



## Plans For Flower Show Discussed At Club Meeting

The Merkel Garden Club met Thursday afternoon in the elementary school library to discuss plans for the flower show to be held on Oct. 1.

Mrs. W. T. Sadler, president, appointed Mrs. Odell Freeman, Mrs. R. W. Shields and Mrs. Robert Hicks for the garden therapy committee. Members are planning to attend the pilgrimage to Tyler Rose Show Oct. 14-16.

Mrs. Sadler recognized a club member, Mrs. Odell Freeman, for winning first place in the flower show at the West Texas Fair in Abilene last week.

Mrs. Carroll Benson, chairman

of the flower show committee told the group that the Junior Garden Club exhibits and horticulture will be in the Merkel Elementary library on Oct. 1.

Civic beautification and "litter bug" chairmen, Mrs. B. H. Jones, Mrs. S. D. Gamble and Christine Collins, urged everyone to cooperate with Mayor Earl Hughes in making the week of Sept. 19-24 a real clean-up week in Merkel. Mrs. Sadler is offering \$10 to the person or persons making the most improvement during the week.

Present for the meeting were Mmes. Benson, W. S. J. Brown, Johnny Cox, Bryan Dunagin, Mack Fisher, Freeman, Gamble, Dee Grimes, Hicks, A. E. Higgins, R. T. Hodge, Jones, Dale Litton, A. H. McElmurray, Sadler, Jarrett Williams, John Hughes and Christine Collins.

## gabby doodle from noodle says:

I see by the papers where some of them Congressmen claims we're wasting millions of dollars trying to git the Voice of America sent to them countries behind the Iron Curtain. Things has come a long way in this world since I was a boy and I reckon I ain't fitten to judge exactly what the Voice of America is today. When I was a boy I used to git up at daylight and listen to that old rooster crowing down at the barn and I reckon that's the nearest thing I ever heard to the true Voice of America. But it would be pritty hard to git that story told on radio, and them fellers in striped pants in the State Department wouldn't understand it nohow.

I ain't saying that things was better when I was a boy. Fer in-

stant, they're making these compact cars so small and riding lawn mowers so fancy that I can't hardly tell which is which. But both of them is better'n that old T-Model Ford I used to crank on a cold morning. I'd wrap a rag around the carburator and pour a gallon of boiling water on it, and if it was a real cold morning I'd have to jack up a rear wheel so's it would turn when you cranked. The grease in the transmission was so cold and stiff a feller just couldn't turn the motor over with both wheels on the ground. It usually took two to git the thing started. One set in the car holding the clutch in neutral and pushing the spark down right quick when the motor started. If you kept the spark down while cranking, you might git a broke arm. It general took about 30 minutes to git her going. Just one thing though, Mister Editor. Gasoline was eight cents a gallon and no tax.

The experts is even saying that the way we was raised up in them days was all wrong. A professor named Dale B. Harris of Penn State University come out the other day and said that doing chores around the house didn't build a child's character. In fact, he said, it might be bad for the child. I reckon Mister Editor, that's what ruined me, having too many chores to do when I was a boy. I'd probably turned out alright if I'd had me a Super Eight and spent my time drag racing.

I saw a bank ad in the paper the other day asking people if they knowed where their money went. About 99 percent of mine goes fer taxes and living expenses. I spend the other one percent in riotous living and got no regrets. I'm like this feller Tommy Manville. He said he'd spent a million dollars getting rid of 12 wives and had no regrets on account of about six of 'em being worth a million to git rid of.

Yours truly,  
gabby



"Is this the axe you got in the Want Ads, dear?"

## Be A Winner

By Merkel Garden Club

Flower show time is almost upon us and you want to win a blue ribbon with your arrangement. This will not be difficult to do if you plan your arrangement ahead of time.

Your guide will be your schedule because it limits you to certain classes. Your schedule chairman should include simple classes for the beginners and also classes to stir the imagination of the more advanced arrangers.

Flower arranging is a creative art. There are no hard and fast rules to limit your creative ability. Just as any other form of art the principles of balance, dominance, contrast, rhythm, scale and proportion are all you need.

The terms line, line mass and mass suggest the outline. When selecting your combination of material use your imagination, and with a good understanding of color you will have the ingredients for a good arrangement. Judges are always looking for something different, therefore distinction is often given as much as 30 points. This does not mean that expensive exotic flowers must be used. Unusual flowers or foliage, yes, but they can be home grown. The use of one kind of plant material is increasing. Buds half and fully opened flowers with foliage will give variety of form. An unusual container will dramatize this type of arrangement.

