

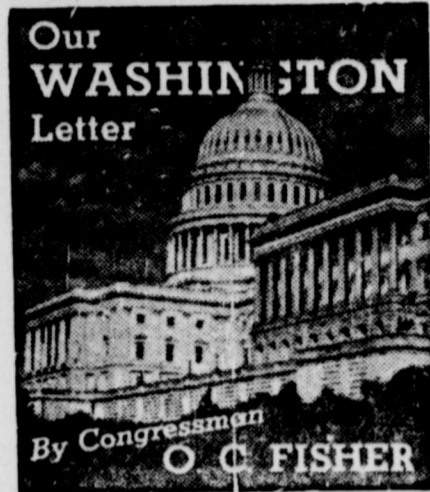
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Our WASHINGTON Letter
By Congressman O. C. FISHER

PRESIDENT TRUMAN, General Eisenhower and Winston Churchill vied with each other for front page space in Washington last week, as Congress convened, politics buzzed, and Anglo-American problems were given a going over.

The President's annual State of the Union message, required by the Constitution, was pretty much a rehash of the one a year ago. It reviewed world events, promised a liberal amount of welfare for most everyone, but was more conciliatory in that it did not dwell sum uch upon civil rights and the Fair Deal program. With Mr. Churchill and Anthony Eden looking on from the gallery, Mr. Truman talked for 35 minutes to a packed gallery and House chamber. The Prime Minister is scheduled to make a formal address to the House and Senate on January 17.

Everywhere up here these days politics is in the air. It is strictly an election year atmosphere-which is not given to much progress in constructive legislation. But the session will probably be a comparatively short one, with both sides girding themselves for the big political battles of the summer and fall. Both House and Senate are due to get down to work with but little delay, and the "must" legislation will be taken up earlier than is usually the case.

GENERAL EISENHOWER'S entrance into the Presidential campaign is claiming a lot of attention, as would be expected. In the cloak rooms, restaurants, in taxicabs, and on Washington street corners, people are scenting a possible grass-roots upsurge in public clamor for a change in the White House when the November election comes round. And they wonder if Eisenhower can withstand the hard knocks of political realism. Even President Truman jovially suggested that the General would find out a lot about himself that he never knew before.

Under Army regulations a soldier is not allowed to actively campaign for public office. He can run but he cannot issue political statements or make campaign speeches. That means that the Eisenhower race will be in the hands of friends, with about everything the General has ever said in print being pulled out, dissected and all sorts of interpretations placed upon them.

On the other side of the picture will be the choice of a Democrat to carry the torch for the Party that is being challenged. You can hear about everything on Capitol Hill, but there seems to be but few who think Mr. Truman will run. But he is the unpredictable type, and that cannot be overlooked.

The average dopster seems to

District Governor Talks To Lions Club

Dr. Lewis Kline, District Governor of the Lions International, was a guest at the local Lions Club luncheon Wednesday noon. He spoke to the club members and the guests, reviewing the growth of Lions International, and of the activities in our district.

Deputy District Governor West of Eldorado accompanied Dr. and Mrs. Kline, and West spoke briefly following Kline's talk.

Miss Pam Sanderson sang two solos, accompanied by Mrs. Anna Lee Johnson at the piano.

Twenty-two members were present and five guests.

Open House at Caperton Chevrolet Company Saturday

In connection with the showing of the new 1952 Chevrolet here on Saturday, January 19, the R. T. Caperton Chevrolet Company is holding open house. Free coffee and do-nuts will be served and there will be free gifts and favors for everyone that attends, said R. T. Caperton, owner.

The inside of the place has been repainted, and modernized, and more changes are due in the future said the owner. He invites both young and old to be present Saturday and get acquainted. Favors for the kiddies and all who attend are free.

Caperton bought the Chevrolet agency from John Walraven and Marvin Churchill last fall. Walraven is now working for the new owner.

think the President would welcome a contest with Senator Taft, but doesn't cotton up to the idea of fighting it out with Eisenhower, if the Republicans nominate him. If he is nominated he would then be relieved of his command in Europe and would return home for an active campaign. That might happen even before the Conventions.

General Eisenhower is a Kansan, but by accident is a native Texan, having been born near Denison. In 1944 when a small group of Congressmen were on a mission in England, the General heard about it and invited the group to visit him at his then secret headquarters near Paris. That was in September. Bob Poage of Waco and I were in the group, and we had the privilege of talking with the Allied Commander for two or three hours. I recall that Poage called the General's attention to his Texas birth.

