

# Burkburnett Star

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BURKBURNETT, WICHITA COUNTY, TEXAS, THURSDAY, JULY 7, 1955

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Chamber of Commerce Luncheon Each First Monday at Town Hall Everybody Invited Each Pays for His Meal

Favorite traffic slogan: "Drive carefully. The life you save may be mine."

Sometimes a woman's intuition is just a suspicion that made good.

## Man Drowns In Red River

Sheppard Airman returning from Oklahoma was drowned Sunday when his truck missed the Burk Burnett River bridge. Ten hours later his body was recovered from the swollen stream following an extensive search.

Identified as S-Sgt. Harvey J. Sheppard, 25, the airman lived at 404 Fourth in Burk Burnett. His body, finally surfaced on a log by river currents, was recovered by the Sheppard Air Force Hospital pending funeral arrangements in Colorado.

Charley High gouted with the truck shortly after it was taken to J. B. Wallace's garage in Burk Burnett.

It was quickly organized by both states, Oklahoma Troopers High and L. L. Glen P. McHale and Skelton, took charge of the Burk Burnett span comes under jurisdiction of Oklahoma Highway Patrol.

Truck Located Fred Berry, 26 located the truck early Monday but when he pulled from the river bottom, the body was inside.

Wayne is a graduate of Spur High School and plans to attend Texas Christian University in Ft. Worth this fall.

No definite date has been set for the wedding.

## Carmaleta Spray To Wed Wayne Hoover



Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Spray of Spur announce the engagement and forth-coming marriage of their daughter, Carmaleta, to Wayne Hoover, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. V. Hoover, of Spur.

Miss Spray is a graduate of Burk Burnett High School and is now employed by the Southwestern Bell Telephone Company in Spur. Carmaleta and her parents have lived in Spur since July, 1954.

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## Road Construction For Burk Area

A contract for the construction of grading, structures, base and surfacing on Farm to Market Roads 2182 and 1739 in Wilbarger and Wichita County was awarded in Austin this week, L. B. Bean, District Highway Engineer at Wichita Falls has announced. The firm of A. A. Contractors, Olney submitted the low bid of \$180,646.86 on the project which runs from S. H. 25 one mile south of Electra, south-west 7 miles, and from U. S. 287 at Electra, Northeast to Sunshine Hill.

Resident Engineer M. L. Raabe of Vernon will be in charge of the project for the Highway Department, and it is estimated that the work will take 150 days to complete.

## Assembly of God Revival July 10th

Beginning Sunday morning July 10th, the Assembly of God church in Burk Burnett will be in a revival. Services will be each night at 8:00 p. m. for two weeks except Saturday nights. The evangelists are Rev. and Mrs. T. B. Ried of Haskell, Texas. These young people are good singers and preachers.

Our church is air conditioned for your comfort. Everyone is cordially invited to attend. Special musical and vocal numbers will be presented each night.

## T-B Chest X-rays In Burk Burnett Saturday, July 30

Virginia Carpenter, Burk Burnett chairman, has announced the date set for the free T-B chest X-rays here as Saturday, July 30, 8:30 to 5:00 P. M., at the Corner Drug Store. She and her workers are contacting all people possible, urging them to take advantage of this free service of the Wichita County T-B Association.

Last year Burk Burnett led the county for the number of people receiving the X-rays for any one day.

BE SMART . . . BE X-RAYED . . .

## F. A. Jamieson New President Of Rotary Club



F. A. Jamieson is the newly elected President of the Rotary Club for the year beginning July 1, 1955.

Mr. Jamieson is a member of the First Methodist church and has been a resident of Burk Burnett for the past twenty-three years, coming to Burk Burnett from Wichita Falls in 1932.

He has been associated with the LaSalle Petroleum Corporation in various capacities, and is currently holding the position of Secretary and Auditor of this corporation.

Under the guidance of "F. A." as he is known to his fellow Rotarians, the Rotary club of Burk Burnett is looking forward to a good year in Rotary, as the Rotary club, having just finished its "Golden Anniversary" year, starts on the road to new and better accomplishments.

## 1st Grade Students Must Be Immunized Before September

It is required of all students entering the first grade in September, 1955, that they shall be immunized against small pox, and diphtheria. Parents with children entering the first grade in September are urged and requested to get in touch with their local physician so as to have these immunizations completed by September.

## Official Board of Methodist Church

The official Board of the First Methodist church met Monday, June 27th in regular session.

Several items of important business were transacted, including the election of new officers for the Board.

The following were elected as new officers: Chairman—Dr. P. A. Carpenter Vice Chairman—Cliff Dodson Secretary & Treasurer—J. L. Caffee, Jr. Church Lay Leader—Raymond Schuette

## Movieland Horse Capers Coming August 1st and 2nd

Hendricks Productions' Movieland Horse Capers will show in Burk Burnett Monday and Tuesday nights, August 1st and 2nd. The shows will be at Morgan Stadium, 8:00 P. M. each night.

Directors of the Chamber of Commerce, sponsors of the show, met at the City Hall Tuesday morning to appoint committees to work before and during the show.

CONCESSIONS—H. D. Smith, chairman. All drinks and snow cones will be 10c. Hot dogs will be 15c.

The Purchasing Committee is composed of Tommie Campbell, George McClarty, Clark Gresham and Ronnie Gresham.

ADMISSION—Adults \$1.00, SAFB Personnel, tickets at the base, 75c; Children, 6 to 14 yrs., 50c.

ADV. COMMITTEE—Harry C. Dodson, John Brookman, Louis Cozby and Major Al Shlukbier.

## Burk Oilers Team Schedules Games

The Burk Burnett Oilers, under the leadership of Al Richardson, have scheduled games in this area for the balance of the season. Many of the games will be played here at the Lions Club baseball field at Morgan Stadium.

Rained Out Thursday night a week ago, the game with the Sheppard Medics was rained out after two innings. The score was 0-0. This game was played off Tuesday night, with the Oilers winning 6 to 1. Wayne Sykes and Jerry McClure shared pitching honors.

Members of the Oilers team are: Leon Burkham, Arnold Oliver, Stanley Owen, James Metz, Gerry McCabe, Jay Felty, Weldon Gorham, Lee Keen, Erwin Drake, Gary Bean, Wayne Sykes, Jerry McClure, Jerry Mills, Wallace, Kenneth Hervey and Lloyd Potts.

## Federated Society Met Friday With Mrs. W. H. Holt

Federated missionary society met Friday, July 1st, 9:30 a. m. in the home of Mrs. W. H. Holt with Mrs. C. L. Schoch as co-hostess.

The meeting opened with the singing of On Jordan's Stormy Banks. Prayer by Mrs. Buchanan.

Roll call was answered with each one repeating a favorite bible verse.

Mrs. Lewis Brocker brought an inspiring devotional service from Luke 7: 18-23. Could it be you? Prayer by Mrs. Brocker.

Mrs. C. R. Carswell, president, conducted the business meeting. Several things of interest were planned to be done soon.

Treasurer, Mrs. C. L. Schoch, reported \$73.81 in the bank.