Lines alone are the most expressive part of an arrangement. Line direction is most important but the characteristics of the lines must be considered also. Vertical lines express aspiration, leading your eyes and thoughts heavenward. The horizontal line denotes restfulness or stability; the circle completion; the zigzag line restlessness or indecision and so on. The curved line is usually

thought to be more beautiful than the completely straight one. Plant material takes on so many interesting forms that it is difficult to find just the right ones to suggest a particular theme. Fresh, clean material is essential to a beautiful arrangement. Even dried material should have the appearance of being alive. Arrangements that win the prizes are the ones that show original available material. Have fun and good luck

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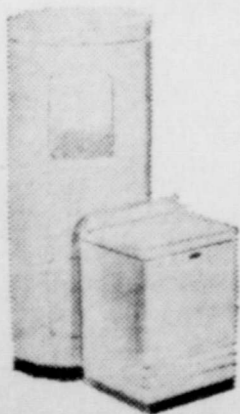
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## 40 YEARS AGO IN MERKEL

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J. M. Boney, with Western Union Telegraph Company as Foreman, was here first of the week

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for a visit to his parents and other relatives, and scores of friends.

Ellis Warren was over last week shaking hands with his host of friends, and incidentally looking after business matters.

Miss Bernice Rainbolt, who for some time has been employed at Eastland, has accepted a position with the Farmers State Bank of Merkel, entering upon her duties as Stenographer Wednesday of this week. Her many friends will be glad to learn that she is at home and will be here permanently now.

A. B. Fitzgerald one of the prosperous farmers of the Mulberry Canyon community, was in the city last Friday and while here presented the force with two of the finest and largest Kershaws we ever saw anywhere. He also reported his cotton and feed very good.

## 20 YEARS AGO IN MERKEL

Mr. and Mrs. Wilbur Thomas and daughter, Mona Beth, and Mrs. J. A. Milliken and grandson, Wayne McLean, drove down to Fort Worth Sunday to visit their brother, Byron Thomas, and family.

Selma Jones, of the U. S. Army, stationed at Brooks field, San Antonio, is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ben Jones.

Miss Jessie Margaret Berry, who came home at the close of the summer session to visit her mother, Mrs. Florence Berry, returned Sunday to Commerce where she will attend the East Texas State Teachers college again this year.

The Seniors of Merkel High school met at activity period Sept. 9 to organize their class. Supt. Robinson was invited to act as temporary chairman. The following officers were elected by the class: John Mack Grant, president; David Gibson, vice - president; Dora Gaither, secretary - treasurer; Tommy Grimes, reporter, and Mrs. Comer Haynes, sponsor. Room mothers chosen by the class were Mesdames T. L. Grimes, John Shannon, J. S. Grant and R. J. Miller.

First meeting of the year of the Merkel unit of the Parent-Teacher association was held Tuesday evening in the High School gymnasium, with an attendance of approximately 250.

Heading the Pep Squad is Peggy Robertson as leader, with Ova and Eva Martin as assistants. Miss Mary Lou Ashburn is Pep Squad sponsor. As drum majorette, Clarice Higgins leads a trio of well trained twirlers, Wanda Lilly Douglas, Mary Fay Johnson and Marjorie Ann Walker, while marching with the band in the between - halves maneuvers is the sweetheart of the organization Sue Grimes, and adding still further color comes Evelyn Sears in a snappy exhibition of rope twirling.

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One of the "landmarks" of Fort Worth when I moved there in 1931 was a thin, gray-mustached man, who could remember seeing the race between the Robert E. Lee and the Natchez. (I came into the StarTelegram office and pounded out a feature story but the city editor informed me that the man had been written up sevintimes already!)

There was an elderly former State Senator who, in his youth, had lived in Breckenridge at the time that Sam Bass and his gang, on the dodge, were reported to be hiding out in Stephens County. The youth joined a posse which set out to capture the outlaws. (They did not succeed.)

Another Fort Worth citizen was portly and middle-aged. He had served as commissioner of Indian affairs and had been a member of the Texas delegation to the 1912 Democratic national convention in Baltimore. The delegation became known as "the Immortal Forty" because of its unflinching support of Woodrow Wilson, who, at one time, seemed destined to lose to Champ Clark but emerged as the nominee.

There was a frail man who was a veteran of the Spanish - American War. He related (and I wrote the story for the paper) that he climbed to the mast of a warship and, from this perch, he could see a Spanish battle vessel which was over the rim of the horizon to those below him. As the gunners fired, he would signal that the miss was to the right or left, or that it was short, and so the sights were adjusted until hits were made and the vessel was knocked out.

He was probably the first man in history to guide the firing of cannon at an unseen target. At the time of the interview, he was operating a little stand, in the lobby of an office building, where he sharpened old razor - blades.

Then there was a man in the 1930's who attended sessions of the City Council and almost always he spoke, and with great vehemence. No one understood what he was talking about, probably not even himself, but at least his views — unlike those perhaps of some of the council members sometimes — never did any harm.

A familiar sight was a big man with a cascade of whiskers. He was Commodore Hatfield, who later navigated the Trinity — in fact, he guided his boat all the way to the Mississippi and on to Chicago and back to Fort Worth, a feat which made him Admirla of the Trinity. This voyage was made to publicize the proposed canalization of the Trinity — which, by the way, still has not been done.

A man who had held a responsible government position for many years wrote poems in his spare time and, after he retired, he spent hours each day in the Public Library, writing. Sometimes, in five minutes, he would write a poem about one of the others in the reading room. He composed more than 12,000 poems, of which perhaps 12 were published.

