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Up The Canyon

By TOM
RUSSOM

Not much news here in the Canyon this week.

Spring weather is making its appearance — most of the afternoon, and some gardening is being done.

There is quite a bit of land that is not plowed at this time; however, it is still early.

Lloyd West, about the only new neighbor who moved to the Canyon recently, has moved in all of his cattle from Santa Anna, where he owns a stock farm. Lloyd's grandfather, the late E. H. Cordill, left him about a section of land here in the Canyon and Lloyd has moved back on it. He plans to stock it with cattle and work the feed land.

We just haven't had any "newcomers" to the Canyon this year. Just too hard to find a place, or a decent house to move into. So, guess it will be just "us and us" here for 1966, but "us and us and us" are all right.

Mrs. Newton Daniel, of the Merkel Methodist Church, brought a wonderful talk at Pioneer Sunday morning. We all enjoyed it very much.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Seymore, longtime residents of the Canyon, recently heard from their son, Phil, who is now in Germany. They reported that Phil "was just fine and having some experiences of his life."

As we did not get to attend
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FROM THE CITY COUNCIL

AN OPEN LETTER TO THE PUBLIC

Towns as well as plants and people that stop growing soon start to wither and dry up. Competition among towns is just as keen as with businesses. Towns as well as businesses that idly wait for something to happen usually find that it doesn't.

A study of present and future needs for expansion is under way at this time by a group of responsible people. The successful accomplishments of these plans could result in a population of 10,000 in 10 years for Merkel.

It is the desire of your city officials to do everything possible to further this growth and to more effectively serve all the people

Wakeman Service Held in Trent

Trent funeral services were held for Douglas Glen Wakeman Saturday, Feb. 26 in the Trent Church of Christ, with Phillip Speer, minister, and Edd Enzor of Abilene Christian College officiating. Burial was in the Sweetwater Cemetery, under direction of Starbuck Funeral Home.

Wakeman, grandson of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. McLeod of Trent, apparently died of carbon monoxide asphyxiation Wednesday night.

Survivors include the parents, two brothers, David of Abilene and Steve of Amarillo; and his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. McLeod and Mrs. G. M. Peet of Amarillo.

of Merkel. Borrowing an expression made at a meeting a few days ago, "Business and Industry so where it is invited and remains where it is well treated." Naturally, a town that has no civic pride in its appearances, or an alert friendly citizenry can have little hope of extending an impressive invitation to new enterprises.

With this thought in mind we are asking that in your club discussions, and in your individual conversations that you concentrate upon present as well as future needs of our town and suggest feasible ways to accomplish them and present these ideas to the city council. We are well aware of many projects that need immediate attention, such as parks, recreational facilities, yard and home beautification, removal of old junk cars and rubbish of all kinds.

At a meeting Friday, Feb. 25, with the Texas Municipal League in Abilene your mayor talked with Mr. David Cochran of the Texas Health Department, who by lecture and picture slides had the entire program. Mr. Cochran's department aids and advises towns and cities in planning expansion and the better utilization of the facilities at hand in water, sewer, health and other departments of operation. Mr. Cochran will meet with our City Council soon to help with problems presented.

Your mayor plans to accept an invitation from Gov. John Connally to attend the first Governor's Conference on Libraries in Austin March 23. This meeting should be beneficial especially for small towns.

Three councilmen are to be elected in April. It is everyone's duty to interest themselves by backing and encouraging capable men who have the interest of Merkel at heart and are willing to give a great deal of time to the duties of the office.

Your cooperative planning and counsel will be greatly appreciated by your city officials who want to serve the needs of all the people.

Very Sincerely,
Merkel City Officials
Johnny Cox, Mayor

Chamber of Commerce Plans Industrial Foundation

Texas Beauty Wins NRE Title

An 18-year-old Central Texas ranch girl was named Miss National Rural Electrification recently in Las Vegas, Nev. at the annual convention of rural electric systems in America.

Jan Brown, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Clint Brown of Harper, Gillespie County, won the title over contestants from eight other states during the beauty pageant before some 8,000 delegates. She won the right to represent Texas in the competition when she was selected Miss Texas Rural Electrification last summer in Dallas.

Jan is a freshman speech major at Angelo State College, San Angelo. With the national crown goes a \$2,500 scholarship sponsored jointly by the National Rural Electric Cooperative Association and General Electric.



MISS JAN BROWN
... Miss National REA

BAND PARENTS CLUB TO PRESENT THE MCMURRY SINGERS

The Merkel High School Band Parents Club is sponsoring a program by the McMurry Chanters and the Three Windjammers to be held Tuesday at 8 p.m. in the Merkel High School Auditorium.

The musical program was postponed Feb. 21 because of the weather, and has been re-scheduled for this date.

Proceeds from the Tuesday evening concert will go to the High School Band. Tickets are 50 cents for adults and 25 cents for students. Tickets may be purchased from Crawford's Men's Wear, West Texas Utilities, and Barnett Barber Shop and also at the McMurry Fine Arts Building in Abilene. Tickets are also available at the Merkel High School business office or may be purchased at the door on the evening of the performance.

Arrangements for the program have been made by Joe McDuff, president of the Band Parents' Club, Joe E. Lassiter, Mrs. Woodrow Wilson and Glenn Reed.

The Chanters, under direction of Prof. Paul Engelstad, have just returned from a 10-day 13 city tour. A graduate of St. Olaf College and De Paul University, Engelstad also studied with Roger Wagner and at Union Theological Seminary in New York.

The Windjammers, who formed to sing in a McMurry all-School hootenanny, kept on singing "just for the fun of it." They performed at "Six Flags Over Texas" during the summer of 1965. They were also selected to appear on Talent '66, a statewide television program which will be given throughout the state this spring. The young singers are Jack Wilcox, of Irving, Jerrell Elliott of Ranger and Clark Walter of Roswell, New Mexico.

