

NOW, MOVING RAPIDLY TO make its appearance over the horizon August 31, is the date for the 1959-60 term of the school system of the Stanton Independent School District. This reminds me of my school days attending rural school. It's school term was three months in the year. The ruling factor in my school attendance days was the peach limb that hung on the wall behind the teacher's desk. I had this peach limb administered to my anatomy on many occasions. Some of the occasions I felt the sting of the switch when I was not guilty of the offense, but I was caught in bad company and my guilt was so flagrant and my oath among my comrades was never to squeal on a fellow comrade, no matter what the penalty might be.

If I was licked at school I dare not "cheep" it to my father. He had informed me he would apply another whipping to the one the teacher gave me. And the aftermath of Dad's whippings was a welt arose behind every stroke of the switch.

Today, as I look back on the whippings I got at school, all of them were justified, only possibly in a case or two. Nowadays, in our schools, the application of the switch as a means of controlling the discipline, is about (Continued on page 4)



**KELLY AND JONES**—Editor James Edwin Kelly, Stanton Reporter, is pictured with Don Jones, Abernathy, selected by the West Texas Press Association to receive its annual Scholarship award. Young Jones picked up some good advice on newspapering from Kelly, who is the oldest working editor in Texas. The photo was made at the annual West Texas Press Association meeting held in Big Spring Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

## The Stanton Reporter Cited At Press Meet

### 4-H Girls To Sponsor Food Show Friday

A food show will be held at the Cap Rock Electric building Friday by the 4-H Club girls.

Mrs. Mildred Eiland, home demonstration agent, announces that Mrs. Sally Farrell, home demonstration agent of Kermit, and Pauline McWilliams, home demonstration agent of Midland, will judge the show.

The gold star contestants will also be judged by Mrs. Farrell and Miss McWilliams. They will visit the gold star contestants in their homes.

### 4-H Clubbers To Hold Cookout On August 24

Members of the Do and Learn 4-H Club met Monday in the home of Mrs. O. Robertson and made plans for a cookout and slumber party August 24.

Present at the meeting were Carol Ann Tridyla, Mary Ellen Tridyla, Marva Cox, Dena Robertson, Anita Woody and Sandra Pugh.

A meeting was also held by the group August 3 in the home of Mrs. Robertson. At this meeting, the girls worked on their record books. Mrs. Mildred Eiland also was present.

### First Meeting Stanton P-TA On Sept. 8

The first P-TA meeting will be held at 7 p. m. September 8 at the high school football stadium. The purpose of the meeting will be to introduce the teachers.

An ice cream supper will be included with the "family night." Following the supper, a short business meeting will be held to introduce recommendations for the P-TA.

Mrs. Dwan Henson urges all parents to attend.

The Stanton Reporter was one of four top newspapers award winners at the West Texas Press Association convention held in Big Spring last Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

The Reporter has placed high twice in the last three years. In 1957, the local newspaper won the first place award in General Excellence when the annual convention was held in Lubbock. The Reporter was not eligible to enter this contest in 1958 because a first place winner cannot repeat.

The State Line Tribune, Farwell, Texas, owned and published by W. H. (Sonny) Graham was awarded first place for excellence at the Big Spring convention and The Stanton Reporter placed second. The Friona Star took third place and The Matador Tribune won (Continued on page 4)

## Gibson Wins Stanton Sand Greens Tourney

H. D. Gibson, sweet swinging golfer from Goldsmith won the West Texas Sand Greens Championship Golf Tournament here Sunday.

Gibson won the first tournament held here five years ago and copped first place again this year.

Yuell Winslow, local champion, lacked but one stroke of catching the Goldsmith clubber. Gibson recorded a 27-hole medal score of 104. He put together rounds of 35, 34 and 35 to lead Winslow, a former champ, by one stroke.

Winslow got around the first nine in 37 strokes and then put together two 34's for his aggregate of 105.

Bernard Rains of Big Spring won third place and James Lee

Underwood, also of Big Spring took fourth place while Houston Woody, Stanton finished fifth.

Each player's score in regular play:

Bernard Rains — 34-36-36 — 106.

James Lee Underwood—38-32-36—106.

Houston Woody — 34-35-37—106.

Gibson won a set of woods as a result of his title sweep and shared another set with Woody for having split the medalist's prize. Rains' prize was an umbrella while Underwood returned home with a dozen golf balls.

Winslow earned a golf bag.

Joe Connally and R. S. (Red) McCullah, both of Big Spring, both rated the championship flight. Connally finished nine

strokes off the pace, with a 113, while McCullah quit on the 22nd hole.

Results in other flights:

**First Flight**  
Dwan Henson, Stanton, winner; Walter Sneed, Midland, runnerup. Other finalists were T. C. Housewright, Texon; and Alton Underwood, Big Spring.

**First Flight Consolation**  
Ronnie Gilbreath, Stanton, winner; Jay Sherrard, Andrews, runnerup. Other finalists were Rufus Tom, Stanton; and James Biggs, Stanton.

**Second Flight**  
Bud Pickett, Big Spring, winner; N. L. Patterson, Big Spring, runnerup. Other finalists were C. W. Fisher, Big Spring; and Ted Shaw, Midland.

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## Flower Grove School Will Open Aug. 31

The Flower Grove Independent School will open at 8:30 a. m. August 31. School will be dismissed at 3:30 p. m. Buses will make their regular runs and parents and patrons of the school are invited to attend the opening day festivities.

A general assembly will be held in the school auditorium at 8:30 a. m. A barbecue dinner will be served in the lunchroom between 11 a. m. and 1 p. m.

T. J. O'Connell, superintendent of the schools, urges all high school students to register during the week of August 24 to 28. The superintendents office will be for registration between 9 a. m. and 4 p. m. If any high school students should be unable to register during that time, he should notify O'Connell.

Patrons of the schools will be glad to know that improvements made during the Summer did not necessitate a tax raise or an increase in property valuation.

## Midland Man Stanton Lions Club Speaker

The Lions Club met Tuesday in the Belvue Restaurant to hear a talk given by Ken Keeler, past president of the Lions Club of Midland. Plans were also made for the Teachers Appreciation Night.

Seventeen members were present at the meeting and one visitor, Don Tergerson, president of the South Side Lions Club of Midland. Tergerson is also a member of the Lions Club cabinet.

The meeting was presided over by Paige Eiland, president of the Stanton Club and Cecil Bridges was in charge of the program. Keeler spoke on "Lion Club Goal For 1959-60."

August 28 is the date set for the Teachers Appreciation Night. It will be held at 7:30 p. m. in the new high school cafeteria and people who attend should bring a covered dish. According to Harvey White, secretary-treasurer of the Lions Club, all citizens of Stanton are invited to attend and meet the new teachers.

Members of the program committee for the Teacher Appreciation are John Wood, Eilmore Johnson and O. B. Bryan. On the food committee are Wood, Ernest Hook and Bridges.

Music was led at the meeting by Hook and Mrs. John Wood.

## Forecast Places 1959 Cotton Yield At 14,815,000 Bales

The Agriculture Department's first forecast of the year Monday put the cotton crop at 14,815,000 bales.

This is 3,303,000 bales more than last year's crop of 11,512,000 bales. It compares also with the 10-year (1948-57) average of 14,048,000 bales.

The Texas crop was estimated at 4,750,000 bales, an average of 362 pounds per acre planted.

Cotton is being grown under a new federal program designed to open up broader markets by lowering price supports — and hence market prices — to growers. It permitted growers to overplant acreage allotments to accept lower price guarantees.

This year's crop will be supplemented by a reserve and carryover of about 8,800,000 bales from past crops. Most of this is held by the government under price support operations.

Monday's report estimated the acreage to be harvested this year at 14,991,000 acres, compared with 11,849,000 last year and 21,076,000 for the 10-year average.

The yield of cotton per harvested acre was forecast at 474 pounds, compared with 466

pounds last year and 329 for the 10-year average.

The production of American-Egyptian — type-long staple — cotton was forecast at 71,800 bales, compared with 83,600 last year and 49,100 for the 10-year average.

The production estimate by states included: Oklahoma 395,000 bales, New Mexico, 330,000 and California 1,890,000.

The Texas production estimate of 4,750,000 bales would be an increase of 400,000 bales from last season's harvest.

The prediction compares with the 10-year average of 3,937,000 (Continued on page 4)

## Consolidation Election Set For Monday Aug. 17

Monday is the day that Stanton and Courtney will decide whether or not the schools will be consolidated. If the schools should consolidate, the Courtney elementary students will attend school in Courtney and the high school students would come to Stanton.

According to L. M. Hayes, superintendent of the Stanton schools, a consolidation will provide the Courtney students with the same privileges offered

the Stanton students, such as a band and an improved science program. Courtney will be represented on the school board and an effort will be made to equalize farm taxes.

Such a consolidation will cut expenses and make a better educational program because there will be fewer expenses, says Connie Mack Hood, president of the Stanton School Board.

The Stanton schools will be opened August 31.

## Hull Reunion Held August 2

Sixty-two relatives and friends of the late Mr. and Mrs. S. L. Hull were present at the annual Hull reunion which was at the American Legion Hall August 2.

Children of the late couple who were present at the reunion were Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Hull of Phoenix, Ariz.; Mr. and Mrs. D. Hull and family of Stamford, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Hull of Lamesa, Mrs. J. L. Ball of Coahoma.

Mrs. Floyd Hull and Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hull also of Coahoma. Mr. and Mrs. Leon Hull of Courtney, Mrs. Lillian Franklin of Midland and Mrs. Edna Davidson.

The Reunion is held the first Sunday in August of every year.

## Blocker Wins At Lovington

Chris Blocker, Texas Tech amateur from Jal, fired a 63 at Lovington Country Club Sunday to win the 1959 New Mexico Open golf title with a 196, 14-under par, and several strokes ahead of the field.

Blocker is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George Blocker, formerly of Stanton, and grandson of John Blocker of this city.

Blocker captured the winning pro-am team that had a 55 best ball. Other members were Art Gatts of Hobbs, Bill Tolle of Artesia and M. C. Scott of Lovington.

## Texas Tech Coach Stanton Visitor

Coach Aubrey (Red) Phillips, former All-Border Conference center, and member of the Texas Tech coaching staff, was a Stanton visitor Tuesday morning.

Coach Phillips and Neal Estes, Jr., son of the managing editor of The Stanton Reporter, left Stanton together for Lubbock Tuesday afternoon.

