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Station Contract Awarded Lampasas Man

Guyler To Build Station For \$880,873

Contract for construction of the station five miles east of the Air Defense Command of a string of such across the southern rim of the United States which will defense screen against invasion from the south, awarded by the U. S. Army Engineers district office at Fort Worth Monday afternoon.

Walter Guyler of Lampasas was bidder out of 14 bids submitted and will be awarded the contract for construction of the station for a total of \$880,873, according to Col. Harry O. Fischer, district engineer, in a telephone report to the Stockman Monday afternoon.

One of the 14 bidders was in excess of a million dollars for the project, Col. Fischer said. The successful bidder will have 240 calendar days to complete the project after the contract award. Col. Fischer said that the starting date of construction was still indefinite, pending submission of the Corps of Engineers report to the Air Force and final signing of contracts. When finally completed the installation will represent an investment of approximately 2 1/2 million dollars.

Construction will be supervised by the Corps of Army Engineers with Lee Wilson, area engineer at Abilene, actively in charge of the installation.

Construction at the Ozona radar station will include twelve permanent type buildings, including a large administration building, enlisted men's dormitories, officer quarters, a dining hall, radio and transmitter building, power house, guard station and other buildings, together with the entrance road, paving in the area, water well and pumps, storage, sewer system and disposal unit and security fence.

In addition to the regular station construction, the Air Force is contemplating construction of family residence units on land to be acquired adjoining the station, according to information gained locally. No move, however, has been made to acquire the additional land and further information on this plan is unavailable. When the installation is completed, approximately 200 men will be stationed at the unit with some civilian employees in addition.

Sweet Sale Set March 2; Special Orders To Be Accepted

The Order of the Eastern Star Tuesday night at the Masonic temple for their regular meeting. Mrs. L. B. T. Sikes, worthy president, presiding.

During the business session, Maude Allison gave a report on the school of instruction which was held in McCamey on January 2nd.

The chapter voted to have a sale March 2nd, at the River Feed Store beginning at 9:30 a. m. All members asked to contribute and special orders for cakes will be accepted. Any one who wishes to order a cake, please call Mrs. Mary Sikes at No. 122.

Points For Polio

Ozona's March of Dimes fund enriched by a total of \$449 at the "Points for Polio" sign at the basketball game between the All-American Red Heads team girls cage artists and a men's team fielded by the Ozona Lions. Announcements of the final collection was made by President Bob Scott.



Rev. Charles E. Carter, Jr.

Abilene Minister To Hold Baptist Revival Services Here In March

Rev. Charles E. Carter, Jr., of Abilene, will do the preaching during a week long revival meeting at the First Baptist Church here beginning Sunday, March 18, and continuing through March 25. Rev. Troy Dale, pastor, announced this week.

Rev. Carter, an outstanding preacher of the area, will be remembered by members of the local congregation as having supplied the local pulpit two Sundays before the present pastor came.

Musical services will be directed by Malcolm Edwards, minister of music at the Broadway Baptist Church in Fort Worth. Mr. Edwards is one of the outstanding young music directors in the Southern Baptist Convention, Rev. Dale said. He serves each summer on the staff of the Southwide Music Camp at Glorieta, N. M.

Services will be held twice daily during the meeting, morning and evening, the pastor said.

Welfare Council Organization Meet Set Friday Night

290 Persons Served By Service Group During Year of 1955

Ira Carson, newly elected chairman of the Crockett County Welfare Council, has called a meeting of the membership of the Council for Friday night of this week, starting at 7:30 o'clock. All persons who have given as much as \$5 or organizations who gave \$25 are members.

Purpose of the meeting is to review the operation of the Council during the past year and to perfect the organization for the coming year. Mr. Carson was named chairman of the Council at a recent meeting to succeed the Rev. J. Troy Hickman, who had served as chairman of the Council since its organization.

At the meeting Friday night other officers will be named and a report made on the year's operation. During 1955, the Council served a total of 290 persons, 75 local and 215 transients. It spent a total of \$776.01 to relieve distressed applicants, including money for groceries, meals, for lodging, for transportation and minor car repairs and for medical care. It had a balance of \$976.14 in the bank at the beginning of this year and plans will be discussed at an early date for a financial campaign to provide funds for the central charity organization's work during the coming year. About \$25 monthly is collected by the Council in monthly pledges.

During the Council's existence, many Ozonans have used it as a means of providing memorials to friends or loved ones. Among the latest of such memorial reports by the Council are those made by Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Friend, Jr., in memory of Jimmy Farr and T. Willis Johnson.

Mr. and Mrs. Byran McDonald of Canyon and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Grimmer of Winfield, Iowa, are visiting friends and relatives in Ozona this week.

Owls Nudge Lions For Bi-Dist. With Last Second Score

Johnson Tips One After West's Tie Shot With 7 Seconds Left

By Ernie Boyd

The Ozona Lions dropped a heart-breaking last second 46 to 44 decision to the Big Lake Owls last Tuesday night in Big Lake.

The bi-district contest, a see-saw affair throughout, was decided on Howard Johnson's last second shot after Lloyd West had tied the score with only seven seconds to go.

Coach Swede Pelt's cagers won their fifth straight district crown last Friday night when Menard thumped Sonora to remove the last contender.

The Lions started the season slowly with only two men back from last years champions but gathered steam as the season wore on and struck full speed during the Ozona tourney and swept through the district at a pace none of the others could match.

The Lions had lost early season clashes with the Owls by 29 and 31 points and had on two other occasions dropped closer contests to the Owls but as the season wore on the Lions drew closer and closer to the highly touted Owls until this week's bi-district winner was determined when Ozona for the third time in as many years had to play the bi-district game away from home, twice in Big Lake.

The Owls got off to a 13 to 9 advantage in the first quarter only to see the Lions forge into a 17 to 16 lead mid-way the second period.

The Owls rallied and went to the half time rest with a 24 to 22 advantage but the Lions came back in the third quarter and finally built a 35 to 30 lead with four minutes left.

The Owls got four free throws and a field goal to wipe out the Lion edge but from there on the lead changed about as often as the score changed until West's shot and Johnson's clincher left the fans limp.

For Ozona Bobby Martinez was tops, playing a marvelous game rebounding and counting 13 points to lead the scoring for the Lions. Jake Young, Lloyd West, and Juan Delgado had 8 each for the Lions while Howard Johnson was high for Big Lake and the game with 14.

In a curtain raiser the Ozona B team dropped a well played 51 to 47 decision to the Big Lake B team. The Ozona B team had not previously been able to give the Owl reserves much of a game but vast improvement and the addition of three freshman to the Ozona squad reduced the Owl's advantage to a very small margin.

Freshmen Jerry Jacobs and Cicco Cervantez led the Cub efforts with 16 to 15 points each while Connolly had 20 for Big Lake.

Ozona Naval Recruit Named To Leadership Post In Recruit Co.

In a letter received from the U. S. Naval Training Center at San Diego, Calif., Mr. and Mrs. Joe Chapman of Ozona were congratulated on their son Frankie's selection to serve as an apprentice petty officer of his recruit company. The selection of apprentice petty officers is based upon the company commander's estimate of the recruit's leadership potential and his willingness to assume responsibility. These assignments are tentatively made soon after the company commence its training and are confirmed by the Commanding Officer.

The apprentice petty officers are the leaders of the company and the degree of success achieved in training depends to a great extent upon the manner in which these petty officers perform their duties.

The letter was written by H. J. Campbell, Captain, U. S. Navy, Commanding Officer at the base.

Woman's Club Sponsors Annual Ozona Clean-up Dates To Be Set Soon

Date for the annual Spring clean up sponsored by the Ozona Woman's Club will be set as soon as arrangements can be made for truck hire by the county.

A delegation from the club met with the Commissioners Court recently and secured the court's pledge of cooperation. The club will seek to promote a thorough clean-up of the town with special efforts to have vacant lots, backs of business houses and other eyesores in the town cleaned up and trash hauled away.

Name Student Winners In Soil Conservation Theme Writing Contest

Three students of the Junior-Senior division of Ozona High School and three from the Freshman-Sophomore division will receive awards from the Crockett Soil Conservation District for their winning themes on the subject, "Why Soil Conservation is Important to Everyone."

