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## SCHOOLS TO OPEN SEPT. 1st

### Band Rehearsal To Start Aug. 25

All students interested in Merkel High School band will meet for rehearsal at the school auditorium at 7 p.m. Aug. 25, according to W. G. Reed, director. It is especially important for new band students to be present, and those who plan to be in football band need to be present to reserve a place.

Uniforms will be issued from 2 to 4 p.m., Aug. 28, Reed said.

The pre-school rehearsal schedule is as follows: Aug. 25, 7 to 9 p.m.; Aug. 26, 6 to 11 a.m.; Aug. 27, 8 to 11 a.m.; Aug. 28, 2 to 4 p.m.; Aug. 29, 8 to 11 a.m. and 7 to 9 p.m.; Aug. 30, 8 to 11 a.m.

### Tye Registration Set For Sept. 6

Registration for Tye School will be held Sept. 6 and classes will begin the following day, according to an announcement by Principal Travis J. Smith.

First grade students are required to bring their birth certificates for registration, Smith said.

Tye school buses will operate on schedule, beginning Sept. 6, for both the elementary and high school students. The elementary bus will take first through eighth graders to the Tye school, and the high school bus will take high school students to Abilene.

### 4 NEW TEACHERS ADDED TO FACULTY

Registration for Merkel schools will be held Aug. 31 and regular classes will begin Sept. 1, according to Mack Fisher, superintendent.

Faculty meetings will be held prior to the opening of school, Fisher said. Primary teachers will meet at 9 a.m., Aug. 29; elementary teachers at 9 a.m., Aug. 30 and high school teachers at 8:30 a.m., Aug. 31.

Dr. G. C. Morlan Jr., consultant in guidance for Texas Schools, Texas Education Agency, will meet with the general faculty Aug. 30 at 8 p.m. to discuss the recent ruling of the State Board

of Education concerning guidance in all the affiliated schools in Texas.

Registration of students will begin at 9:30 a.m., Aug. 31, when freshmen and sophomores will register. Juniors and seniors will register at 1:30 p.m. and primary and elementary pupils at 1:30 p.m. School buses will run for this registration. The buses will leave the bus barn in time to arrive back at the school at approximately 1:30 p.m.

Buses will begin their regular schedule on Sept. 1, arriving at the school at 8:15 a.m. and returning for the homes at 3:30 p.m.

The lunchroom will begin serving meals on Sept. 1. Lunches will cost students 30 cents. Due to the limited personnel for handling charge accounts, parents are urged to have their children pay on a cash basis if possible. If credit must be used, all such accounts should be settled on or before the last day of the month to eliminate a lot of expensive bookkeeping.

Four new teachers have been hired making the faculty complete, according to Fisher.

Tracy Norris, a graduate of Hardin - Simmons University, will be the new junior high coach. For the past two years he was junior high coach for the Ropesville schools.

Mrs. Robert Yillecox, a graduate of North Texas State, will be teacher - coach in junior high. She has been employed in the Seminole and Fort Worth schools for the past four years.

Teaching high school English will be Joyrene Morton, a graduate of Texas Womens University, Denton. She is a native of Hereford.

Robert English of Sweetwater will teach mathematics and physics. He is a graduate of Sam Houston State College.

Other high school faculty members are Edwin E. Read, principal; Carroll Benson, Chester H. Collinsworth, Gayle Givens, Mrs. Melba Gooch, Burl McCoy, Mrs. Ellen McReynolds, Milly Ray Nail, Mrs. Ruth Perkins, Mrs. Evelyn Read, Winford G. Reed and A. J. Walla.

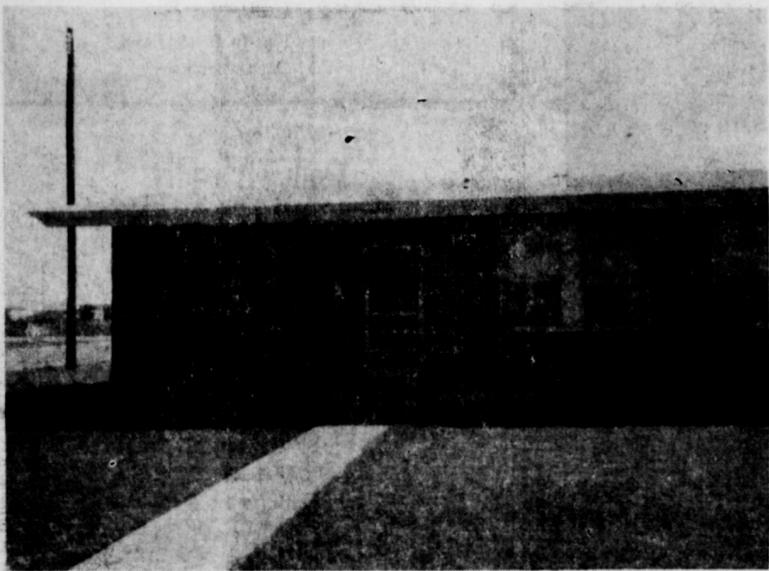
Teachers in the elementary schools are Leon Walker, principal; Mrs. Jo Barnett, Mrs. Helen Benson, Mrs. Lola Cox, Mrs. Lena Dunagin, Mrs. Linnie Fisher, Norah Foster, Mrs. Lucy Haynes, Mrs. Naomi Holloway, Mrs. Lanelle Hodge, Buddy McKeever, Mrs. Elsie Nash, Lydia Norcross, Mrs. Elleta Orsborn, Mrs. Hazel Pargament, Mrs. Ouida Reid, Mrs. Anna B. Shouse, Mrs. Eula West and Mrs. Mildred Winter.

Other employees of the school include Mrs. Ida Mae Graham, bookkeeper - secretary; Mrs. Maxine Baccus, tax assessor-collector; Mrs. Lillie Barnett, cafeteria manager; and Mrs. Leona McWilliams, Mrs. Velma Rutledge, Mrs. Doela Melton, Mrs. Nina Seymore, Mrs. Dollie Seymore and Mrs. Ester Luke, all cafeteria employees.

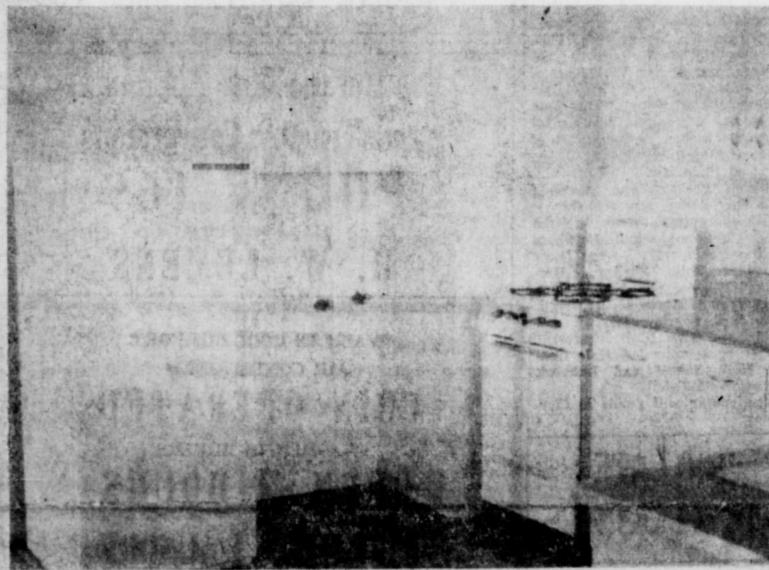
Bus drivers are Ellis Harris, A. J. Walla, Irl Walker, Henry Martin, Mrs. Mary Floyd, W. G. Reed, B. R. Nail, George Byrom. Part-time drivers are Les Thaxton and Robert English.