Young Estes is a 1959 honor graduate of Commerce High School, and was included on the district and regional all-star teams in the North Texas area. He played quarterback for the Commerce Tigers three years and was also president of the (Continued on page 4)

## Overby Reunion Held Sunday At Buffalo Gap

The O. V. Overby annual reunion was held August 1 and 2 in the Buffalo Gap Park near Abilene.

Fourteen of the fifteen children were present at the gathering. Four of the five living generations were there.

Eighteen different families were represented at the reunion. They were Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Overby of Valley View Community, Bernice Overby and Mr. and Mrs. B. E. Burton of Lenora, Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Overby, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Overby, Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Overby of Abernathy, Mr. and Mrs. Louis Overby, Mr. and Mrs. Monroe Curry and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Curry, all of Ballinger.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Gamel and Mr. and Mrs. Carroll Overby of Midland, Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Bradshaw of Tulla, Mrs. Alice Bradshaw and Mr. Mrs. Bobby Cambell of Big Spring, Mr. and Mrs. Finos Bradshaw of Ovalo and Mr. and Mrs. Carl D. Bradshaw of Abilene.

Seventy-three were present for the reunion dinner on Sunday.

## Annual Courtney Reunion Slated For August 23

The third annual homecoming of the Courtney School and Baptist Church will be held August 23. The program will begin at the church with the 11 a. m. message.

According to Mrs. Finley Rhodes, president of this year's homecoming, those that desire may bring a basket lunch and at 2 p. m. ex-teachers, school mates and old friends will meet at the school to reminisce and renew old acquaintances.

Those living in this vicinity may not receive a special card, but let this be your invitation, says Mrs. Rhodes. "Encourage your friends and be present for a good fellowship gettogether."

## Local Laundry Sets Open House

Hightower's Laundry has slated an open house for Saturday, August 15, at their business place located at 203 West Broadway.

Mr. and Mrs. Prentiss Hightower have extended an invitation to the public to be their guests at the opening which will give the people an opportunity to view their new addition to the plant and to inspect the coin operated washing machines which have been installed.

Mrs. Hightower stated that a free load of washing would be made available free to those desiring it during the Saturday open house.

The laundry will open at 6 a. m. and be open until 10 p. m. Saturday night, Mrs. Hightower said.

An advertisement concerning the opening will be found elsewhere in The Stanton Reporter.

## Boles Speaks To Rotarians

Rotarian Stanley Winesler presided at the regular Wednesday luncheon meeting of Stanton Rotary Club and introduced C. C. Boles, who spoke on "Tax Valuations and Appraisals."

At the assembly, Martin Gibson offered the invocation and Arthur Wilson introduced the guests and visiting Rotarians.

Seven guests were present from Midland. They included Charles A. Biggs, J. Ross Bozeman, C. C. Boles, Benton Howell, Harold E. Pernod, L. Roy Prescott, and R. O. Smith. Guests present from Stanton included Harvey White, Norman Blocker and Jim McCoy.

Y. T. McReynolds, an out-of-district visitor to the club meeting from Vernon was also present. McReynolds is District Fieldman for ASC.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hall and their children visited with Mr. and Mrs. Morgan Hall for the week. They left Wednesday for central Texas to visit with her parents.

## Pre-School Clinic Dates Announced

Mrs. Stanley Reid, health chairman of the Stanton P-TA, announces that a pre-school clinic will be conducted for children entering the first grade on Friday after registration.

The children will have an eye and ear checkup at the school and then will be taken to the hospital for an examination. Those who haven't received their small pox or polio vaccinations may do so at that time.

The examination will be conducted by Dr. Leland Nelson and Dr. F. L. Harmon.

## City Purchases New Motor Grader

The City of Stanton now owns a new motor grader that will compare favorably to the best used in towns the size of the Martin County seat.

The new grader is a number 503 Gallon and has long been accepted as a top piece of road grading equipment.

M. H. White advised the newspaper of the purchase of the grader this week, and with this additional equipment, the streets of Stanton can be materially improved both from a standpoint of appearance and driving comfort.

## 74 Present For Houston Family Meet Saturday

A family reunion of the descendants of the late Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Houston was held Saturday at the Stanton City Park with 74 attending.

Johnny's Barbecue of Midland catered for the affair.

Children and relatives of Mr. and Mrs. Houston who were present at the reunion were from Dallas, Cleburne, San Antonio, Oklahoma City, Odessa, Big Spring, Lubbock and Morton.

## Stanton Couple Feted At Wedding Anniversary Tea

A golden anniversary tea honoring Mr. and Mrs. James Lewis Reynolds of Stanton was given by the couple's children recently in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Donald J. Tarbett, 1006 Canyon Drive, Midland.

An estimated 150 relatives and friends gathered to honor the couple who was married in 1909 in Rannels County, Mr. and Mrs. Reynolds resided near Abilene until 1928 when they moved to Martin County and were engaged in farming.

Guests at the tea were received by the children: Elvin Reynolds of Lubbock; Clayton and Ernest Reynolds of Stanton; Mrs. Rayford Hurley of Midland, Elbert Dow Reynolds of Tacoma Wash., E. M. Reynolds of Phoenix, Ariz., Mrs. Tarbett and Mrs. H. T. Francis of Andrews.

Assisting in the houseparty were Mrs. Elvin Reynolds, Mrs. Clayton Reynolds, Mrs. Ernest Reynolds, Mrs. Elbert Dow Reynolds, Mrs. E. M. Reynolds, Rayford Hurley and Tarbett. Also (Continued on page 4)



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**Uncle Sam Has Good News For 4,000 Taxpayers In District**

Believe it or not, the U. S. Internal Revenue Service is looking for 4,000 taxpayers in the Dallas District with some good news for them.

Uncle Sam, in the form of the Dallas District of Internal Revenue Service, has thousands of dollars in the form of refund checks which rightfully belongs to Dallas District taxpayers.

These are checks left over from the recent filing period. The checks, ranging from \$1.00 to \$4,000.00 have been returned in the mail for lack of proper address.

Ellis Campbell, Jr. Director of the Dallas District, announced the figures today in kicking off "Operation Remail."

He said a group of his employees have been searching telephone directories, contacting employers and attempting through other sources to find the correct addresses of the taxpayers to whom the refunds are due.

Now Director Campbell is asking taxpayers to do themselves and his office a favor. In an appeal to readers of this newspaper, he said:

"If you are entitled to a refund check on the tax return you filed this year and have not received a letter from the Internal Revenue Service advising you that your return is being

examined, then write me at 2101 Pacific Avenue, Dallas 1, Texas, or call RI 8-5811, Ext. 2572."

"When writing or calling, a taxpayer should state his or her name and address exactly as it appears on his or her return," Mr. Campbell said.

"Your social security number and the amount of the refund also will be helpful," he said. "Of course don't forget to give us your new address."

**129 Candidates For MA Degrees At Sul Ross**

Sul Ross State College officials have announced that a total of 129 candidates have met the requirements for the Bachelor or the Master Degree.

Betty H. Johnson will be among those from the Stanton area receiving a Master of Arts degree.

Visiting with her grandparents is Sherry Kay Burnam, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Burnam, Jr. Her grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Burnam returned from Iran with their granddaughter over the weekend.

**I Give You Texas**

By BOYCE HOUSE

That interest in O. Henry is still keen, nearly 50 years after his death, is shown by the fact that the two copies of his latest biography in the Austin Public Library were taken out 38 times in 1958. The book is Gerald Langford's "Alias O. Henry." The fact that O. Henry lived in Austin as a young man and the further fact that the biographer is a member of the faculty of the University of Texas may have given the book an appeal greater than in other cities but, allowing for these factors, it is evident that many people find the life story of the short story writer of real interest.

There have been many surmises as to the origin of William Sidney Porter's nom de plume. The one often encountered is that it was derived

from the name of an official in the prison where Porter served a term for embezzlement—a charge of which many believe he was not guilty. But Porter linked his name and the pseudonym, O. Henry, in an inscription in an Austin album in 1886, which was long before his tragedy.

When I went to Eastland in the summer of 1921, a predecessor as editor of the Daily Oil Bel News had been Hec. A. McEachin (pronounced, approximately, "Mc Cann") and some of the publicity articles and publications still came addressed to him as the editor.

It was not until years later that I learned that he had been connected with O. Henry's magazine, the "Rolling Stone."

The publication announced that H. A. McEachin was "associated in the business and management of this paper." The association was brief for, only four issues later, the career of the paper came to an end.

I met McEachin only one time and that was when he paid a short visit to the Oil Belt News office along about 1923. I recall him as heavy-set and as smoking a pipe. Had I known then that he had been O. Henry's companion, he would have been plied with questions. McEachin, being a newspaperman, doubtless could have told much more than did the untrained observers of O. Henry's Austin days. So far as I know, McEachin never wrote down his impressions and experiences and so the information is lost.

**Martin County Philosopher Has Novel Idea Of What To Show Khrushchev On Visit To U. S.**

Editor's note: Martin County Philosopher on his Martin County grass farm on Mustang Draw has gotten wind of Premier Khrushchev's visit to the United States, his letter this week reveals.

Dear editor:

Right now, me and Washington are doing a lot of thinking and planning about the forthcoming visit of Premier Khrushchev, the Russian dictator, but we're thinking and planning in exactly opposite directions.

Here's the situation: Khrushchev has never visited the United States before, all he knows about the country is what he's heard, and he's heard that from his fellow-Russian propagandists who are notorious for telling about how down-trodden we are over here, how half the country is starving, and all the wealth is owned by two or three families.

And a bunch of Washington thinkers are getting ready to open his eyes.

For example, Khrushchev says he wants to visit an American farm. What will the Washington experts do? They'll pick out a big, modern farm, owned by a man who's probably a bank director or a grain dealer on the side and has the last word in equipment, and Khrushchev will look it over and go back home and tell his slaves, all right, get to work harder, America is way ahead of us in agriculture.

Now what Washington ought to do is pick out a farm that's, well, a farm sort of like mine, all right, pick out mine, and let Mr. Khrushchev come out here

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L. B. Thomas of Fort Worth, son of Jack Thomas, is visiting with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Thomas. Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Thomas and their son, Roscoe, recently returned from visiting in Waco, Maxia and Marlin. They visited his brother and sister, Mark Thomas and Mrs. Minnie Holton.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Burns are visiting in Temple. They left Saturday.

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**Information On Social Security**

Have you been told that you could not qualify for the "disability freeze" or "disability monthly benefits" under the social security program because you did not meet the work requirements in the law. If so, you should look into the 1958 changes in the law to see whether they may affect you.

