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SECRETARY ARRIVES—A fair cross section of the men interested in soil and water conservation is shown here as three visiting speakers on the program of the 18th annual convention of the Assn. Texas Soil Conservation Districts arrived in Abilene. From left, P. B. (Jack) Garrett, vice chairman of the board of the Dallas Bank & Trust Co., shakes hands with Tom Russom, Merkel farmer; Ervin L. Peterson, Washington, D. C., asst. sec. of agriculture; Don Williams, Washington, D. C., supervisor of the National Soil Conservation Service; H. N. (Red) Smith, Temple, supervisor of the Texas Soil Conservation Service, and Russom.

E. F. Yancy, 47, Tye Resident, Dies In Abilene

Emmett Franklin Yancy, 47, of Route 1, Tye, died Friday at 11:12 p.m. in St Ann Hospital, where he had been a patient for the past four months.

Mr. Yancy was born June 7, 1910, in Rogers, and was reared in Rogers and in Coleman County.

He married Vella Carlin on May 4, 1929 in Huntington. The couple made their home in Brownwood before moving to Abilene 12 years ago.

For about five years, Mr. Yancy owned and operated Economy Cleaners, but his last work was with Jones Cleaners.

He was vice grand of IOOF Lodge No. 72.

Funeral was held Tuesday at 2 p.m. in Elliott's Chapel of Memories with the Rev. Jake Armstrong, pastor of Tye Baptist Church, officiating. Burial was in Elmwood Memorial Park under the direction of Elliott's Funeral Home.

Pallbearers were P. S. Cowley, Don Graveley, Cody Thompson, Buck Hughes, George Fields, Herbert Barnes, Noble Touchstone and M. A. Stages.

Honorary pallbearers were other members of the IOOF Lodge.

Survivors include his wife; one daughter, Mrs. Vernell Head of the home in Tye; two sons, John C. of Tye and E. F. Jr. of 4003 Lynnwood; one sister, Mrs. Jessie Yancy of Lufkin; and six brothers, R. M. and Dush of 1118 San Jose Dr., O. B. of 1618 Simmons St., Gene of Colorado City, Roy of Eastland and Charles of Trenton, N. J.



SAMMY BAUGH
Guest Speaker

Sammy Baugh Will Be Speaker At Banquet Here

Sammy Baugh, "Mr. Football," who serves as head football coach for the Hardin-Simmons University Cowboys, will speak at the Merkel football awards banquet here Friday, Jan. 16.

Baugh, former Texas Christian University and Washington Redskins star, has been associated with Hardin-Simmons University since 1953 as associate coach and head coach. He also works with the rodeo team at H-SU.

Coach Baugh not only represents the H-SU athletic department when he makes his banquet talks—and he probably does more speaking than any other coach in the state—but also the University.

He can make a speech in church, at a civic club or before a group of armchair quarterbacks. He played a total of 16 years with the Washington Redskins.

Baugh, who operates a 6,355 acre Double Mountain Ranch located some 72 miles from Abilene, is married and the father of four boys and a girl.

Merkel Smashes Cross Plains, 66-38

Merkel won its first District 10-A game as it topped Cross Plains 66-38, here Tuesday night. Merkel now has a 9-4 season record.

Pat Patterson of Merkel took high point honors as he sank 23 and Manley Denton slipped in 14. Tony Burns made 19 for Cross Plains. Merkel plays its second district game at home Thursday night against Wylie.

Cross Plains took the girls game, 45-28.

THE BOX:
MEMKEL: Denton 5-14; Seymour 0-1-1; Patterson 11-23; Ayers 1-0-2; Toliver 2-0-4; Grimmett 4-0-8; English 4-0-8; Neill 1-0-2; Dorton 2-0-4; Totals 30-6-66.
CROSS PLAINS: Scott 0-1-1; Adams 1-3-3; Burns 7-5-19; Oliver 3-3-7; Dallas 2-0-4; Baird 1-0-2; Foster 1-0-2; Totals 14-10-38.

Action Taken By Telephone Co. Means \$500 Revenue Loss To Local P. O.

Beginning Feb. 1, the Merkel Telephone Company will have their billing done and statements mailed out from Washington, D. C.

When asked how this will effect the local post office Wren Durham, postmaster, said, "It will mean a loss of about \$500 per year in postal revenue to the Merkel Post Office. We are sorry to see this happen because, in many instances, a town's business is gaged by its postal receipts."

Local Polio Drive To Start Saturday With Balloon Sale

As the opening activity for the local March of Dimes Campaign, local Boy Scouts under the direction of Joe Earl Lassiter and Ike Turner will sell balloons on the streets this coming Saturday, January 17.

The Girl Scouts will probably sell balloons the following Saturday, Jan. 24.

Within the next few days practically every home in Merkel will receive a contribution envelop through the mail and on Saturday night, January 31, room mothers of the local schools will conduct the Mothers' March on Polio.

A post office, he said, as well as any other business, needs the cooperation and patronage of the local people.

H. N. Odum, owner of Merkel Telephone, said billing for all three of his offices, Trent, Clayton and Merkel, will be done in Washington. His reason for making the change, he said, was because it can be done more efficiently and at less cost to him.

When asked about the loss of revenues at the local post office, Odum said, "The loss won't be as much as \$500. It will be between \$80 and \$100 less than that amount due to the daily mailing of tickets from here to Washington. Since the billing will be done there it seemed foolish to have them send the statements here, in one bundle, just so they could be mailed here."

He went on to say, "If the Merkel City Council consents to let us put in dial service at a cost that will permit us to get a return on our investment, we might possibly, but I am making no promises, get it (the billing and mailing) worked back here."

Some time ago, Odum said, he asked to put in dial service at a nominal rate raise to each subscriber, but was turned down.

Quarterback Club Banquet Set Here

The Merkel Quarterback Club will sponsor a banquet at the school cafeteria at 7:30 p.m., Jan. 16.

Principal speaker at the banquet will be Sammy Baugh, head football coach at Hardin-Simmons University.

Entertainment will include songs by a sextet composed of Annette Boney, Linda Leach, Bitsy West, Joe Neill, Jerry McLeod and Manley Denton.

Lynn Knight will act as master of ceremonies.

Tickets are \$2 each and may be purchased at Merkel Drug, Wilson Food Store, Taylor Electric Cooperative, Carson's Supermarket and Boney Insurance.

Mother Of Local Businessman Dies

Mrs. E. W. Welch, 75, mother of Marvin Welch, manager of Badger Chevrolet Co., died in Abilene Sunday. Funeral was held at 10:30 a.m. Tuesday in the First Methodist Church in Haskell.

Officiating was Dr. J. H. Hamblen, general superintendent of the Evangelical Methodist Church of the Rev. Erceel Carter, pastor of the Evangelical Methodist Church in Abilene, and the Rev. Oscar Bruce, pastor of Haskell First Methodist Church.

Born June 5, 1883, at Paint Rock, Mrs. Welch was married to E. W. Welch July 12, 1906. He died in 1948.

Survivors include three sons, Marvin of 1102 Clinton St., Abilene, Manager of Comanche and A. G. of Houston; two daughters, Mrs. J. W. Mullins and Mrs. G. W. Mullins, both of Haskell; two brothers, John Seifren of Lubbock and Andy Seifren of Lancaster; a sister, Mrs. Sally Spencer of California; 29 grandchildren and 28 great-grandchildren.

CEMETERY FUND

The following persons have contributed to the Merkel Cemetery Association fund:
Mrs. Belle Black
Mrs. Ernest Wilson
Duane Shugart

13-Year-Old Boy Shows Champion Steer At Local Livestock Show

Freddie Toombs, 13, son of Mr. and Mrs. Billie Joe Toombs, showed the grand championship steer at the Merkel FFA and 4-H Club Livestock Show, Saturday, Jan. 10.

The 970-pound milked steer is from the Arthel Henson registered Hereford herd at Cedar Gap.

A total of 60 lambs and 21 steers were presented at the show. The tops in each of the classes in the two divisions will be entered in the annual Taylor County Stock show in Abilene, Jan. 19.