Foreman of the custodians is E. R. Clark, T. G. Hull is custodian of the elementary school, T. C. Satterwhite of the high school and Mrs. Charlie C. Gouge of the primary school.

Members of the Merkel School Board are Ray Wilson, president; Wayne Adcock, vice president; Ford Smith, Jr., secretary; and Lester Dorton, D. L. Moore, Joe E. Lassiter and W. R. Cypert.



One of 12 duplexes in Merkel's \$227,700 housing project.



Kitchen in one of low-rent housing units.

**BRICK HAVEN**—Open house will be held at Merkel's recently completed low-rent housing project Sunday from 4 to 7 p.m. Shown is one of the 12 brick duplexes built in the northeast part of town.

## MERKEL PHA PROJECT TO HAVE OPEN HOUSE

Merkel's \$227,700 public housing project, Brick Haven, will be open to the public Sunday afternoon Aug. 27, from 4 to 7 o'clock, according to Mrs. Mary Hargrove, executive director.

Construction on the recently completed brick duplexes started Jan. 13 with Alston Construction Co. of Sweetwater as general contractors.

One each of the one, two, three and four bedroom units will be on display for the open house Sunday. The management and maintenance building will also be open for inspection.

The project is located in the northeast section of Merkel and covers approximately three and a half acres. It is bounded on the north by 7th Street, on the east by Taylor Street, on the south by 8th Street and on the west by Lamar Street.

Tenants will start moving into the houses some time next week, Mrs. Hargrove said. Board members met Tuesday night and reviewed applications for tenancy. Fourteen were approved and others are on file pending verification of information.

The housing program will provide decent, safe and sanitary dwellings for families in the low income bracket with rent based on the family income and not on the size of the quarters required.

The project is a local one, directed by a local board of directors. The Public Housing Authority acts in an advisory capacity only, furnishing technical advice and reviews policies to see that they meet requirements of the law.

The low-rent program is financed by Federal loans made to the local authorities through the construction stage. When the project was near completion the local housing authority sold bonds publicly and repaid all Federal loans plus interest. After it is finished rental income must be sufficient

to cover operating expenses since Federal funds are not available for that purpose.

The duplexes are of brick and masonry construction with gravel roofs. Aluminum windows are used throughout. Walls are of textured and floors are asphalt tile with grease proof tile used in the kitchens.

Each unit is equipped with refrigerator, stove and heating. Built-in cabinets have double sinks and there is a large utility room adjoining each kitchen. Other features of the project include clothes lines, garbage racks complete with cans and landscaping. Grass has been planted and trees and shrubs will be planted later.

Sub-contractors on the project were Stanley Electric, Sweetwater; Carson Plumbing and Heating, Stamford; Central Roofing and Materials Co., Abilene; Moody Sheetrock Construction Co., Abilene; Chastain and Sons Construction Co., paving contractors of Abilene and Key City Steel Erectors, Abilene.

Maintenance tools were purchased from White Auto Store and Bullock's Hardware in Merkel; office furniture was purchased from the Merkel Mail Printing & Office Supply; stoves from Sunray Stove Corp.; refrigerators from Kelvinator Division of American Motors Corp. and heaters for the maintenance building from Starbuck Co. of Merkel. Jack Whitworth of Fort Worth was architect for the project and Ike Turner of Merkel was local inspector for the architect.

Members of the local housing authority board are Ray Wilson, Johnny Hammond, Dr. W. T. Sadler, and Howard Carson.

### Brown Gets Degree

Jimmie Earl Brown was among the 170 students who received degrees from the School of Arts and Sciences at Texas Technological College in Lubbock Aug. 20. He majored in geology.

## Mrs. Jinkins, 59, Longtime Merkel Resident, Dies

Funeral for Mrs. Ruth Ida Jinkins, 59, was held at 10 a.m. Monday at the Merkel Methodist Church with the pastor, the Rev. J. Alvis Cooley, officiating. Burial was in Rose Hill Cemetery, directed by Starbuck Funeral Home.

Mrs. Jinkins died Friday at Sadler Hospital. She had been seriously ill about three weeks. A resident of Merkel for 35 years, she was born June 16, 1901, in Taylor County, and married R. A. Jinkins in 1922 at Big Spring.

She was a cafe cook and had worked a number of years at Woody's Cafe and had been recently employed by the Merkel Cafe.

Surviving are one son, Robert A. Jr. of San Francisco, Cal., one daughter, Mrs. L. C. Williams of Merkel; one brother, Joe Risinger of Odessa; and five grandchildren.

## CEMETERY FUND

The following persons made contributions to the Merkel Cemetery Association fund for the week ending Aug. 20:

C. O. Lackey  
Christine Collins in memory of  
R. L. Bland  
John Collins  
B. H. Riney

## Reed Attends Band Masters Meeting

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Reed attended the Texas Band Masters Association clinic in San Antonio Monday through Wednesday.

Band directors from all over the state were present for the 13th annual meeting.

Reed is director of the Merkel High School Band.

## J. ED CONNALLY HOSTS LUNCHEON FOR AREA DEMOCRATIC LEADERS

Tickets for the \$50 per plate fund raising dinner to be held in Abilene on "Lyndon B. Johnson Day" were distributed to Democratic leaders of the 17th Congressional District when they met for a luncheon at the Windsor Hotel Tuesday, Aug. 16. Hosting the affair was J. Ed Connally, executive chairman of the Democratic party of Texas.

The fund raising dinner will be held Sept. 17 in Rose Field House on the campus of Hardin - Simmons University as the highlight of the day's activities.

In a report to the district leaders Connally said a total of 2,500 invitations have been mailed inviting people to Abilene for the affair. He said the dinners is a crucial part of the "LBJ all the way" campaign.

The state chairman recalled that in 1956 enthusiasm for Stevenson was lacking in this district until the Democratic party held the fund raising dinner. It was after

this that the people of the area campaigned diligently enough that the 17th district carried for Stevenson. According to Connally this will be more important than the dinner in 1956. The funds raised, he said, will be spent at the discretion and under the direction of Senator Johnson. I'm sure the funds will be spent in Texas," he added.

Maurice Brooks, Abilene attorney and longtime Democratic party worker, was the first of several leaders who reported on party conditions throughout the area.