Winners of the Junior-Senior division are Roy Mann, first place; Carol Blackstone, second place, and Carol Friend, third.

Winners in the Freshman-Sophomore division were Pat Woodall, first place; Genelle Childress, second place, and Gwynel Walker, third.

The winning themes were sent to Fort Worth to be entered in the statewide competition sponsored by the Fort Worth Press.

Heart Drive Set For Friday; Quota For Ozona Is \$250

A one-day drive seeking to raise a quota of \$250 set for Ozona will be conducted Friday of this week on behalf of the Texas Heart Association, Ben Williams, drive chairman said this week.

Ozona is in the San Angelo district of the Heart Association and was assigned the \$250 quota from headquarters in that city. Lowell Littleton was named vice chairman of the drive.

The Heart Assn., drive is under way this month all over the nation, funds raised in the campaign going into research seeking information whereby medical science may be able to conquer the world's No. 1 killer.

Four New Wells Extend 3 Fields In Crockett Co.

World, Amigo, Shannon Fields Extended; 2 Stepouts Set

Four wells were completed to extend three Crockett County fields and locations were scheduled for two stepouts to another field.

Cities Services Oil Co. of Odessa has finalized two extensions to the World, West (Strawn) field, 15 miles southwest of Big Lake.

The No. 3-D Shannon, in 20-Q-EL&RR, 3/4-mile southeast, was finished for a calculated, daily flowing potential of 1,287 barrels of 49.5 gravity oil, plus 1 per cent water, with gas-oil ratio 2,292-1.

Production was through a 3/4-inch choke and perforations between 8,135-145 feet in 5 1/2-inch casing set at 8,170 feet, the total depth. Pay section was acidized with 1,000 gallons.

Top of pay was picked at 8,135 feet on elevation of 2,828 feet.

Tubing pressure was 475 pounds, with packer on casing.

The No. 2-G Shannon, in 18-Q-EL&RR, 3/4-mile southeast, was finished for a calculated, daily flowing potential of 1,167 barrels of 49.8 gravity oil, plus 4 per cent water, with gas-oil ratio 2,260-1.

Potential was based on an actual five-hour flow of 243.18 barrels of oil through a 3/4-inch choke and perforations between 8,148-154 feet in 5 1/2-inch casing set at 8,200 feet, the total depth. Plugged (Continued on Last Page)



MRS. ABBIE ANDREWS, widely known home economist, will demonstrate the newest in electric cookery at a cooking school sponsored by the West Texas Utilities Co. and the Frigidaire Corporation in Ozona Wednesday, Feb. 29. The school will be held in the new-car showroom of the Talbaffero Garage.

Ag. Class Holds Open House, Lamb Show Saturday

New Vocational Agriculture Building Scene of Show

Saturday of this week, February 25th, the Agricultural Department of the high school will hold open house at the new Vocational Agricultural building. The program will begin at 10:00 o'clock a. m. with the showing of some seventy-three commercial lambs.

Each chapter member has fed his commercial lambs 110 to 120 days to be graded into the slaughter market grades: feeder lambs, good lambs, choice lambs, or prime lambs. Vestal Askew, well known lamb judge, will grade the lambs.

At the show, each boy will be given ribbons and awarded premiums for the feeding job done on each lamb during the feeding period. The ribbons and premiums will be as follows: prime lambs, blue ribbons and \$6; choice lamb, red ribbon and \$4; good lamb, white ribbon and \$2; feeder lambs, no ribbon and no premium.

The FFA boys and their parents have planned a benefit barbecue to be served at noon. This barbecue is being prepared to help raise funds for the chapter. The public is invited to attend the open house, lamb show and benefit barbecue.

George Bunger, Chapter Reporter

Ozona Lion Cagers Place Two On 6-A All District Team

Ozona's Lions, who surprised District 6-A this basketball season by winning the fifth straight district championship, placed two players on the All-District team selected by vote of the loop coaches.

Johnny Ramirez and Bobby Martinez, spark plugs of the Lions offense, Menard's Pete Perry, Shannon Ratliff from Sonora and Charles Dobbs of Junction were the top five players chosen by the coaches of the district.

Ramirez got 39 of the possible 40 votes for designation as the loop's outstanding player. Perry was second with 37 points, these two the only unanimous choices for the first team. Both are repeaters from last season's all-district team.

Other Ozona players receiving votes in the poll were Juan Delgado and Jake Young.

License Examiner To Start New Schedule

A new schedule of driver license tests will be inaugurated by the Department of Public Safety here beginning March 1.

License Examiner Felton Wilson will be in Ozona each first, third and fifth Thursday in each month from 10 a. m. to 4 p. m. to give the tests. The officer will be located in the courthouse.

Teacher Housing Bond Election Is Set For March 3

\$200,000 Issue Would Build Houses, Auditorium, Repairs

Saturday, March 3, is the date set by County Judge Houston Smith for the election at which qualified voters of Crockett county will be called on to decide the question of issuing \$200,000 in school bonds for the purpose of building 20 new teacher housing units, construction of an auditorium at the South Elementary school and to make necessary repairs at the North Elementary school.

The election will be held throughout the county. Qualified to vote in the election are those voters otherwise qualified who own taxable property in the county and who have rendered the same for taxation. The ballot will carry the words "For" and "Against" "The issuance of the bonds and the levying of the tax in payment thereof." However, approval by the voters of the bond issue will not increase the tax rate, the existing rate being sufficient to provide for retirement of the issue.

The bonds will be issued for retirement in a period of ten years, maturing serially \$20,000 each year. The schools are presently paying \$18,000 annually for rent on houses for teachers needed beyond the school-owned teacher homes in use. The saving in this rental expense will almost pay the annual principal and interest on the entire bond issue.

With voter approval of the bonds, work will be begun immediately toward leveling and conditioning a building site owned by the school on the hill just east of the high school building. The area, surveys estimate, will be large enough to accommodate a total of 30 houses, with space allowed for access streets and alleys. The school recently purchased the Ezra Trotter lot east of the Baptist parsonage to provide a street entering the new teacher addition site. It is believed the new teacher houses can be completed in time for occupancy by the opening of the 1956-57 school year in the fall.

Bill Chapman, 50, Victim Of Heart Attack Here Sat.

Native Ozonan Buried Sunday Afternoon In Rites Here

Funeral services were held here at 2:30 Sunday afternoon for the First Baptist Church for W. C. (P. L.) Chapman, 50, native Ozonan, who died of a heart attack at 5:30 a. m. Saturday at the home of a brother, Joe Chapman of Ozona.

Services were conducted by the Rev. Troy Dale, pastor. Burial was in Cedar Hill Cemetery under direction of Cody Funeral Home of Ozona.

Mr. Chapman, a World War II veteran, was born in Ozona March 21, 1905, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. James Chapman, pioneer Crockett county residents. He has been engaged in oil field work in the Big Lake area for several years and at the time of his death was employed as a pumper with the Branahney Drilling Co.

Surviving are six sisters, Mrs. Ralph Watson, Mrs. Sam Cox and Mrs. Alma Roach, all of Ozona. Mrs. W. H. Laging of Douglas, Ariz., Mrs. Den Kidd of San Angelo and Mrs. Bill Foster of Houston, and two brothers, Joe Chapman of Ozona and E. L. Chapman of Pumpville.

Palbearers were James, Joe B. and Frankie Chapman, and Ed Shepperson, all of Ozona, Dan Kidd of San Angelo and Frank McMullan, Jr., and Woodrow Munn both of Big Lake.

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THURSDAY, FEB. 23, 1956

PUBLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

The need for the public school never changes, but times and conditions may change or require to be changed methods and practices of public education. This is inherent with anything that grows, for growth is the result of change. Our Texas public schools were created 102 years ago. In 1854 the first law passed establishing the public school.

It is healthy thing in our democratic way of life to have intelligent understanding of the important functions of our basic institutions. This is especially true of the schools. The initiative and resourcefulness and the wisdom and leadership that our schools are inculcating in the youth of today are the answer to the problems of citizenship in the years ahead.

