

Snooter Knows

By JAMES E. KELLY

ON EASTER MORNING IN Uvalde at the home of former vice president John Nance Garner, a donation of \$25,000 each to the scholarship fund was made by Garner and his son, Tully Garner. The checks were presented to Sterling Fry, president of the Southwest Texas Junior College in Uvalde. The donation was made in memory of the wife and mother, Ettie Reimer Garner.

In tribute to his wife Garner said: "My wife was the greatest helpmate any man ever had. All I ever accomplished was in a great part due to her."

During Garner's public life, starting in 1922, when he went to Congress, Mrs. Garner was his secretary.

To the city of Uvalde, six years ago, Garner gave his two-story brick home to use as a library in memory of his wife. Garner now lives in what used to be the servants' quarters back of the house.

The donation was for a scholarship fund for worthy women students.

DUE TO A CLERICAL ERROR 39 Kansas mothers were notified they had been made the mother of the year. The selections came from the American Mothers Committee meeting in New York last week. The error was claimed due to volunteers (Continued on page 5)

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Cancer Fund Drive Opens April 14

Seniors Will Present Play On April 17

Stanton seniors will present their annual play "Arsenic and Old Lace" at 8 p. m. April 17 at the elementary school gymnasium.

The play was originally scheduled for March, but was postponed.

Members of the cast are Carolyn Stone, Abbey; Yvonne Nichols, Martha; Carolyn Johns, Elaine; Bob Boyce, Teddy; Carl Reynolds, Jonathan; Jimmy Hamilton, Mortimer; Leon Mattingley, Dr. Einstein; Kenny Yates, Lt. Rooney; Roger Tate, O'Hara; Donnie Hull, Brophy; Richard Supulver, Klein; John Ray Ory, Rev. Harper; Bobby Wren, Gibbs; and Jerry Robertson, Witherspoon.

SHS Students Win Honors At District Meet

Stanton won three first places and two third places at the District 6A, Conference A Inter-scholastic Spring Meet Saturday in Coahoma.

Stanton had a total of 60 points to place third in the contest.

Jimmy Hamilton and Marsha Bristow won first in debate. Carl Wright was first in extemporaneous speech and Jimmy Hamilton was first in number sense.

Third places went to Jimmy Hamilton, slide rule and Stina Tucker, shorthand.

Other schools in the contest and their points were Rotan, 74; Roby, 70; Coahoma 52 and Roscoe 45.

The district track and field (Continued on page 5)

Join The Crusade

The most important drive for funds to combat a deadly disease will officially get underway in Martin County on April 14.

Mrs. Dwain Henson, Cancer Crusade Chairman, has worked diligently and methodically in securing the assistance of campaign workers all over the county. The drive will have the full support of the press until the final contribution is counted.

Cancer is a fatal word in many Martin County homes. The cold statistics show that this county appears as one of the counties in Texas where the great killer has struck often. On a per capita basis, it is possible that Martin County ranks as high as the highest, where cancer has claimed it's victims.

As things stand, 260,000 Americans doomed to die of cancer in 1959 will die on schedule—unless something unforeseen happens.

It is the hope and prayer of people everywhere that a "breakthrough" will come to pass eventually. This is a strange and encouraging contrast to the attitude of scientists and informed doctors of only a decade ago, when the consensus seemed to be that cancer, by and large, never would be controlled.

For our purposes, a cancer breakthrough would be any development which would prevent a substantial percentage of cancers which now occur, or bring about the cure of advanced cancers—the kind of which medicine today is completely helpless.

The salvage of human life must be gained through medical research. It will take money, lots of money. Martin County people should respond generously to the call of the crusade chairman and her team of workers. The goal should be gained easily. Checks are badly needed.

Let's all open our hearts and support the drive against cancer by contributing all we can.

White Wildcat Making Hole

By JAMES C. WATSON

Gordon P. Street No. 1 White, 11,500-foot wildcat in Southeast Martin County, three miles southeast of Stanton, was making hole below 10,662 feet in lime and shale.

Drill site is 660 feet from south and 1,320 feet from west lines of section 21, block 35, T-1-S, T&P survey.

E. G. Rodman and W. D. Noel No. 1 Frank Cowden, wildcat six miles southwest of the Glass (Pennsylvanian) field in Southwest Martin County, was making hole below 11,675 feet on last report.

Location is 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of section 30, block 39, T-1-N, T&P survey.

The Texas Company announced location for a pair of projects in the Mabee field area in Southwest Martin County, 24 miles west of Stanton.

No. 11-A NCT-4 Mabee will be dug 1,980 feet from north and 665 feet from west lines of section 21, block 35, T-1-S, T&P survey.

Mrs. D. Henson Crusade Chief

GS Leaders Attend Meet At Kerrville

Mrs. Johnny Britton and Mrs. Houston Woody left Sunday for a Girl Scout Day Camp Directors Course at Mc Ranch, near Kerrville.

The training session is to continue through Saturday.

Girl Scout day camp directors are to attend from all over Region Nine, which includes four states, Texas, New Mexico, Oklahoma and Arkansas.

Mrs. Britton is to serve as director of a day camp this summer for Martin County Scouts and Mrs. Woody will serve as assistant director.

Directors are to receive training on how to direct day camps and on different types of crafts and skills.

The 1959 Cancer Crusade will get underway in Martin County on Tuesday, April 14.

Tuesday, April 14 has been designated as National Cancer Crusade Day. The drive is to continue through April.

A quota of \$900 has been set for the drive.

Final plans for the drive will be made at a diminishing coffee at 10 a. m. Monday, April 13 at the home of Mrs. Dwain Henson, Cancer Crusade Chairman.

Jim Bennett of Midland, district chairman of the American Cancer Society, will attend the coffee and will show a film. The film will stress taking physical examinations to determine whether a person has cancer or symptoms of cancer. Also present will be a Midland doctor who will speak to the group.

Attending the coffee will be section chairmen and co-chairmen. Each person attending the coffee will give a coffee later in the month and invite four (Continued on page 5)

Cotton Ginners Honor Martin County Youth

Craig Beckmeyer, outstanding Martin County 4-H Club cotton producer, was honored Tuesday by the Texas Cotton Ginners' Association when he was presented their statewide award for excellence in cotton production.

The \$100 award was presented to Beckmeyer by U. S. Secretary of Agriculture Ezra Taft Benson who was a featured speaker for the ginners annual meeting in Dallas.

The Secretary complimented young Beckmeyer for his outstanding cotton production record and also for his accomplishments in other 4-H demonstrations and activities. The state winner has averaged for the past three years, 1956-58, well over a bale per acre without irrigation.

Craig is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Beckmeyer, Route 1, Ackerly. He is 17 years of age;



CRAIG BECKMEYER

a student in Flower Grove High School and has completed eight years of 4-H club work. Cotton has been a major demonstra-

tion but livestock feeding and showing, poultry production, tractor maintenance and home improvement projects have all been used by Craig to give him a balanced 4-H program.

The state winner has grown cotton for the past five years. Three varieties have been planted during the period. Last year's top yield was 787 pounds of lint an acre. Craig followed the 7-step cotton recommendation in posting his outstanding three year record. He said, "We plowed the land deep and on the contour but put up rather low beds. I have found that less moisture is required at planting time when beds are kept low and that the lower beds can be soaked with less rainfall. Rain was no problem at planting time in 1958."

Rotary hoes and knives were used in combination to control (Continued on page 8)

FHA Delegates Named To State Meet In Dallas

Jean Mott and Kay Powell will represent the Stanton chapter of Future Homemakers of America at the state FHA convention April 23-24 in Dallas.

Miss Mott and Miss Powell were elected to serve as delegates by the local chapter. Miss Mott is a junior student and has been a FHA member for three years. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mott. She serves as secretary of the Stanton chapter.

Miss Powell is the daughter of Mrs. Lois Powell. She is a sophomore student and has been enrolled in FHA work two years. She is secretary of the point committee.

"FHA In a Changing World" will be the theme of the convention which will be held at the State Fair Music Hall.

Mrs. M. C. King, FHA advisor, Mr. King and their daughter, Carol Jean, will accompany the girls to Dallas.

1 Convicted For DWI In County Criminal Court

County Court opened Monday in Stanton with Jim McCoy serving as judge.

Criminal cases are being tried this week, Monday through Friday.

Beginning Tuesday, April 14 civil cases will be heard.

McCoy said so far two cases have been heard in criminal court. One DWI defendant was acquitted and one DWI convicted, McCoy said.

Courtney Eighth Grade Students To Hold Banquet

Courtney eighth grade students will be entertained with a banquet Friday, April 17 at the Wagon Wheel Restaurant, Big Spring.

L. L. Laws, coach of the Union School, will be the main speaker.

Teddy Stewart, president of the class, will serve as master of ceremonies. Other members of the class will also participate on the program.

There will be about 50 eighth graders, parents, friends and teachers attending the banquet.

Martin County 4-H Clubbers Begin Capon Projects

Martin County 4-H Clubbers have started 1,000 baby chicks for capon projects. Bob Johnson, county agent, said this week.

Johnson said between 25-30 club members are raising chicks for capons.

Two boys, Steve Springer and Porky Britton, are breeding their own chicks or have ordered special chicks.

The capons are to be ready for the fall capon show.

Mr. and Mrs. L. C. Stovall visited Sunday in Midland with Mr. and Mrs. Irving Currie and Travis Stovall.

Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Keaton visited over the weekend in Kermit with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Keaton.

Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Burnam visited over the weekend in Cisco with Mr. and Mrs. John Hold-

128 Vote In City Race

Jack Jones and Robert Herzog were returned to their seats on the Stanton city council in balloting here Tuesday.

