

Garden City Winner Of Basketball Tourney

The Garden City Independents on the Sterling City Lions Club Independent Basketball Tournament here last weekend. They defeated Cook's Appliance of Big Spring on Saturday night in the finals by the score of 63 to 55. The classcock ballers came from behind a second period score to win the Tournament. Cook's Appliance, consequently took the second place trophy and the local independents, T. Caperton Chevrolet team, kept the third place trophy by defeating Christoval in the semi-finals to 43.

In the championship game, Targe Lindsay racked up 21 points for the winners, Clayton Henderson hit 12 and Sid Hirt 8.

For Big Spring group, Charles Clark scored 26.

Named to the all-tournament team were Horace Rankin of Big Spring, Targe Lindsay of Garden City, R. B. Mitchell of Sterling City, Clayton Henderson of Garden City and Joe Liberty of Big Spring.

The tournament's outstanding player award went to Charles Clark. The good sportsmanship trophy went to coach Harold McShee of Christoval team.

The trophies were furnished by Wiley Bros., Blank City Cafe, R. Caperton Chevrolet, Brooks and Wiley, Chapple's Food Store, Long Drug Co., and Lowe Hardware and Furniture.

During intermissions Saturday night, four cakes were auctioned by the club. Buyers were Jeff Davis \$7.50, Chesley McDonald \$5.00, Forrest Foster \$7.50 and Harry Glass \$7.50. McDonald acted as auctioneer.

Caperton's group in the semi-finals led Christoval all the way. R. B. Mitchell chalked up 22 points and E. B. Hosea tabbed 16.

On the first night of the tournament, Cook's Appliance beat out sea-Cola of Big Spring, Sterling City Caperton team beat Knott and Garden City beat Park Heights Baptist Church of San Angelo.

On Friday night Cook's beat the Christoval team and Garden City in an over Sterling Caperton's. The attraction of that night was a pitched game between the Sterling City high school girls district winners and the Paint Rock girls district winning team. The Sterling City handily won the game.

The Sterling girls took Paint Rock by the score of 57-48. Jenny Davis scored 24, Barba Dunn 18, Patsy Martin 13, and Barbara Simmons 2. The Lions Club realized over \$500 net from the tournament. The concession stand and gates were handled by the club members.

Officiating Thursday and Saturday nights were W. L. Young and Gene Zuck. Friday night officials were Max Box and Bull Purvis of San Angelo.

Robbie Blackman was official referee. H. A. Chapple had worked up the tournament for the club as a project. Club president R. T. Caperton, project chairman Chapple and the concession manager Boots Williams all expressed their thanks for the thanks of the club to all who helped in any way make the tournament a success.

HOSPITAL NOTES

Patients in the Sterling County hospital on Thursday morning of this week included—Mrs. Martin Reed, J. Gartman, Mrs. John McCabe, Ralph Bynum, Mrs. Joann Williams, Ivan King, Manuela Rodriguez, Mr. and Mrs. D. P. Glass. Dismissals since Thursday morning of last week include—Mrs. Harvey Glass, Mrs. Fogg Coffey, Genevevo Griego.

Presbyterian Meeting

Mrs. David Glass, Mrs. Horace Malson, Mrs. Aaron Clark, Mrs. Peter Greer, Mrs. Maxwell Turner and Mrs. Henry Vandevanter presented the local Women of the Presbyterian Church, attending a meeting of the District Presbyterian at Ballinger Tuesday of this week.

Four Sterling Lambs Placed in San Antonio Livestock Show

Sterling County 4-H'ers took 48 lambs to the San Antonio Livestock Show last week and placed 4 lambs, said county agent Fred Campbell, this week.

Barba Dunn took a third place in the open show finewool class with her lamb. Bobby Dunn placed 13th in the club boys crossbred class. Alfred Chapple placed 19th in the boys finewool class and Tony Allen got 27th in that class.

Barba's lamb brought 43c at the sale, Bobby's brought 50c, Alfred's 51c, and Tony's 50c, said Campbell.

Exhibitors among Sterling 4-H members were Tony Allen, Lynda Allen, Buddy Brown, Alfred Chapple, Bobby Dunn, Barba Dunn, Bill Davis, Mitsy Davis, Wayne Drennan, Wayland Drennan, David Drennan, Claudia Collins, Jodie Emery, Lee Foster, Jodie Green, Lynn Glass, Don McDonald, Cecilia McDonald, Jerry Payne, Delmar Radde, Wilbur Stone and LeRuth Rade.

Wimodausis Club Has Program on Radio and Television

The Wimodausis Club met on Wednesday, February 23 in the community center for a program on "Promoting Better Radio and Television Programs."

