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Here and There

By J. Troy Hickman

DAVID CROCKETT

A statue of the county's name-giver, David Crockett, stands at the south side of the park facing Highway 290. On the stone base is inscribed a bit of philosophy attributed to him, "Be sure you're right, then go ahead." Come to think of it, this says a lot.

David was born of Irish parents in the hills of Tennessee in 1786. He came up as a lad in the traditions of the pioneer hill-folk who admired both physical strength and fierce individualism. There can be no doubt that this atmosphere accounted for many of his quaint personal mannerisms and his love of the outdoors.

It would not be irreverent, I think, to say that in his young manhood Crockett was a sort of hillbilly. He could neither read nor write before the age of eight, yet he always knew which end of a bear to take hold of, and how to find the places where the fattest deer stayed.

David went out of the way to get into a fight. When the Creek Indian War broke out, he picked up his long rifle and enlisted, fighting through to the end of the campaign.

For a few years he lived what was for him a quiet, domestic life. In his thirty-fifth year his young wife, of whom he was very fond, died. Frontier life was hard on women. In due time, Crockett married again.

Politics interested him, strangely enough. After getting himself elected to some local offices, the frontiersman decided to try for a state office. He waged a colorful campaign for a place in the Legislature of Tennessee, complete with wilderness barbecues, fistfights, and plenty of corn liquor. His speeches were very informal harangues delivered from a tree-stump platform or the back of a farm wagon. But he got elected.

The Tennessee legislature had seen some unique characters come up from backwoods districts, but Davey outdid them all. James K. Polk, who was later to become President of the United States, said to the new legislator, "Colonel Crockett, I suppose that the Legislature will make some changes in the judiciary."

"I suppose so," replied Crockett who then sauntered off as soon as he could. Recounting the incident afterward, he admitted to a friend, "I didn't know what in the thunder the judiciary was."

One can but admire the nerve of such a man and enjoy the sense of humor which permitted him to make the admission.

Crockett served in the Congress of the United States for three successive terms. His old campaign methods endeared him to the people of his district, even if his record in the House was not particularly distinguished.

On one of his barnstorming tours to the forks of the creeks he wore a coonskin cap. Whether this was done for political effect or from personal choice, we have to guess. Anyway, a coonskin in those days passed as legal tender for one dollar. You could buy a bottle of liquor with a coonskin as easily as with a dollar. Following a speech, Crockett got a little drowsy and walked over to a stand which some enterprising wilderness merchant had erected among the trees to accommodate a crowd of people there for the speaking and ordered a bottle of man's ancient refuge. Fumbling through his pockets he discovered he had no money. He took off the cap and flung it down on the counter, picked up his bottle and walked over to a stump nearby and sat down. As he refreshed himself he watched others walk up and buy as he had done. He noticed that the merchant pitched the coonskins on the ground under the counter. Now, the front of the counter lacked a few inches of coming clear to the ground. A few tails were sticking out that track.

Several hours later Crockett re-

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Crockett Acreage Dominates U. of T. Lease Auction

17 Drilling Blocks To Be up for Lease June 19th

Largest number of drilling blocks ever to be offered at an auction of leases on University of Texas land in West Texas will be up for bid June 19 at Austin.

The blocks, totaling 17, call for the drilling of deep operations. Fifteen require per-Permian wildcats, with the remaining two calling for tests to 7,500 feet for a test of the lower Permian. Tracts to be offered at the auction total 145.

Most of the acreage to be offered for lease centers around Crockett county, with some of the blocks spreading in Irion, Reagan and Schleicher counties. All of these require wildcats to the Ellenburger.

The blocks are:

Tract 62, block 6, Reagan and Crockett, 2,612.8 acres.

Tract 74, block 46, Crockett, 2,775.45 acres.

Tract 84, block 38, Crockett and Irion, 2,595.08 acres.

Tract 85, block 38, Crockett, 2,706.5 acres.

Tract 86, blocks 38 and 39, Crockett, 2,726.75 acres.

Tract 87, block 55, Crockett and Schleicher, 2,688.51 acres.

Tract 92, block 56, Crockett and Schleicher, 2,655.79 acres.

Tract 105, block 31 and 32, Crockett, 2,560 acres.

Tract 110, blocks 31 and 32, Crockett, 2,560 acres.

Tract 113, block 31, Crockett, 2,560 acres.

Tract 121, block 31, Crockett, 2,560 acres.

Wildcats to 12,750 for test of the Devonian are required in a pair of blocks in northeastern Andrews county.

These are:

Tract 24, block 5, 2,582.2 acres.

Tract 34, block 4, 4,574.2 acres.

A block of 2,286.2 acres will be offered in southeastern Upton, lying in block 5, and designated tract 57. It requires an Ellenburger wildcat to 11,500 feet.

A Reagan drilling block will be offered as tract 72, consisting of 2,260.3 acres and lying in block 9. It requires an Ellenburger test to 11,000 feet.

The remaining blocks are divided between Winkler and Ward counties, each requiring 7,500-foot tests. The Winkler acreage, designated tract 126, is in block 21 and consists of 2,562.8 acres.

That in Ward is tract 137 and consists of 2,570.4 acres. It is in block 16.

\$31,834 Yielded By Auto License Sales In County

1691 Vehicles Registered Through April 18

A tabulation of motor vehicle license receipts in Crockett county through last Saturday shows the county's treasury enriched a total of \$31,834.74.

This amount was realized from sale of license plates for 1,691 motor vehicles of various types. To the date, a total of 1,032 passenger cars had been registered; 287 trucks and pickups; 256 farm trucks and pickups; 17 truck tractors; 70 trailers of all classes and 8 house trailers. In addition to these there were 21 other classes of registrations, including motor scooters, motorcycles, dealer licenses, etc.

Texas counties retain all of their motor vehicle license fees up to \$50,000. Above that amount, a part is remitted to the state.

Last year was a peak year in motor vehicle registration in Crockett county. To the same date last year, total receipts were \$34,068.17 for 1,767 plates of all kinds. The year's total receipts for 1952 reached \$40,175.

Used Pipe Needed By Little League for New Fence, Dugouts

Ozona's Little League organization is still in need of used pipe for building a portable fence for the Little League park.

An appeal published last week asking donations of used pipe for the purpose, produced no contributors, a Little League official reported, and the plea is renewed.

Approximately 200 feet of 2 or 2½ inch pipe and around 150 feet of 1¼ or 1½-inch will be needed for the fence and for building dugouts for the competing Little League teams. The larger pipe will be used in short lengths as postholes for the fence posts, to be made of smaller pipe, and for the framework for the dugouts. Pipe in almost any condition will be usable.

Arrangements have been made to pick up any pipe that ranchmen or others will donate. If you have pipe in these sizes in any quantity call Charles Ratliff, Phone 181, or if you will deliver it yourself, just dump it at the Little League park.

Thunder Showers Hit Area To Dump Half Inch Moisture

High Winds Accompany Welcome Disturbance in Weather

Scattered thunder showers, accompanied by high winds, dumped welcome moisture on parts of Crockett county last night.

The disturbance rode in from the northwest and west and high wind which pushed dust ahead of it and shook trees and doused the town's lighting system at intervals, followed up with the rain which fell at intervals and continued until the early morning hours.

The moisture here measured .48 of an inch.

Jury Decides Damage Suit on Special Issues

A jury in 112th district court here returned its verdict about 1 o'clock Friday morning on special issues in the \$25,000 damage suit brought by Mr. and Mrs. Robert Lynch of Sheffield against the South Texas Lumber Co. The suit grew out of the death of the couple's son, Robert Stanley, 4, in an accident at the company's yard here in September, 1950.

The jury in answering questions at issue, found negligence on the part of both plaintiffs and defendants and indicated its award of damages in the amount of \$10,000 to the Lynches. Attorneys on both sides will prepare arguments and present them to the court before final judgment is entered.