Tuesday's concert will include two numbers the Windjammers have recorded for Rebel Records, "Joshua" and "Let It Be Me," a satire of modern commercials set to the tune of "This Is Your Land."

Other musical numbers will be "It's a Sin to Tell a Lie," "San Francisco Blues," "Summer Place," and "Yesterday."

The Chanters will sing such numbers as "Alleluia," by Thompson, "Motet for Advent," by Gustav Schreck, and "Vere Langvores," by Victoria. Other numbers included on the Chanters' program will be "Five Hundred Miles," a folk song by West, "Gossip - Gossip" by Hairston, and "Lulu," a Kentucky Mountain song.

AUTO INSURANCE

NEW YORK — Property damage liability insurance on your auto covers only damage your car does to the property of others. It does not cover damage to your car, says the Insurance Information Institute.

PLANS WOULD BRING PAYROLLS TO CITY

Plans are being worked to set up an Industrial Foundation aimed at bringing payrolls to Merkel.

Work got underway when Max Murrell, Chamber of Commerce president, called a meeting with Bill Sayles, who is with the West Texas Utilities Industrial Development department.

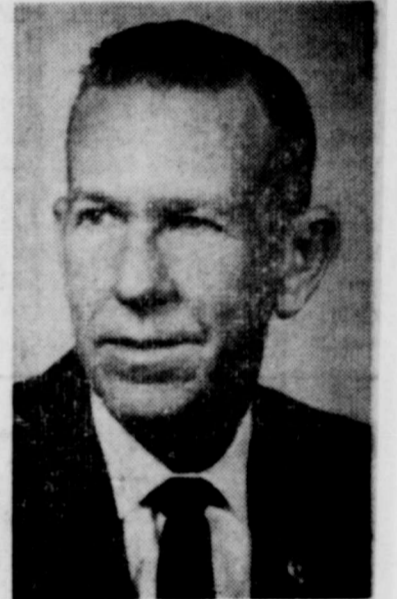
Sayles said towns which had been successful in obtaining new industry had set up industrial foundations to work on the problem. Sayles showed several methods other towns had used in forming an industrial foundation.

Murrell appointed Bill Button, Lewton Finch, Herman Carson and Dave Brumbeau to draw up a tentative charter and by-laws for a foundation.

Directors attending the meeting were Johnny Cox, Pinky Cypert and Lon McDonald. Booth Warren also attended.

Tentative plans call for the Industrial Foundation to be set up within the framework of the Chamber of Commerce and then to become a separate organization. The four-member charter committee is studying charters for non-profit organizations.

An industrial foundation would be used to induce industry to locate in Merkel. Industry in town



BILL BUTTON
... charter committee chairman

would help provide jobs, a better wage scale, would help in the rental of vacant units and would increase the sale of food and clothing.

William Golladay Dies at 82

William F. Golladay, 82, resident of Merkel since 1900, died Thursday, Feb. 24, in Williamburg Nursing Home in Abilene after a lengthy illness.

Funeral services were held Friday in Merkel's First Methodist Church, with the Rev. New Daniel, pastor, and the Rev. James C. Holman, pastor of Grace Methodist Church in Abilene officiating.

Burial was in Rose Hill Cemetery with Starbuck Funeral Home in charge.

Mr. Golladay was born Jan. 1884 in Waxahachie, and married Cora Ethel Wynne, March 1906. She died in 1946. He married Maud Riddle, May 1949, died in July, 1952.

He was a member of the Merkel Methodist Church.

Survivors include one daughter, Mrs. I. D. Riddle; one grandchild; two great-grandchildren; two step-grandchildren; step-sons, G. H. Riddle and D. Riddle, both of Abilene; step-daughter, Mrs. H. Green of Abilene.

'Busy Bees' Meet, Elect Officers

The "Busy Bee" 4-H Club met Monday, Feb. 28 for their second clothing meeting of the year. The meeting was held in the home of Mrs. June Hogan.

During the activity session members cut out shifts from patterns they had brought.

Officers elected for the year were Mary Jo Reddin, president; Tonja McAninch, secretary, and Jan Beasley, reporter.

Members present were Jan Beasley, Cle Juan Douglas, Tonja McAninch, Mary Jo Reddin, Stephanie Walker and Sandy Hogan.

Leaders present were Mrs. June Hogan, Mrs. Glenn Teaff, Mrs. Charles Reddin and Mrs. Donald Douglas.

The group will meet March 7 at the Merkel High School for their third study on clothing.

PURCHASE OF FIRE TRUCK DECREASES INSURANCE RATE

A new fire truck has arrived for Merkel.

This will mean a 2 per cent decrease in fire insurance premiums for the Merkel fire rate.

Mayor Johnny Cox said the purchase of the new fire truck was imperative because the old equipment did not meet requirements of the State Board of Insurance.

Fire Chief Waymon Adcock explained that the State will allow additional credit for a booster truck with each 500 gallons of water capacity. Merkel now has two pumpers and two boosters that will meet State requirements.

Cox said city officials are very proud of the new truck and extended an invitation to everyone to inspect the new equipment.

Merkel's last fire truck bought in 1954.

The new truck is built to specifications for Merkel.

'Handy Helpers' Study Cooking

February activities for "Handy - Helpers" 4-H Club consisted of learning to make and tuna fish sandwiches.

At both Feb. 8 and 28 meetings, Marilyn Ma presided. Debbie Clift led club motto and pledge, with Cochran leading the club prayer.

Members present at both meetings were Debbie Clift, Carter, Mary Cochran and Lynn Maxwell, and Mrs. Bill well, adult leader.

INSURANCE GROUPS URGING MEDICARE ENROLLMENT

Thousands of people across the country who previously said they did not want the medical benefits under social security, or were undecided, are now electing the coverage that will help pay doctor bills, according to R. R. Tuley, Jr., social security district manager at Abilene.