Yes, Fort Worth has changed greatly since that April day of 1931 that I arrived. The "landmarks" have all disappeared. How's that? Did you say that I am a landmark?

Bobbie and Tommy Clack of Abilene visited Sunday in the home of Mrs. Hester Groene. Mr. and Mrs. Ransom Moore of Stamford were visitors Sunday in the home of Mrs. Hester Groene.

## Fortnightly Club Meets For Coffee In Sadler Home

The Fortnightly Study Club opened its year of activities Saturday morning with a coffee in the home of Mrs. W. T. Sadler, wher arrangements of fall flowers and fruit set the stage for an all-inclusive study of "American Panorama."

In her president's message, Mrs. Ray Wilson stressed the rewards of busy enthusiastic club members. She pointed the way to power gained through applied knowledge.

Yearbooks were presented to members by Mrs. Wren Durham. Mrs. Brandon Wade played organ selections and accompanied Christine Collins as she lead the group in singing the Federation song.

Mrs. Don Dudley closed the program, dedicated to Federation Day, by leading the reading of the collect for club women.

Assisting Mrs. Sadler were members of the social committee, Christine Collins, Mrs. Earl Hues, Mrs. W. R. Cypert and Mrs. Clyde Bartlett.

Other members attending were Mmes. Carroll Benson, Johnny Cox, Alvis Cooley, Bryan Dunagin Mack Fisher, David Gamble, S. D. Gamble, Mart Hardin, Comer Haynes, Ben Hicks, Homer Newby, Homer Patterson, Andy Shouse and Henry West.

## Y. W. A. News

By Mrs. Clyde Bartlett

Shipmates met for a nautical venture at the Bartlett Dock, 507 Yucca St., Wednesday. The table was draped in fish net and laden with wooden bowls of sea rations. Caught in the folds of the net were sea weed and gum drop goldfish.

The Y. W. A. tars were joined on deck by a beloved captain of yore, Fanelle Boney, for installation service. This service is traditional with the all-girl crew, having named their Y. W. A. "Vaughnelle", honoring Mrs. Boney and Lavaughna Allen, counselors some ten logs back.

Mrs. Boney challenged the girls to greater spiritual service and presented them with compasses for the voyage. The following officers received instructions: Dorna Riney, president; Beth Dunagin, vice president; Carolyn Anderson, secretary - treasurer; Sherry Hull, program chairman; Elizabeth Tuckey, prayer and mission chairman; Carolyn Bond, stewardship chairman, and Mary Jane Horton, community mission chairman.

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nails harden, and we aren't equipped to do that work and it takes know how because their skin is someone with the skill and the so things that a little slip and its too bad. So any way after Dr. Warren had finished with her toe nails she offered him a quarter for his services and Dr. Warren got a kick out of that. Being so old, she has not kept up with

the rising prices and after getting back home she offered Joyce 50c for carrying here to the hospital. Anyway we love Aunt Aquila and we are glad she got her nails clipped.

We are very thankful for the nice rags that you are bringing in for our cancer patients. At this time we have 3 patients who are in need of them.

Mrs. Van went to Church services Sunday and ate lunch with some of her friends. We are happy that she is able to visit her friend.

We want to thank Mr. and Mrs. Earnest Teaff for the peas he brought the home. We are sorry he has been in the hospital. Hope he will soon be well again.

The Trent Church of Christ failed to fill their appointment at the Rest Home Sept. 4th. We do not know why as the telephone service is out between here and Trent. But we want to thank Rev. Cecil Wagner and Annie Marie White for coming to the Rest Home. Annie Marie played the Piano and Rev. Wagner brought a good sermon. We do appreciate their kindness for Aunt Aquila went to the service before one o'clock and she had to sit a long

time before someone came so she could hear a sermon. But she is happy to hear the gospel so I'm sure she was rewarded for sitting so long.

We want to thank our Pastor, Rev. Cecil Wagner for his kindness in staying with Wiley while I have to work. He went to Gorman to our family Dr. who for years took care of our family in all of our surgery and illness. Dr. Rogers ordered him to rest three weeks and we hope by that time he will be improved.

We welcome Jay Harrison to our staff. We hope he will like us all at the Rest Home.

## BADGER TALES

By Ruthie Corder

Last Thursday in speech class Donna Riney illustrated a point in her speech by using Ronny Reeger as an example of a very good-looking boy. Ronny liked Donna's speech. Several members of the class were curious to know if Donna was really serious or if she was teasing Ronny—but Ronnie didn't care, he was too pleased.

Monday afternoon several members of the future teachers were in charge of the grade school bus-students from three o'clock until three-thirty. Everyone enjoyed it, including the future teachers. To quote Mary Beth Mewborn, "It was a blast!"—And no wonder she was in charge of some boys.

Saturday the band had a busy day—a parade, free dinner (courtesy of ACC), football game, half-time show, fair and music on the return trip. (The music was supplied by Jeff Smith, Lester Dorton, Ferris Neill and a few others—it was the stuff ulcers are made of). To say the least though, everyone had a wonderful time, and when it was announced that Merkel had won a second place in the parade everyone felt even better.

