



**NOTICE OF HEARING ON PETITION TO ISSUE BONDS OF ROAD DISTRICT NO. 4 OF SHERMAN COUNTY, TEXAS**  
 THE STATE OF TEXAS: COUNTY OF SHERMAN: TO THE RESIDENT QUALIFIED ELECTORS OF SHERMAN COUNTY ROAD DISTRICT NO. 4 WHO OWN TAXABLE PROPERTY IN SAID DISTRICT AND WHO HAVE

DULY RENDERED THE SAME FOR TAXATION: TAKE NOTICE that a hearing will be had at the Courthouse in the City of Stratford on a petition to the Commissioners' Court on the proposition of issuing the Bonds of said Road District No. 4 in an amount not to exceed Fifty-five thousand (\$55,000.00) Dollars, as more particularly set out in the order fixing the hearing as follows:

"AN ORDER FIXING THE TIME AND PLACE OF HEARING ON THE PETITION FOR THE ISSUANCE OF BONDS BY ROAD DISTRICT NO. 4 OF SHERMAN COUNTY, TEXAS.

WHEREAS, there came on to be considered the petition of R. A. Strother and more than fifty other persons, representing themselves to be resident, qualified electors of Road District No. 4 of Sherman County, Texas, who own taxable property in said District and who have duly rendered the same for taxation, praying that this Court order an election in Road District No. 4 of Sherman County, Texas, to determine:

Whether or not the bonds of said Road District No. 4 of Sherman County, Texas, shall be issued in an amount not to exceed \$55,000.00, bearing interest at a rate not to exceed four (4) % per annum, and maturing at such time as may be fixed by the Commissioners' Court, serially or otherwise, in not to exceed twenty (20) years from the date thereof, for the purpose of the construction, maintenance and operation of macadamized, graveled or paved roads and turnpikes or in aid thereof, throughout Road District No. 4 of Sherman County, Texas; and whether or not ad valorem taxes shall be levied annually on all taxable property in said Road District sufficient to pay the annual interest on said bonds and provide a sinking fund sufficient to pay the bonds at their maturity.

WHEREAS, it appears to the Court and is so adjudged that said petition is signed by the required number of qualified electors who own taxable property in Road District No. 4 of

Sherman County, Texas, and who have duly rendered the same for taxation; and WHEREAS, said Road District No. 4 of Sherman County, Texas, was heretofore created by order of the Commissioners' Court, duly entered on the 23rd day of September, 1953, which order is of record in the minutes of the Commissioners' Court in Vol. 5, page 172;

BE IT ORDERED BY THE COMMISSIONERS' COURT OF SHERMAN COUNTY, TEXAS: 1. That a hearing shall be had by this Court at the Courthouse in the City of Stratford, Texas, on said petition on the 28th day of October, 1953, which date is not less than fifteen days nor more than thirty days from the date of this order.

2. The Clerk of said Court shall forthwith issue a notice of time and place of hearing which notice shall inform all persons concerned of the time and place of hearing and of their right to appear at such hearing and contend for or protest the ordering of such bond election.

3. That said notice shall state the amount of bonds proposed to be issued and shall describe the District by its number and shall describe the boundaries thereof as contained in the order establishing the District.

4. The Clerk shall execute said notice, posting true copies thereof at three public places within said Road District No. 4 of Sherman County, Texas, and one at the Courthouse door of the County. Said notice shall be posted at least ten days prior to the date of hearing. Said notice shall also be published in a newspaper of general circulation in the District if a newspaper is published therein, one time, and at least five days prior to such hearing.

5. Said hearing shall be conducted under the provisions of Chapter 16, Acts of the First Called Session of the Thirty-Ninth Legislature.

6. The metes and bounds of Road District No. 4 of Sherman County, Texas, as created by the Commissioners' Court on the 23rd day of September, 1953, are as follows: to-wit:

BEGINNING at the NE corner of Section 54, Block 2-B, GH&H Ry. Co.;

THENCE North along the West line of Sections 181 through 195, Block 1-C, GH&H Ry. Co.;

THENCE continuing in the same direction through Section 14, Block 1, PSL, to the North boundary line of Sherman County;

THENCE West along the North boundary line of Sherman County to the Northwest corner of said County;

THENCE South along the west boundary line of said County to a point where said west boundary line intersects the south boundary line of U. S. Highway 54;

THENCE northeasterly along the south boundary line of U. S. Highway 54 to a point where said south boundary line of U. S. Highway 54 intersects the north boundary line of Section 215, Block 1-T, T & No. Ry. Co.;

THENCE East along the north boundary line of said Section 215, to the northeast corner of said Section 215;

THENCE South on the boundary line between Sections 214 and 215, Block 1-T, T & No. Ry. Co., to the Southwest corner of Section 248, Block 1-T, T & No. Ry. Co.;

THENCE East along the south boundary line of Sections 248, 247, 246, 245, 244, 243, 242, 241, and 240, Block 1-T, T & No. Ry. Co. and Sections 211, 210, Block 1-C, GH&H Ry. Co., to the place of beginning.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 12th day of October, 1953.

ROBERT C. FERGUSON County Judge, Sherman County, Texas.

ATTEST: LELAH BONEY County Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk, Commissioners' Court, Sherman County, Texas.

**STATEMENT OF OWNERSHIP, MANAGEMENT, AND CIRCULATION REQUIRED BY THE Act of Congress of August 24, 1912, as amended by the Acts of March 3, 1933, and July 2, 1946 (Title 39, United States Code, Section 233).**

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4. The average number of copies of each issue of this publication sold or distributed, through the mails or otherwise, to paid subscribers during the 12 months preceding the date shown above was 800.

BROWN ROSS Sworn to and subscribed before me this 29th day of September, 1953. MYRTLE ROSS Notary Public

The Bible has been translated into about 280 languages and dialects.