Mrs. Roy Foster read a paper prepared by Mrs. T. F. Foster on "The Uses of Radio."

Mrs. Ray Lane and Mrs. Jack Douthit gave a symposium on "Television—A Blessing or a Peril?"

The film "Operation Ivy" was shown by Mr. H. L. Hildebrand.

The next meeting will be a Texas Day program in the community center on March 9 at 3 p.m. Mrs. Clevenger, who is of Navajo extraction, will give a talk on Indian customs and affairs.

Sterling Basketball Girls Lose Bi-District Game To Bronte 36-31 Tuesday

The Sterling City girls basketball team dropped the bi-district game with Bronte 36-31 in play at Lake View Tuesday night of this week. The Bronte girls represent this area at the Regional Meet in Brownwood this weekend.

In the slow first quarter, Bronte rang up six points to only five for Sterling. Picking up the pace in the second quarter, Sterling City dumped in 12 points and was in the lead, 17-13 at intermission.

The teams matched points in the third quarter and Bronte found itself trailing, 25-21, moving into the final quarter.

But led by Mary Ann Gray, the winners charged back to tie the score, 29-29, with two minutes, 15 seconds gone in the final period. Bronte took the lead, 31-29, midway through the final quarter and except for one more tie, led the rest of the way.

Gray dropped in 33 points in a fine exhibition of scoring as Wanda Snead hit four and Jo An Rusk 1. Sterling spread its scoring with Barba Dunn hitting 12, Jenny Davis 10 and Patsy Martin 9.

Sterling represented District 19-B and Bronte 20-B.

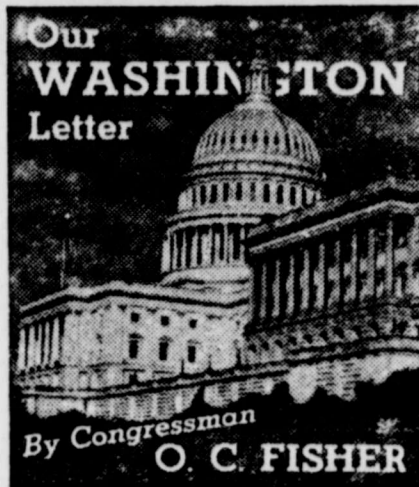
Score by quarters:
Sterling City 5 12 8 6-31
Bronte 6 7 8 15-36

DAUGHTER TO THE HOPPERS

A daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Delbert Hopper Sunday, February 27 in the Medical Arts Hospital in Big Spring. The baby weighed six pounds and 12 and one-half ounces. She was named Lisa Kay.

Grandparents are only living on the maternal side. They are Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Rees of Westbrook.

Bill Swann and a fellow student at Texas University at Austin, Cad Williams, spent last week-end here visiting Bill's parents, Dr. and Mrs. Wm. J. Swann.



By a 5-vote Margin the House last week okeyed a 37 cent per week (\$20 per year) tax cut for each voter and dependent, and thereby excused 5 million from paying any income tax whatever in the future.

Ignoring an unbalanced budget, the deficit-minded advocates smashed out a home run for what the press described as "fiscal irresponsibility at its worst."

I joined with three other Texans—Martin Dies, Brady Gentry and Bruce Alger—in opposing this attempt to add \$2.3 billion to the Government's current overdraft and thereby up the public debt by a similar amount in just one year alone.

But the move has a political appeal to some because this generation would not have to pay back the additional \$2.3 billion that the government will have to borrow if the bill is finally enacted. The burden of repaying that additional debt would simply be passed on to future generations to worry with. The public debt already stands at around \$278 billion. Interest alone on it is \$7 1-2 billion annually.

The move is unfortunate, too, because it is precisely the kind of action that promotes inflationary forces, just at a time when the price level has achieved stability.

The \$2.3 billion tax-cutting rider was attached to a \$2.8 billion revenue-raising bill. The latter was an extension of the wartime temporary 5 per cent increased rate on corporate income and an extension of the high temporary excise rates on liquor, cigarettes, etc. Except for this extension of the 52 per cent rate on corporations, that rate would automatically drop back to its normal of 47 per cent on April 1. That extra 5 per cent accounts for \$1.8 billion in revenue annually.

What the tax-cutting rider amounts to is to add the \$2.3 billion to the estimated \$3 billion deficit, thereby making the budget unbalanced to the tune of nearly \$5.5 billion. But the Senate is expected to rise to the occasion and kill this unfortunate folly. In the meantime, we can only hope that we can get more help this year from other Members in our economy efforts and thereby enable the Congress to balance the budget and give the people some badly needed tax relief that will mean something.