These changes in the law make it easier for thousands of disabled people to qualify for "disability freeze" and monthly disability benefits. Many whose disabilities came on gradually could not qualify under the old law because they did not have steady work during the three years before they finally became totally unable to do any gainful work.

Before these changes were made to the law, a disabled person needed to have social security credit for at least 5 years out of the 10 year period before the onset of his disability and also for 1 1/2 years during the 3 years immediately before he became disabled.

The change in the law still requires social security credit for 5 years of work in the 10 year period before you became disabled but you no longer need to have worked 1 1/2 years out of the 3 year period before the beginning of your disability.

If you are disabled and desire to get full information about the disability provisions of the law, you should get in touch with your social security office immediately. Their address is Social Security Administration, 1428 East 8th Street, Odessa, Texas.

An appeaser is one who feeds a crocodile—hoping it will eat him last. —Sir Winston Churchill

**FARM & RANCH REVIEW**

Reports coming from various crop producing sections in Texas, what the farmers need most to harvest a bumper crop is a hot August. We can speak with definite authority for Martin County farmers that August came in hot as blazes and the temperature remains at that heat to the present time. If it's a hot August necessary to harvest a bumper crop Martin County farmers are well on their way to reach that goal.

Farmers in other sections of West Texas have been delayed getting in the fields to work the crops due to frequent heavy rains making a jollily out of their soil.

Reports are coming from various farming areas in Texas that July showers have the soil moisture the best in years. But cotton insects appear as the number one problem.

The Mexican government reports bracero labor is moving into Texas as it is requested. A

spokeman for the Mexican government says it takes time to process braceros at the Monterey center and at the reception centers after they cross the border into Texas. He said as soon as requests are received the braceros are sent to Monterey. It is not possible to keep a large concentration of workers at Monterey awaiting requests.

About 34,000 quail have been released to farmers and ranchers in Texas since January in a restocking program.

The birds come from the State Game and Fish farm at Tyler, and are sold at 50 cents each.

A wave of flattering crop reports is sweeping over the entire agricultural belt of West Texas. Prospects are most promising for bumper crop yield at this harvest time.

The Rising Star area in Eastland County devoted to diversifying crops — watermelons,

peanuts, fruits of various kinds, vegetables, supplementary grazing, field crops, all promise the best yield the Rising Star section has ever had.

Texas farmers will receive a basic rate of \$12 an acre under announced plans for the Conservation Reserve of the Soil Bank for the 1960 crop season by the U. S. Department of Agriculture. A tentative goal of 452,000 additional acres was also announced for the State.

Land owned by a state, county, town or local government, will be ineligible for the program. Land which has changed ownership (except through inheritance) since December 31, 1956 is ineligible to enter the program in 1960.

This will be the fifth year of the Conservation Reserve program. If farmers contract for the expected 5 million additional acres in 1960, the total acreage in the program next year will be approximately 28 million.

**Agriculture Event Set For This Week**

The annual state conference for vocational agriculture teachers will be conducted in Fort Worth through Friday. The four-day event is sponsored by the Texas Education Agency.

Programs of the conference are designed to acquaint agriculture leaders with the most recent developments in technical agriculture and teaching procedures. About 1,000 vocational agriculture teachers are expected to attend.

The teachers will review accomplishments, learn about newers in the fields of agriculture, farm organizations and education.

The program for the week will be directed by George Hunt, director of agricultural education for Texas, and members of his staff. During the sessions, new officers and directors will be elected and stalled. H. G. Barber of Floydada is president of the association.

**Mrs. Beckmeyer Attending Sul Ross Conference**

Mrs. Nellie May Beckmeyer, Gay Hill elementary teacher from Ackery, is attending the 11th annual Sul Ross Reading Conference being held in Alpine.

In daily 6-hour workshop sessions, the group will hear addresses by five nationally known experts in the teaching of reading: Dr. G. Robert Carlsen, Iowa State University; Mr. Donald E. P. Smith, University of Michigan; Dr. Faye Bumpass, Texas Tech; Dr. George Spache, University of Florida; and Mrs. Theresa Carrell, Texas Education Agency.

Also those attending will take part in such recreational activities as a barbecue, a performance of Shakespeare's The Tempest, and a trip to the Big Bend National Park. The meeting is sponsored jointly by the Texas Association of the Improvement of Reading and Sul Ross State College.

Mr. and Mrs. T. Lindsay and Mr. and Mrs. George Herzog and Carolyn have returned home from the mountains in Colorado where they spent their vacation trout fishing. They camped out on the trip.

Mr. and Mrs. G. E. McDaniel of San Antonio spent the weekend visiting with Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Crow and other relatives.

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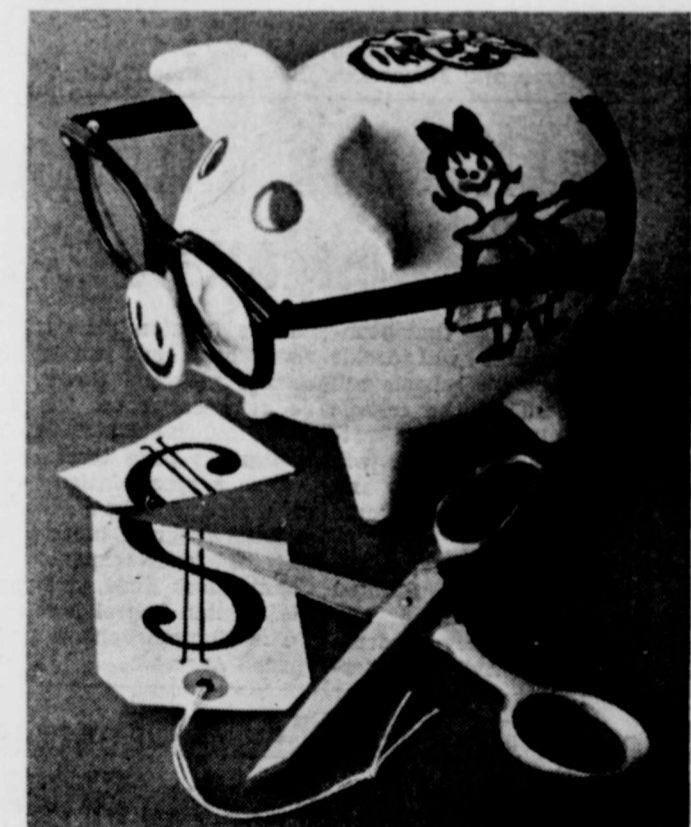
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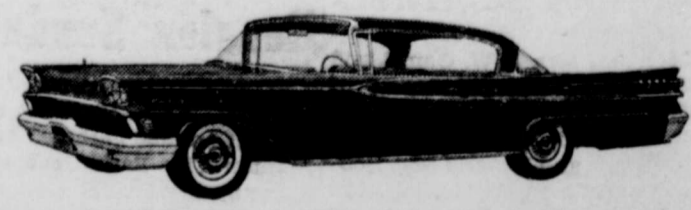
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- BACON, Pace Thick Sliced . . . 2 lbs. 89c
- ROUND CHEESE . . . . . lb. 49c
- BOLOGNA, All Meat . . . . . lb. 43c

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# WEST TEXAS PRESS COMMENTS

The City Commission at Stanton has introduced a subject that is drawing considerable comment both pro and con. The Commission has decided to raze the bandstand located on the lawn of the City Hall. As far as bandstands go built in the time it was of modern design.

One citizen favoring doing away with the bandstand said: "Reminiscent of horse troughs and hitching posts our bandstand rests in all its crumbling glory upon our City Hall lawn. In one way or another this hazard should be eliminated."

Voice from one who favors keeping the bandstand: "Let's not destroy our trademark. The one thing that truly sets Stanton apart from all the other towns on the South Plains. Let's preserve our bandstand."

The Mitchell County News announces that Loraine will have

a fair this fall. The event is sponsored by the local Lions Club. The promise of an excellent harvest of field crops and various kinds of vegetables from the truck patch, a county fair is to be held to give the growers an opportunity to exhibit to the public what they have grown on the farm and in the garden.

The new coach for Loraine High School is Kenneth Ford of Breckenridge. He is a graduate of Hardin-Simmons University, and played one year pro football with a Canadian club. Neal Wilcox who was elected coach earlier in the year, has been conducted to serve in the Army.

The Big Lake Chamber of Commerce has approved a budget of \$8,334 to carry on the operation of the organization for the first year. The items of

expense include the manager's salary, printing, supplies, telephone calls, travel, and office rent.

Jim Cornish, publisher of The Post Dispatch gave notice to the readers in his column, Postings, that by the time they read the column the Cornishes would be well on their way to visit Las Vegas, Los Angeles area and visits to MGM movie lots, Hollywood TV studios, and Disneyland. Cornish said he was leaving the Dispatch in able hands, Charles Didway, editor and others of the staff.

The Lorenzo Tribune announces the officials of the City of Lorenzo and the County of Crosby, have joined hands to launch an attack on insect breeding places and cut the weeds and otherwise clean vacant lots of weeds and rubbish. The Tribune says the attack is launched to reduce the threat of an outbreak of encephalitis or other diseases carried by mosquitoes and flies. The County is providing two mowing machines to cut the weeds on the vacant lots and along the roadside of streets in the residential and business districts. The City will move in and spray remaining weed patches, trees, shrubs, trash barrels and other likely breeding places.

The Kiwanis Club of Colorado City has taken on the task of painting residential numbers on curb of sidewalks. The project is undertaken to serve the community in two ways: 1 improve residential areas with easy-to-see markers, 2, raise freewill funds for Kiwanis boys and girls program. There will be no charge to painting the numbers but the resident will be given the privilege to make a voluntary gift to the boys and girls fund.

## PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Miller and Patricia and Clinton visited their son and brother, Virgil, in Junction recently with Virgil, a former Stanton High School football star will attend Texas A&M next fall.

Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Scott of Eldorado, Ark. and Eddie Coleman of Denton are visiting relatives here.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Paul Jones are Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Grant of Oklahoma City, Okla. The Grants, who are Mrs. Jones parents, will be visiting here for a week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Barbee of Coahoma were here recently to visit with Mr. and Mrs. Jess Burns. The Barbee's children, Amy and Mike were with them.

Mrs. Ralph Jones and her children, Connie and Webb, left recently to return to their home in Colorado. They visited Mrs. Lila Flanagan for five weeks.

Jerry Baugh, son of Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Baugh, is in the Big Spring Hospital after having an appendectomy. Baugh underwent surgery Sunday.