"That's true", replied Eisenhower, "but grasshoppers were to blame for it! You see, the grasshoppers ate my father's crop up over in Kansas and he moved temporarily down to Denison where he could get a job. While the family was living at Denison, I was born. And so I guess you can blame the Kansas grasshoppers for my being born in Texas!"

But he said he took pride in his Texas birth, and had high praise for the courage of Texas troops.

Blackwell and Coahoma Winners in Basketball Tournament Here

Blackwell took the championship of the boys division of the Sterling City Tournament here Saturday night with a 39-25 win over the LakeView B team.

Coahoma beat Sterling City, 32-21 for the girls' title.

Included on the boys all-tournament were Franks of Blackwell, Ditmore of Water Valley, Read of Coahoma, Bednor of Garden City, Demere of Water Valley, and Essary of Lake View.

The girl honor squad was composed of Houston of Coahoma, M. Davis of Sterling City, Porter of Lake View, Calverly of Garden City, Alexander of Water Valley, J. Davis of Sterling City and Goodwin of Water Valley.

Blackwell advanced to the finals with a 42 to 37 victory over Coahoma. Franks of Blackwell meshed the net for 20 points to lead the scorers.

Paced by Brown, who rang the hoop for 13 points, the Lake View 'B' quintet ousted Forsan, 44 to 30, to edge into the finals.

In the girls' semi-finals, Coahoma beat Lake View 'B' team, 24 to 17, and Sterling City thumped Water Valley, 21 to 15. Porter lead scorers with 11 points, and in the second semi-final set-to Hanson of Sterling City was high with nine.

The Water Valley boys took the consolation finals by beating Garden City 54 to 39. Demere was high man for Water Valley with 22 and Cline was high for the losers with 11.

Sterling County Hospital Notes

Patients in the Sterling County Hospital on Thursday of this week included:

- Mrs. R. L. Lowe
 - Mary Frances Carper
 - Mrs. F. A. Wyckoff
 - Rev. O. M. Cole
 - Mrs. Harry Gann and baby, Penny Lou
 - Ruth Hill
 - Nadene Clendenen
 - M. C. Mitchell
- Dismissals since last Thursday include:
- D. F. Cooper
 - Mrs. M. W. Smith
 - David Glass
 - Effie Carwile
 - Mary Lou Rowland
 - Rush Rotan
 - A. G. Shannon

Daughter to the Harry Ganns

A daughter, named Penny Lou, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Gann on Monday morning of this week in the Sterling County hospital. The baby weighed seven pounds and thirteen ounces. This is the second child of the Ganns.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. George W. Gann, and Mr. and Mrs. Webb R. Hudson of Sterling City.

P.T.A. MET JANUARY 10

The Sterling City P.T.A. met on Thursday afternoon, January 10, in the school auditorium.

The devotional was given by Rev. C. D. McEntire. The second grade, under the direction of Mrs. Johnnie Ozee, gave an interesting New Year's program.

Mary Davis played a piano solo. Coach James Reynolds gave an address, "Teamwork Can Do The Job."

Two Hostesses at Bridge

Mrs. H. L. Hildebrand and Mrs. E. F. McEntire were joint hostesses at bridge Tuesday afternoon of this week at the Hildebrand home.

A salad course was served to four tables.

Present were Mrs. Roy Morgan, Mrs. N. H. Reed, Mrs. Fred Campbell, Mrs. W. S. Nelson, Mrs. Ralph Bynum, Mrs. R. P. Brown, Mrs. Lester Foster, Mrs. T. F. Foster, Mrs. Roland Lowe, Mrs. Hal Knight, Mrs. Sterling Foster, Mrs. Robert Foster, Mrs. Ewing McEntire, Mrs. James McEntire, Mrs. E. B. Butler and Mrs. Roy Foster.

Prizes went to Mrs. R.P. Brown, Mrs. Robert Foster, Mrs. Hal Knight, Mrs. Robert Foster and Mrs. Roy Foster.

Local Lambs Entered in San Antonio Livestock Show

Eleven members of the Sterling County 4-H Club have entered 23 fat lambs in the San Antonio Livestock Exposition to be held February 15-24 at the Bexar County Coliseum.

