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NEW CLUB ORGANIZED — Beta Club was recently organized in Trent. Charter members are (L to R) standing: Lee Lanning, Donna Sharp, Candy Higgins, Betty McAninch, Kaye McWilliams, and Steve Kiser. Seated are: Sue Dickerson, Barbara McAninch, Susan Scott, Sue King and Ralph Newton.

Beta Club Organized At Trent

Beta Club, a national honor society, was organized at Trent High School recently. Officers installed were Betty McAninch, president; Steven Kiser, vice president; Sue King, secretary and Lee Lanning treasurer. Ralph Newton will act as sponsor for the group. The charter members of the club were selected on the basis of achievement, scholarship and leadership. The ten members were selected from the junior and senior classes.

Max Carriker To Oppose Omar Burleson

Max Carriker, state representative from this district, has announced that he will seek the congressional post now held by Omar Burleson. He called on County Democratic Chairman Tom Gordon Monday and paid his filing fee in order to have his name placed on the Democratic Primary ballot this May.

Mothers' March For The Life of a Child



WILL REPRESENT MERKEL — Bronwyn Gamble, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Gamble will represent Merkel at the Fat Stock Show in Fort Worth.

BRONWYN GAMBLE TO REPRESENT MERKEL C OF C

Bronwyn Gamble, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David Gamble, has been selected by the Merkel Chamber of Commerce board of directors to represent Merkel in the Fort Worth Stock Show.

As Merkel Sweetheart, she will ride in the Grand Entry February 1 and will be introduced from the center of the arena.

Miss Gamble, freshman in Merkel High School, is active in band and track. She is a member of the Merkel Riding Club. Each summer she attends Brush Ranch, a girls' camp in New Mexico, where she receives instructions in riding.

Alternates selected by the board are Pat Bigbie, Sue Pinckley, Linda Jacobs and Myrtle Davis. Miss Nancy Watts, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Watts, and Merkel Riding Club Sweetheart, will lead the Brush Stompers in the Grand Entry at the show.

A block of 50 tickets were sent to the Chamber of Commerce. The Merkel delegation will sit together and be introduced at the show.

Dimes and Dollars Could Save A Life

The Merkel March of Dimes Drive will be completed tonight as Mothers March to collect the dimes and dollars that will be used for patient care and scientific research.

There are approximately 250,000 children born each year with birth defects. In Taylor County in 1963 there were 250 born with known birth defects and in 1964 this rate is expected to rise to a new high for any given year.

This is the number in Taylor County with known defects. There are also 14 per cent with birth defects that will not be discovered until later years or adulthood.

"You" can have a part in preventing some child from suffering the pains of arthritis or polio!

"You" can know, that because of your donations some child is receiving the medical attention he needs!

"You" can know that you will help some child in the future, for your donations will be used to further research!

"You" can know that you will have a brighter year in 1964 because your donations to the March of Dimes will be working throughout the year for crippled children everywhere!

Turn your porch lights on and have your contributions ready tonight at 6 o'clock for the Mothers' March.

Volunteers are asked to meet at the Elementary School Library at 6 p.m.

To date there has been a total of \$386.55 contributed to the drive fund.

The March of Dimes basketball game brought in donations of \$100, an additional \$52.84 was donated by Merkel Elementary school students; and \$23.71 was donated during the telethon Saturday night.

In 1964 Merkel citizens donated \$1100.00 to the March of Dimes. "We would like to see the total this year exceed that amount," stated Bonnie Dayton, co-chairman of the drive.

Chairman of the Merkel drive is Pat Cypert.

Announcement

A 42 party will be held at the Community Center in Stith at 7 p.m. Saturday, Feb. 1st, to raise funds for the March of Dimes. Refreshments will be sold at the party.

Up The Canyon

By TOM RUSSOM

Everything is pretty quiet up the Canyon this week. Some land is to wet to plow, however, most of the land has plowed real good. The few days of warm weather that we had gave the wheat a chance to grow. Farmers think with some more warm weather the wheat will grow.