Yes, "bring me men to match my mountains." That is the need of our times and must come from the public schools - schools that are strong in virtues required for building strong men and women. We can be assured of this and do our part in understanding and helping the public schools to fulfill their great obligation to our times by being a participant in

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the annual Public Schools Week, March 5 through 10. Schools will hold open house; accept their hospitality, and you will enjoy the experience of going back to school if but for a day.

Electric Cookery To Be Demonstrated In Cooking School Feb. 29

How would you like to cook your family's meals simply by turning a switch? Today the homemaker can accomplish just that - cook a complete meal by just turning a switch. Mrs. Abbie Andrews, widely known Home Economist, will demonstrate the most recent and proved developments in modern cooking at the demonstration which will be held Wednesday, Feb. 29 in the Toliaferro Garage showroom starting at 2 p. m.

T. J. Bailey, West Texas Utilities Company Local Manager, has issued an invitation to all housewives in Ozona and the surrounding area to be his guests at the demonstration which is planned as one of the best ever conducted here.

The demonstration, sponsored by the West Texas Utilities Company will be conducted by Mrs. Abbie Andrews, a senior Home Economist for Frigidaire Sales Corporation.

Mrs. Andrews, who will present the very latest in food preparation and time saving methods, is a graduate Home Economist with years of practical experience. She has had special training in food preparation, preservation, and quick freezing techniques at the nationally famous Frigidaire Home Economics Department at Dayton, Ohio.

Recipes and favors will be given to homemakers who attend the demonstration. All the food used in demonstrating the modern electric way of food preparation will be presented to women attending the school.

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San Angelo Players To Present Second Play In Series Here Sat. Night

The San Angelo Community Theatre will present the second play of the season in Ozona on Saturday, February 25, under the sponsorship of Epsilon Sigma Alpha Sorority. The play, "Ladies in Retirement" is a mystery-comedy in three acts set in England in the 1880's.

"Ladies in Retirement" is the story of Miss Leonora Fiske, a lady of questionable background who has passed the half-century mark and then some, her housekeeper-companion, Miss Ellen Creed, Miss Creed's two sisters Miss Emily and Miss Louise, who are a trial even in their same moments, and their nephew Albert Feather, a worthless ne'er-do-well. Having their moments also in this story of suspense and intrigue are Lucy, the ladies maid and, Sister Theresa, a nun from a nearby convent.

The cast is headed by Mrs. Wm. B. Wilson, and Gil Oden, director of the players, and includes Mrs. Blanks Oglesby, Mrs. Olive, Alyce Bean, Jill Reed, and Mrs. J. A. Richmond.

"Ladies" is the first show in which Director Gil Oden has appeared with the San Angelo group and this is by way of being a silver jubilee for him. Coincidentally, it is his twenty-fifth major role to portray and his twenty-fifth major play to direct. Oden plays the only male role, that of Albert Feather, nephew of three of the retired ladies.

An unusual setting forms the background for the play. Gene Scrimpscher, theatre designer, has gone to great trouble to create a remodeled English cottage built in Pre-Tudor days in the English

style. An effect of stone and heavy beams has been created by Scrimpscher and his crew, Barbara Hunt, Neal Sanders, John Palovic and Dr. John Reed. Many hours of research went into the project and product is most effective.

Mrs. H. C. Noelke has designed and constructed authentic 1885 costumes for the cast of this mystery-comedy-melodrama. Along with the set designer, Mrs. Noelke did research on the clothes of the period before setting to work with her crew, composed of Mrs. Don Hunsaker and Mrs. R. C. Jones.

Buddy Fowler will have charge of the intricate sound system used in the play and Bill Wilson is responsible for the lighting. Decorating the set and furnishing the hand props are Carolyn Cargile and Katherine Williams. G. C. Magrader is stage manager.

DOYLE PERDUE ISSUES STATEMENT OF CANDIDACY

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Ozona Woman's Club Hears Book Reviewers; Give To Fund Drives

(Inadvertently omitted from last week's issue)

The Ozona Woman's Club met Tuesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Charles Williams, Sr., with Mrs. O. L. Sims and Mrs. Hubert Baker as co-hostesses. Mrs. H. B. Tandy was leader of the program and the invocation was given by Mrs. Sims.

During the business meeting, the club voted to contribute \$25.00 to the Polio March of Dimes and \$25.00 to the Red Cross. Plans were also made for the annual spring clean-up.

Miss Jacqueline Williams sang "Remembering," "One Alone" and "Sing Me to Sleep", accompanied by Mary Lou Johnigan.

Highlight of the program was a book review of "The Glitters When She Walks" by Vina Belmar, given by Mrs. Dubbs Herman of Big Lake.

Other than club members attending were Mrs. Horace Rees and Mrs. Olin Lusby of Big Lake, out of town guests, and Mrs. Dub

Petit and Mrs. Sherman local guests.

The next meeting of the Ozona Woman's Club will be at the home of Mrs. Stephen Perner with Myrtle Williams, of San Angelo, as guests speaker. Mrs. Perner will exhibit an unusual and interesting display of Mexican Crafts including works in glass, painting, pottery and tiles.

DAUGHTER TO TANDYS

Mr. and Mrs. Bland J. Tandy announce the birth of a daughter, Julia Elizabeth, born Feb. 12 at Abilene hospital. The little girl weighed 6 pounds, 5 ounces. Her parents are Dr. and Mrs. B. Tandy of Ozona and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Duncan of Decatur, Ga. The Tandys have two other children, Kathy Ann, 4 1/2 and B. J. Duncan, 2 1/2.

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Editor's Choice Show Sat.

Friend
The annual style show of the Ozona Country Club, "Friend of Fashion" was the highlight throughout the show. The show was held in early Spring. The Ozona Country Club modeled the fashions among spring and a background scene of the Elidewalk Cafe.

Henry, Milwest E. "Mademoiselle" of New Orleans was guest commentator for the show and adult future Miss Henry was formerly a model at Rothschild and in Minneapolis and in St. Paul. "Mademoiselle" in 1953. Mrs. P. L. Childress of Ozona was the children's model. Music was furnished by the Eldorado.

Phobias for the show were furnished by Maurice Shop, hats by the Hat Shop and children's fashions by Martha's all of San Antonio. Jewelry worn by the models was furnished by Wesley Sawyer Jewelry of Ozona and door prizes were given by the Sawyer Jewelry and Maurice. Winners of the show were Mrs. Carl North, Mrs. Cam Lilly, Miss Janet North, Mrs. Bruce, Miss Jill Apple, Mrs. L. L. Farr of Barnhart, Mrs. A. C. Hoover, Mrs. Max Childress, Sr. Mrs. Max Childress, Sr. and Mrs. Ben Williams.

Models who took part in the show, not previously mentioned, were Mrs. Joe Tom Davidson, Mrs. Jack Williams and Mrs. Ralph Jones. An expression of appreciation is also extended to Miss Milbred North who took individual pictures during the show.

Approximately 325 guests from Bonham, Big Lake, Barnhart, San Angelo, Ballinger, Wichita Falls, Eldorado, Houston, Ft. Stockton, Dallas, Mertzson, Iraan and Carlsbad, New Mexico, attended and were served tea plates from the Elidewalk Cafe by the presidents of local clubs. Assisting in the serving were Anne Davidson, Carol Blackstone, Sandra Whitaker, Genevieve Childress, Gwynel Walker, Martha Bailey and Jessie Carl Marney and Joe Clayton, Jr.

WEDNESDAY BRIDGE CLUB

The Wednesday Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. Dick Henderson, with Mrs. Taylor Deaton, Mrs. Henderson and Mrs. Robert Cox as hostesses. High score was won by Mrs. Buddy Phillips, second high by Mrs. Carl North, traveling by Mr. Fred Hickman and bingo by Mrs. Larry Albers. A salad plate was served to the following who attended: Mrs. J. B. Parker, Joe Friend, Carl North, Buddy Phillips, John R. Hunnicutt, Bit Terry, Larry Albers, Fred Hickman, L. B. T. Sikes, Charles Ratliff, Claphas Cooks, Joe Couch, Howard Lemmons, Glen Richardson, Frank McMullan, Jr., Joe Bean and Byron Williams.