Bob Benson, 12, son of Head Coach and Mrs. Carroll Benson, had the reserve champion, a Hereford from the registered herd of Dr. W. T. Sadler of Merkel.

Roy Largent, well-known Merkel Hereford breeder, judged the show.

In the lamb show, the Neill boys, Joe, Jim and Ferris, sons of Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Neill, monopolized the cash awards and ribbons.

No over-all lamb show champion was picked, but Joe and Ferris had first place winners in the out-down, Hampshire and crossbreed classes. Myrtle Davis, 9-year-old daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Davis, slipped into first-place winner's circle with a fine wool entry. Her lamb was from the flock of her uncle Edgar Davis of Abilene.

Joe Neill had the first place out-down from the Hamilton Choate flock at Olney the first

place Hampshire from an Ohio-lama breeder; and Ferris had the flock opa Dr. Fred Boyd of Abilene.

R. P. Penney, well-known Winters sheep breeder, judged the lamb show.

The event was held at the new FFA show barn west of the high school. A large crowd turned out for the event.

The FFA members fed and exhibited under the supervision of Chester Collinsworth, veteran VA teacher; the 4-H members fed and exhibited under the supervision of County Agent H. C. Stanley and Assistant Agent Allen Turner.

Following are results of the show:

Hampshire lambs—1. Joe Neill, 2. Ferris Neill, 3. Jim Neill, 4. Jimmy Jacobs, 5. Jerry Reynolds All FFA.

Crossbred lambs — 1. Ferris Neill, 2. Joe Neill, 3. Jim Neill, 4. David Scott, 4-H, 5. Lanny Perry, FFA.

Fine wool — 1. Mertie Davis, 2. Del Davis, 4-H, 3. Perry, 4. Altaeta Scott, 4-H, 5. David Scott, 4-H.

Southdowns — 1. Joe Neill, 2. Ferris Neill, 3. and 4. David Scott.

Drylot steers — 1. Bob Benson, 4-H, 2. Larry Seymour, FFA, 3. Danny Malone, 4-H, 4. Myrtle Davis, 5. Robert Harris, FFA.

Milked steers — 1. Freddie Toombs, 2. Billy Bob Toombs, 3. Wayne Irvin, 4. Del Davis, 5. Cash Irvin, All 4-H.

Parent-Teacher Conferences Are Scheduled For Jan. 22-23

The second Merkel Parent-Teacher Conferences of 1958-59 will be held next Thursday and Friday afternoons, January 22-23, in all of the grades of the local school system.

Parents who have children in any grades from the first grade through the twelfth are invited and urged to come to school on either of these two afternoons to confer with the teachers concerning the progress of their children and to examine some of the work done during the past 12 weeks.

Busses will run at noon on both of these days. Meals will be served in the cafeteria as usual.

According to local school officials, the regularly scheduled conferences are mutually beneficial and help to solve problems confronting parents and teachers.

Parent-Teacher Conferences have been conducted with a degree of success in the local primary school for the past 12 years and in the elementary school for the past eight years. This is the initial year for such a program in the high school.

Trent Boy's Steer Sells For \$3 A Lb. Trent Stock Show Set For Jan. 24

The 1,000-pound Hereford steer, belonging to Jerry Shafer, 14, of Trent, named grand champion of the 5th Hills Hereford and Quarter Horse Show here Thursday, sold at auction for \$3 a pound Saturday.

The Hereford, bred by Douglas Garman of Coke County, grossed \$3,000 for the Taylor County 4-H Club boy. Jerry is the son of Mr. and Mrs. M. (Red) Shafer of Trent and fed and showed under the supervision of County Agent H. C. Stanley and his assistant agent, Allen Turner.

Other Taylor County 4-H Club steers selling Saturday include Brenda Whitehead's eighth place 1,000 pound Hereford that brought 50 cents a pound, and Kay Holloway's 975 pound Hereford, that was 18th, sold for 52 cents a pound.

GRANDSON OF MERKEL WOMAN KILLS EAGLE

Jack Tucker, 13, grandson of Mrs. Etta Tucker, shot and killed an eagle while hunting with a companion near his home in Dewey, Ariz. recently.

The youth was forced to kill the eagle when it attacked him, he said. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Tucker, former Merkel residents.

ATTEND SISTER'S FUNERAL

Mr. and Mrs. Virgil Patterson attended funeral services for Mrs. Patterson's sister, Mrs. Mable Cooper, which were held at Dimmitt, Texas, Saturday, Jan. 10. Accompanying Mr. and Mrs. Patterson were Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Akin of Baird, Mrs. Norris Lineweaver of Abilene and the Rev. and Mrs. Jarrell Sharp and Jarrell Pat of Blackwell.

Total Of 4,443 Bales Of Cotton Ginned In Merkel

With about a week left of the cotton ginning season, Morris Smith, manager of the local Farmers Co-Op Gin, reports a total of 4,443 bales ginned here this year.

This is 1300 bales more than the Co-op Gin had last year and 700 more than the total ginned in Merkel last year when two gins were in operation.

Morris said the average cotton yield was about 1/2 bale per acre. The grade as a whole was good for dry land farming, he said.

Hamner Is Named Country Club Head

John Hamner was elected president of the Merkel Country Club at a general membership meeting in the Taylor Electric Co-Op auditorium Monday night.

Other new officers are Lester Dorton, vice-president and Wrenn Durham, secretary.

Board of directors include Don Warren, B. H. Jones, Burford Allen, Horace Boney and Howard Carson.

Trent Defeats Lueders, 52-45

Trent's Tigers rolled to a 52-45 District 17-B basketball victory over Lueders in Trent Friday night.

Three Trent cagers scored in double figures in gaining the triumph. Don Jones led the winners with 14 points. Bill Zips took scoring honors for Lueders with 13 points.

Trent won the girls' game over Lueders, 68-27, with Rose Mary Jones netting 28 points and Dolly Skeese had 10 for Lueders. Tilly McWilliams netted 24 points for Trent.

THE BOX:
TRENT — Williams, 5-2-12; Halford, 6-1-13; Bright, 1-0-2; Jones, 5-4-14; Clayborn, 2-3-7; Payne, 2-0-4; Totals, 21-10-52.
LUEDERS — Thomas, 5-1-11; Zips, 5-3-13; Skeese, 1-0-2; Honey, 1-0-2; Youngquist, 2-2-6; Garvin, 5-1-11; Totals, 19-7-45.

N-O-T-I-C-E

Due to the Stock Show to be held in Abilene, Monday, Jan. 19, the Bluebonnet Home Demonstration Club has postponed its meeting to 2 p.m. Tuesday, Jan. 27, in the home of Mrs. Tom Rus.



MERKEL'S TOP STEERS — Freddie Toombs, left, showed the steer he's holding to the championship of the Merkel Stock Show Saturday. At right is Bob Benson and the reserve champion. Standing back of the champion is Roy Largent, noted Merkel Hereford breeder, who judged the show.

DOLLAR DAY SPECIALS! FEATURED TUESDAY

gabby doodle from noodle says:

DEAR MISTER EDITOR: I didn't know it till I read this piece in the paper last night that the Government ever months sores away millions of dollars worth of stuff that would be essential in case of war. I'm in favor of this system of stockpiling a little all along instead of the way they did it during the last war. We got caught with our stockpiles down in that one and it was somepun to see them Congressmen flopping around like a chicken with his head cut off trying to git things

fer the war. I recollect they come up with a War Production Board and some of the things they done was out of this world. For instance, they put tombstones on the non-essential list. That didn't upset the home front too much on account of most folk lives with their nose on the grindstone and they ain't got much objection to using it for a tombstone when they passes on.

But when they made a rule that caskets had to be held to six foot in length it started a second war. I remember that the Michigan Funeral Directors and Embalmers Association filed a writ of habeas corpus or somepun that the average man couldn't be buried in a box six foot long without bending his knees up in such a fashion as would make his relatives mad at the undertaker. And a Michigan feller in Congress got up and asked if it hadn't "come to a hell of a pass when a man couldn't get a decent burial in America." And Congressman Bob Doughton from North Carolina answered that to help the war effort a feller shouldn't mind being put away with a slight bend in his knees.