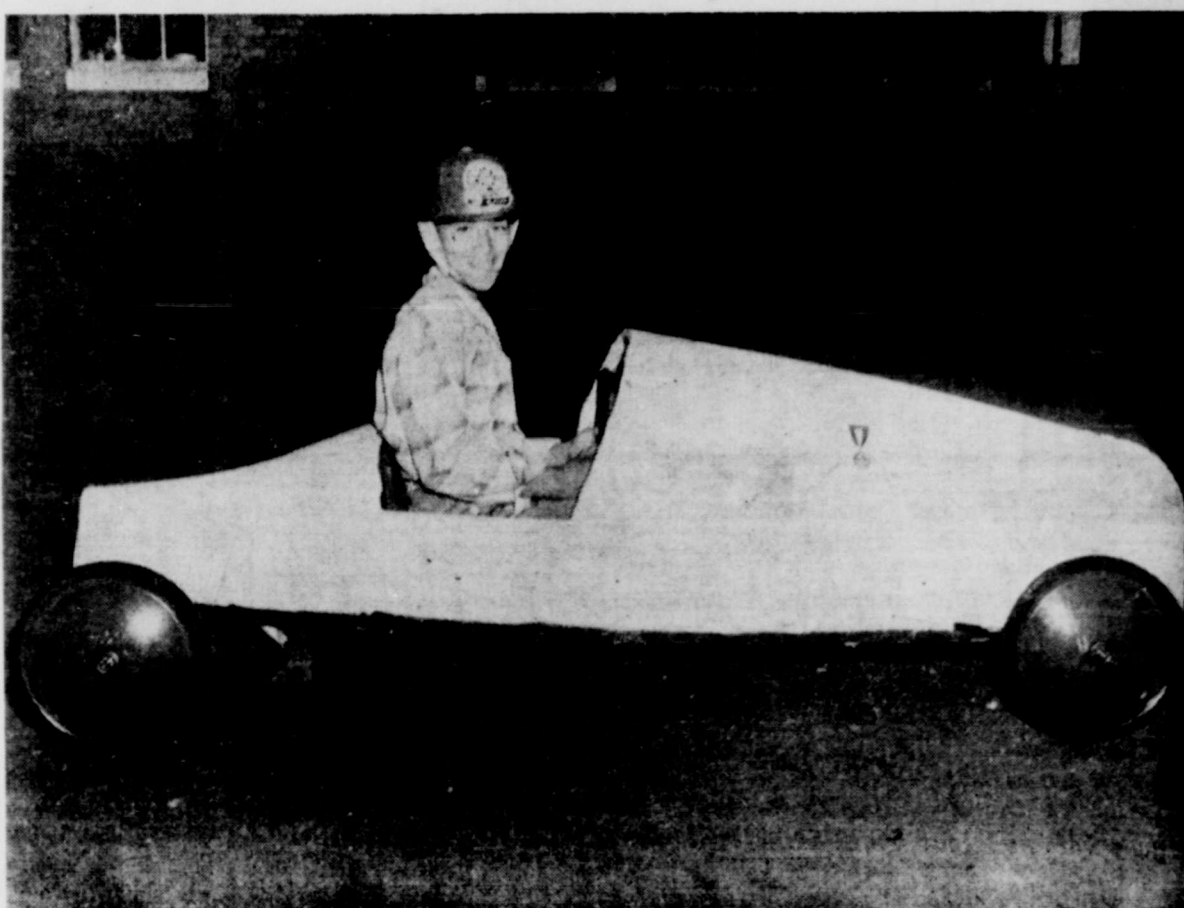
Mrs. W. C. Vann dismissed with prayer.

Mrs. Carswell conducted an interesting game flower bouquet. Delicious refreshments were served to Mesdames W. C. Gage, J. M. Patterson, Buchanan, Joy Sessum, F. R. Knauth, W. R. Carswell, C. R. Beldon, C. A. Morgan, Lewis Brocker, W. C. Vann, Jones, Grizzle, Turner Schoch, Holt and Oma Van-Cleave.

Mr. and Mrs. George Counter, Jr., have returned from Pensacola, Florida, where they visited their son during the Fourth of July holidays. Charles Wayne is taking Naval Aviation training, and if everything goes well, he will receive his commission about September 1st. The Counters were allowed to go aboard an aircraft carrier, and spoke very highly of the Naval Training Center and its facilities. What impressed them most was the safety measures to protect the Navy pilots at all times.

Rev. and Mrs. Roy McCoy of the Church of the Nazarene of Burk Burnett, wish to express appreciation to everyone in Burk Burnett for their kindness extended them during their ministry here. They have been called to Crown Heights Church of the Nazarene in Oklahoma City. They would be glad to have their friends come by and visit them there.

## Burkburnett Star's Entry In Derby Race Wins First Heat



ALBERT KOLLER, Jr., the Burk Burnett Star's entry in the Soap Box Derby Race at Wichita Falls, won his first heat in the Class A Division. The race was held July 4th. Albert was smiling in victory, and still smiling in defeat. Although the Star entry drew the slow side of the track for his second race, he said of the car which beat him, "That boy just had the fastest racer."

Tuesday night Albert and his parents went to Wichita Falls to the YMCA building where winners received their trophies and prizes. The Burk winner received a nine inch trophy, an 8x10 photo of himself and his races, a pair of blue jeans, and a racing helmet. Last year Albert received a medal in Baltimore, Maryland, for winning a heat there. He plans to build a new racer next year, and his younger brother will also be building a racer and enter for his first time. Knowing the secrecy with which Albert shrouds his racer, we honestly don't know what he'll do with his little brother, unless he blindfolds him all the time!

## Second Monday Trades Day July 11

Regular Second Monday Trades Day will be held July 11th in Burk Burnett.

Aside from the \$150.00 in cash awards, merchants are offering real bargains throughout their stores. Shop the ads in the Star for Trades Day Bargains.

## Little Leaguers Play Electra Teams

The Little Leaguers soft ball teams played Electra last Friday, winning one game and losing one.

In the 12-16 age group, the Burk boys won 9 to 8, with Doyce Walker and Johnny Bryant pitching.

In the 9-11 age group, Electra won 11 to 7. Eddie Eastman, Ronald Patterson and Dean Lahm worked on the mound for the Burk group.

This Friday the Electra teams will be hosts to the Burk boys. In a game between two Burk teams last week, the Indians won over the Okies 7 to 4.

Albert Richardson is supervisor of the baseball recreation program here. Mr. Richardson wants parents to know the T-Shirts and caps are furnished the boys for use during the summer. However, if a boy wants to buy extra caps or shirts, they may be had for 80c each.

Mr. and Mrs. W. B. McPherson attended the funeral of her sister, Mrs. Ed Wilson in Anson, Texas last week, then left Saturday night for a vacation in California.

Women's minds are cleaner than men's. They should be. They are changed more often.

Guests in the Bill Cauthorn home the past week were Mr. and Mrs. B. H. Cauthorn and son Kent of Liberty, Texas; J. C. Cauthorn of Dallas and Mrs. Cauthorn's mother, Mrs. William Warren of Edmund, Okla.

Mrs. Mary Muhlinghouse is visiting her sister in Madill, Okla this week.

Lt. Commander and Mrs. R. E. Kuntz and children of Washington, D. C. returned to their home this week after a visit here with relatives and friends. Mrs. Kuntz's mother, Mrs. L. O. Campbell, returned home with them for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. F. G. Jeffers and Pete and Mr. and Mrs. Wallace Landrum and children left Wednesday for a vacation in Colorado.

## Retiring Rotary President

C. B. Wampler has completed a year as president of the local Rotary Club. Through his diligent efforts, Cliff kept his club in the top ten for attendance all during the past year.

All home owners on Glendale Street are requested to meet Thursday, July 7th, at 7:30 P. M. at Town Hall for the purpose of discussing the curbing of Glendale Street.

## First Baptist Church

Rev. Pat Carter will preach at both the morning and evening services this Sunday at the First Baptist Church.

Bro. Carter is attending the Southwestern Baptist Theological Seminary in Fort Worth. He is formerly from San Francisco, California.

Everyone is invited to hear this man of God.

9:45 A. M. Sunday School. 10:55 A. M. Morning Worship. 8:00 P. M. Evening Worship. Wednesday evening, 7:15 P. M., Teachers and Officers meeting.

8:00 P. M. Prayer Meeting. Bro. Tom R. Vickery of Wichita Falls will lead the song services during Bro. Ted Boya's absence while he is on vacation, July 10th to July 17th.

Rev. and Mrs. Ted Boya and two children are vacationing in Hartford, Connecticut, visiting his mother, Mrs. I. Boya.

Mrs. Albert Koller is at home recuperating from minor surgery performed at a Wichita Falls hospital last week.

## LIONS CLUB

Francis Kauer, new president who took over his duties July 1st, was in charge.

Wylie Browning gave the invocation. Rodney Foyce was the guest of his Dad, J. B. Foyce.

The program failed to appear, so the meeting was cut short. Next week Wylie Browning will bring the program.

## New Owners For Local News Stand

Mr. and Mrs. C. A. (Charlie) West have purchased Lynskey's News Stand, effective Saturday, July 2nd, from Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Lynskey. They have restocked the news stand and have all the latest magazines, newspapers and notions.

The Wests will sincerely appreciate your continued patronage and solicit all new business.

## Social Security Man To Visit In Burk Following Dates

A representative of the Social Security Administration will be in Burk Burnett at the City Hall 9:30 A. M. on the following dates:

Tuesday, July 12th. Tuesday, August 9th. Tuesday, September 13th.