One reason for the change, Tuley stated, is a recent announcement by a number of insurance companies. They have urged all their policy holders over 65 to enroll for Medicare. They have also announced that they will provide a new policy for those over 65, at reduced rates, replacing those now in effect. The new

policies will supplement the coverage provided by Medicare.

"Anyone over 65 who has previously said he did not want or was undecided about this coverage has until March 31 to enroll," Tuley has announced. "A simple card for enrollment is available at the social security office, Room 2321 Federal Building, Abilene, Texas."

John M. Strawn Dies at Trent

Funeral services for John M. Strawn, 71, of Trent, were held Thursday, Feb. 24 in the Trent Methodist Church with the Rev. Jim H. Sharp, pastor, officiating, assisted by the Rev. Tommy Beck, Abilene Methodist minister.

Burial was in Garden of Memories at Trent with Starbuck Funeral Home in charge.

Mr. Strawn, a longtime postmaster and rural mail carrier at Trent was born April 18, 1894. He moved to Trent in 1920 and married Irene Steen in that year. He retired in 1964. He was a member of Trent Methodist Church.

Survivors are his wife; two daughters, Mrs. B. J. Bowers of Big Spring and Mrs. H. H. McLeod of Trent; six sisters, Mrs. G. B. Elliott of Estill Springs, Tenn., Mrs. O. K. Greaves of Winnfield, La., Mrs. Vicie McCool of Denison, Mrs. Loyd Johnson of Clarendon, Mrs. A. J. Johnson of San Angelo and Mrs. Raymond Kitterman of Alexandria, La.; and four grandsons.



DONATES ONE HOUR'S TIME — Members of the Cancer Society Sewing Club gives an hour's time each month toward the making of dressings for cancer patients. Representatives from the Garden Club, Fortnightly Study Club, Blue Bonnet Home Demonstration Club, Young Homemakers, and the Veterans of Foreign Wars Auxiliary are members of the sewing club. (Staff Photo)

THE FIZZLE FAMILY



NOODLE NEWS

By SIMMONS CALLAWAY

Mrs. Alice Cooper is home, after spending two days in the Anson General Hospital, and is doing fairly well.

Mrs. Jewell Denry of Sidney, mother of Mrs. Carole Best, spent several days in the Best home.

Daren and Gary Putman of Sweetwater, spent the weekend with their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Putman.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Palmer spent last Tuesday and Wednesday with their son and family, Edward, at Eunice, N.M. Also Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Palmer, Merkel, and son Charles, visited them Sunday.

Our summer was short lived, as of Feb. 24. So hard to unpack our winter clothes after putting them away.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Bails and boys from Abilene, were guests of Mrs. Bails' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Troy Sloan, over the weekend.

Miss Sara Wheeler, a teacher at Crane, spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Wheeler.

Mr. and Mrs. O. D. Putman visited Monday in Merkel with Mrs. Putman's mother, Mrs. Eva Hobbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Dock Callaway spent last Tuesday night with Mrs. Elsa Maxwell and her sister, Mrs. Grace Wynn, Anson, visited with Mrs. Maxwell Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Spann from Garland visited Mr. and Mrs. Doc Callaway and Mrs. Troy Sloan Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Justice and children, from San Angelo, spent the weekend with their parents, the Robert Campbells and V. R. Justices.

Our sympathy goes out to Mrs. Karl Bonneaux on the death of

Mrs. Cliff Barnwell of Milsap, Diego, Calif.
Mrs. Louise McGinnis and Marilyn from Anson, Terry Touchstone and Christi, Comper, visited Mr. and Mrs. Troy Sloan Sunday.

W. D. Clement and boys from Rotan and Mr. and Mrs. Homer Jones and Dennis from Hodges, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Bill Caldwell.

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Talented Texans Return from 4-H Club Congress in Chicago



Speir Miss Hilton Miss Henderson Novosad

Four Lone Star state youngsters who shone brightly in 4-H work were rewarded recently with a trip to Chicago.

The teen-agers, winners in state competition, attended the 1965 National 4-H Club Congress Nov. 23-Dec. 2.

They are Helen Hilton, 18, Palestine, clothing award winner; Marylu Henderson, 17, also of Palestine, safety; Sam Speir, 15, Manchaca, leadership, and Sammie Novosad, 17, Bryan, agriculture.

They met 4-H winners from other states and socialized with them at a dance in Chicago's famous Aragon Ballroom. Their itinerary also included tours of some of the city's other outstanding points of interest, such as the Art Institute of Chicago, the Chicago Natural History Museum, and the Museum of Science and Industry.

Miss Hilton made 186 garments in her seven years as a 4-H'er and estimates she saved her family over \$800 on clothes during that period.

She grew up on a small farm and now is a freshman at Stephen F. Austin College studying to be a teacher. She was the guest of Coats & Clark Inc. of Chicago.

Miss Henderson's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Raymond W. Henderson Sr., are both 4-H leaders.

Marylu has given more than 55 safety demonstrations and has become well versed in such things as north-south resuscitation and fire prevention.

General Motors sponsored her congress trip.

Young Speir's 4-H leadership training has been of practical importance to him. His father died when Sam was seven and he was forced to assume additional responsibilities at an early age.

"Leadership training has helped me in taking responsibility in the home, church and community," he says. Speir, who came to Chicago under the auspices of The Sears-Roebuck Foundation, is interested in an agri-business career.

Novosad works on his family's 175-acre farm, but he plans eventually to enter Texas A&M to study dairy judging, a field he became interested in through his 4-H work.

Sammie has raised more than 660 fryers and 43 swine over the years. His other 4-H projects include beef, field crops, dairy, tractor maintenance and leadership. But livestock and dairy judging were his favorite 4-H projects.