If a man write a better book, preach a better sermon, or make a better mousetrap than his neighbor, tho' he build his house in the woods, the world will make a beaten path to his door.—Ralph Waldo Emerson



Why are some farm groups opposed to high support prices for cotton farmers? . . . it's explained often enough but there still seems lots of misconceptions . . . many producers think it's enemies of cotton that want to see the price props reduced . . . actually it's the friends of the cotton farmer . . . men who want to see cotton prosper and new markets develop . . . here's what happened: price supports for cotton have reached the point where outside growers sell cheaper than U. S. grown cotton in foreign markets and where items of man-made fibers (or items using some man-made fibers) can be sold to consumers cheaper than cotton items . . . this has lost markets for cotton abroad and at home and surpluses have mounted not from over production but from under consumption . . . under consumption caused in large part by the high support prices . . . all of this was predicted many years ago . . . we know of a cotton merchant who back in the '30's spelled out most of the problems that face U. S. cotton today

It's all caused by trying to ignore the law of supply and demand . . . we feel that the farmer is due some protection as long as other segments of the economy have protection . . . but if this protection continues in the form of price supports that are far above the world market value of the product, cotton will remain enmeshed in an unsound economic program.

**Farm Cash Up**  
Farmers are receiving about two per cent more income from live-stock and crop sales this year than during like period last year . . . despite predictions that at the end of 1959 the farmer will be in worse shape than at the end of 1958.

**Rules Tightened**  
Soil bank rules now prevent state-owned lands from being put into the soil bank . . . this may stop some renting of land from the state at 25c per acre and putting it into the soil bank for \$8 an acre . . . wonder if you can still put the unused part of a cemetery in the bank . . . some town did that, you know!!!

**How Big??**  
Ever wonder how big a farm is??? . . . unless it's 10 acres or produces at least \$250 worth of agricultural products, it's not a farm . . . that is the standard the Bureau of Census will use next fall . . . time was when three acres made a farm.

**Poison Pays**  
Recent study on control of weeds shows that in the controlled areas enough extra cotton was grown to pay the cost of controlling the weeds several times.

## Harvard Home Scene Party For Mr. And Mrs. Ross

Mrs. J. B. Harvard and her son, John, entertained Mr. and Mrs. Gravis Ross with a supper in their garden Sunday.

Helping the hostess to prepare and serve the food were Mr. and Mrs. John Priddy, Mr. and Mrs. John Brewer and Mr. and Mrs. Glenn Brown.

Guests included Mr. and Mrs. Holt Priddy of Odessa, Mr. and Mrs. Tracey Smith of Big Spring and their daughter, Mrs. George Ragsdale of Los Alamos, New Mexico.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross will return this week to Oklahoma City after visiting relatives and friends in Loveland, Midland and Stanton.

There is no legal restriction against a woman becoming president.

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## Ranger Captain Reports Increase In Major Crimes

Major crimes in Texas again showed a marked increase for the first six months of 1959 in comparison with the first six months of 1958, Capt. Jay Banks of Dallas, commanding Company B of Texas Rangers, announced Saturday.

Banks said the two capital crimes—murder and rape—were up 20 per cent over the same period last year.

"Of the remaining five major crimes—robbery, burglary, aggravated assault, theft and auto theft—only robbery offense had a slight decline. The major increase in any single crime was a 42 per cent increase in aggravated assault offenses," Banks said.

Rural areas show a 26 per cent increase in the offenses of murder and homicide. Biggest increase in the cities was 38 per cent in the offense of rape.

"Many times, citizens invite crimes to happen," Bank said. "For example, most auto thefts occur when a motorist leaves the keys in his car. This is an invitation for someone to steal it."

"The people of Texas will continue to suffer death, injury and millions of dollars in economic loss unless they back their law enforcement agencies in adequate personnel and their courts by serving on juries and rendering just verdicts," Banks added.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Polson and their sons, Gregory Lynn and Elvin Ray, are visiting with Mr. and Mrs. E. L. Polson and family. The Raymond Polsons are from Casa Grande, Ariz.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Bryan are entertaining their son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Bryan

of Glencoe, Ill. for two weeks. The Bob Bryans have their son, Jimmy, with them.

Last week the O. B. Bryan's daughter, Kay, had two visitors from Ruidoso, N. M. They were Mrs. Bryan's nephew, D. D. Swearingen, III, and Susan Reese.

**TELEPHONE TALK**  
by C. W. Fisher, Manager

Now that the dust has settled and early day paraphernalia has been stored, I don't think it is too late to say congratulations for a job well done by all the citizens of Stanton in helping to make the 75th Diamond Jubilee a huge success. I had the privilege of visiting and participating in a small way and was impressed. I think the most important thing was the feeling of friendliness that prevailed, not that Stanton people aren't friendly all the time, but the feeling of excitement and the participation by all the people made it seem better than usual. I feel sure there have been many friendships renewed that will last a lifetime. Congratulations to all the fine people of Stanton.

## A New Hat Or Color Phone

A friend of mine remarked the other day that August is a pretty hectic month around his house.

The kids are getting a little restless for school to start even though they'd never own up to it. And this restlessness doesn't exactly help his wife's attitude, either.

I know how restless the small fry can get, and it's hard to solve that one. But I DID have a tip to offer my friend that would perk up his wife's morale.

"Since it's too early for her to buy a new Fall hat," I said, "why not order an extension telephone in her favorite color."

The happy ending to this story is that he perked up his wife's morale AND brightened their kitchen with a new color telephone.

P. S. It was an easy sale, because my friend is like most men. He's not exactly crazy about women's hats.

## The Call That's Appreciated

About this time of year, most of us are back from vacation with memories of good times fresh in our minds.

I've always thought that the best way to relive a summer vacation—and be courteous at the same time—is to call the people who helped make your vacation so much fun.

If you spend it with other members of your family, they'll be glad to know you arrived home safely. If you vacationed with friends, they'll enjoy hearing your voice again.

So why not make the call tonight that's really appreciated? Rates are lower after 6 p. m., and you can talk longer for less by placing your call station-to-station.

Call by number. It's twice as fast.  
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## Fifteen Years Ago

Monday evening at the home of Mrs. Lila Flanagan, a group of hostesses, Mrs. Nobye Hamilton, Mrs. A. T. Angel, Mrs. Pat N. Howard, Mrs. Ed Robnett, Mrs. Lila Flanagan, Miss Viola Nae Angel, Miss Gay Nell Watson, honored Miss Addie Beth Blocker, bride-elect of Russell Y. Sadler, with a shower.

Mr. and Mrs. B. B. Elland of Shreveport, La., were visitors of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Elland one day last week. B. B. and W. W. Elland are brothers.

Lieut. and Mrs. John F. Priddy, Jr., are visiting his parents Mr. and Mrs. John Priddy. He is stationed at Charleston, N. C., and came home by Menard and picked up his wife who is living with her parents while he serves in the Air Corps.

Friday morning Earl Powell of Stanton, and Bob Hamilton of Midland, will leave for San Antonio to board a plane for Mexico City. Their wives are attending Mexico City University.

Mrs. L. E. Burnstedt and little daughter, Helen, of Randolph Field, are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Houston. Maj. Burnstedt will arrive Saturday from Randolph Field to spend the weekend in the Houston home.

Joe Marlett of Kermit visited with Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Myrick over the weekend.

Visiting with Mr. and Mrs. Floyd Sanders of Rankin over the weekend was Mrs. Bertha Gipson. Mrs. Gipson is Sanders sister.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Renfro attended Pioneer Days in Hereford recently. Making the trip with the Renfros were his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Reed and his brother, G. R. Renfro. All are of Fort Worth. Another brother, L. G. Renfro, and his wife, of Merkel also attended the affair.

Read The Classified Ads!

## DPS Chief Says Mud Flap Law To Be Enforced

"Enforcement of the new Mud Flap Law passed by the 56th Legislature is now in effect," said Major Wilson E. Speir, Regional Commander, of the Texas Department of Public Safety today. "Commercial vehicle owners, are urged to familiarize themselves with this new law in order that compliance will be secured among all owners," Speir suggested.

This new law, House Bill No. 99 provides that it shall be unlawful to operate any road tractor, truck, truck-tractor in combination with a semi-trailer, trailer or semi-trailer in combination with a towing vehicle, having four (4) or more tires on the rear-most axle of such vehicle or if in combination the rear-most axle of such combination, upon the highways of this State unless the rear-most axle of such road tractor, truck, truck-tractor in combination with a semi-trailer, trailer, or semi-trailer in combination with a towing vehicle, be equipped with safety guard or flaps of a type of material and construction as prescribed by the Department, located and suspended behind the rear-most wheels of such combination, to within eight (8) inches of the surface of the highway.

Major Speir pointed out that the Safety Guard or Flaps may be constructed of metal, rubber, rubberized material or any other substantial substance and must be at least as wide as the tires behind which they are suspended and must be of sufficient rigidity to remain within eight (8) inches of the surface of the highway under any conditions of loading in order to prevent slush, mud or gravel being transmitted from the vehicles wheels to the windshield of any following vehicle.

Spell said, "Generally speaking, the new law is basically the same as the old one, except flaps are now required at all times."

# Statement For Our Customers And Friends

We will close our cleaning plant for five days starting on August 10.

Our shop will be open for business again on August 17.

In order that all of our employees can enjoy a full five-day vacation we feel like our customers will understand our closing plan for a few days this summer.

See you again on August 15, and you can look forward to another year of the type of service you have learned to expect and depend on.

## Vogue Cleaners

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# Value Of Nation's Press Reviewed To Newspapermen

"The press is democracy's amplifying system," Robert Depree, Fort Worth investment company official and former newspaperman, told the concluding West Texas Press Association meeting in Big Spring Saturday.

"It's capability and its selectivity may well determine the future of the nation's history," he declared.

Dupree drew parallels between today and the struggle between Athens and Sparta, Athens overcame Sparta only because Athens remained free because of knowledge gained through unhampered discussions of public issues, he said.

Francis E. Perry, publisher of the Ballinger Ledger, was elected president of the association, and Pecos was selected for the 1960 meeting.

Other new officers are Jimmy Allison of Midland, first vice president; James Roberts of Andrews, second vice president, and Mrs. R. V. Mahood of Abilene, secretary-treasurer.

Jim Cornish of Post, Cay Snyder of Denver City and Neal Van

Zant of Seagraves were elected directors.

Editors called for redoubled effort in enforcing the right of the public to know how the public business is being run.

## Pan - - -

(Continued from page 1) 259, Borden County School Land survey.

Husky Oil Company and Pano Tech Exploration Corporation, scheduled 12,200-foot wildcat in Northwest Martin County, was digging below 11,962 feet in lime and shale.