In speaking of what it calls "the \$20 handout", the New York Times stated: "it will be up to the Democrats of the Senate to save the Democratic Party from itself, and to save the Nation from as crude an example of playing politics with the Nation's fiscal structure as we have seen in several years."

NEXT WEEK IS PUBLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

Next week has been proclaimed "Public School Week" in Texas. In schools all over the state patrons are invited to visit the schools and see the modern version of "Democracy in Action" through the public schools.

Superintendent of Sterling School O. T. Jones has extended an invitation to patrons and parents to visit the school. On Tuesday at the noon hour he will show a film by the Shell Oil Company titled "The Birth of an Oil Field". Such a film is timely here, it was pointed out.

On Thursday night the Parent-Teacher Association meeting will be held to give the fathers a chance to attend a P.T.A. meeting. Chesley McDonald, a school board member, will speak on "Needed: Full-Time Fathers."

A large crowd is expected to attend the program. Should enough patrons be at the school at 2:30 Tuesday, Jones may postpone the showing of the film till then—rather than at noon.

Visitors are invited to visit and dine in the school lunchroom during the week. Advance notice should be given if you plan to eat in the lunchroom, so enough food can be prepared, said Jones.

Lions To Sell Brooms, Mops, Mats, Etc. Here On March 30

A representative of the Light-house Factories of the Blind was at the Lions Club luncheon Wednesday. C. N. Blakely, himself blind, told of the output of the factories where the blind people worked. He said the entire output was sold by Lions club members in special short sales. Articles to be sold on March 30 include brooms, mops, whisk brooms, door mats, ironing pads and ironing covers, and dusting cloths. All are made by the handicapped blind in their factories in Texas. The products are all standard and well-made. The members voted to make a quick house to house sales canvass on the morning of Wednesday, March 30.

C. E. Onstott was with Mr. Blakely, and Tom Murphy and Dan Peters of Fort Worth were guests.

It was reported by Boots Williams that over \$300 was grossed by the club at the invitation basketball tournament and about \$225 or \$230 would be net profit to the club. The tournament committee was composed of Williams, W. L. Young, Harry Bradstreet and Alvie Cole. Williams expressed his thanks to members for the cooperation he received for work and food at the gates and concession stand.

Mrs. Betty Sullivan Is Honored With Gift Tea Last Saturday

Mrs. Robert Sullivan, who was Betty Dunn, before her marriage to Robert Sullivan on January 14, was honored with a gift tea at the community center here last Saturday afternoon. The affair was held from 3:30 to 5:30 p.m.

There were eight hostesses for the affair. They were Mrs. Pat Boatler, Mrs. Chesley McDonald, Mrs. Bill Blair, Mrs. Earl Blair, Mrs. T. C. Davis, Mrs. Fred Campbell, Mrs. Loy Mitchell and Mrs. Roland Lowe.

In the receiving line were the honoree, her mother, Mrs. C. J. Dunn, her grandmother, Mrs. Luther Hallmark, and the groom's mother, Mrs. Hazel Sullivan of Eastland, his grandmother and an aunt.

Mrs. Wynne McClure presided at the punch bowl. The groom's sister was at the register book.

The centerpiece was of white carnations. A blue linen table cloth covered the table. Approximately 200 took part in the gift shower.

Mrs. Maudine Marlow and children left Wednesday morning for Florida where she will meet her husband returning from a three-month Air Force stint in England. Mrs. Marlow and children visited her parents, the Luther Hallmarks, here while Sgt. Marlow was in England.

RANDLE-MUNN OIL WELL FLOWS 20 BARRELS HOURLY

The Randle No. 1 S. P. Munn, oil well in northeast Sterling County, was tested early this week after the casing had been set and the hole fractured with 20,000 gallons.

The J. B. Randle Munn test is a significant discovery for Sterling. The flow is from the Strawn sand, located in 170-2-H&TC, eight miles northeast of Sterling City.

Flow was through a 16-64-inch choke and perforations between 7,355-85 feet, 7,396-7,410 feet; and 7,426-35 feet, which had been fractured with 20,000 gallons of oil and 20,000 pounds of sand. Tubing pressure was 400 pounds; casing pressure 800 pounds.

The project is 3 3/4 miles southwest of Fuller and Fuller No. 1 Davis, recently completed two mile west extension to the Fuller-Coke, South (Straw) field, finaled for a daily flowing potential of 353 barrels of oil from between 6,874-6,950 feet.

WILDCAT SET ON ROY FOSTER'S
The Blue Danube Oil Co. will drill its No. 1 R. T. Foster as a 4,800-foot rotary wildcat in Sterling County, five miles southwest of Sterling City. Drilling is to begin at once.