A total of 128 citizens turned out to exercise the franchise. Jones topped the ticket with 109 and Herzog garnered 83 votes.

for second man honors. John Wood ran third with 55 votes and Raymond L. Straub polled five votes. June Graham received one vote for a spot on the council. Graham's was the only write-in vote cast.

H. A. Houston served as election judge and Mrs. Morgan Hall and Mrs. Clayton Burnam assisted as clerks.

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R. L. Donelson Funeral Rites Held Tuesday

Funeral services were held at 10 a. m. Tuesday at the First Methodist Church for Robert Lee Donelson, 78, long time Martin County farmer.

Mr. Donelson died at 2 a. m. Monday in the local hospital, after a long illness.

Mr. Donelson was born October 5, 1881 in Texas. He moved to Martin County in 1924 from Westbrook. He and Mrs. Levlina Donelson were married in 1903 at Madisonville. She died May 7, 1951 in Stanton.

Rev. A. A. McCleskey officiated. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery under the direction of Arrington Funeral Home.

Survivors include six sons, Aaron Donelson of Stanton, J. L. Donelson of Joshua, Henry Donelson of Houston, J. D. Donelson of Kress, Seth B. Donelson of Lampasas, Morris E. Donelson of Midland; one daughter, Mrs. Mary Thompson of Midland; one brother, Evan Donelson of Maquez, Texas and 13 grandchildren.

Pallbearers were John Priddy, Red Parker, Charlie Wise, Herman Fisher, Mike Anderson and Elma Nichols.

Junior-Senior Banquet Held In Big Spring

Stanton High School seniors were entertained by the junior class Saturday evening with a banquet at the Cosden Country Club, Big Spring.

Porky Britton gave the junior welcome and served as master of ceremonies.

Leon Mattingley gave the senior thanks. Short readings were given by Carl Wright and Ila Mae Gray. The topic of Wright's was "In the Know" and Miss Gray's reading was "Goal to Happiness."

The invocation was given by Bob Boyce.

Giving the class prophecy were Sandra and Sharon Sale. The senior will was read by Carl Ray Reynolds.

Porky Britton introduced special guests who included members of the high school faculty, school board members and the elementary principal.

A Mardi Gras theme was carried out in decorations. Each place was marked with a party mask. Nut cups decorated in the Mardi Gras theme were used. Arrangements of black carnations in baskets similar to the nut cups completed decorations. (Continued on page 5)

Stanley Wheeler Elected 1959-60 Rotary President

Stanley W. Wheeler was named president of the Stanton Rotary Club for 1959-60 at a club meeting Wednesday, April 1 at Belvue Restaurant.

Other officers are George B. Shelburne, vice president; Martin Gibson, secretary; Jack Arrington, sergeant-at-arms and H. M. McReynolds, James Webb, Carl Clardy and W. C. Wright, directors.

The invocation was given by Rev. W. C. Wright.

Ten persons were present including two guests, Fred Wemple of Midland and Jimmy Stallings.

Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Hazlewood, Sr., have been visiting in Hobbs, New Mexico.

Mrs. Vivian Tippitt is visiting in Odessa with her sons, J. W. Tippitt and Beryl Tippitt and their families.

School Trustees Named

Martin County voters turned out Saturday to elect trustees to four school boards and three men to the county board.

At Stanton Tull Ray Louder and Marshall Johnson were elected to the school board. Tull Ray Louder led the race with 121 votes. Johnson had 112 votes. Others in the race were James Webb, 85; Mrs. J. D. Poe, 70 and M. E. Kemp 12.

Holdover members of the Stanton school board are Connie Mack Hood, Bill Wheeler, Roy Pickett, Gene Clement and Lawrence Adkins.

James Biggs and Bill Mims were named to the board at Courtney. (Continued on page 36)

votes and Mims, a write-in candidate, got 20. Others receiving votes in the race were Joe Boade, Jr., 15, and B. J. Smith, three.

Trustees at Courtney whose terms did not expire were Ted Steward, Minter McReynolds, A. F. Martin, M. I. Yell and Wesley Williams, Jr.

O. D. Green and Mrs. Delmar Hamm were elected at Grady. Green had 32 votes and Mrs. Hamm received 29. E. R. Perry received 23 votes.

Holdover trustees at Grady are Marshall Louder, E. L. Roman, Edward Smith, Coy Welch and Mrs. Glen Cox. At Flower Grove E. V. High-

tower led the ticket with 58 votes. Also elected to the Flower Grove School Board was Jack Cave with 42 votes. Others in the race were R. J. Deatherage, 27; J. G. Butcher, 23; G. A. Foster, four.

O. B. Bryan was reelected county trustee from Precinct One and H. R. Howard, Sr., was reelected county trustee from Precinct Three. P. G. Yates was reelected as county trustee-at-large. He received a total of 306 votes.

Holdover members of the county board are Clarence Fryar, Precinct Two and Fred Cave, Precinct Four.

Tarzan Baptist Revival To Open Friday

A 10-day revival will begin Friday at the Tarzan Baptist Church.

Services will be held twice

C.C. Committee Chairmen Name More Workers

Additional Martin County Chamber of Commerce committees were announced this week by committee chairmen.

At a meeting last week the members of the industrial, civic improvement, merchants, agriculture, conventions and banquets committees were announced.

Neal Estes serves as head of the advertising and publicity committee. Members of his committee are Jim McCoy and Marshall Johnson.

Making up the special events committee are Bob Johnson, chairman; J. T. Davis, Lila Flanagan and Bob Haislip.

Stanley Wheeler is serving as chairman of the highways and streets committee. His helpers are G. B. Shelburne, Jim McCoy, Jack Jones, Robert Herzog and Jack Ireton.

Members of the aviation committee are Gordon Stone, chairman; Dan Saunders and Houston Woody.

John Davis, chairman, appointed. (Continued on page 5)

Jerry Bradley Talks To Lions Club Tuesday

Jerry Bradley, who is with the local Soil Conservation Service, spoke to the Stanton Lions Club Tuesday at Belvue Restaurant.

Bradley discussed soil conservation. He was introduced by Jimmy Stallings, who served as program chairman. Accompanying Bradley to the meeting was Jake Hodges, also with the Soil Conservation Service.

Ernest Hook led the group in singing with Mrs. John Wood at the piano. The invocation was given by O. B. Bryan.

The club is to elect officers at the meeting Tuesday, April 13. The past president's committee presented a new candidate for president—Paige Eiland. It was announced the club will not have a talent show open to the public. A talent contest will be presented at the Tuesday meeting and the winners will participate in a Lion talent show at Terminal.

Twenty-three persons were present including five guests. Ted Darwin of Amarillo was an out-of-town guest.

Stanton High Students Receive '59 Yearbooks

Stanton High School students received their 1959 yearbooks, "The Roundup" at an annual signing party Friday evening at the school.

The books are attractively bound in white leatherette and are decorated with red strips and "1959" in red. Each student's name is printed in gold on the cover.

Members of the staff dedicated the book to the coaches, Harlin Dauphin and John Bailey.

Bob Boyce served as editor and sponsor was Kathryn Sensabaugh. Other staff members were Carolyn Stone, secretary; Joyce Anderson, business manager; Virgil Miller, Mona Epley, Kathy Hardison, LaRue Adkins, Carolyn Kelly, class editors; Linda Barbee, Carl Wright and Dorothy Lawson, art editors; Carl Reynolds, Jim Sale, sport editors; Alfred Johnson, Jimmy

Hamilton, Richard Supulver, advertising managers.

Personalities shown in the first section are Jimmy Miller, Carolyn Stone, Mr. and Miss S. H. S.; Carolyn Stone and Virgil Miller, best all around; Brenda George, most beautiful; Richard Supulver, most handsome; Emory Brewer, Linda Glaze, most athletic; Stina Tucker, Jimmy Hamilton, most likely to succeed; Diane Turner and Carl Hamby, cutest couple; Porky Britton and Cheryl McArthur, biggest flirts; Stina Tucker, Jimmy Miller, friendliest; Cheryl McArthur and Leon Mattingley, wittiest.

In the sports section are shown pictures of the football team, individual pictures of the players, pictures of the boys "A" and "B" basketball teams, and girls basketball teams. (Continued on page 5)

WEATHER BULLETIN

Up until noon Tuesday, all of the moisture the current cloudy spell had produced consisted of a few scattered droplets which fell at two widely spaced intervals.

But Tuesday night and early Wednesday morning about one-half inch of rain covered the county. The official U. S. gauge at Lenorah showed one-half inch and The Stanton Reporter's gauge showed the same.

West Texas received a tornado warning Tuesday, but no twisters were reported in this area.

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BIBLE COMMENT

True Christian Is More Than Churchgoer

Paul was brought up as a Pharisee in the strict letter of the law. The Pharisees were the party of strict observance. We must not imagine that Jesus thought ill of them or criticized them lightly.

It was precisely because the Pharisees were so devout and earnest that Jesus used them often for illustration, to show that a man might observe all the outward proprieties of religion and yet lack its inward reality and grace.

If we substitute "church member" for "Pharisee" we might obtain clearer insight into what Jesus meant. Mere membership in a church does not make any man what he ought to be. Some who have been punctilious in all outward observances have often been lacking in the elemental Christian virtues.

If we think of a man going up to the throne of God and

County Philosopher Wants To Know Where Washington Is Hiding Its Farm Oxygen Tents

Editor's note: The Martin County Philosopher on his grass farm on Mustang Draw seems to be misconstruing the argument in his letter this week, but it's not the first time.

Dear editor:
I don't know how it got there, what with the Berlin crisis on a summit meeting coming up this summer, Congress in session, and income taxes due, but right on the front page of a newspaper I was reading last night I ran into a discussion of the farm problem.