School Cafeteria MENU

Monday Feb. 27 to Friday Mar. 2

MONDAY
Hot Dogs with Chili Sauce
Macaroni Loaf
Coleslaw
French Fries
Custard — Milk
Fruit Cobbler

TUESDAY
Roast Pork with Dressing
Green Peas
Cherry Sauce
Custard Wedges or Baked Squash
Bread — Milk
Cinnamon Rolls

WEDNESDAY
Beef with Gravy
Cinnamon Rolls
Apple Juice
Butter Cake

THURSDAY
Beans with Beans
Fruit Sections
Potatoes
Canned Carrots
Bread — Butter — Milk
Sausin Pudding

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Crockett Retail Sales Top 4 Million In 1954

Retail sales in 1954 of 53 stores in Crockett County totaled \$4,033,000, according to preliminary 1954 Census, Department of Commerce, released by the Bureau of the Census, Department of Commerce. This was an increase of 7.5 percent over sales in 1948 of 44 stores at \$3,739,000. Stores with payroll in 1954 numbered 43, had 126 paid employees in November 1954, reported payroll of \$374,000, and accounted for sales of \$1,853,000. Proprietors of unincorporated businesses number 47.

The number of stores and their 1954 sales, grouped by major kinds of businesses, were: 5 Groceries, \$794,000; 9 Eating, drinking places, \$222,000; 4 General merchandise group, \$248,000; 6 Automotive group, \$1,275,000; 8 Gasoline service stations, \$317,000; 3 Drug stores, proprietary stores, \$147,000; 11 other retail stores, \$419,000.

TO ATTEND CONFERENCE

Austin. — County Attorney G. Dixon Mahon will be among the 1,000 Texas judges, prosecutors, peace officers, and interested citizens to attend the Sixth Annual Attorney General's Conference on Law Enforcement in Austin March 18-21.

Sponsors for the conference are the University of Texas School of Law, the Texas Department of Public Safety, Texas Safety Association, Texas League of Municipalities, the American Bar Association, State Bar of Texas and Attorney General John Ben Shepperd.

OES Bake Sale — March 2nd! Special orders filled! You name it, and we will try to make it! Call Mrs. Mary Flowers at 122.

FRIDAY BRIDGE CLUB

Mrs. George Montgomery was hostess to the Friday Bridge Club last week in her home. The George Washington motif was carried out in decorations and in refreshments. A quiz program on important dates in February was held along with the bridge play. Those answering the questions correctly could add from 50 to 500 to their score.

Winning high score for the afternoon was Mrs. Eldred Roach, bingo was won by Mrs. Lovella Dudley, low club score by Mrs. Max Schneemann, low guest by Mrs. Tom Ed Montgomery, and high guest was won by Mrs. Richard Flowers. Members present were Mrs. Roach, Mrs. Early Baggett, Mrs. Will Baggett, Mrs. S. M. Harvick, Mrs. J. W. Hedner, Jr., Mrs. Stephen Perner, Mrs. Dudley, Mrs. Lowell Littleton, Mrs. Vic Pierce, Mrs. Lee Childress, Mrs. Max Schneemann, and Mrs. Bailey Post, Mrs. Richard Flowers, Mrs. Tom Montgomery and Mrs. Bill Cooper, guests.

WCS CIRCLES MEET

The Sunshine and Jenny King Circles of the Methodist WCS met in the home of Mrs. Clay Adams Wednesday morning for the concluding lesson on the study, "The Five Spiritual Classics." Mrs. S. M. Harvick, study leader, was in charge. Participating in the program were Mrs. R. A. Harrell, Mrs. O. D. West, Mrs. Ele Hagelstein, Mrs. Taylor Word, Mrs. T. A. Kinsaid, Jr., Mrs. Bailey Post and Mrs. W. D. Cooper. Others present were Mrs. Hugh Childress, Sr., Mrs. Arthur Phillips and Mrs. Chester Richey.

FOR SALE — 1941 Ford Pickup. Call the Ozona Stockman — Phone No. 210, or see Eugene J. Gibson.

National FFA Week to Be Observed Here With Open House, VA Bldg.

Future Farmers of America members throughout the nation are scheduling special activities to focus public attention on the work of their organization during National FFA Week, February 18-25.

Locally members of the FFA chapter plan open house at the new vocational ag. building and the first commercial lamb show for the new chapter.

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

The Ozona FFA chapter has 23 members. Officers are: Earl Deland, president; Carl Conkling, vice president; Roy Mann, secretary; Roy Sutton, treasurer; Jess Marley, sentinel and George Bunker, reporter.

M. A. Barber, vocational agriculture instructor in Ozona High School, serves as advisor of the FFA chapter.

The national Future Farmer organization has more than 383,000 members in the 48 States, Hawaii, and Puerto Rico. Membership in Texas totals about 10,000.

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

contour planting, crop rotations, fertilization, and other soil conservation and improvement methods. It was more than a century after Washington's death before general use was made of many of the sound agricultural practices that he advocated.

CIRCLES IN JOINT MEET

The Willing Workers and Jenny King Circles met Wednesday morning with Mrs. Stephen Perner for the last lesson on Five Spiritual Classics. The leader was Mrs. Bud Cox. She gave the lesson from A Testament of Devotions by Thomas R. Kelly. A round table discussion of the lesson was held. The meeting closed with prayer by Mrs. Paul Perner.

An executive meeting of the Woman's Society of Christian Service will be held next Wednesday Feb. 29th, at the church.

Those present were Mrs. Jno W. Henderson, Mrs. J. A. Fussell, Mrs. J. S. Pierce, III, Mrs. L. B. Cox, Jr., Mrs. C. V. Tubbs, Mrs. W. R. Baggett, Mrs. Charles Williams, Sr., Mrs. Floyd Henderson, Mrs. Ray Piner, Mrs. Joe Pierce, Jr., Mrs. Paul Perner, Mrs. Stephen Perner and Mrs. Bud Cox and Miss I. Verver.

CROCKETT HOSPITAL NEWS

Patients admitted: Mrs. Donald E. Taylor, Houston, Texas, obstetrical; Mrs. Mariana Ortiz, obstetrical; Mrs. J. T. Carroll, medical; Mrs. Aaron D. Bledsoe, Jr., obstetrical; Edward Ramos, medical; Mrs. G. K. Stewart, Mertzson, Texas, surgery; Mrs. W. R. McDonald, obstetrical; Caroline Yeugaz, medical; Mrs. W. L. Babb, surgery; Lenora Ruth Farris, surgery; Dolores Goodfellow, medical; Mrs. B. J. Mills, medical; B. L. Blair, accident; James Strakos, medical; Cathy Alderman, medical.

Patients dismissed: Mrs. F. H.