Rev. Robert H. Harper  
 A Slave Becomes a Brother.  
 Lesson for September 27: Philimon, verses 8-21.  
 Golden Text: Galatians 3: 28.

The lesson brings to our view an institution that began in antiquity and endured well into present times, with some traces of it still found in some parts of the world—slavery. It is true that laws have been enacted to suppress slavery in all the great nations of the world. But the main force in outlawing slavery has been the gospel of Christ.

Paul was a prisoner in Rome when he was visited by a runaway slave, named Onesimus, and the property of Philemon, a Christian of Colosse. It is possible that Paul had known Onesimus when he visited in the home of Philemon. The slave desired to return to his master. And Paul sent the letter, which has found a place in the New Testament, urging Philemon to pardon Onesimus and restore him to his place in the household. Whatever money loss the master had sustained through the flight of the slave, Paul offered to pay.

It was Paul's earnest request that the master should receive the runaway, not only as a restored servant but as a brother beloved. In the answer to that exhortation, we can find the solution to all vexed problems in the association of men today. If men can be brothers in Christ, all problems can be solved in peace and love.



PACKING a lunch? Consider it carefully when you plan the contents of the lunch box, as well as how they'll look and taste several hours later!

Hit the spot with something hot by putting soup into a thermos bottle, or, for variety, some hot cocoa or coffee. Use a wide funnel to make bottle filling easy.

Most lunch box foods are soft, so pack something which is crisp and nibbly. Choose from celery, radishes, green pepper or cucumber strips, lettuce, pickles, crackers or a handful of peanuts.

Soggy lettuce doesn't taste good in sandwiches. Why not pack it separately in a plastic container or

**RECIPE OF THE WEEK**  
 Cottage Olive Spread  
 (Makes 1 1/4 cups)  
 1/4 cup chopped walnuts  
 1/4 cup cottage cheese  
 1/2 cup chopped ripe olives  
 1/4 teaspoon worcestershire sauce  
 Combine all ingredients, blending lightly. Refrigerate until used as a sandwich filling.

wrapped in waxed paper to be added just before the sandwiches are eaten?

Bake cup cakes or sweet rich muffins in crinkle cups so they'll be neat and ready to pack. Most people look forward to a bit of a sweet as a final touch for lunch.

Add some colorful foods for appeal: red radishes, green olives, purple grapes, red apples or tomatoes.

Have fillings for sandwiches moist but not wet. Spread both pieces of bread evenly so that no part remains dry. Cut the bread uniformly, thick or thin as desired and have the sandwiches neat.

Give the worker or school child a surprise in the lunch box: a gay and different napkin every day, a colorful picture to refresh the mind, a cartoon for a laugh, jokes or anecdotes clipped from a paper for laughs to share with companions or a little remembrance for birthday or anniversary.



HEADS LEGION . . . Arthur J. Connell, 55, operator of clothing store in Middletown, Conn., is new national commander of American Legion. Connell, navy vet of World War I, is shown with wife after election at St. Louis convention.

Tubing of brass, copper, and other metals can be bent without kinking if it is first filled with sand and the ends are plugged.

**Mrs. Ingham Is Mildred Crabtree Circle Hostess**

The Mildred Crabtree Circle of the Baptist W. M. U. met with Mrs. O. H. Ingham Wednesday. Mrs. Horace Jones taught the first chapter of the Bible study book, "Young People of Destiny in the Bible." The circle voted to sponsor the Y.W.A. organization.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mrs. Horace Jones, Mrs. Jack Dettle, Mrs. Leon Guthrie, Mrs. Everett

Riggs, Mrs. E. B. McQueen, Mrs. V. M. King, Mrs. George Allen, Mrs. Baskin Brown, Mrs. J. S. Johnson, Mrs. Roy Strother, and Mrs. O. H. Ingham, The circle will meet next Wednesday with Mrs. George Allen for mission study.

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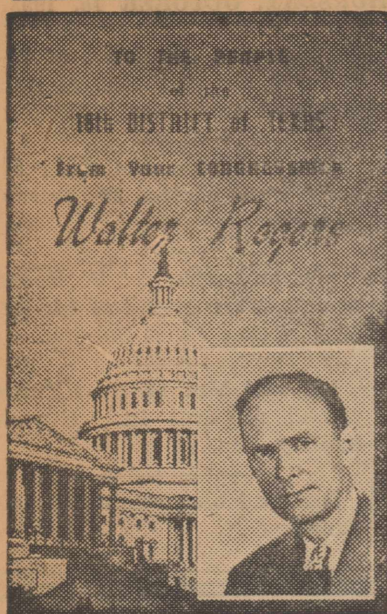
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There are several controversial matters getting quite a bit of attention in Washington at the moment. Probably the two important ones, or that is, the ones receiving the most attention, are the sales tax issue and the recent appointment of Governor Warren to the Supreme Court.

**Sales Tax Issue**  
The President, at his recent news conference, appeared to be unqualifiedly opposed to a retail sales tax collectible at the retail level. I think the majority of the Congress is in wholehearted accord with the President's position on this particular matter. However, there is a sharp difference of opinion with regard to the so-called "manufacturers tax." This is actually a sales tax under an assumed name. The only difference is in the method of collection. If a federal retail sales tax, collectible on the retail level, was enforced, it would simply mean that the tax would be collected over and above the advertised price of the product. In other words, if a loaf of bread sold for twenty cents and a retail sales tax of five per cent was in effect, the grocer would sell you the bread for twenty cents and charge you one cent sales tax before he delivered you the bread. If the tax was put on at the manufacturers level, it would simply mean that the government would figure out the tax and charge the baker who produced the loaf of bread so much for each loaf of bread that he sold. This would mean that, instead of the loaf of bread costing you twenty cents at the grocery store and your having an additional one cent extra

**"I REMEMBER" BY THE OLD TIMERS**

From Corinne Hefferman Nutto, Detroit, Michigan: I remember the story of my father, excellent marksman and hunter that he was, shooting in 1900 in the town of New Albany, Indiana, a bald eagle with a six foot wing spread. The story appeared in The New Albany Tribune and the paper made reference to it again in 1950 in a column of previous happenings in the community. My father's name was James Patrick Hefferman, known affectionately to many as James Cody.