Brooks called on the officials to put forth special effort in acquainting the public with the difference between "liberal" and "conservative" views. He cited the fact that many West Texans have received aid for the federal government in soil bank, terrace building, and tank construction that has run into the millions of dollars yearly for this area, and these same people maintain they are conservative, yet when the

Democratic party wishes to provide a little medical care for the old folks in their golden years, this is too liberal for them. He summed this up by saying, "People are not concerned about being 'conservative' when they are receiving the funds."

Eldon Mahon, district attorney for the Colorado City district, said that Texas has a tremendous stake in the election in that Lyndon B. Johnson will be the next Vice President of the United States. If we do not carry Texas for Nixon and the Democratic Party it will be a blow for Texas throughout the nation. "For those who express the idea they may vote for Nixon in November Mahon suggested "Ask them what Nixon has ever done for Texas or for that matter, ask them what Nixon will ever do for Texas."

Judge W. R. Ely pointed out that Kennedy will be a quieting influence on Latin America, which "Nixon apparently isn't." He said "We've the greatest ticket we've had since Roosevelt and Garner."

Concerning the religious issue, Randie Jackson, alternate delegate from Baird said, "I don't believe there can be any possible question as to where Mr. Kennedy's loyalty lies or will lie in the future. If some of the objectors could just wake up to the fact that when he was elected Senator he took an oath of office, and when he is elected President he will take another oath of office of the same nature."

A bright spot of the luncheon was injected by Mrs. Bryan Bradbury who said, "There is a 'new frontier' for America with the Democratic party and especially a 'new frontier' for Texas." She also pointed out that this is the first time ticket nominees had ever worked for the party. "This will give us an opportunity to find out who the Democrats really are," she stated.

Attending the meeting were Tom Gordon, Maurice Brooks, John Crutchfield, Jack Hughes, Mrs. Bradbury, C. R. Pennington, Mr. and Mrs. Jack Smith, Grover Nelson, M. H. Varner, Judge Ely, McIlwain, Glen Biggs, Lewis Chase, Wiley Connally, Mrs. W. H. Blackburn, Gus Vletas, James Tittle, Jabe Pratt, Judge Jess Blanton, Harvey Baker, Dalton Moore, Earl Lassiter, Mrs. Max V. Carrier of Rotan, Al Finch of Roby, Eldon Mahon, Colorado City, Mr. and Mrs. Randie Jackson of Baird, Raymond Thomason Jr., Frank Hardesty of Big Spring, Hal Woodard, Pat Holt and Connally.

## TRENT SCHOOLS BELLS TO RING AUGUST 29

Trent schools will open Aug. 29 with a general assembly at 9 a.m. which the public is invited to attend, according to Supt. Wray B. Williams.

School buses will run their usual routes and lunches will be served in the school cafeteria.

Williams said seven new members will be among the faculty this year. They are Mrs. Norman Bethany, first grade; Mrs. Frances Burton, second grade; Mrs. Billy Fox, commercial teacher; Jerry McWilliams, head coach and departmental work in junior

high; Bill Gilbert, assistant coach and high school math; Mrs. Deborah Fish, homemaking; and Norman Bethany, high school English.

Other members of the faculty include Mrs. Edith Rudd, third grade; Mrs. Elsie Goodwin, fourth grade; Mrs. Creta Payne, fifth grade; Mrs. Ruth Higgins, eighth grade; Mrs. Ima Grace Williams, seventh grade; Calvin Davis, principal and science; Mrs. Geneva Maberry, music; Albert Maberry, vocational agriculture and Kenneth Worsham, history and band

## MEETING TO DISCUSS LABOR CENTER SLATED

A meeting to discuss the possibilities of establishing a community labor and service center for transient Latin - American workers will be held at the Methodist Church Wednesday, Aug. 31, at 8 p.m.

The meeting is being sponsored jointly by the First Baptist Church, the Mexican Baptist Mis-

sion and the First Methodist Church. Other church groups are also invited to attend, according to the Rev. J. Alvis Cooley, pastor of the Methodist Church.

The center would provide a place for transient laborers to congregate, visit and be out of the weather on bad days. It would also serve as a place for workers to be contacted by farmers who need their services. Plans are for the churches to provide the building.

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## Tye Baptists Meet In New Auditorium

The Tye Baptist Church held first services in their new auditorium Sunday, Aug. 21. The Rev. Jake Armstrong is the pastor and Raymond Young is music director.

The new auditorium will seat 350 in addition to a balcony. The building is masonry construction throughout and cost \$50,000.

The inside of the building is finished in oak paneling and laminated beams. It is furnished throughout with dark oak furniture.

In addition to the new auditorium the building also contains new nursery facilities and several Sunday school rooms.

Walter McCartney served as head of the building committee which was composed of deacons of the church.

## COUNTY 4-H CALF TOUR SCHEDULED THIS WEEK

Taylor County's annual 4-H beef calf tour will be held Thursday and Friday, directed by H. C. Stanley, county agricultural agent, and his assistant, Norman Drake.

Each day the trip will begin at 8 a.m. at the County Agricultural Bldg. east of the courthouse.

Thursday's tour includes nine stops with 12 4-H members, west and southwest of Abilene, to be visited.

Friday's tour will be east and northeast, with five stops and eight 4-H Club boys and girls to be visited.

Thursday's lunch stop will be in Merkel. Saturday Arthel Henson and family will be host to the tour

ists at a barbecue at the Arthel Henson Ranch at Cedar Gap.

Thursday's tour is as follows: First stop, Rusty Holloway, Merkel, feeding a Gene Pickard calf. Second stop, Bill and Sue Holloway, Merkel, feeding Henson and Pickard calves. Stop three, Rodney Robertson, Merkel, feeding a Roy Largent and Dr. T. W. Sadler calves. Stop four, Finley Barnett, Merkel, feeding a Largent calf. Stop 5, Leroy and Jerry Shafer, Trent, feeding Shafer and Gartman calves.

Noon, lunch in Merkel. Stop six, Bob Benson, Merkel, feeding Largent and Sadler calves. Stop seven, Danny Malone, Merkel. See COUNTY, Pg. 5

## Live Oak Church Fall Revival Set

The Rev. Earl Sherman, pastor of the Southwest Park Baptist Church in Abilene, will conduct services for the Live Oak Baptist Church fall revival here Sept. 4-11.

Prayer service will begin each evening at 7:30 and preaching service will start at 8 o'clock.

Singing will be led by Billy Alexander who recently moved to Merkel.

The Rev. M. E. Randolph, pastor of the church, extends an invitation to the public to attend the services.



MRS. FRANKLIN HERBERT UPP  
... formerly Tellie Frances McWilliams

## TELLIE MCWILLIAMS, FRANKLIN UPP ARE WED

Tellie Frances McWilliams and Franklin Herbert Upp were married at 6:30 p.m. Saturday, Aug. 20, in the Trent Church of Christ.

Rainer Kallus, minister, read the double ring rites.

The bride is the daughter of Mrs. Lena McWilliams. The bridegroom is the son of Mrs. Geneva A. Zimmerman of Springfield, Ill.

The bride's brother, Jerry McWilliams, gave her in marriage. Her attendants were Carolyn Graham, maid of honor, Linda Wilks, Annice Bridges of Fort Worth and Karen Hood.