Records, Like Signs, May Mean Nothing In Dry Weather, But 22-Year Rainfall Record In Ozona Show Annual Average of 18.49 Inches

All signs fail in dry weather — and statistics and averages may do no more than raise hopes, but a 22-year record of rainfall in Ozona, compiled recently by Charles Ratliff from records maintained at the Ratliff store and under its previous owner, Joe Oberkamp, provide some interesting contemplations for people of this long drought stricken area.

For instance, 1941 was the wettest year in history here and 1951 was the driest. The 1941 rainfall total was 38.08 inches and the 1951 total was 7.23 inches. The average rainfall for the period was 18.49 inches.

In the years from 1931 to 1952, the record shows only two successive years of extreme drought in any period. In 1933 and 1934, the total rainfall here was only 19.04 inches for the two-year period, 8.14 in 1933 and 10.90 in 1934. The two other driest years were 1951 and 1952 when the two-year total was 15.50 inches, 7.23 inches in 1951 and 8.27 inches in 1952. The year 1948 was the next driest, 8.70 inches, following the second

Crockett Teams Sweep Judging Meet At Alpine

Two Firsts and Four Individual Highs Won in Dist.

Crockett County 4-H Club Judging Teams walked off with two first place banners and four individual medals at the District 6 Judging Contests in Alpine last Saturday.

The grass judging team won first place honors and two high individual award medals, Carl Conklin winning second high individual award and Erbie Chandler taking third high award. Bobby Sutton and Johnny Jones, other members of the winning team were close behind in total scores.

By winning first place, the grass judging team will represent the 25 counties of District 6 at Texas A&M College on June 25 in the State Grass Judging Contest.

The Wool Judging Team also took first place honors and Tom Max Robison received a medal as third high individual in the contest. Other members of the winning teams were Brock Jones and R. J. and Joe Everitt. The wool judging team will compete in the State Wool Judging Contest to be held in San Angelo sometime in June.

Although not placing high enough to qualify in the state contest, the livestock judging team of Jimmy McMullan, Bill Schneemann, Graham Childress and Jody Jones made a good showing and placed two high individuals. Jimmy McMullan received a medal as first place high individual in sheep judging and Bill Schneemann took fourth high individual honors in beef cattle judging.

The team members, accompanied by county agent, Pete Jacoby, left by cars Friday afternoon and returned Saturday afternoon by way of Balmorea where several members enjoyed a swim.

Crockett Dry Hole Near Block 47 Field Will Be Deepened

H. F. Parker of McCamey has filed application to re-drill and deepen a dry hole ¾-mile north and ¾-mile northwest of production on the north side of the Block 47 field of Crockett county.

The project will be drilled as his A-1-U Cooper-Parker. Combination tool drilling to 2,750 feet will begin at once.

Location is 330 feet from the south and 1,788.5 feet from the west lines of 3-47-University and 10 miles southeast of Big Lake in Reagan county.

The test was drilled as Val Carroll Oil Co. 1 University and abandoned June 6, 1952 at 750 feet.

Marion Mock Is Band Sweetheart Of Ozona High

Senior Honor Graduate Crowned at Annual Spring Concert

Miss Marion Mock, a Senior in Ozona High School, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Mock of Ozona, was crowned the first Band Sweetheart of Ozona High School, at the conclusion of the Spring concert of the school band in the high school auditorium Tuesday evening.

Miss Mock was crowned by her escort, Don Cooper, in a ceremony on stage. She was one of five nominees for the honor, identity of the sweetheart being kept secret. (Continued on Page Three)

One-Act Play Cast Compete in Regional Contest in Brownwood

District winners, area winners and now regional competition faces members of the cast of Ozona High School's one-act play entry in Interscholastic League contests.

The play cast, directed by Haskell Leath, will compete in the Class B one-act play regional contest in Brownwood Saturday of this week. The winner in this contest will be eligible for the state contest to be staged in Austin in May.

Members of the cast of the play, "Minor Miracle," are Larry Lewis, Kent Chapman, Scott Hickman and Graham Childress.

The cast took a work-out by presenting the play, minus costumes and make-up, at the Rotary Club luncheon Tuesday noon.

Conoco Strike Extends Elkhorn Field To West

29-A Shannon Flows At Estimated Rate 752 Bbls. Daily

The Elkhorn (Ellenburger) field of Crockett county has been extended one location west on the west side with the completion of Continental Oil Co. 29-A J. M. Shannon for a calculated daily flowing potential of 752 barrels of 40.6 gravity oil, no water, with gas-oil ratio of 327-1.

Potential was based on an actual eight-hour flow through a 32-64-inch tubing choke from perforations between 7,325-356 feet in 5½-inch casing cemented at 7,429 feet, the total depth. Top of pay was picked at 7,293 feet on derrick floor elevation of 2,684 feet. Pay section was acidized with 1,000 gallons.

Tubing pressure was 225 pounds with packer on casing.

Location is in 21-UV-GC&SF, 14 miles northwest of Ozona.

Sun Oil Co. 1 Mitchell, Ellenburger gas strike 40 miles southwest of Ozona in Crockett county, was still testing after flowing 1,640,000 cubic feet of gas in 22 hours through a ½-inch choke.

Location is in 111-1-I&GN.

Conoco to Drill Two Elkhorn Tests

Continental Oil Co. has filed application to drill two stepouts to production in the Elkhorn (Ellenburger) field of Crockett county.

Rotary drilling to 7,600 feet will begin when permits are received.

Continental 1-27 University, one location north and west on the north side, will be drilled 660 feet from the south and east lines of 27-46-University. It is on a 301.45-acre tract, 15½ miles northwest of Ozona.

Continental 34-A J. M. Shannon, one location northwest and southwest on the west side, will be drilled, 2,010 feet from the north and 804 feet from the west lines of 21-UV-GC&SF. It is on a 5,315.31-acre tract 1 miles northwest of Ozona.

Jack Wilkins Is Named President Of Ozona Lions Club

New Officers to Be Installed at Ladies Night Banquet

Jack Wilkins, Crockett county ranchman, was elected president of the Ozona Lions Club at the annual election at the club meeting Thursday noon.

Other officers elected were Dixon Mahon, first vice president; Dick Henderson, second vice president; Bill Mayes, third vice president; Floyd Hokit, secretary-treasurer; Haskell Leath, Lion Tamer; Maurice Lemmons, tall twister; two-year directors, Gene Thomas and Jim Dudley, and one-year directors Charles Rathiff and W. H. Whitaker. Immediate past president Byron Williams will be a member of the board of directors.

Installation of the new officers will take place at a ladies night banquet early in May, exact date for which has not yet been set.

Mr. and Mrs. George Montgomery are adding a room and car port on the south side of their home.

Negro Baseball Games To Add To Juneteenth Fete

Brady Team to Play Locals; Rodeo Plans Go Forward

Colored people of this West Texas area will have two full days of entertainment ready for them in Ozona June 18 and 19.

Added to the annual All Colored Rodeo at the Ozona Fairgrounds arena the nights of June 18 and 19, winding up with a big all-colored dance on the fairgrounds pavilion the night of Juneteenth, already arranged under sponsorship of the Ozona Roping Club, a baseball game each afternoon of the two days will provide additional entertainment for local and visiting celebrants as well as the white folks.

The Brady Black Aces, a hotshot baseball crew from down Brady way, has challenged any local or area team for a two-game series as a part of the local Juneteenth celebration. Hardin Payne, local baseball enthusiast and hustling second baseman, has accepted the challenge and has in turn called on Ozona's Mr. Baseball, Byron Stuart, for help in organizing and coaching the team. Any area colored ball players who may feel they have a hit in their bat or can scoop up a grounder, are asked to contact Hardin or Mr. Stuart as soon as possible.