Drill site is 660 feet from north and west lines of labor 24, league 263, Kent County School Land survey.

Southeast of Stanton in Northwest Glascock County, Shell Oil Company was making hole below 5,325 feet in lime and shale. Slated for a 13,000-foot bottom, the project is 1,980 feet from south and 660 feet from west lines of section 14, block 36, T-3-S, T&P survey.

## Church Of Christ Bible School At Tarzan Success

The Church of Christ of Tarzan wishes to make acknowledgement of its successful Vacation Bible School which was held August 3 to 7.

Average daily attendance was 92, with an attendance of 101 on August 4.

A gospel meeting will be held by the church August 17 through 26. Services will be held daily at 10 a. m. and 8 p. m. J. R. Collins of Pecos will preach.

Mr. and Mrs. Ronald Brewer and their sons, Jimmy and Joe, of Bryan visited with Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Clements Tuesday.

## Snooter Knows

(Continued from page 1) a thing of the past.

Truth of the matter I was in line for more whippings but the teacher's back was turned—she never discovered me in the act.

THE TEXAS SAFETY ASSOCIATION reminds pedestrians to take stock of their walking habits. Do you cross in the middle of the block? Do you fudge a little on the green light? If you do these things then stay in your back yard . . . you are living on borrowed time.

DANGER LURKS WHERE WE least expect it. We're alert to danger when we swim where the current is strong — But — not when we bathe in our own bath tub. Even a fall from a slippery tub or a sliding bath mat can cause a broken hip, a broken leg, or broken neck, and the fall could be so serious from striking your head on the tub as to take your life.

All home accidents are the result of unsafe conditions or unsafe practices.

HOT SOMEBODY SAID YES, the thermometer in Stanton has been dancing a jig around the 100 degree mark.

One old timer, said to us this heat was nothing to compare with the one he experienced way back yonder. He said one day while eating dinner he looked out the door of his house and spied a cactus bush had wilted down to the ground. He went out to see what was going on. He discovered a rattlesnake skin lying by the bush. He figured the snake had crawled to the shade of the cactus to get out of the heat, and both the bush and the snake had burned up.

The old timer thought he'd better look at the thermometer hanging in the shade of his house. Nothing there of the thermometer. But on the ground was the lettering off the thermometer. "Take Carter's Little Liver Pills." They had been painted on the board to which was fastened the thermometer as an advertisement.

STANTON AND COMMUNITY have as fine boys and girls as are to be found under the canopy of heaven. They are powerful and healthy and vigorous youth . . . and they must see action . . . some sort of a setup or setups where they can expend that steam. Help the Scouting troops, both boys and girls, or any other youth organization and you aid in cutting juvenile delinquency.

# Notice To The Citizens Of Stanton School District

We, the Grady School Board, have recently received notice of another increase in the tuition charged by Stanton for Grady's high school students—this despite the fact that we had originally been assured that there should be no great variation in the charge from year to year. The explanation offered was that some Stanton taxpayers had expressed their desire that "Grady students pay equally with Stanton students." Actually, such a basis is not standard practice and is almost impossible to carry out with absolute accuracy and fairness. We feel that there must be some misunderstanding and misinformation behind such statements, and we wish to present a few facts as we see them.

First of all, we have no desire for a "free ride" on the Stanton District. We are completely agreeable to paying a fair charge for our transfers to Stanton High School. We have made an investigation (including writing to Texas Education Agency in Austin), however, and found that the basis upon which we are being charged is not the customary or standard practice over the state. Such expenses as cost of land, buildings, and equipment and payment of notes and bonds are not generally included in computing per pupil cost for the purpose of making transfer charges. The fact that a few schools do include these does not justify every school in so doing.

Most small receiving schools also seem to realize the allowance for the financial condition of the sending district. While there seems to be erroneous information in circulation in this respect, our school is not a wealthy district, but is dependent upon help from the state's minimum foundation program. We are not able to pay a premium price for education service. In fact, our current budget is "in the red," and we shall be compelled to borrow in order to meet present needs.

Most small receiving school also seem to realize the benefits of gaining students through transfers from other district. They receive \$75 - \$80 from the state for each student and are allowed salary for one additional teacher for each gain of about 25 students. Many schools feel that such benefits are so important that they make NO further charge. Then there are gains in general school efficiency through multiple use of added teachers, as well as important gains in inter-community good will.

Finally, we wish to repeat that we shall be glad to pay a fair and reasonable charge in line with general practice. We do not feel that we should be charged on the basis used by only a few large and overcrowded systems. We should like very much to continue sending to Stanton all students who so desire, and to continue the friendly relationships which we have enjoyed in the past; but we naturally expect fair and friendly consideration in return. We urge you, the citizens of Stanton, to check all the facts of this matter, then make known your wishes to your local board. We sincerely hope that a satisfactory agreement can be realized.

**M. C. LOUDER, President**  
**EDWARD SMITH, Secretary**  
**The Grady School Board**

(Paid Adv.)

## Gibson - - -

(Continued from page 1) 2nd Flight Consolations Bill Brown, Midland winner; Harold Miller, Goldsmith, runnerup. Other players in finals were Harold Sanders, Iraan; and Jeff McSpadden, Odessa.

Third Flight Tommy Wikerson, Big Spring, winner; and Hubert Gregg, Cleburne, runnerup. Other players in finals were H. A. Siagar, Goldsmith; and Sam Houston, Slaton.

Third Flight Consolations J. H. Grammar, Goldsmith, winner; and Whistle Lindsay, Stanton, runnerup. Other players in finals were Owen Welborn, Midland; and Eddie Acrl, Big Spring.

Mr. and Mrs. Stanley T. Conklin and son, Don, spent a few days in Yoakum and Victoria with relatives and friends. Helen Curtis of Victoria returned to Stanton with the Conklins.

## Morrison - - -

(Continued from page 1) ard of Roscoe, Mrs. Vashti Boyce, Mrs. Sammie Kidd and Mrs. Blanche Manning of Midland, Seth Morrison and H. P. Morrison of Stanton.

Guests attended from Morenci, Ariz., Clifton, Ariz., Austin, McCamey, Monrovia, Ind., Lamesa, Fritch, Littlefield Petersburg, Roscoe, Sweetwater, Brownfield, Amarillo and Midland.

Wyatt's Barbecue of Midland catered to the reunion.

## Texas - - -

(Continued from page 1) student body, and a junior Rotarian while attending the north Texas High School. He is a Key Club member, an Eagle Scout, Red Cross swimming instructor, and a member of the First Methodist Church in Commerce. The youngest member of the Estes family has chosen geology for a college major.

## The Stanton - -

(Continued from page 1) fourth place.

Newspapers in cities over 3,000 winning honors included the Denver City Press, Seminole Sentinel, Littlefield Countywide Leader, Fredricksburg Standard and Hereford Brand.

Awards were presented at the Friday luncheon sponsored by The Big Spring Herald. The same staff members were responsible for the second place honor coming to the local newspaper this year as made up the staff in 1957 when the paper gained first place in General Excellence.

Staff members are: Neal Estes, general manager; James E. Kelly, editor; Eugenia Hightower, society editor, and M. O. McKay, mechanical superintendent. Joe Earl Reese is now employed on the paper as a full time printer.

Francis Perry, Ballinger Ledger publisher, was named the West Texas Press Association president for the coming year. Other officers are James N. Allison, Jr., Midland Reporter-Telegram, first vice president; James Roberts, Andrews, second vice president, and Mrs. R. F. Mahood, Abilene, secretary.

Directors include Neal Van Zant, Seagraves, Cal Snyder, Denver City, Jim Cornish, Post, Bob Weddell, Menard, Don Kretzinger, Pecos, Joe Bell, Colorado City, and Joe Pickle, Big Spring. The press group voted to hold next year's convention in Pecos.

# FLOWER GROVE NEWS

By MRS. C. A. WEBB

Thirty-two people attended Sunday School at Bethel, August 9.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Lawrence Webb and their daughter, Vickie Lynn of Monahans, spent Friday night and Saturday of July 31 with her family in Lenorah. They also visited his parents.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmie Merritt of Kermit recently spent several days with his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Rolland Mullins and children.

Mrs. D. L. Langham visited in Midland in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Roy Webb. Then they visited in Andrews and attended the Golden Wedding Anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen.

On July 26, Mr. and Mrs. Bille Seely of Lubbock became the parents of a baby girl who weighed six pounds and nine ounces. They named the girl Sue Ann.

Mrs. Mary Bailey of Elmonte, Calif. and her two daughters and two grandsons visited in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Murray Cook last week. Mrs. Bailey is Mrs. Cook's aunt.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. King visited in Lubbock last week on a business trip.

Mrs. G. T. Cook is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Cook in Idalou this week.

N. B. Seay, who underwent surgery last week, was doing fine at the last report.

Mr. and Mrs. Murray Cook entertained their two daughters, Mrs. Bennie Foster and Mrs. Eugene Barkowsky, with a barbecue supper in their back yard last week. Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Kink also were present.

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Webb recently visited in the home of their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Landreth of Odessa.

Crops around here are sure getting dry, some are burning up pretty bad. We sure could use a lot of moisture right now.

The department said preliminary reports on acreage measurements in some states indicate that under-planting of cotton allotments this year was larger than estimated a month ago.

The department said the crop generally is early in California, Mississippi and Arkansas.

Prospects Improving In South Texas, the crop is well advanced, the report said, and a good crop is in prospect. Elsewhere in the state, rainy, cloudy weather from late June through the first three weeks of July resulted in excellent growth. Prospects continued to improve in late July with hot clear weather and generally adequate soil moisture conditions prevailing.

Prospects in New Mexico were reported generally good to excellent.

The department said that if the ratio of lint production to cottonseed production is the same as the average for the last five years, production of cottonseed this year would be 6,149,000 tons, compared with 4,798,000 last year.

IN THE EARLY DAYS OF BASEBALL THE BASES WERE WOODEN POSTS ABOUT FOUR FEET HIGH.

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Mr. and Mrs. Jessie James of Abilene visited his mother, Mrs. Alvin James, Sr. recently.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Green and sons, Freddie and Bennie, of Tarzan, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. A. G. Webb.

Robert Hildreth, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Hildreth of Lenorah is spending the week with his uncle and aunt, Rev. and Mrs. Bob Stokes. His parents and sisters are visiting in California.

Sunday, August 23, was the date set for the Summer revival to begin at Bethel Baptist Church. Everyone is urged to take part. The evangelist has not been secured.

Rev. and Mrs. Bob Stokes and their nephew, Robert Hildreth, at dinner Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Murray Cook.