Location is 1,640 feet from the south line and 2,359 feet from the west line of 6-T-T&P.

STEPOUT SET

The Sunray Oil Corp. of Midland has filed application to drill the No. 1-B Nora Gee one location southwest of production in the Fuller-Coke South (Strawn) field of Sterling County.

Rotary drilling to 7,300 feet will begin when permit is approved.

Location, on an 80-acre lease, is 1,994 feet from the west and 1,980 feet from the south lines of 118-2-H&TC.

The project is also 1 3/4 miles southeast of a recently completed Sterling County Strawn sand producer, which was assigned to the Fuller-Coke, South (Strawn) field of Coke County.

SON TO THE DON HODGES

A son, named Steven Phillip, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Don Hodges on Saturday, February 26 in the Clinic Hospital in San Angelo. The baby weighed eight pounds and thirteen ounces and was born at 2:30 p.m. that day.

This is the second child of the Hodges. They have a little girl almost two years old.

Grandparents are Mr. and Mrs. Tom Onstott of Sterling City and Mrs. J. B. Early of Snyder.

Wimodausis Club To Have Bake Sale on April 9

The members of the Wimodausis Club will hold a bake sale at the Palace Theater lobby on Saturday, April 9, the day before Easter, it was announced this week.

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A REGAL PYTHON, 25 ft. 2 1/2 inches long, one of the largest of its kind in the United States, recently arrived at the Miami Serpentarium from Bangkok, Thailand. Pythons average about 15 feet, although some are said to have reached 30 feet.

It's A Sweet Idea!
 By Betty Barclay

EVER wish for something really different for breakfast? Especially on a lazy Sunday with pots of coffee, stacks of Sunday papers and plenty of time to linger? Or something unusual, yet uncomplicated, when guests drop in for an evening's visit? All right—then try this for size: Log Cabin Cherry Sauce.

Log Cabin Cherry Sauce
 1 cup maple-blended syrup; 1 1/4 cups drained frozen red sour pitted cherries.

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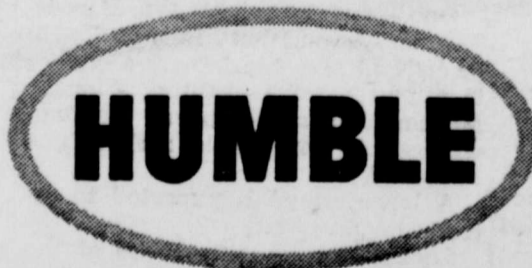
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Some fancy full woolled lambs topped at \$22, and some choice milk fat lambs topped at \$22, also.

Slaughter lambs averaged 50 cents lower at Fort Worth Monday, while feeders and older sheep were steady. Feeders sold at \$20 down.

SCAB UNDER CONTROL

Livestock Sanitary Commission offices in Fort Worth reported all sheep involved in the current outbreak of scab in Kinney, Maverick and Uvalde Counties are believed to have had their first dipping and the matter is under control, according to J. D. Jones of this office.

It had been feared that if the matter became serious a resumption of dipping at all markets and community sales might be necessary. However, Jones in talking with this writer Monday expressed the view the situation was fully un-

der control.

CATTLE SCAB IN COLORADO

Ten southeastern counties in Colorado are engaged in a dipping and eradication campaign against scab. Work is progressing well there according to latest reports.

TEXAS CALF CROP WAS NEW RECORD

The USDA figures just released on Texas' calf crop in 1954 indicate a total of 4,259,000, about one per cent above the 1953 total of 4,211,000. It was the biggest calf crop on record, according to the department.

Expressed percentage-wise as the numbers of cows and heifers two-years old or older, it meant that the crop was 87 percent. This unusually high percentage came about despite drought. Calf crop was 83 percent in 1953, and average for the past ten years was 80 percent.

In the United States 42,210,000 calves, or 3 percent more, were raised in 1954. The 1953 total was 40,947,000. It was also an all-time record.

FED CATTLE LOWER AT FORT WORTH

Fed cattle were 50 cents and some bids \$1 lower at Fort Worth Monday morning. Heavy supplies at North-

ern markets, plus the fact recent prices grade for grade at Ft. Worth have been above the Corn Belt averages, was credited with weakening of the prices.

Choice steers topped at \$24. Cows were steady, and bulls unchanged. Calves were 50c to \$1.00 lower, heavyweights to \$21 and \$21.50, and mostly \$20.50 down. Stocker calves sold from \$22 down.