Goose eggs have quite a few uses—they're wonderful in pies, good fried, make excellent prize eggs on Easter egg hunts and they're good for chunking. They also look good on score boards when they're by the right name. Let's put one by Eden's name Friday night. What do you say Badgers?

THE MERKEL MAIL, Merkel, Texas

Friday, Sept. 23, 1960

## Girl Scout News

The first monthly neighborhood meeting was held at the Scout Hut Sept. 15 from 1:30 to 3:00 p. m. with the chairman, Mrs. David Gamble, presiding.

During the business session, plans for the year were discussed; namely, finances, leadership training, new troop organization, programs and projects.

Leadership training will be held during the month of October for those interested in taking the course, according to an announcement made at the meeting. Two five-day courses will run concurrently, one on each Monday and one each Wednesday in October.

It was also announced that all Brownie and Scout uniforms no longer in use may be turned over to their leaders for resale.

The new district director, An- ease Dunn, of Abilene was present and gave a talk on "Scouting." She will attend all neighborhood meetings, which will be held the first Thursday of every month at the Scout Hut at 1:30 p. m.

A hearty welcome was given to new leaders, Mrs. Jake Martin and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, second grade Brownies; Mrs. Ben Rich and Mrs. Billy West, fourth grade co-leaders with Mrs. Vaughn Doan who is back with the Girl Scouts this year. The resignations of Mrs. Buddy Derrington, Mrs. Van Gaute and Mrs. Evans as leaders were accepted with regret.

Mrs. Gamble said that all Brownies and Scouts will be notified by their leaders as to when and where their troops will be meeting.

An announcement that Girl Scout calendars will be sold next month was made. Each calendar will be 30 cents.

Mrs. Gamble served cookies and Cokes to the following: Mmes. Martin, Wilson Doan, Rich, West, Alvin Smith, Lewis Luke, James Torrence, Wallace Doan, A. D. Dickev, Kenneth Browning and Mrs. Dunn.

### Attends Meeting

Mrs. David Gamble, neighborhood chairman, attended the

CARD OF THANKS

training session for neighborhood service teams at Scout headquarters in Abilene Thursday, Sept. 15.

Mrs. Gamble is a member of the organizational committee for the West Texas Council which met in Sweetwater, Sept. 20. The committee is headed by Mrs. Ed Jay of Sweetwater. One of the aims of the group is to recruit workers for Scouts on a selective basis—those who will be good and worthwhile leaders for the girls.

We wish to thank both doctors and the entire staff of nurses at Sadler Clinic Hospital for their untiring efforts on the behalf of our darling wife and mother. We wish also to thank all of our friends and neighbors for every kind act, word and deed that you did for us in the illness and death of our loved one. For the beautiful flowers, we are deeply grateful. May God's richest blessings be upon all of you is our prayer.

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THE STATE OF TEXAS  
To any Sheriff or any Constable within the State of Texas— 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: Gus Witting, Jr., dba Witting Wool & Mohair Co., Defendant. Greeting:  
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable 42nd District Court of Taylor County at the Courthouse 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 the issuance of this citation, same being the 24 day of October A. D. 1960, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 26 day of July A. D. 1960, in this cause, numbered 25,144-A on the docket of said court and styled Paymaster Feed Mills, Division of Anderson, Clayton & Co., Inc., Plaintiff, vs. Gus Witting, Jr., dba Witting Wool & Mohair Co., Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff sues for recovery on account in the amount of \$1,858.21 plus attorney fee and costs of court, 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 6th day of Sept. A. D. 1960.  
Attest: R. H. Ross Clerk, 42nd District Court, Taylor County, Texas By Mrs. Jesse R. Swindell, Deputy. 27-28-29-30

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TO: David Wigfall, Defendant. Greeting:

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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 25th day of August A. D. 1960.  
Attest: R. H. Ross Clerk, 42nd District Court Taylor, County, Texas, By Mrs. Jesse Swindell Deputy. 25-26-27-28

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**CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS**  
TO: Dorothy Barbara Haywood Defendant. Greeting:  
YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable 42nd District Court of Taylor County at the Courthouse 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 the issuance of this citation, same being the 3rd day of October A. D. 1960, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 3rd day of June A. D. 1960, in this cause, numbered 25,000-A on the docket of said court and styled Harry H. Haywood, Plaintiff, vs. Dorothy Barbara Haywood, Defendant.

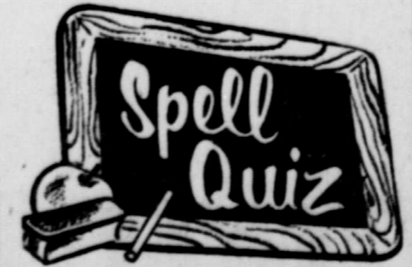
A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff and Defendant were married on or about 22nd day of August, 1959 and became permanently separated about May 31st 1960.

Plaintiff sues for divorce on grounds of harsh and cruel treatment, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

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Issued and given under my hand and the seal of said court at Abilene, Texas, this the 19th day of August A. D. 1960.  
Attest: R. H. Ross Clerk, 42nd District Court Taylor, County, Texas By Irene Crawford, Deputy.