I always read every article I find on the farm problem, not to find out what somebody thinks the solution is, but what he thinks the problem is.

According to this fellow, the farmer's problem is mostly government aid, and if the government doesn't stop spending so much money supporting farm prices, the consumers are going to revolt, and the farmers will be in worse shape than ever.

Now I don't know how the consumers go about revolting.

maybe stop buying all food that's farmer-grown, but what interested me about this man's idea of the farm situation was that he says "the farmer is living under an oxygen tent of government support."

And his idea for solving the problem is to jerk the tent off and let the farmer stand up on his own.

I hate to disabuse this fellow, and while I don't know anything about farming in his part of the country, I have to report that the supply of government oxygen tents must have run out before they got out to this Mustang Draw grass farm.

I've got plenty of oxygen out here, but it's not tented, it's right out in the open under the sun, frequently mixed with a little dust. However, agricultural oxygen tents sound good to me.

In fact, if the government has got some, why don't they make enough to go around? Ain't this a democracy we're living in?

Riding a tractor under an air-conditioned oxygen tent would go a long way toward solving one of the worst phases of the farm problem, which is going up one row and down another under a hot sun breathing dust.

Yours faithfully,
J. A.

FARM AND RANCH REVIEW

At the time this squib is being written for the column, Martin County is anxiously awaiting a ground-soaking general rain. The early-planting farmers are resting on the handles of the planter ready to move into the fields and plant their crops. For want of a good rain to put moisture in the soil, is the cause of the "rest" period, and too, hoping the high winds will cease thereby stop the blowing of their tilled soil.

The half inch rain which fell in the county a couple of weeks ago, helped moisten the soil at the time, but since high winds have sapped the fields of that dampening.

In Nolan County stockmen are reporting the water in the tanks is lower than at any time in the past 10 years. The recent rain visiting the county helped to green up the grass and help the small grain crop to remain green.

Last week's report of the crop conditions in the Plains area of Texas, stated the wheat crop in the Panhandle was greatly in need of moisture. East Texas farmers rushed planting before winds dried topsoil.

About one-fifth of the sorghum acreage has been planted and about one-fourth of the state's cotton crop is in the ground.

The USDA said 25 per cent of

the combined intended acreage of cotton, sorghums, corn, rice and peanuts was planted.

The farmers in the Texas High Plains area will have an increased cotton acreage of 139,293 for 1959, by virtue of signing the "B" choice program. The total allotted acreage will be 2,265,004.

In Texas farmers who selected the "B" choice will receive an additional 438,121 acres and this pushes the total state acreage available for planting from 6,846,757 to 7,274,878 acres.

Xi Alpha Beta Met Thursday In Big Spring

A meeting of Xi Alpha Beta chapter of Beta Sigma Phi was held Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. George Dawson in Big Spring.

The program was presented by Mrs. George Dawson, Mrs. Wallace Kelly and Mrs. P. M. Bristow. Mrs. Dawson played a recording, "The Strangest Secret" by Earl Nightingale as a part of her discussion, "The Golden Person In Our Hearts." Mrs. Kelly discussed "Ideals of Liberty and Justice" and Mrs. Bristow's topic was "Goals For Tall Souls."

Members voted to donate to the Girl Scouts.

Mrs. George Dawson and her mother, Mrs. C. F. Huling served refreshments to Sammye Laws and Mesdames Wallace Kelly, Jimmy Stallings, Jesse Talton, John Brewer, P. M. Bristow, Glenn L. Brown, Stanley Reid, Ralph Hedrick, Bob Haislip, John Wood, Houston Woody, Pete Woody, James Elland, Jiggs Hall, and Elmer Long.

Mrs. F. W. Henson has been a patient in Medical Arts Hospital, Big Spring.

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LEGAL NOTICE

NOTICE TO ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST ESTATE OF CHARLES D. POWELL, DECEASED:

Notice is hereby given that original Letters Testamentary upon the estate of Charles D. Powell, deceased, were issued to me, the undersigned, on the 23rd day of June, 1958, in the proceeding indicated below my signature hereto, which is still pending, and that I now hold such letters. All persons having claims against said estate, which is being administered, in the county below named, are hereby required to present the same to me respectively, at the same address below given, before suit upon same are barred by the general statutes of limitation, before such estate is closed, and within the time prescribed by law. My residence and post office address are P. O. Box 146, Stanton, Martin County, Texas.

/s/ LOIS POWELL
Lois Powell, Executrix of the Estate of Charles D. Powell, deceased.

West Texas Press Comments

The Seminole State Bank shows a deposit increase of \$194,488.85 over the statement issued at the same period last year. Loans are down \$110,406.94 to what they were at the same date last year.

The bank's total deposits this year is \$4,958,682.30.

The Colorado City Lions Club has 15 committees at work in getting their "house in order" to entertain the Lion visitors who will attend District 2-T-2 convention which will be held in Colorado City in May. Lions will be present from West Texas, West Central and Central Texas, according to the Colorado City Record.

Last week 56 students from Eden High School were absent from school with flu. A representative of the State Department of Health was in Eden and sent specimens from ailing patients to determine for certain whether the ailment was flu.

The Dallas office of the Department of Agriculture said that application for a cotton classing office for a 12-county area around Memphis, in Hall County, had been approved. The Memphis Democrat reports that the organization called the Rolling Plains Cotton Producers Assn., will furnish facilities for the office with a director from each county. When completed the office at Memphis will be the most modern cotton classing plant in the nation, declared the Democrat.

The Farm and Ranch Fertilizer Co. has started its plant in operation at Alpine. The base of the fertilizer product is the humus found in organic matter mined in southern Brewster County. The Alpine Avalanche says company officials report such deposits are found in only two places in the world — in southern Brewster County and Australia. The plant will supply fertilizer to farmers in West Texas and southern New Mexico. The plant will employ 11 men in its operations.

The City of Alpine has agreed to purchase the 50,000 gallon water tank from the Southern Pacific Railroad and is negotiating to buy a 100,000 reservoir which is now located at the station of Small, near Sierra Blanca.

The Dalton Best Maid Company of Fort Worth, the largest pickle packers in the business, is negotiating with farmers in the Lorenzo area of Crosby County, to plant 200 acres in cucumbers. A receiving station will be located at Ralls. The Dalton company has offered the top price of \$7 per hundred for number one grade cucumbers. The Lorenzo Tribune says last year the farmers in the Ralls area sold over 1,000 pounds of cucumbers from 272 acres of land.

The City of Loraine has purchased new fire fighting equipment in which is involved the cost of \$7,345. The new fire truck is of the Peter-Pirsch type, one of the leading manufacturers for fire fighting equipment. The Mitchell County News says, the installation of the new equipment should bring the insurance rate down considerably, as Loraine's insurance rate is about as high as it can go because the present fire fighting equipment doesn't meet the requirements.

The Humble Co. is planning a major district change in the Andrews area by mid-summer. A consolidation with the Wasson pool at Denver City with its 200 wells, and Andrews with its 850 producing wells. Andrews will be headquarters for the merged districts. The new Humble office building at Andrews will be enlarged to provide adequate space to care for the consolidation.

The Acid De-Linters Ltd., of Pecos, is planning to locate a de-linting plant in Fort Stockton, or in its vicinity. The plant will involve an investment of \$50,000 to \$60,000. It will employ from five to seven men.

25 YEARS AGO

Mr. and Mrs. Cullen Wilson, and son Sonny Boy, are in Stanton this week to help in the sale of the Wilson Variety Store is launching. Cullen is the son of J. A. Wilson, owner of the Wilson Variety.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Cox will be hosts to the Here, There and Yonder Bridge Club for May. The April party was with Mr. and Mrs. Ode Hazlewood.

Valley View Notes: Mr. and Mrs. M. H. White, and son, Snookie, Mr. and Mrs. Phillip White of Mt. Vernon, visited Sunday evening in the G. B. Pollock home.

State Senator Arthur P. Dugan will be in Stanton for eight months of the year.

The deposits carried in the town's bank is the mirror which reflects the stability and growth of the town. Editor Melvin Dow of the Wink Bulletin, reports, "In spite of an adverse element who think Wink won't be here tomorrow, statistic reveal that our little old town keeps on going and a-growing." Despite the recent transfer of the Humble camp from Wink to Monahans, the Wink bank's deposits are the highest in "our history" — \$1,655,006.05. Dow said the deposits in the Monahans bank were down almost half a million.

gan of Littlefield, was a Stanton visitor this week. As a State Senator Mr. Duggan has authority to appoint two members from each county in his district to the advisory board of the Texas Centennial. He appointed Mayor Chas. Ebbersol and Mrs. Bob Hamilton of Stanton, to the board. The first meeting of the board will be in Austin June 6. The Texas Centennial will be held in 1936, the 100th anniversary of the State of Texas.

Horace Schell, traveling out of Cincinnati, Ohio, for Schell Leather Co., stopped in Stanton to visit his uncle Bob Schell of the Scheil Mercantile Co. here.

Valley View Notes: Messrs. J. A. and W. P. Clements and their mother, Mrs. W. H. Clements, visited Sunday in the home of W. L. Clements.

Miss Evelyn Hull visited Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Orby Hull and family in the Lenora community.

The Earl Powells of the Bar X Ranch, has as their guests Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Riggs Shepperd of Valley View; Mrs. Lay Powell, Irene, Mrs. Curtis Erwin and son, Curtis, Jr., of Colorado, and Mr. and Mrs. Son Powell of the "69" Ranch in Glasscock County.