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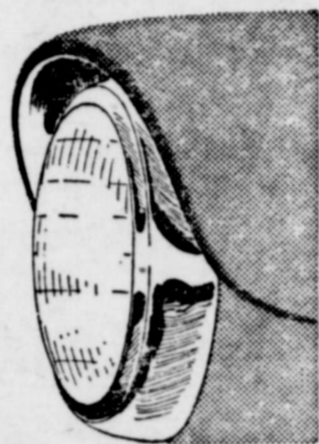
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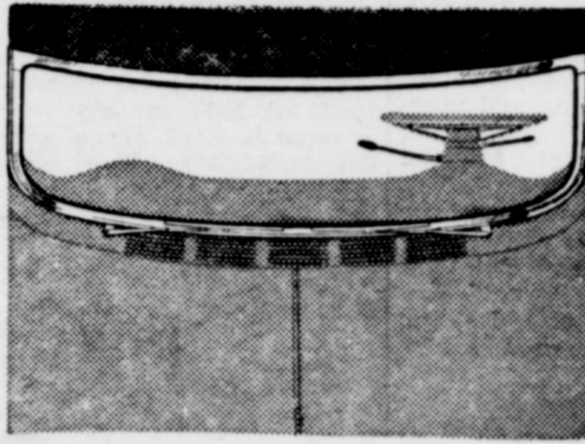
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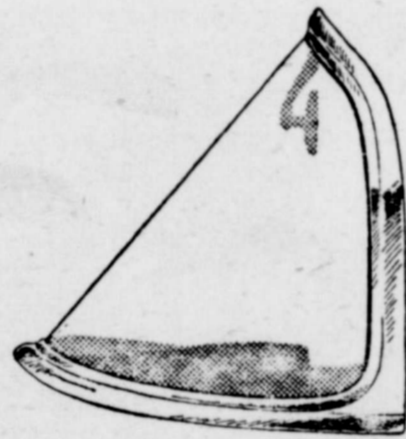
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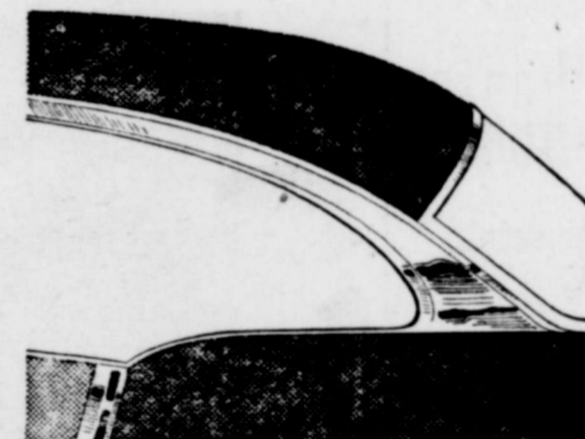
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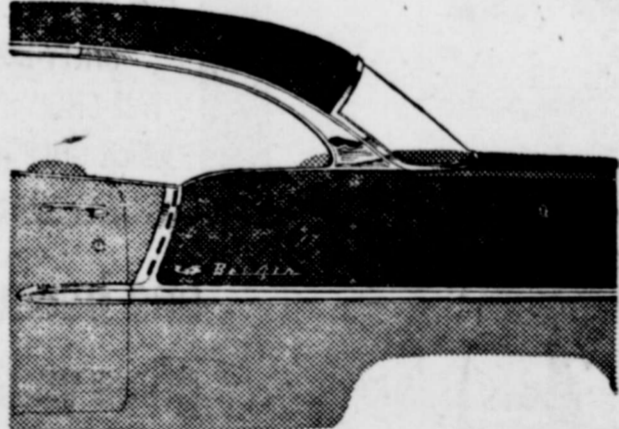
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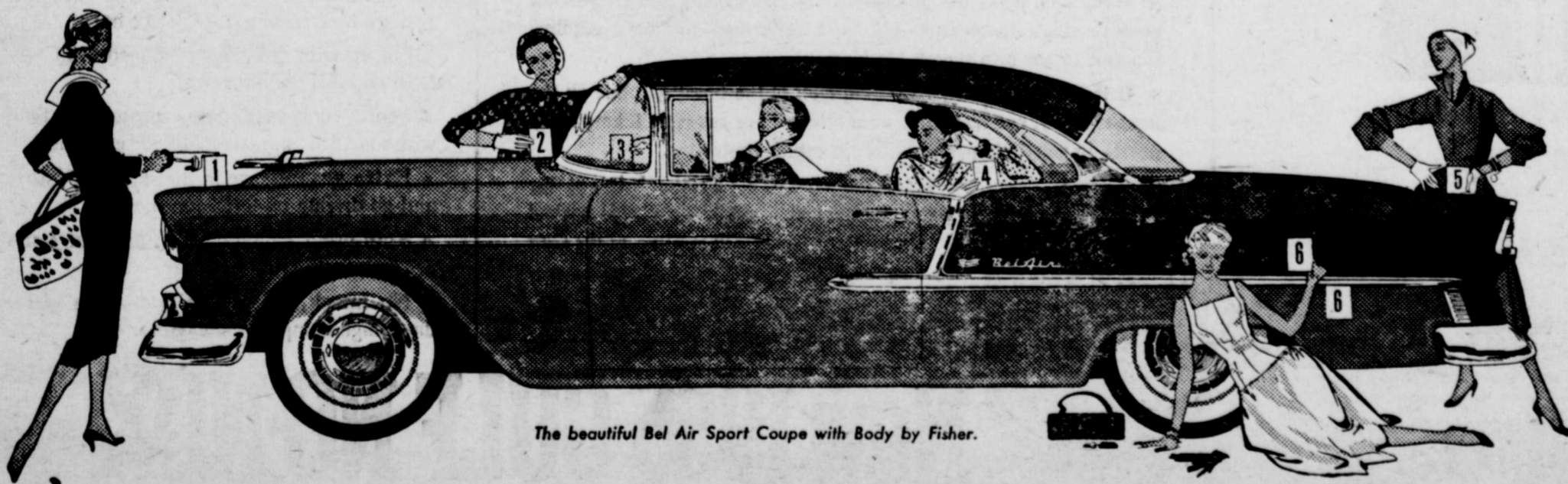