From J. D. Riggs, Ulysses, Kansas: I remember when my grandfather (about 1878) rode a horse on his circuit in West Virginia and Pennsylvania to preach each Sunday. He received \$75.00 a year. During the week he made his living by cutting wood and making charcoal.

From Mrs. Maria McNair, Pittsburgh, Pa.: I remember after the Spanish-American war, when the veterans were mustered out at Camp Meade, of visiting the camp with my father one day. It was at meal time and we were invited to eat with them. Father enjoyed the visit and talking with soldiers because he was a Civil War veteran. Spanish-American war veterans from the camp often came to our home to fill their canteens from our well.

tax, you would simply pay twenty-one cents for the loaf of bread and that would be the advertised price for it. The truth is that a federal retail sales tax collected at the retail level would be utter folly. The cost of administering and policing such a program would be almost prohibitive. The most practical and least expensive method of collecting a federal sales tax would be to levy and collect the tax at the source of the product to be taxed. This would not only save millions and millions of dollars in the administration of such a program and in the policing thereof, but it would put a stop to many, many loopholes and practices that could be indulged in by those who wanted to escape or dodge such tax. The presence of such loopholes in such a program would simply mean that the taxpayers would again get it in the neck insofar as expenses were concerned because many people would be arrested for violation and tax evasion and the costs of trying these cases and in getting them ready for trial

would run into the millions. State and municipal retail sales levies must be collected at the retail level, simply because many of the products sold, or we could say, most of them sold, at retail are not manufactured in the state in which they are sold. This would not be true insofar as a federal retail sales tax is concerned, because all of the articles that are sold over the counters in the United States are manufactured here with the exception of those goods that are imported. This would not create any problem, because all imports are of record anyway and such a tax could be levied and collected from the importers.

I want it definitely understood that I am opposed to a federal retail sales tax, whether it is put on to be collected at the retail level or at the manufacturers level. The people of Texas have long opposed sales taxes and have been successful in their fight against this type of tax, both in the Texas Legislature and in the several munic-

palities. Therefore, I will say that I sincerely hope that a sales tax, either under its real or an assumed name, does not pass the Congress. I shall certainly do all in my power to prevent this additional levy being placed on the backs of the American taxpayers, regardless of what it is called.

**The Supreme Court Appointment**

Although most of the people here feel that the appointment of Governor Warren of California as the new Chief Justice of the Supreme Court is a very fine appointment and will prove it-

self when the record is written, it has been very interesting to read the comments of the different columnists and the editorial writers in the papers in this section of the country. On October 1 the Washington Post printed a two-column editorial concerning the appointment. This editorial would appear to be most complimentary of Governor Warren and his appointment. However, there are two sentences in the editorial that struck me as very interesting. I quote you these sentences: "He is a man of sound judgment, with little partisanship in his

make-up. His middle of the road political philosophy and his liberal attitude toward civil rights, as indicated by his successful fight to remove the de-tested loyalty oath required of teachers by the University of California, had a special appeal for Eisenhower."

It had been my sincere hope that the vacancy on the Su-

preme Court would be filled by appointment of some outstanding jurist, wholly disconnected with politics, and of which we have many in this country. I have long deplored the appointment of political figures to the Supreme Court. This has been going on for many, many years, in fact, before the turn of the (Continued on Page 7)

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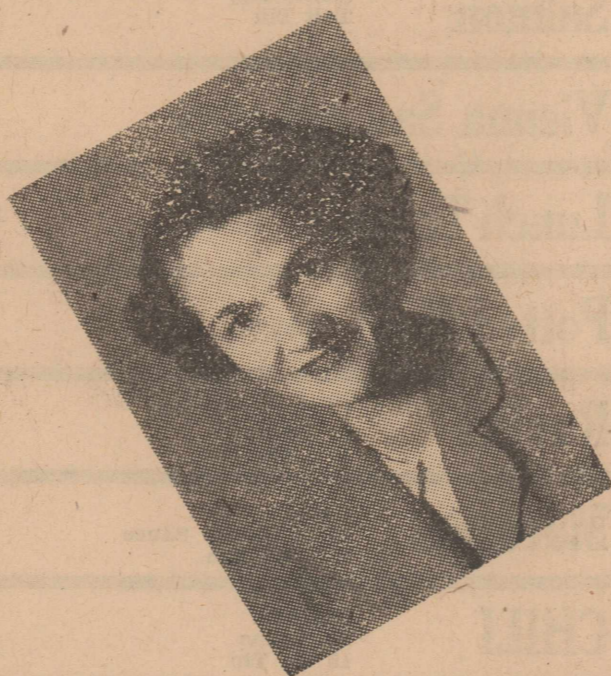
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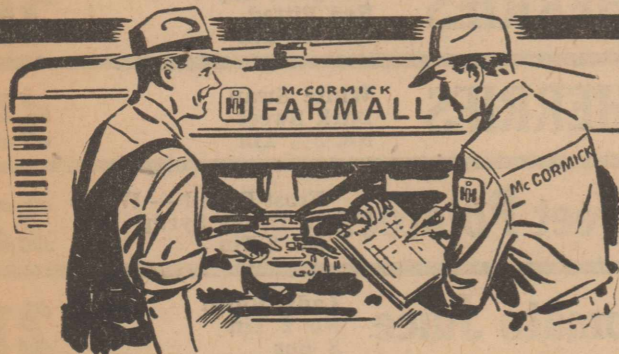
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Topeka, Kansas, returned to their home Monday morning after spending several weeks with Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Brands.

J. H. Headrick, Clarendon, Texas and C. N. Headrick, Amarillo, visited their sister, Mrs. C. R. Foster Friday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Chisum and grandson, Tommy Blake, spent Sunday with Mrs. Chisum's sister and husband, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Wilson in Dumas.