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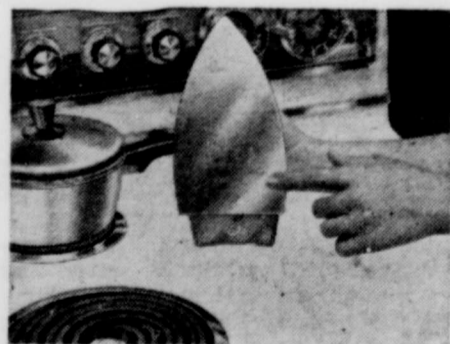
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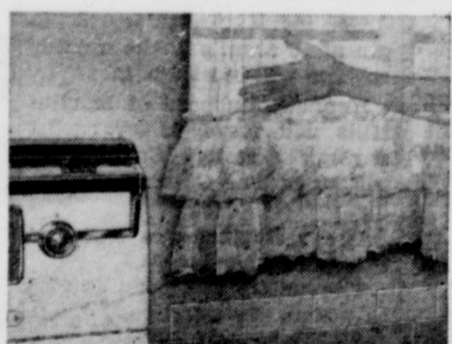
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Friendship Class Holds Luncheon

Members of the Friendship Class met Tuesday, March 31 at the First Baptist Church for a covered dish luncheon.

Mrs. L. C. Waits presided over the meeting. A devotional was given by Mrs. C. D. Robertson.

Present were Mesdames Clyde White, Ivan White, Woodford Sale, J. C. Sale, Frank Parker L. C. Waits, C. D. Robertson and Clyde Miller.

Mrs. W. J. Howard of Dallas is visiting with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Gibson and her brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Hamilton.

Mrs. Overby Is Shower Honoree

Mrs. W. P. Hildreth, Jr. was hostess recently to a bridal shower honoring Mrs. Robert Dee Overby of Lenora.

Mrs. Overby was the former Mary Sue Lawson of Lakeview before her recent marriage.

Refreshments of green punch and white cake decorated in green and yellow were served. The couple's names, "Sue and Bob" were inscribed on the cake.

Twenty guests attended. Mr. and Mrs. Ray Boyd and son, Richard, of Roscoe visited Saturday with Rev. and Mrs. J. R. Murdock.



By VERN SANFORD

You'll find white bass fishing at its finest just below Marble Falls Dam. It's at the head of Lake Travis on the Colorado River in Central Texas.

Several conditions combine to make Marble Falls the white bass capital for a large part of the angling population of Texas.

First, the fish are there in profound numbers. Second, Marble Falls is in week-end distance of most Texans, as the spot is not far from the geographical center of the state.

Third, good fishing water is of easy access. This, thanks to the ingenuity and energy of an Austin dentist, fisherman, and entrepreneur, Dr. C. H. Roper. He built a contraption called "The Ramp" — where you can ride a cable car up and down the steep cliff.

We'll describe The Ramp in a minute. But first, a word about why the sandies are here in such profusion.

There are many places on the Highland Lakes where you can catch strings of big white bass. But nowhere else will you find so many, in such great numbers, in so small a space, so much of the time.

It just happens that whites find the water below Marble Falls Dam exactly to their liking. When power is being generated, they crowd into the tail race to enjoy the gushing water. When the generators are not in operation they retire to the deeps or chase shad that school on the surface.

Come spawning season, the white bass head upstream, looking for shallow water and a rocky, sandy bottom for the best egg-laying conditions. Well, sir, Marble Falls is as far upstream as the fish can get in

Lake Travis, a 65-mile long body of water. And here, below the dam, conditions for white bass spawning are ideal. Then too, the shad school here. And if you say "shad" to a white bass, it's like saying "steaks on" to hungry newspapermen. They come a'running!

So, how do we get to this fabulous place?

Until recent months, fishermen either climbed down a dangerous cliff to get there or they pulled their boats through rocky shallows below the dam. Either way they risked their necks. So, Dr. Roper figured a way to ease the path, make the fishermen happy, and pick up a little loose change for himself.

Owning land below the dam, atop the cliff, Dr. Roper also wanted to get down there and fish without climbing over all those rocks. So, he dynamited a patch along the cliffside. That made walking up and down easier. People heard about his "ramp" and came flocking to use it. He charged them 50 cents apiece. That paid for the dynamite.

But still it was a steep, hard climb. Roper thought about a "ramp jeep" but changed his plans when he heard about a resort operator who was employing some sort of cable car to reach down to the water from his high place above. That seemed like a solution.

So, Roper improvised an installation to fit his situation.

He located some abandoned railroad track, salvaged rail and ties. A railroad construction crew, temporarily laid off, put the track down. A second-hand elevator furnished the mechanism to raise and lower the "hand car." The car itself was constructed so that its front wheels were higher than

the back ones. This in order to keep the floor level despite the incline.

Today everything is automatic. Just push the button and you're on your way. The car glides slowly downward, alongside the 140 foot cliff at a 85 degree incline over a course of 300 feet. Now one can eliminate the danger in clambering down the rocks, or trying to navigate the boulder-studded channel from downstream in a boat. However those routes still are pursued by a few of the daring ones.

But let's take a trip to this place and see what's there.

First, we park our car at the top of the bluff, putting the front wheels securely against a log, so placed to prevent the machine from going over the cliff. Nearby are cabins for those who can't get enough of the white bass fishing in one day. There's a little store and tackle shop at the "take off" spot, attended by Bill Corley. From Bill we get our tickets (\$1) to ride the cable car. Tickets are good for 24 hours.

From Bill we also get minnows and whatever artificial lures we need to entice the fish.

Four at a time can ride the cable car, which is a busy little apparatus, carrying fishermen up and down all day long when the weather is decent.

When we reach the bottom, there's a choice to be made. Either we follow the bank to the dam, or we fish near a string of boulders jutting out into the current.

There are fishermen all along the bank and out on the boulders. There are people out in the water, some wearing waders and some getting wet. There are a few boats, clustered just beyond the swift water of the tail race. Whether or not power is being generated will determine where we go.

Some anglers prefer working in the tail race when the water is rushing through. Others like it better downstream in the quiet water. You can take your choice, for there are white bass here all the time and they can be caught, regardless of the generators.

As we take up our stations we notice what the others are doing. More of them are using minnows than any other bait. But there are many artificials in view. Most popular of these are jigs with bucktails, spinners, and popping jigs.

You can see every imaginable kind of gear, from fly rod to surf-casting rig. But the spinning outfit by far outnumber all others, as it should. It's exactly right for this kind of fishing.

A limit catch (25) is no novelty at this white bass haven. Untold thousands of them have been taken from these waters. But the supply never

ACKERLY NEWS

By DOROTHY BAKER

The "Eagle-Lites," a vocal group from Ackerly High School, won first place in the senior division of the annual Dawson County Farm Bureau talent show held recently in the Junior High School auditorium at Lamesa. Members of the group are Bryan Adams, Jeanine Cagle, Joyce Franks, Buster Grigg, Dorothy Williams and Sandra Adams, accompanist.

Recent guests with Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Kemp were his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Jackson Omerberg and daughter of Corsicana.

Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Cook and Jane have returned home from a trip to Cleburne, Stephenville, Brazos and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. R. P. Adams visited recently in Abilene with his son and family, Mr. and Mrs. Doyle Adams and others.

Mr. and Mrs. John Horton of Corpus Christi visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Tommy Horton.

Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Coleman recently returned home from a visit in Wichita Falls with Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Kuykendall and in Wister, Okla., with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Vaughn, in Stamford with Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Ulmer and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Boots Harry of El Paso visited here recently and his parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Harry returned to El Paso with them for a visit.

R. J. Porter has been a patient in a Big Spring hospital. Recent guests here were Mr. and Mrs. Rob Mabry of Morton who visited her brother, Mr. and Mrs. Nick West and friends.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Crain were recent guests in Friona with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Cannon.

John Willoughby was called to Oklahoma City to be with his brother, Richard Willoughby, who was seriously ill.

Mrs. Katie Brookshire has been a patient in a Big Spring hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Moore of Lamesa visited their daughter and family, Mr. and Mrs. James Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Rodgers of Sweetwater and their niece, Susan Meeler of Trent, visited recently with Mrs. Rodgers' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Dozier.

Rev. W. H. Watson, pastor of the Ackerly Methodist Church, has been a patient in a Lubbock hospital. He underwent surgery March 29.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis White, seems to diminish as white bass spawn like crazy.

There are other fish here too. An occasional black bass or catfish is snared, and now and then a carp or buffalo will swallow a minnow or get four-hooked by a lure. Most of the fishermen, however, are after white bass as the whites are present in such vast numbers.

Here's one spot that is so popular on warm holidays and pleasant weekends that it is not uncommon to find fishermen from many parts of the United States, almost elbow to elbow along the bank. So, our parting advice is—if you plan to fish The Ramp, and we hope you do, make it on a week-day if at all possible. But, if you like company, come anytime.

PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Gladson and daughters of Snyder visited during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Jake Hodges and family.

Mrs. Edna Davidson and Mrs. Inez Woody visited last week in San Angelo.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Renfro visited Sunday in Childress with his sister-in-law, Mrs. Vera Renfro. Meeting the Renfros in Childress were his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Reid of Fort Worth.

Lamesa, Mrs. Lula Mae Watts, Mrs. Lucy Britton and Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Coke of Big Spring were recent guests of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Archer.

Jimmie Merrick is home on leave from his Navy base in California and is visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Merrick. A group met last week at the Merrick home to see movie films that Jimmie had made while he was in Hawaii, Hong Kong and the Philippines.

Mr. and Mrs. John Wagner and Glenda have been visiting in Waco with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Saich, Mr. and Mrs. Al Richter and Mr. and Mrs. Don Long.