## REUNION HELD AT SAN ANTONIO

The family of the late A. C. and Marinda Spannagel met at Brackenridge Park for their annual reunion on July 3rd in San Antonio, Texas. It was the first time in 15 years that all of the brothers and sisters have been together.

Those attending were Mr. Earl Spannagel, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Spannagel and family of Walters, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Duke and family, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Trahan and family of Lawton, Okla., Mr. and Mrs. T. E. Spannagel, Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Stanford, Miss Marie Stanford, Mr. David Oxley, Mr. and Mrs. Manuel Braden and family all of Randlett, Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Walkup and Lowell, Mr. and Mrs. Jason Spannagel and family, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Schuette and family, Mr. and Mrs. L. Wulbrecht and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. Green and Joel of Burk Burnett; Mr. and Mrs. Ed Spannagel, Mr. and Mrs. Eldon Spannagel, Mr. and Mrs. Russell Spannagel and family, Mr. and Mrs. Johnny Spannagel, Mr. and Mrs. Walter Andrus, Pat, Kenneth and Billy Spannagel and Mr. and Mrs. Jones Fowler, Jean and Cathy of San Antonio.



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## EXPENSIVE BUSINESS

The exploration and development of offshore oil reserves in the Gulf of Mexico is a mighty expensive business. One of the newest, self-contained, movable "islands" from which drilling is done costs around \$2,000,000. It is a new business too—anyone who has been connected with it for as long as eight years is considered a veteran. The companies which pioneered seagoing oil exploration had to develop, by trial and error, techniques, procedures and equipment to solve new problem after problem. As much as \$1,000 an acre is paid for mud banks and old oyster bed lying deep under salt water. Right now all the oil coming from offshore wells amounts to about one percent of our daily national use, and it is hardly possible that any of the prospectors have yet received back the cost of their underwater search for oil.

The same geological formations that produced the great oil fields of Texas and Louisiana extend on out under the Gulf of Mexico. Every fact indicates that with suitable development this offshore area will someday become an oil producer of tremendous importance. The work being done today by the oil industry is an investment in the country's future strength and prosperity. It will likely result in oil reserves which will help significantly to provide an adequate supply of petroleum products for the next generation of Americans, and which by increasing our domestic oil supplies will enhance our national economic strength and security. Such costly long-range developments as this provide a vivid illustration of the effectiveness and vitality of our competitive free enterprise system.

## THE FARM EQUIPMENT DOLLAR

Modern farm equipment is an absolute necessity today. The time when human and animal power could do the basic work of agriculture has gone, never to return. The tractor and the other machines make possible maximum production at minimum cost in both money and effort.

The selling price of these machines is an important matter to the farmer. And no doubt, many a farmer has sometimes wondered if the price tag contained an excessive amount of profit.

An answer to that is found in a survey made of hundreds of farm equipment dealers scattered thruout the country, and covering the 1947-54 period. It shows that profits have gone down steadily and sharply. In 1947 those profits, before taxes, amounted to 9.35 percent of the gross business. In 1950 they came to 4.95 percent. In 1953 the figure was 2.5 percent. And last year it was only fractionally higher—2.62 percent.

The reasons why farm machinery costs more now than it used to are simple enough. In the first place, the expenses that must be borne by the manufacturers and dealers have soared, just as in the case of any other business. They must pay the high going price for labor and everything else. Secondly, the farmer has demanded and received more complicated and more versatile machines that do a better production job. But he can be certain that he is getting top value for the equipment dollar.

## The Promise of Automation

A short time ago the word automation was virtually unknown. Then, almost overnight, it became a major topic of argument and discussion. In various quarters there is a fear that the continued development of electronic devices which make possible increased production with decreased labor may produce widespread unemployment.

Automation is evolutionary—not revolutionary. It is another step forward in applying mechanical power to tasks that once were done by human or animal power. Every advance in that direction has benefited humanity. A chart prepared by the Wilkie Foundation tells the story. In 1850, the average worker's real income was about 8 cents an hour, which would be the equivalent of 40 cents in current money. Now production workers average \$1.84 an hour—and a principal reason for that enormous gain is that mechanization has sent man-hour output soaring. A century ago the work week was 70 hours, as against 40 today—again, mechanization was responsible. And in that century the working population increased almost as fast as the total population—even though child labor was abolished, and people live longer and retire earlier. Mechanization made jobs instead of destroying them.

What, then, does automation promise? History supplies the answer—greater opportunity for all, better working conditions, more leisure and higher living standards.

THEY WOULD READ YOUR AD TOO, IF IT APPEARED HERE



### Briny Character

Not a man from Mars, but a character from Walt Disney's stupendous CinemaScope - Technicolor production, "20,000 Leagues Under the Sea." To meet Producer's Disney's demands for absolute authenticity, this special diving suit was developed by designer Harper Goff and diving expert Fred Zandar. Note lack of air hose, built-in aqua lung and strange undersea rifle originally described in Jules Verne's book and now presented by Disney in a live-action feature, major portions of which were photographed at the bottom of the Caribbean Sea. Showing at the Palace Theatre July 10th - 12th.

### Church of Christ

W. E. Burkhams, Evangelist  
Bible Study Sunday 9:45 a. m.  
Worship 10:45 a. m.  
Young People classes 5:15 p. m.  
Worship 6:00 p. m.  
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Bible study Wednesday 7:30 p. m.  
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## Burkburnett . . . History

Revealed By Star  
Files 25 Years Ago...

Mrs. Lena Bailey has returned to her home in Webb City, Mo., after spending a two weeks visit with her mother, Mrs. F. H. Kelly, of this city.

Miss Dorothy Ann Preston, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Preston, was first place winner in the Miss Victory contest here sponsored by Burkburnett merchants. She received a \$100.00 war bond for her efforts in selling bonds in the 7th War Loan Drive. She was sponsored by Garland Furniture.

Alton V. Stamps is visiting friends and relatives here this week. His sister is suffering from serious injuries she received when she ran into the path of a car Sunday.

Mrs. Vernon Morris and daughter left Tuesday for Houston to join her husband.

Mrs. J. W. Roy and Miss Rose Annie Roy returned Sunday night to Beaumont, after a few days visit here with the Clarence Shroeder family.

Mr. and Mrs. Murphy Dean

of Corsicana, Tex., were recent visitors in Burkburnett.

Mrs. Will B. Carter of Quinlin, Tex., is here visiting her daughter, Mrs. H. R. Farmer this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold VanLoh announce the arrival of a son, Charles Kenneth, born Saturday, June 30th at the Burkburnett Clinic.

Mrs. J. M. Hayworth spent the weekend with her niece in Sulphur Spring, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. G. O. Posey and children of Garden Grove, Calif., are visiting relatives and friends here this week.

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J. H. KOLLMEYER, Pastor

10:00 a. m. Sunday school and Bible classes.  
11:00 a. m. Morning Service  
A class of juniors will be presented for confirmation.  
Tuesday, 8:00 p. m. Sunday School Teachers meeting. (Beginner and Primary Division, 5:15 p. m.)  
Wednesday, Walther League at Clara.  
Welcome to our services.

### Men's Bible Class

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Invites You to Worship With Them Each Sunday Morning at 10:00 a. m. "Come As You Are" GEORGE COUNTER, Pastor. W. R. CARSWELL, Teacher.

Mrs. W. R. Elkins has returned home from a two weeks visit with her sister, Mrs. Sapp and Mrs. John Reimer in Pasadena, Calif.