As for the fifth annual all-colored rodeo being arranged by the Roping Club, some considerable additions to money prizes have been added to the various events this year and a few events added to the usual program for the two-night shows. Events in which the colored cowboys will compete include calf roping, with \$60 added money; goat roping, with \$45 added; hair pulling, \$60 added; bronc or steer riding, \$70 added; a wild mare race, matched foot races and matched ropings. An engraved trophy belt buckle will be given to the best all-round cowboy of the show.

An all-colored orchestra, headed by Harold Stansberry of San Antonio, has been engaged to play for the dance the night of the 19th. The orchestra consists of five pieces with a vocalist and is widely sought in the South Texas area. Invitations will go out in the next few days to colored cowboys from all over Texas. A big downtown parade the afternoon of June 19 will be one of the features of the local show.

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THURSDAY, APRIL 23, 1948

LADIES GOLF ASSN.

Members and guests of the Ladies Golf Assn. enjoyed a luncheon followed by golf on the regular meeting day Tuesday at the Country Club.

Winners in trophy play were Katy Jones, Dorothy Montgomery, Gladys Pierce, Velma Marley, Marjorie Ramsey, Bonnie Thomas, Dorothy Friend, Mary Clayton, Louise Bunger, Wilma Friend and Rachel Childress.

Winning golf balls for low score on bogey holes were Louise Bunger, Joney Williams, Marjorie Ramsey and Bonnie Thomas.

Present were Wanda Stuart, Bonnie Thomas, Dorothy Pierce, Emma Adams, Lottie Lee Baker, Blanche Walker, Winnie Williams, Joney Williams, Lilly Baggett, Jeanie Williams, Katy Jones, Lois Hicks, Louise Bunger, Charlotte Phillips, Rachel Childress, Dorothy Friend, Liz Williams, Mary Bess Harris, Alice McMullan, Wilma Friend, Gladys Pierce, Willie V. Baggett, Dorothy Montgomery, Fae Tandy, Jane Black, Pauline Montgomery, Mary Clayton, Lois D. Kirby, Nettie Holt and Marjorie Ramsey.

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C. L. Todd, general partner. Clarence S. Jones, limited partner. Claude H. Williams, limited partner. Buck Williams, limited partner. C. L. Todd, Trustee, limited partner. 52-4c

WEDNESDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Miss Corinne Phillips and Mrs. J. W. Henderson, III, were hostesses to the Wednesday Bridge Club at the Ozona Country Club Wednesday afternoon. High score award went to Mrs. W. M. Colquitt, second high to Mrs. Maurice Lemmons, low to Mrs. Chris Perner and bingo to Mrs. Gene Thomas.

Others present were Mrs. Larry Albers, Mrs. Carl Appel, Mrs. C. E. Davidson, III, Miss Rosalie Friend, Mrs. Dick Henderson, Mrs. Floyd Moss, Mrs. Pete North, Mrs. J. B. Parker, Miss Bennie Gail Phillips, Mrs. Byron Stuart and Mrs. Tommie Harris.

Miss Rosalie Friend was elected chairman of the club to succeed Miss Bennie Gail Phillips.

WILLING WORKERS CIRCLE

Members of the Willing Workers Circle of the Methodist WSCS met Wednesday morning in the home of Mrs. Lindsey Hicks to complete its current study on Africa. Mrs. Charles Williams, Sr., gave the closing lesson in the study in the absence of Mrs. S. M. Harvick. Eight members are applying for jurisdictional credit in the study.

Present were Mrs. Hugh Childress, Jr., Mrs. Hicks, Mrs. J. W. Henderson, Mrs. P. C. Perner, Mrs. Dempster Jones and Mrs. Williams.

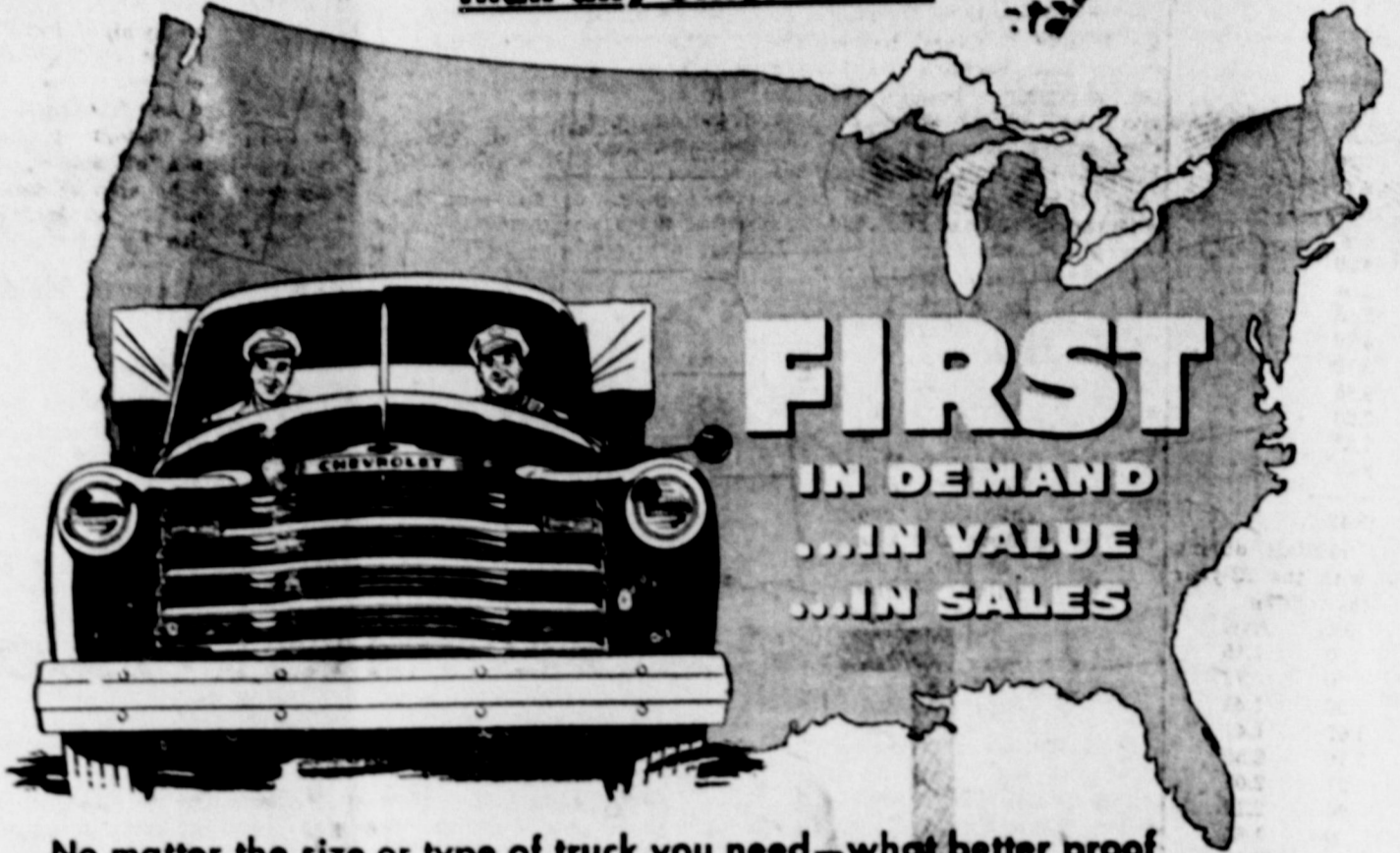
WSCS SAYS THANKS

Officers of the Methodist WSCS asks that the Society's thanks be expressed to all who attended and otherwise aided in the successful showing of the movie, "Cry the Beloved Country" at the Ranch Theatre here Wednesday afternoon.

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Rain Record

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Yearly the same as the 42-43 record, and following a wet 1945, with its 25.58 inches.

