

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And if you think it's time you did something for yourself, then we suggest you come in and see us. Let's make it "Cadillac time" for you!

REAGAN MOTOR COMPANY

Girard News

Vernell Cooper has returned from East Texas where she has been visiting her sister a few weeks.

C. W. Fincher has a broken arm as a result of the rodeo at Breckenridge last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Fincher returned Monday from San Antonio where they have been visiting their son, Gwen Fincher.

Mrs. J. A. Murphy visited her daughter in Lubbock a few days this week.

Supt. Gilbreath and family left Monday evening for their vacation.

George Darden and family attended the funeral of her uncle in Cisco Tuesday. Also, their son, Jimmy, has been visiting his sister in Hamlin this week.

M. M. Young has been on the sick list this week.

Carolyn White from Lubbock was a Girard visitor over the week end.

Era King from Abilene was here over the week end.

Betty is visiting her grandmother, Mrs. George Goodall in Girard this week.

Zana Lou Phillips and Reba and Veda Thompson are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles Kilpatrick in Abilene this week.

Sandon Sherer returned to Gravitt Ark for a summer vacation with the Don Spradling family.

Rev. Murdock from Odessa preached here at the Baptist Church Sunday.

Mrs. Jim Wyatt underwent minor surgery in Rotan Monday.

Mrs. John Lankford and Mrs. Lorrar visited in Abilene with Mrs. F. T. Young and Mrs. Elvora Devalls.

Visiting Mrs. George Goodall Monday was R. G. Goodall and wife from Jayton.

The Fincher family had a dinner in Spur Sunday, June 7th, at the home of Mrs. Leva Simpson.

Janel Murdock from Jayton was visiting girl friends in Girard this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Raye Williams and Ray Lee left Tuesday for a week's vacation to Postum Kingdon.

Miss Blanche Thompson from San Antonio is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Phillips.

Several people enjoyed television with the Willie Smiths Friday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Preston Smith and Wyrrell went to Hereford to visit their brother, Ted.

HIGHWAY NEWS

HIGHWAY
Gordon Simmons, who is in the navy, is home on leave visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ike Simmons. He is to be stationed at Jacksonville, Florida after his leave.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Thomson went to Olton to visit in the home of relatives and see about work there Tuesday.

There are to be members of the Red Cross at the community party Friday night to explain about the blood donation. Let's make it in the vicinity of 100 per cent.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Martin, Mrs. Cecil Estep and Gerelene went to Rotan to be with Mrs. Jim Wyatt during minor surgery. Mrs. Wyatt, Martin's daughter, is reported doing very well.

Harry Bob Martin of Dickens is visiting with the Esteps and the Martins this week.

We are sorry to have lost some good neighbors when Mr. and Mrs. Jack Gordon moved to Levelland to work on an irrigated farm.

Those seen working at the Spur Cemetery Tuesday from our community were the Trees, Morgans, Putmans, Paces, Garcias, Oliverzes, Earl Thomasons, Elmer Thomasons, Ruckers, Georges, Westfalls, Hahns, W. Smiths, Esteps and the Powells. We hope that this will be an annual affair.

Mrs. Cecil Estep was elected to fill the vacancy of secretary of the H. D. Club, left by Mrs. Jack Gordon.

Ben Schussler has been feeling better lately. He has had friends and relatives from Mason visiting with him recently.

TEXAS TECH ENROLLMENT FOR SUMMER REACHES 1944
Summer enrollment at Texas Tech Tuesday-the last day of registration-had reached 1,944 with more to enroll for numerous workshops and conferences later in the first term.

The figure is 13 less than the term of 1952. Men outnumber total enrollment for the first women about two to one with 1,220 men and 724 women registered.

The Graduate Division leads all other academic divisions in enrollment with 620 students. Arts and Science is second with 558; and Engineering is third with 275. Agriculture has 126. Business Administration has 265, and Home Economics has 100.