Members and number of animals entered are: Mims Reed and Delmar Radde, 1 each; Alfred Chapple, Jackie Harris, Lynn Glass, Gene Smith, and Bill Davis, 2 each; Tony Allen, 4; Clinton Hodges and Larry Glass, 5 each. The entries are all in the boys' division.

San Antonio's third annual livestock exposition will be its greatest since the show's founding according to present indications. Livestock entries are well beyond the 4,000 mark, according to Mark L. Browne, chairman of the general livestock committee. There were 3,700 head of stock in the 1951 show.

Unusual advance interest also is being shown in the world's championship rodeo, which is to be produced by Everett Colburn. The heaviest advance ticket sale for the rodeo since the show's founding has been reported and mail orders are now being accepted.

Ticket prices are: boxes, \$3.60; dress circle, \$3.00; lower balcony, \$2.40; balcony, \$1.50. Orders may be mailed to the San Antonio Livestock Exposition, P.O. Box 1746, San Antonio.

The exposition has announced the signing of the Don Franklin carnival for the 10-day show. Franklin plans to introduce a number of shows and other features on the midway which have not heretofore been seen in Texas.

Another exposition feature will be a farm and ranch machinery show, at which a million dollars worth of machinery and equipment will be on display in a 90,000-foot-square area.

Mrs. Louis Bade's Father Dead

J. M. Cuen, prominent Mexican jurist, died early Monday in his home in El Paso. He was 79.

Mr. Cuen had resided in El Paso since 1917. During his term as federal judge for the district of Chihuahua, he commuted to that territory while residing in El Paso.

The attorney lived in El Paso under special arrangement with the U. S. Government. During 1916 he had prosecuted a band of German espionage agents who were operating a wireless in Lower California.

Mr. Cuen, born in Mexico, was a direct descendant of Cervantes, author of Don Quixote.

He is survived by his widow; two sons, Jules H. Cuen of El Paso; and A. N. Cuen of Mobile, Ala.; five daughters, Miss Evangelina Cuen of El Paso, Mrs. E. H. Henedo of Mexico City, Mrs. Alice Bade of Sterling City, Mrs. Gloria Sachs of Seattle, Wash., and Mrs. Marie Kister of St. Charles, Mo.

Funeral rites were held in El Paso Wednesday afternoon. Mr. and Mrs. Bade attended the services.

METHODIST LADIES TO SERVE DINNER ON JANUARY 26

The ladies society of the Methodist Church will serve dinner in the Community Center on January 26 announced Mrs. Roy Foster this week. That is the day of the 4-H Club boys annual livestock show.

The dinner is an annual affair for the ladies, and they invite all who will to eat at the Community Center that day.

THE KENNY GARMSES MOVING TO ARKANSAS

The Kenny Garmses have bought a place in Arkansas and are moving there this month. They have sold their house here to Mrs. Mary Martin.

Kenny said he bought a 112 acre place 4 miles out of Berryville, Ark. and had a lease on 132 acres.

Kenny was not sure, but they were trying to move this week, and will move next week, if they do not get off before.

Mrs. Will Atkinson returned to her home Monday after visiting her daughter, Mrs. Oscar Atkinson, in Knickerbocker over Christmas. She plans to be at her home here now for some time. A Mrs. Snow will be with her.

Rev. O. M. Cole, Retired Methodist Minister, Dies; Services Saturday

The Rev. O. M. Cole, retired Methodist minister, died in the local hospital at 12:10 a.m. Friday of this week. He had suffered a stroke at his home here Wednesday night. He was seventy-four years old.

Bro. Cole was born January 6, 1878 in Oakland City, Indiana. He attended law college in Oakland City and practiced law for awhile before coming to Texas, in an office with a brother. His father was a lawyer and served for 30 years as a Federal Judge.

Young Cole came to Texas at the age of 21. The family settled at Bynum, Texas. He met and married Minnie Hunton at Hillsboro, Texas in 1902. They moved to West Texas and entered the ministry. He entered the Southwest Methodist Conference as a minister and served until he retired in 1939. He served as pastor of the Methodist Church here four years, 1920-24. He was in the ministry for twenty-seven years. He retired in 1939.

Bro. Cole had served as County Treasurer for a number of years, his last term ending December 31, 1950.

Funeral services will be held at 3:00 p.m. Saturday afternoon at the First Methodist Church here. The Rev. W. J. Weimer, pastor, will be in charge, assisted by Bro. W. O. Batten, Church of Christ minister.