I don't recollect how it all come out in the end, but I know things was very bad on account of us getting caught short. I'm strong in favor of this stockpiling business and I hope they'll include caskets so's a feller can be laid to rest stretched out and comfortable. He gits a crib three foot long when he's born and he ought to git a box eight foot long when he dies. It's a long, hard fight to gain them five foot.

I see by the papers where a big New York bank is serving tea from four till six on Monday and Friday. I ain't surprised, with drug stores handling lawn mowers and hardware stores selling patent medicine. If I owned a cafe close to that bank, I'd start lending money on Tuesday and Saturday.

Yours truly,
Gabby

Mrs. Kate Paylor and sons, Tobe Paylor of Ballinger and Mr. and Mrs. George Paylor and children, Patricia and Carol Jo of Monahans, Mrs. Harry Davis of Wichita Falls, Mr. and Mrs. H. Race McFarland of Fort Worth and Mrs. Mable Dorton and son Bill of Merkel were holiday guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Dorton.

Mrs. Mable Dorton spent a few days this week with her sister, Mrs. Kate Paylor and son, Tobe of Ballinger.

20 YEARS AGO

IN MERKEL

Adcock Dry Cleaners removed Saturday night to the McLeod building on Elm Street, two doors east of Eli Case and Son Grocery. A ground soaking rain Wednesday revived hopes of wheat farmers, produced moisture for planting small grains and greatly improved pasturage conditions.

Dr. M. Armstrong was re-elected president of the Farmers State Bank in Merkel at a meeting of the directors Tuesday afternoon, following the annual stockholder's meeting. J. A. Patterson and J. W. Tiner were re-elected vice-presidents and W. A. Whitley and Miss V. M. Campbell re-elected cashier and assistant cashier, respectively.

J. T. Warren, who has been president of the Farmers and Merchants National Bank since its organization in 1904, was re-elected head of the institution at the meeting of directors held Tuesday, following the annual stockholders' meeting.

The members of the Annual staff have been working in a big way. Fourteen pages of the "Badger" were sent off Monday. Sixty-three Annuals were bought by the Senior class.

The F.F.A. meeting last Tuesday night turned out to be a very successful meeting. The boys elected Ruth Bell as the F. F. A. "Sweetheart."

News has been received here of the marriage of Miss Tynell Cigburn and Homer Johnson at the East Side ranch of Mr. and Mrs. Miller Hoskiss of Firebaugh, Calif., on Dec. 22. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hurley Cigburn and a granddaughter of Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Sherman.

On Tuesday, Jan. 3, June and Joy Nalley entertained a number of their little friends in their home with a party.

40 YEARS AGO

IN MERKEL

At 3:30 o'clock Tuesday afternoon a large number of parents and teachers met in the High School auditorium and prefected

the organization of a Parent-Teachers Club. Mrs. M. Armstrong was elected president, Mrs. T. A. Johnson, vice president, Miss Sophia Howard, secretary and treasurer and Miss Emma Houston, press reporter.

E. D. Coats has moved to the suite of offices over the Crown Hardware Company, where he will be glad to have his friends call.

Wm. Brown, Bill O'Brian and DeVerl Johnson attended a dance given at the Elks Hall in Abilene during the holidays.

Urban Shannon, Mason Pee, Clyde Foster, Willie Tucker, Vernon Sublett, Shirley King and others have received their discharge from the service.

Dr. Gambill has returned to Merkel and is again engaged in the practice of dentistry at his old location. Mrs. Gambill preceded him here a few weeks.

Arl Sharp has returned to San Diego after a holiday visit with his parents.

The singers of the city met Monday evening and organized a Sing-Song. Harry Barnett was elected president, and Jim Black vice-president; Mrs. Lyton Howard, secretary.

B. F. Deutschman has returned from overseas service. He fought in the Argonne sector and would not take anything for his experiences. He says he misses his friends, county (louse) more than anything but would not choose to go over again.

M/Sgt. and Mrs. L. C. Whisenhunt and children, Kathy and Lynn, of Topeka, Kansas, spent the holidays with their parents, Charlie Whisenhunt of Ballinger and Mrs. Tommie Smith of Merkel.

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TUESDAY, JAN. 20

Salmon croquettes
English peas
Creamed potatoes
Home made rolls
Butter
Peach preserves
Milk

WEDNESDAY, JAN. 21

Steak
Gravy
Rice
Tomato wedges
Bread

Butter
Apple sauce

THURSDAY, JAN. 22

Hot dogs
Red beans
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Pickle slices
Peach cobbler
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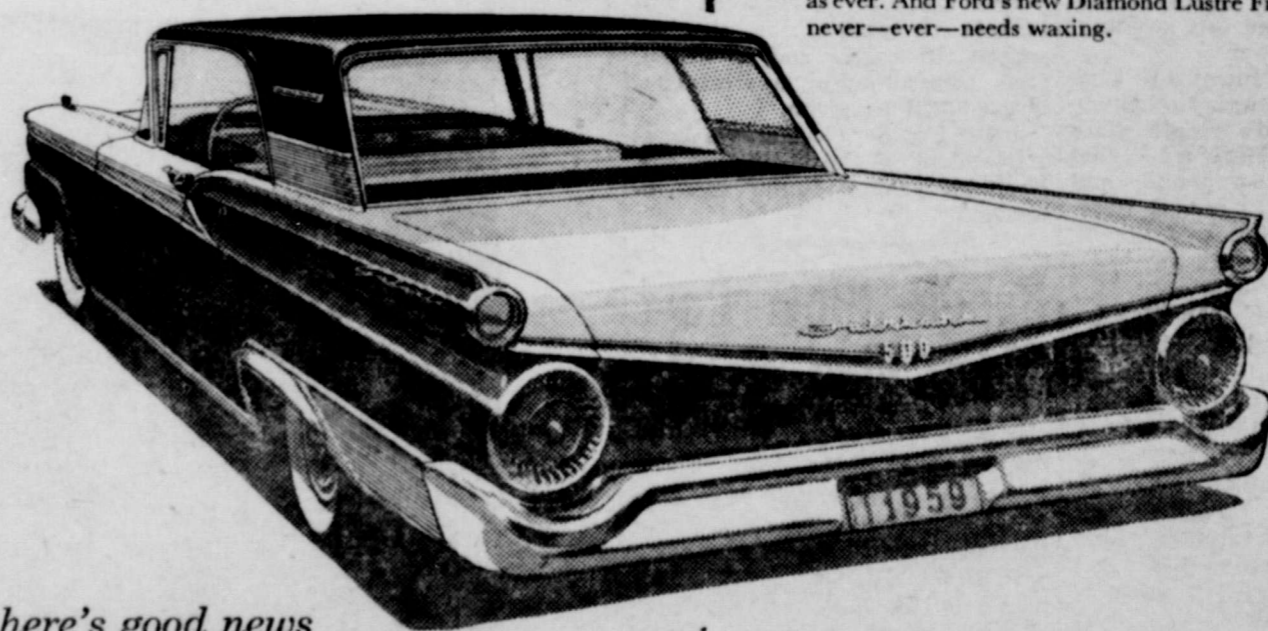
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Corner on Cotton
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if we're any judge, it's going to take a sizeable bite out of a traditionally wool market . . . has all the advantages of cotton and the resin treatment gives it a wrinkle resistance that cotton hasn't had before . . . maybe cotton isn't dead after all!

More Competition?

It may not be long before corn will be competing with cotton in the clothing field . . . a new variety of corn has a chemical similar to cellulose . . . it can be made into a fiber like rayon . . . but doesn't have sufficient fiber strength and may not dye satisfactorily . . . however, if research ticks the technical problems the cotton farmers will have one more competitor.

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The government publishes a Farmer's Tax Guide which might prove helpful to you in figuring your income tax . . . cost is 35 cents (coin or check) . . . write to Superintendent of Documents, Washington 25, D. C. . . ask for publication number 225.