The bride's sister, Kay McWilliams, and Keith Claborn lighted wedding tapers.

Wayne Southerland of Fort Worth was best man. Groomsmen were Arzel Hale and Olin O. Odom of Cisco and Urban Bright of Cross Plains.

Wedding music was by a chorus with Mrs. J. G. Wilks as soloist.

The bride's gown was of embroidered nylon tulle over taffeta with bouffant skirt and fitted bodice styled with V neckline. A large taffeta bow centered the back.

Her veil of silk illusion was fastened to a tiara of seed pearls. She carried a bouquet fashioned of a purple orchid and white feathered carnations.

Bridal attendants wore gowns of burgundy crystalline and carried cascade arrangements of white pompons.

Reception following the ceremony was at the home of Mrs. O. W. Freeman. Sandra Freeman and Rosemary Jones assisted in receiving guests.

For travel to Springfield the bride chose a taupe sheath with three quarter sleeves and brown accessories. She wore the orchid from her bouquet.

A graduate of Trent High School, the bride attended Cisco Junior College one year.

The bridegroom is a graduate of Springfield High School and of Cisco Junior College.

The couple will reside in Austin where the bridegroom will attend the University of Texas.

## Gift Tea Honors Margaret Chancey

Margaret Ann Chancey, bride elect of Douglas Pat Maddox, was complimented at a gift tea in the home of Mrs. A. W. Clemmer Thursday.

Greeting guests were the honoree and her mother, Mrs. Albert Chancey, Mrs. Clemmer, and Mrs. Albert Maddox, mother of the prospective bridegroom.

Mrs. Gary Jones of Eglin Air Force Base, Fla., registered guests.

Mrs. Dee Edwards of Abilene and Jocille Thompson assisted at the serving table which was laid with a lace cloth and centered with an arrangement of white chrysanthemums. Appointments were of crystal and silver.

Jo Ann Malone displayed gifts.

## Merkel P-TA Board Meets

The executive board of the Merkel Parent - Teacher Association met Wednesday, Aug. 17, in the high school library to discuss plans for the coming year.

New play ground equipment for the primary school is the P-TA project for the year. The committee in charge is Mrs. Pat Cypert, Mrs. Homer Newby and Mrs. Ray Wilson.

P-TA meetings will be held the third Thursday of each month except for the months of the parent-teacher conferences.

The group will be in charge of the concession stand for the homecoming game and for the elementary school basketball games and tournament.



MRS. AVEN WAYNE HOOK  
... formerly Emma LaNora Cargill

## CARGILL - HOOK VOWS READ IN HALE CENTER

Emma LaNora Cargill and Clarendon, brother of the bride-

Aven Wayne Hook pledged groom, lighted candles, marriage vows Friday evening at eight o'clock in the First Methodist Church in Hale Center.

Albert Trent, Church of Christ minister, officiated at the double ring rites.

Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Cargill of Hale Center are parents of the bride. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. L. V. Hook of Clarendon.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a gown of white lace over satin, fashioned with a fitted bodice, scoop neckline and long sleeves. The bouffant skirt was accented at the front with a tailored bow.

Her fingertip veil of illusion was attached to a crown of seed pearls. She carried a bouquet of white roses centered with a gardenia.

Louise Cargill of Abilene was maid of honor. Bridesmaids were Kay Hobbs of Lubbock, Carol Foster of Hale Center and Beatrice Hook of Memphis.

They wore ice blue polished cotton dresses, designed with apron effects of white organdy. Each bridal attendant carried a white rose.

Cathy Cargill of Lubbock was flower girl. Carla Cargill of Lubbock and Virgil Lee Hook of

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Robertson accompanied her sister, Miss Lucille Hogg of Bay City, and brother, L. R. Hogg of Dallas, who had been weekend guests in the Robertson home, to Plainview to visit another sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Hartley and children.

The Rev. and Mrs. J. A. Cooley and daughters, Ruth and Heba, visited Mrs. Cooley's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Ryan of Paducah, and sister and family, the Rev. and Mrs. A. R. Stewart of Dallas, the past week.

## ALERT TODAY ALIVE TOMORROW



If an attack threatens, check your radio - not the telephone!

## gabby doodle from noodle says:

DEAR MISTER EDITOR:

I was reading a piece last night in a magazine where this perferer of economics — whatever that is — claims Americans has developed a whole new field of thought in this country. He says we now got Government by the people, of the people, and for the farmer.

I'd like to say a few words on the subject that this perferer left out. Farmers and ranchers has got to gamble their whole way through life, gamble agin their wishes. Day by day and year by year, ever move they make is a gamble. Half the time the bottom has fell out of the market when he gits ready to sell. The boll weevil or the blight may git him or may not. There may be a flood, a drought, dust storms, or a windstorm that ruins his crops. Too much rain can ruin his plantings, disease can git his hogs. A farmer or rancher don't never know the odds, has no control over nothing, even over the price he'll git for his stuff. They is playing agin the elements, insects, disease, and the Wall Street canipulars. I'd say off - hand that all gamblers is pikers alongside the farmer and rancher.

I'll bet this perferer wouldn't know a dirt farmer if he'd meet one in the street and I don't think he's a proper authority to write on the subject. He probably don't know anything about what he eats from meal to meal

except that his old lady has to thaw it out afore she cooks it.

This feller didn't have a word in his piece about foreign aid, but the papers has carried the figgers showing 4.7 per cent of our present budget goes fer farm aid and 4.3 per cent fer foreign aid. In other words, the taxpayers in this country is spending about as much helping them foreign countries as they is on helping the farmer and rancher here at home.

We've got Congressmen and Senators in Washington hollerin fer more foreign aid and complainin about price supports fer the farmer and rancher. The two don't make sense. Mister Editor, if they'll cut out that 4.3 per cent fer foreigners I'll vote to cut out the 4.7 per cent fer farmers and ranchers. That's a fair proposition and I aim to write my Senator and Congressman and ask fer their views on the proposition.

And besides, I don't think foreign aid is gitting us any friends no place in the world. The only kind of thanks we're gitting from them foreign countries living on our money is hearing 'em say "nice doggie" until they can find a rock.

Yours truly,  
Gabby

Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Cox returned the past week from Houston where Mr. Cox underwent surgery at M. D. Anderson hospital. According to a report from his doctor, he is improving satisfactorily.

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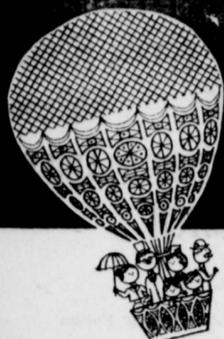
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### Stith News

There has been good attendance at the revival in progress at the Stith Baptist church. The Rev. Milton Thompson, pastor of the Hawley Baptist church, is the evangelist. Mrs. Thompson and sons attended services Sunday night.

Several combines have been moved in to start the maize harvest, which is a good crop this year. Cotton is looking fine, only a few farmers in the area have had to poison for insects. Stith received 7-10 inches of rain the past week.

Nancy Evans, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abe Evans, underwent a tonsillectomy the past week. She is doing fine.