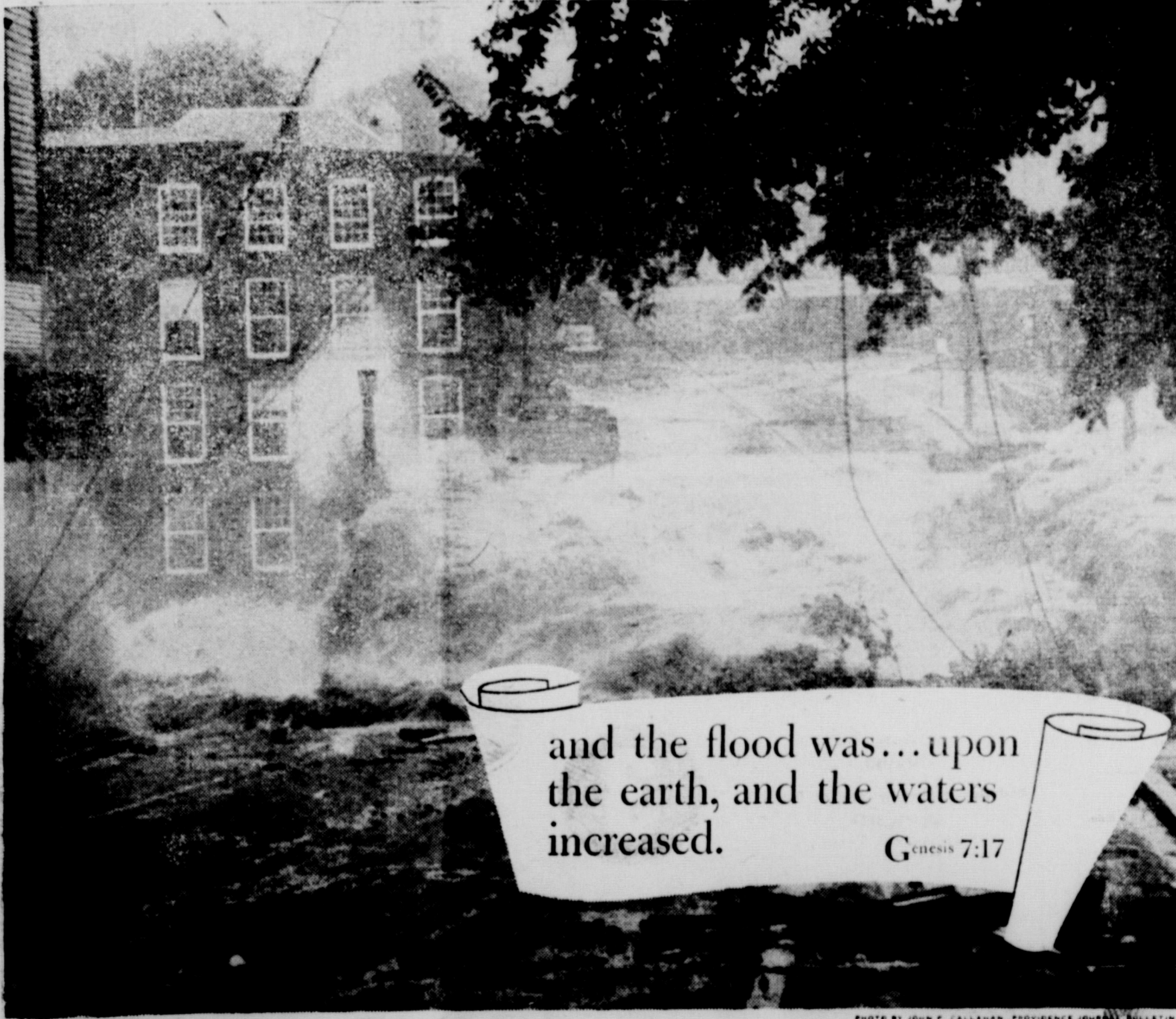
McWilliams, Mrs. Juanita Arellano, Mrs. Bernave Villareal, Jordie Harvick, Chas. L. Schneider, Mrs. L. G. Huffman, Mrs. Donald E. Taylor and baby girl, Mrs. Mariana Ortiz and baby son, Mrs. J. T. Carroll, Edwards Ramos, Mrs. W. R. McDonald and baby son, Caroline Yeugaz, Lenora Ruth Farris, Dolores Goodfellow and Mrs. B. J. Mills.

Progress is being made on construction of the new Methodist parsonage. The new preacher home is being erected on the church property just north of the church.

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The swift cold waters that flowed by Putnam, Connecticut, rose to a monstrous torrent one horror-filled night in August. Death and destruction and terror and woe were upon the green land. And when the rains stopped, misery stalked the valleys, touching literally every family.

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EDITORIAL

Who are the happiest people on earth? This question was asked by an English newspaper, and prizes were offered for the best answers. There were four prize winning answers:

"A craftsman or artist whistling over a job well done."
 "A little child building air castles."

"A mother after a busy day, bathing her baby."
 "A doctor who has finished a difficult and dangerous operation, and saved a human life."

There are neither kings, emperors, riches nor rank mentioned in the list of answers. The things that make happiness are honest toil, and the consciousness of making a success of any and every job undertaken. It would be a sad day on earth if only the great could be happy.

Happiness is for everybody who seeks it, and not for a few. We realize exactly the things we reach out for despite disappointments that cast shadows over life.

PERSONALITY

As everyone has probably noticed we have a new girl in school. So we set out to find some facts about her and here they are.

Her name is Jerry Loudamy, she is 5 feet and 3/4-inch tall. She has green eyes and brown hair. She was born in San Angelo, on September 7, 1939. She is 16 years old and a junior in Ozona High School.

And like all girls she has her favorites and here are a few of them for you, book: doesn't have any; subject: study hall; movie: Young at Heart; Town: Ozona; state: Texas; food: fried chicken; recording artist: Doris Day; actress: Grace Kelly; actor: Gig Young.

When asked how she liked Ozona she said that she loved it. So let's make sure she keeps on feeling that way about it.

And boys take it from me, she is really a cute little girl.

QUESTION OF THE WEEK

We just wonder if someone were to come up to you and say "I'm going to apprehend you, and osculate you, very robustly and very dissolutely," what would you say. We have taken a survey and these are some of the answers we have gotten. (look at the bottom of the page for the meaning)

Wanda — I'd say "When?"
 Carolyn — I'll have to go see Mr. Harlan first

Pl — "Why?"
 Tooter — the reaction would be amazing

Jesse — Mighty fine, mighty good!!!

Mike — I'd just cry
 Bill Black — No No Don't
 Clayton F. — "Where?"
 Benny — oh, please do.

Coach Cleere — I don't know, but I'm a married man.

Mrs. Hull — It sounds very interesting.

Mr. Brentz — Oh, that's awful

Janice — Guess so!

Kent B — I'd run, and fast

Mr. Pelto — Oh Really!!

Suzanne — Gosh!

Marean — I don't know

Bobby M. — that's right!!

Arturo — Awww, get lost!!

Orville — Good!!

Jakie — Oh, let me think about it a minute

Lloyd — Aw, that's very good

David Sikes — I don't want to

Mr. Rollins — Get with it

Carol Friend — well I graduate!

The meaning is: "I'm goin' to grab you, and kiss you, very hard and very fast!! (Pretty good answer, huh?)"

F. H. A. DATE NIGHT

The Future Homemakers Club of Ozona had a "Date Night" Saturday when the club members asked boys for dates.

At 6:30 everyone met at the Homemaking Cottage for refreshments. Songs were sung and the F. H. A. "Beau" was officially announced. Congratulations Bob-

by Sutton!

Cookies and pink lemonade which were prepared by the FHA members, were served after the singing.

When everyone had eaten we were dismissed to escort our dates to the movie.

CHORUS NEWS

The Chorus is preparing a varied program of songs which they will present in Sonora and Eldorado in March. Some of the numbers included are "The Lord's Prayer," "My God and I," "If I Loved You," "The Battle Hymn of the Republic," and "Set Down Servant".

In addition to the chorus numbers the program will include "Harbor Lights" and "September Song" by a girl's sextette composed of Marilee Dale, Alleane Young, Janice Ruth Adams, Ann Baggett, Suzanne Dale, and Beverly Killingsworth. Two piano solos by Mary Jo Ward will round out the program.

ASSEMBLY

Thursday, Feb. 16, we had a different kind of assembly. Our neighboring town, Eldorado, presented our assembly. Yvonne Logan was master of ceremonies. First, was a girl's quartet. Several solos by the four were sung. Charles Ratliff played "Twelfth Street Rag."

What we thought the best part of the program was a farce. It had a good moral for the girls but the boys hope it will never come true — Girls actually asking boys for dates. Everything just backwards.

Thank you Eldorado. We enjoyed it.

THE HEADLINER

From the moans and groans around school I can tell it is "that" time again. Yep, it is time for six weeks test. I hear some of "my" kids have fallen down on the job with the grades and had better get to work if they intend to pass. This applies to everyone, though, you can always do better.

But, as always, there is a cheery spot in all this gloom. Our Lions have once again won a district championship in basketball. They went to Big Lake last Tuesday night to decide the bi-district fate. As at the time of this writing they haven't yet played, but, I can tell you who will win, but, I won't as that would sound too much like bragging, and I really don't like to brag.

Well, enough of this for this week. See you next week. Be good until then.

Your Pal,
Headliner

THE SHADOW

Martha Bailey (or better known as Minnie Pearl) I shadowed you on Monday, February the 20th. What a busy little day you had!