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New Officers Elected For Noratadata Club

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Officers for next year were elected as follows:

President—Mrs. J. Q. Foster
 Vice-Pres.—Mrs. Fred Campbell
 Rec. Secretary—Mrs. Bill Conger
 Cor. Secy.—Mrs. G. C. Murrell
 Parliamentarian—Mrs. Finis Westbrook
 Treasurer—Mrs. William Foster
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 Federation Counselor—Mrs. Worth Durham

Historian—Mrs. Martin Reed.

Members present were Mrs. Finis Westbrook, Mrs. J. Q. Foster, Mrs. Foster S. Price, Mrs. Worth Durham, Mrs. Bill Cole, Mrs. William Foster, Mrs. I. W. Terry, Mrs. Nan Davis, Mrs. Delbert Haralson, Mrs. Martin Reed, Mrs. Neal J. Reed, Mrs. Chappel Murrell, Mrs. Reynolds Foster, Mrs. Bill Conger, Mrs. Alvie Cole, Mrs. Joe Emery and Mrs. Ross Foster. Guests present were Mrs. Leah Wyckoff, Mrs. Robert Foster, Mrs. Dean Johnson, Mrs. J. I. Cope, Mrs. O. T. Jones, Mrs. Bill Brooks, Mrs. Roland Lowe, Mrs. T. S. Foster, Mrs. Bill Reed, Mrs. Roy Morgan, Mrs. Worth Allen, Mrs. George Blackburn, Mrs. James Craig and Mrs. Harry Bradstreet.

Bridge and canasta was played after the business meeting and program.

High club prize went to Mrs. Price; high guest prize went to Mrs. T.S. Foster; and high canasta prize went to Mrs. George Blackburn. Table cuts went to Mrs. Bill Cole, Mrs. Neal Reed, Mrs. Reynolds Foster, Mrs. Alvie Cole, Mrs. Joe Emery, Mrs. Dean Johnson and Mrs. Cope.

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By Betty Barclay

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Coconut Orange Cups
 3 oranges; 2 cups (No. 2 can) applesauce; 1 cup shredded coconut; maraschino cherries.

Cut oranges in halves. Carefully cut out pulp and discard membrane. Chop the pulp; combine with applesauce and coconut. Pile mixture into the orange shells. Garnish with maraschino cherries. Chill and serve as appetizer or dessert. Or broil 5 to 8 minutes and serve as accompaniment for baked ham. Makes 6 servings.