Rolene Finch fell from his combine the past week, injuring his back. He was hospitalized for a few days in the Sadler Clinic hospital, but is now at home and is improving.

Mrs. Odell Newton who underwent major surgery ten days ago, was released from the Sadler Clinic hospital Monday morning, and she with her husband and children returned to their home at Monahan. Mrs. Newton is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fritz Hale.

Mrs. Jack Bedford and baby have returned home after a visit in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Harris.

F. J. McDonald, manager of the Stith gin, and several other men are repairing the gin for the fall harvest.  
The Stith store is being restocked for fall.

### J. W. Barbee, 58, Dies of Injuries Received In Fall

Funeral for Johnny W. Barbee, 58, longtime Merkel resident, was held at 2 p.m. Wednesday at the Merkel Methodist Church. Officiating were the Rev. Alvis Cooley, pastor, and the Rev. H. S. Earp. Burial was in Rose Hill Cemetery directed by Starbuck Funeral Home.

Mr. Barbee died at 7 p.m. Sunday in a Kermit hospital of injuries received in a fall from a tank battery catwalk Friday night. A resident of Merkel 56 years, he had lived in Odessa for the past two years. He was born April 29, 1902, in Center, Tex. He married Ethel Coats of Merkel on Nov. 8, 1921.

Survivors include his wife; five daughters, Mrs. Ouida Head, Mrs. Thelma Urganhart and Mrs. Robbie Black, all of Abilene; Mrs. Wanda Mosley of Jal, N. M.; and Mrs. Lavada Springate of River side, Calif.; three sons, Charles of Abilene, Donald of Carlsbad, N. M.; and Johnnie stationed with the Navy in Japan; and 16 grandchildren.

### CARD OF THANKS

To our many, many friends we want to express our thanks from the depths of our hearts for the many kindnesses shown us and the many prayers offered during the illness and death of our dear husband and daddy. May God bless each of you is our prayer.  
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### Spurgin Family Meet For Reunion

Descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. R. R. Spurgin of Jones County met in the Community Center in Merkel on Sunday, August 14.

Relatives attending were Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Spurgin; Mr. and Mrs. E. P. Spurgin and Carol; Mr. and Mrs. Vess Justice and Roy; Mr. and Mrs. Milton Spurgin; Mr. and Mrs. Will Spurgin and Clinton; and Miss Jonnie Warren, of Merkel.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Spurgin of Venus; Mr. and Mrs. Ray Spurgin, Dallas; Mr. and Mrs. James Santleben of Uvalde; Miss Missie Spurgin of Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Spurgin of Ft. Worth.

Mr. and Mrs. V. E. Spurgin, Sr. Bbo and Terry; Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Sasser and Jimmie of Anson.

Friends attending were Mr. and Mrs. Walter Beachma; Mr. and Mrs. Everett Klebold of Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Ben Adkins, Anson; Mr. and Mrs. Joe Adkins and daughter of Lamesa; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Bicknell of Trent; Mrs. Dewey Ramsey; Mrs. Emery Wilburn; Mrs. Odell Eoff; Mrs. Myrtle Foster; Tom McAninch; Mr. and Mrs. Buch Leach; Dick and Linda; Miss Nancy Campbell; Mr. and Mrs. O. L. Justice; Weldon McAninch; Mr. and Mrs. G. D. McConnell of Merkel; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Jay of Abilene.

### Sweetwater Rites For David Trent

Funeral for David I. Trent, 70, was held at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday at the 4th and Elm Sts. Church of Christ in Sweetwater. Stanley Shipp, minister, and Tommy Bonner officiated.

Burial was in Sweetwater Cemetery directed by Patterson Funeral Home.

Mr. Trent died Sunday in Simmons Memorial Hospital following an illness of about a year. A member of the family for whom the town of Trent was named. Mr. Trent was born Jan. 1, 1890, in Eskota. He moved to Sweetwater about three years ago from there.

Surviving are his wife; one daughter, Mrs. C. C. Nichols of Big Spring; three grandchildren and one great-grandchild; one sister, Mrs. Frank Allyn of Trent; and one brother, E. O. of Midland.

Weekend visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. John Oliver were Mr. and Mrs. James Nelson of Snyder, Mr. and Mrs. John D. Oliver and daughters, Marilyn and Sherlyne, of Midland; Mr. and Mrs. Jack Whisenhunt and children, Ann, Alyce and Bill, Buck Nelson and Mrs. Tommie Neil and son, Thomas, all of Merkel and D. A. Kelly of Abilene.

### Olivers Receive Honor In Midland

The John D. Oliver family of Midland were chosen "Family of the Week" by the Asbury Methodist Church, according to a report in the church paper.

Mrs. Oliver was born in Bristol, Okla. and her husband was born in Terrell, Tex. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Oliver of Merkel.

The Olivers were married in Lubbock on July 20, 1948. They are parents of twin daughters, Marilyn and Sherlyne, who will be eight years old on Sept. 10.

Oliver is a building contractor in Midland. They have been members of the Asbury Church since 1955 where Mrs. Oliver teaches the second grade primary class and her husband teaches the fourth grade junior class.

### Mrs. Harrison Hosts Supper

Mrs. W. A. Harrison hosted an ice cream and cake supper in her home Wednesday evening, Aug. 17.

Present were Mrs. Lucy Ransom, Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Conley and children, Kaye Lynn and Ricky, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Riggan, Leona Conley, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Swinney and boys, Travis and James, all of Merkel; Mr. and Mrs. Elgin Riggan, Wickenburg, Ariz.; Wayne Riggan, Prescott, Ariz.; Doris Riggan and Shirley Riggan, Wickenburg; Mr. and Mrs. Clovis Harrison, Pyote; Rev. and Mrs. Lynward Harrison, Gree; Mr. and Mrs. John H. Swinney and son, Johnny, Trent; Mrs. Elmer Harrison, Mrs. Donald Rutledge and daughter, Donna Lee, of Abilene; Mr. and Mrs. Elvis Rodgers and daughters, Vicky and Chresty, Anson; Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Riggan and boys, Derell and Donnie, Merkel; Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Patterson, Trent; Levi Harrison, Fort Worth; Lola Rodgers, Hawley; Mr. and Mrs. Weldon Newton and children, Cindy and Kurt, Abilene; and Jessie Conley, Houston.

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kel, Sadler and Edgar Davis calves; Del and Myrtle Davis, Merkel, Davis and Alton Whiteaker calves. Stop nine, Ronnie Keith Caps, Davis and Robert Manly calves.

Friday's trip schedule is as follows:

Stop 1, Billy Snow, Hamby, Davia calf. Stop two, Lowell Freeman, Jr, Potosi, Whiteaker and Y-6 Ranch calves. Stop three, David Mahan, Davis and Henson calves. Stop four Jackie Henson Wylie, Henson calves.

Noon, barbecue lunch, Henson Ranch, Arthel Henson and family hosts.

Stop five, June, Kay Wilburn and Paul Holloway, feeding calves bred by Pickard, Matthews cattle Co., Tommie Brook, and Henson.