Sammie's dad, Joe Novosad Jr., is a 4-H leader. Young Novosad visited Chicago through the courtesy of International Harvester.

now deceased. Helen if you could find out about them and send them to me, I would be so happy, and also so grateful to you.

The first one is really the one I'm most anxious to get, they are so delicious, my mouth always waters to think about them, it is an Italian recipe, this is the shape, like an oblong, small bun. I believe they are rolled somehow in molasses. I imagine the dough is fried, then rolled in molasses. The Italian name is: Caneikala, the pronunciation sounds like this word, but I don't know how correctly I spelled it.

The second cookie is also an Italian cookie, but very small, round, shaped like a marble and rolled in honey. I don't know the name of the second one. I've asked about a dozen Italian people during the last several years,

but no one knows the recipe, how I hope you can find out the recipe Helen, I'd be so delighted, I'd really be tickled to put it plainly. I thank you so kindly for any thing you may be able to help me with. These are two Italian Holiday cookies. The Italians bake them around Easter and Christmas. An avid reader of your column —

Miss Estelle M. Carilla
Milmont Park, Pa.

Dear Estelle: Those things sound just wonderful! The staff can't seem to help me, so let's see what the readers can do with this one. I would almost take bets on our crowd, somebody out there in newspaper land will come through. — Helen

NOTE: Write Helen Murry, P. O. Box 416, Lehigh Acres, Florida.

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WAKE UP YOUNGER!
with Helen Murry

Dear Readers: Thanks a million, for all the nice cards and letters inquiring about me and the column during the last few weeks. As many of you know now, I had a first class case of the old fashioned flu. I know you aren't supposed to get things like that here in Sunny Lehigh, but maybe I brought it back from my trip up North. Anyway I'm back at the old grindstone now, and we will get back on the ball right away.

Well, here is another recipe

letter (the other brought such a great response let's see what we can do with this one.)

Dear Helen: I read your column in our Township paper, and find it always so interesting and stimulating.

I'm writing to ask you for two recipes I've been trying to get for several years, but no one seems to know them. My Grandmother used to send these two Italian cookies to us a big box full around the holidays, she is

Crossword Puzzle

ACROSS

- Hard blow
- British native
- Conjunctive
- Three
- Scorch
- French: "King"
- Irritate
- Turning
- Near
- Agitate
- Out of date
- Number
- In bed
- Roman road
- Mideast native
- Lure
- War office: abbr.
- Duck
- Smoke particles
- Hawaiian dish
- Fabric
- Dross
- Confess
- Sleigh
- Go astray
- Renovate
- Single thing
- Sun god
- Skulls
- English school
- Building wing
- Liberate
- Salamander
- French river
- Stops
- Girl's nickname
- Tantalum: chem.
- Citizens
- Distributes
- Exist
- Preposition
- Argon: chem.
- Bone: anat. prefix
- Package
- Excessively
- Adorned with: feathers
- Feathered missiles
- Concedes
- Rune for "w"
- Twice: prefix
- Cereal grain
- Snare
- Plato's pupil
- Lassos
- Enters
- Vase
- Siamese
- Golf mound

Answer to Puzzle

DOWN

- Layers
- Author
- Be ill
- Pedal digits
- Writes hastily
- St. Vitus' dance
- Cereal grain
- Snare
- Plato's pupil
- Lassos
- Enters
- Vase
- Siamese
- Golf mound

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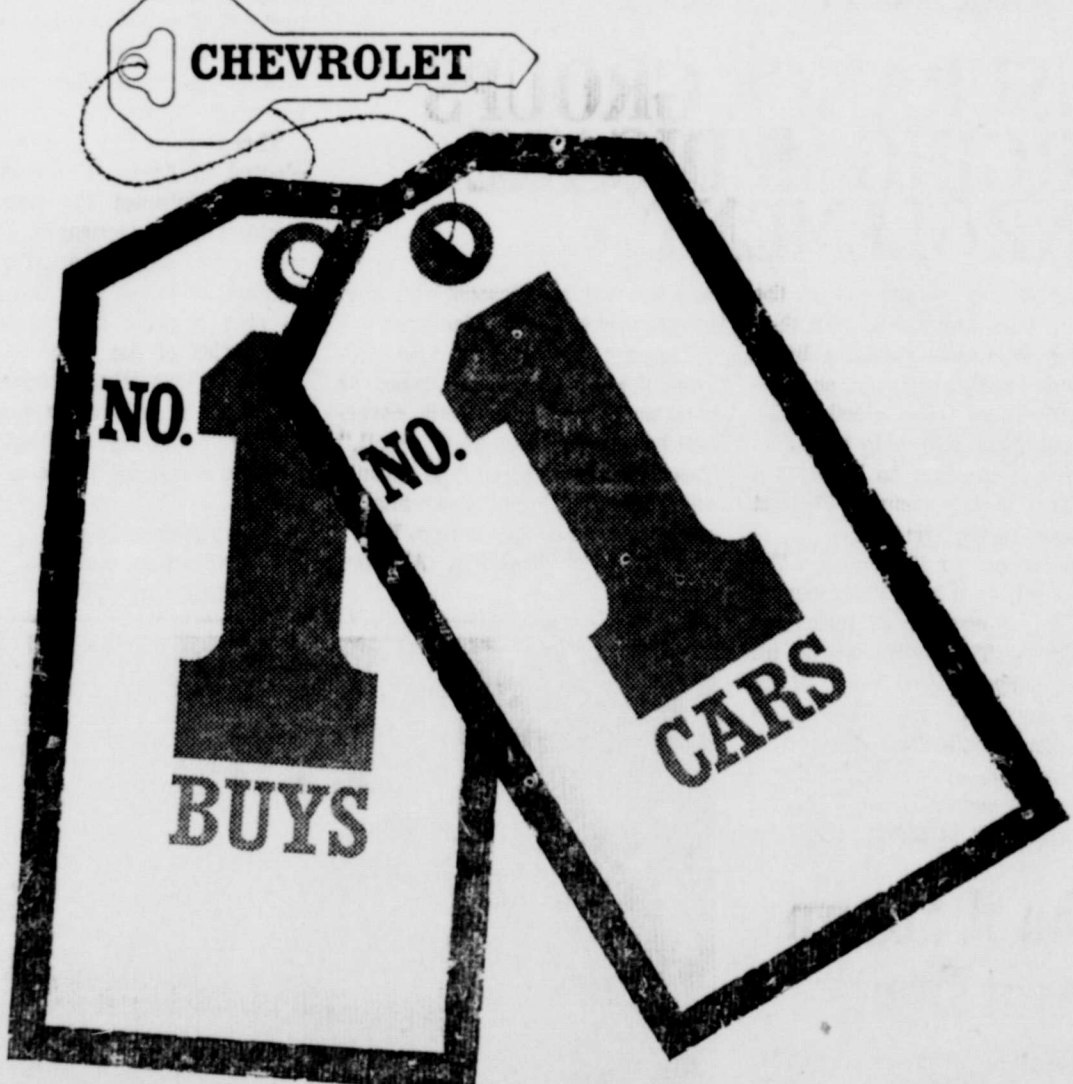
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We deeply appreciate the many expressions of sympathy during our recent sorrow.
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KEEPING TAB ON MERKELITES AND AREA RESIDENTS