Miss Mary Lou Lavake, a student at Wayland College, spent the week end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Lavake. Mrs. Lavake took Mary Lou back to Plainview Sunday and spent the night with Rev. and Mrs. Bill Woodard.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Mullins and Mrs. Arthur Mullins were guests last week end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Pendleton and children in La Veta, Colorado.

C. N. Headrick and daughter, Mrs. Kathryn Bishop, Amarillo, were guests of their sister and aunt, Mrs. C. R. Foster, Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Brooks left Tuesday for a two-day visit with their daughter in Amarillo,

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and were accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Cook, who are also visiting a son, Oran F. Smith, and Mrs. Smith there.

Mr. and Mrs. Sam Cunningham returned from their vacation in Europe Monday. Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Fedric met them in Dalhart. Mr. Cunningham has resumed his duties at the Santa Fe Depot.

Mrs. Julia Ruyle of Yakima, Washington, a sister of E. O. Palmer, is a guest in the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Palmer.

Mr. and Mrs. John P. Foster and Ann, of El Paso, Texas, visited their mother, Mrs. C. R. Foster, over the week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Grimes and Ray, and Mr. and Mrs. G. L. Taylor, Mrs. V. O. Gilbert, Patricia Taylor and Ealon Davis attended the Old Settlers Round-Up at Washburn, Texas Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. James A. Brown, Jr., Fresno, California, were guests Saturday of his aunt, Miss Pauline Jones, and his sister, Mrs. Joe Knapp, Mr. Knapp and sons, and other relatives. Mr. and Mrs. James A. Brown, Sr., Amarillo, were also visiting here last week end with their son and his wife and other relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. Beauchamp of Clayton, New Mexico are here visiting their daughters this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Homer Blake visited Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Harper in Hereford, Texas last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Hardman, Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McDaniel and Terry Mathews, and Mr. and Mrs. V. W. Brands were visitors at Boys' Ranch Sunday.

Millard Dovel, Bremerton, Washington, is a guest of his sisters, Mrs. Gene Hudson and husband, and Mrs. E. Hill, and his brother, Mr. and Mrs. Bernard Dovel.

Richard Wilson attended the

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"DA FREEM" IN FILM... Primo Carnera, former heavyweight boxing champion, dons costume for movie role, aided by technical advisor Hilda Greiner. Primo, who's been doing a lot of wrestling, plans to make movie of his life, in Italy.

Texas State Fair in Dallas last week end, and visited relatives and attended to business in Sentinel, Oklahoma the first few days this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Pronger and children have been visiting their family in Tyler, Texas and

attending the State Fair in Dallas, the past week.

Mrs. Ed S. Hill, Fort Worth, Texas has been a guest of her brother, Jim Bowling, this week. Mrs. Hill and her late husband built the first home in Stratford. Even though Mrs. Hill

has visited here several times since she and her late husband moved away from Stratford about 46 years ago, she remarked that things had changed, so that there was very little that looked familiar.

Week end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Cook were their children: Mr. and Mrs. Russell Nixon and daughter, Carolyn Sue of Slaton, Texas, Mrs. Tex Herrin and daughter, Phyllis Ann of Lubbock, Texas, and Mr. and Mrs. Wheeler Davis and son, Johnny of Claude, Texas, Mr. and Mrs. Lee

O. Cook and daughters of Cactus and Mr. and Mrs. Al Bammes and daughters.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Quin and baby were visitors in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. R. D. Reeves, Dumas, were guests of Mr. and Mrs. Horace Jones Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Ross Turner visited relatives in Guymon Sunday.

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<b>STEAK</b>	Loin — T-Bone Or Club Pound	<b>49c</b>	<b>PEARS</b>	Colorado Keepers 4 Pounds for	<b>25c</b>
<b>Pork Roast</b>	Lean Fresh Cut Pound	<b>45c</b>	<b>GRAPES</b>	Fancy Flame Tokays Pound	<b>10c</b>
<b>BACON</b>	Pinkney Gold Crown 1 Lb. Sliced Rolls	<b>59c</b>	<b>APPLES</b>	Colorado Jonathans Pound	<b>10c</b>

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<b>Salmon</b>	Honey Boy Tall Tin	<b>35c</b>	<b>Cake Mix</b>	Cinch — White, Golden, Devil Food Or Spiced — Box	<b>39c</b>
<b>Vienna Sausage</b>	Libby's	<b>19c</b>	<b>Pancake Flour</b>	Griddle King 3 Pound Bag	<b>39c</b>
<b>Lunch Tongue</b>	Red Seal 6 Oz. Tin	<b>22c</b>	<b>Peaches</b>	Elberta Golden Valley No. 2½ Tin	<b>27c</b>
<b>Potted Meat</b>	Libby's	<b>9c</b>	<b>CHERRIES</b>	Sturgeon Bay Red Pitted No. 303 Tin	<b>25c</b>
<b>Ravioli</b>	Chef Boy-Ar-Dee In Sauce 15½ Oz. Tin	<b>29c</b>	<b>CHERRIES</b>	White Swan Dark Sweet No. 2½ Tin	<b>55c</b>
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**Local News**

Mrs. F. L. Yates attended a luncheon in the home of Mrs. Harry Vincent in Texhoma Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. P. D. Bowling and Delinda, Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Luther Arnold and Velma of Bushland, were weekend guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Fate Morris.

Mr. and Mrs. Emmett Turner visited relatives in Pampa, Texas Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Senna spent the week end in Quanah, Texas. Maxine Senna returned home with them.

S/Sgt. and Mrs. Richard Albert and children of Lubbock, visited relatives here last week end.

Mr. and Mrs. Bob Woods and children of Amarillo were guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Springfield, Jr., Sunday.

**News Of The Sick**

Lee L. Grimes was admitted as a medical patient in Veterans Hospital in Amarillo Tuesday.