The annual rainfall records from 1931 through 1952 are as follows:

Year	Inches
1931	18.30
1932	27.60
1933	8.14
1934	10.90
1935	27.30
1936	15.75
1937	20.34
1938	22.37
1939	20.25
1940	19.74
1941	38.08
1942	16.32
1943	14.39
1944	20.04
1945	25.58
1946	14.70
1948	8.70
1949	29.90
1950	17.30
1951	7.23
1952	8.27
22 Yr. Average	18.49

The monthly rainfall during 1952, compared with the 22-year average by months follows:

Month	1952	Ave.
Jan.	0	1.15
Feb.	0	.71
March	.50	1.41
April	1.61	1.41
May	2.16	2.55
June	.27	2.07
July	.90	2.12
Aug.	0	1.65
Sept.	.82	2.43
Oct.	0	1.77
Nov.	1.04	.97
Dec.	.97	1.94
Total	8.27	18.49

There may be children and young folk and newcomers to Ozona who will not believe it has ever rained here, but the record stands and a stubborn resistance to adversity keeps Crockett county's people eternally at the fight to maintain the good life they have known, and faith prompts their occasional anxious glances toward the skies.

Mrs. P. T. Robison has returned from Houston where she has been undergoing a check-up and additional surgery following recent diagnosis and surgery.

Marion Mock

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cret until the moment of crowning.

Other nominees and their escorts were Billie Chandler, escorted by Tom Piner; Tommy Smallwood, escorted by Wilburn Conklin; Ann Ratliff, escorted by Brock Jones, Jr., and Carolyn Stuart, escorted by Buddy Whitley.

With the Sweetheart nominees and their escorts on the stage, little Johnny T. Clark, bearing the crown and Barbara Joan Davidson, carrying a bouquet of roses for the sweetheart, advanced. Corbett Smith, director of the band, drew the name of the successful nominee from the crown and the identity of the 1953 band sweetheart was revealed.

A varied musical program was presented by the band in its Spring concert. Charles Sinney of the Charles Lee Music Co. of Austin was guest conductor and directed two numbers. Mr. Smith directed the band in the other numbers. Included in the program was a baritone horn solo presented by Dwight Odom, accompanied by Marion Mock and a bass clarinet solo by Marion Mock, accompanied by Billie Chandler.

Dewey Fuglaar to Serve Full Time in Summer With Baptist Church

In the evening worship service last Sunday at the First Baptist Church, Dewey D. Fuglaar accepted the call of the church to serve for the summer months as the minister of music and education. The call to the position had been extended at the monthly business session of the church on April 12.

"The coming of Mr. Fuglaar in a full-time capacity is a forward step and his ministry will mean much to the community as well as to the church," the pastor, Blake Woolbright, said. Mr. Fuglaar has been serving the church on a part-time basis since last November, and his work and interest concentrated for the summer will do much to stabilize projects already under way, the pastor said.

Since his coming in November the choir of the First Baptist Church has shown considerable interest and talent; and the music program of the church has been greatly enriched. The choir presented, at Christmas, an excellent musical program recalling the prophecy of the coming of Christ and its fulfillment; while at East-

ter, the choir cooperated with the young people in the presentation of the play, "Challenge of the Cross." The music of the choir and various duets and quartets was recorded for use in the Easter program.

In addition to his work with the choir, Mr. Fuglaar has been working with the youth of the church with special emphasis on the younger intermediate group. Interest has been high in their Training Union which meets at seven each Sunday night. Excellent program, interest centers, Bible drills and fellowship times have been stressed by Mr. Fuglaar in his work with that group.

"Coming in a full time capacity will enlarge the area of interest and responsibility of Mr. Fuglaar; but with his successes of the past so evident, we are confident of the future in his work here in Ozona," said Reverend Woolbright.

CLASS ELECTS OFFICERS

Members of the Lillian Henderson Sunday School class of the Ozona Methodist Church elected officers for the coming church year at the class meeting Monday. Mrs. Bud Cox was named president and Mrs. Tom Powers, sec-

retary-treasurer. Mrs. Troy Hickman is class teacher. The new officers will take office at the opening of the church year in June.

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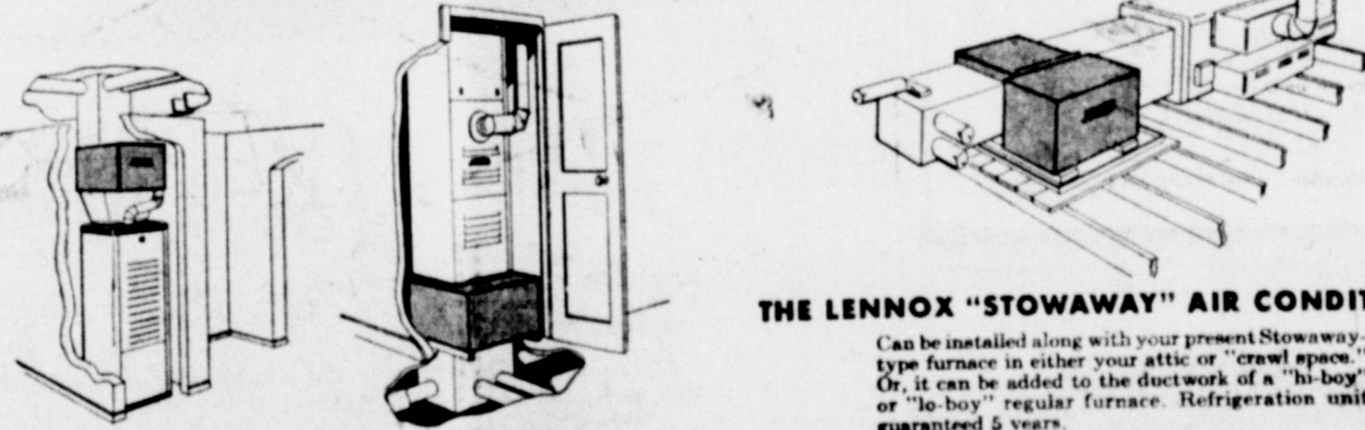
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MARION MOCK CHOSEN BAND SWEETHEART

"The Band Sweetheart is Marion Mock." And with the crowning of the sweetheart by her escort, Don Cooper, the annual band concert was concluded.

After the last number on the concert, Mr. Smith introduced the five nominees and their escorts. The other nominees were Billy Chandler escorted by Tom Piner, Tommy Smallwood escorted by Wilburn Conklin, Ann Ratliff escorted by Brock Jones and Carolyn Stuart escorted by Buddy Whitley.

Then as a hush came over the audience, Johnny T. Clark, bearing the crown and Barbara Joan Davidson, bearing a bouquet of roses for the Sweetheart, came up on the stage. Mr. Smith reached into the crown and pulled out a piece of paper naming the Band Sweetheart. Then the Sweetheart, other nominees, and all escorts marched off the stage led by Barbara and Johnny, to the music of the cornet quartet, composed of Kay Simmons, Robert Price, Gwynell Walker and Beverly Day.

The band played various types of music on the concert ranging from overtures to sambas. Charles Sinney from Charles Lee Music Co. in Austin was guest conductor, directing two numbers. Two solos were also played. One by Marion Mock accompanied on the piano by Billie Chandler, and one by Dwight Odom accompanied by Marion.

After the concert refreshments were served in the band hall by the band mothers.

Band Attends Clinic In Sonora Saturday

Saturday morning the band, or should I say part of the band, left for Sonora's band clinic. Each band had an hour to play their contest pieces under the direction of Mr. Wylie.

HEARD FROM THE TESTTUBE

By Jerry Currier

Here we go AGAIN. Isn't that terrible? The ole testtube recovered from his last visit to the "county lab" and he's rarin' to go again.