By JACKIE DOAN

Ann Miller gave us a news item about her grand-daughter, Stephanie Ann, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Miller Jr., of Greenwood, Ark. Stephanie, a junior high school student, plays the flute in the band, and was honored with a promotion to play in the high school band and also to play with the band in their spring concerts to be held in Little Rock, Fayetteville and Hot Springs, Ark.

Stephanie's mother, the former Connie Beth Harris, has taught her to play the piano and organ. Her father is pastor of the James Forks Baptist Church in Greenwood.

Larry Howard, son of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Howard, and Douglas Barnhart, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Barnhart, were home from Texas Tech this past weekend. Doug informed his parents he was elected vice president of his dorm, Carpenter Hall.

Mr. and Mrs. Dan Allen and children, made a visit to Nacacoches Sunday, Feb. 27.

"Sugar and spice and everything nice" — wasn't written for one teen-age daughter, living in Merkel. The mother of this teenager entered her room in search of the hair spray — started looking in the most logical places first. Looked under one twin bed — not there, but did locate some hangars that were needed — then looked under bed no. 2, not there, but found three empty coke bottles. Next, the search extended to the bottom of the closet—the mother assumed since almost everything was thrown in that particular place, said spray might be there — no luck. Then on to the desk. Did you know that you can keep paint, headbands, belts, screws, medicine bottles and two funny-looking dolls in a desk — plus all the neatly arranged papers and letters? Also a wad of gum on top of the desk for "decorative purposes, I suppose.

The best logical place was saved for last — the dresser. With some effort, the drawers were pried open, one at a time, being careful that nothing "flew out."

The Smithsonian Institute hasn't a thing on this "teenager" — we can almost be sure they don't have chocolate fudge in a plastic bag safely stored away. There were track ribbons, football ribbons, buttons, glue, bobbin and thread, one tiger can (to wear when you're out with tigers), souvenirs left from kindergarten days, a chore girl (a must for any girl's room), one outdated movie book, (did you know that Liz Taylor wrote her biography? How she found time I don't know), and some aspirins.

Evidently the aspirins were to take when you "couldn't stand it any longer." The mother took one and left without finding the hair spray. She got close though, she did locate the lid. The mother of this "teenager" is thinking of charging a small fee and talking the "public" on a guided tour.

In Lubbeck Saturday to see Coach Wayne Tipton's Gruber Greyhounds win the Class A Regional Title, were Mr. and Mrs. Lee Tipton, Mr. and Mrs. L. S. Tipton Jr., Kay and Gwynn, Mr. and Mrs. Joe McElmurray, Elaine, Teresa and Bert. They were joined by Ann Tinton and Aleta Scott, students at Texas Tech. The Gruber Greyhounds will advance to Austin for a try at the State Title Championship in the University of Texas Gregory Gym. Wayne has produced several championship teams since he began coaching, so good luck to him again.

UP THE CANYON

(Continued from Page One)

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Farmer's Golden Anniversary, and also the anniversary celebration of the Ollie Higgins of Abilene, we just want to send them all our best wishes on such happy occasions. Tom Russom was a "visitor" around the Sadler Clinic last week for a regular checkup.

Mrs. F. R. Demeire of Merkel, attended church at Pioneer Sunday.

We regret to hear that our good friend, Dan Reidenbach of Merkel, suffered a stroke recently. Surely hope he is better now.

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Merkel Graduate Receives Honors

(Special to The Merkel Mail)
ABILENE — Tommy McAninch, a McMurry College student, has been selected to be on the Dean's List, a list of those students who have shown academic excellence for the fall semester of 1965. To be on the Dean's List, a student must have a grade point average of at least 3.5 or a B plus average, and be in the top 10 per cent of the student body.
A senior at McMurry, Mr. McAninch had a grade point average of 3.91. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Curtis McAninch. He is majoring in chemistry and minoring in mathematics at McMurry.



MISS LINDA ANN ALEXANDER . . . planning June wedding

Alexander-Hester Engagement Told

Mr. and Mrs. Harry B. Alexander of Canton, Ohio, announce the engagement of their daughter, Linda Ann, to Robert Wayne Hester, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Hester, 818 Rose Street, Merkel.