First of all you went to speech, and of all things to happen in there, Mr. Leath lost his booming voice! So you had the whole period to study in, and with the exception of talking to all the people around you, you made the most of your time!

In activity period, you went to paper staff and worked madly on your "Question of the Week." You were very enthused over the article you were writing. Why do you get such a bang out of this? She Shadow knows!!

For second period you went to

JOE ESTES

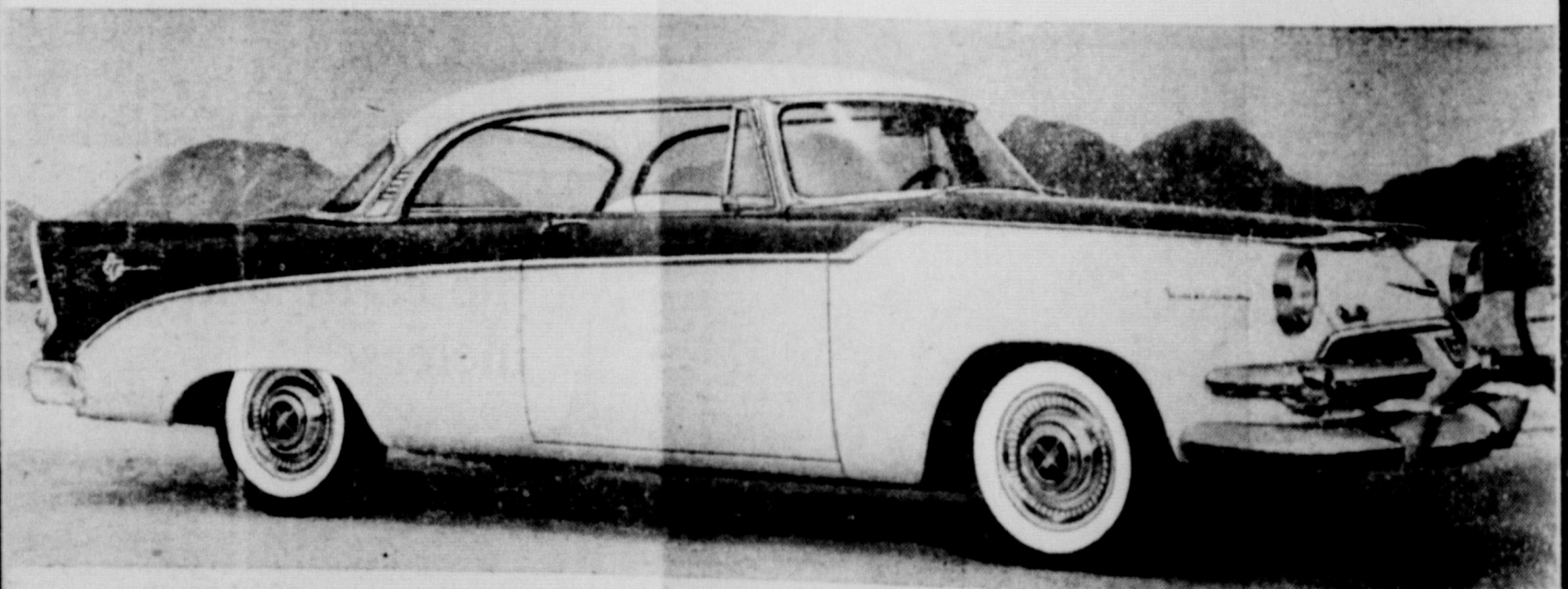
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study hall and spent all your time looking up words and revising your column. Then after visiting with Mac and Mr. Pelto it was time for the bell.

As the last period of the morning finally rolled around you went to typing II. You came down the hall with Liz P. and both of you

were so busy talking you wouldn't have noticed me even if I had wanted you to. In class you fouled up on a 5-minute timed writing test, and stopped typing before it was over. Then you worked hard on thirty-minute timed tabulation writing. However as you left you predicted that the results weren't

going to be good and predicted your score until the office then on to the table. After a hearty meal you left Mary Jo, Genelle, Pat and I and rode around 'til the bell. (Continued on Page 5)

Roar

(From Page 4)
 substituted in Bio-Bookman and you notebook until the remaining time (I say) first bookkeeping, 4th over the news has the measles, this production, "soon!" Then Taliaferro lectured. "Well, gosh, working, the it anyway?" As again heard you need a coke, I measles!" was your substituting 6th period and your English as Susie gossiped the Shadow then as you'd been the final rang, busy day of school!

FASHIONS

The Fashions seem cooler these days, one has yet appeared but every-thing is leaving their homes. and shortsleeve is coming in very Bailey has a cute new white one with red trim around the collar. Very cute with the red shirt, Martha. seem to also realize summer is approaching. Brock have their hair cut just before the shaved stage has a new flat top and Yelton seems to be thinking a new short hair cut. boys seem to love their ducks long curls in the winter but dispose of them towards winter weather. member warm weather's ap-thing girls so drag out shoes, swimming suits and sun dresses.

BAND BANQUET

Last Thursday, Feb. 16, at 7:30 p. m. in the cafeteria the Ozona Band was honored with a Band Banquet planned by the Band Boosters Club.
 Mrs. Byron Gray, director of the band, was master of ceremonies and Mary Lou Johnigan was pianist for the evening.
 The highlight of the evening was the crowning of the Band Sweetheart, Miss Beverly Killingsworth. Runner-ups to Beverly were Misses Darlyne Alford and Carolyn Stuart. The Sweetheart was presented with a beautiful bouquet of pink carnations and her crown was a pink glitter music lyre. Beverly was crowned by Don Lott who is the student director of the band.

Carolyn Stuart and Elizabeth Pearson were presented with their first place twirling medals which they won in the twirling contest December 3 in San Angelo. Congratulations girls!
 Special guests of the evening were Mr. and Mrs. James Rollins, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Walker, Mrs. Arthur Phillips, Mrs. Byron Gray, Mrs. L. B. T. Sikes, Mr. and Mrs. Roy Killingsworth, Mrs. Brock Jones, and Misses Carol Blackstone and Mary Jo Ward.

Of course special recognition goes to the Mothers who worked on the Banquet committees. The food committee consisted of Mrs. Brock Jones, Mrs. James Baggett, Mrs. Bill Childress, Mrs. Sidney Millsbaugh, Mrs. Q. A. Brentz, Mrs. H. B. Tandy, and Mrs. Dempster Jones, Mrs. Roy Henderson,

Mrs. Hurst Meinecke, Mrs. Bill Lott and Mrs. Loy Elmore made up the decoration committee. On the program committee were Mrs. Ele Hagelstein, Mrs. Bill Conklin, and Mrs. L. B. T. Sikes and the Invitation Committee consists of Mrs. Joe Friend and Mrs. Buddy Moore.

Also assisting with the serving were Miss Peggy Moore, Miss Lois Erwin, Mrs. Maxwell, Miss Alena Powers, and Mrs. G. E. Bingham. Mrs. Conklin and Mrs. Baggett made the Sweetheart's Crown.
 The Banquet was very enjoyable and won't be forgotten I'm sure.
 With these sentence I speak for the O. H. S. Band and close.
 "We thank you all from the bottom of our hearts and especially would the seniors in the band like to thank you. It was all very wonderful and congratulations to our Sweetheart, Miss Beverly Ann Killingsworth.

Voice on phone: "John Smith is sick and can't attend classes today. He requested me to notify you."

Professor: "All right. Who is this speaking?"
 Coice: "This is my roommate."
 Any fool can criticize, condemn and complain — and most fools do.

HIT PARADE

1. "The Rock and Roll Waltz"
2. "Lisbon Antigua"
3. "The Great Pretender"
4. "Memories Are Made of This"
5. "Sixteen Tons"
6. "It's Almost Tomorrow"
7. "Dunzaree Doll"

LADIES GOLF ASSN.

The Ladies Golf Association held its regular monthly golf and bridge luncheon Thursday of last week at the Country Club. Mrs. Velma Marley, president, presided at the business meeting. Reports of committees were heard and approved.