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Union Ridge HD

Mrs. J. H. Clark was hostess to the Union Ridge Home Demonstration in her home Wednesday, Jan. 6.
The meeting was opened with members repeating the THD creed and prayer.
Mrs. Denzel Cox, president, presided at the business session.
Mrs. Clark gave a report for the finance committee and Mrs.

M. R. Douglas reported on the special committee.
Officers elected for this year are Mrs. Denzel Cox, president; Mrs. O. E. Harwell, vice chairman; Mrs. J. H. Clark, treasurer; Mrs. Clyde Newton, secretary and Miss Mable McRee, Council delegate.
Refreshments were served to seven members.
Miss Loreta Allen, county agent will attend the next meeting of

New Arrivals

Mr. and Mrs. Truman Harwell, 910 Yucca, are parents of a son, Timbyr Layne, born at 5:10 p.m. Dec. 28 in Sadler Clinic Hospital. The young fellow weighed 6 lbs. 4 oz.

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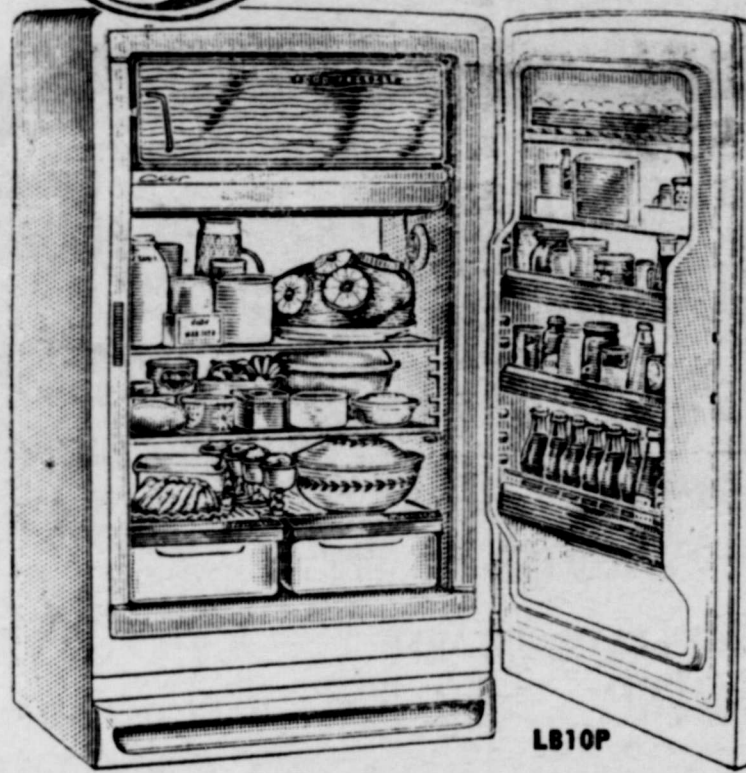
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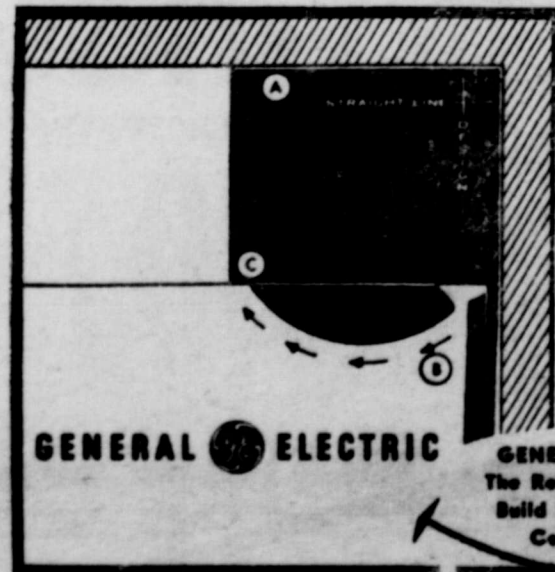


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Merkel

SMITH-SCROGGINS ENGAGEMENT TOLD

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Carnohan, Feb. 21 in the First Baptist Church, Merkel. The Rev. C. G. Sewell, former pastor, will perform the ceremony.

Miss Smith, a 1958 graduate of Merkel High School, is a freshman at Hardin-Simmons University. Scroggins is a graduate of Merkel High School and Cisco Junior College. He is employed by Taylor Electric Co-Op in Merkel.

The couple will be married

Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Perry and son of Wilcox, Arizona, visited their mother, Mrs. Tommie Smith during the holidays.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Grimes of Quannah visited here recently with Mrs. Ruby Grimes, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth West and daughters and Mrs. Mary Grimes.

Recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Martin were her sister, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gregory, of Hamlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul Douglas of Ruidosa, N. M., were Merkel visitors the first of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Andy Saffle and sons of Petersburg were recent visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Peterson.

Bonnie Supter of Abilene spent the weekend with her grandmother, Mrs. Ed Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. B. T. Sublett have returned to their home here after a holiday visit with their son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Sublett and children, of Albuquerque, N. M. While they were there a 13 inch snow fell.



MRS. JOHNNY THOMAS

Brenda Haynes, Johnny Thomas Are Wed In Baptist Parsonage

Brenda Joyce Haynes and Johnny Carlton Thomas were married in the parsonage of the First Baptist Church in Merkel at 3 p.m., Dec. 24. The Rev. C. G. Sewell, pastor, performed the ceremony.

Parents of the couple are Mr. and Mrs. Grady Haynes of Abilene, and Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Thomas of Merkel. Honor attendants were Carolyn Walker of Abilene and Terry Gardner.

The bride wore a white princess styled dress with matching accessories. Her corsage was of white gardenias. The couple live at 206 El Paso St., Merkel. Thomas is associated with his father in the Merkel Radiator Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Alonzo Peterson had as guests during the holidays their children, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Peterson and children and Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Peterson and children, all of Abilene.

Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Cooley and children, Martha and Jerry, of Sweetwater visited the Rev. and Mrs. Alvis Cooley and daughters Sunday.

Fancy Percales

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\$119 per roll

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Wide width, good weight, and smooth quality of brown domestic. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

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Bed Sheets

"Garza" quality, double bed size, fine thread count, and cellophane wrapped. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

\$350 per pair

Pillow cases to match these sheets ONLY

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TOWELS

"Cannon" quality double thread construction, 20"x30" size, and all the wanted pastel shades. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

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Wash cloths to match these bath towels ONLY

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"Garza" quality, double bed size, first quality, all the wanted pastel shades, and cellophane wrapped. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

\$500 per pair

Pillow cases to match these sheets ONLY

\$125 per pair

Bed Spreads

Double-bed size, heavy weight, lots of chenille, and fringed edges. Choice of popular colors. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

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Yard Goods Close-Out

Lots to choose from! Our entire stock of better quality piece goods (all types of fabrics) on DOLLAR DAY

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IT'S "DOUBLE SAVINGS" AT MELLINGER'S, TUESDAY, JANUARY 20th—
OUR JANUARY CLEARANCE AND MONTHLY DOLLAR DAY. LOTS OF
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Blanket Specials

Group I

Consists of fine quality double cotton blankets. Colorful plaids, and size 66x76 inches. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

\$269 each

Group II

Consists of extra large cotton double plaid blankets — 70x80 inches. Good weight. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

\$298 each

Group III

Consists of a heavy weight part wool plaid blanket with satin bound hems. Attractive colors. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

\$399 each

Group IV

Consists of our entire stock of boxed blankets with nice, wide satin bound hems. All pastel colors and White. Woolens, wool blends, Nylons, and other miracle fabrics. Moth proofed, too. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

1-3 off

Outings

36 inches wide, heavy weight, and your choice of solid colors and light and dark fancies. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

29c per yard

Ladies' Hosiery

51 Gauge, guaranteed first quality, all NYLON Hosiery. All new shades. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

2 pairs for \$100

DUSTERS

One lot of Ladies' "Duster" robes. A good value. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

\$299 each

Fall Skirts

Our entire stock of Fall Skirts to go. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

1-2 price

Ladies' Ready-To-Wear

Group I

Consists of our entire stock of both Ladies' and Girl's long-length Fall coats. A wonderful value for the many cold days to come. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