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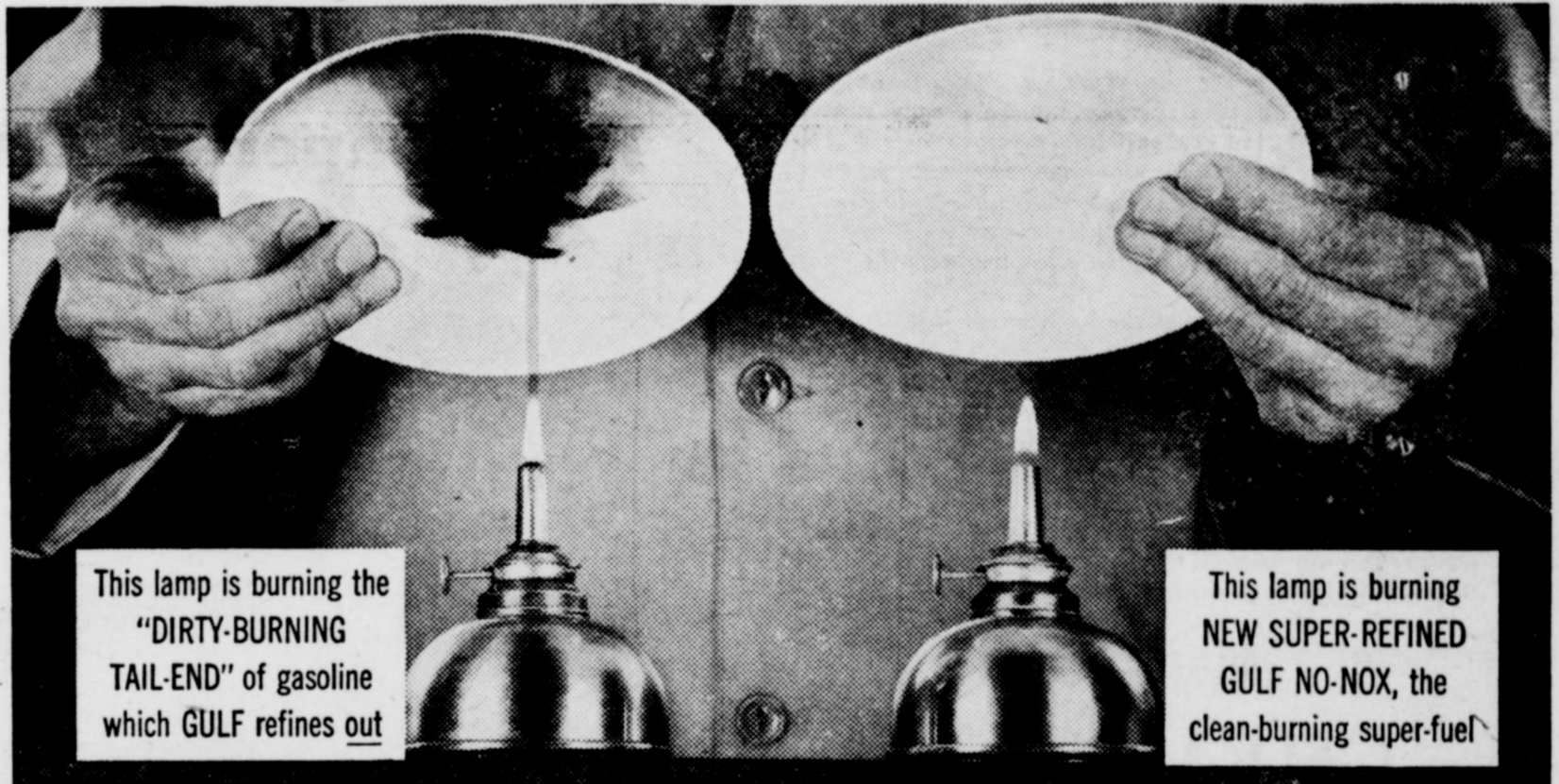
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FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
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Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
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CHURCH OF CHRIST
Wayne Zuck, Minister
Bible School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Young Peoples Class 6:30 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Tues. Ladies Bible Class 9:30 a.m.
Wednesday, Mid-Week Bible Study 7:30 p.m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH
Robert Ritchie, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
B. T. U. 6:15 p.m.
Evening Worship 7:00 p.m.
Prayer Meeting Wed. 7:00 p.m.
Wed. Choir Practice 8:15 p.m.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
Baxter D. D. Greer, Pastor
Sunday School 10:00 a.m.
Morning Worship 11:00 a.m.
Evening Worship 7:30 p.m.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
"Hold Fast to That Which Is Good" will be the sermon subject of Dr. Baxter Greer at the First Presbyterian Church, Sunday at 11 a.m. The sermon theme at 7:30 p.m. will be "Giving Your Best to the Master". Dr. Greer will conduct services at the Carlsbad Presbyterian Church, Sunday at 4 p.m., but will return to Sterling City for the evening service.

CONGREGATIONAL MEETING
The Session of the First Presbyterian Church has called a meeting of the congregation to be held in connection with the 11 a.m. services Sunday. Two matters of vital importance will be considered at this meeting and it is very urgent that all members of the church be present, according to Dr. Baxter Greer, minister of the church.