Miss Alexander was graduated from Paris, Texas, High School. Mr. Hester graduated from Merkel High School. Both are juniors at North Texas State University, Denton, Texas, where she is majoring in Medical Technology and he in accounting.

The wedding will be held June 18 in the Chapel of Trinity United Church of Christ in Canton, Ohio.

J. C. Decker, 69, Dies in Abilene

James C. Decker, Sr., 69, brother of Mrs. Hollis McCoy of Merkel, died Saturday, Feb. 25, in a nursing home in Abilene.

Funeral services were held Monday in Goree Church of Christ with Overton Faubus, Church of Christ Minister of Abilene, officiating.

Burial was in Goree Cemetery. Mr. Decker was born Jan. 22, 1897 at Trent and had lived in the Trent and 5th areas for many years. He retired from farming in 1956.

He married Florence Childress in Goree in 1932. She was a member of the Hillcrest Church of Christ in Abilene.

Survivors include his wife; three sons; three daughters; two brothers; eight sisters; 11 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

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SWEETWATER'S RATTLESNAKE ROUNDUP SET MARCH 11 - 13

For the eighth time, hundreds of expert rattlesnake hunters and thousands of spectators will converge on Sweetwater for the Annual Rattlesnake Roundup, March 11, 12 and 13.

Last year over 3,000 pounds of rattlesnakes were registered during the three day event. This year

prizes will be awarded on weight alone, widening the number of awards possible. Money prizes are awarded to the best hunters. All snakes are purchased by the Sweetwater Junior Chamber of Commerce. Eight years ago, the Sweetwater hunt was the first such event ever held in Texas.

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Snake expert Cecil Fox has been retained to conduct scheduled exhibitions of snake handling and milking at Nolan County Coliseum, headquarters for the hunt. The Texas Wild Life Exhibit has been scheduled for appearances at the event.

Registration for the hunt begins at 8:00 a.m. at Sweetwater's Baker Hotel, Friday, March 11. Prices paid for snakes turned in at hunt headquarters vary from 5 to 10 cents per pound depending on the day turned in. Prices are highest on Friday.

CHURCH NEWS

Area Churches Set March Revivals

Merkel's Methodist Church has scheduled a Revival to begin March 27 with the theme "Five Days With God." The Rev. Hugh Daniel of Idalou will be principal speaker, with Mrs. Daniel as song leader. The Hugh Daniels are son and daughter in law of the Methodist pastor, Rev. Newton Daniel.

The annual Women's Society of Christian Service meeting will be held in Abilene March 21-23, at the First Methodist Church.

Rev. Daniel reports that the "Slopy Joe" Supper, held for the Methodist Junior High M.Y.F. was a "roaring success." Approximately forty-five young people were in attendance.

Dr. H. Clyde Smith, former dis-

trict superintendent of the Methodist Churches, will preach at the First Methodist's Sunday morning worship, March 6.

The evening worship hour will be led by the young people of the church, with Dennis Adkins speaking.

The Youth - Led Revival began Wednesday, March 2 at the First Baptist Church and will extend through March 13. Each evening the services will begin with choir practice at 6:30 p.m., prayer service at 7 and church service at 7:30. Preaching for the services will be Almer Barber, Thursday, March 10; Tommy Ring, Friday, Jacky Reynolds, Saturday, and Dale Shook, Sunday morning. Sunday evening worship will be led by Van Gauthier.

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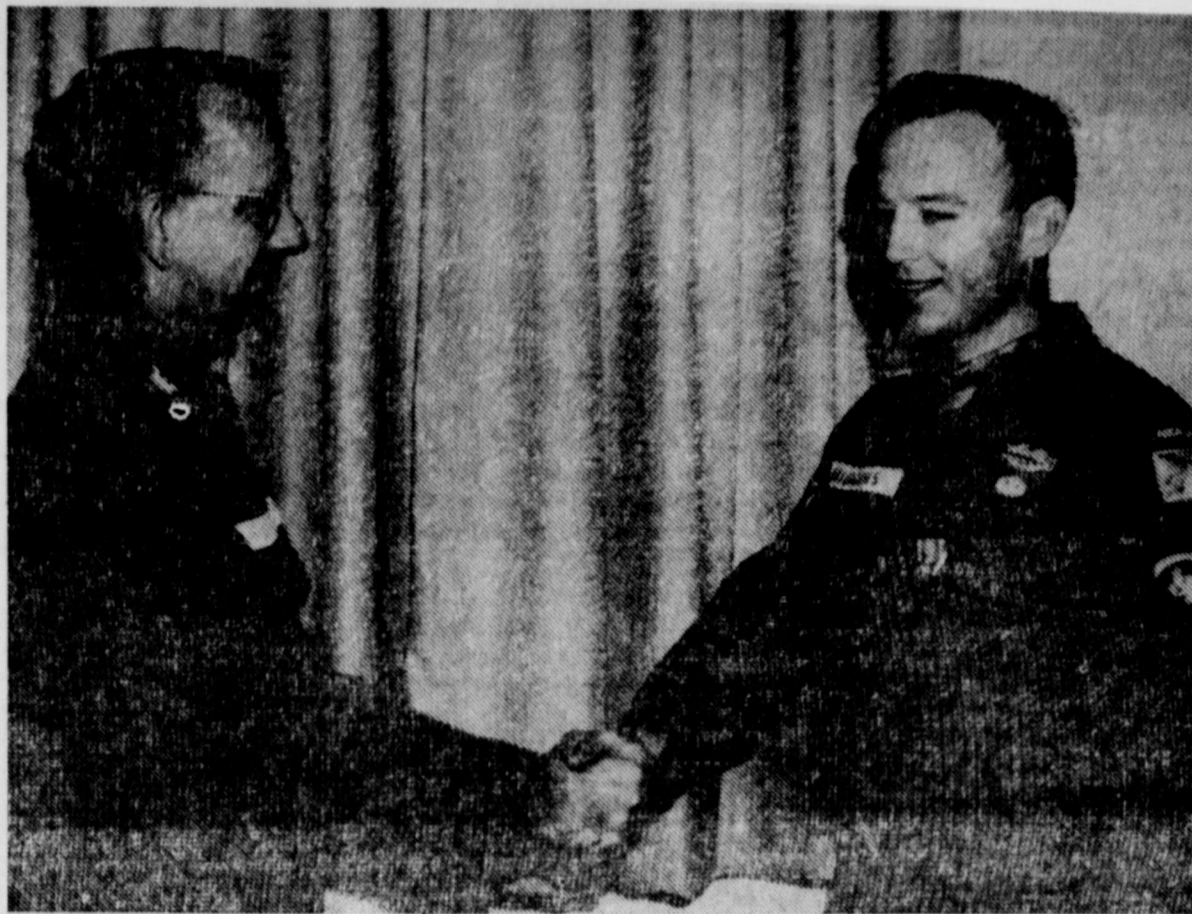