1-2 price

Group II

Consists of our entire stock of both Ladies' and Girl's Sweaters. Many styles, colors, and fabrics to choose from. Most all sizes available. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

1-2 price

Group III

Consists of one lot of Ladies' Blouses — attractive styles, all sizes, and nice fabrics. This shipment just arrived. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

\$100 each

Group IV

Consists of our entire stock of Ladies' Fall Dresses. The sizes are broken, but the selection is nice. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

Was \$6.95 & \$7.95 NOW \$3.00

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Was \$10.95 NOW \$5.00

Was \$12.95 & \$14.95 NOW \$6.00

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Ladies' Fall Suits

You may have your choice of any ladies fall suit in the store at this low price for Dollar Day only

1-3 off

Men's & Boys' Jackets

A long rack to choose from. You'll find lined coats and jackets, Rayon reversibles. Motor cycle jackets, and dress jackets. Sizes range in Men's from 34 to 46; Boys size 2 through 18. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

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Outing Gowns & Pajamas

Attractive styles, nice fabrics, an assortment of colors, and all sizes. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

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Men's Suits

Group I

Consists of broken sizes in Men's double-breasted style dress suits. Wanted colors and pattern and Rayon fabric. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

\$1500 each

Group II

Consists of broken sizes in Men's double-breasted style dress suits. Good colors and patterns and all-wool fabrics by ROSE and CURLEE. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

\$1995 each

SHOE SPECIALS

Group I

Consists of our entire stock of Ladies dress Suede shoes in both Black and Brown. Styles by CONNIE and TRIM-TRED. Fine quality but broken sizes. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

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Group II

Consists of one lot of Girls' "Pixies". Many colorful patterns and Black to choose from. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

\$179 per pair

Group III

Consists of hundreds of pairs of Men's, Women's, and Children's new Spring shoes. For Women and Children you will find neat dress styles, as well as comfortable casuals and flats. All colors, too; and all sizes and widths. Be sure and see these new arrivals by PARIS FASHION, CONNIE, & TRIM TRED.

Men's Jeans

13 3/4-ounce "Dickie" blue jeans for Men. Sanforized shrunk, tight fitting, and all sizes. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

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All NYLON construction, well tailored, all sizes, too. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

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Made of sanforized shrunk Polished Cotton fabric by "Dickie". Choice of Black, Tan, and Brown. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

Men's \$395 per pair

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Boys' Dress Sweaters

Sizes and colors are broken. Fine Orlan knit and wanted styles. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

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Boys' Sport Shirts

All that we have left in sanforized broadcloths, flannels, and cotton knits. Both "Campus" and "Tom Sawyer" brands. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

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Men's Shorts & Vests

Choice of sanforized broadcloth shorts—either "boxer" or gripper styles—sizes 28 to 44; or knitted briefs with all-around elastic tops. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

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Men's cotton vest with Nylon reinforced arms and necks. Panel ribbed, long length, and sizes 34 to 46. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

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Boys' Jeans

LONGHORN QUALITY. Nice weight, sanforized shrunk, and tight fitting. Available in "slims" also. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

Sizes 1 to 10 ONLY \$1.79 per pair

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Full cut, 2 pockets, and sanforized shrunk. Available in Grey and Blue. All sizes. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

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"Dickie" quality. Made of 8.2-ounce Army Cloth in Suntan and Postman Grey colors. Well made for better fit. All sizes. FOR DOLLAR DAY ONLY

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WANT ADS

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING RATES
Classified ads are 4 cents per word for the first insertion and 3 cents per word for additional insertions. Minimum charge is \$1. Cards of thanks are \$1 for the first 50 words; 4 cents for each word over 50.

MISCELLANEOUS
WANTED — Barley. See Jack South at Patterson Grain. 43-tfc

I WOULD APPRECIATE if the one who borrowed my steel mixer box would please return it. Jack Cannon. 43-tfc

WANTED—House painting, Repairing, Remodeling, Building. Big or little jobs. Hour or contracts. Lee Ward, Phone 195-J, 511 Ash. 23-tfc

NOTICE MASONS
Stated meeting of Merkel Lodge No. 710, A.F. & A. M. Saturday, Jan. 24, 8:30 p.m. All members are urged to attend. Visiting brethren cordially invited.
Othell O'Kelly, W. M.
C. B. Rust, Secretary.

FOR RENT
FOR RENT — 5-room house 3 miles north of town on school bus route. Good road. Odie Jones. 44-tfc

FOR RENT — 2-room furnished apartment. 106 Oak. 44-2tc

FOR RENT — 4-room and bath house. See Buster Hester, 818 Rose or call 269 W. 44-3tp

FOR RENT — 4-room house with garage. A. B. Patterson, 607 Oak. Tel. 355-J. 43-tfc

FOR RENT — 4-room and bath unfurnished duplex. Call Ray Wilson at 173. 13-tfc

FOR RENT — One and two-bedroom apartments. Also bedrooms. Call 405-W or inquire at the Merkel Hotel. 40-tfc

2 FURNISHED Apartments for rent. 1 bedroom and 3 bedroom. Bills paid. See Macks Cleaners. 39-tfc

FOR RENT — Nice 2-bedroom house. Cyrus Pee Agency. 43-tfc

FOR RENT — 5-room house. 106 Locust. Dan Reidenbach. Tel. 9008 R-2. 44-tfc

FOR RENT — 5 room and bath farm house one mile west of Trent. See Luther Orsborn, Rt. 1, Trent or phone Mrs. Lois McCue, OR 4-6537. 44-2tc

FOR SALE
FOR SALE — Moline one-way 5-26 inch disks with power lift. 10 inch spacing. All bearings new. Disk sharpened 4 miles north of Noodle. C. N. Hatfield. 44-tfc

FOR SALE—Extra nice used GE Electric Range. Palmer Motor Company. Phone 159. 40-tfc

FOR SALE—Tru-Cold 16 ft. upright deep freeze. New at a bargain. Merkel Salvage. 928 N. 1st. 7-tfc

FOR SALE — '55 Ford - 4-door Fairlane 500. Two-tone color—good condition, reasonably priced. See F. T. Bartlett at 112 Yeaco. 1tp

FOR MONUMENTS CALL TOM COATS 131 MERKEL, TEXAS 16-4f

FOR SALE—Good used refrigerators at Palmer Motor Co. 17-tfc

FOR SALE — Duroc and Chester white pigs weaned and on feed \$10. Kenneth Ray at Butman Ranch House

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FOR SALE—Equity in new 2-bedroom home. Plumbed for washer. Phone 160-W. 43-3tp

HOUSE FOR SALE—912 So. 5th. Morris B. Smith. Call 138. 44-tfc

FOR SALE—1 Model 16 John Deere cotton stripper used one season. Two new 4-wheel grain or cotton trailers. Call B. W. Barbee, Noodle 6122. 43-2tc

FOR SALE—Two boy's bicycles—one used English style Swinn and one new Sky rider. Reasonable. Horace Hargrove, 361-J. 43-tfc

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We wish to thank our friends and neighbors for the kindness and sympathy shown us in our recent sorrow, floral offerings and other kindnesses shown. It has made easier our loss in the death of our son and brother. Your presence, kindness and flowers will be a cherished memory. Also, for those who sent flowers, whose cards may have been misplaced, we thank you and will be forever grateful.