Livestock are doing real well. With February being a short month we should get into spring pretty quick.

This is fine lambing time. If the sheep had a little greener pasture it sure would help.

The mother of E. C. Ray and Mrs. Ford Butman passed away this week. She died at the Torn Beam Rest Home near Dallas. Mrs. Ray was a former resident of the Canyon.

Allen King called Tom Russom's hand about the Mulberry and Oak trees. He said, that his old Ranch headquarters had a large Mulberry tree there and said the ranch was addressed as the Mulberry Tree Ranch Headquarters. He said it had many mulberries on it every year. Tom replied, "That was before my time."

Several from our community attended the funeral of Tom Williamson in Trent last Saturday afternoon.

Connie Mack Seymore had eye surgery last week in Abilene and suffered a lot of pain for several days. He is reported to be feeling better at this time.

The Mulberry Canyon 4-H Club had their regular monthly meeting Monday night at the Club Center.

Del Davis, son of Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Davis entered Texas Tech College in Lubbock.

CEMETERY FUND

Donations to the Cemetery Fund recently were:
Ben C. Smith, Knox City
Mrs. June Toombs
Mr. and Mrs. William Cypert
Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bird Sr.
Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Bird Jr.

TOM WILLIAMSON DIES IN TRENT

Funeral for Tom Williamson, 71, was held at 3 p.m. Saturday in Trent First Methodist Church with the Rev. Tommy Beck, pastor, officiating. Burial was in Trent Cemetery with Elliott's Funeral Home in charge.

Mr. Williamson died at his home in Trent at 1:30 a.m. Friday after an extended illness.

Active pallbearers were J. M. Heatley, Albert Maberry, Clovis McMurray, Tommy Jones, H. H. McCleod, C. L. McCleod and Othel O'Kelley.

Honorary pallbearers were members of the Men's Sunday School Class at the First Methodist Church, Jeff Anderson, Frank Allyn, D. H. Jones, Dennis Butler, Fay Sipe, H. J. Kegans, Leslie Beasley, John Strawn, Vel Byrom, A. L. Hogue, Charles Ramby, James Canady, Amos Morris, Onis Graham, Carl Edwards, J. G. Willes, C. C. Stribling, Pete Holbrook, Thurman Jones, Doug Carriker, Cecil Taylor, A. J. Armstrong, Foy Steadman and A. V. Boyd.

Born Jan. 2, 1893, in Melbourne, Ark., he attended school in Merkel and in 1925 entered a partnership with his brother, Alex.

Mrs. Maddox Rites Held

Funeral services for Mrs. Tom Maddox, 67, were held Friday in the Starbuck Funeral Home Chapel. The Rev. J. E. Meeks Jr. and the Rev. Bill Tanner officiated.

Mrs. Maddox died Thursday in Sadler - Clinic Hospital. Burial was in Rose Hill Cemetery.

She was born May 30, 1896, Lillian Stella Dean, in Alabama. September 12, 1914, she married Tom Maddox in Merkel. Mr. Maddox passed away in September, 1959.

She is survived by two daughters, Mrs. Robert Higgins and Mrs. Roger Burfiend, both of Merkel; two sisters, Mrs. D. C. Doan, Merkel, and Mrs. Katy Cogburn of Fort Worth; two half-sisters, Mrs. Ella Burgess, Alabama, and Mrs. Margaret Ervin, Merkel; and 4 grandchildren.

Mrs. Lon McDonald and children of Winters were visitors in the home of her parents, Dr. and Mrs. Bob Campbell Sunday.

in Star Hardware and Furniture in Trent. The brother, who had started the business in 1911, died in 1944, and the business had since been operated by Mr. Williamson and his son, Dow.