Veterans at Tech for the first summer term numbered 457, including 136 Korean veterans.



John Selmon, venerable and grizzled foreman of the Flat Top Ranch, grew up with the cattle country. Some 23 years, he has led the grand entry into the arena of the Texas Cowboy Reunion. This year's show at Stamford, Texas, will be held July 1, 2 and 3.

Brainiacs came out of the swamp lands below Houston and were about the meanest and toughest brutes that ever came out of South Texas. The foreman rolled his cigarette with the dexterity of long practice, this despite the lack of a thumb and little finger on his hand. The little finger was lost in the arena of the Texas Cowboy Reunion, when the daily failed to hold on his saddle horn. "We hired some bleacher seats from a medicine show which held about 300 people. Covered the top with cotton bagging for the roof," said Mr. Selmon. John's eyes sparkled with friendliness as he referred to the many people he had seen at the Texas Cowboy Reunion. Among these were governor-elect congressmen, famous stars of stage and screen. A few of these that John recalled were Will Rogers, Big Boy Williams, Wild Bill Elliott, Gene Autry, Coke Stevenson, Allen Shivers and Jimmy Allred. I asked John if he thought the show was better or worse than in the early days. He replied that a wild bull or bucking horse was just about the same in a pasture or a thousand dollar arena. The Texas Cowboy Reunion now possesses one of the finest plants in the entire southwest. Huge grandstands, fine stables and barns, commodious and restful buildings now dot the landscape where once were bare hill sides. I asked John if he planned on retiring. He grinned and replied, "Well, that retiring is for businessmen and not for me."

Girard Community Has First Meeting

The Girard Community Organization met Friday night, June 12, at the Girard High School building. Plans were discussed for a community play ground for the children. This is to be located behind the Sherer Grocery. Those wishing to donate work or money should contact Mrs. Carlos Dickerson. Either would be appreciated.

The community also decided to enter the Texas Rural Neighborhood Progress Contest sponsored by The Farmer Stockman in cooperation with the Texas A&M College System Extension Service.

Following the business meeting, a very enjoyable program was presented by Mr. Glenn Spradling.

Everyone is urged to attend the next meeting, July 17th. The motto is: If you want to live in a better neighborhood, help build it.

Punch and cookies were served to 80 or 90 people.

Miss Wanda Jean Chambless has been visiting in the home of her sister in Post this week.

Miss Gieger Walker has enrolled in summer school at McMurtry College of Abilene.

Killmanjaro Another Hemingway Triumph

Once again the dynamic pen of Earnest Hemingway has laid the foundation for monumental screen achievement this time for Twentieth Century-Fox's heralded Technicolor production of "The Snows of Killmanjaro," which makes its local bow on Sunday at the Palace Theatre.

Considered by many the greatest living American author, Hemingway has been responsible for many of Hollywood's finest motion pictures and through his unusual characters many of our leading actors have come to prominence.

It was in "A Farewell to Arms" that Gary Cooper and Helen Hayes stunned movie audiences with one of the greatest love stories ever filmed. It is also noteworthy that this is also worthy that this marked one of Miss Hayes' rare motion picture ventures.

In "To Have and Have Not," Humphrey Bogart met Lauren Bacall for the first time. Deftly handling the crisp Hemingway dialogue they became a popular screen team overnight.

"For Whom the Bells Toll," the tragic love story of primitive love amidst the holocaust of the Spanish Civil War, came to life with Gary Cooper and Ingrid Bergman, a collaboration which resulted in one of Hollywood's top all-time grossers.

"The Killers" was noteworthy in two respects. Taken from a

short story it proved to be a masterpiece of raw melodrama. Secondly, it introduced two new personalities-Burt Lancaster and Ava Gardner.

Gregory Peck, Joan Bennett and Robert Preston faced Hemingway for the first time in "The Macomber Affair," a drama of fierce emotion set in Africa. For Peck it added to his laurels as a star; for Preston it established him as a dramatic actor.