Mrs. Lucille Kerns, who underwent an operation in Dumas

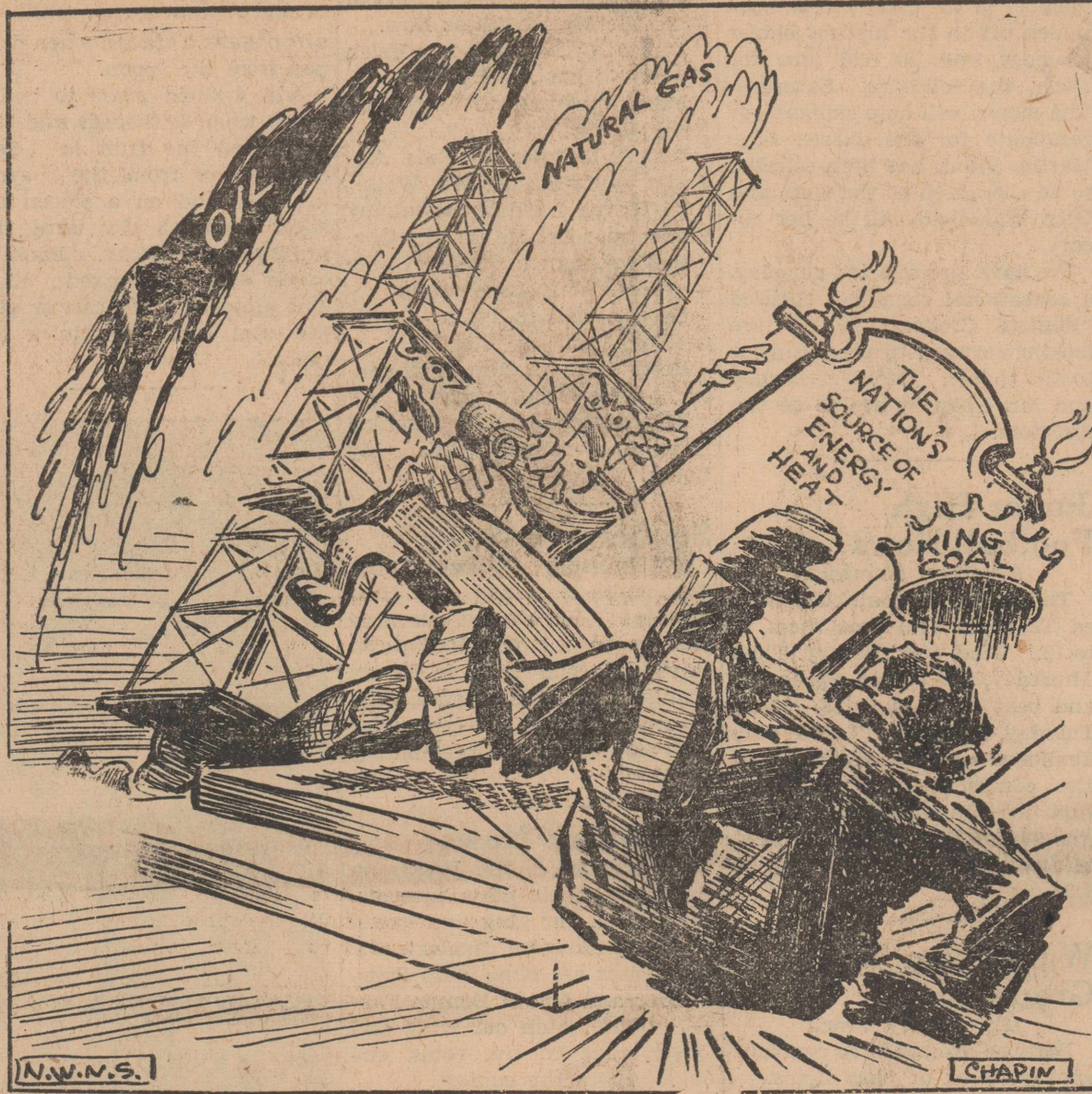
Memorial Hospital in Dumas Monday, is reported to be doing fine and hopes to return home this week end.

**Entertains Circle Members With Mexican Dinner**

The Flora Foreman Circle of the Methodist Church was delightfully entertained with a Mexican dinner Wednesday of last week by Mrs. Emil Blanck. The occasion being the last session of a study on Spanish-speaking peoples in the U. S. A. She was assisted in the preparation of the meal by Mrs. Z. G. Ramon, Mrs. C. W. Moon, and Mrs. Tim Crossfield. The table was beautifully decorated in Mexican design, and the Mexican food was delicious. The following members and guests enjoyed the feed: Mrs. A. L. King, Mrs. K. L. Eller, Mrs. Ralph Harding, Mrs. J. K. Richardson, Mrs. Agnes Foster, Mrs. Hattie Flores, Mrs. J. W. Elliott, Mrs. W. P. Cummings, Mrs. J. G. Cummings, Mrs. F. B. Mullins, Mrs. M. Dortch, Mrs. M. L. Etheridge, Mrs. C. W. Moon, Mrs. Tim Crossfield, Mrs. A. E. Pronger, Mrs. H. M. Williams, Mrs. Z. G. Ramon and Rev. and Mrs. T. Edgar Neal, and the hostess, Mrs. Emil Blanck.

Following the dinner the members and their guest, Mrs. Ramon, adjourned to the church parlor where the last three chapters of the book, "Within These Borders," were discussed.

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A short devotional was given by Mrs. J. G. Cummings, with the opening prayer by Mrs. Neal. The first chapter of the book was discussed by Mrs. Moon, the second by Mrs. Neal, and the third by Mrs. Blanck. Mrs. Pronger gave some personal observations of Spanish-speaking people in Tampa, Florida. Mrs. W. P. Cummings finished the very interesting story of "Papi." Mrs. Emil Blanck closed the meeting with prayer.