Mr. and Mrs. Buck Baker and Dorothy were in Lamesa Sunday afternoon where they met another daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Garland Brown of Seagraves for lunch in the park. Approximately 23 persons met with the group. Delbert Baker visited friends and relatives in Anson and Moran.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Blankenship and daughters of Snyder have been visitors with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Springfield.

John Willard of Sun Valley, California, and his brother, Charles of Big Spring visited last week with their uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Gregg, Dorothy Nell and Thomas.



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There is no mystery about new car prices

Until this year, it was hard to compare different makes of cars to find which offered the most value for the money. It was like comparing apples and bananas. But not any more. Not since all new cars are required to carry price labels. Now, for the first time, you can compare various makes and models and see exactly what you're getting for your money. It's like exposing the hole cards in a game of stud poker: You know exactly where you stand.

Why should you buy a Dodge?

No one has to tell you that there are a number of cars on the market that sell for less than a Dodge. No cigar on that count. You know it and we know it. But there are things you get in a Dodge that you simply can't get in these other smaller cars. And this is important. Dodge gives you all of these things—the bigness and roominess, the comfort and ride, the luxury and prestige—for less than other cars in its field.



It's not just a few dollars less, either; in many cases it's literally *hundreds of dollars* less. Some Dodge models are even priced lower than the so-called "low-priced cars." (We'll be happy to show you the actual suggested retail prices.)

All cars cost money to run—but how much?

It would be nice if you just bought a new car and that was that. It didn't burn gas. Didn't use oil. Never needed service. But that's wishful thinking. Cars do use gas and oil. They do need service occasionally. But that doesn't mean that all cars cost the same to drive and maintain. Not by a jugful. There's a big difference.

Dodge is designed to run for less

Dodge has always had a reputation for economical operation. People who have owned them have found it costs less to run a Dodge, and that a Dodge needs service less often.

Take gasoline economy. The new Dodge 326 c.i. in. Red Ram V-8 engine, because of its design and efficiency, will take you *miles farther* on a gallon of gas than any other V-8 in the Dodge field. You save money every mile you drive.

But that's only part of the story. The way Dodge is engineered and built saves you money on such things as engine wear, brake relining, tune-ups, spark plug replacement. When you add them all up, they represent quite a saving. Another reason why it pays to own a Dodge.

What do you get for what you pay?

According to Manufacturer's Suggested Retail Prices, Dodge generally costs less, model for model, than other cars in its field. Fine and dandy. But while price is important, it isn't the only consideration. The real standard of value—whether you're buying a new car or a can of

beans—is what you get for what you pay. It's the "extras" you get at no extra cost that really determine which car is the best buy.

Dodge gives you more for less

Talk is cheap. Anyone can make claims. So let's be specific about the extras you get in Dodge at no extra cost. Torston-Aire Ride—conceded the finest suspension in the industry—standard equipment on all Dodge models. Total-Contact Brakes, Safety-Rim Wheels, Electric Windshield Wipers, Independent Parking Brake—all standard on Dodge. Of course, you can also choose from such Dodge options as Push-Button Driving, Full-Time Power Steering and Swing-Out Swivel Seats.

There's a big difference in comfort, too

Goodness knows, we certainly don't want to knock competition. But we feel obligated to point out the comfort and convenience of the '59 Dodge. If you've tried getting into some of the other '59 cars you know just what we mean. To say it is difficult would honestly be an understatement. That's why we hope you'll come in and compare the difference in Dodge. How much easier it is to get in and out of a Dodge. How much more comfortable it is to sit in a Dodge. How much more room you have to stretch out. Really, it pays to own a Dodge.

It doesn't cost a penny to get the facts

We don't expect you to rush in and plunk down your money for a new Dodge just on the basis of what you've read. But if what you've read seems to make sense, we do hope you'll stop in to see, to drive and to price a Dodge. We think it's a whole of a buy, but then maybe we're prejudiced. Why not drop in and judge for yourself. We'll be more than happy to give you all the facts. No obligation, of course.

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by C. W. Fisher, Manager

It's kind of hard to believe that winter has just about gone by—but with Easter past, sunny weather and dust storms—I guess we have the sure signs of spring.

Of course spring is the ambassador of summer, and before long we'll have weed pulling time, garden planting time, and "Honey, aren't you going to cut the grass, today?" time. The latter generally happens just about the time you're heading over to a friend's house to watch a ball game on television, or when you've gotten down your fishing equipment. You give a big sigh—try to think of an excuse—start to open your mouth and suddenly remember you used that excuse last Saturday. So off you go to get the lawnmower. Sometimes it's enough to make a fellow wish winter would last all year round.

Spring-A-Ling—its KITCHEN TELEPHONE TIME I guess you might say that spring and color just go together. The lawns are getting greener, trees and flowers are starting to bloom, and soon there'll be color all around us.

Spring is also a time for housecleaning and remodeling—at least at our house where we always have a project or two on hand. Whether it's housecleaning or remodeling—or both—why not add an extra touch of color like a friend of mine did recently?

His wife was having a new counter-top installed in the kitchen, and called to tell him what a professional job the carpenter was doing.

Figuring that he wouldn't let the carpenter steal his thunder, my friend called the telephone company and ordered a white wall phone for the kitchen.

So Many Colors!

When he made the big announcement at dinner, my friend admitted he was worried about his choice of color. "They had so many colors," he explained, "I wasn't sure which to choose. They had red, green, beige . . ."

"But white goes best with the new counter-top," his wife interrupted, "just what I needed to perk up the kitchen even more."

The moral of this story is if you want to be a hero, add that extra touch of color by ordering a kitchen telephone for your wife. A kitchen telephone in color will brighten up the room, help her get things done, and let her chat with friends between chores.

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Corner on Cotton

BY BOB COLLINS

Needed right now is a commission to study ways of reducing immediately the cost of growing cotton . . . lots of talk and action about getting the price of cotton down where it can compete with synthetics and foreign growth . . . this must be done, of course . . . but just as important is reducing farmers' growing costs . . . research is underway, of course, and someday the boll weevil cost will be whittled . . . someday the weed control problem will be eliminated . . . but something needs to be done now! . . . what??? . . . we don't know, but there should be a commission set up with all segments of the cotton industry represented . . . its only aim should be to study ways of reducing as quickly as possible the farmer's cost of growing cotton . . . who knows what could come out of this? . . . perhaps certain research projects need to be assigned different priorities . . . maybe new ways of handling cotton are needed . . . maybe nothing can be done, but it should be tried.

No Crew Cut
Boll weevils like cotton with crew cuts . . . at least the weevils don't like cotton with long hairs on the stems and leaf stalks because the hairs interfere with the weevils' movements . . . so a new strain of hairy cotton has been developed with 10 to 30 per cent less damage from weevils, early tests show . . . wonder if this long hair cotton creates more problems for the grower???

How Much?
On the question of cotton production costs . . . do you know how much it really costs you to grow a pound of cotton? . . . we'll bet you don't . . . it's one of the big problems in research right now, finding out how much money a farmer spends on only cotton . . . for instance, when you take your truck on a fishing trip do you charge the gas used to fishing or let it run in with production expenses? . . . University of Missouri now has a project underway to get detailed cost information.

"FA" Cotton
Ever hear of "FA" (fully acetylated) cotton? . . . it's something fairly new . . . a cotton fiber with improved heat and rot resistance and still retaining cotton's natural resistance to wear . . . big use forecast for conveyor belts and similar industrial items.

Tagged
About a year from now tags must show the contents of textiles so you'll know the amount of cotton in a garment you buy . . . a recent sales experiment was conducted with identical cotton blue jeans . . . one pair of jeans had a tag, the other didn't . . . the jeans with the tag saying 100% cotton outsold the untagged 10 times to one.

GS Troop 244 Camps Out At Boothe Oaks

Members of Girl Scout Troop 244 spent an enjoyable Friday night in the troop house at Girl Scout Camp Boothe Oaks near Sweetwater.

After eating a nosebag supper Friday evening, the girls built a big campfire. While around the campfire they sang songs, put on skits and told amusing incidents.

Saturday morning the girls hiked and explored the Boothe Oaks area. The girls learned how to lash and whip the ends of a rope.

After lunch was cooked in the fireplace the girls returned home.

Attending were Brenda Bryant, Joan Wells, Janis Morrison, Nannette Pardue, Trudy Yates, Carol Nichols, Gay Gates, Reba Saunders, Glenna Webb, Judy Doshier and Nancy Williams. They were accompanied by Mrs. Glen Gates, Mrs. James Webb, Mrs. Marshall Yates, Mrs. Elma Nichols and Mrs. H. P. Morrison.

Mrs. Pribyla Hostess April 1 To Tarzan Club

Mrs. Raymond Pribyla was hostess to a meeting of the Tarzan Home Demonstration Club Wednesday, April 1 in her home.

"Etiquette" was the program given by Mrs. L. M. Hearn.

A committee to make plans for family suppers to be held by the club during the summer was appointed. The first get-together is to be held during April. Members of the committee are Mesdames Homer Howard, Sr., Sam Cox and Woody Smith.

Mrs. Bob Cox reported on a district meeting she attended in Odessa.

Refreshments of cookies, cake, coffee, Cokes and fudge were served to Mesdames Sam Cox, Houston Woody, L. M. Hearn, Homer Howard, Sr., Bob Cox, Bob Hazlewood, Joe Glaze, Sammy Yates, A. H. Tate, Van Glazy and Pribyla.

Brownie Troop 245 Me! Thursday

Members of Brownie Scout Troop 245 worked on purses at a meeting Thursday at the home of Mrs. David Workman.