Pallbearers will be stewards of the First Methodist Church. Burial will be in Foster Cemetery. Lowe Funeral Home is in charge of arrangements.

He is survived by his widow; one daughter, Mrs. R. C. Bynum of Sterling City; one son, Oliver M. Cole of Houston; and five grandchildren; three sisters, Mrs. Mollie Cornes of Oakland City, Ind.; and Pearl Rutledge of Oakland City; and Mrs. Lucille Woods of Bynum, Tex.; two brothers, Jake Cole of Vincennes, Ind.; and T. P. Cole of Bynum, Texas.



Behind The 8 Ball

It's Gonna Rain Now

We've been waiting for it to rain long enough now. So Wednesday, we had Pat Boatler wash our car, and set the stage for a good rain. It should rain this week-end.

At least, Pat and I have done our part.

8-BALL

When I announced Thursday that it was going to rain, Rufus Foster called Doc Swann to examine my head.

There's not much wrong with my head that a good graft of hairbearing skin wouldn't help. Maybe Doc can graft some skin off some hairy guy's chest onto my head.

8-BALL

The Rev. Bob Brannon, Presbyterian preacher here, cut his hand Wednesday afternoon while slicing ham. Doc had to stitch it up.

8-BALL

A flash-fire happened in the local Ford shop end Tuesday. It was over quick and did no damage to speak of. Made some smoke in a hurry.

8-BALL

The Lions Club minstrel bunch has been practicing for the show that they will put on in Christoval tonight. The study club that is sponsoring the affair, has about sold out the house, and a good crowd is expected. The club is to give a feed for the cast there tonight, too.

8-BALL

Billy Joe Swann, son of the Wm. J. Swanns, suffered bruises when he was knocked off a car fender Monday afternoon here. He has a blood clot resulting from the fall and still confined at home.

8-BALL

The Lions Club is trying to end up their scrap drive. On Tuesday and Saturday of next week they would like to have all of it collected and brought in to the place of collection, just west of the courthouse. Roland Lowe, chairman of the drive, says to notify him or any Lion member if you have scrap on your place and want it picked up.

The club will use any money made on fixing up the inside of the com-

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STRANGE FACTS ABOUT POLIO

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Common Colds Discussed
HEALTH TALKS

Prepared by the State Medical Association of Texas

The common cold, one of mankind's oldest and most prevalent afflictions, gets shoved around more than any disease, not only from one "kerchoo" to another but also by the written word. Reams of material have been written about the cold, millions of dollars have been spent by the public to cure the cold and by scholars to find a cure. Everything about the cold is stupendous, colossal, gigantic. And not a whole lot more is known about it than was a century ago.

They've changed the name of it, even trying to pin down it to something else. Catarrh, which means a flowing down (quite graphically), must have been a bit too broad for some noses because the cold now goes by the name of the "common cold" in most circles, though it may masquerade as an acute upper respiratory infection, rhinitis, or coryza (which sounds like a sneeze.)

The very first sign of a cold is felt in the nose or back there at the top of the throat. It may be an itchy or tickling feeling, a dryness or rawness, but if you're real observant, you'll take that as the signal that you've got a cold coming on. And you feel a little chilled or a bit irritable along with that tickle or itch.

If you'd tuck yourself into bed, drink lots of water and take an aspirin at this point, you probably would nip that cold in the bud. Chances are you won't or can't, however, so about 24 hours later you can expect that cold bud to

burst into full bloom.

A full bloom cold is not a pretty posy. There is sneezing, sometimes much and strenuous sneezing. Your eyes water, as does your nose. You drip. Your nose is a one-way street with traffic only moving out, no air going in, so you breathe through your mouth, making your throat feel rough and dry. You are weak, ornery, chilly, headachey and feel feverish but usually can't even have the satisfaction of finding any fever registered on the thermometer.

If you'd tuck yourself into bed, drink lots of water and take an aspirin at this point; you would probably get rid of the cold within 24 hours. Chances are you won't or can't however, so about 24 hours later you can expect that cold to make you feel even worse—but you most likely will have company because someone else has probably caught your cold by then.