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Cowboys referred to a heavy rain or cloudburst as a "goose drownder."

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## VETERANS INFORMATION

Q—I'm a Korea veteran and, since my discharge, I have been operating a small business of my own. I am eligible, under the law, for a GI loan. Can I use my GI loan to help me expand my business?

A—Yes. Under the law, you may use a GI business loan either for the purpose of undertaking or expanding a legitimate business venture. You must, of course, find a lender who will make you the loan under GI terms.

Q—This fall, I expect to be taking a night course in law under the Korean GI Bill. I will be starting a full four-year course, and at an accredited school, but will only be attending at night. For purposes of my VA training allowance will this be considered full-time or part-time training?

A—Your night school training will be measured as not more than three - quarters time training. It may not be considered as training full time.

Q—A young man of my acquaintance, the child of a World War Two friend, now deceased, is eligible for schooling under the War Orphans Education Act. He would, however, need some special program of education because of a disability. Does the law make provision for that type of training?

A—Yes. The law includes special restorative training to help eligible young men and women overcome the effects of disabilities.

Q—We've just had a baby boy born in our family. I still want my wife to remain as beneficiary on my GI insurance policy, but I'd like to put down my son's name as beneficiary also in case of my wife's death. Can I do that?

A—Yes. Get a change of beneficiary form at any VA office. Fill it out, adding your son's name after your wife's as contingent beneficiary. Send the completed form to the VA District Office where you pay your premiums.

## Hamlin Blasts Badgers, 22-6

Hamlin bunched all of its scoring in the first half here Friday night to down Merkel, 22-6, in a top area high school football clash. The victory was Hamlin's third in as many starts.

The District 6-AA Pied Pipers pushed into a 6-0 lead in the first quarter with a 52-yard drive on the opening kickoff. Halfback Joe Ford powered over left guard for the final six yards.

The Pied Pipers made it 14-0 in the second quarter, taking advantage of a blocked punt on the Merkel 15. Guard Jerry Duncen recovered and ran for the marker. Stanley Austin ran the points.

Hamlin wrapped up its scoring with a 70-yard drive just before halftime. A double reverse and an Austin-to-Jerald McCanlies pass for 40 yards accounted for the score. Frankie Lee ran the extra points.

Merkel managed its lone score in the third quarter on fullback Phil Seymour's 50 yard blast up the center. The loss gave the 6-A Badgers a 1-2 mark for the season.

Hamlin rushed for 113 yards and passed for 137, while Merkel amassed 186 on the ground and 33 in the air.

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## Texas Residents May Obtain Proof Of Their Age From Census Bureau

Last year, 10,610 residents of Texas turned to the U. S. Bureau of the Census for help in proving they were born. These persons were among an estimated 30 million United States residents who are without proof of age or birth. The historical records of the Census Bureau provide the only source of this information for most of these 30 million people.

Proof of age or birth is needed today to collect social security and other retirement benefits. It is needed to qualify for jobs carrying certain age or citizenship requirements. It is needed for some forms of insurance.

Since 1920, the Census Bureau has provided more than three and one-half million persons with copies of their Census records on age, place of birth, citizenship, or kinship. Persons seeking such records of facts about themselves should write to the Personal Census Service Branch, Bureau of the Census, Pittsburg, Kansas, for a Census Records Search Application Form. A fee of \$3.00 is charged for a search of not more than two censuses for one person and for one copy of the information found. Additional copies cost \$1.00 each. An expedited search costs \$4.00. Expedited searches are usually completed within a few days while the routine \$3.00 search may take up to 30 days, depending upon the backlog of requests and the ease or difficulty in locating the information.

The personal information in the records of the 1900 and later Cen-

suses is confidential by law and may be furnished only upon the written request of the person to whom it relates or, for a proper purpose, a legal representative such as a guardian or administrator of an estate. Information regarding a child who has not reached legal age may be obtained upon the written request of either parent.

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**UP THE CANYON**

We had our column ready last week but arrived at the newspaper office a few minutes too late to get it in the paper. We are very sorry we were late.

Well, it is getting very dry up the Canyon now. Cotton is nearly ready to pull and some milo is being harvested. Some hay is also being baled and that leaves sowing of small grain and farmers are waiting a while for rain. Some are talking of dry sowing.

Some of the boys are talking of making a half-bale of cotton per acre. However, it's not all that good.

This should be a year of Thanksgiving in our area. First for a fine wheat crop and then for a fine cotton and milo crop. All this in one year.

A good number from our area attended the West Texas Fair last week. Sure was some fine stock there, as well as other pro-

ducts. The horse show was fine.

Some of the young people who had gone away to college were at home over the week-end. Jackie Riney and Mr. and Mrs. Barry Scott were visiting in their parent's home. Ida Mae King, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Allen King, was also at home. They are all students at Texas Tech in Lubbock.

Junior King of North Platt, Neb. was a visitor in his parent's home over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. Gary Rust of Cisco visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. T. Perry, Sunday and attended church here.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Swinney visited their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Swinney, over the week-end.