The ole testtube is glad to help put a new word into our vocabulary. The word is "loose." Dr. Robert V. Seliger of the National Committee on Alcohol Hygiene states that "loose" instead of "tight" is the best word for a person under the influence of liquor. This is news?

Believe it or not, our tough friend, the rattlesnake, can only take 20 minutes of sun. It has been found that if a rattler stays in the sun for more than 20 minutes at a time, he becomes helpless and can't move. Also if the temperature drops to 50, he again becomes helpless after a period of immobility.

Dr. Hamond Cowles of the University of California points out that the rattler will sometimes lie in the shade of a bush with just enough of his body exposed to the sun to keep him at the right temperature. That's what comes of being cold blooded, girls.

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Well, our fans are trying to break the door down to get us and the testtube says, "Let's call it a day and depart for parts unknown." I agree.

After lunch the all-star band was selected. Everyone in Sonora's, Ozona's and Lake View's band was in the all-star band. The Sonora stage was really crowded with all the players of the three bands on stage at one time.

GLAMORENE, the Rug-Cleaning Miracle, on sale at Ratliff

Wanda Carden, Marion Mock Essay Winners

Wanda Carden and Marion Mock received letters last week announcing that they were winners in the regional competition of the annual "Save the Soil and Save Texas" contest sponsored by the Fort Worth Press.

Wanda, placing 5th and Marion 10th, were invited to attend the Region II award dinner at Fredericksburg, May 15.

One-Act Play Cast to Brownwood Regional

The one-act play "Minor Miracle," will cruise to Regional Meet at Brownwood Saturday. The crew will shipout at about 9:00 Friday night, seaman's time. They will dock at the Brownwood Hotel that night and launch their play in the high school auditorium the next day.

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Phillips. There are several promising boys who will fill the seven other string slots.

King Courtesy and Queen of Smiles Crowned at Dance

By Susie Schneemann
All last week the Ofta Club sponsored Smile Week while the Student Council sponsored Backwards Week. At the end of the week the Ofta Club and Students Council went together to have a dance at the Girls' Gym. It started from 8:00 o'clock until

11:00 o'clock.

At the intermission King Courtesy and the Queen of Smiles were crowned. Sarah Hicks was Queen of Smiles and Lynn Parker was King Courtesy.

The Ofta Club had scouts out all week to select the two best suited students and we think they did a wonderful job.

Dear Mae:

Dear Mae,
I am so excited that I can hardly wait to write you this. You probably won't believe me when I tell you this but here goes. . . I got a DATE. You see it is backwards week. We ask the boys for dates. Some girls had a different date

every night but for some odd reason I never could find any boys. Why, you would think they might be hiding from me. But anyway, I found Wayne Kuykendall off guard and I asked him for a date. More fun.

It seems that most of our couples that were going steady just quit going steady this week. Rosie W. had a date with Jody J. Thursday and double dated with Carol Friend and Wayne Kuykendall.

Monday night Jane Adams was with Bill S. Vivian T. was with Scott H. and they went to Sonora to the drive-in. Looks like to me they would be broke.

The backwards week ended with a big dance Friday night. It has also been Smile Week sponsored by the Ofta Club. What has been worrying me all week I found out who the Queen of Smiles was. It was Sarah Hicks. I had been just grinning all week like a possum but I guess they just did not see me but I think they did a grand job. King Courtesy was Lynn Parker. He really did deserve it. Some couples at the dance were: Lynn Parker and Eda Ann Robison, Kenneth P. and Carol F., Ann R. and Buster T., Jan J. and Charlie B. I went stag but I had a good time. There were just oodles more but I can't name them all.

Gosh! It's time for the bell, in fact, there it goes. There comes that CUTE Wayne K. and I just have to swoon . . .

That's all for this week.

Be sweet,
Dot

SUNSHINE CIRCLE

Mrs. Madden Read concluded the current study on Africa at the meeting of the Sunshine Circle in the church Wednesday morning. At the conclusion of the program, an offering was presented to further missionary work in Liberia.

Present were Mrs. L. D. Kirby, Mrs. W. D. Cooper, Mrs. T. A. Kincaid, Jr., Mrs. Madden Read and Miss Mabel Whitted.

HOT TAMALES SALE SAT.

Hot tamales will be on sale Saturday from 11 a.m. to 7 p.m. in the downtown park by the Mexican Baptist Church U. F. M., women's missionary organization. Proceeds will go into the church's building fund.

The church ladies plan to have tamales on sale every other Saturday through the summer. Rev. E. P. Gonzales is pastor of the Mexican Baptist Church here.

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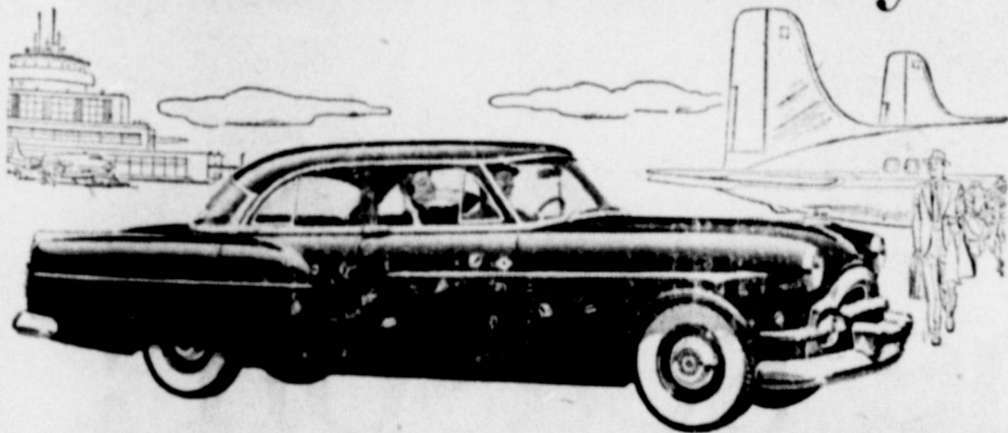
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If convenient, call at the Assessor's office and file your rendition and claim exemption from State Taxes on your Homestead up to value of \$3,000. To get this exemption you are required to designate the Homestead lots or acreage.

If you do not own real property, you may render an automobile, jewelry or other personal property for taxation and thus qualify yourself for voting in any election, such as a bond election, which may be restricted to property-owning-taxpaying voters.

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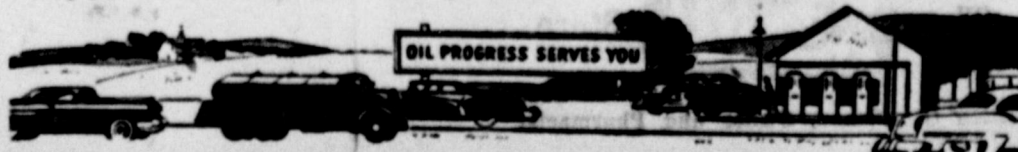
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Another New System In Movie Development Described As Evidence Of More Confusion

Described below is another new system being developed in the movie industry. There are now five ways of showing 3-D pictures but we still don't know what to do in the way of equipping a theatre.

They say that a Drive-In Theatre can't use any of the equipment and that you can not look through a windshield at a 3-D picture, even with glasses on. The article below was clipped from Instruction Magazine for Theatre Men.

W. V. ADWELL
Adwell Theatres, Ozona

NEW YORK. — Latest in the race for the new screen effects will be 65mm film on 52-foot screens with six sound tracks on an extra sound head. These are to be shown on a roadshow basis in 22 to 28 theatres next year at advanced prices.

After these pictures have had a run of a year they will be released on 35mm stock with one or two sound tracks.

Special screens will be required for the new pictures and they are to be made of a new material.

This sums up an outline of the plans now in work for Magna Theatre Corp. of which George Skouras is president.