About the third day of your cold, your nose quits dripping, it starts getting tighter with a heavier discharge congesting the nasal traffic even more. You may add a cough at this period and your throat may get quite rough and itchy. Despite that, you may start feeling better and progress, minus sneezes and chills, back to good health, except for that nose which might stay thickly clogged for days or even weeks. Eventually the congestion may clear up or it may be the ring-leader in your cold developing into something more serious. At which point you will HAVE to tuck yourself into bed, drink lots of water along with much medication, and wish that you had taken to your bed back there in the early stages.

You can't get around rest in bed

as the best treatment for a cold. There is no pill, salve, nose drop, gargle, rubbing remedy, ointment, or vaccine known to the medical profession which is reliable in preventing or curing the common cold.

If you have many allergies, which seem in some way connected with susceptibility to colds, you may build up your resistance to the allergies by the anti-histamine tablets when the allergic manifestations

appear. Aspirin is often advised for cold to make you feel better while you're "laying out" the cold in bed. Whiskey has no known medicinal value for a cold, though it is (Continued on Next Page)

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claimed by some that it makes you feel better. Gargling warm salt water might make your throat feel better when too much mouth-breathing has roughened it up a bit. Inhaling steam seems to have a soothing effect upon the congestion in the nose. You are usually thirsty during a cold because you're losing so much fluid by the drip of your nose, so you drink fluids as your thirst tells you to.

But first and foremost, tuck your self in bed. You reduce the severity of your cold, limit its spread to others and cut down the possibility of complications by simply going to bed when you have a cold. If the cold still gets worse, call your doctor and follow his advice, but bed rest is the first treatment for the common cold.



LYDIA CIRCLE HAS PROGRAM ON FOREIGN MISSIONS

Mrs. Mud Allen was hostess to members of the Lydia Circle at her home Monday afternoon of this week. The program for study was on foreign missions.

Present were Mrs. Lee Hunt, Mrs. Jack Douthit, Mrs. L. F. Wallace, Mrs. W. L. Emery, Mrs. Walter Davis, Mrs. J. A. Revell, Mrs. Henry Bauer and the hostess.

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Next Week's School Lunchroom Menu

The menu for the Sterling School lunchroom next week will be as follows:

MONDAY, January 21—Noodles and chili, buttered English peas and carrots, lettuce wedges, light bread, margarine, milk and prunes.

TUESDAY, January 22—Pinto beans, potatoes and ham, spinach, corn bread, margarine, milk and jellied fruit cocktail.

WEDNESDAY, January 23—Hot dogs, shoe string potatoes, pork and beans, milk, and peaches.

THURSDAY, January 24—Salmon loaf, green beans, potato salad, light bread, margarine, and pudding.

FRIDAY, January 25—Devised eggs, hot tamales, whole kernel corn, light rolls, margarine, milk, and ginger bread.

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From where I sit... by Joe Marsh



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Most people thought Slim Benson would probably go broke when he first started his system of letting customers figure out their own checks over at his big diner on the highway.

Slim trusts them to pay for as much as they eat—you simply tell Sally, his cashier, the amount of your bill. It works, too. Take the other day when Buck Harris told Sally his bill was 35¢.

Now I was right there with Buck and I knew all he had was coffee and pie which comes to a quarter. "How come thirty-five

cents?" I asked Buck. "Had an extra cup of java the other day, Joe, and forgot all about it—'til now," he says.

From where I sit, most people are basically honest—and that goes for their opinions, too, even though they may be different than our own. I like a glass of beer with my dinner; you may prefer something else... but we all ought to be allowed to "figure it out" ourselves.

Joe Marsh

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Saved by the Pie

By Betty Barclay

BECAUSE of the recent holidays, your budget, no doubt, is at the "point of no return." So leftovers once again will be playing an important part in your meal planning. No need to worry about your family turning up their noses at leftovers for the main course when you serve a party-ish dessert like this Heavenly Coconut Cream Pie, which is made with a new packaged pudding and pie filling mix. It will provide an attractive ending to the meal and your family will love it. So will your budget!

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The fact that no community—no matter how large or small—can meet a full-scale attack of infantile paralysis, is demonstrated by the experience of the first ten months of 1951 when headquarters of the National Foundation sent almost \$7,000,000 in March of Dimes funds to some 900 county chapters whose own funds had been depleted by epidemic demands.

But money, as such, is not the only factor in fighting an epidemic of polio. When infantile paralysis strikes, many other forms of help must come from the "outside," help such as nurses, physical therapists and equipment. During 1951, hundreds of trained personnel and huge quantities of equipment were dispatched to critical areas by the National Foundation.