Billie Joe Webb attended a circle meeting of the IOOF lodge in Seagraves last week.

Sue Renee, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Bille Seely, was honored with a party last month in the home of Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Caughman.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Caughman and their baby spent the weekend of August 2 in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. T. Caughman.

Mrs. D. L. Langham spent Saturday night in Lamesa with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Hommett.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Poe of Mid-

## Stanton - - -

(Continued from page 1) serving in the houseparty were Carol Reynolds, Janet and Shirley Francis, Patsy Ann Reynolds and Cynthia Hurley.

The couple has 18 grandchildren and one great-grandchild. Guests from Abilene, Clyde, Big Spring, Stanton, Kermit, Sinton, Andrews, Lubbock, Iraan, Midland, Casper, Wyo., El Centro, Calif., Phoenix, Ariz., and Tacoma, Wash. attended.

## PERSONALS

Mrs. R. H. Kelly and Rex and Ima had visitors from California this week. They were Mr. and Mrs. Pat Kelly and their sons, Terry and Johnny, of Bell, California and Marlin Kelly of Huntington Park, California.

Friday, Mr. and Mrs. Pat Kelly and Ima visited relatives in Big Spring, Sunday, Mrs. R. H. Kelly, Rex and Ima and Mr. and Mrs. Pat Kelly and family and Mrs. Cora Moss visited relatives in Colorado City.

land visited his mother, Mrs. D. L. Langham, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Ernest Johnson and their daughter of Charleston, S. C. are spending this week with her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Hammett in Lamesa.

# Jim Webb

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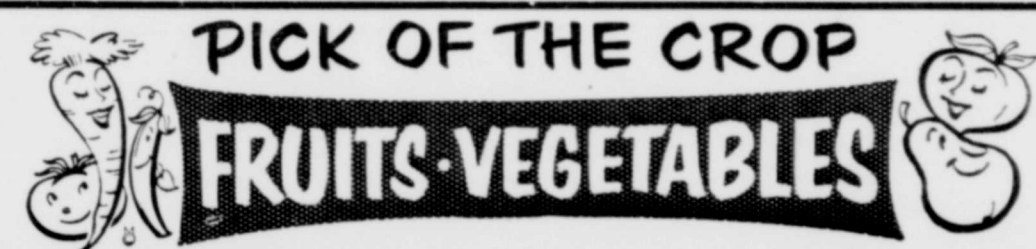
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'Shock Troops' and 'Workshop'

## Teachers' Association Plans Campaign For Pay Increase

The use of teacher "shock troops" and "emergency workshops" was advocated by a leader of the Texas State Teachers Association to get needed education legislation in Texas.

H. W. Stilwell of Texarkana and chairman of the legislative committee of the 70,000-member TSTA, called for a carefully planned campaign by teachers throughout the state to bring about a special legislative session this fall or winter.

He spoke at the closing session in Fort Worth Saturday of the 11th annual leaders' conference of the TSTA.

In a statement he made public earlier, Stilwell said first priority of an educational legislative program should be to improve teacher salaries. He also thinks more money should be set aside by the state for better bus transportation of pupils.

His committee backs a \$405 increase in every teacher's pay in Texas. The TSTA is also backing an increase in the increment teachers receive each year.

"Procedure is of the utmost importance to plan for the legislative program," Stilwell said.

He proposed emergency workshops throughout the state, probably in the fall, to get the

word to teachers on what procedures to follow to get a sound education program enacted into law.

At the workshops the teachers will get information they need to tell what the TSTA's stand is on education legislation. He said the points included in the TSTA's program are a part of the Hale-Aikin education committee's report made during the last school year.

"Shock troops" of teachers will work during the coming school year to get the support of citizens for better legislation, Stilwell said.

He said plans will be made by local TSTA groups to contact their own legislators.

"The legislators will be asked to tell the governor they are ready to work in a special session," he explained.

Teachers also will talk to school boards and P-TA groups to write to Governor Daniel asking for a special session.

"In this manner we can assure Governor Daniel he has the wide support of the people to call a special session. This is not an attempt to pressure him," Stilwell said.

He said the TSTA will work for the full Hale-Aikin program

## This Week In Washington

With CLINTON DAVIDSON

### Farm Policy Needed

A proposal by Sen. John Stennis of Mississippi for creation of a 12-man Agricultural Policy Commission to make a thorough study of farm programs and recommend new legislation makes good sense.

Washington — Congress, the Administration and the farm organizations — has floundered through seven months of futile squabbling over farm problems this year chiefly because there is no well-defined farm policy.

We still are operating under farm programs and policies developed to meet wartime and post-war needs for maximum production of foods and fibers. Control programs designed to slow down production have been ineffective.

Price supports that encouraged continued high production have not been effective in attainment of their principal objective — maintenance of farm prices and income and levels fair to both farmers and consumers.

**A Hoover-Type Commission**

The bill introduced by Sen. Stennis would set up a commission similar to the Hoover Commission which several years ago made a study and recommendations for reorganization of the government administrative agencies. It would seek to take farm policy out of politics through the naming of a non-partisan commission.

Of the 12 members, the President would appoint four — two from the Executive Branch and two from private life. The Vice President and the Speaker of the House each would name four.

of education improvements in the 1961 Legislature. Earlier he said the TSTA realizes a complete education improvement program can not be started during the 1959-1960 school year because of the problem of appropriations.

Stilwell pointed out that Texas ranks 28th among the states in the average salary it pays the classroom teacher.

—two each from the Senate and House and two each from private life.

The Commission, Sen. Stennis explains, would be composed of high-level, competent people who would be capable of evaluating the farm problems and making sound recommendations for legislation to strengthen the farm economy.

"I visualize this proposal," Sen. Stennis said, "as a new and fresh approach for formulating a sound and long-range agricultural program."

"I am convinced that if we do not come up with a more realistic program which would meet certain objectives, and at less cost to taxpayers, our agricultural program, as we know it today, is doomed for greater criticism and eventually complete collapse."

**Commission Duties**

The Commission would have authority to employ a competent staff of assistants and advisers, and to hold public hearings. To make certain that its recommendations are not influenced by partisan politics, the Commission would be required to withhold its report until after the 1960 election.

The duties of the Commission would be to make a full and complete study on a commodity basis of the various agricultural programs now in effect. The study, Sen. Stennis specified, would include:

First, the various price support programs. Second, programs for the control of production. Third, programs for the disposal of agricultural surpluses and, fourth, other programs relating to production of all price supported commodities.

Such a Commission could serve the useful purpose of developing a blueprint for adoption of sound long-range farm programs. It could, also, possibly bring some unity among the present conflicting groups which so far have been unable to agree on farm policy.



By VERN SANFORD

Most of us who fish usually take along an ice chest or two. Generally, however, because they are bulky, they are placed in the car first and other gear is stacked on top of them. Then if we want a cold drink along the road we stop at a service station and buy it.

I've just found a better way! Weber puts out a dylite cooler that fits perfectly between the car's front seat and the dash, riding on the hump.

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But here is another idea that works well with these Go-Koolers.

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Once at the fishing site the Go-Kooler can be used to cool down drinks at the camp or in the boat. Or if needed, it makes an excellent minnow bucket!

**Women Take To Tournaments**

Most of the fishing tournaments have been completed. If nothing else, they have proved that fishing is no longer for men only. Women have come away from these tournaments with some of the top honors.

You will remember that Elaine Vickers, an attractive housewife from Buchanan Dam, won the State Bass tournament at Belton. She took it from a field of 300 men who were top fishermen.

On the coast women continued to win honors. For instance, Mrs. Dan Braman caught a 453 pound blue marlin some 40 miles out in the Gulf of Mexico. It was the largest ever caught on the western gulf.

Mrs. Paul Millsap of Houston won the overall Port Aransas tournament with 2,331 points. She caught two sails and a tarpon.

Miss Helen Logan of Dallas won top honors for ling and Mrs. Jack Shanklin of Port Aransas won the bonito award. Mrs. C. C. Shotts of San Antonio caught the largest jackfish.

Women are proving their ability at fishing, despite the fact that men have considered it their game for these many years.

It was a revelation to watch some of these women fishing in the tournament.

A couple of years ago the editor of a national publication declined an article submitted by a Texas writer about women fishermen. He advised the writer that he always suspected that when a woman won fish prizes some man had caught the fish.

All the women fishermen I saw on the Gulf this summer caught their own fish. Furthermore they could drive a boat as well as any man. They could rig up their own equipment and fight a fight to the finish—even on light tackle.

They were attractive too. Some of them were youngsters in their teens. Others were young housewives. One or two were grandmothers.

So I would say that fishing women are here to stay. They use the same tackle and equipment the men use. They fish like men, only better in some cases. They are more patient and will stay with it longer.

Usually they have more stamina than men and make fewer trips to the ice chest.

Actually, women are responsible for the big boom in boating.

Men will go out in most any kind of old tub, but a woman wants a better boat. In this she is very smart.

During any tournament you'll see fishermen out in the surf in 14-foot outboards, battling big fish and the waves at the same time. They really put the fear in me. There is little sense in risking a life to win a medal for catching the most fish.

There'll come a time when some of this chance-taking will end. One of these days we'll have sufficient boat regulations to keep unsafe boats off the water. Unsafe drivers too! When we do, more lives will be saved.

Let me say this, however. If you've ever attended one of these Gulf Coast tournaments, I'd suggest you make your plans to go next year. You don't have to participate. You can fish on your own, or you can just watch the others fish.

There is plenty of wholesome excitement, and you'll learn a lot about fishing.

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The thing which I greatly feared is come upon me.—Job

Mr. and Mrs. David Long of Carlsbad and their grandchildren, James and Linda Long, visited with Mrs. J. T. Davis recently. Mrs. Long is Mrs. Davis' sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Stone visited their daughter, Carolyn, at Camp Mystic in Kerrville. The Stones returned Monday.