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SCOT TOWELS .....	Roll .....	19c
DIXIE WHITE PLATES .....	Pkg. of 40 ..	49c
DIXIE CUPS, hot drink, cold drink ..	Pkg. ....	15c
IDEAL PICNIC PACK .....	Pkg. ....	10c
LIBBY'S STUFFED OLIVES .....	8 Size .....	43c
Salad Bowl SALAD DRESSING ....	Pint .....	25c
SALAD WAFER Crackers .....	Pound .....	27c
Strawberry Preserves Garden Club ..	12 Oz. jar ...	33c
Peter Pan PEANUT BUTTER .....	9 1/2 Oz. ....	39c
Van Camp BEANEE WEENEE .....	Can .....	19c

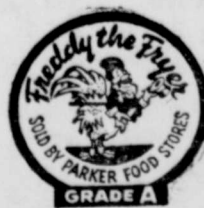
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BLACK DIAMOND WATERMELLONS <small>COLD POUND</small>	4c
GREEN OKRA .....	pound.. 15c
GOLDEN CORN .....	2 ears.. 19c
AVOCADOS, Calavos .....	each.. 15c
RED PLUMS .....	pound.. 25c
SEEDLESS GRAPES .....	pound.. 29c
DELICIOUS PRESIDIO CANTALOUPES <small>POUND</small>	7 1/2c

FRUIT COCKTAIL	303 CAN DEL MONTE	23c
CATSUP	2 14 Oz. Bottle DEL MONTE	35c
CORN <small>Cream Style White or Golden</small>	303 CAN ROSEDALE	10c
LUNCHEON MEAT	12 Oz. CAN OSCAR MAYER	29c
LIPTON'S FROSTEE	CHOCOLATE OR VANILLA	15c
LIQUID PRELL Shampoo	REG. 59c SIZE	49c
SODA WATER <small>MISSION Assorted Flavors</small>	6 Cans	59c
Gladiola <small>OVEN-READY</small> BISCUITS	2 Cans	23c

### Parker's Quality Meat Buys

<small>Ebner's Ranger Sliced</small> BACON	<small>POUND TRAY</small>	59c
BURLISON'S FRANKS .....	pound cello	39c
POT PIES, Pictsweet Chicken, Turkey, Beef ..	8 oz. pkg.	29c
PICNICS, tender cured, 4 to 8 lb. Size .....	pound	39c
SAUSAGE, Cowboy Pork .....	pound roll	33c
PORK CHOPS, center cuts .....	pound	63c
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Card of Thanks

We wish to thank each and everyone for every expression of sympathy shown us during our bereavement in the passing of our loved one.

Mrs. Sam Keith  
Sammy and John Keith  
Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Thompson  
and other relatives

Mr. James B. Thomas of Wichita Falls was a dinner guest in the Ben McDonald home last Thursday and visited other friends while here.

GAS-TOONS

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New Pastor Methodist Church

Sunday School—9:45 a. m.  
Morning Worship—10:50 a. m.  
MYF—5:00 p. m.  
MJF—6:00 p. m.  
Evening Worship—7:30 p. m.  
Visitors are cordially invited to attend all our services.

Visitors in the Ben L. McDonald home last week were Mrs. Estelle Walker of Dallas and her children Charles Parker and Virginia White. Charles and Virginia are grandchildren of the McDonalds.

Disney's Elaborate Production Of Skill

Walt Disney's career is the foremost example of the theory that what benefits one, benefits all.

From his earliest days as a producer, Disney has brought to the screen unique entertainment and has developed a number of new tools with which to make bigger and better pictures.

In his latest drama, the vast CinemaScope - Technicolor film, "20,000 Leagues Under the Sea", he was instrumental in developing an entirely new diving rig.

The major portion of his most elaborate film, released by Buena Vista, was taken on the bottom of the Caribbean sea. Sequences called for actors and camera crew to roam the depths exactly as the characters in Jules Verne's book had done. With Kirk Douglas refusing the services of a stunt man, and Director Richard Fleischer insisting upon directing scenes underwater, there were technical as well as safety problems.

Up to the time the actual production conference took place in the Disney studio, there was no safe, self-contained diving rig. The mightiest picture of them all inspired the first foolproof underwater suits.

Dubbed the 'Nemo' in honor of the moody Captain of the submarine Nautilus in the film, the suits enabled Producer Disney, stars Kirk Douglas, James Mason, Paul Lukas and Peter Lorre, and Director Richard Fleischer to enter the world of frightening depths and unearthly beauty which is the locale of the film.

Texas Oil Bowl Game August 19

Texas' Oil Bowl squad got off to a fast start Saturday with selection of two beefy linemen, Buddy Burt of Chillicothe and Jerry Cramer of Breckenridge.

The 1954 high school stars will play on the Texas squad that will meet a picked Oklahoma team at Midwestern University stadium, August 19 in the 18th annual Oil Bowl Football classic.

Proceeds will benefit handicapped in North Texas and patients at the Oklahoma Crippled Children's Hospital in Oklahoma City. Maskat Temple of Wichita Falls and the Oklahoma Coaches Association are game sponsors.

Buddy Burt was a star thru-out the 1954 season on the strong Chillicothe team. He weighs 205 pounds and is 6 feet, 1 inch tall.

A powerful guard and line-backer, he won all district honors two years and was honorable mention all-state.

Burt, who also lettered in basketball and track, plans to enter Baylor University in September. His coach at Chillicothe was Bobby Henderson.

Cramer was an all-state and all-district player in the tough AAA class and was an outstanding member of Breckenridge's state champion Buckaroos.

A huge tackle, Cramer weighs 216 and like Burt, is 6 feet, 1 inch tall.

Another of a long line of Breckenridge stars to play in the Oil Bowl, Cramer was coached by Joe Kerbel. Cramer plans to enter Texas A&M in September.

Other Texas Stars are being chosen for the Oil Bowl squad by coaches Claude Gilstrap of Arlington State and Pat Gerald of Sweetwater.

Reservations for the August 19 game may be made by mail sent to T. C. Anthony, Oil Bowl Committee, Wichita National Bank Building, Wichita Falls, or by telephoning Maskat Temple, 2-3884.

Central Christian Church

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The Central Christian Church will have Rev. Tom Rousseau, a visiting preacher to fill the pulpit Sunday, July 17 and 24th, 9:45 A. M. Church School.

11:00 A. M. Morning Worship. We invite you to worship and study with us this Lord's Day.

TO BURKBURNETT AND MY WHITE FRIENDS

This is Mrs. Addie Raney reporting of the good things you have done for the colored people. You have never turned us down in anything we undertake to do. I never shall forget the kindness you have turned to us. I just felt like I needed to tell you about it. The Lord is my Shepherd. I shall not want.

Mrs. Addie Raney

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Milam were guests of her sister, Mr. and Mrs. William Flemming at their ranch home over looking Eagle Mountain Lake at Fort Worth last weekend.

Mrs. Ben L. McDonald, Jr., and sons

Mrs. Ben L. McDonald, Jr., and sons Ben L. 3rd and Donald Allen of Smyrna, Ga., have been visiting in the home of her aunt and uncle, Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Moreman and the Ben L. McDonald home for the past several days. Mr. McDonald arrived here by plane last Thursday to join them for the rodeo celebration. They returned to their home Saturday.

Note of Appreciation

We would like to take this means of expressing our appreciation to friends and customers for their patronage to our store in the past months. We have sold our store to Mr. and Mrs. Charlie West and hope you will continue to patronize the store. It has been a pleasure to serve you.

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DEVOL NEWS

Mrs. C. O. WOODLEY

Devol Demonstration club met Tuesday at the clubhouse for the regular meeting. Mrs. O. G. Weaver was hostess and gave the devotional reading from Proverbs 12: 1-3. The Lord's Prayer was repeated in unison. Mrs. C. O. Woodley acted as chairman in the absence of president and vice president. Roll call and minutes were read by Mrs. J. B. Stevens, sec. treas. The HD agent Miss Green of Walters, gave a demonstration on selecting and buying meat. The next meeting will be July 12th with Mrs. F. J. Uthe as hostess.

Mr. Walter Goodner of Antioch Baptist church near Davidson will conduct both services at the local church Sunday, July 10th, in the absence of the pastor, M. O. McKinney, who with his wife is spending a two weeks vacation in Dallas, Waco and Longview.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Yeoger and Mrs. Yeoger's brother, John Warren, visited relatives here Sunday. They were guests in the W. M. Harrison, McClendon, Lagrone and Woodley homes.

Mrs. Della Lagrone of Texas City, Texas, visited in the V. E. Lagrone home Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. T. A. Landers and son J. V. attended a family reunion in East Texas Sunday.

Miss Dolly Fae Hardin of Dallas, spent the weekend with her mother, Mrs. Dolly Hardin.

Donnie McCasland was removed to his home here last week from the Wichita Falls General hospital and his condition is reported much improved.

"Son" Keown of Arlington, Tex., visited his grandmother, Mrs. T. C. Dillow, last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Helms and daughters and Mrs. V. E. Lagrone are spending a vacation at points in New Mexico.