"Under My Skin," a tale of Paris intrigue, introduced the popular French import, Micheline Prelle in a co-starring role with the late John Garfield.

Now, in "The Snows of Killmanjaro," produced by Darryl F. Zanuck and directed by Henry King, Hemingway's character live in the persons of Gregory Peck, Susan Hayward, Ava Gardner and Hildergard Neff.

Filed in color by Technicolor against Spanish, French and African backgrounds, the story centers about a famous novelist and big game hunter who reviews his life, loves, adventures, and frustrations while awaiting possible death in the shadow of Mt. Killmanjaro in equatorial Africa.

The release of "The Snows of Killmanjaro" coincides with the publication of Hemingway's newest work, "The Old Man and the Sea."

Mr. and Mrs. Rip Garner and their twin daughters made a trip to Fort Worth last week end to visit in the home of his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Keith Garner.

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Girard News . . .

(Delayed) Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Hurley and daughters from Eagle Nest are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Willis.

Mr. and Mrs. Hurley and Don and Mr. and Mrs. George Willis visited Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Porter and sons in Memphis, Tenn.

Mr. and Mrs. John Boland and Jimmie Lee had business in Stamford Sunday.

The community meeting will be at the school house, Friday night at 8 o'clock. All women are asked to bring cookies.

Mrs. Lonnie Williams is visiting in Colorado City this week.

Mrs. Truman Murdoch and children visited friends and relatives in Girard Tuesday.

Mrs. Jewel Cooper left for Stevensville Saturday. She is visiting her mother who is sick.

Visiting the Tom Huncuets over the week end were their children, Garland and wife from Chicago, Ill., Joe Howard and wife from Dumas, Dink, Dale, and Jack from Lubbock. Tom and his sons enjoyed a fishing trip to Possum Kingdom while they were here. Eric King, Betty and Lenore Page also visited them over the week end.

Charlie Lewis from Lubbock was visiting old friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Magaha from Abilene were week-end visitors of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Magaha.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Bailey Guthrie from Lubbock were visiting here.

Ted Darden and his wife and Maurey Wilkerson made a trip to Wichita Falls and Holiday for a few day's visit.

Mrs. Alex Memezak and children from Kermit are Girard visitors.

Shorty Clark, son of Mr. and Mrs. Alton Clark, was burned when a tractor radiator cap blew off.

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Carr moved back to Girard Monday. Ray C. Williams made a business trip to Lubbock Monday.

Mrs. John Lanford made a business trip to Abilene Wednesday, and Mrs. Lallord accompanied her.

Visiting Mr. and Mrs. C. V. O'Keefe is her brother and wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Stewart from Lost Hills, Calif. Her sister and family, the H. R. Robinsons from Clovis, N. M., are also visiting them.

Mr. and Mrs. Jet Joiner from Bronco, N. M. are visiting her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Offie Beadle.

Supt. Galbreath is in Austin on business.

Girl Scouts

TROOP VIII
The Brownies of Troop VIII met on Monday, June 15. The girls made a study in folding and raising the flag. The assistant leader, Mrs. Powell, in the absence of Mrs. Leadbetter, who is on a vacation, wishes to thank the girls of Troop IV for assistance in this project. The next meeting will be at 302 East Harris on June 22 and the meeting for June 29 will be in the home of Mrs. Paul Marion at the Experiment Station.

TROOP VI
The Scouts of Troop VI met for a regular meeting on June 10. Clothes pin markers were made for use at Day Camp. Some of the girls made sit-upons and planned other materials for Day Camp.

TROOP IV
The Girl Scouts of Troop IV met Monday, June 15, at the regular time and assisted the members of Troop VIII in a color guard program. During the last part of the meeting, plans were made for a project at the time of the Spur Rodeo, and to help in a civic program in the near future.

McAdee News

(Delayed) Alcira Butler of Midland visited during the week-end with her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Toland and her parents Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Butler of Dallas who are visiting in the Toland home.