Present were Charlene Bevers, Suzanna Poe, Kathy Workman, Susan Clardy, Eunice Jan Stephenson, Brenda Hightower, Alma Neil Mashburn, Mrs. C. S. Bevers and Mrs. David Workman.

Mr. and Mrs. G. Shain have been visiting in Fort Worth. Mr. Shain took Mrs. Shain to Fort Worth, he returned home and she remained for a week's visit.

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Mrs. Standefer Gives Lesson For RLDS Group

Mrs. Marvin Standefer was in charge of the lesson at a meeting of the Women's Department of the Reorganized Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

"Faith For Our Times" was the program presented.

Present were Mesdames Cecil Schuelke, Gearl Koonce, Carl Leonard, El Saunders, all of Midland; Mesdames M. L. Koonce, Herbert Schuelke, Delmar Hamm, Steve Church and Marvin Standefer.

Personals

Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Phillips were in San Angelo Wednesday on business.

Cecil Bridges has been a surgical patient in a Big Spring hospital.

Jack Scannell visited over the weekend in Fort Davis.

Visitors Saturday with Mr. and Mrs. G. Tunnell were Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Tunnell of Midland, and Sterling Tunnell of Valley View. Mrs. Joe Myers of Knott visited during the week with the Tunnells.

Mr. and Mrs. Leo Turner and Alton Turner have been in Nevada this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Leon Graves and daughters and Cheryl Waits spent Sunday at Lake Thomas.

Mrs. Charlie Cravens returned home Saturday from Duncan, Okla., where she had been visiting with her sister, Mrs. W. H. Kennemer, who underwent surgery. Mrs. Kennemer is reported to be doing well.

Mrs. C. C. Lockridge and Kathy of Ocean View, Calif., are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Dan Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Eckert visited during the weekend in Midland with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James Sims.

Mr. and Mrs. Calvin B. Jones have returned home from a 10-

day trip to Phoenix and Tucson, Arizona. They also went to Guaymas, Old Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. L. O. Hopkins and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Jones have returned home from a week's vacation trip to the Big Bend Park.

Mr. and Mrs. N. L. Heidelberg of Midland visited over the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. Clement Standefer and family and Mr. and Mrs. Alex Haggard and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Hancock visited in Midland over the weekend.

Richard Doggett and Harry McKinney have returned from a fishing trip to Pecos.

Mrs. A. Loving, Mrs. R. L. Glasscock and Mrs. Lu Black were in Andrews Tuesday to attend funeral services for Luther Oland Hale of Kermit and formerly of Andrews. He was Mrs. Loving's nephew and a cousin to Mrs. Glasscock and Mrs. Black. He died Sunday in Winkler County Hospital.

Mrs. Jess Angel visited recently in Midland with her sister, Mrs. Wilma Russell, who recently underwent surgery in Lubbock.

Pam Petree of Kermit is visiting with her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Petree and others.

IT'S THE LAW
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Sovereign Immunity

SOVEREIGN IMMUNITY

How could anybody ever say: "The king can do no wrong?" (When we know of kings who did do wrong.)

The idea looks simple: As absolute law maker, the king could hold himself above his own law. He was under no law and could therefore do no legal wrong.

Anyway, when King George lost the thirteen colonies, the American states took over the doctrine of Sovereign Immunity: Nobody can sue a government agency without the state's permission, when the agency is doing government work. (Of course if the agency is doing "proprietary functions" like street cars or making electricity, it may often be sued much like any other business.)

Thus suppose for lack of due care a private bakery truck should harm your child who had done nothing to bring on the accident. Well then, most likely you could sue the bakery in the child's behalf and collect damages.

But not with government agencies unless the legislature gives you lawful permission.

Thus in the old days, if an army jeep harmed your child, you could collect only if Congress passed a special bill awarding damages.

Recently this doctrine has been attacked: Why shouldn't the government pay like any other organization?

So during the last war the federal government in response to public opinion passed a "tort liability" law. It gives the people much more power to sue than before the last war. And the courts much more often than Congress now set the damages in many kinds of cases.

In Texas, the Legislature by a proper action may permit certain general types of suits to be brought against the state, under various conditions and restrictions. Then, if a specific situation arises which is not covered by the general rules, the legislators are authorized to pass a special measure to permit suit to be brought.

Therefore, any person seeking to enforce a claim against the State of Texas through the courts must petition the Legislature for the necessary permission, unless his claim falls within some general category or type previously recognized by our lawmakers. During each session, the Legislature passes legislation allowing suits to be brought against the state in a variety of cases.

Sometimes, however, suits may be brought against individuals holding office under the State of Texas and acting as agents of the state, but where the state itself is not the principal party to the suit, without first gaining consent to sue. There are num-

PERSONALS

Visitors recently with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Baugh were Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Cupps of Santa Anna. Mr. and Mrs. Stacy Allen of Midland, and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Baugh of Big Spring.

Mrs. Oscar Anderson of Tahoka visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Gilmore.

Recent guests in the home of Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Burton were Mr. and Mrs. U. S. Burton, Gary and Debbie, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Hoover and Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Burton of Sweetwater. They all visited in Roswell, N. M. with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. McGuire. Kayla McGuire returned home with them and spent the week in Lenorah with the B. E. Burtons.

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Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Bevers and Charlene and Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Parrish visited during the weekend in Brownfield with Harold Parrish.

Mrs. Katie Coffman of Vacaville, Calif., has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Viola Parker, and other relatives.

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Midlander Receives Baptist Camp Work

R. B. Hodgson of Midland has received the contract for installation of utilities at the new District 8 encampment of Baptists north of Stanton. The \$50,000 project will include water and sewer lines and facilities, pumps, pressure systems, etc.

The district board and camp development committee Friday decided to proceed with encampment plans at their quarterly meeting in Lamesa. The board amended a previous resolution on financing to give the board latitude in adopting a new finance plan.

An agreement was reached

for issuance of \$108,000 in ABC bonds, reported the Rev. J. William Arnett of Big Spring, district missions secretary. Proceeds will finance buildings.

Camp activities for district boys and girls may have to be arranged on a temporary basis, Mr. Arnett said. When utilities are installed, consideration will be given a series of overnight camps at the new Martin County site. Formerly, the camp was held just south of Big Spring but this facility was disposed of, in favor of the more centrally located site north of Stanton.

Snooter Knows

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who helped with the organization's mailing. The helpers got their hands on letters addressed to "Dear State Mother of 1959" and sent them instead.

The Kansas chairman said she had been the selection chairman for two years "but never again." She informed the public she would be away from home Sunday to miss the deluge of telephone calls.

Jo Ann Jones Honored With Bridal Shower

Jo Ann Jones was honored with a bridal shower at 7:30 p. m. Monday at the home of Mrs. Leon Graves.

Miss Jones is to be married Saturday, April 11 to Gary Cagle of Big Spring.

Hostesses were Mesdames Wallace Sebastian, Henry Pinkerton, Jack Allen, Tommie Foreman, Leonard Langley, Henry Graves, Troy Posey, R. H. Louder, Bob McCurdy, Leon Graves, Ed Hall and Miss Sandra Shipp.

Nancy Graves and Shirley Graves served white cake decorated in pink and fruit punch from a table laid with a lace cloth over pink. Pink napkins with the couple's names engraved in silver completed decorations.

For the occasion the honoree chose a pink embossed taffeta dress and a white carnation corsage.

Mrs. Henry Graves was at the register with 25 persons registering. Out-of-town guests were Mrs. R. W. Cagle of Big Spring, Mrs. Doris Stephenson of Big Spring and Mrs. Thomas of Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Overby and Thelma Lois visited recently in San Saba.

Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Burton were recent guests in Sweetwater.

my shoe to allow my throbbing toe plenty of room.

We are expecting a whole lot from April. In fact, we are relying on the month to send our farmers rain to plant their crops, and enough besides to advance their growth far into the future growing months.

THERE DOESN'T SEEM TO BE any set time of the year one can be safe from the striking power of a tornado. The black demons have been known to strike in a community simultaneously with a blizzard. But records reveal the favorite season in this country for tornadoes is anytime from April through August.

We know that the use of radar in tracking the big, black funnels has helped save thousands of lives in years past. There are other devices being used to help hold the damage of a tornado down too. But, as an old Kansan, who lived for many years in Oklahoma, we still think the safest plan to follow is to read the clouds. Keep your eyes open, and when your judgment tells you it's time to duck, run, and head for the storm cellar—then boy go, go, go!

THE WORD IS OUT THAT Stanton is going to get a real, first rate clean-up. This is one suggestion that has the approval of everybody. The Chamber of Commerce is going to sponsor the drive. Just as soon as the Spring winds lag a little would be a good time to marshal the forces of the city, volunteers, members of the Fire Department, and if need be, every citizen in town to help get Stanton ship-shape once more. It really needs a clean-up.

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Football captains pictured were Kenny Yates, Gilbert Casbeer, John Ray Ory and the coaches Dauphin and Bailey.

Gracie Welch, football sweethearts, and others who were candidates for the honor, LaRue Adkins, Gracie Welch and Joetta Franklin, are pictured. Basketball sweethearts shown are Norman Donelson and Janice Glaze.

Shown in the activities section are pictures of the pep squad, high school band, the marching band, Spanish Club, creative writing club, the high school chorus, the high school paper "The Buffalo Tales," Future Homemakers of America, Future Farmers of America, the Lettermen's Club.

Also shown are students who took part in the distributive education program, school librarians, the slide rule club, the Quarterback club, and pictures depicting various activities during the year.

Pep squad leaders shown are Yvonne Nichols, Carolyn Stone, Joetta Franklin, Cheryl McArthur, LaRue Adkins and the sponsor, Peggy Edgar.