Mrs. O. L. Bridges and children of Pampa, Tex., are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. O. Woodley here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Lee Dillow of Okla. City visited his mother, Mrs. T. C. Dillow, Sunday and Monday.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold Hutson

and family of Long Beach, Calif., visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Hutson last week. They were accompanied home by Miss Joyce Hutson who will return home the last of this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Charboneau of Davenport, Iowa, spent last week here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. C. Charboneau.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Mays and children Francine and A. J. attended funeral services at Carter Sunday for Carl Denton who passed away at his home suddenly Friday night. Mr. and Mrs. Denton formerly resided in Devol and Mrs. Denton was railway agent for about a year. They have visited here frequently since that time.

Paula Lam Honored With Party Wed.

Paula Lam, daughter of Mrs. Harriett Lam, was honored with a birthday party Wednesday, June 29th at the home of Mrs. Mattie Boydston at 508 Tidal. The honoree was one year old.

Balloons and suckers were used as favors for the young guests. Muffins and cool aid were served to the following: Diane Beavers, Gail Wright, Carol Ann Nichols, Dana Gay and Dale Swinford and Laura Sue Henry.

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NOTICE

There will be an important meeting of the Band Parents club Monday night, July 11, 8:00 p. m. at the band hall. Parents are urged to attend.

Card of Thanks

Our heartfelt thanks to all who extended comforting sympathy and help in our recent bereavement. For the beautiful service, offerings and other kindnesses we are deeply grateful. Mrs. W. M. Ferguson and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ferguson and son

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## Dixon-Yates

Mr. Dixon! Poor Mr. Dixon! A year ago they were obscure private business operating companies westward from the Tennessee Valley electric service area. Now they are a crisis, though, in Congress had decided to appropriate to the new electric generation at Fulton, in western Tennessee. The Memphis region is being starved with a power shortage by selling to the TVA out of his own system at a rate satisfactory to the Government's Federal

Power Commission. Mr. Dixon thought this offer obviously fair. The TVA did not accept it. Then at the instigation of the Government's Budget Bureau, Mr. Dixon and Mr. Yates signed a contract with the Government's Atomic Energy Commission. Mr. Dixon and Mr. Yates together would build a plant to supply power to the TVA's power hungry Memphis region; and the TVA would thus be enabled to continue supply large-scale power to the AEC's installations at Paducah, Ky., and Oak Ridge, Tenn.

So now the hot air rising from Washington's political furnaces has wafted Mr. Dixon and Mr. Yates from reputable obscurity to the heights of oratorical infamy. We are assured that the Dixon-Yates contract is a scandal, a steal and a multi-million dollar giveaway. Representative Chet Holifield of California, Democrat, a member of the Congressional Joint Committee on Atomic Energy, and Senator Clinton P. Anderson of New Mexico, Democrat, now chairman of the committee, are so shocked that they have promised vigorous committee action against the contract. State Senator Foutch of Tennessee, Democrat, has promised to get a large appropriation approved for hiring of criminal investigators to ferret out the improper pressure brought to bear up Washington officials by Mr. Dixon and Mr. Yates, or others.

Clearly, Mr. Dixon and Mr. Yates are no political personalities of the largest magnitude. So let us take a look at their contracts, as it reads at this writing even though its ultimate fate is uncertain.

Mr. Dixon's company, Middle South Utilities, operates a subsidiary in Arkansas, right across the Mississippi from the TVA. And it is in Arkansas, at West Memphis, that Mr. Dixon and Mr. Yates plan to build their new plant under the name of a new joint company called Mississippi Valley Generating Company. The

plant will have three generators. From time to time one of them is bound to be out of commission for repairs. Then Mr. Dixon and Mr. Yates will be able to make up for the incapacitated generator by supplying the Authority with power from their presently existing nearby generating systems. And they are obligated under contract to do so. The TVA is thus protected in its power requirements from the new plant.

The contract puts a ceiling on the company's profit and then it goes further; it puts the profit on a descending escalator. The contracts "target estimate" of the cost of the project is \$107,250,000. If Mr. Dixon and Mr. Yates can keep the cost down to that estimate, the return on the company stock will be nine percent which is less than the average stock profit of electric companies in the United States. But the cost of construction has risen considerably since the "target estimate" was fixed, and it may well continue to rise. If then the cost of the new project rises to 113 million dollars, the profit of Mr. Dixon and Yates, under the contract, will sink to six percent. If it rises to 120 million dollars, the profit will sink to zero. What sort of "guarantee profit" is this

This contract was approved by all present members of the AEC and passed on the Budget Bureau and also by the Federal Power Commission, the General Accounting Office, the Department of Justice. Surely no unknown has ever before "subverted" so many federal governmental agencies in so short a time. In 1950 and 1952 under President Truman's Administration, the AEC signed contracts with two groups of private electric companies for power to be delivered to its installations at Paducah, Ky., and Portsmouth, Ohio. These

companies were "negotiated." In neither case was there any competitive bidding." And the Democrats were quite right.

And what is the true vortex of all the hurricane that is beating upon the Dixon-Yates contract. The big thing is being decided is the TVA's future. The future will profoundly affect the whole nation-wide struggle between public and private power. There are few people in public life who have any idea of legislating TVA out of existence. The President will send legislation to the Congress for obligating the TVA to pay "an adequate rate of interest to the Treasury on construction funds advanced to it by Congress."

While this article was being written the latest news from Washington is to the effect that President Eisenhower has opened the way to scrap the Dixon-Yates contract, a private power project his administration has vigorously backed despite hot protests from public power advocates. The announced decision of Memphis, Tenn., to build its own plant instead of taking Dixon-Yates power. Several months ago the Pre-

sident recommended that the city of Memphis develop its own power plant to supply the needs of the people of that area for electric energy. The city failed to take any action in the matter, then the government made necessary plans to provide adequate power facilities for the Memphis area.

Poor Mr. Dixon! Poor Mr. Yates

## Assembly of God Church

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Mrs. Nora Jordan returned to her home in Graham, Texas Friday after spending several days with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Wofford.