Mrs. J. E. Wholey visited in Ft. Worth last week with her sons, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Wooley and children and Smokey Wooley.

Mary Lois and Dickie Wooley spent last week in Lubbock with their sister, the Frank Donahues.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Brown spent Friday with his parents in Ropesville, his father who has been seriously ill is improving.

Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Brantley, Leamon and Tommy Brantley visited relatives in Portales, New Mexico Saturday. Tommy remained to work through the summer.

Sunday visitors in the Gene Bass home were their daughter, Mr. and Mrs. George Paul and Georgene from Axtel, N. M. and Waynette Goodwin and Sis Mauberry of Paducah.

The Secret Pals met in the home of Mrs. T. J. Taylor Tuesday, June 9, with Mrs. Earl Van Meter acting as co-hostess.

Mrs. Tommy Joe Coffey was honored with a bridal shower at the Activity Center Tuesday, June 9. She received many varied and useful gifts.

Mrs. Jim Early visited several days last week at Crosbyton in the home of her son, Mr. and Mrs. B. C. Cooper.

Lawrence Pipkin of Midland visited recently with his parents, the Bush Pipkins.

The new Methodist pastor, Bro. and Mrs. Arnold were honored with a pounding at the church Wednesday night.

G. W. Allen is spending a few weeks in Carlsbad, N. M. with his daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Sid McCombs.

Mr. and Mrs. Goldie Tooke and family of Crane visited recently

ARTABAN OFFICERS AND YEARBOOK COME MEETS

The officers and year book committee of the Artaban Club met with Miss Wanda Rhine in the George Stanford home Monday afternoon, June 15. The purpose of the meeting was to make final plans for an Artaban swimming party which will be Friday evening at 8 o'clock, following a 7 o'clock supper in the home of Sue King.

Plans for a yearbook for the coming school year were discussed and the meeting adjourned.

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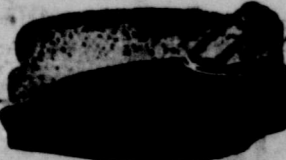
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Roaring Springs News...

By Mrs. L. E. Cooper Phone 981

Truman Dobbins spent last week in McAadoo visiting his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Tooke.

S/a William M. James, who had been stationed in Florida, returned home recently. He has a medical discharge.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Fletcher and baby and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Simmons of Lubbock visited here recently with J. N. Fletcher and Mrs. R. J. Harmons.

Cpl. Louis Hodgins is here visiting for a few days with relatives.

John Lackey of Floydada and Mrs. Ruby Cooper returned Saturday from Denver, Colo. where they had accompanied Rebecca Cooper.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Swinn, Sr. and Cecil Swinn and sons spent the week end in Wilberton, Okla. with Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Swinn. James and Cynthia Swinn returned to their home with them after a visit there.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie D. Dillard and Mr. and Mrs. Billy Joe Dillard and son have moved to Plainview.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Carpenter made a business trip to Lubbock Monday.

J. N. Fletcher, who has been in Guam, is here on a 30 day leave.

Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Sanders are here visiting friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Murphy made a business trip to Spur Friday.

Rev. and Mrs. D. C. Oringdreeff of Fort Worth were recent guests of Rev. and Mrs. G. W. James.

Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Bailey and children, Jerry and Paula of Ft. Worth, spent the week end with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Bailey.

Jake Cooper and G. W. Green made a trip to Okla. during the week.

Mrs. G. B. Thacker and Judy and Nita of Galesburg, Ill. left for Muleshoe Sunday after a visit here.

Mrs. Jaunita Lackey and children and Miss Audrey Cross of Fort Smith, Ark., spent the week

Okla. spent this week end with Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Rigby.

Harvey Poole and son of Levelland were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Nichols of Pampa are here visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. B. Nichols.

Mrs. Leta Nelson and Jubert Pierce of Lubbock were married in Lubbock June 4.