An invitation from the West Texas Golf Association was extended the local organization to attend the West Texas Tournament at San Angelo in June. Membership in the West Texas Association was voted paid. The Washington's Birthday theme was carried out in table decorations.

In golf play, Gladys Pierce, Pauline Montgomery and Marge McMullan were winners of their groups for the day. Marge McMullan is in first place on the leg play for the Putting Trophy presented by Miss Ami Cornick of San Angelo and Marge McMullan and Katie Jones are tied for the lead on the Hodges Golf Trophy. In bridge play for the afternoon Dorothy Pierce won high score and Vivian Clayton won low.

In play for the Hodges Bridge Trophy Mrs. Dorothy Friend is leading in total points for first place.

Those present for the luncheon, golf and bridge were Florence Taylor, Roberta Cooper, Dorothy Pierce, Ada Pierce, Gladys Pierce, Eileen Mahon, Lois Hodges, Bob Hodges, Emma Adams, Alice McMullan, Velma Marley, Lois Hicks, Margie Harvick, Winnie Williams, Eileen Childress, Donna Beth Davidson, Vivian Clayton, Pauline Montgomery, Marge McMullan, Katie Jones, Wilma Friend, Dorothy Friend, and Jean North and Mary Bess Harris were guests.
 Bridge hostess next week will be Lois Hicks. Golf and bridge play will both begin at 1:30.

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Community Calendar

Feb. 24th to March 1st.
FRIDAY
 Friday Bridge Club
 Brownie Meetings
 Girl Scout Meeting
 Community Council Meet — 7:30 p. m.
SATURDAY
 F. F. A. Show & Open House
SUNDAY
 Worship services at your church
TUESDAY
 Rotary Club
 Ozona Woman's Club
WEDNESDAY
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THURSDAY
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- DEL MONTE CUT 24-CAN CASE \$5.10 Green Beans 4 for 99c
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- DEL MONTE 24-CAN CASE \$5.05 Peas Early Garden 4 for 89c
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Five Tests Spotted In 3 Crockett Fields

Three Crockett County fields gained locations for five tests. Cities Services Oil Co. of Odessa has filed application to drill the No. 3-F Shannon, one location south of production in the World West (Strawn) field of Crockett County, 15 miles southwest of Big Lake.

It will be drilled to 8,400 feet with rotary. Estimated elevation is 2,780 feet.

Location, on a 484.49-acre lease, is 700 feet from the south and 1,332.34 feet from the east lines of 18-Q-EL&RR.

Stanford Oil & Gas Co. will drill two stepouts to the Amigo (San Andres) field, nine miles south of Big Lake.

The tests, both on a 322.95-acre lease in 3-50-University, will be drilled with rotary to 3,000 feet.

The No. 2-CO University, 1/4-mile southeast, is 330 feet from the south and west lines of the northwest quarter.

The No. 1 University of Texas "Co." one location southeast, is 990 feet from the north and 330 feet from the west lines.

Harper & Huffman has filed application to drill two stepouts to production in the Weger (San Andres) field, 10 miles south of Big Lake.

The projects on a 160-acre lease, will be drilled to 3,000 feet with combination tools.

The No. 1-A V. V. Weger, one location southwest, is 330 feet from the south and east lines of the southwest quarter of 49-GC-&SF.

The No. 2 Joe Strauss, one location south, is 330 feet from the north and 990 feet from the east lines of 50-GC&SF.

RECEIVES PROMOTION

Miss Billie J. Chandler, a former Ozonan, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Chandler of Ozona, has been promoted at Laughlin Air Force base in Del Rio. Miss Chandler moved to Del Rio in January to make her home. She was employed by the Civilian Personnel office and was recently promoted to Wing Headquarters as secretary to Major D. D. York, Wing Staff personnel officer. (Major York is a nephew of Mrs. N. W. Graham of Ozona) Miss Chandler is suffering from a broken ankle received while on a Sunday School picnic recently but is able to perform necessary duties in her office.

WANTED — Horses of any kind. Also Trucking. Have bobtail truck available for any kind of hauling. Levon Parker, Phone 264-J. 47-4: p

DR. HARRIS SPEAKER FOR SENIOR MYF MEET

Rev. Eugene Harris was the guest speaker for the regular weekly meeting of the Senior MYF at the Bill Childress home Sunday evening, Feb. 19, when Miss Frances Childress was hostess to the group. Rev. Harris used Christian Vocations as his topic for discussion.

Mrs. Joe Clayton, sponsor, announced that five Senior girls would attend the Mid-Winter Conference at Mt. Wesley, Kerrville, the weekend of Feb. 24-26. They are: Ann Baggett, Carol Blackstone, Sarah Hicks, Carol Friend and Susie Schneemann. Sub-district meeting will be held in Rankin Sunday afternoon, February 26, and the group will attend a District Youth Rally in San Angelo March 4.

Mrs. Childress served supper to the following: the Rev. Harris, Mrs. Clayton, Ann Baggett, Erby Chandler, Frances Childress, Joe Clayton, Jr., Carl Conklin, Becky Davidson, Chris Hagelstein, Sarah Hicks, Beverly Killingsworth, Jesse Marley, Dartha Dee Melton, Joe Pierce, Susie Schneemann, Bobby Sutton, Mills Tandy, Mark Tandy, Mark White, Jake Young, Alleane Young, Orville Paulk, and Kent Babb. Mrs. Childress was assisted in serving by Mrs. James Baggett, and Mrs. W. T. Stokes.

Ozona Youth Injured In Crash Near Big Lake

Bobby Lee Blair, 23, of Ozona, suffered injury at 7 p. m. Monday in a two-car collision 3.6 miles south of Big Lake on FM 33.

Blair suffered a back injury, possible broken shoulder and cuts. He was transferred to Ozona from Reagan County Hospital late Monday.

Highway Patrolman Vic Atwood said Blair, in a 1955 car, was traveling south behind a 1948 sedan driven by Miss Reba Theus, 18, of Big Lake.

Atwood said Miss Theus slowed for a truck to turn off the road and as she did Blair's car struck the rear end of her vehicle and overturned several times.

Atwood said Blair apparently tried to stop when he saw them slowing. Blair's car was reported demolished.

Neither Miss Theus nor her passenger, Miss Ella Teague, were injured.

Dr. M. A. Lemmons of Ozona recently attended the Sixteenth Annual Southwestern Congress of Optometry, held at the Hotel Texas in Fort Worth.

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Slick Oil Co. Spots Stepouts In Crockett

Slick Oil Co. Ltd., has filed application to drill the No. 1-C Maggie S. Neal, 3/4-mile southwest of production in the Weger (San Andres) field of Crockett County.

It will be drilled to 2,550 feet with rotary.

Location, on a 167.2-acre lease, is 990 feet from the north and 330 feet from the east lines of the northwest quarter of 50-GC&SF.

Slick Oil Co. also filed application to drill the No. 3-B University, 3/4-mile east-southeast of production in the Farmer (San Andres) field of Crockett County.

Location, on 169.6-acre lease, is 990 feet from the north and 330 feet from the east lines of 10-50-University of Texas. Contract depth is 2,700 feet.

HAIRCUTS ARE UP

Pink Beall at the Beall Barber shop this week announced a price increase in haircuts starting March 1. Effective on that date, regular haircuts will advance from \$1 to \$1.25 and the flattop kind will cost you \$1.50. All plain shampoos will be \$1.

Political Announcements

The Stockman is authorized to announce the candidacy of the persons listed below for the office under which their names are listed, subject to action of the Democratic primaries of 1936:

For Sheriff, Tax Assessor & Collector:
BILLY MILLS
V. O. EARNEST (Re-election)

For Commissioner, Prec. 3:
U. S. (Rusty) SMITH (Re-election)

For County Attorney:
HOWARD LEMMONS
DIXON MAHON (Re-election)

For Commissioner, Prec. 1:
RALPH JONES (Re-election)
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 February 24, 1927
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News Reel

February 24, 1927

"plus-fours" will be all the rage in Ozona. An 18-hole golf course, extending anything any town the Ozona can boast is in immediate prospect for the city. The blindness and complete deafness of S. E. Couch, president of the Chamber of Commerce and Hotel Ozona Company, was cleared for the construction of a first class 9-hole course about two miles west of Ozona.