Mrs. Blanck, who had been study leader of the book, was given a rising vote of thanks for a most interesting study, and also for the delicious dinner. A liberal offering was taken to be used for some worthwhile cause among Spanish-speaking peoples of America.

**C.W.F. Group Three Meets With Mrs. D. L. Buckles**

Group Three of the Christian Womens Fellowship met Wednesday in the home of Mrs. D. L. Buckles. Mrs. Arthur Folsom opened the meeting with prayer.

The program for the day was based on "The Books of the Old Testament" and "The Divisions of the New Testament." Mrs. S. J. Calvird led the discussion with all members present taking part.

Those present were Mrs. Arthur Folsom, Mrs. Archie Arnold, Mrs. Arthur Judd, Mrs. C. R. Bomer, Mrs. S. J. Calvird, and the hostess, Mrs. D. L. Buckles.

The meeting was closed with the missionary benediction. Delicious refreshments were served by the hostess.

The next meeting will be in the home of Mrs. C. R. Bomer and Mrs. Arthur Judd will be the leader.

**Ealon Norvell Circle Has Bible Study In Green Home**

The Ealon Norvell Circle of the First Baptist Church met at the home of Mrs. W. D. Green Wednesday at 2:00 P. M. for a Bible study.

A study was made of the first chapter of "Young People of Destiny in the Bible." "Isaac" was discussed by Mrs. W. D. Ellis. "Jacob" was discussed by Mrs. Joe Brown. "Esau" was discussed by Mrs. W. W. Davis.

The closing prayer was given by Mrs. M. E. Upchurch.

The next meeting will be held in the home of Mrs. W. W. Davis Wednesday, October 21, at 2:00 P. M.

During the social hour refreshments of pumpkin pie and coffee were served.

**Fidelis Class Installs New Officers**

The Fidelis Class of the First Baptist Church met in the home of Mrs. Horace Jones Tuesday evening for the installation of new class officers.

By candlelight, Mrs. Bill Allen, retiring president, installed the new officers. A pin of silver wings was pinned on each person as they received their charge for the year. Mrs. Roy Strother was presented a yellow corsage and Mrs. Bill Allen, past president, received a pin and matching ear rings.

The Hallowe'en motif was used throughout the entertaining rooms. The lace covered serving table held a bouquet of fall flowers surrounded by orange and black candles in silver holders. Mrs. Bill Allen served the devils food cake topped with orange icing and Mrs. Horace Jones presided at the silver coffee service.

Those in attendance were: Mrs. Arlyn Halle, Mrs. Bill Allen, Mrs. Leo Meek, Mrs. M. E. Upchurch, Mrs. J. H. Springfield, Mrs. Joe Knapp, Mrs. Claude Davidson, Mrs. Newton James, Mrs. T. F. Baskin, Mrs. Roy Strother and Mrs. Horace Jones.

**Autumn Foliage**

Enjoy the beauty of autumn foliage in your living room for decorative arrangements. According to Miss Lucile King, County Home Demonstration Agent, you can make them last longer by setting the ends of the stems in a solution of equal parts of glycerine and water. As the leaves absorb the liquid, they turn a rich brown. After about three weeks the branches should be saturated. If the room is not too warm the branches will not need any more water.

Try this with magnolia, euonymus, photinia, pine needles, pine with immature cones, wax leaf ligustrum, Japanese ligustrum, other ligustrums and any other evergreen that holds its leaves well.

Crushing two inches of stem ends with a hammer helps the stem to take up the glycerine. If the top leaves do not brown

as rapidly as the lower leaves, brush lightly with cotton dipped in glycerine. Branches of leaves treated this way last many years. When dusty they may be cleaned with cotton or a soft cloth dipped in glycerine or fine linseed oil gives them a rich shine. When glycerine is

not available, some flower arrangers use salad oil instead.

**CUMULATIVE INTEREST**

A grizzled old banker in a rural town was being interviewed on his successful career.

"How did you get started in the banking business?" he was asked.

"'Twas simple," he replied. "I put up a sign saying 'Bank.' A feller came in an' gave me \$100.

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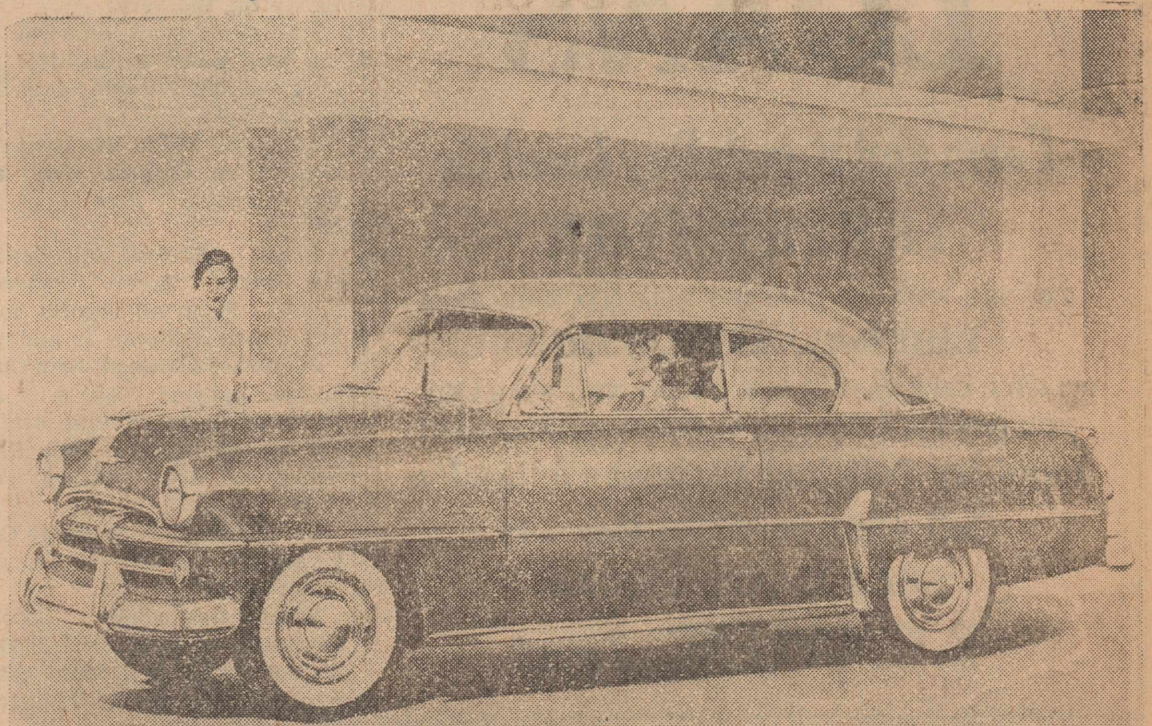
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Walter Rogers--