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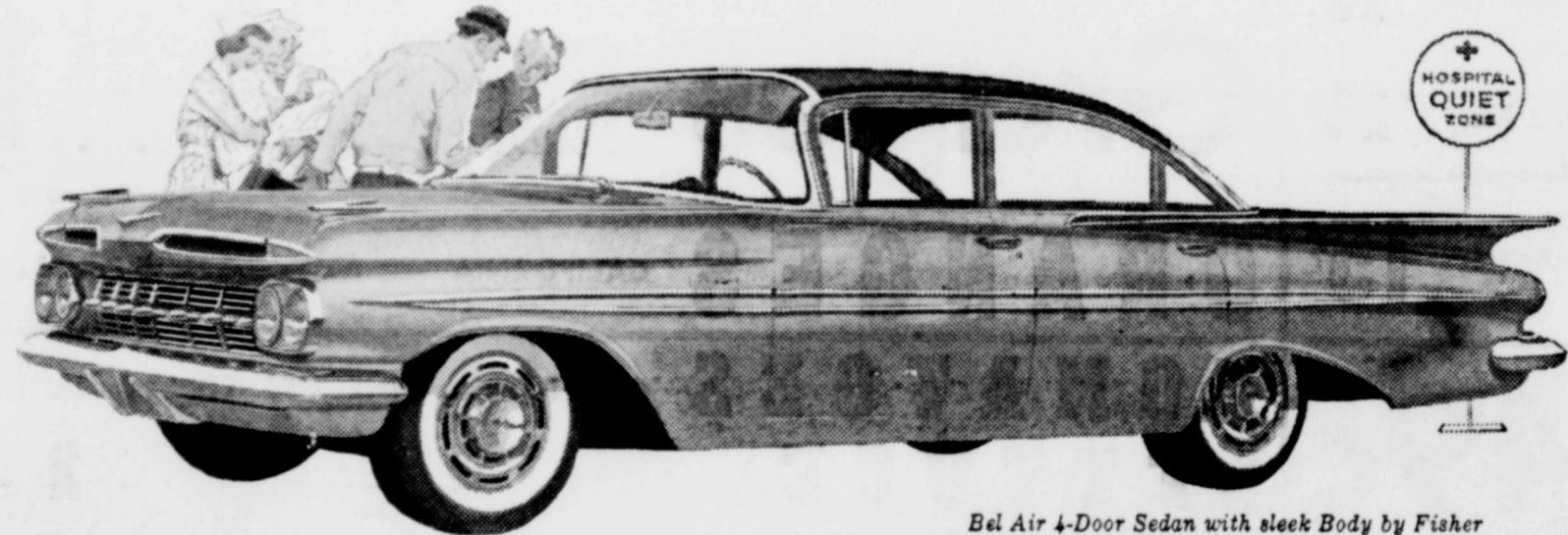
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**BEST ENGINE**—Chevrolet engines have long won expert praise from virtually every automobile magazine, and just recently, Chevrolet received the NASCAR† Outstanding Achievement award for "the creation and continuing development of America's most efficient V-type engines."

**BEST ECONOMY**—A pair of Chevrolet sixes with Powerglide won their class in this year's Mobilgas Economy Run, topping every other full-sized car. And the winning mileage was a whopping 22.38 m.p.g.

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## STATE CAPITAL Highlights AND Sidelights by Vern Sanford TEXAS PRESS ASSOCIATION

Quiet has settled over Texas' Capitol Hill after 202 days of hubbub.

As legislators packed up to go home, directors and employees of state agencies were filling scratch pads with figures. For most state-supported activities, the new budget which goes into effect Sept. 1 will mean more funds. Altogether, \$300,000 more.

There were some disappointments, of course, in the appropriations bill. Many programs got less than had been asked for, some salaries were cut, and there were riders and restrictions in other activities.

But, overall, there was more relief and rejoicing than tears and complaining. Most seemed to regard the new budget as the best that could be hoped for in such a "hard year."

For their parts, lawmakers were eager to get home and "mingle with the folks." Ahead lie probable showdowns on new spending for welfare and public schools, and, always, the inching

Clause" which ties it to enrollment.

**HIGHER EDUCATION** — Got the biggest increase from the general revenue fund of any program. It was boosted by more than \$12,000,000 to a total of \$130,933,424 for the state's 18 tax-supported colleges and universities. Increase was only about half what was asked by the Commission on Higher Education.

University of Texas officials saw one of their fondest dreams come true in that the "available fund" (income from the University's permanent fund) was left free for buildings and "excellence" programs.

**HOSPITALS, SPECIAL SCHOOLS, YOUTH COUNCIL** — Allotted a total of \$90,456,544. An increase of \$6,348,252.

This is to be used to improve medical care in state hospitals and to build a new mental hospital at Denton, a new dormitory for delinquent boys at the Gatesville school and a new building at the Gainesville School for Girls. It will also cover some salary increases and cost of some repair and remodeling in the vast hospital and school systems. It does not allow for setting up the juvenile parole system ardently desired by the Youth Council and recommended by Gov. Price Daniel.

**STATE EMPLOYEES** — Lower-bracket employees, from \$2,400 to \$6,000 annually, will get a \$180 a year raise. It's not a lot—\$16 a month more in the employees' pay envelopes — but it will cost the state about \$14,000,000 for the two years.

**JUDICIARY** — Will receive \$9,336,769 from general revenue, a \$312,779 increase. Most of this goes for new district courts plus briefing attorneys and secretaries for the Supreme Court.

**PRISON SYSTEM** — Operating budget increased by \$2,800,000 plus \$7,720,000 to provide additional buildings for a prison population soaring toward 11,000.

**LIVESTOCK DISEASE** — A new program to control brucellosis was tabbed for \$239,960, considerably under the \$2,107,000 requested.

**STATE ADVERTISING** — State Highway Department was authorized to use \$100,000 to lure tourists and the Texas Industrial Commission \$20,000 to seek new industries.

**CONSTITUTION** — Texas Legislative Council was given \$50,000 for a study of the State Constitution with a view to revising it.

**INSURANCE DEPARTMENT** — All the furor over top officials' salaries brought little change. Commissioner of Insurance William Harrison was cut from \$20,000 to \$15,000 a year; and three board members, from \$15,000 to \$14,000.

**BUILDING PROGRAM** — To further the Capitol expansion program, \$2,753,000 was appropriated for buying land, \$2,924,000 for a second state office building.

**WATER PLANNING** — Board of Water Engineers was allotted \$2,039,000, an increase of \$200,000, but nearly \$800,000 less than requested. It will allow for some salary increases for board members and engineers and mapping to locate future damsites.

**RIO GRANDE NAVY** — Sen. Abraham (Chick) Kazen, Jr. of Laredo, Texas' fourth "governor for a day" this year, used his time in the spotlight to call attention to needs of his South Texas border country district.

As Senate president pro tempore, Kazen served as chief executive in the absence of the governor and lieutenant governor. He proclaimed Good Neighbor Day, created the Navy of the Rio Grande and urged Congressional approval for construction of Diablo Dam west of Del Rio.

Sen. Frank Owen III of El Paso succeed Kazen as president pro tempore for the interim between sessions.

**REPRIEVE FOR CHURCH** — St. Martin's Lutheran Church, a beautiful, classically designed building one block north of the Capitol, was to be destroyed to make way for the state building program.

Texas Employment Commission's new building has already gone up within a few feet of it. But the Senate, in a resolution sponsored by Sen. Charles Herring of Austin, has asked TEC to study the possibility of putting the church to some use, such as a non-denominational chapel, before deciding to level it.

## Fall Fashions Call For Mannish Styles In Day Wear

By CAROL BARNES

Don't fight it men, the tailored, manish look is back for the ladies and there isn't a thing that can be done about it. Everything in the day-time wear has acquired a tailored, dignified look for this Fall.

One good thing about the change is that clothes almost are back to "normal" again. The waist is in its proper place, but according to at least one fashion designer, the hemline is going up, up, up. This is the most controversial question in the fashion world at present, and it seems that the American designers are contending that the hemline will stay below the knee.

Area clothing stores are keeping right in step with the rest of the fashion world by stocking their shelves and display racks with the latest fashion fads which will include walkers, Chesterfield coats, Hollywood wrap belted, blazer jackets, Canterbury blouses and the "fuzzy wuzzy" look.

This Fall's top color will be brown, mainly chocolate and tobacco. Black, grey and what is called a no-color green also will

**SHORT SNORTS** — Penalties up to \$200 and court costs can be assessed against operators of dual-wheeled vehicles without protective "mud flaps" after Aug. 9. Previously the law had required use of the mud flaps only when the pavement was wet. Now they must be used at all times. . . . Beginning Oct. 14, parents' consent and a three-day wait will be required between the application for a marriage license and the wedding if the groom is under 21 or the bride under 18. Changes in the law to slow down quickie weddings were voted by the Legislature in its recent called session. . . . Salk vaccine still hasn't put an end to all polio in Texas. Total cases in the state this year had climbed to 231 as of July 25, the State Health Department reported.

be in evidence during the Fall. Monotones of brown and green will be especially important in the color scheme. According to one local clothing store, the only bright colors which will be in evidence before five will be royal blue and red.

Belts are the real news in women's apparel. Everything from coats to blouses to sweaters is belted. In sports wear, heavy leather belts are the style, while dresses will be accented with slightly lower belts. Belts will be worn loose to avoid the cincher waist look.

This Fall's coats are among the most attractive seen in the fashion world for some time. Top on the selling list will be the Hollywood wrap belted, which is a casual coat, and the Chesterfield coat. Women now can choose the length of their coat to suit their individual taste. A new length, the nine-tenths, has been introduced for coats. This length allows the wearer's dress to show below the coat.

If the collar of the coat isn't large, then it is definitely trimmed with fur. Sometimes the two will be combined for a large, fur trimmed collar. As a rule, the coat sleeves will be narrow, but wide enough to allow for the push up sleeve. Popular in the young ladies sports wear will be the "fuzzy wuzzy" coat. This is a coat of a furry fabric, very feminine, and accented with a large collar.

Popular in the suits this Fall will be the walker suit which will have the long coat. A good suit for the tall girl will be the belted suit with the long pleated skirt. Tweeds will be very popular this Fall among the women's suits and as is the case of all women's wear, the suits will be simple, dignified and some will have the mannish look.

An important factor to look for in dresses will be long, narrow sleeves. Most of the sleeves will either be zipped or buttoned at the cuff. Brown will more than likely be the leading color in dresses, but the black, sheath dress also will be popular. White collars and cuffs also have made their appearance for the Fall fashions. A dress that still will be seen is the tailored looking shirtwaist.

For after five wear, the hemline has gone down. In fact, it should be touching the floor. Cocktail dresses and formal wear will both be long this year. Cocktail dresses for this season can be shorter in the front and longer in the back.

In the sports wear field, tweeds and wools especially are popular and again the big color is brown. Straight skirts will lead the race, but the flat pleated skirt will be high on the popularity list. Dyed to match coordinates already are making a hit in the local stores, especially skirts and sweaters. This year, weskits will be worn with both skirts and slim jims. Plaid, wool slim jims of bright colors will be popular with the college set. A good color in sports wear will be camel, which can be worn with anything.