The Families of
V. A. Liner, Merkel
Alfred T. Liner, Anson
James J. Liner, Ira
Chas. D. Maserang, Lubbock
Chas. L. Reddin, Merkel
E. W. Keese, Abilene

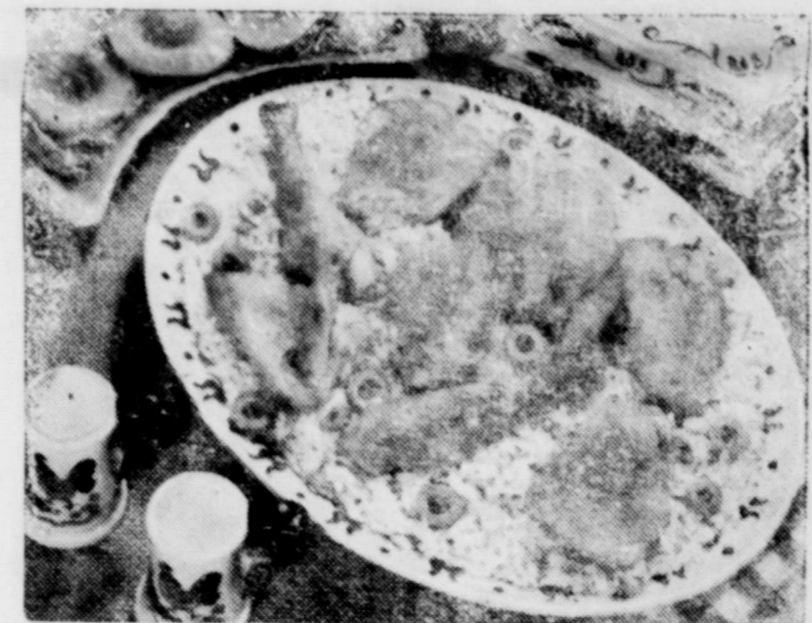
CARD OF THANKS
I would like to thank all of you for your kindness and patience throughout the years that my late husband, Bob McDonald, was in the barber business. I have sold the barber shop to E. A. Conley and hope you will patronize him in the future.
Mrs. Bob McDonald

CARD OF THANK
We wish to thank each and every one who helped in any way during the recent illness and loss of our husband and father. To those who brought food, to the ones who sat up and the doctors and nurses, we extend our heartfelt thanks. May God bless you.
Mrs. G. W. Scott and children

LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE OF EXECUTION SALE
THE STATE OF TEXAS
COUNTY OF TAYLOR
By virtue of an Execution issued out of the 42nd District Court of Taylor County, Texas, on a judgement rendered in said court on the 25th day of November, 1958, in favor of T. A. Russell, Trustee, and against Virgil Morley and wife, Margie Morley for a debt in the amount of \$3,651.42, together with Attorney's Fees in the sum of \$450.00 and to foreclose a Vendor's Lien described in a Warranty Deed recorded in Volume 555, page 608 of the Deed Records of Taylor County, Texas, in the case of T. A. Russell, Trustee, against Virgil Morley and wife, Margie Morley, Cause No. 23426-A in such Court, I, did, on the 18 day of December, 1958, at 10:00 o'clock P. M. levy upon the following described property situated in Abilene, Taylor County, Texas, under an Order of Sale issued by the District Clerk on December 18th, 1958, under the terms of said judgement, to-wit:
All of Lot No. 3 and the North 12 feet of Lot No. 2, Block 2, R. Q. West Subdivision of the East 187 feet of Lot No. 1, Block No. 1, of Fair Park Acres, a subdivision of a part of the H. Ward Survey No. 90, and the West part of Block No. 4, Fair Park Acres to the City of Abilene, Taylor County, Texas;
On the 3rd day of February, 1959, being the First Tuesday of said month, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock A. M., and 4:00 o'clock P. M., on said day at the Court House door of said County, I will offer for sale and sell at public auction, for cash, all right, title and interest of the said Virgil Morley and wife, Margie Morley in and to said property.
Dated this 18th day of December, A. D. 1958.
J. D. Woodard
Sheriff, Taylor County, Tex.
Fred Ownby,
Deputy

42-43-44



Broiled Chicken, Lemon Herb Sauce

Here's a new way to serve that favorite pair, Chicken and Rice. As the chicken broils, it's basted with a special lemon herb sauce. The wonderful sauce and the chicken are served over rice made fancy with pimiento-stuffed green olives.

INGREDIENTS:
1. ready-to-cook young chicken, 2½ to 3½ lbs., cut up
¼ cup melted margarine or butter
1 small clove garlic, minced
2½ teaspoons salt
½ teaspoon thyme
¼ teaspoon black pepper
¼ teaspoon poultry seasoning
3 tablespoons paprika
3 tablespoons lemon juice
1 cup uncooked white rice
2 cups water
¼ to 1/3 cup sliced stuffed green olives

METHOD: Cut the chicken into serving pieces. Rinse in cold water. Drain.
Pre-heat broiler. Melt margarine or butter in a small sauce-

UP THE CANYON

By TOM RUSSOM
Well everything is quiet up the Canyon at this time. Some farming going on. We have been having a little moisture these nights and small grain is showing up some.
It was first thought after the severe cold spell the oats were gone but it is still alive and with rain would start growing.
If anyone thought we had a cattle shortage it would be well to attend the cattle sales and see how many cattle are going to market.
The last few years it didn't take a smart man to make money on cattle. Some of the boys bought them and better than doubled their money on them. But it could be that it would take some judgment now for awhile to make money.
Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Elliott and daughter were visitors at Pioneer Church Sunday. Mrs. Elliott is the former Bobby Windham. The family have recently moved from Lubbock to Abilene.
Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Scott were in Lubbock this week looking over the livestock at Texas Tech where their son, Payton, is attending school. They reported a fine time and some stock in good condition.
The local boys' livestock show held Saturday at the livestock barn in Merkel was a fine little show and well attended by people who are interested in the work.
Ray Martin, who is in service, visited his parents, the Rev. and Mrs. E. A. Martin of the Pioneer Church, the past weekend.

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just east of Abilene and with his family are planning to move to it. They have been living in the Canyon for about a year.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles Byers who purchased the Meek's place west of Blair have moved in. Charles works at the Gyp mill in Sweetwater.
Well the livestock boys can tell you almost to the cube they are feeding. Since that cake went to \$70 per ton and you can't get much of it at that.
Mr. and Mrs. Lois Butman were among those who attended the Soil Conservation convention in Abilene Friday.

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Merkel, Texas

REPORT OF CONDITION OF THE Farmers and Merchants National Bank OF MERKEL

IN THE STATE OF TEXAS, AT THE CLOSE OF BUSINESS ON Dec. 31, 1958 PUBLISHED IN RESPONSE TO CALL MADE BY COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY, UNDER SECTION 5211, U. S. REVISED STATUTES.

ASSETS	
1. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	1,001,101.69
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	1,011,671.88
3. Obligations of States and political subdivisions	616,284.98
5. Corporate stocks (including \$6,000.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	6,000.00
6. Loans and discounts (including \$736.15 overdrafts)	1,045,041.61
7. Bank premises owned \$25,872.35, furniture and fixtures \$ None	25,872.35
12. TOTAL ASSETS	\$3,705,972.51
LIABILITIES	
13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	\$3,280,691.20
15. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	23,004.51
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	117,468.54
18. Other deposits (certified and cashier's checks, etc.)	13,133.27
19. TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$3,434,297.52
24. TOTAL LIABILITIES	\$3,434,297.52
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
25. Capital Stock: (c) Common stock, total par	100,000.00
26. Surplus	100,000.00
27. Undivided profits	71,674.99
29. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	271,674.99
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES and CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	\$3,705,972.51

MEMORANDA
31. Assets pledged or assigned to secure liabilities and for other purposes 135,000.00
33.(a)(1) Loans to farmers directly guaranteed and redeemable on demand by the Commodity Credit Corporation, and certificates of interest representing ownership thereof 407,073.00
1, Geo. T. Moore, Cashier of the above-named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief
GEO. T. MOORE, Cashier,
CORRECT—Attest
H. C. WEST
W. S. J. BROWN
DONALD W. WARREN, M.D.
Directors

State of Texas, County of Taylor, ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of January, 1959, and I hereby certify that I am not an officer or director of this bank.
(SEAL) Horace O. Boney, Notary Public.
My commission expires June 1, 1959.

REPORT OF CONDITION OF HOME STATE BANK OF TRENT, TEXAS

Report of condition of "Home State Bank" of Trent, Texas at the close of business Dec. 31, 1958, a State banking institution organized and operating under the banking laws of this State and a member of the Federal Reserve System. Published in accordance with a call made by the State Banking Authorities and by the Federal Reserve Bank of this District.