Schenk and Mike Todd say the process is not merely magnification. The pictures are to be so large when filmed with new cameras and projected with new projectors that audiences will feel they are participating in the action. In this respect, they say, it is superior to Cinerama. A single screen curved to a depth of about ten feet, will be used, instead of three screens fastened together. A single projector will suffice.

Neither Schenk nor Todd will say whether the system can be used on the CinemaScope screen "satisfactorily," they say.

Many standard practices have been discarded. The film will have a longer pull and will run faster than the standard 90 feet per minute.

Todd says negotiations are under way for the first story property. It will have outdoor scenes, plenty of action and music, in order to take advantage of the full possibilities of the new medium. If the plans work out as expected the first picture will run a year in New York, probably at the Rivoli which is owned by United Artists Theatres, of which George Skouras is president.

Other runs will come several months later in Boston, Detroit, Chicago and elsewhere. The runs in smaller cities will be timed so that all will close about the same time and make the presentation of a second picture possible.

Schenk estimates that 24 pro-

jectors will have to be built at the start. Some have been tested. He described it as "all-out scientific improvement." These projectors and other equipment will not be sold. They will be leased. Four cameras have been made to date.

Negotiations are already going on with the Ampex Co. for apparatus for electrical recording of six channels on a film strip.

Dr. Brian O'Brien, the inventor, is in charge of all tests. Details of the lens manufacture will be lined up in the next ten days. Films will be made in color and Schenk said Technicolor probably will be used.

Neither Schenk nor Todd would indicate what the new screens will be made of. The first picture probably will be ready about February 1954. It will be started in July.

All theatres where the pictures are to be shown on a roadshow basis will be leased unless it proves more feasible in some instances to make percentage arrangements. United Artists has theatres in number of important cities where the first showing are to be staged.

Schenk said no stock would be sold. About \$1,250,000 has already been put into the project and another three or four million may be needed. Financing has all been arranged.

Screen sizes may vary slightly. The proportions will be about two to one.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: EDWIN R. KATAJA
GREETING:

You are commanded to appear by filing a written answer to the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 18th day of May, A. D. 1953, at or before 10 o'clock a. m., before the Honorable District Court of Crockett County, at the Court House in Ozona, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 1 day of April, 1953. The file number of said suit being No. 1096. The names of the parties in said suit are: Vera Kataja as Plaintiff and Edwin R. Kataja as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Suit for divorce to dissolve the bonds of matrimony that now exist between Plaintiff and Defendant.

Plaintiff alleges without cause whatever. Defendant abandoned her about August 1949, and such abandonment has been for more than three years. Plaintiff alleges that there was one child born to

Sewing Students Model Own Creations In Spring Style Show

Sewing students of Mrs. Janie B. Hull presented their own creations at a style show Thursday night in the high school auditorium. The theme of the show was "Pretty as a Picture."

The latest in spring and summer fashions worn by 58 student-models, was shown in everything from sportswear to formals. "To display ability in handling materials for creating latest designs in impeccable taste" was the purpose of the event.

Jane Adams, commentator, introduced progressive steps of work in clothing construction beginning with girls who have just completed their first year's work. Ability of the group was demonstrated through the handling of plaids, two-piece dresses and jackets and trim detail also were featured. First year models were Bobby Nell Welsch, Martha Flowers, Pat Woodall, Gwynell Walker, Betty Sims, Alma Ingham, Carolyn Mayfield, Mary Jo Ward, Karen Lacey, Gayle Cunningham, Rena Anderson, Helen Copeland, Donna Clapp, Nancy Brownrigg, Wanda McCalieb, and Genelle Childress.

this marriage, a girl named Janice Wayne Kataja, four years of age; and Plaintiff prays the Court that she be given the sole care and custody of said child and that the Defendant be required to contribute the sum of Fifty & No/100 (\$50.00) Dollars per month toward such child's support. Plaintiff alleges that there is no community property belonging to this Plaintiff and Defendant.

If this Citation is not served within 90 days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved. Issued this 1st day of April A. D., 1953.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Ozona, Texas, this 1st day of April A. D., 1953.

(SEAL) Geo. Russell, Clerk
District Court Crockett
County, Texas. 1-4c

Eighth grade girls showed advanced work with more difficult materials. The students were said to "have less fear of a pattern and more understanding of what they're doing." They were Cecilia Ann Cooke, Peggy Trotter, Lou Nell Beall, Gearl Dean Long, Mary Lou Johnigan, Jacquelyn Williams, Kay Swebston, Beverly Moore, Sue Alford, Joyce Henderson, Maureen Nixon and Yvonne Knox.

First, second and third year high school students appeared in designs showing more intricate workmanship in advanced sewing. Fashion close-ups were given by Eda Ann Robison, Georgiana Ball, Carol Friend, Martha Bailey, Ann Baggett, Soveida Machado, Rosie Walley, Olive Haire, Robbie Kuykendall, Barbara Ryburn, Carol Blackstone, Jane Hallford, Pat Cooper, Myrtle Mae Everett, Johnnie Hedrick, Della Mae Mason and Nancy Perdue.

Four small-fry models, in frocks made by older friends or sisters, were Judy Ingham, Vicki Applewhite, Vicki Montgomery and Koy Lee Hallcomb.

Barbara Bonn and Jeannene Thompson showed a slim tailored suit of Moynashel linen, and a sheath dress with box jacket.

Floating net and taffeta, "things fluttering," were modeled with embroidered organdy and nylon for evening wear. Fashions for formality were worn by Susie Schneemann, Janice Spencer, Sarah Hicks, Vivian Trotter, Shirley Kost, Jeannine Thompson, Helen Billings, Alena Faye Powers and Doris West.

Background music was by Corbett Smith. Stage decorations were baskets of spring flowers. Models entered through a large picture frame in keeping with the theme.

Jeannine Thompson, who began her sewing studies with Mrs. Hull, was first place winner in the Texas State Wool and Mohair contest. She was named "Shepherdess." Later in the national contest in Portland, Ore., she was acclaimed "Wool Princess." Other students of the teacher are now working toward such goals.

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6th Graders Follow In Parents' Footsteps To Win Picture Award

It must be a tradition in the Sixth grade, this winning picture was an attendance award at PTA meetings.

The 6-A Class of Mrs. Ted White won the award for the third time in a row last Monday and thereby took possession of the picture for hanging in the classroom.

Mrs. White discovered a picture-winning "bloodline" in her present class enrollment. Another picture, won by the class of 1928-29 hangs on the wall and in the list of pupils of that year are the names of parents of three of the day's pupils. The 1928-29 class roll includes the name of Joe Tom Davidson, father of Becky Davidson; Maggie Seaborn, mother of Scottie Moore, and Louise Casebeer, mother of Tommy Spargers; Mrs. John L. Bishop was the teacher of the class of 1928-29.