Days of poisoning with the use of a grain preparation prepared by Druman, under the direction of the county, wiped out approximately 90 per cent of the dogs on the Fleet Coates property the first of this week, he reported Wednesday.

The High School Faculty met Monday morning and awarded the key for the graduating class of 1954-57. These are awarded on the basis of sixteen units of work in the Ozona Schools or other accredited high schools. Mildred won valedictory honors with a lead of about seven points over the nearest total. Mildred averaged 88.5 on her entire school course. Second place was won by Louise Coates.

S. S. E. Gilmore of Sonora, president of the 6th district of the state will meet with the Ozona Political Party at its regular meeting Monday, February 28, according to an announcement this week by Mrs. North, president of the local organization.

The Ozona Chamber of Commerce will have the distinction of amembering among its members a member of the United States Congress. Congressman Peth, a native of Ozona, leader of the Ozona Kicker, professor of The Stockman and a partner for Crockett County, has been enrolled as a member.

A handsome bronze medal offered by the Illinois Watch Co., for best essay on the life of Abraham Lincoln excited considerable interest in English and History classes during February. A unanimous decision was given to Clara Dick for first place. The medal was accordingly awarded her by Kaderli at last Wednesday's Kett Club session.

Mrs. Roy Parker and Mrs. Chas. Es entertained their friends at a forty-two party at the Hotel Ozona Saturday night. The place was beautifully decorated with pots. There were seventeen tables of guests present. At the close of the games a delicious chicken salad plate was served.

Mrs. J. M. Dudley, Mrs. Bill Amor and Mrs. Joe Davidson entertained with a George Washington party the night of the 22nd at the Hotel Ozona. Twenty nine guests played forty-two and kept their score by spelling George Washington, a letter for every game won. Ice cream in exotic colors with individual

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cake topped by red, white and blue candles was served.

B. M. Elich, baker at Flowers Grocery, has returned from Temple where he underwent an operation recently.

Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Smith returned Wednesday from Sipe Springs where they had been on a short visit with Mr. Smith's mother.

F. E. Piner has returned from Temple where he underwent an operation for appendicitis recently.

Miss Mary Augustine has returned from CIA and will be at home for the rest of the year.

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Ozona Music Club To Meet March 1st

The Ozona Music Club will meet March 1 in the North Elementary auditorium at 7:30 p. m. The subject of the program will be "The Story of Early Music in Texas."

Miss Cleona Quiett will be the program coordinator, with Mrs. Sherman Taylor the narrator. Singers will be James Rollins and a group of students from Miss Farmer's class and from Miss Quiett's class. A folk dance will be presented by eight girls under Miss Farmer's direction.

Hymn of the month is "Jesus Lover of My Soul." Story of the hymn will be given by Mrs. Frank James. Members are asked to bring hymn books for group singing.

Count Yogi, Golfing Trick Shot Artist, To Perform Here April 3

By Wilma Friend

Count Yogi, the amazing golf trick shot artist, will be in Ozona Tuesday, April 3rd, for a performance at the Ozona Country Club.

The Count, who has dozens of testimonials backing his claims of golf greatness, does tricks with golf clubs nobody else probably ever thought of.

Yogi, the world's great entertainer, was a pro at 14 and a star before the days of Hogan and Snead, it is said, one one has ever equaled his athletic accomplishments. Yogi will include in his clinic here unusual pater and commentary, trick golfing and a little of the psychologist which he is.

He takes an hour to go through his amazing performance after playing nine holes of actual golf with local players. Mrs. Bob Hodges of the Ozona Country Club played golf with the famed Yogi at Littlefield in 1955.

Yogi is 50 years and has been

playing golf since he was seven but was barred from tournaments because his style was not sanctioned by the PGA. He is 5 feet 8, weighs 129 pounds, has written one book on golf and is completing another.

He claims the following scores: A 29-26-55 on an 18-hole course; a 58 on a par 72 course; a 57 on a par 71 layout, 20 holes in one; a 447-yard drive on the flat, 19 consecutive 69's at will, eight birdies and two eagles in succession; two holes in one in succession and many others.

Just in case anyone is thinking of taking lessons from Yogi to learn his golfing secret, he charges \$50 per hour, or \$100 for ten 15-minute sessions.

DAUGHTER TO BLEDSOES

Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Bledsoe announce the birth of a daughter, Lori Jean, on Saturday, February 18, weighing 6 pounds and 5 ounces. Mr. and Mrs. Bledsoe also have a son, Gary Debb, 17 months old. Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Bledsoe and Mr. and Mrs. H. R. Mock, all of Ozona.

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Krizan advises that these West Texas employers heed a recent public statement by Weldon Hart, chairman of the Texas Employment Commission, and contact the state TEC office at once.

Krizan quoted Hart's statement

to the effect that "it would be to their advantage to do so immediately, so that penalties and assessments of back taxes can be avoided."

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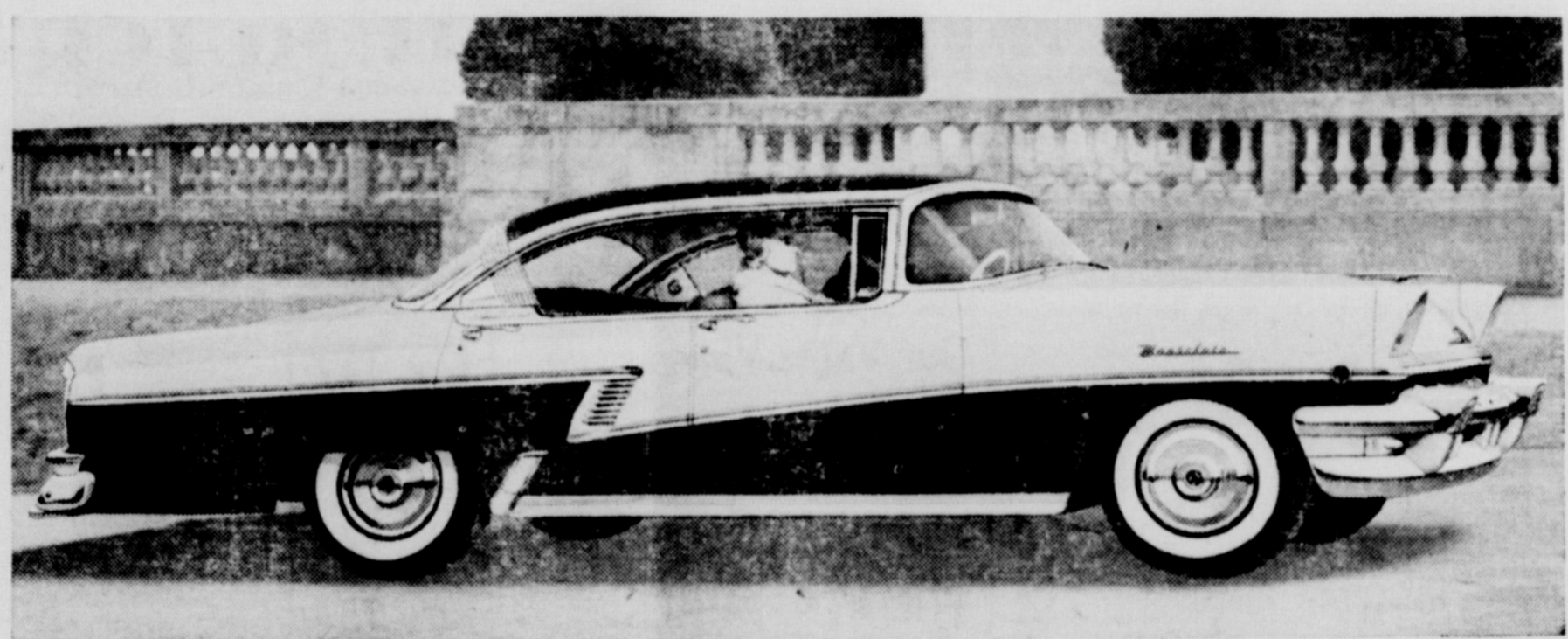
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