Visiting the Rev. and Mrs. McCarthy Sunday were his parents of Breckenridge.

Grover Blair is back home and able to be about in his wheel chair. He is getting along very well. We are glad he is well enough to be home.

Farris Neill, who has been outstanding for several years in showing sheep, got in blue and red ribbons at the show with his breeding ewes. He said he was well pleased.

Donald Russom showed his Sears gilt to the tune of third place out of seven gilts, which made him happy.

We received word Sunday of the death of Mrs. Val Byrom which we regret very much. The Byroms have been in our community many times and always got a warm welcome.

Mr. and Mrs. Kyle Blair of Lubbock were here last week to see his brother, Grover Blair.

They attended the funeral of Murry Farmer.

Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Riney have just returned from a trip to see their daughter and family. Mr. and Mrs. Doc Alexander, in Borger. They also visited Mr. Riney's sister's folks in Guyman, Okla.

**Trent Gorillas Nip Baird, 22-20**

Trent's Gorillas clawed the Bears for a 22-20 victory in an inter-district football game Friday night.

Don Jones was the offensive standout for the home team, scoring two touchdowns and running across two extra points. All his scoring came in the second quarter, the first touchdown on a 35-yard scamper followed by the extra points. A few minutes later, Jones scored from the 10 and Johnny Heatley passed to Eugene Kagens for the extra points.

Baird had opened the scoring in the first period when Mike Odum dashed 45 yards for the TD.

In the third quarter, Odum again scored that time from the 10.

The Gorillas followed that up with a touchdown of their own, with Johnny Swinney going over from the 12.

The Bears bounced back in the final quarter, scoring on a 50-yard pass play. Barnes to Bearnes. Hargrove scored the extra points.

Rodriguez of Baird and Jerry Dickerson of Trent, linebackers, both turned in sparkling defensive performance.

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**State Board Of Pardons, Paroles Prepares 1962-63 Budget Request**

The State Board of Pardons and Paroles has approved its budget request for the years 1962-1963 which is to be submitted to the Governor and to the next Legislature. This budget request is aimed toward fully implementing the program previously proposed by the Board in 1957. That program called for the gradual employment of 40 parole officers during 1958 and the addition of 30 parole officers in 1959. The Board was granted sufficient funds to employ only the 40 parole officers during 1958. Subsequently the 1960 Legislature provided for the continuance of a force of 40 parole officers for the period through 1961.

While the parole staff has remained constant, the parole rate has grown sharply and steadily. In 1957, the last year before professional parole supervision, the number of inmates paroled was 750. Following the establishment of a professional parole system, the parole rate climbed to 1,500 in 1958; 1,800 in 1959, and will surpass 2,200 in 1960.

This increasing rate has made an important contribution to public safety because a parole system is basically directed toward the prevention of crime. For without clemency of any kind 95 percent of the 11,000 inmates now in prison will eventually serve their sentence and be released in the community. 80 percent will be in society in less than 5 years, while more than 50 percent will fully serve their sentence and walk the streets of our cities and towns in less than 2 years. These inmates can either serve their terms completely and be turned loose at the prison gates with no restrictions or assistance, or they can be released under the supervision and guidance of a trained parole officer.

Prior to January, 1958, the

Board was unable to give any assistance to inmates in developing release plans. Consequently, an ever growing number of inmates had to stay in the penitentiary because of the lack of any program to which they could be released. Most of these inmates were subsequently released by discharge. Secondly, supervision was provided entirely by volunteers. Many individuals gave generously of their time, but inevitably there could neither be standard procedure nor frequent regular contacts with parolees in the field or with community agencies. As the number on parole began to rise, this system was taxed beyond its capacity. As a result of these two factors, the public was being afforded the protection of a parole system in an increasingly smaller percentage of cases and a growing number of inmates was being released by discharge. This situation, coupled with the swelling prison population, brought about the establishment of the first professional parole supervision program in the history of the State in January of 1958.

Since the beginning of that system, there has been a sharp improvement in guidance and supervision for the thousands of persons on parole in its wider use as a method of release. For example, from 1955 through 1957, 20 percent of those released from prison were under parole supervision, while 71 percent completed their sentence and were simply turned loose by discharge. By the end of this year, the percentage released under parole supervision, as opposed to discharge, will have climbed to nearly 50 percent.

Despite the sharp shift in the use of parole, the violation rate has not increased. Especially significant has been the record with respect to new felony convictions among those on parole. During the last 12 months, the Board has had over 5,800 individual parolees under its jurisdiction. During the same period, only 117 individual parolees were convicted and sentenced to the penitentiary for new felonies; and of this number, only 13 were convicted for crimes against persons. On the other hand, over 90 percent of the parolees under supervision at the present time are gainfully employed and are earning more than \$10,000,000 a year in salary and wages. At the same time, they are supporting over 1,600 minor dependents.