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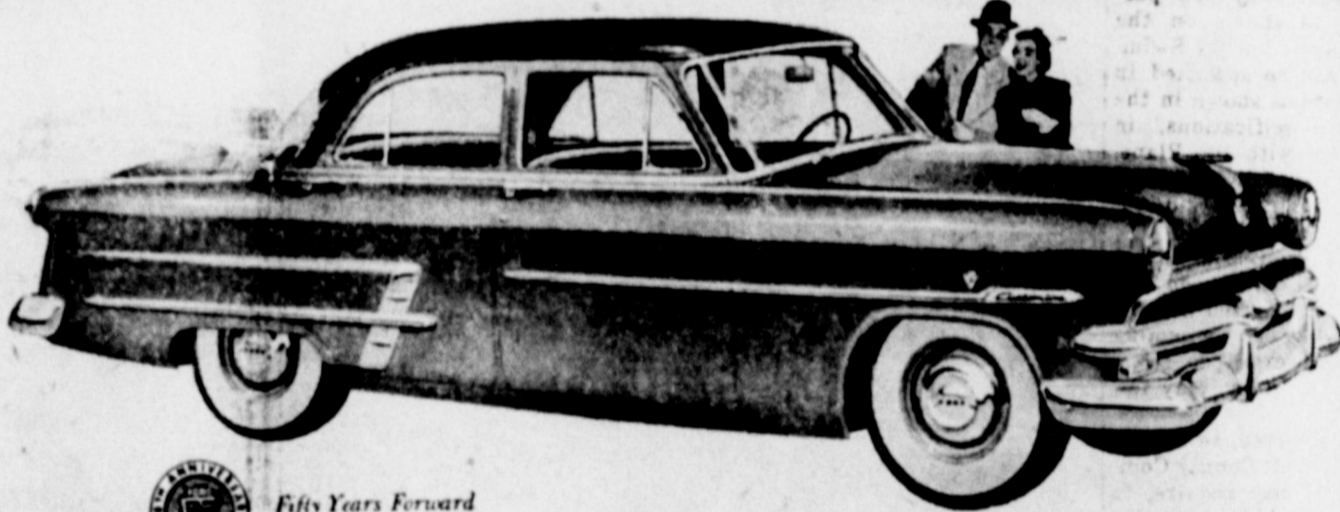
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Mrs. Hilary Marshall Phillips, honored her daughter-in-law, Hilary M. Phillips, Jr., with a Monday in the Phillips home.

Mrs. Phillips, Jr., is the former Mrs. Mary Elaine Willborn of Amarillo. She and Mr. Phillips married April 4 in Amarillo. They are living in Wichita, Kan. Mr. Phillips is stationed at Wichita Air Force Base.

Spring bouquets were used throughout the house. Arrangements of hydrangeas were on the porch. The tea table was with an imported cloth and centered with a raised cut bowl filled with spring flowers. The arrangement was placed in a mirror and was outlined with porcelain figurines. Pink candles in crystal holders flanked the centerpiece. Similar bouquets were on the buffet.

In the receiving line with the guests and honoree were Mrs. Robert O. Willborn of Amarillo, mother of the bride; Miss Benny Phillips, Mrs. Jason Robinson of Amarillo, aunt of the bride, and Mrs. Chry Adams and James H. McEntire of Sterlington, La., aunts of the bride. Guests were greeted by Mrs. J. M. Baggett, Mrs. Stephen Perner and Joe Pierce, Jr.; Mrs. Bill J. Frank, Mrs. Charles E. Davidson, III and Mrs. Charles E. Davidson, Jr. Presiding at the serving table were Mrs. R. A. McCall, Mrs. Lindsey Hicks, Mrs. James Baggett and Mrs. Dorbandt Barton of Fort Stockton.

NOTICE OF COUNTY CONSTRUCTION

Sealed proposals, addressed to the Judge and County Commissioners of the County of Crockett, Texas, will be received at the office of the County Judge until 2:00 P. M., May 1st, 1953, and will be publicly opened and read, and the furnishing of all necessary plant, labor materials, machinery and equipment and performing work as shown on the plans for "Crockett County Swimming Pools," and as specified in the Specifications as shown in the accompanying Specifications, in strict accordance with the Plans, Specifications, Construction Contract, General Conditions and Addenda.

Bids will be submitted in sealed envelopes upon the attached Bid Form and marked "Sealed Bid for Construction of Swimming Pools in Ozona, Texas," to be opened 2:00 P. M., Friday, May 1st, 1953.

The right is reserved, as the interest of the Crockett County Commissioners Court may require, to reject any and all bids, to waive any informality in bids received, and to accept or reject any bid. A Bid Bond in the penal sum of not less than ten per-cent of the price bid will be required with each bid. The Bid Bond shall be payable to the County of Crockett, Texas, without recourse as a guarantee that, if the contract is awarded, the successful bidder will enter into a contract and furnish performance bond within ten days after notice of award of contract to successful bidder.

Bids, without the required ten per-cent Bid Bond will not be considered. Bid Bonds must be procured by a surety company,

holding a permit from the State of Texas to act as surety, and such Bid Bond must be acceptable to the Crockett County Commissioners Court.

Bidders should carefully examine the drawings and specifications, visit the site of the work and fully inform themselves as to all conditions which can, in any way, affect the cost of the work. Instructions to Bidders, Proposals Forms, Agreement, General Conditions, Plans and Specifications are on file at the County Judge's office and at the office of the County Clerk for inspection. Complete sets of the above documents may be obtained by addressing your request to W. W. Greif and Associates, Consulting Engineers, P. O. Box 1206, McCombs, Texas, subject to a \$25.00 deposit which will be refunded to the bidder provided plans are returned in good condition on or before ten day after bids have been opened.

Crockett County Commissioners Court, By Judge, Houston S. Smith. 2-31

NOTICE OF DISSOLUTION OF LIMITED PARTNERSHIP

Notice is hereby given that the partnership lately subsisting between C. L. Todd, general partner, of Newton County, Texas; Clarence S. Jones of Nacogdoches County, Texas, limited partner; Claude H. Williams of Newton County, Texas, limited partner; Buck Williams of Nacogdoches County, Texas, limited partner; C. L. Todd, Trustee, of Newton County, Texas, limited partner; and William H. Stroud, Jr., of Crane County, Texas, limited partner, under the firm name of "C. S. JONES No. 1, LTD.," was dissolved by mutual consent on the 1st day of March, 1953, and all debts owing to the partnership are to be received by the said C. L. Todd and all demands on the said partnership are to be presented to him for payment.

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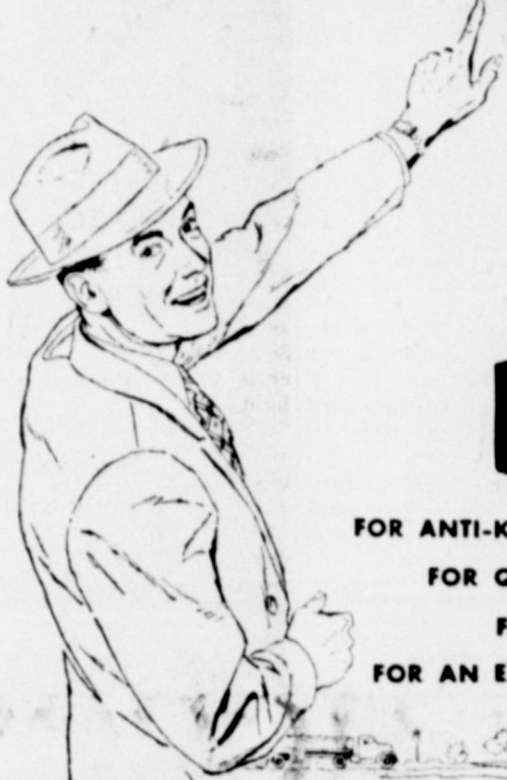
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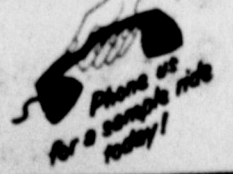
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Here and There
By J. Troy Hickman

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turned, thirsty but without con- skin, currency. Contriving to ap- proach when the merchant's eye was fixed on another customer, he stooped and laid hold of a pro- truding tail, slipping it gently out. Flung it down upon the table, he said, "Gimme another bottle."

Admirers of Crockett will be disposed to deplore this story. If it isn't true, blame Davey, for he tells it on himself in his celebra- ted book, "The Autobiography of David Crockett." If you like to read backwoods literature spiced with dry wit, you can't beat this volume. In the rough and tumble of pioneer economy, lots of things passed as respectable which today might cause an eyebrow to be lift- ed. Crockett was a man of princi- ple, but he was not the type to be squeamish in a thirteenth moment about trifling moral distinctions.

He has the distinction enjoyed by few beginning Congressmen, of having his first speech preserved for posterity. "Mr. Speaker," he said, "I am skeered, but I don't know what about. I know I kin lick any man in this house. And I ain't afeared of none of 'em. Still, I'm skeered." (Laughter and applause). His colleagues appar- ently recognized that at last the Congress had acquired an honest man.