This two-way fight by headquarters and its chapters is made possible by an even division of March of Dimes funds. Half the money raised remains with the chapter for care of local patients and, in emergencies, to supplement the national epidemic aid fund. The other 50 per cent goes to national headquarters for research, professional education and emergency assistance to chapters in critical areas.

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Charles Lawton, Franchot Tone

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"The Thing from Another World"
Eduard Franz, Margaret Sheridan

BEHIND THE 8-BALL
(Continued from Front Page)

community center.

8-BALL
With flue and colds and sore throats and other ailments around, Doc Swann has been a busy guy of late. He keeps on the jump with his office calls, other calls and hospital patients.

8-BALL
Shades of the Confederacy—Well wave my stars and bars, suh. The banks are taking a holiday Saturday.

It all is Robert E. Lee's birthday anniversary.
Yes, Suh!

8-BALL
I-all is from the south, too. Both my grandfathers fought on the Confederate side during the Civil War. My grandmother Douthit received a Confederate pension until her death at our house in the middle twenties. She took an active interest in national politics until her death.

She didn't like Yankees or Republicans. They were both cut out of the same cloth for her money.

Some of the tales she told me of the family's hardships in Alabama during the war and reconstruction days still stay with me—and always will.

One of her pet peeves was that an old Northern (Yankee, suh) soldier, that lived across the street from us got a lot bigger pension than she did. Old man Bledsoe got \$90 a month pension from the Federal government as an ex-soldier of the Grand Old Army of the Republic, while she got only small checks from Alabama, and later one from the State of Texas after she moved in with us.

But, she outlived the Union soldier by a number of years, which was somewhat of a consolation.

8-BALL
General Robert E. Lee was the

Commandant at West Point. When the war broke out, President Abe Lincoln offered him the command of the Union Army. Lee sadly refused and went back to his native Virginia.

Then President of the Confederacy Jefferson Davis offered him the command of the Confederate armies, which he accepted.

Here was a man who had a chance to be the head of both armies in a war. Such a precedent will never again be seen, we bet.

The United States Military Academy at West Point still teach the cadets Lee's strategy of war, and point him out as one of the greatest commanders the soldiering world has ever known.

8-BALL
Just reviewing in our minds the above about Lee, the Confederacy, and the South, makes us glad that we-all is from the south.

Yes, Suh!

8-BALL
This revival of the kids wearing the Confederate caps and showing the stars and bars flag of the south, would, I bet please my grandmother, were she alive.

When she talked of her family, "the Sherrods of Virginia", the slaves, the fine carriages, the futile war and reconstruction, she was animated, and really living.

8-BALL
The betting around the drug store is that they won't do any coffee business Saturday, DUE to R. T. Caperton's little party (or big) with free coffee and do-nuts. This party or open house is along with his showing of the new 1952 Chevrolet.

Frances Blackburn said she did not guess she'd make any coffee or stock any do-nuts for the day.

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7 Texas 4-H'ers Win National Honors

HIGHEST honors were accorded seven Texas 4-H Club members recently when they were named national winners in their respective programs. Accomplishment, personal achievement and participation in club and community activities were all considered when their records were judged. Pictured here are the champions in the National 4-H Clothing, Food Preparation, Beautification of Home Grounds, Field Crops, Dairy Foods Demonstration, Farm and Home Safety and Tractor Maintenance programs.



Leon M. Langford
Ray J. Riley
Yolanda M. Ellis
Mary Ann Goertz
Agnes A. Warren
Billy Whitt
Adam T. Wolf

Yolanda M. Ellis, 16, Plainview, winner in the 4-H Clothing Program, in six years of club work made 80 garments, 41 articles, five hats, eight bags and one pair of gloves, exhibited at 31 local, county and state shows to win many blue ribbons and \$148.75 in prizes. One costume was made from an old tan woolen plaid coat and a pair of tan woolen trousers and displayed with accessories in the local fabric mart window. The Spool Cotton Co. provided Yolanda's \$300 college scholarship award.

Food Preparation champion Mary Ann Goertz, 17, Red Rock, has planned, prepared and served 5,875 meals in eight years. She was state cherry pie winner in 1950 and this year represented Texas in the national contest in Chicago. She served as chairman of the 4-H Camp Foods Committee, planning menus, buying food and coordinating work. She managed a county-wide 4-H supper, serving 100 plates in 30 minutes. Mary Ann received a \$300 college scholarship from Kelvinator.