While an increased parole rate has made a contribution to public safety and rehabilitation for offenders, it has also resulted in a substantial tax savings to the State. Present estimates show that it costs about \$1.24 a day to keep an inmate in prison. At the same time, the State Welfare Department pays an average of .13c per prisoner each day for relief to inmates' families. Also, prison facilities are filled to capacity, and additional inmates mean more construction at an average cost of approximately \$3,000 per inmate. It is difficult to estimate the eventual size of the prison population; however, no matter what size it reaches, new buildings will not have to be built for those on parole, nor will operation and welfare money be spent for them. After all parole costs have been deducted, the State will have made a tax saving of over \$4,000,000 between 1958 and 1961 because of the increased parole rate.

The Board feels that it is imperative that the second phase of its original program be adopted, so that parole supervision can be used to its full effectiveness. The present authorized expendi-

ture for the Board is \$482,978.00 per year. The Board is requesting 30 additional parole officers, as well as appropriate administrative and clerical staff, which will bring the cost to \$687,230.00 for 1962 and \$779,579.00 for 1963. This additional investment will mean that the Board will be able to continue its program of releasing more inmates under parole supervision rather than have them released by discharge. It will also mean that the State will be able to have an additional 1,000 inmates on parole by the end of 1963. After all parole costs have been subtracted, this will yield another tax saving to the State of over \$2,250,000.00 in welfare, prison construction and prison maintenance costs in the next two years.

It should be clear that the former volunteer system has been continued and strengthened. Further, the 1962-63 budget request contemplates an even wider use of volunteers working in conjunction with the professional parole officers. Their use is not limited to only sparsely settled areas of the State. Since 90 percent of the parole population is located in 77 counties, and only 10 percent is located in the remaining 177 counties, the full use of volunteers would be curtailed sharply if they were not functioning in more densely populated areas of the State. However, while volunteers will continue to be employed fully, it must be stressed that the need for growth in the professional parole staff is absolutely required if the expanded system which is contemplated is to be accomplished.

Mrs. John Coomer, Frank Demere and Buddy King were week end guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Demere of Cisco, Route 4.

A niece from Durant, Okla. and her daughter and son-in-law from Sherman were visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Burleson over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Stockbridge visited her mother, Mrs. Nannie Glenn, and her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Collins, at Breckenridge last week-end.

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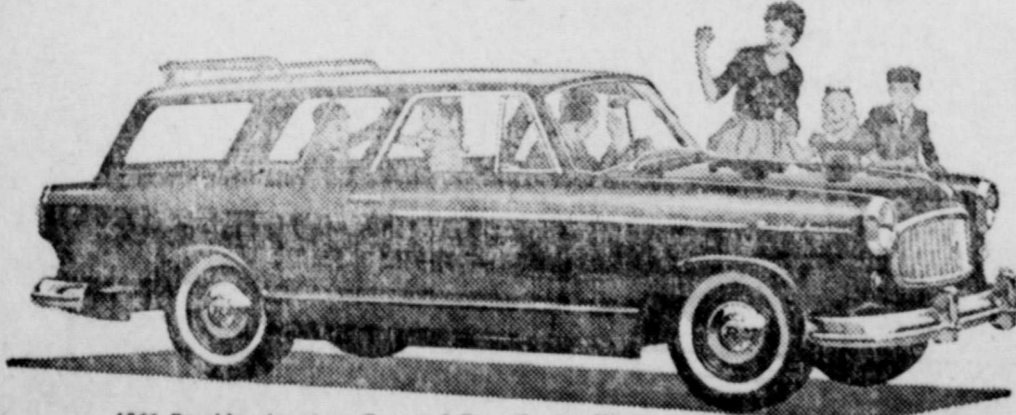


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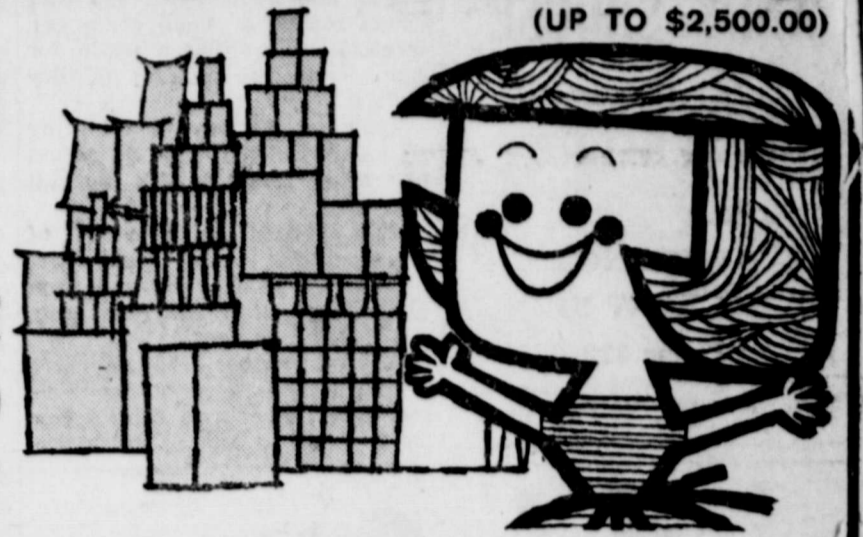
(UP TO \$2,500.00)

Just write the name and address of this store on your "Presidential Party" entry blank. If you are one of the 1st or 2nd prize winners we will give you 2 Years Supply of Groceries (up to \$2,500.00) in addition to your prize from Procter & Gamble. If you prefer you may take \$2,500 in cash.