(Continued from Page 3) century. The three pillars or branches upon which our government rests are the legislative branch, the executive branch and the judicial branch. The judicial branch in the federal make-up is supposed to be the balance-wheel. In order to support and fulfill the responsibilities incident to such status, it has always been my philosophy that the judicial branch of the government should be above, beyond and completely apart from the other two branches. I do not criticize any of those who have received appointments to the high courts of this land because they might have been political figures, but it is well to remember that an appointment to most of the high courts is a lifetime appointment, and the removal of a judge from the bench is almost an impossibility. Governor Warren has my best wishes for a successful career that will exemplify strict adherence to the Constitution and laws of the United States of America.



VISITS FAR EAST... Sen. Wm. F. Knowland (Calif.) is greeted at Tokyo by U. S. ambassador John Allison (left) at start of Knowland's study tour through Japan, Philippines, Korea, Formosa, Siam and Indonesia.



IT'S football time again and as usual I have my troubles. My wife insists on going to every game, but like driving an automobile she won't learn what it's all about.

This is a short report of our conversation during the first game: "What are they doing down on their knees?" says she. "Digging in for a goal line stand," says I.

"I don't see how they can dig in without shovels or something, and I know they are allowed. Stop your kidding. What are they doing, honey?"

"Just be still, sweetheart," says I, "and let me watch the game WITHOUT A LOT OF STUPID QUESTIONS."

"So I'm stupid now, am I." She turns to her friend on her right. "Isn't that just like a man, Liz. Just because I ask a simple question I'm stupid."

"I wouldn't stand for it," says Liz. "Please," says I, "will you two shut up and let Harry and me watch the game."

"HARRY," Liz shouted, "hit him. He told me to shut up." Harry shrugged. "Wish I had had the nerve to do it myself years ago."

"Oh!" Liz hissed. "Look at me and say that."

"We can't say I, "we're watching the game."

"You stay out of this," says the wife, "this fight is between Liz and Harry."

"O. K." says I. "That suits me." There follows a lot of yak-yak-yak. I can't concentrate on the game and the two women. So I surrendered. "O. K. What do you want to know, honey?"

"What," says she, "are they doing down on their knees?"

"DIGGING IN FOR A GOAL LINE STAND!"

That silences her for a moment. "All right, smart guy," says she, "I'll take care of you when we get home."

The world's largest coal mine—U. S. Steel's Robena mine in Greene County, Pa.—last year produced 3,332,872 tons of bituminous coal from the 8-foot thick Pittsburgh seam.

Fields of sugar cane are set afire just before harvest in Hawaii as a labor saving device. Flames consume the useless leaves and tassels so rapidly that the juicy stalks are unharmed.

Fish flour has been considered as a possible substitute for milk in countries where cows are scarce. Odorless and tasteless when properly prepared, it can be used in biscuits, soups or mixed with corn meal.

A tidal bore is a form of flood in which sea water, entering a river with a wide mouth and quickly narrowing channel, rushes upstream with a roar to build a moving wall of water that is often dangerous to shipping.

Fidelis Class Elects Officers

The Fidelis Class of the First Baptist Church met in the Fellowship room of the church for a covered dish luncheon followed by the election of the new class officers.

Mrs. Bill Allen, class president, presided over the business meeting. Mrs. M. E. Upchurch opened the meeting with prayer.

Mrs. Roy Strother, teacher of the class, gave the devotional. The following officers were elected, President, Mrs. Arlyn Halle; Vice-President, Mrs. Newton James; Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Claude Davidson; Devotional Chairman, Mrs. Horace Jones; Social Chairman, Mrs. Baskin Brown; Group Captains, Mrs. J. H. Springfield, Mrs. Leo Meek, Mrs. Joe Knapp, Mrs. T. F. Baskin, III, Mrs. Walter Strother and Mrs. W. G. Hart; Reporter, Mrs. Bill Allen.

Mrs. H. B. Norris Is Hostess To Mollie Davis Circle

The Mollie Davis Circle of the Baptist W. M. U. met in the home of Mrs. H. B. Norris for Bible study Wednesday.

The meeting was opened by Mrs. H. B. Norris, circle chairman. Mrs. W. P. Brooks offered prayer. Mrs. M. J. Carter gave the devotional.

The Bible lesson, "Three Young Men, Isaac, Jacob, and Esau" was taught by Mrs. John Lavake. Mrs. M. J. Carter dismissed the meeting with prayer.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mrs. W. P. Brooks, Mrs. M. J. Carter, Mrs. John Lavake, Mrs. Pruett Adkins, and a visitors, Mrs. Henry

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### Benson Lists Farm Changes

WASHINGTON — Secretary of Agriculture Benson announces plans for reorganizing his department, with emphasis on helping farmers sell their crops.

The plan would reshuffle the department's various services and place them under four main groupings: marketing, stabilization, credit and federal-state relations.

Various marketing, research and service functions now handled by various units are to be consolidated into a new marketing and foreign agriculture branch under Assistant Secretary John H. Davis.