A steward in the First Methodist Church of Trent and member of the school board, he was director of Home State Bank and was active in church and civic activities. He married Ida Smith at Anson in 1918. Mrs. Williamson expressed appreciation to the many courtesies extended to the family by friends during her husband's lengthy illness.

Survivors are his wife; one son, Dow of Trent; one daughter, Mrs. C. H. Foley of Lubbock; one sister, Mrs. Pauline Freeman of Roscoe; four grandchildren.



'MR. D' WINS AGAIN — LeeAnn Holloway, 11, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Truman Holloway had the grand champion steer in the 1964 Abilene Fat Stock Show. The steer, named "Mr. D" was first in the heavyweight class.

MOTHERS WILL MARCH TONIGHT

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FOR RENT - 6 room house at Trent. See T. D. Scott, Phone 2-2511. 46 2tp

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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: Sheridan Eloyde Follis, Defendant, Greeting:

YOU ARE HEREBY COMMANDED to appear before the Honorable Court of Domestic Relations 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 10th day of February A.D. 1964, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 6th day of December A.D. 1963, in this cause, numbered 713 on the docket of said court and styled Patsy Lou Follis, Plaintiff, vs. Sheridan Eloyde Follis, Defendant.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: Plaintiff and Defendant were married in Abilene, Texas, on June 10, 1957, and continued to live together until on or about January 6, 1960. Plaintiff sues for divorce on the grounds of harsh and cruel treatment. Plaintiff's Original Petition would show that to this marriage one child was born, on March 27, 1960, a son, Terry Follis, aged three. Plaintiff's Original Petition would also show that there is no community property to be divided between the parties herein, 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 26th day of December A.D. 1963.

(Seal)
Attest: R. H. ROSS Clerk,
Domestic Relations Court
Taylor County, Texas.
My Millie Scott, Deputy.

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LEGAL NOTICE

No. 28,545-A

LeClair Operating Company, Inc. vs. Estate of George C. Bergman, deceased

IN THE 42ND DISTRICT COURT OF TAYLOR COUNTY, TEXAS
NOTICE OF SALE OF REAL ESTATE - UNDER ORDER OF SALE

WHEREAS, by virtue of an Order of Sale issued out of the 42nd District Court of Taylor County, Texas, on a Judgment rendered in said Court on the 13th day of December, 1963, in favor of LeClair Operating Company, Inc. and against the Estate of George C. Bergman, deceased, and the Trustee of the George C. Bergman Estate, being No. 28,545-A on the docket of said Court, I did, on the 8th day of January, 1964, at 10 a.m. levy upon the following described tracts of land situated in the County of Taylor, State of Texas, and belonging to the deceased Defendant, George C. Bergman, to-wit:

An undivided interest in the leasehold estates of Tracts 1, 5, 7, 11, 12 and 14 of the Atwood West Gardner Unit in the A. Winters Survey No. 432 in Taylor County, Texas, which unit agreement is recorded in Vol. 618, Page 315, Deed Records of Taylor County, Texas, and the ratification of George D. Bergman is recorded in Vol. 618, Page 246, Deed Records, Taylor County, Texas, to which reference is here made for all purposes.

and on the 3rd day of March, 1964, being the first Tuesday in said month, between the hours of 10:00 o'clock a.m. and 4:00 o'clock p.m. on said day at the Courthouse of said County, I will offer for sale and sell at auction for cash, all of the right, title and interest of the said George C. Bergman, his heirs and executors and administrators, in and to said property.

Dated at Abilene, Texas, this 8th day of January, 1964.