High school band leaders pictured are Bobby Wren, drum major; Marsha Bristow, Linda Saunders, Kay Powell and Diane Turner, majorettes; Cheryl Allgood, mascot; and Carolyn Manning, band sweetheart.

FHA and FFA sweethearts were Norman Donelson and Janice Glaze.

Members of the school board pictured are Tull Ray Louder, Stanley Reid, Lawrence Adkins, W. A. Wheeler, Connie Mack Hood, Roy Pickett and Gene Clements.

A special page is devoted to a message from L. M. Hayes. Also shown are J. M. Yater, elementary principal; Hayes, high school superintendent; and Jimmy Bickley, high school principal.

Teachers who are pictured individually are Corinne C. Cage, Mrs. Homer Schwalbe, Kathryn C. Sensabaugh, Jack Scannell, Peggy Edgar, Harlin Dauphin, John Bailey, Jimmy Bickley, Jimmy Smith, Jim Read, Mrs. Betty Johnson, Mrs. Florene King, Travis Scott, Jack Gray, and Mrs. John Wood.

There are also individual pictures of members of each class. In the senior section, favorites pictured are Carolyn Stone and Jimmy Miller. Senior officers are Leon Mattingley, president; Kenny Yates, vice president; Carolyn Stone, secretary; Anita Ringener, treasurer; and Lendon Hightower, reporter. Sponsors shown are Mrs. Betty Johnson and Jim Read.

Junior favorites pictured are Sandra Sale and Darrell Hamby. Class officers are Porky Britton, president; Jerry Baugh, vice president; Buzzy Brewer, secretary; Donna Swanson, treasurer; Don Pollock, sergeant-at-arms; John Bailey and Jimmy Smith, sponsors.

Avril Fincher and Carolyn Manning are shown as sophomore favorites. Officers pictured are Arnold Fincher, president; Sandra Powell, vice president; Nancy Johnson, secretary; Fran Britton, reporter; Judy Britton, treasurer; Kenneth Hale, sergeant-at-arms, and Mrs. Homer Schwalbe, Travis Scott, sponsors.

Mrs. Reynolds Hostess To Bonoth Class

Mrs. Clayton Reynolds was hostess to a meeting of the Baptist Bonoth Sunday School Class Tuesday, March 31 at her home. Co-hostess was Mrs. T. R. Louder.

Mrs. Ivan White gave the devotional.

Present were Mesdames Clyde White, Philip White, C. S. Bevers, Jr., T. R. Louder, Ivan White, Claude Nowlin, Clayton Reynolds and D. E. Ory.

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meet for high school and elementary students will be April 9 at Howard County Junior College.

Earlier the one act play contest was held at Roby and Stanton won second place. First place went to Roby. Two of the cast were named to the district all star cast. They were Carl Ray Reynolds and Carl Wright.

Also taking part in the play were Richard Supulver, Jimmy Hamilton, Freddy Martin, Marianne Warington, Dorothy Hull, Sharon and Sandra Sale and Leon Mattingley.

In the elementary meet Saturday the schools and their points were Coahoma 112 and Rotan 34.

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After the banquet the group attended a midnight movie and went bowling. The junior class was then entertained with a breakfast at the Stanley Reid home. Helping with the breakfast were Mrs. Owen Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Mott, Mrs. Eugene Baugh, Mrs. C. D. Robertson and the Reids.

Freshman favorites shown are Marsha Bristow and Robert Turner. Officers are Brenda George, president; Sheri Maddox, vice president; Sandra Kelly, secretary; Janice Sims, reporter; Jim Sale, sergeant-at-arms; Mrs. Corine Cage, Harlin Dauphin, sponsors.

Student Council representatives and officers are also pictured. Officers were Jim Hamilton, president; Carl Wright, vice president; Stina Tucker, secretary-treasurer; Becky Smith, reporter and J. Bickley, sponsor.

Individual pictures of elementary and junior high students are also pictured. Also shown are pictures of the junior high band, girls and boys basketball teams, junior high football team, junior high pep leaders and twirlers.

Elementary teachers shown are Mrs. Maude Echols, Mrs. Bonnie Sorley, Mrs. Louise Graves, Floyd Sorley, Jack Scannell, C. S. Harris, Mrs. Gussie Epley, Patsy Swope, Mrs. Bethany Barbee, Mrs. Evelyn Lankford, Genevera Middleton, Mrs. Zelma Berry, Mrs. Obara Gray, Mrs. H. H. Deck, Mrs. Helen Duke, Mrs. L. M. Hayes, and Shirley Hopewell.

An advertising section concludes the book.

Cancer - - -

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guests. Each of the four guests in turn will serve as hostess to a coffee and will invite three guests to her coffee. It will continue until the coffees have ended.

On Tuesday, April 14, a coffee will be held at Brantley's, with all proceeds going to the drive. Workers will begin serving coffee before 8 a. m. so businessmen on their way to work can have coffee then. It will continue all day.

Tentative plans call for high school students to present a one act play "Command Performance" to help raise funds for the campaign. Also at that time, the junior high band will play under the direction of Jack Gray. Jack Scannell will direct the play. The one-act play was presented in district competition recently at Roby and won second place. The time of the program will be announced next week.

At the coffee Monday each chairman and her co-chairmen will receive Cancer Crusade kits and instructions. Each home in Stanton is to be contacted for donations and to place educational material concerning cancer in the home.

Chairmen and co-chairmen include Mrs. Sidney Supulver, chairman; Mrs. Glenn Brown, Mrs. Edmund Tom, co-chairmen; Mrs. H. C. Burnam, chairman; Mrs. Inez Woody, co-chairman; Mrs. C. E. Bentley, chairman; Mrs. R. P. Odum, co-chairman; Mrs. John Roueche, chairman; Mrs. Stanley Reid, co-chairman; Mrs. David Workman, chairman; Mrs. Alton Turner, Mrs. Joy Morgan, Mrs. Jess Woody, co-chairmen, and Mrs. James Webb, chairman.

Other chairmen include Mrs. Gib Madison, Lenorah; Mrs. Owen Kelly, Courtney; Mrs. Houston Woody, Tarzan; Mrs. Claude Miller, chairman for Flower Grove. Mrs. Miller's co-chairmen are Mrs. Gloria Davis and Mrs. Zula Deatherage.

Sections which chairmen will be in charge of are Mrs. Supulver—Begin at Highway 80, North of Mason Street, East to Beaugard Street, West through St. Joseph; Mrs. Burnam, North to Mason Street, South of Highway 80, East to St. Joseph and West to College Avenue; Mrs. Bentley

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tion 19, block 39, T-2-N, G&M-MB&A survey.

Texas No. 165-A Mabee will be drilled 660 feet from north and 1,980 feet from east lines of section 39, block 39, T-2-N, G&M-MB&A survey.

Each of the projects will be dug to 4,900 feet.

Huskey Oil Company and Pano Tech Exploration Corporation No. 4 F. D. Breedlove, project in the Breedlove (Devonian) field area in Northwest Martin County, was digging below 2,025 feet in lime and shale.

Scheduled for a 12,200-foot bottom, it is 6,109 feet from east and 1,600 feet from north lines of labor 93, league 258, Briscoe County School Land survey.

—South through Mason Street, North through Fifth Street, West through St. Francis Street, East through St. Paul.

Also Mrs. Roueche—North through Fifth Street, South to Carpenter Street, West through St. Joseph, East to St. Mary; Mrs. Workman—South to Highway 80, North through Wheeler Street, East through College Avenue, and West to Lamesa Highway; and Mrs. Webb, West of Lamesa Highway.

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pointed the following to the parks and recreation committee; Paige Elland, Mrs. Bob Cox, Mrs. Inez Woody, Jiggs Hall, Mrs. James Manning, Mrs. Philip White, Mrs. Doris Stephenson, P. M. Bristow, Stanley Reid, Elmer Long and Cliff Hazlewood, Sr.

Projects for each committee to work on during the year have also been outlined.

Mrs. Robert White returned home Sunday from Medical Arts Hospital, Big Spring.

Stanton Club Met On April 1

A meeting of the Stanton Home Demonstration Club was held Wednesday, April 1 in the county agent's office.

A program on etiquette was presented. Roll call was answered with "My Pet Peeve on Table Manners."

Members discussed the Cancer Crusade which is to be held during April and voted to assist the drive.

Eleven members were present.

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MILK 45c
BANANAS . . lb. 12 1/2c
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CUCUMBERS . lb. 12 1/2c
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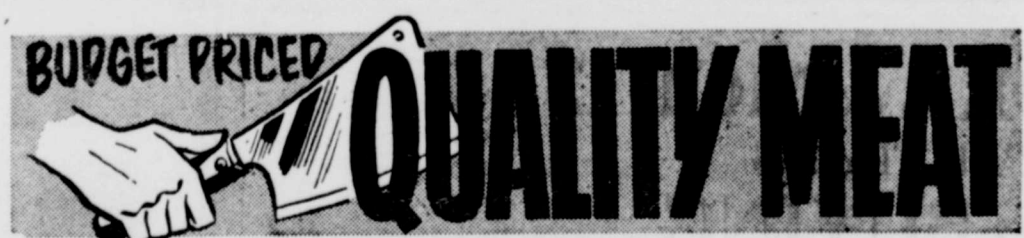
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WATCH OUR WINDOWS FOR WEDNESDAY SPECIALS

April 15 Final Day To Secure Car Inspections

Captain R. M. Hammett of the Motor Vehicle Inspection Service, Texas Department of Public Safety, advised motorists today that only 28% of the 469,911 vehicles registered in the 49 county Midland Region have been inspected and approved for the 1959 inspection period. Deadline for securing the new inspection stickers is April 15, 1959. As in previous years, it appears many drivers will be in for a long wait to get their vehicles checked. At the present time, most inspection stations are busy, but not rushed.