## A Presidential Party EXTRA

compliments of CARSON'S SUPERMARKET

GET ENTRY BLANKS HERE FOR PROCTER & GAMBLE'S \$80,000 PRESIDENTIAL PARTY CONTEST



**COFFEE** Maxwell House One Limit 2 LB. CAN **\$1.09**  
**PINTO BEANS** 4 LB. BAG **43¢**  
**CRISCO** CREAMY 3 LB. CAN **69¢**  
**ZEE** TISSUE 4 Roll Crt. **29¢**

Del Monte 2 1/2 Can **PEACHES** 2 for 49¢  
 Del Monte 303 Golden **CORN** 2 for 33¢  
 Del Monte 303 Whole **BEANS** 2 for 49¢  
 Del Monte 303 Sweet **PEAS** 2 for 33¢  
 Del Monte 300 **TOMATO Juice** 3 for 29¢  
 Aastex Lima **BEANS & HAM** 2 for 59¢  
 Wolf 300 **TAMALES** 2 for 49¢  
 Kraft 20 Oz. **GRAPE Jelly** jar 29¢  
 Hi-Vi **DOG FOOD** 26 oz. can 17¢  
 Gerber Strained **BABY FOOD** 10 for 99¢  
 Planters **PEANUTS** C'ktail can 33¢  
 Planters **MIXED NUTS** can 39¢  
 Pillsbury-Ballard **BISCUITS** 3 for 25¢  
 Wolf 300 **CHILI** can 43¢

PRICES GOOD THURSDAY FRISAT SEPTEMBER 22-23-24

CHECK LUCKY Numbers Posted In Store - It Could Be Your Calendar. Posted on Market Wall Each Week.

ZEE TOWELS 150 Roll **19¢**

BIG BOY **DOG FOOD** 300 6 For **39¢**

SUPREME IT'S NEW Caramel Chocolate Lemonchip **COOKIES** BOX **29¢**



★ Presidential Party ★

SAVE! REDEEM YOUR PROCTER & GAMBLE COUPONS HERE

HURRY!

\$80,000 in Cash Prizes

ELECT THESE FAVORITES

TOMATO SOUP can 10¢  
 BAMA PEANUT BUTTER 18 oz. Jar **39¢**  
 Nabisco RITZ box 29¢  
 Sunshine CRACKERS lb. 25¢  
 Sunshine CANDIES cello 29¢  
 Kraft Mellow CHEESE wedge 39¢

Finest Quality **MEATS**  
 GOOCH'S RANCH STYLE **BACON**

FREE PLASTIC APRON with each 2 LB. Both For **\$1.09**  
 Gooch Country Style **SAUSAGE** 2 Lbs. 79¢  
 Gooch Blue Ribbn **PICNIC** lb. 29¢  
 All Meat **BOLOGNA** lb. 39¢  
 Fresh **GROUND BEEF** 3 lbs. \$1.00  
 Choice Heavy Beef **Sirloin STEAK** lb. 83¢  
 Choice Beef **Short RIBS** lb. 19¢

Libby's 29 Oz. **PINEAPPLE** CAN 25¢  
 Gold Medal **FLOUR** 5 LB. 49¢  
 Maryland Club **INSTANT COFFEE** 6 OZ. 73¢

**Frozen Foods**  
 KEITH **HOT ROLLS** 24 IN PKG **23¢**  
 Keith's **FISH STICKS** pkg. 27¢  
 Keith's **BROCCOLI Chopped** pkg. 15¢

APPRECIATION DAY TIME SALE  
 BY DEMAND **IRON BOARD**  
**COVER AND PAD** Both for **69¢**  
 SALE TIME THURSDAY 4:30 to 5:30 P.M.

**NEW WISH-BONE DELUXE FRENCH DRESSING**  
 Hug the salad... Not the plate  
 8 OZ. BOT. Only **29¢**  
 8 OZ. ITALIAN DRESSING

**LIPTON TEA** THE BRISK TEA 1/4 lb. 43¢  
**LIPTON FLO-THRU TEA BAGS** PKG. OF 16-25¢

Garden Fresh **Vegetables**  
 TOKAY **GRAPES** 2 Lbs. **25¢**  
 Golden **BANANAS** lb. 12¢  
 Fresh Cello **CARROTS** 2 for 15¢  
 Fresh **CELERY** lb. 9¢  
 New Red **SPUDS** LB. **5¢**

**CARSON'S SUPERMARKET**  
 MERKEL, TEXAS  
**STORE HOURS**  
 WEEKDAYS: 7:00 a.m. to 7:00 p.m.  
 SATURDAYS 7:00 a.m. to 8:30 p.m.  
 TRADE WITH US AND BANK THE DIFFERENCE

Prices Good Thurs. Fri. & Sat. September 15-16-17-19-20