Outstanding work in 4-H Beautification of Home Grounds won a trip to Club Congress, donated by Mrs. Charles R. Walgreen, for Leon M. Langford, 16, of Farmer County. He began his four year beautification program by cleaning up unsightly trash left from building a new home. He made an outdoor fireplace and lawn chairs for picnicking. Landscaping included a rock garden and a rose trellis entrance to the garden which contains every flower in his locality. Leon won the county beautification award in 1948, 1949 and 1950, and the state award in 1950.

Ray J. Riley, 16, of Hart, a certified seed grower since he was 13, was named National 4-H Field Crops winner. Ray grows certified grain sorghums, broom corn, sweet sorghum, grass sorghum, rye, oats, barley and wheat. He also grows state registered grain sorghums to sell to other certified growers. His yield of 2,110 per acre of sweet sudan was the greatest ever raised in Texas, the previous record being 2,000 pounds per acre. Inter-

national Harvester Co. is the donor of a \$300 college scholarship for Ray.

Agnes A. Warren, 17, Waco, a six year club member, has lived on a dairy farm all her life, and her family has long realized the value of dairy products in the diet. For her work in 4-H Dairy Foods Demonstration Agnes was awarded a trip to National Club Congress by Carnation Company. Her latest accomplishment is to make and serve cottage cheese in various combinations with fruits and vegetables. She gave a team demonstration on this subject six times to an audience of 2,025.

Billy Whitt, 17, Muenster, gave special attention to farm and home safety during his seven years in 4-H, but not until his home burned did he systematically check fire hazards. With three other boys he distributed 500 farm safety sheets in Gainesville during Farm Safety Week. More than four hundred boys checked homes against a "Hazard Sheet" as a result of four radio talks and three safety displays Billy made. General Motors was the donor of his \$300 college scholarship.

Adam T. Wolf, 18, Gainesville, also won a \$300 college scholarship for excellence in his Tractor Maintenance project. Through neglect one of the family tractors broke down during threshing and eight hours of valuable time was lost, impressing upon Adam the importance of proper maintenance. Later, due to threatened rain, a tractor had to be kept running all day and into the night to prevent a heavy loss in grain harvesting. One of Adam's services in the club was to help plan and conduct a tractor clinic for younger boys. Stanolind Oil and Gas Co. donated his award.

All of these activities are conducted under the direction of the Extension Service of the State Agricultural College and USDA cooperating.

Political Announcements

The following have authorized us to place their names as candidates for the offices shown, subject to the Democratic Primaries in July and August.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER:
Mrs. Sallie Wallace (Reelection)

FOR SHERIFF, TAX ASSESSOR-COLLECTOR:
W.O. (Bill) GREEN (Reelection)

FOR COUNTY JUDGE:
G. C. MURRELL (Reelection)

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We wish to express our appreciation to the people of Sterling County and surrounding areas for the many years of pleasant business association and friendship shown us.

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| ASSETS | |
|---|-----------------------|
| Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection | 893,644.62 |
| United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed | 1,598,352.70 |
| Obligations of States and political subdivisions | 427,081.64 |
| Other bonds, notes and debentures | 350,213.55 |
| Corporate stocks (including \$7,500.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank) | 7,500.00 |
| Loans and overdrafts (including \$30,065.97 overdrafts) | 435,394.52 |
| Bank premises owned \$2,000.00, furniture and furniture and fixtures \$2,950.00 | 4,950.00 |
| Other assets | 2,301.04 |
| TOTAL ASSETS | 3,719,438.07 |
| LIABILITIES | |
| Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships and corporations | 3,349,879.28 |
| Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings) | 4,212.82 |
| Deposits of States and political subdivisions | 87,179.38 |
| TOTAL DEPOSITS | \$3,441,271.48 |
| TOTAL LIABILITIES | 3,441,271.48 |
| CAPITAL ACCOUNTS | |
| Capital Stock: (c) Common stock, total par \$100,000.00 | 100,000.00 |
| Surplus | 150,000.00 |
| Undivided profits | 28,166.59 |
| TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS | 278,166.59 |
| Total Liabilities and Capital Accounts | 3,719,438.07 |

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