ASSETS	
1. Cash, balances with other banks, including reserve balance, and cash items in process of collection	373,505.41
2. United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed	312,000.00
5. Corporate stocks (including \$2,700.00 stock of Federal Reserve bank)	2,700.00
6. Loans and discounts (including \$14 cents overdrafts)	256,649.93
7. Bank premises owned \$5,250.00, furniture and fixtures \$4,980.00	10,230.00
11. Other assets	8,000.00
12. TOTAL ASSETS	963,085.34
LIABILITIES	
13. Demand deposits of individuals, partnerships, and corporations	786,205.52
15. Deposits of United States Government (including postal savings)	168.75
16. Deposits of States and political subdivisions	52,823.04
19. TOTAL DEPOSITS	\$839,197.31
23. Other liabilities	8,000.00
24. TOTAL LIABILITIES	847,197.31
CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	
25. Capital*	\$ 25,000.00
26. Surplus	75,000.00
27. Undivided profits	15,888.03
29. TOTAL CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	115,888.03
30. TOTAL LIABILITIES and CAPITAL ACCOUNTS	963,085.34

*This bank's capital consists of:
Common stock with total par value of \$25,000.00
33. (b) Total amount of loans, certificates of interest, and obligations, or portions thereof, which are fully backed or insured by agencies of the United States Government (other than "United States Government obligations, direct and guaranteed") 22,966.95

I, James V. Ross, Cashier of the above-named bank, hereby certify that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.
CORRECT—ATTEST:
DIRECTORS
T. H. WILLIAMSON
DOW WILLIAMSON
JOHN C. CRAIN
STATE OF TEXAS, County of Taylor, ss:
Sworn to and subscribed before me this 8th day of January, 1959.
BETTY HAMNER, Notary Public
(SEAL) Taylor County, Texas

Starr Rest Home

By Mary Outlaw

I am still finding notes around that I wrote to myself during Christmas, the people who came and visited and brought gifts. Members of the Jr. Red Cross, Merkel High School, sponsored Mrs. Ellen McReynolds, Lone Harris, president, brought boxes of fruits, nuts and etc. and sand Christmas carols for the patients. We really appreciated their kindness. The Trent F.H.A. Chapter sponsored by Mrs. Elsie Goodwin came and brought and addressed Christmas cards for the patients to send to their loved ones. Among those that came were Joyce Morris, Paula Dudley, Cynthia Gunter, Peggy Maberry, Janice Byrom, Lupe Acuna, Sarah Payne, Syra Swinney and Sue Payne. Thanks to the Woodman Circle for bringing the box of jellies, canned fruits, chow chow and etc. We sure appreciated them. Rev. Wayne Davis, pastor of the Calvary Baptist Church, filled his appointment Jan. 3. He

brought a number of his members to help sing. He brought a good message and everyone enjoyed the services.

Mrs. Willie Mashburn had her daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Cooley and Caryn and Donna, of Pearsall, Texas to visit her during Christmas.

Bill Kelly of Abilene visited uncle Joe Alphin Sunday afternoon.

Rev. Dorn of Trent visited each patient in the Rest Home last week. The patients enjoy his visits and look forward to them. We do appreciate Rev. Dorn visiting in our home.

Rev. Wm. S. Agnew, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Cypret, Miss Vivian Agnew and Robert Smith from the Assembly of God Church came and filled their appointment Sunday Jan. 11. Robert Smith conducted the services. Everyone enjoyed the good singing and the message.

We have had lots of visitors since Christmas both out of town and locally. The nurses have been real busy and didn't get their names but we do appreciate your visits and invite you back again. Mr. Reagan has come back to stay for a while. He was very ill when admitted, is improving now.

We hope he will soon be up again.

Uncle Jim Smith left and went to live in Abilene but we do want to thank the people who work at the Merkel Drug for buying some Christmas gift for him. I understand that he has never expressed his thanks to them for the gifts but am sure it is because he became ill after he went to Abilene and may not be well at the present time. I am sure when he is able to come to Merkel he will visit his friends at the Merkel Drug and thank them for the gifts.

Mrs. Steen is having lots of company since coming into our home. You who are her friends, do come by and say hello to "Aunt Lutie". We think she is a nice person and we enjoy having her.

Mrs. B. T. Brown of Trent visited her mother, Sarah Carr, this past week.

We want to thank the Garden Club for bringing the gift to Hettie West. She was 70 years old Sat. Jan. 10. We hope she has many more birthdays. Mrs. Jenkins from Abilene visited her father, Mr. Reagan, on the weekend. Odie Smedley from Rowden visited his father, N. A. Smedley last week. Mr. Smedley will celebrate his 101 birthday on the 17th of this month.

Margaret Eason wants to thank E. B. Brown, Freddie Toombs, Bob Benson, Jack Chaney and Jerry Miller for bringing her the Lord's Supper Jan. 3rd.

Goodman HD Club

The Goodman Home Demonstration Club met in the Community Center on Jan. 9 with Mrs. Cal McAninch, president, as hostess.

The meeting opened with a prayer by Mrs. Jennings Winter. Roll call was answered with "Something I learned in Home Demonstration work in 1958."

The program included the installation of officers. Mrs. H. H. Windham gave a council report.

Refreshments were served to Mmes. H. H. Windham, Karl Benaux, Hellum, J. B. Tinner, Jennings Winter, D. R. Butler, D. L. Butler, C. H. Butler, Mrs. Howard Phillips, a visitor; and five children.



Sally Lewis says...

They say the American way is to use a product, then read the directions. It's sad but true in too many cases. We're often in too great a hurry and we fail to read the manufacturer's instructions which he wrote so carefully to help us get the best results from his product.

When the label on the household bleach says to use a certain number of ounces per gallon of water, that doesn't mean you measure it in "glug-glugs."

When the directions on the electric coffee maker say "Use Cold Water," that's what to use if you want coffee. Putting hot water into the gadget throws the thermostat out of kilter and you get no coffee—only abuse from the man of the house when he sits down to breakfast.

Aluminum is another marvel of our age. But it must be used in the right way—as the manufacturers recommend. A lady who lined the entire bottom of her smokeless broiler with aluminum foil found that she actually fried her lamb chops in their own grease, and also set the broiler on fire! Had she punched tiny holes in the foil to let the fat drip through as directed, all would have been well.

Aluminum reacts to certain household products. For example, one of the best and most versatile products to have around the house is lye. It softens water, cleans stubborn grease, sanitizes basement floors, de-skins fruits, and even goes into certain food recipes. But lye and aluminum aren't friendly.

When the directions for cleaning stove and lamp burners recommend that you boil them in a solution of 2 tablespoons of lye in a gallon of water, do not use an aluminum container. Also, do not clean aluminum surfaces with lye.

Mrs. Mae Horton and son, Mr. and Mrs. Huron Horton, son, Brent, of Wichita Falls were weekend guests of their aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Martin and their sister and son, Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Amazon.

Pvt. James W. (Bud) Martin has returned to Fort Gordon, Ga., after spending a 15-day leave visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Martin.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Payne Sledge and son, of The Plains spent the holidays with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Sledge and family.