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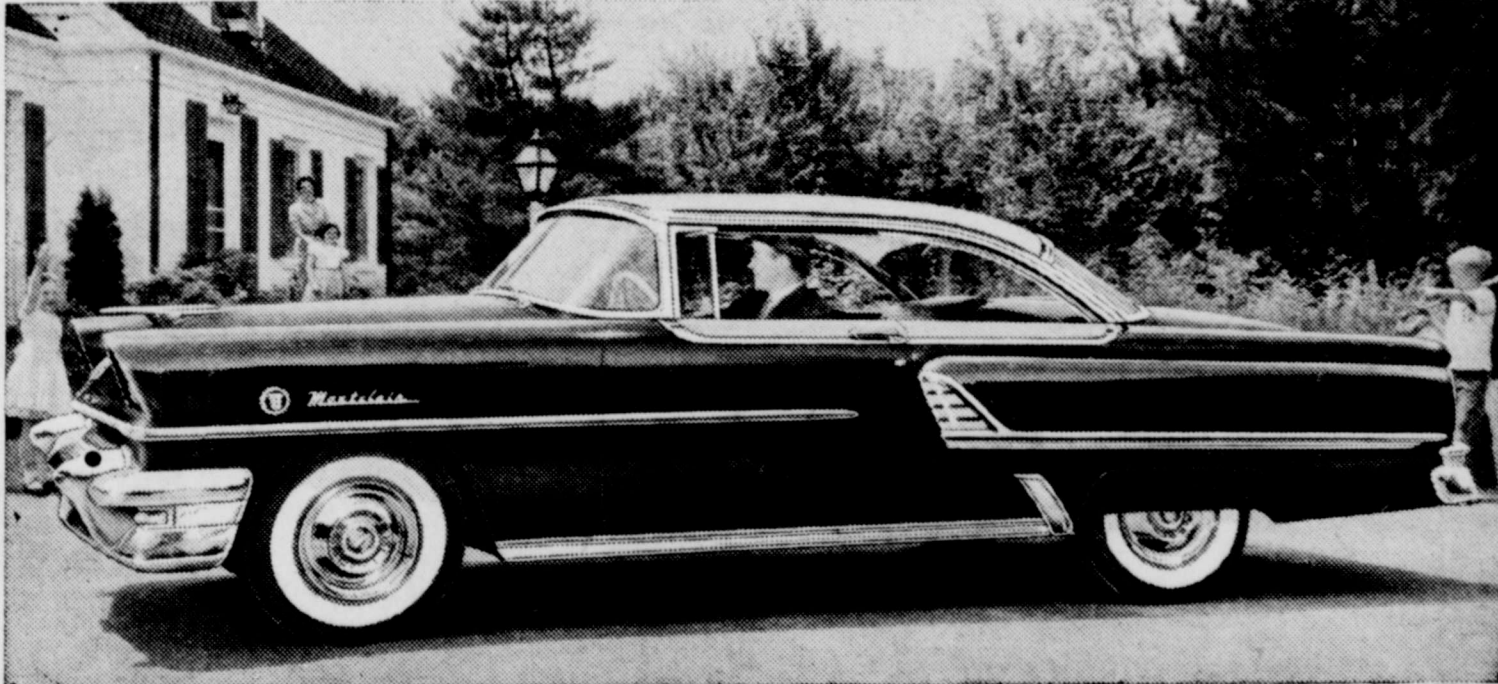
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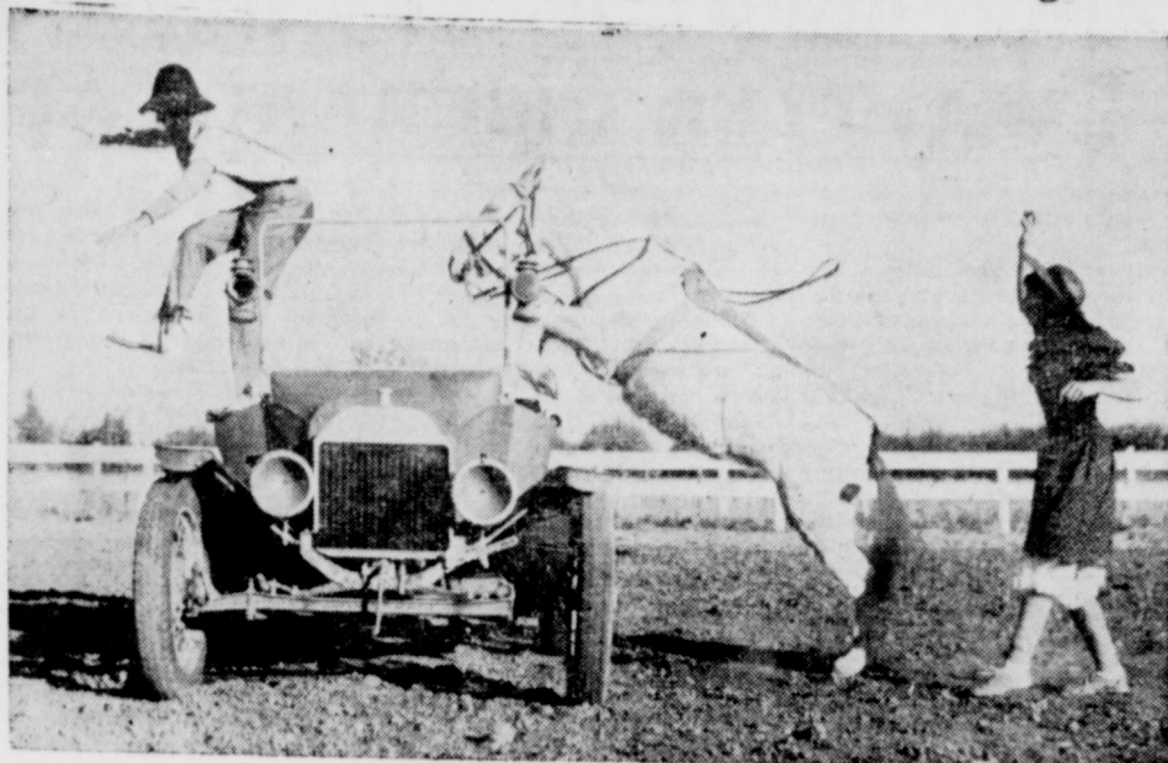
His wife killed in a tornado and himself badly injured, the man with son and daughter oversees the rebuilding of his home. Plans for new furniture provided by the American Red Cross. The repair, household goods, medical care, and emergency food clothing are given by the Red Cross for disaster caused needs.

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good wiring job is the heart of today's home," says an Builder magazine, and proves it with this graph, showing the sharp upswing in "juice consumption." The magazine attributes the rise to the great number of electrical appliances that have come into general use, such as washers, air-conditioning units, garbage disposers, stoves, televisions, and rotisseries. Every home-owner should consult an electrician as to adequate wiring to handle this heavy load, or the alternative may be blown fuses, short circuits, or even a disastrous fire, American Builder warns.

**Movieland Horse Capers Coming to Burk Burnett Aug. 1 & 2**



Two Hillbillies, their white mules, and jolopy will keep the audience in stitches with their hilarious antics in MOVIELAND HORSE CAPERS here at Morgan Stadium Monday and Tuesday nights, August 1st and 2nd. Scotch and Soda with a kick is comedy at its best. It has rated rave plaudits from Billboard and comedy connoisseurs from coast to coast. This, you don't want to miss!

Movieland Horse Capers is an animal wonderland with enjoyment for everyone. The atmosphere of the old west joins hands with the most novel and versatile acts and productions of the century. It features fabulous displays like "Night Time on the Prairie", a vast production number reminiscent of the old west with all of the excitement and drama of the days gone by.

Especially for the children, seven year old Little Leana will work her six shetland ponies at complete liberty through intricate routines with a precision that will amaze everyone. And for those that are still young at heart, Movieland Horse Capers will present "Crazy Quilt and Patchwork" and "Scotch and Soda With a Kick"—gay comedy acts that are guaranteed to tickle everyone's funny-bones.

For those in the audience with a sense of daring, the Flying Twins will risk life and limb at every performance, when they attempt the most dangerous stunts ever performed while standing on four flying horses, such as their "Roman Cross Fire Car Jump". And for those with a taste appeal for beauty, there is unequalled grandeur and pageantry in "The Dancing Stars", featuring fourteen dancing horses, and starring the internationally famous starlight and stardust, the world's greatest dancing horse, who are valued at over \$100,000. And there are many more incomparable acts and impressive productions in this one and a half hour extravaganza.

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**Rest Pastures After the Rain**

Rest after a rain is the best prescription for drouthy, over-grazed pastures.

Since many ranches are carrying reduced numbers of livestock, producers should be able to defer one-fourth of their grazing lands without damaging the remainder, B. T. Haws, county agent, says. This way many pastures can gain full advantage of recent soaking rains.

Pastures with most native grasses and vegetation cover will make the most recovery in a shorter period of time and should be deferred first, says Haws. Poorer pastures can be rested later since they may require several years to recover.

It's better to remove all livestock from a pasture than to leave it lightly stocked, he adds.

Defer for three to six months, or until frost. But if the grazing is needed sooner, wait at least until the growing grasses mature and drop a seed crop. Deferring promotes seed and plant reproduction in addition to increasing the vigor of existing plants.

The county agent recommends moderately grazing the pastures during the winter. This method provides some forage for livestock and helps distribute plant seed.

Many ranchmen looking over their bare ranges are considering reseeding in some instances reseeding may be warranted but deferment more often does the job cheaper. If as much as 15 percent of the "key" grasses are left, rest rather than reseed, the county agent suggests.

George Swaboda and Donald Suttles of Victoria, Tex., visited Mrs. J. A. Suttles here over the holiday weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. L. N. Lane and Faye visited Mr. and Mrs. R. G. Baumhardt and family in Amarillo, over the weekend.

Mr. and Mrs. Bill Flanagan left this week to make their home in California.

Mrs. G. L. Suter of Hobbs, N. M. and her sister, Margie Hollis of Casa Grande, Ariz., visited Mrs. Joy Sessums here Tuesday.

**Veterans Information Center**

Q—Could I get a GI loan to pay off household expenses such as grocery bills, doctor bills and furniture bills?

A—No. Under the law, GI loans may not be used for such purposes.

Q—I am a totally and permanently disabled World War II veteran. For that reason, VA has waived premium payments on my GI term insurance policy. Would I be permitted to convert my term policy to a permanent plan, even though the premiums are under waiver for disability?