Of the 3,425 vehicles registered in Martin County, only 1,145 have been inspected, and issued an approval sticker for the 1959 inspection period by the four inspection stations in the county. Captain Hammett reminded motorists that the law prohibits inspections during inclement weather, thereby reducing the time for inspections. There will be no extension of time to have a vehicle inspected. Passenger cars are inspected for headlights, taillamps, stop lamps, reflectors, horn, and windshield wipers. Commercial vehicles are inspected for the above plus

other requirements as provided by law. Anyone operating a motor vehicle after April 15, 1959 without displaying a 1959 inspection sticker will be operating in violation of the law and subject to a fine not to exceed \$200.00.

House-Barbee Wedding Date Is Announced

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. House of Stanton announce the approaching marriage of their daughter, Frances Jean, to Raymond Darrell Barbee of Midland.

Barbee is the son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Barbee of Route 1, Big Spring. He is employed with the U. S. Post Office in Midland. The wedding will be held May 8 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Wayne Wise, 2903 Delano, Midland.

Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Stone and children of Iraan are visiting with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Coggin.

WCSA Has Yearbook Study At Monday Meet

"Helping to Understand World Organization" was the yearbook program presented at a meeting of both circles of Women's Society of Christian Service Monday at the First Methodist Church.

Mrs. Marshall Johnson gave the devotional and call to worship. The scripture was read by Mrs. Kenneth Henson.

Also taking part on the program were Mrs. Bill Wheeler, "A New World With A New Meaning"; Mrs. June Graham, "Christian Cooperation On A World Level"; Mrs. Bob Cox, "Cooperation at the National and International Level"; Mrs. Marshall Johnson, "What Churches Can Do To Help This Growth of the Cooperation of Churches." To conclude the program Mrs. June Graham explained the worship center which was "Stepping Stones to a Christian World."

Present were Ima Kelly, Lela Hamilton, Mesdames Edmund Morrow, Kenneth Henson, Bill Wheeler, Marshall Johnson, June Graham, W. H. Kirby, James Biggs, Roy Pickett, B. F. Smith, John Poe, Jess Burns, Ray Simpson, Bob Cox and Calvin B. Jones.

Bridal Shower Held Friday In Sorrells Home

Mrs. Darrell Ringener and Mrs. James Edward Williamson were honored with a bridal shower Friday, April 3 at the home of Mrs. N. I. Sorrells.

Mrs. Ringener was the former Mary Ann Knight of Brownwood and formerly of Stanton before her recent marriage.

Mrs. Williamson was the former Carolyn Ringener before her recent marriage.

Eight women served as hostesses. Sandra Shipp served punch and a white cake decorated in pink. A lace cloth covered the table which was centered with an arrangement of spring flowers.

Twenty persons attended. Morris Crittenden of Big Spring visited Saturday with his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Shipp.

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FLOWER GROVE NEWS

By MRS. C. A. WEBB

Approximately 30 persons attended church at Bethel Church Sunday, April 5. Sixteen attended night services. On April 12 the spring revival begins at the church. Rev. Mayo Carpenter of Midland will be the speaker. Everyone is invited to attend.

Rev. and Mrs. Bob Stokes were honored with a bridal shower at Bethel Church Thursday evening, April 2. Refreshments of cookies and punch were served from a table covered with a lace cloth. Gordene Froman and Penelope Butcher served. Hostesses were Mesdames Murray Cook, J. G. Butcher, Jimmie Mayes and Walter Froman.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Burns and Linda attended a family reunion recently in Hobbs. They reported a good time. Thirty-one persons attended the picnic style dinner.

Mr. and Mrs. John Webb, Jr. and son of Big Spring visited recently with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Webb, Sr. and sons. Mrs. Webb and son spent several days with the Webbs.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Cook and children of Littlefield visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Webb and baby.

Among those who went to the Thomas Lake Sunday from this community were Mr. and Mrs. Burt Oaks and children, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. King, Mr. and Mrs. Murray Cook, Mrs. G. F. Cook, Mr. and Mrs. B. Foster and baby, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Butcher and Penelope and Pat Grigg.

Robert and Debbie Hildreth of Lenora spent the weekend with their uncle and aunt, Rev. and

Mrs. Bob Stokes. Their parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hildreth, Jr. came after them Sunday afternoon and visited with the Stokes.

Sunday visitors with the O. T. Caughmans were Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Caughman of Big Spring and Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stallo and children of Merkel.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Berger and children visited recently with Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Berger and children in Seminole.

Mr. and Mrs. Bennie Burton of Lenora visited Sunday in the community.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Poe of Midland visited Sunday with his mother, Mrs. D. L. Langham. They also visited in the C. A. Webb home. Other visitors in the Langham home were Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Hammett and Mr. and Mrs. Ervan Ray of Lamesa.

Mrs. W. C. Landreth and sons, Gary and Rodney, of Odessa visited last week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Webb.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Webb were in Big Spring Thursday on business. They also visited her brother, W. H. McCright, who is a patient in the Veterans Hospital.

Mrs. Elmer Turnbow of Sparenberg, a sister of Mrs. Kenneth Langham, is in a Lamesa hospital. She is in a critical condition.

SHS Students To Enter Regional Meet On April 25

Four Stanton High School students are to enter the Region One Interscholastic League meet April 25 at Texas Tech in Lubbock.

Jimmy Hamilton and Marsha Bristow will make up a debate team. Other entries are to be Carl Wright, extemporaneous speaking; Jimmy Hamilton, number sense; and Stina Tucker, shorthand.

Jack Scannell is to accompany the group to Lubbock.

Jaycees To Elect New Officers

Stanton Jaycees are to meet Monday, April 13 at the chamber of commerce office to elect new officers.

The meeting will begin at 7:30 p. m.

Jaycees had scheduled a meeting Tuesday to select new leaders, but the meeting was postponed.

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Stanton School Menu

Monday, April 13 —
Friday, April 17

Monday—Hot dogs with chili on buns, potato salad, ginger bread, milk.

Tuesday—Sheppard pie, vegetable salad, spinach, corn bread, milk, butter, apple cobbler.

Wednesday—Pork and noodles, green beans, hot rolls, butter, milk, Jello with apple sauce.

Thursday—Hamburgers and trimmings, potato chips, cookies, milk.

Friday—Fish fillet, celery sticks, hominy, hot rolls, butter, milk, grapefruit sections.

Busy Little Ladies Club Met Tuesday

A meeting of the Busy Little Ladies 4-H Club was held Tuesday at the county agent's office.

Girls worked on boules.

Present were Leta Johnson, Mary Alice Houston, Patty Turner, and Mrs. Paige Eiland.

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Income Tax Deadline Near

It's later than you think — only seven days left to file your federal income tax return for 1958.

Deadline for filing is April 15. Russell G. Bell, administrative officer of the Midland Internal Revenue Service office, has issued that friendly reminder.

"Commissioner Dana Latham has requested me to inform all Midland area taxpayers who have not filed yet of the services we can provide to help them get their returns in before the April 15 deadline," Bell said.

The most convenient aid is the telephone-assistance service especially designed for taxpayers who find it difficult to visit the district office. Taxpayers who have started their returns and are puzzled by a problem or two may dial MU 2-0558, Midland, between the hours of 8:30 a. m. and 12:30 p. m. on Mondays, Bell said.

Persons who need additional help may visit the office in the West Building, 401 North Colorado Street, during the same hours.

Flower Grove HD Club Met In Kilgore Home

A meeting of the Flower Grove Home Demonstration Club was held Thursday at the home of Mrs. Ruth Kilgore.

Mrs. Glendora Everett presented the program on "Etiquette."

Present were Mesdames Zula Deatherage, Gloria Davis, Helen Dennis, Pet Holcombe, Glendora Everett and Alice Richards.

Horace Bradshaw of Lubbock visited during the weekend with Mr. and Mrs. F. W. Henson.

Shower Honors Mrs. Stokes

A bridal shower was held recently in the home of Mrs. B. E. Burton in honor of Mrs. Bob Stokes of Bethel, near Flower Grove.

Mrs. Stokes was the former Juanita Anderson of Lenora before her recent marriage.

White cake and green punch were served to ten guests and five children.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Stroup and son of Big Spring visited Sunday with the Phil Berries and the H. L. Shipp.

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Cotton - - -

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weeds. The cotton was knifed, cultivated and hoed twice. A close check was kept on the five acres from the time the cotton merged until the crop was set for insects. Craig reported that more beneficial insects were present throughout the growing season than were harmful ones so no insecticides were needed.

Rains which were timely and adequate insured a favorable harvest. Five bales were picked from the five acres the first time over. For the entire crop, the staple length was 32/32nd to an inch and all graded middling. The seed paid for the ginning.

Young Beckmeyer has served as an officer in his local club for five years, three as president and as reporter and vice chairman of the county organization. He has attended State 4-H Roundup and holds county awards in soil and water conservation, field crops and both county and district awards in meat animal production and boys agricultural program. He is a Gold Star boy and is active in church, school and community affairs including service as chairman of his community improvement group.


"There is something in 4-H club work for every boy and girl," Beckmeyer said in his narrative. "For some it is the production demonstration; others prefer the competition that is offered while others like the leadership and over all character building activities of the organization. I like them all and have received a great deal of benefit from my 4-H work. It has helped me overcome some traits which I had developed and brought me new friends from over the State. Too, I have learned that cooperation and team work are a must. I've had a lot of help and appreciate what my parents, leaders, extension agents and others have done for me."

Beckmeyer says he is looking forward to another good year but admits "it's a little on the dry side right now."


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TOMATOES	lb.	19c
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