### MEETING

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vide religious services on Sunday afternoons.

The sponsoring group feel there is a definite need for a labor center in Merkel. It would benefit both the transient workers who are here several months each year, and the farmers who are seeking farm hands during their busy season.

Merchants, farmers, and gin personnel are urged to attend the Wednesday meeting. In addition to the discussion on the center, a film on the migrant worker will be shown.

Burl Wheeler of Abilene, former resident of Merkel, was in town visiting friends and relatives Wednesday.

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### John Hunters Host Reunion

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ent.  
Those attending were Mr. and Mrs. Jake Hanks of Roswell, N. M.; Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Spurgin of Fort Worth; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Clark and daughter, Mary, and son, John Edward, of Quincy, Fla. and a granddaughter, Mrs. Ray Bartlett of Richmond, Va.

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# Rural CD Active 'In the Field'

Residents of rural America's 5,000,000 farms are being urged by civil defense officials to plan now for their safety from nuclear attack as they consider ordinary hazards during Farm Safety Week, July 24-30.

Leo A. Hoegh, director of the Office of Civil and Defense Mobilization, points out that "the safety of the nation depends upon our farmers being prepared not only to reduce their human and property losses through accidents. They also should take the necessary steps to insure that if an enemy ever attacks us with nuclear, biological, or chemical weapons, our farmers would know how to survive, recover, and produce the food and other products upon which victory would depend."

A broad rural public information program is now underway in 3,000 counties. It stresses the relatively simple methods by which people can develop their own self-protection against the fallout hazard of a nuclear attack—the principal threat to people who live in rural areas.

Family fallout shelters are urged as the least expensive and most effective means of saving the greatest number of people from a nuclear attack. Shelters would be highly effective to protect families against tornadoes. All shelters should be equipped with a two-week supply of food and water, a battery radio, first aid kit, flashlights, bedding and other survival items, according to OCDM.

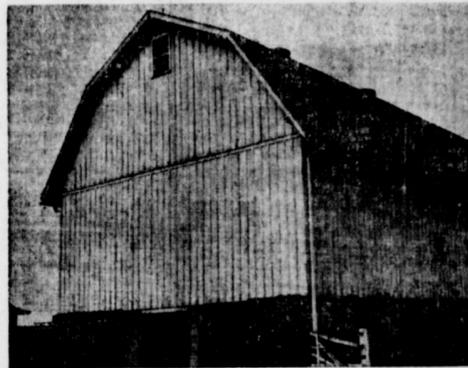
Family fallout shelters cost as little as \$150.00 when constructed on a do-it-yourself basis.

When built by contractors, the cost ranges from \$500.00 upwards.

Precautionary reinforcement of barns and outbuildings can lessen the hazards of fallout on livestock. The more massive the materials between livestock and fallout, the less radiation will come through to injure or kill the animals. Steel and concrete are good shielding materials from fallout. Earth costs nothing and also is effective for shielding. Even bales of straw or wood, if thick enough, can keep out

most radiation.

Detailed information on shelters, treatment of fallout-contaminated soils, what fallout-contaminated foods could be eaten and how they should be prepared, and other survival information is now available to rural Americans through public meetings sponsored by county civil defense directors. Printed material also is available from county directors or by writing to the OCDM Rural Activities Office, Battle Creek, Mich.



Shelter for livestock for protection against fallout was improvised in this barn by using bales of straw as a shield against potentially deadly "post-attack" radiation. Heavy concrete walls, with straw shielding, windows, would protect livestock in pens on the barn's lower floor. Barn's upper floor (right) would be covered four bales deep directly above the pens. A shielded room for caretakers, and tractor-powered feed grinder and automatic feeder complete the shelter. OCDM Photo.



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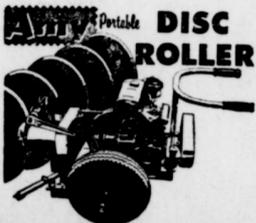
"There is no substitute for experience." It is true that someone can tell us something or we can read it

—but that's not the same as actually experiencing the thing ourselves.

Before a map can be a speaker really worth listening to or before he can actually have something to express as a writer, he must have lived.

There are great pipelines that run from the oil fields of Texas to the great seaports of the East, hundreds of miles away; and one of the lines has to be completely full—with I don't know how many hundreds of thousands of barrels worth millions of dollars—before just one single barrel can be delivered at the other end. And so our minds must be filled with observations and happenings, mainly our own, and these must "be aged in the wood"—mellowed by reflection and their significance etched by time—then we may have a story to relate, a message to convey, a truth to tell, that others will want to hear.

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## 20 YEARS AGO IN MERKEL

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Helens Fay Reddell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Rex Reddell of Anson, to Carroll W. Benson, former star of the Hardin Simmons University football team, and son of Mrs. W. E. Benson of Abilene, formerly of Hamlin. The couple was married Oct. 7, 1939. After Sept. 2, the couple will be at home in Merkel, where the groom is head football coach and member of the Merkel High School faculty. The bride has been a member of the school faculty of Merkel for the past three years.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Breaux and son, Earl, spent their vacation with Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Thompson and family of Abilene, down on Buchanan lake. "The big fish were plentiful," Frank reports, "and in case any one doesn't believe this fish story, there are pictures to prove it. Not only fish, but plenty of wild turkeys and deer, and it surely makes a person want to go back later on."

Mr. and Mrs. F. O. Scoggins and daughter, Sylvia, left, Monday to return to Mercedes, where Mr. Scoggins is athletic coach in the high school. They had spent the summer with Mrs. Scoggins' parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Boaz Jr., while Mr. Scoggins attended summer school at Hardin-Simmons.

Leaving Wednesday Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Wilhite removed to Hermleigh, where Mr. Wilhite has been elected principal of the high school. Merkel regrets to lose these fine people but they carry the best wishes of The Mail and many friends to their new home.

Mrs. B. M. Tipton and daughter, Mrs. Thomas Watson of Abilene, visited the past week in the home of their daughter and sister, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Reeves and children of Irving. They were accompanied upon their return by Karen, Pamela and Terri Reeves, who are visiting their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Tipton, and Mr. and Mrs. Houston Martin.

## The Texian Editor's

## Frontier News Flashes

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## Rules On Farm Housing Changed

Under a recent change in the eligibility requirements for Farm Housing loans, a farmer who owns a farm that will annually produce for sale or home use at least \$400 worth of commodities may, if he meets other eligibility requirements, be able to obtain a Farm Housing loan.

Previously, according to John D. Wolf, Jr., Farmers Home Administration County Supervisor for Taylor County, an applicant had to own a farm that would produce a substantial amount of the operator's income.

Farm Housing loans are made by the Farmers Home Administration and are used to construct and repair needed farm houses and farm service buildings.

Other eligibility requirements for Farm Housing loans remain unchanged. These requirements are that the applicant lacks the resources needed to obtain credit elsewhere, be a citizen of the United States, and have sufficient income from farm and other sources to pay farm operating and family living expenses and meet payments, when due on his debts.

Applications for this type of credit may be made at the County Office of the Farmers Home Administration located at 325 Pecan Street, Abilene, Texas.