A—Yes. You may convert your term policy to any permanent plan except endowment. You can choose between Ordinary Life, 20 Payment Life or 30 Payment life.

Q—I am receiving disability compensation payments from VA. My disability has recently worsened. Would a statement to that effect, by my own physician, qualify me for higher VA payments?

A—The statement alone would not suffice. It would have to be followed by an official VA examination, and reconsideration of your case.

Q—I am a World War I veteran—drawing a disability pension. In figuring my annual income, would I have to include the rental value of the small house that I own and live in?

A—No. Under the conditions you cite, the rental value of your home would not be considered as income, for VA pension purposes.

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When the Reverend Smead calls his clergymen friends long distance, we assume its "parson to parson."

Pat Mills of Snyder, Texas Norma Thorp of Alvin, Tex., and Mr. and Mrs. Allen Riddle of El Paso, were visitors in the J. D. Riddle home last week.

Mrs. Frances Farris of Orlando, Fla., is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Kelley here this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Littlefair of Gainesville, Tex., visited friends in Burk Burnett Tuesday.

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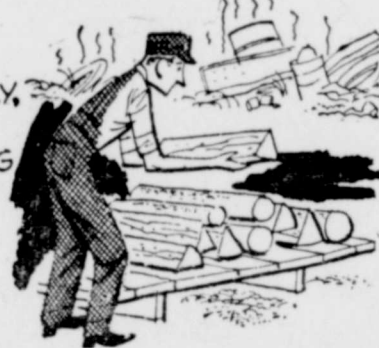
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## The Right To Bear Arms

During the relatively few years perhaps 30, in which firearms control legislation has been prominent on the public scene, we have heard and read much about constitutional guarantees of personal liberties. There has been so much conflicting 'expert' opinion, so many interpretations of constitutional law, that it is hardly surprising that widespread confusion exists in the minds of sincerely interested persons.

Do we, as law-abiding citizens of the United States, possess an inalienable right to bear arms comparable to our right of assembly, of freedom of speech, and of freedom of worship? If so, how far can restricted gun legislation go before that right is infringed or disappears altogether.

The Second Amendment to the United States Constitution says: "A well regulated Militia, being necessary to the security of a free state, the right of the people to keep and bear arms, shall not be infringed."

Many have attempted varied interpretations of these words. We prefer to believe that the simple, straight, forward language means exactly what it says. We are constrained to remember, however, that this is the United States Constitution and as such pertains to the powers of the Federal Government. These words of the founding fathers told their newly-formed national government what it may not do and set forth that all powers not expressly delegated to it were to be reserved to the several states, among them the police powers to regulate in the interest of public safety.

It is interesting to note that under two powers expressly delegated to the Federal Government the power to tax and the power to control interstate commerce, the United States Congress enacted the National Firearms and the Federal Firearms Acts respectively. Both these laws actually control the ownership or transporting of firearms in some degree. Both laws have been supported generally by the courts, although at least one provision of the Federal Firearms Act has been held unconstitutional. It is possible that other specific provisions might be also held unconstitutional, but there seems to be little doubt that basically the two laws cannot be attacked on constitutional grounds.

Nearly all the 48 states have, either in their constitutions or in their statutes, a provision markedly similar to the Second Amendment to the United States Constitution, referring specifically to the 'right to bear arms'.

Under these guarantees some of the very early state laws restricting the carrying of concealed weapons were ruled unconstitutional. A case of this sort occurred in Kentucky in 1822; subsequently the Kentucky Constitution was amended. Today there is no state which does not regulate to some degree the carrying of concealed weapons. Their power to do so, in furtherance of the health, safety and general welfare of the people, is seemingly established beyond question.

We do not hold, nor have we ever held that the right to keep and bear arms carries with it the right to go about armed without reason; the right of the addicted, criminal, or mentally unbalanced to possess weapons for their own or others' destruction, or the right of the law-abiding citizen to

do whatever he wants whenever he wants without control of any kind.

Any right carries with it certain responsibilities and, in discharging those responsibilities, we surrender none of the basic right.

In this case the basic right, as we see it, is the right of the lawful citizen to own personal weapons and to use those weapons lawfully for recreation and for personal and national defense. The accompanying responsibilities are to see to it that we use our weapons safely, lawfully and in observance of those controls imposed by proper authority for the welfare of all.

This is not to say that all proposed firearms controls are desirable or that they are all constitutional. It is to say that certain controls such as those which now exist over the 'wearing' of concealed weapons are clearly constitutional and their being so does not affect the basic right to bear arms.

Going about armed with a concealed weapon is a privilege which the community properly reserves for those possessed of good reason. The fact that we are required to show reason for

being granted the privilege of going armed with a concealed weapon should not be interpreted as an infringement upon the right to keep and bear arms.

Undoubtedly there is an inalienable right to own and to use private weapons for lawful purposes. This right is not cast in doubt by state laws controlling certain actions under their police power. On the other hand, the right can be infringed by unreasonable controls not related to the public safety or public welfare, and by the willful or arbitrary exercise of authority by appointed or elected officials.

These thoughts should be borne in mind as we continue our never-ending vigil against unwise and unduly restrictive gun legislation. Our arguments must be tempered with judgement if they are to prevail.

Finally, the right to keep and bear arms imposes an obligation to use them, when needed in defense of the nation. It was this obligation in particular that fostered the enactment of the Second Amendment at the first assembly of the Federal Congress 166 years ago. It is an obligation that has been a primary object of the National Rifle Association

of America from 1871 onward. For we, more than any other organization in the United States know that the right to keep and to bear arms by a loyal citizenry trained and proficient in their use is necessary to the security of our free state.

## Wayne R. Kelley Awarded Medal For Good Conduct

Wayne R. Kelley, aviation electronics technician first class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Owen M. Kelley of 307 W. Second St., Burkburnett, Texas and husband of the former Miss Helen Morris of Hatboro, Pa., was awarded a Good Conduct Medal June 10th while serving with Air Development Squadron 3 at the Naval Air Station here.

The chief of Naval Personnel, Washington, D. C. issues the Good Conduct Medal to only those sailors who have demonstrated the highest of achievements in conduct and proficiency in rating thruout a continuous three year active duty period.

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## James T. Howard Aboard USS Wilson

James T. Howard, yeoman third class, USN, son of Mr. and Mrs. Clayton Howard of 702 E. First St., Burkburnett, Tex., is serving aboard the escort vessel

USS LeRay Wilson. The Wilson has participated in anti-submarine operations off the California coast turning from the Far East.