EUGENE WILLIAMS
Constable, Precinct No. 1
Taylor County, Texas
45 3tc

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MONOR ROLL - Honor students for the third six-week period have been announced. They are Judy Hester, Mrs. Benson's room; Paul Thames, Mrs. Cox's room; Pat Moore, Mrs. Orsborn's room; Dee Warren and Terry Derington, Mrs. Bratcher's room; Randy Doan, Mrs. Fisher's room; Ghonda Tarpley and Sharon Doan, Mrs. Bronniman's room; Debbie Seymore and Judy Marcom, Mrs. Shouse's room; Wally Knight, Mr. Davis' room; Jo Ann Lasiter and Debi Corder, Mr. Warford's room and Ronnie McKeever, Mrs. Winter's room. Other children in the building making an above 90 average for the six weeks were Mike McLean, John Dixon, Katherine Patterson, Alan Reed, Rodney Mashburn, Ronnie Bigbee, Kaye Lynn Conley, Lupe Hernandez, Tim Beasley, Danny Wade, Robert Wilson, Stanley Leamon, Vickie Doan and Mary Johnson and Cheryl Herring.

CLASS OFFICES ELECTED - Mrs. Orsborn's room elected officers for the 4th six weeks. They are JaNell Lassiter, president; Terry Wade, vice president; Dennis Kinsey, secretary, and Cathy Beard, reporter. Officers elected in Mrs. Cox's room were: president, Marvin Clark; vice president, Karlen Gamble; treasurer,

Lois Traweck, and reporter, Mary Doan. Mrs. Fisher's sixth grade elected the following officers: Billy Webb, president; Mignon Crawford, vice president; Laurrell Loflin, secretary; Tommy Carson, treasurer and Wayne Holloway, reporter.

BASKETBALL HOOTENANY

FOR MARCH OF DIMES - Some one asked, 'what is a basketball hootenany?' If you were at the local gymnasium last Thursday night you have some idea. If you were not there you wouldn't understand. Our 5th and 6th grade boys and girls gave everyone a thrill and a big time as well as the 7th, 8th and 9th grade boys and girls. All the children had a good time. The 'grown-ups' really appeared to enjoy themselves. And the March of Dimes gained a contribution of \$90.20. The junior class from high school, sponsored by Coach Bill Tate, contributed \$9.80 to make the Basketball Hootenany come to a total of \$100.00. All of us here in the Little Badgers den

want to thank everyone who gave of their efforts to make the 'hootenany' a success.

STUDENT COUNCIL ACTIVITY - Through contributions from all the Little Badgers the Student Council has sent a check to the Merkel March of Dimes in the amount of \$32.84. This activity is carried on through the Hospitality and Benevolence Committee headed by Cheryl Herring.

SPORTS - The Junior Badgers basketballers are still undefeated in conference play at the end of the first round. The Badgerettes have lost only one conference game. The Juniors have three more conference games to go. They play Jim Ned here January 27th. Wylie here February 3rd and Baird there February 10.

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- Texas GRAPEFRUIT Lb. 11c
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CHOICE CHUCK ROAST Lb. **49¢**

FRESH CATHEY FRYERS Lb. **25¢**

FRYERS Cut Up Lb. **29¢**

FRESH GROUND BEEF 3-Lbs. **\$1**

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WISCONSIN LONGHORN CHEESE Lb. **55¢**