Jacky McAninch who is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McAninch, will leave Sunday for Galveston where he will enroll in the University of Texas Medical School. He received his M. A. degree at the University of Idaho this summer.

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## 40 YEARS AGO IN MERKEL

A deal was closed last week through Merkel Realty Company whereby S. F. Haynes purchased the home of Dr. J. T. Pue and to which Mr. Haynes and family will soon move. While we have not the authority to so state, we presume that Dr. Pue and his estimable family will move to Abilene, where Dr. Pue recently opened office.

Just one more week after this before the schools of this city will begin. A number of the teachers are in from attending the various Summer Normals and Universities. And right here we wish to remind some people of the fact that, besides continuous study and hard work, those who keep themselves prepared to properly teach the boys and girls of this state, are at great expense in attending those normals and preparatory schools. And yet some people will sneer at the thought that a school teacher is paid as much for their services as common labor.

Misses Lorena Dry and Anna Smith returned first of the week from California where they attended the Normal School of the University of California.

Messrs. J. M. Provine, R. M. Matthews and J. P. Love recently purchased from Messrs. Bland & Horton, each a new light - four Overland car. Mr. Love and family left in their car immediately for Greenville and other points east.

Mrs. J. M. Garrett and children, Ray and Iris, returned last Thursday from an extended visit to the Eastern states. After spending a week in Birmingham, Ala., with her daughter, Mrs. Clyde Garrett, they visited at Belton, Greenville, Woodruff and many other points in South Carolina.

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**GREETING:**  
You are hereby commanded to cause to be published once each week for four consecutive weeks, the first publication to be at least twenty-eight days before the return day thereof, in a newspaper printed in Taylor County, Texas the accompanying citation, of which the herein below following is a true copy.

**Citation by Publication THE STATE OF TEXAS**

**TO:**  
Roscoe Roberts, the Unknown Heirs of Roscoe Roberts, deceased, George Roberts, the Unknown Heirs of George Roberts, deceased, Amanda King and husband, Ernest King, G. C. Lambert and wife, Lois Lambert, Estier Lambert, a widow, the Unknown Heirs of Lowell Lambert, deceased, Flora Haskins and husband, Claude Haskins, Wilma Lambert Nash and husband, J. E. Nash, the Unknown Heirs of Wilma Lambert Nash, deceased, Mildred Lambert Thorsen and husband, Leonard Thorsen, the Unknown Heirs of Mildred Lambert Thorsen, deceased, W. D. Lambert and wife, Marie Lambert, the Unknown Heirs of W. D. Lambert, deceased, Levada Lambert Craig, the Unknown Heirs of Levada Lambert Craig, deceased, Geanne Lambert Bernhard and husband, Donald Lambert, the Unknown Heirs of Geanne Lambert Bernhard, deceased, James Richard Lambert and wife, Clara Faye Lambert, the Unknown Heirs of James Richard Lambert, deceased, Vivian Faye Roberson and husband, Fred Roberson, the Unknown Heirs of Vivian Faye Roberson, deceased, George Wiley Lambert and wife, Lucille Lambert, the Unknown Heirs of George Wiley Lambert, deceased, Erwin Glenn Lambert and wife, Carolyn Lambert, the Unknown Heirs of Erwin Glenn Lambert deceased, Ercell Pearce and husband, Edward Pearce, the Unknown Heirs of Ercell Pearce, deceased, Roy Lambert and wife, Lafolia Lambert, the Unknown Heirs of Roy Lambert, deceased, the Unknown heirs of Etta Lambert, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of James Lambert, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of Terrill Lambert, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of John Lambert, deceased, the Unknown Heirs of George R. Lambert, deceased, hereinafter called Defendants, and would respectfully show the following:  
**Defendant, Greeting:**  
**YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED** to appear before the Honorable 42nd District Court of Taylor County at the Court-house thereof, in Abilene, Texas, by filing a written answer at or before 10 o'clock A.M. of the first Monday next after the expiration of forty-two days from the date of issuance of this citation, same being the 3rd day of October A. D. 1960, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 17th day of August A. D. 1960, in the cause, numbered 25-214-A on the docket of said court and styled Rubv V. Lambert., Plaintiff, vs. the Defendants Amanda King and husband, Ernest King, G. C. Lambert and wife, Lois Lambert, and Flora Haskins and husband, Claude Haskins, are non-resident of the State of Texas.  
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Unknown Heirs of John Lambert, deceased, the Unknown heirs of George R. Lambert, deceased are persons whose respective places of residence are unknown and who have absented themselves for at least (5) years successively next preceding the filing of this action, and Plaintiff has made diligent but unsuccessful efforts to locate such Defendants whose respective places of residence are unknown.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: a suit against unknown heirs or owners of undivided mineral interests in a 200 acre tract of land out of the North part of fractional Section 66, Lunatic Asylum Land, and the Northeast corner of Section 44, Block 1, S. P. R. R. Co. land, to have a Receiver appointed to execute a mineral lease as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

If this citation is not served within ninety days after the date of its issuance, it shall be returned unserved.

The officer executing this writ shall promptly serve the same according to requirements of law, and the mandates hereof, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Abilene, Texas, this the 19th day of August A. D. 1960.

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The couple will be married Sept. 3 at 8 p.m. in the Trent Methodist Church.

Both were graduated from Trent High School and attended San Angelo College and North Texas State College.

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## Questions and Answers

Q—I see that World War Two veterans have just been given another two years in which to get a GI loan, and that at the same time VA was given new authority to make direct loans. What is the direct loan program?

A—It is a much smaller program than VA's loan guaranty program. Direct loans are made only to veterans who live in certain rural and small town areas where GI loans are not obtainable from local lenders. Eligible veterans apply directly to VA.

Q—Does the VA in Washington, D. C., have a list of all courses approved for veterans under the Korean GI Bill?

A—No. Each regional office maintains a list of State-approved courses for veterans under the Korean GI Bill. To get the information, contact your VA regional office, and not VA headquarters in Washington, D. C.

Q—I am a Korean veteran, discharged in 1956, and have a disability which VA has just rated service-connected. What is my deadline for finishing vocational rehabilitation training under Public Law 894?

A—Your deadline is January 31, 1964, or nine years after separations, whichever comes first. There are exceptions to this deadline for certain veterans, but apparently they do not apply to you.

Q—I understand that special restorative training is available under the War Orphans Education program to handicapped young men and women in need of it. Does this restorative training include medical care?

A—No. Special restorative training does not include medical care. It does include special courses — such as braille reading, language retraining and the like — designed to help a person overcome his handicap so that eventually he can take regular training at school.

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## Mrs. Barry Doyle Scott (formerly Linda Sue Forrest) Barry Scott Weds Linda Forrest In Pioneer Church

Wedding vows were exchanged Monday evening in Pioneer Memorial Church by Linda Sue Forrest and Barry Doyle Scott. The Rev. Joe McCarthy officiated at the 8 p.m. double ring ceremony.

Wedding music was presented by Carole Perry, pianist. Mr. and Mrs. James R. Forrest of Central Point, Ore., are parents of the bride. The bridegroom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Scott of Route 4, Merkel.