Tailored blouses with long, French cuff sleeves will be worn with all types of sports wear. On the blouses, a touch of femininity is added with pleats and ruffles. A new look in blouses is the canterbury blouse with large, puffed sleeves. For women who don't like a steady diet of tailored, mannish style

blouses, there will be the blouse with the choir boy and the Gibson girl collar. A popular sleeve length again this Fall will be the quarter length or roll-up sleeve.

There is some controversy among the local stores as to whether or not the bulky sweater will be popular this Fall. The majority of the local clothiers seem to think the bulky will not go out this year, in fact it should be strong with the V-neck and turtle neck collar. A more fitted look will be given to this Fall's bulky sweaters. Brown will be the color for sweaters, but royal blue and red should still be favorites.

Sports wear jewelry will include heavy gold jewelry and chain bracelets.

Wednesday, Dr. and Mrs. J. V. Fisher and their children arrived for a visit with Mrs. Fisher's mother, Mrs. Lu Black. They will also visit with Mr. and Mrs. Bob Latimer and Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Glascock. The Fishers are from Rusk.

Mr. and Mrs. L. F. Clark visited their grandson, Label Stateham, in Salt Lake City, Utah recently. The Clarks made the trip with their son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Stateham of Winnie. They also visited their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Clark in Dallas, Ore. While they were gone, the visited Colorado, Nevada, California and Idaho.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewitt Robertson had his aunt and uncle as guests last week. His aunt, Mrs. Rena Clardy and his uncle, Ross Robertson, are both of Bryan.

Leona Conley of Merkel and Mrs. Jessie Conley of Houston were visiting with Mrs. Sam Martin Friday. The three attended school together.

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**ANNOUNCEMENTS** A  
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**NOTICE** — 1959-60 budget reading of the Flower Grove Independent School District will be at 9 p. m., August 20 at the Flower Grove High School.

**NOTICE** — Gospel meeting, Tarzan Church of Christ, August 17-26. J. R. Collins of Pecos will preach, Red McCaghen of Petersburg will lead the singing. Services daily 10 a. m. and 8 p. m. Everyone is invited.

**LOST & FOUND** C

**LOST** — Mixed Breed White Face Cow. Large brand on side. Irvin Myrick, GL 8-3127, Stanton.

**AUTOMOTIVE** D

**Trucks & Trailers** D-2

**FOR SALE** — 1954 Ford school bus, 28 capacity. Two 1953 Ford school buses, 24 capacity. May be seen at Flower Grove School. Sealed bids are being accepted by Earl Hightower, president of the board of education, Flower Grove School, Rt. 1, Ackerly, Texas. The board reserves the right to refuse all bids.

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**BUSINESS SERVICES** F

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**REAL ESTATE** M

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**FOR SALE** — A frame building 42x24. Two rooms and bath. May be seen at Flower Grove School. Sealed bids are being accepted by Earl Hightower, president of the board of education, Flower Grove School, Rt. 1, Ackerly, Texas. The board reserves the right to refuse all bids.

**Houses for Sale** M-4

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Visiting with Mrs. Curtis Hancock Tuesday were her sisters, Mrs. Hubert Chastain of Sweetwater, Mrs. Allen Mashburn, Mrs. Loy Mashburn and Mrs. Betty Huggins of Midland. Also visiting was Mrs. Jeff Davis of Midland.

Mrs. Fijl Brandt and her daughter Susan spent the weekend at Grandfalls and Royalty visiting friends and relatives. Mrs. Brandt's sister, Mrs. Leroy Wood, is presently visiting with her. Mrs. Wood's grandson, Dale

## ACKERLY NEWS

By DOROTHY BAKER

The West Side Baptist Church of Lamesa was the setting Saturday night for the marriage of Betty Jeanine Haynes, daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. J. Roy Haynes of Lamesa, and Ted Porter, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Porter, Sr. also of Lamesa. The double ring ceremony took place as the wedding party stood before a white archway with baskets of white gladioli on each side. The Rev. Monroe Teeters of Midway performed the rite, assisted by the bride's father.

Mrs. Bill Hambrick of Ackerly played traditional wedding music and accompanied Deane Simpson of Big Spring, brother-in-law of the bride, as he sang "Because," "Whither Thou Goest" and "The Lord's Prayer."

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a nylon organza over taffeta gown. Deep borders of embroidery enriched the ballerina length skirt, the short sleeves, and the square neckline, all of which were reinforced with golds of tulle. Self-buttoned fasteners fastened the bodice at back. She wore gauntlets of the embroidered organza. From a shallow cap of the fabric descended the elbow-length veil; the tiny medallions dotting it were centered with seed pearls. On a white nurse's Bible she carried a bouquet of pink roses.

Attending her sister as matron of honor, Mrs. Simpson was attired in a pink cotton satin styled with scoop neckline, pleated skirt, and self-bow at the waistline front. A matching headpiece and a white carnation corsage completed her ensemble. Dressed in like fashion was the bridesmaid, Glora Dawn Springfield, of Ackerly.

J. R. Porter, Jr. of Odessa, served his brother as best man. Groomsman was James D. Haynes of Brownwood, brother of the bride.

A reception was held in the fellowship hall following the ceremony where the newly-weds, their parents and the honor attendants.

The cake, Mrs. Ed Richards, another sister of the groom, and Mrs. J. R. Porter, Jr. assisted in lading the punch. Dorothy Baker, Ackerly, was at the register. Others in the houseparty were Patsy Tempa, niece of the bridegroom, Marjorie Harkrider, Mrs. Jewel McKinney, Mrs. Helen Robertson, and Mrs. Carl Harkrider.

For traveling the bride chose a black and white suit in a basket weave, accessorized with a black feather hat. Flowers from her bouquet shaped her corsage.

An alumna of Ackerly High School, the bride attended Howard Payne College and received nurse's training at Hendricks Memorial Hospital at Abilene. She has recently been employed at Malone-Hogan Hospital.

Porter attended Ackerly High School. He is an employee of Amerada Petroleum Corp., in the Borden District.

Guests with Mr. and Mrs. Riley Smith have been his sister and family, Mr. and Mrs. Lucian Farrar of Conway, Ark.; the Conway's daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Elton Hamill and son of Fort Worth; also a brother, Mr. and Mrs. E. O. Smith and children of Big Spring, their parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Smith of Lamesa.

Also Alvin Wayne Cates, who is home on leave from the Navy at Norfolk, Va., and his brother, David Alton Cates of Morton. Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Kemp and children met Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Clark of Wilson at Lake Thomas Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Herm and children have just returned from Fort Worth where they visited Mrs. Herm's father who is ill. Mr. Herm's mother, Mrs. Mattie Herm of Lorraine returned to Ackerly for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. Pete Belew and family have returned from a vacation trip. They visited her mother, Mrs. W. E. Rhyne, and a brother, Mr. and Mrs. Richard Rhyne of Cisco; a sister, Mr. and Mrs. Otho Cozart and boys of Dublin; and in Ovalla with Belew's mother, Mrs. Will Lambert.

## Junior Misses 4-H Club Met In Agent's Office

The Junior Misses 4-H Club met Tuesday in the county agent's office and were shown how to make pillows for their bedroom.

Present at the meeting were Linda Manning, Brenda Standefer, Joyce Standefer, Sandra Wilkes, Margaret and Susan Clardy, Carolyn Brumley, Cindy Britton, Mrs. Clement Standefer. July 28, the club met in the home of Mrs. Mildred Eiland where they were instructed on how to make a bed. Present were Linda Manning, Brenda Standefer, Sandy Wilkes, Nelda Carr, Carolyn Brumley, Joyce Standefer, Margaret Clardy, Susan Clardy and Mrs. Clement Standefer.

Rev. Bobby Phillips, pastor of the Knott Baptist Church will be the evangelist. Rev. J. D. Mabry, pastor of the Ackerly church will lead the singing.

Week day services will be held daily at 10 a. m. and 8 p. m. The public is invited to attend.

Mr. and Mrs. Jerry Hall of Abilene spent the weekend with his mother, Mrs. Vestal Hall and his brother, Larry.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Etheredge visited through the weekend with her sister and brother-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Jessie Swart of Dallas. The two ladies' mother of Lamesa had also been visiting in Dallas and will accompany the Etheredge's back to Lamesa.

Mr. and Mrs. B. O. Springfield left Sunday morning on a week's vacation to South and East Texas where they will visit relatives.

Clint Rhea is on a trip to California to visit relatives. From Seminole, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Baker and girls visited Friday afternoon with his parents, the Buck Bakers.

Mr. and Mrs. Vaudry Coleman and their son, Mr. and Mrs. Dudley Coleman left recently for their ranch in Colorado.

Visiting recently with Mr. and Mrs. Marvin Coleman were her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lee Vaughn of Wister, Okla. Also the Coleman's son, Mr. and Mrs. Donnie Coleman of Midland.

## SHS Cheerleaders Home From School Held In Galveston

The Stanton High School cheerleaders and their sponsor have recently returned from Galveston where they attended cheerleader's school.

Peggy Eager sponsored the group which consisted of Donna Swanson, Janice Glaze, LaRue Adkins and Sharon and Sandra Sale.

The group stayed at the Seawall Hotel where the school was held.

Classes were attended from 8 a. m. until 3:30 p. m. each day. The classes included workshops, stunts, public relations, showmanship and interschool competition. The Stanton girls won first place in their division.

Twenty-one teams attended the school. The teams were divided into small, medium and large divisions, according to the enrollment of the school they represented.

Stanley Conklin, Jr., spent the weekend in Stanton with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Stanley T. Conklin, and his brother, Don. He returned to Albuquerque, N. M. Sunday where he is stationed with the Navy at Sandia Base.

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## Outlines Plans For School To Aid Handicapped

A special education program for the handicapped children of Martin County will be sponsored by the Stanton Public School System if a required number of eight handicapped children register to attend.

A similar program for crippled, retarded, deaf and speech handicapped children is now in progress in Big Spring. At present, there is no provision in Martin County to educate the handicapped children and they cannot receive the proper education in adjoining counties due to over crowded facilities or expense.

The Stanton Public School System will sponsor such a program and provide a special trained teacher if at least eight children will attend. Parents in Martin County who have handicapped children should contact the county judge, Jim McCoy, for more information concerning the school. Any handicapped child living in Martin County and between the ages of six and 17 is eligible to attend such a school.

Man who tries to do something and fails is a lot better off than the man who tries nothing and succeeds. —Anonymous

## NOTICE

The Eat Shop will be closed from Saturday Night, August 15 until Monday, August 24, so the help can enjoy vacations.

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