Whose job is it to keep the school building and school grounds clean? No doubt, most of us will answer that it is the janitor's duty and responsibility. But there is more to the matter than this. We hear this all the time and take it for granted. We listen to the mayor and other people and even to the First Lady's opinion on this matter of cleanliness every day, but still we throw papers down in the hall and on the school grounds. No one is immune — students or teachers.

We begin each day's work with clean floors and hallways, but not so with our school grounds. Wonder how much more we would notice our schoolgrounds if they were clean of candy wrappers, straws, paper cups, etc? Wouldn't it be nice to hear someone comment, "Merkel is such a nice clean town? We would all have to work at it, for such a thing to be accomplished — really not so much work as just a few more steps to put our "throwaways" in a trash can. Why don't we all just start thinking about keeping our school area clean, and perhaps it will "catch on" downtown and people will become cleanliness conscious.

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LITTLE BADGER TRACKS

By RANDY DOAN

There will be an Oil Belt District Teachers Meeting March 11. School will be dismissed that day. A faculty meeting is scheduled for Wednesday afternoon, March 9, starting at 2:45. All students will be dismissed from school at that time.

Mrs. Andy Shouse's room had five entries in the Ready Writing Contest which was held Feb. 28 in the School Library. They are John Dixon, Paul Thames, Keith Reager, Mike McLean and Gail Gentry. We sure do wish them luck.

Much interest is being shown in the coming track season by boys and girls in this room. Most of the boys and a lot of the girls are planning to come out.

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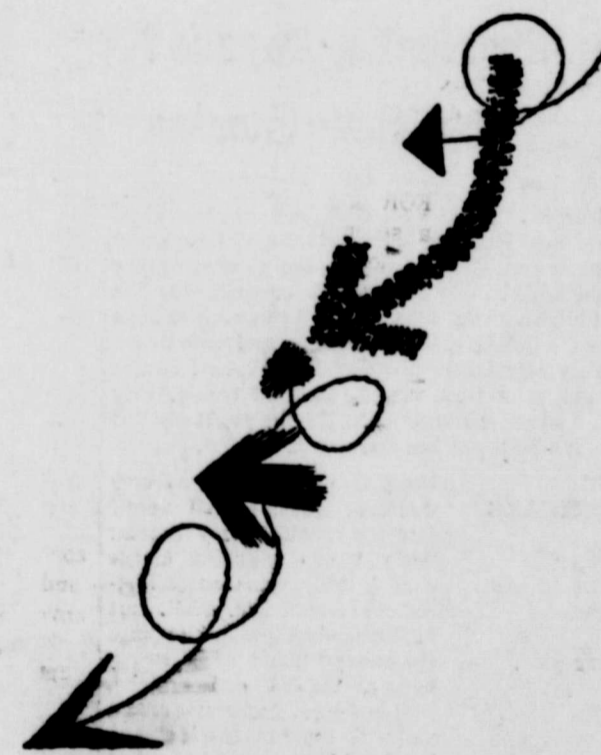
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Program Topic For Club Meeting

The "Use of Burlap Banners for Decorative Ideas" was the program topic for the Feb. 24 Comparative Home Demonstration Club meeting in the home of Mrs. J. E. Touchstone.

Pictures, using burlap as background, 3-D pictures, needle point, seed and bean pictures, were shown to the group. Other articles displayed with use of burlap were plaques, pillows, curtains and upholstery.

Refreshments were served to Meses. Ab Hunter, Jr., Don Adair, Eulan Hatfield, Clyde Chancey, Dwain Johnson and Touchstone.

Mrs. Ab Hunter Jr., will host the March 10 meeting, with the program topic "Cheese Dishes."

BOOKMOBILE SCHEDULE

The Bookmobile schedule for Mrs. Trent, and Merkel is on Saturdays.

Tye's schedule is from 8:30 until 9:30 a.m.; Trent, 10:00 until 11:30 a.m. and Merkel 1 until 4 p.m.

Schedule dates through May are:

- March 5, 19
- April 2, 16, 30
- May 14, 28.

Mrs. John Curtis' Brother Dies In Midlothian

The Rev. and Mrs. John Curtis left Monday, Feb. 28 to attend funeral services of Mrs. Curtis' brother, J. D. Bryant of Midlothian. Mr. Bryant, 67, died Feb. 27 of an apparent heart attack.

On Feb. 14, another brother of Mrs. Curtis, Carl T. Bryant, also died of a heart attack at Midlothian. He was 56. Services were held Feb. 16.