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ICE CREAM
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| | RUBY RED GRAPEFRUIT | 5-Lb. Bag | 49c |
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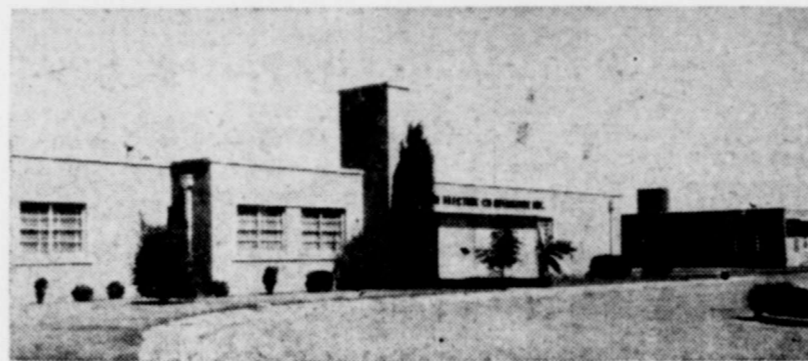
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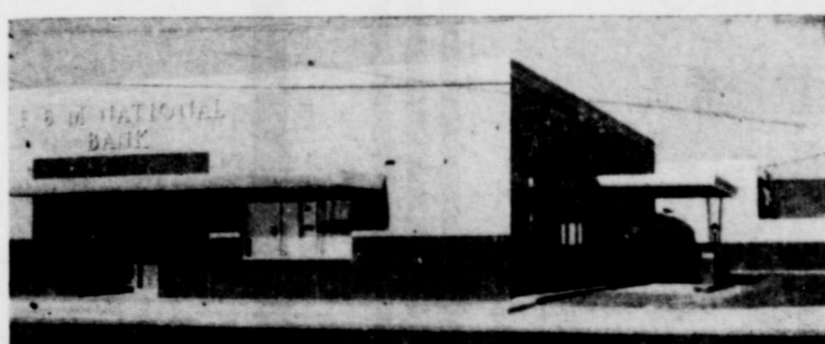
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Austin Student To Preach Here

William Franklin Mansell Jr., second year student at Austin Presbyterian Theological Seminary

in Austin, will be guest pastor at the Merkel Presbyterian Church on Sunday, Feb. 2.

He received his bachelor of arts degree from Davidson College in Davidson, North Carolina in 1962. As a college student, he was a member of Phi Beta Kappa.

highest honorary scholastic society in the field of arts and sciences, and Omicron Delta Kappa, honorary leadership society.

He was president of the Davidson chapter of Sigma Nu social fraternity, and business manager of the campus humor magazine.

Mr. Mansell has his church membership in the First Presbyterian Church of Vicksburg, Mississippi.

Services Held For M. E. Harris

Services were held for Monroe E. Harris, 66, in the First Baptist Church Friday with the Rev. Bill Tanner officiating.

Burial was in Rose Hill Cemetery under the direction of Starbuck Funeral Home.

Harris was married to Zetta Mae Thomas Dec. 1, 1918 in Gill.

They lived in Alvarado until 1925 when they moved to Merkel.

Mr. Harris was engaged in farming until 1944 when he entered the laundry business. He owned the H and H laundry in Merkel.

He is survived by his wife; two daughters, Mrs. Leona Payne and Mrs. W. S. Hendrix, both of Arlington; one niece whom they raised, Mrs. Bernice Shuggart of Abilene; one brother, two sisters and three grandchildren.

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The family of M. E. Harris

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The W. C. Barley Family

LAMBDA BETA CLUB

The Lambda Beta Chapter of Beta Sigma Phi met with Mrs. H. B. Robertson Tuesday night. Linda Denton was in charge of the program.

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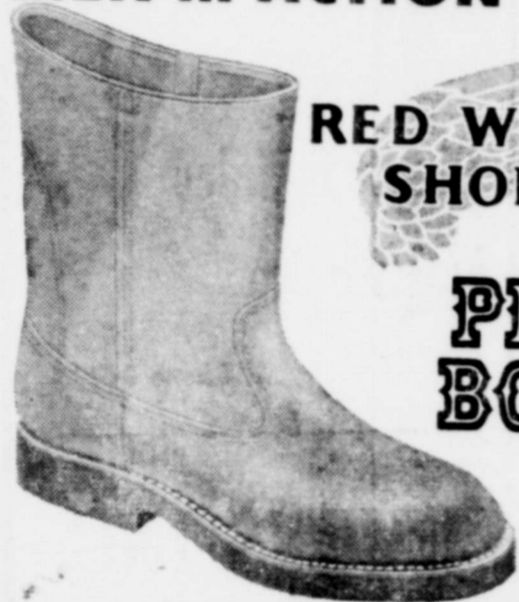
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