Honor attendants were David Scott, brother of the bridegroom, and Aleta Scott, sister of the bridegroom, Jimmy Forrest, brother of the bride, was usher.

Given in marriage by her father, the bride wore a waltz length gown of white net over satin designed with a fitted bodice and three quarter length sleeves. A band of rhinestones held her waist length veil of illusion. She carried a bouquet of white carnations on a white ribbon.

Miss Scott's street length dress of pink cotton was fashioned with a bow at the back and an embroidered bolero.

Following the ceremony, a reception was held in the fellowship hall of the church. Members of the houseparty were Marie Hughes, aunt of the bride, Mrs. A. E. Folk, aunts of the bride, and Mrs. Frank Brnovak and Mrs. A. E. Polk, aunts of the bridegroom.

The bride attended Valley High School in Albuquerque, N. M. The bridegroom was graduated from Merkel High School and will be a junior this fall at Texas Technological College.

The couple will reside in Merkel until September when they will move to Lubbock.

Mr. and Mrs. B. P. Middleton of Lamesa visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Weldon McAnich the past weekend.

Mrs. Eulene Queen of 811 South Main, Copperas Cove was a weekend guest in the home of her aunt and husband, Mr. and Mrs. J. Hamp Campbell.

Mrs. Fred Swint Sr., of Detroit visited the past week in the home of her uncle and wife, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. King.

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## Personals

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Pence and daughter, Patsy, fo Monahans were weekend guests in the home of their mother and grandmother, Mrs. J. D. Porter. Miss Pence left Monday for El Paso, where she will again teach in the schools there.

Mr. and Mrs. J. O. Miller of Pomona, Calif., and Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Miller and children of Big Spring were weekend visitors in the home of their sister and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Lige Marris.

## FRONTIER NEWS FLASHES

Department of Journalism

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A NEAT INVENTION

Mr. Jacob Ebenhardinger, a blacksmith, of New Hannover, township, Mont. County, has recently invented a very neat and convenient four wheeled carriage or wagon, to be propelled by manual labor. The occupant has a seat something like a sulky, and guides the machine with one hand, and propels it with the other, with the aid of treadles under the feet. It can be moved with facility upon all roads, up hill and down, and on the level will accomplish, in the hands of its inventor, a mile in some three or four minutes.

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FALLOUT SHELTER built by Louis Severance adjacent to his home near Akron, Mich., includes a special ventilation and escape hatch (right), an entrance to his basement, tiny kitchen, running water, sanitary facilities, and a sleeping and living area (inset) for the family of four. The shelter cost about \$1,000. It has a 16-inch reinforced concrete ceiling with thick earth cover, and concrete walls. Severance says, "Ever since I was convinced what damage H-bombs can do, I've wanted to build the shelter. Just as with my chicken farm when there's a need I build it." (OCMD Photo)

## LETTER TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor:

The apostle of the GOP, American for Constitutional Action, blasts the GOP platform for subscribing that "big, powerful, centralized government can be paternalistic, coercive and moral—all at the same time."

Then, the GOP nominee urges Congress to strengthen civil rights, enact medical care for the aged and increase foreign aid!

Meanwhile the Texas GOP, by this season usually campaigning "I vote for the man," are inferentially silent.

Without platform or man to embrace, Texas' GOP acts frustrated.

We Democrats offer a Texan candidate. The GOP never has.

So cheer up, you Texas GOP. Join "The Texan's Ticket"—Jack Kennedy and Lyndon Johnson. If you can't vote Wall Street this time, you can at least vote Texas.

Yours truly,  
Wm. Hunter McLean

## STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights by Vern Sanford

AUSTIN, Tex.—Over 50,000 persons are drawing approximately one million dollars a week in unemployment compensation in Texas.

Investigations have disclosed fraudulent claims. Charges already have been filed in several Texas cities, and investigation is underway statewide.

"In view of the recent frauds disclosed by investigations in unemployment compensation claims," says Maurice Acers, Commissioner, "it is imperative that an already broad system of fraud detection and prevention be expanded and accelerated."

There are a number of ways TEC can catch the cheaters. And TEC is out after them now. One method is by "cross-matching." This involves checking a person's unemployment claims against his earnings.

Sometimes this isn't necessary. Some people who are drawing unemployment compensation and secretly working, will betray themselves by their nervousness when they report to the local TEC office.

In one instance a truck driver applied for unemployment compensation, then got another job. When he made his weekly trip to report to the employment office, he drove up in the truck of the company employing him and double-parked in front of the TEC office.

A TEC employe asked the man why he was driving this company's truck. "Because I'm working for the company," the driver said.

This man soon found himself in court.

There are some, says a veteran TEC employe, who take the attitude: "I've earned it. Now I want to collect it." In other words after they have worked long enough and earned enough to qualify for unemployment compensation, they feel they're entitled to quit work and collect it. That is not the way the program is set up under the law.

Here, briefly, are some of the requirements:

1. You must have built up a certain amount of work credits during the 15 months preceding application, with an employer who hires four or more persons.
2. You must have lost your job through no fault of your own.
3. You must make application with TEC for another job.
4. You must visit your local TEC office once a week to report your availability to report for work, or if you have done any work, report your earnings.

VACCINATIONS URGED — Texas is one of the safer states as far as paralytic polio is concerned, but it's seventh in the nation in number of whooping cough cases ninth in diphtheria and scarlet fever.

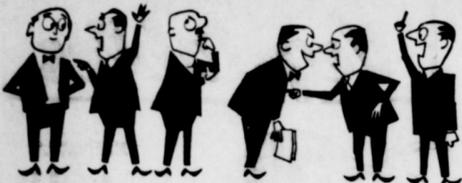
All these rates could be cut, said a State Health Department spokesman, if there were fewer people who can't be bothered with getting protective shots.

Late August and September are the usual season for polio epidemics, the Department warned.

GOOD PASTURAGE — Texas range conditions showed a bigger mid-summer improvement this year than in any summer for 37 years, reports the U. S. Dept. of Agriculture.

Range conditions usually grow less favorable from July to August in Texas, but this year they got substantially better.

Though some areas of the state were reported very dry, 85 per cent was rated 12 points above the 10-year average.



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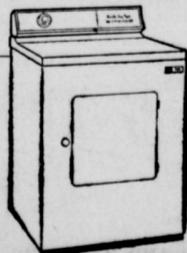
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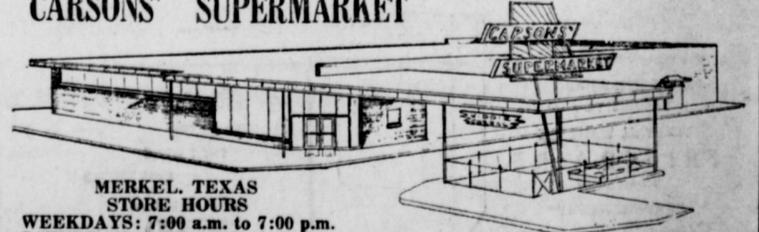
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