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Daughter Born To Friersons
A daughter, named Cynthia Jean, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Byron Frierson of Sugarland on February 21. She weighed eight pounds and four ounces. This is the fourth child of the Friersons. Byron, former county agent here, is now head of the Texas State Prison farm management.

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Alpine, Texas, February 28—Betty Duan Sullivan of Sterling City is one of the new students registered in Sul Ross College for the spring semester. Mrs. Sullivan,

daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Duan of Sterling City, is a freshman majoring in home economics. She has attended Sul Ross one previous semester.

Seventh Grade History Club

The Seventh Grade History Club met Feb. 26. Members of the club chose Texas Under Six Flags as the project for the week. The girls are making the flags and the boys are making the display stands and staffs.

The club would like to make honorable mention of the class members for their sincere work and progress in spelling. We hope to have more honors next week.
Reporter Tony Allen

Eighth Grade History Club

The meeting was called to order by the President, Alfred Chapple. Secretary LaVada Mitchell read the secretary's report and Lucia Lujan read the treasurer's report. Sandra Williams read for the program. Refreshments were served by Wanda Simmons, then the meeting was adjourned.
Reporter Wanda Simmons

Mrs. Baxter Greer who has been in Hillsboro, Texas for several days visiting in the home of her daughter and son-in-law, Rev. and Mrs. E. L. Helsley, returned home Tuesday night.

Mr. and Mrs. Pat Boatler left Wednesday morning for a vacation trip to Mississippi. They accompanied the T.L. Boatlers of Big Spring.

PUBLIC SCHOOLS WEEK

Public Schools Week comes but once a year. Next week is Public Schools Week. All the schools in the state are holding open house. They invite the parents of their students, and others, to visit their public schools. The officials want you to see just what they are doing to build character, to mould good citizens, worthy of their heritage of American citizenship. So, take advantage of this opportunity and visit your public schools next week, during Public Schools Week.

FOR SALE—55-gallon steel barrels. \$4 each. See Ray Lane.

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**INCOME TAX FACTS No. 1
New Federal Tax Law May Save You Money**

(This is one of a series of articles on income tax changes. The articles are based on information provided by the American Institute of Accountants and the Texas Society of Certified Public Accountants.)

The "Ides of March" will no longer hold any terror for the average taxpayer, but the new tax deadline of April 15 can be just as alarming if you don't start early to prepare your federal income tax return.

To help you get started this newspaper is publishing a series of articles prepared with the help of the national and state organizations of certified public accountants. Use these articles, together with the instructions that come with your federal income tax forms, to guide you in making out your return.

Most taxpayers report their income for the calendar year on a cash basis, and the new rules are explained here as they apply to these typical taxpayers. Anyone who uses a different fiscal year or reports on an accrual basis should check the official instructions to see how he is affected.

Completely Revised Tax Rules

Last August the Internal Revenue Code was completely overhauled by Congress and thousands of changes were made affecting taxpayers. It is estimated that every year a million taxpayers overpay their income taxes by a total of more than \$100,000,000. More millions of taxpayers pay less tax than is due, making them liable for assessments, interest and possible penalties.

With the many changes of the new law there is even greater danger of mistakes this year unless you read the instructions and prepare your tax return with great care.

This is a good reason for starting long before April 15. Here's another:

You May Get a Refund

If you find that more tax has been withheld from your wages than you actually owe, you will be entitled to a refund of the difference. The sooner you file your return, the sooner you are likely to get your refund.

What are the chances of a refund? Well, your tax will probably be less because of the reduction of approximately 10% in tax rates since last year, but you have been getting the advantage of this re-

duction all through the year in the form of reduced withholdings from your pay.

Many newly authorized deductions, however, may cut down your tax bill below the amount that has been withheld, thus entitling you to a refund.

New Savings This Year

Here are some of the changes, to be discussed in later articles, which may cut your tax this year:

1. More single persons are entitled to "head-of-household" status.
2. Medical expenses are deductible to a greater extent.
3. Certain health and accident benefits are not counted as income.
4. The \$600 exemption applies to various dependents not previously eligible.
5. A special deduction of as much as \$600 for child care is now available in some cases to working wives, widowed and divorced persons.
6. Tax may be reduced by new credits for dividends and retirement income.
7. Salesmen and other employees who travel may benefit from new rules on expense deductions.
8. New provisions may benefit anyone who bought or sold a home in 1954.
9. Farmers get new deductions for soil and water conservation expense.
10. Businesses are helped by liberalized depreciation rules and other changes.

Additional Information

Be sure to read the official instructions. You can also get help from the Internal Revenue Service, which urges you to consult only qualified advisors.

Next article: *Invest a Little Time in Saving Tax \$\$\$\$\$.*

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