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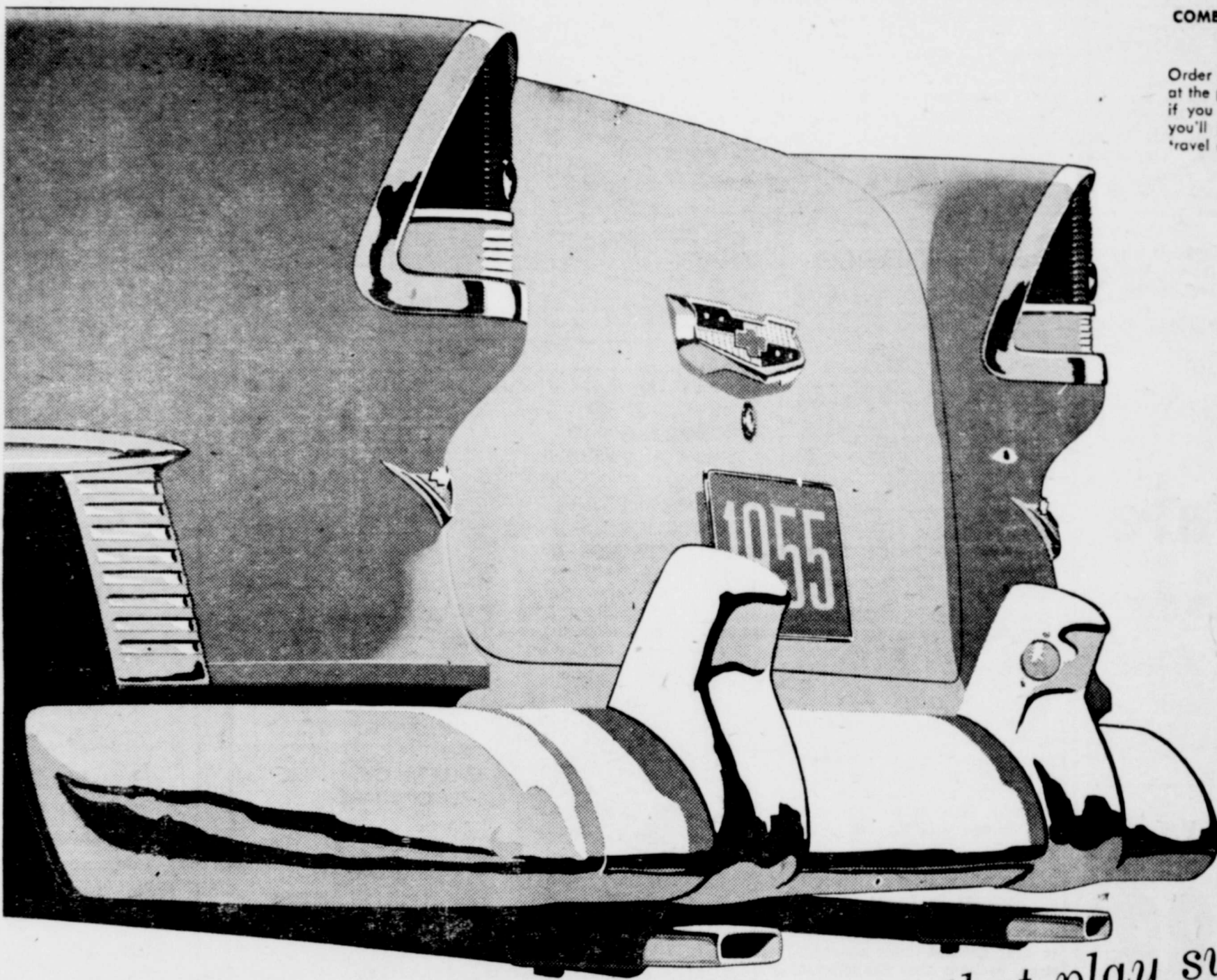


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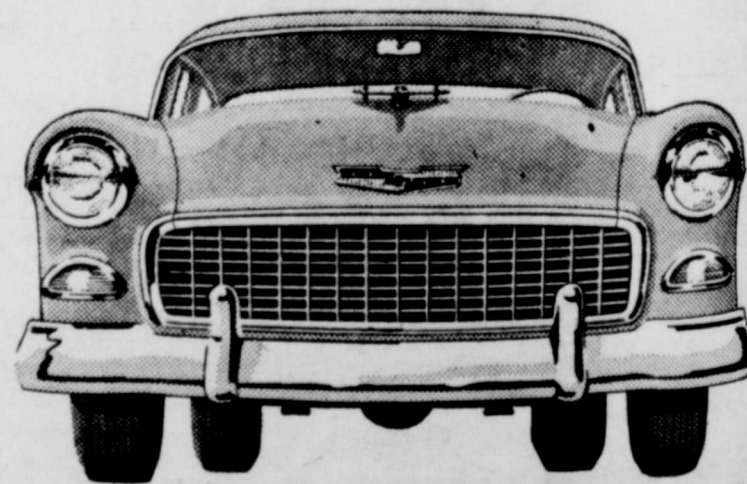
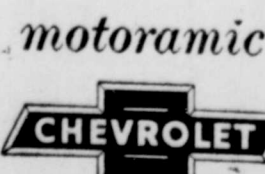
You can spot this one by the twin tailpipes. They're easy to see because the back view is just about the only glimpse you get of this astounding performer! No matter what you drive, you're going to have to get used to the idea of seeing twin-exhaust Chevrolets pulling away—in traffic, on the toughest hills, on the long straightaways.

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**Texas State Dept. of Health**  
Dr. Henry A. Holle, M. D.

There were 397 drownings in Texas last year according to figures released by the Texas State Department of Health. Over half of these deaths were among those under 25 years of age. Drownings dropped sharply after age 45, but occurred in each age bracket up to 90 years.

Dr. Henry A. Holle, Commissioner of Health, stated that most of these deaths could have been prevented if sensible precautions had been taken. This is the season of the year when many of us like to take to the water for a cool swim, for weekend boating or fishing trips. These are all healthful forms of recreation, if you follow common sense rules, don't get cocky about your

ability in the water and don't take chances.

The safest place to swim is the municipal pool where a life guard is on duty. The water is treated to kill disease germs and is kept fresh by a continuous change of water. Also there is no danger of wading into unexpected holes such as there is in ponds, lakes and rivers.

If you go boating and do not know how to swim always take along a life preserver. See that each child is so equipped. Be careful not to overload the boat. Changing seats or standing up in a small boat is dangerous business. If you should capsize, stay with the boat.

Watch children carefully while they play around small pools or even buckets of water. Small children often drown in stock tanks, fish pools, ditches and drainage canals. They even drown in bath tubs, because thoughtless mothers leave them there to play without supervision.

Consciously practice safety precautions and soon avoiding accident hazards will become second nature to you. Swimming, boating and fishing are healthful exercise if you do them safely.

Defense Alert

William L. McGill, director of the states civil defense organization, reports Texas' 1955 "alert successful and highly realistic. Had it been the real thing, Civil Defense Co-ordinator R. E. Dysart, said there would have been no casualties in Ft. Worth, but more than one-fourth of Houston's population would have been wiped out. Lubbock would have been a victim. El Paso would have been saved. Also Bergstrom Air Force Base near Austin.

High praise was given Nederland and its 5,000 citizens for moving successfully and smoothly in a mass evacuation.

A woman is getting older when she begins to worry more how her shoes fit than her sweater.

We are in the midst of summer... the season when children will slam the doors they left open all winter.

City Manager's Monthly Report  
MONTH OF JUNE, 1955

<b>ELECTRIC FUND:</b>	
Income	\$ 7.1
Less Operating Expense	4.6
Net Operating Profit	2.5
Less Payment Revenue Bonds	1.8
Less Transfers to General Fund	1.0
Unexpended Balance Mo. Income	0.7
Beginning Bank Balance	3.5
Total Bank Balance	4.2
<b>WATER FUND:</b>	
Income	\$ 6.2
Less Operating Expense	4.7
Net Operating Profit	1.5
Less Payment Revenue Bonds	1.0
Less Transfer to General Fund	2.1
Less Water Well Construction	0.8
Expenditures Above Monthly Income	2.9
Beginning Bank Balance	6.8
Total Bank Balance	3.9
<b>SEWER and SANITARY FUND</b>	
Income	\$ 1.1
Less Operating Expense	0.8
Unexpended Balance Mo. Income	0.3
Beginning Bank Balance	3.2
Total Bank Balance	3.5
<b>GENERAL FUND:</b>	
Income Plus Transfers from Water, Electric	\$ 5.0
Less Operating Expense	4.0
Net Operating Profit	1.0
Beginning Bank Balance Overdrawn	0.8
Total Bank Balance	1.8
NOTE: \$3,000.00 was transferred from the Water Electric Funds to the General Fund to supplement income for the non-revenue departments:	
The General Fund includes these departments:	
Administrative, Police, Fire, Street, Park, Cemetery, Town Hall.	
<b>GRAND TOTALS:</b>	
Beginning Total Bank Balance	\$12.5
Total Income—All Funds	21.1
Less Total Expenditures—All Funds	11.2
Grand Total Bank Balance	\$22.4
A. W. Newman, City Manager	

Add Wood Windows—Gain a Room



Three walls of wood window units turned this open porch into a comfortable "room with a view." Nothing could be simpler than the way the open porch at left was transformed into a sunny, cozy sitting room. The owner merely enclosed the porch all around with wood picture windows, and put down a floor of asphalt tile. Roll-down blinds assure privacy and shade when desired. Beneath the large fixed sash picture windows are swing windows which swing out and up for ventilation.

All the windows are factory-built ponderosa pine units, which were quick and easy to install. Precise fit of the window parts minimize air infiltration. In addition, the wood of which the sash and frames are made is a poor conductor of heat and cold, therefore a good insulator against outside temperature. The result, winter or summer, is greater room comfort and lower costs for heating or air conditioning.

The windows pictured are decorated with a clear varnish to reveal the attractive ponderosa pine grain. This wood has a smooth even surface which also takes paint or stain finishes well, and may be redecorated when the home-owner chooses.