Mrs. Elex Reeves and children of Edmondson visited here Sunday with her sister and family. Mr. and Mrs. Wesley Burt, Mr. Reeves returned home but Mrs. Reeves and children remained for a longer visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Smallwood arrived home from Korea recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Davis of Fort Worth spent the week end here with his mother, Mrs. Clyde Davis.

Louis Nichols of Dallas visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Nichols, Friday and Saturday.

Wesley Burt and Vester Roller of Big Lake spent the week end with their wives.

Mrs. Fred Sanders and children of Goodland, Kansas, are visiting here with friends and at Matador with her parents.

James F. Sprinkel Returns To States

James F. Sprinkel, seaman, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Tang Smith of 211 North Burlington, is among the 225 crewmen who return here June 1 aboard the destroyer USS Colahan.

Leaving the States in Nov., the Colahan made brief stops at Pearl Harbor, Midway and Yokosuka, Japan, enroute to the combat zone.

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In April and May, the Colahan operated with the battleship USS New Jersey and escorted the big ship in a series of gun strikes along the East coast of Korea. She left in the middle of May to return to the United States.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Owens and children have returned from a visit in Waco with his parents.

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SYKES GOSPEL SINGERS TO PRESENT PROGRAM JUNE 21
 The Sykes Gospel Singers, radio and recording artists of Los Angeles, California, will be in Spur Sunday, June 21, at 9 p. m. at the Carter's Chapel.

Sykes Singers features Charles Hall, one of the world's greatest piano players, Miss Dorothy Chastman, lyric soprano singer, also Sister Sykes, a nationally known gospel singer.

There will be reserved seats for any white people who might want to attend and no admission will be charged. The public is cordially invited.

GRADY RAGLANDS VISITING WITH O. L. KELLEY'S HERE
 Mr. and Mrs. Grady Raglands and their son, Bill, 3, of this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Kelley. The Raglands are from Long Beach, Calif.

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Red Cross To Aid In Death Messages For GI Families
 Effective June 1, the American Red Cross has been authorized by the Department of the Army and Air Force, to relay through their rapid communications, death messages involving immediate families of overseas servicemen of these two branches, Dr. W. F. Patrick, Home Service Chairman, Dickens County Ch.

Provisions has also been made that all of these death notifications contain complete information as to the time and cause of death, welfare of the remaining family, whether leave is being requested, and any other relevant facts. Whenever possible, the message is given in person to the serviceman by the Red Cross field director at his base, to help him meet the shock of distressing news.

Since November, 1950, the Army and Air Force have allowed the transmittal of birth messages by rapid transit, but these messages do not have priority. The Navy makes its rapid communications system directly available to Navy, Marine, and Coast Guard families for sending emergency communications, as well as birth messages for its overseas personnel.

Reporting and communications service is a chapter responsibility of the American Red Cross, Dr. Patrick says. The Red Cross provides the link between servicemen and their families when regular communication facilities fail, helping to reestablish direct contact, and to provide counsel whenever it is needed. Red Cross specific information when requested by the military.

To carry out this responsibility Red Cross Home Service maintains 24-hour coverage, thus insuring prompt assistance with reports and requests for reports in urgent situations involving servicemen and their families.

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Kelley-Cook Sing For Rotary Thursday
 C. F. Cook was program chairman for the noon meeting of the Rotary Club Thursday. His program was two vocal numbers by Kathleen Kelley and Lawrence Cook.

E. S. Lee gave the invocation, Harvey Holly was the chairman for the day, and Dr. W. F. Patrick led the singing.

ORDINATION SERVICE TO BE HELD AT ROARING SPRINGS
 The Flag Springs Missionary Baptist Church in Roaring Springs will have ordination services Sunday evening, June 21, at 3 p. m. to ordain Bro. Beanie Goss to the work of the Gospel Ministry. Several ministers and deacons from out of town are expected to be present to help with the ordination. Each and every one has a cordial invitation to attend this service.

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