C. C. Gouge, who has been in the Veteran's Hospital at Big Spring returning to his home here Friday.

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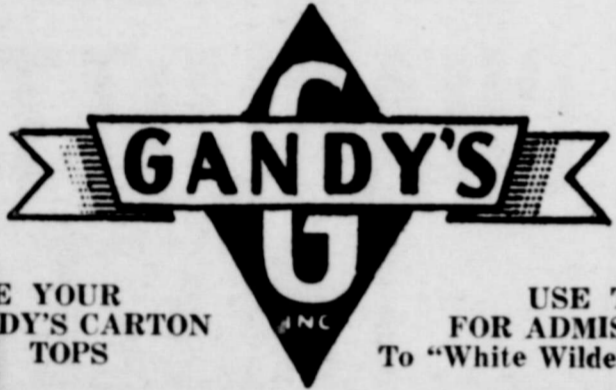
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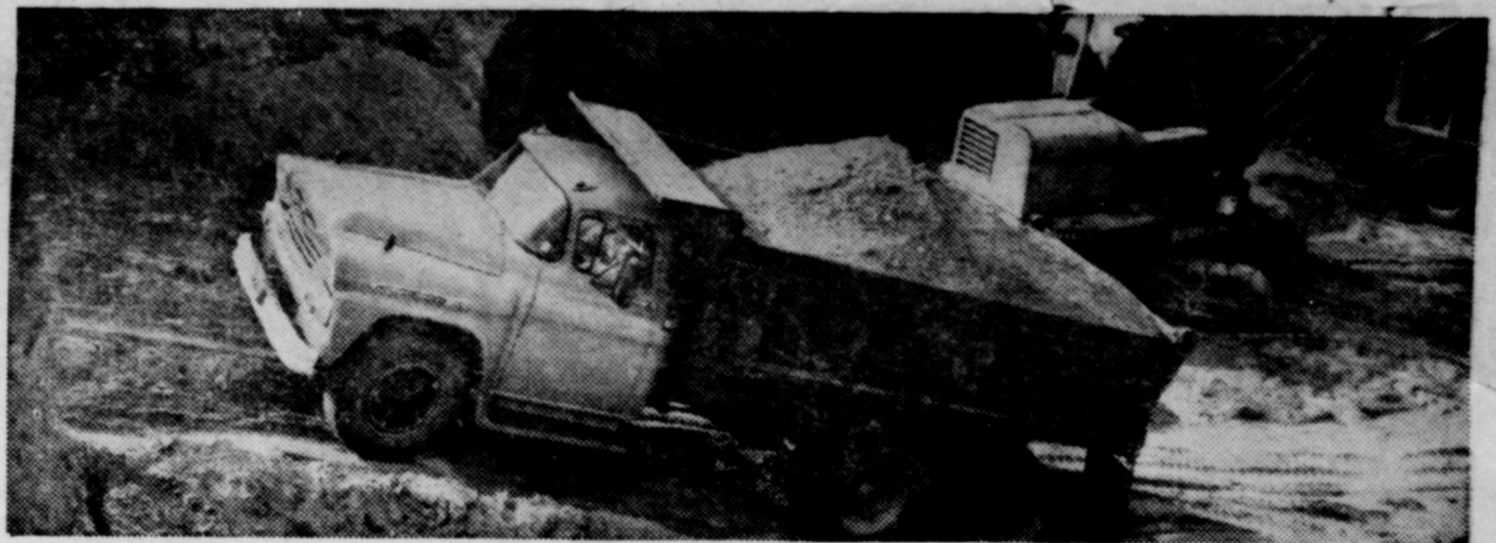
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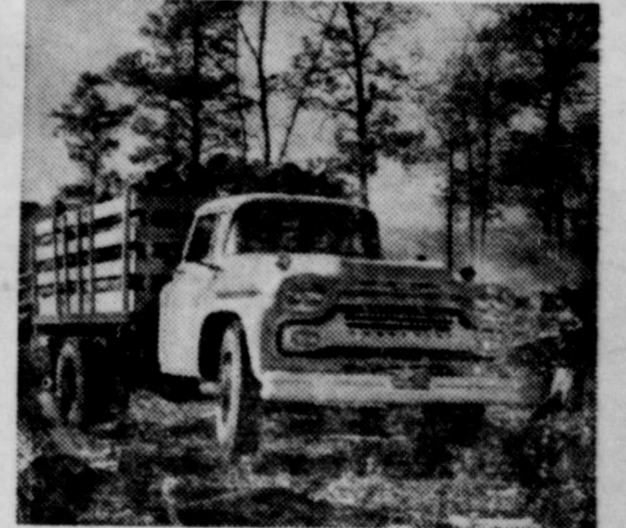


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BSP's Hear Talk On Convention

"How is your conversation?" was the title of a talk given by Earle Watts to members of the Lambda Beta Chapter of Beta Phi when they met in the Taylor Telephone Co-op office Tuesday night, Jan. 6.

Mr. Watts stressed the importance of being a good listener as an essential part of being a good conversationalist by quoting the Chinese proverb "To listen well, is as powerful a means of influence as to talk well, and is as essential to all true conversation." Other important ingredients in conversation, Mr. Watt said, are truth, good sense, good humor and wit.

Other special guests at the meeting included Margaret McAdams, District Girl Scout Executive from Abilene, and two local Girl Scout leaders, Mrs. Buddy Denington and Mrs. Wallace Doan.

Miss McAdams explained the local Girl Scout program saying that leaders have raised funds for the \$350 yearly dues in addition to their many other duties. An effort is being made to interest some local organization to sponsor the Girl Scouts, not only to back them in raising funds, but to stimulate interest in the local program. There are 50 Girl Scouts in Merkel at the present time, she said.

Following the program sorority members voted their approval of the International Endowment Fund sponsorship to the research and treatment of cancer for the next three years.

Mrs. John Hardesty, president, was hostess.

NOODLE NEWS

Mrs. L. F. Sales of Abilene visited in the home of her brother, Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Crass, recently.

Ernest Elchie of Sylvester is visiting here with his sister, and from here will go to Abilene to visit another sister, Mrs. W. R. Trice, before returning to his home.

Mr. and Mrs. Milton Kelly of Abilene spent last weekend visiting in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dick Herron.

Mrs. Forest Warren of Abilene was a weekend guest at the home of her daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Billye Maxwell.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Caldwell, Paula, Mr. and Mrs. Willie Smith and Mrs. George Cooper were Sunday visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Clement of Sweetwater.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bicknell of Trent spent Sunday with their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Eoff.

Minister Phillip Steyn and Marty Hoover were dinner guests Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Carol Best.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Sloan and Mike visited Sunday with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Sloan.

Guests Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Dock Callaway were Mr. and Mrs. Lois Melton of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. Norman Clement, Junior, Darrell and Laurel of Comanche, Fredia Melton and Chiva Boss, both of Abilene.

Sharon Vancil spent Sunday with Linda Doan.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Vancil were Saturday night and Sunday guests of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harrell Vancil.

Sandra Vancil and Nancy Campbell spent Sunday with Mrs. Bruno Ueckert.

Jerry Henson, student in H-SU, Abilene, delivered the morning and evening messages at the First Baptist Church here Sunday, Jan. 11. Subject topics were "The Sin of Unbelief" with scripture John 12:35-38, and "The Mark of a Christian" Psalm 1.

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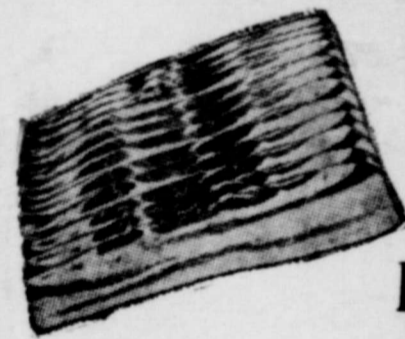
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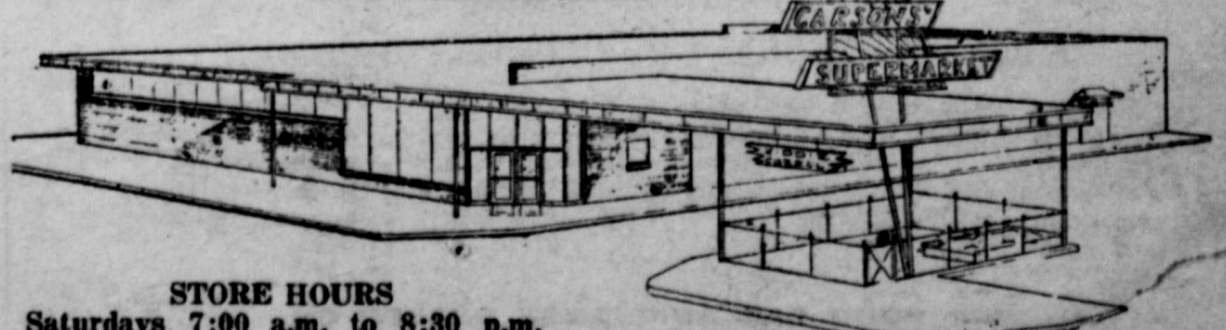
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