As a Congressman touring the northern cities and states, Crockett made a hit, with his natural ways and his slow drawl. He was a celebrated shot with any kind of firearm, particularly the long-barrel rifle. Prospective duelists often came to him for instruction.

Strange to say, the frontier Congressman clashed with the frontier President, Andrew Jack- son. Both came up from the moun- tains and woods of the same sec- tion. Both were the direct, plain- spoken, high-tempered kind. Both were inveterate fist-fighters and Jackson was noted also as a duel- ist. I've always believed that their animosity began somehow as a per- sonal thing, possibly something trivial. But it spread to their po- litical convictions and grew in- creasingly bitter, until it became a sort of Bob Hope and Jack Ben- ny affair. Crockett objected with particular warmth to the Presi- dent's stand on currency and

banking issues although there is no record that they ever came to blows, a sight that would have been fearsome to behold, Davey began to spend more time cam- paigning against Jackson than working for his own election. So he was defeated by a narrow mar- gin in his fourth race for Con- gress.

The old woodsman let out a roar like a wounded bull. Politics had gone to hell in Tennessee. Well, if that's the way they want- ed it after all he'd done for 'em, he'd show 'em! Picking up his old rifle and bidding his family farewell, he struck out with some others for Texas. Word had gone forth of the heroic struggle of a few Texans for freedom from the tyranny of Mexico. Freedom was a word that could set Crockett's blood boiling anytime. Like the Creek War had been, this was not really his fight. But, in another sense, every fight was his fight. And in the old rifle he had a friend who would not — like fick- le political friends — let him down.

By the time the travellers were well on their way, Davey had be- come their leader.

A few days before the final as- sault on the Alamo, the Tennesse- an marched up to Commander Travis. "Colonel Travis, sir! Me and my Tennessee boys have come to help." They were assigned to defend a certain sector.

A real picture of Crockett in his last fight would be a sensation. Like an old wounded lion in front of his lair, the furious and desper- ate warrior battled the swarm- ing enemy with every resource he had learned in a lifetime of fight- ing. With his back to a stone wall, he shot, cut, and smashed — finally swung his gun like a club. There could be only one outcome. But — as another put it, "he killed more of them than they did of him." The old individualist, the lover of freedom, mad with a reck- less and terrible wrath, made his last stand for what he believed in. And — being mortal — he fell at last.

One of the traditions of The Alamo is that when Santa Anna's

clean-up crew came to the place where Crockett had stood, a pile of bodies were stacked around him like cordwood, waist-high.

Take it all in all, the Tennessee hillbilly gave a pretty good ac- count of himself.

Phillips-Carleton Nuptial Plans Told

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Byrd Phil- lips of Ozona announce the en- gagement and approaching mar- riage of their daughter, Corinne, to Alfred Townes Carleton, Jr., of Midland, son of Mr. and Mrs. Al- fred Townes Carleton, Sr., of Houston.

Vows will be read June 20 in the first Baptist Church of Ozona.

Miss Phillips is a graduate of Ozona High School and of the University of Texas where she was a member of Zeta Tau Alpha soror- ity. She was employed until re- cently with Prudential Life In- surance Co. in Houston after a period of training in a company school in New York. Mr. Carleton is employed by an oil company in Midland, where the couple will live.

Sinclair Stakes Long Outpost to Vaughan

Sinclair Oil & Gas Co. has filed application to drill its 2 Nettle as a 3/8-mile outpost to production in the Vaughan field of Crockett county.

Cable tool drilling to 1,600 feet to test the San Andres will begin when permit is approved. Estimated elevation is 2,610 feet.

Drill site, on a 342-acre tract, is 330 feet from the south and west lines of 6-OP-GC&SF. It is 11 miles north-northwest of Ozona.

CROCKETT COUNTY HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients admitted: Mrs. S. G. Burt, Mrs. Jose Aguirre, Felista Rodriguez, Daniel Leal, Celestine Nunnally.

Patients dismissed: Miss Jean- ette Trotter, Felista Rodriguez, Celestine Nunnally and Daniel Leal.

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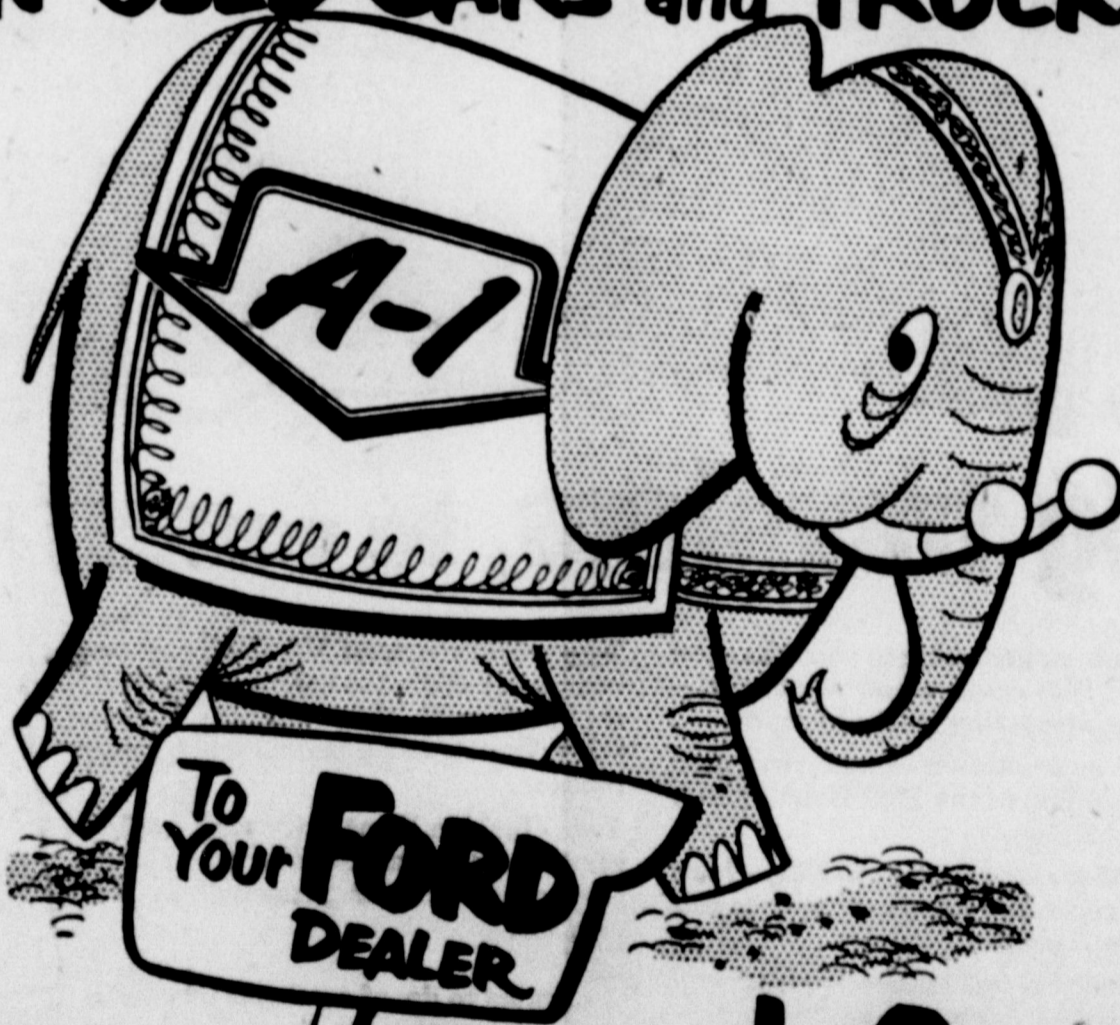


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