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- 1 16 oz. can whole tomatoes
- 2 tbsp. A.I. Steak Sauce
- 1-1/2 cups cooked rice

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CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

TO: The heirs of W. T. Winter, 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 4th day of April A.D. 1966, to Plaintiff's Petition filed in said court, on the 14th day of February A.D. 1966, in this cause, numbered 30,090-A on the docket of said court and styled City of Merkel, Plaintiff, vs. Earl Stevens, Bill Stevens, Mrs. Ralph Stevens Sabin and the heirs of W. T. Winter, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to-wit: for delinquent taxes on the following property:

DESCRIPTION OF PROPERTY:

BEING a tract of land out of the West one-half (W-1/2) of Lot No. 2, Block A, Thornton Subdivision of Blocks 13 and 25, College Addition to the City of Merkel, Taylor County, Texas and being the South 87' and the East 68.6' of said W-1/2 of Lot No. 2, save and except the following described portion which was conveyed as R.O.W. to the State of Texas for Interstate Highway 20 and beginning at a point South 13' and West 100' of the NW corner of said Lot No. 2, Block A, Thornton Subdivision; THENCE South

80 deg. 38" East 54.54' to a point for corner; THENCE South 72 deg. 35.5" West 3.8' to a point, and continuing in a Southwesterly direction which is South 84 deg. 12" West 59' to a point for corner; THENCE North 9 deg. 20" East 15.53' to the place of beginning, 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.

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HD Club Hears Talk On 'Money Management'

The Stith Home Demonstration Club met in the home of Mrs. Orval Ely for their Feb. 23 meeting.

A program on "Money Management" was presented by club member, Mrs. Dollye Reddin. "Cheese Dishes" will be the topic for the club's March 9 meeting in the home of Mrs. Vada Hudson.

Dallas Flower And Garden Show Begins March 19

A Greek Acropolis Revival Garden ascending four stories high will be the stunning centerpiece at the 1966 Dallas Flower and Garden Show.

The fifteenth annual floral extravaganza will run March 19

through 27 in the World Exhibits Building at the State Fair Park. Downing Thomas, AIA, is architectural designer for the Flower Show and Richard Oglesby is landscape coordinator. The show will be sponsored by the Dallas Garden Center and the State Fair of Texas, with the cooperation of the Dallas Council of Garden Clubs. Hours will be from 11 a.m. to 9 p.m. daily.

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- PEACHIE SHORTCUT SHORTCAKE**
- 2 cups Bisquick
 - 3/4 cup light cream or 1/2 cup milk plus 1/4 cup butter or margarine, melted
 - 2 tablespoons sugar
 - 1 can (1 pound 4 ounces) peach pie filling
 - Whipped cream

Heat oven to 450°. Mix Bisquick, cream and sugar with a fork to a soft dough. Beat vigorously 20 strokes. Spoon dough into 6 portions onto greased baking sheet. Flatten fingers; flatten and shape portions of dough into rounds, 1/2 inch thick. Bake 10 minutes or until nicely browned. Serve warm topped with peach pie filling and whipped cream. 6 servings. (Don't forget about shortcakes for main dishes. Make as (above) except—omit the sugar. Top with creamed tuna, chicken or leftover holiday turkey.)

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Tasty tricks with shortcake dough: Add 1 teaspoon grated lemon peel OR 1/4 cup shredded sharp cheese OR 1/2 teaspoon cardamom to the Bisquick.

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The Texas Hotel in Fort Worth will be headquarters for the 38th Annual Convention of the Texas and Southwestern Cattle Raisers Association. Registration will begin March 6, and general sessions are slated March 7-9.

Frederic Wulf of Brady, TSCRA president, said all cattlemen and those interested in the cattle industry are invited to attend the three day meeting.

Cattlemen attending the 38th annual convention will get a concise report on how to use computers in the cattle industry.

The demonstration is one of a number of highlights which promises to make the 38th TSCRA convention a profitable meeting for the hundreds of cattlemen who are expected to attend.

Weldon Watson of the Texas Parks and Wildlife Department at Austin will explain procedures for cattlemen to follow in establishing and operating recreational facilities on ranches.

His talk will be on Wednesday, March 9, and will be one of several addresses on factors affecting cattlemen now and in the future, according to Joe S. Fletcher of Fort Worth, TSCRA secretary-general manager.

Gov. John Connally will be among speakers who will address the cattlemen.

'America and Our Freedom' Topic For P-TA Meet

"As long as we keep faith in God, oneself, and our fellowman, our freedoms will survive," was given a strong emphasis by Mrs. Judd McReynolds in her speech to the Merkel Parent-Teachers Association, Thursday, Feb. 16.

The meeting was held at the

school auditorium.

The largest crowd of the 1965-66 season was present to hear Mrs. McReynolds encourage the "respect of others in our country." She pointed out the importance of "taking our freedom seriously."

The first and second grades of the Merkel Elementary School presented a program of patriotic songs and speeches.

Elementary teachers instructing the students were Mrs. Vincent Barnett, Mrs. Connie Mack Symore, and Mrs. Joe Holloway, first grade teachers, and Mrs.

Brandon Wade, Mrs. Ted Pargament and Mrs. Charles Warford, second grade.

P-TA president, Larry White, announced that the "project and fund raising committees will have reports ready for the March meeting."

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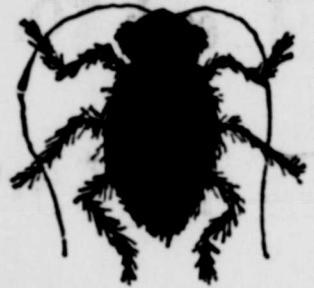
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The weapons firing and tactical maneuvers were designed to maintain the combat proficiency of his unit.

The 22-year-old soldier, a driver in Co. C, 1st Battalion of the 8th Infantry Division's 39th Infantry near Worms, entered the Army in June 1965. He completed basic training at Fort Polk, La.

A 1961 graduate of Merkel High School, Seymore attended West Texas State College in Canyon. Before entering the Army, he was engaged in farming.

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