Its job will be to hold down crop surpluses by increasing sales both at home and abroad and, through research, by finding new uses for farm products.

Price support operations and crop controls, through both acreage allotments and marketing quotas, are to be combined under an agriculture stabilization branch.

Crop controls have been handled by the Production and Marketing Administration while price supports have been under the Commodity Credit Corpora-

tion. Both the PMA and the Bureau of Agricultural Economics primarily a research and statistical organization, will be abolished as their functions are transferred in the reorganization.

J. Walter Hammond, president of the Texas Farm Bureau, comments: "For several years now, people have been talking about the overlapping agencies of the Agriculture Department, and maybe there's some room for streamlining operations. But I certainly couldn't say what the Farm Bureau thinks of the plan at this time, since the first I heard of it was at noon today."

Farm leaders agree that any reaction to Secretary Benson's proposals must wait on disclosure of further details of the plan.

**Cattle Support Fight**  
A fight by the National Livestock Producers Association for a price support on cattle is gradually gaining a hearing in Washington. Officials in Washington are of the opinion that the cattleman's problem is one of a complex nature which may have to be worked out over a considerable length of time.



ideas from other editors

From The Lincoln Times, Lincoln, N. C.: We note that some of the television columnists are now complaining about the deluge of psychopathic crime being strewn about the nation's television screens. No doubt the average youngster, who goes in search of entertainment, in his living-room, see a lot of queer characters, and queer dramas enacted.

If he were to judge the nature of the outside world by what he sees on the television screen, he would probably conclude that more than half the population is in the category of alcoholics, in need of psychotherapy, or dealing in other vices, even worse than alcoholism. We have mentioned this industry falling on other occasions and think the general average of programming is not what it might be.

Perhaps one of the causes of the difficulty is that so many of the TV plays are produced in New York and Hollywood, centers of the fast-moving life which characterizes show business. The average youngster in Podunk lives in different surroundings and circumstances, and, therefore, would enjoy clean and typically American entertainment. We hope the

sponsors—with whom the final responsibility lies—will exert sufficient pressure in the right places to raise the standards of their presentations to a more acceptable level.

From The Free Press, Charleston, West Virginia: The tedious job of painting window moldings, and scrapping paint from window panes after the job is complete will soon be replaced by a miniature paint roller with a metal guard which is said to paint window sash and molding with no smearing.

Automobiles will get into the locomotives' class with a new device which throws sand in front of the wheels in slippery going . . . a new vending machine attached to a standard water pipe and a source of 110-volt current and dispenses hot coffee or cold orange juice at the drop of a coin.

Five new electric games for children, all in one kit, are being offered for the Christmas trade . . . A new cigarette case swallows a pack of smokes and gives them back one at a time at a button signal.

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Seventy per cent of the earth's surface is covered by oceans, with an average depth of approximately two miles. If all the common salt in sea water could be extracted, it is estimated there would be enough salt to cover all land areas to a depth of about 110 feet.

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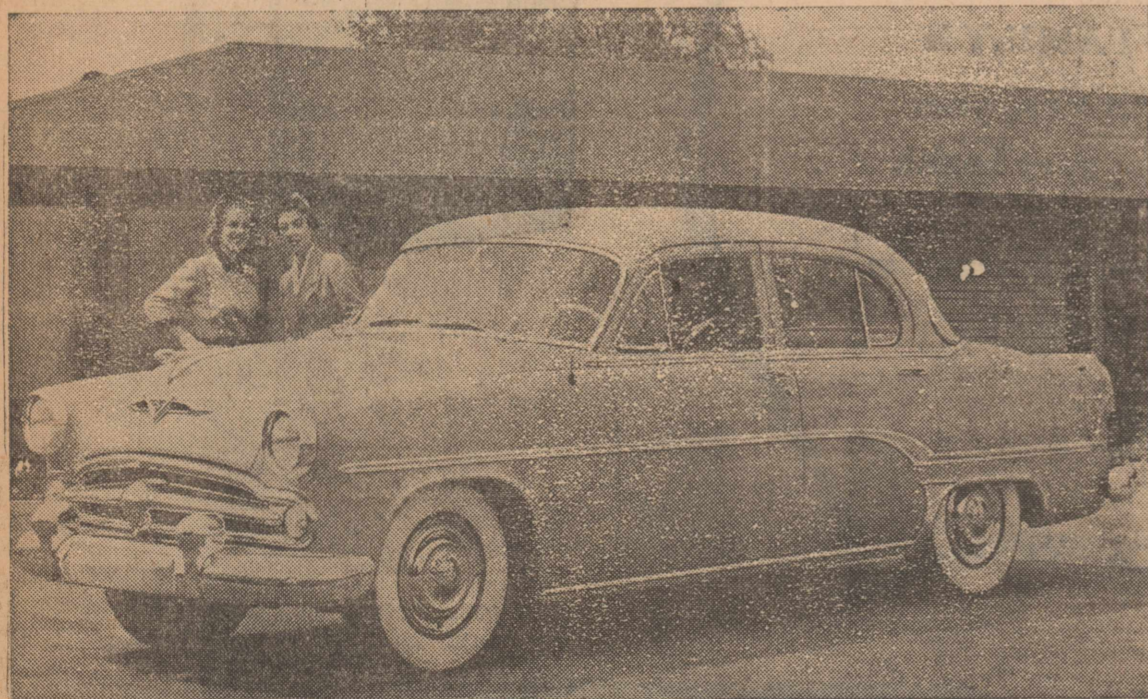
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also is a new grille design and treatment of headlights, taillights and wheel covers. The 1954 Dodge line also introduces such engineering advancements as PowerFlite, a new fully-automatic transmission; the economy-and-endurance tested Red Ram V-8 engine stepped up to 150 h.p. and 7.5 to 1 compression ratio; and a new type full-time power steering unit. The Coronet Six and Meadowbrook Six have been stepped up to 110 h.p. and 7.25 to 1 compression ratio.

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