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the devotional, given by Mrs. Jack Nixon.

A dessert plate was served with coffee. Others present were Mmes. J. W. Barr, O. L. McDaniel, Troy Simpson, Hamp Byler, W. E. Midgley, Hutton Laxson, Felix Itz and E. L. Williamson.

Mrs. Tom Agnew and Mrs. E. L. Rumpy were hostesses to members of Ettie Gressett Circle, entertaining in the Agnew home. Mrs. O. R. O'Neill presided for the business and Mrs. Rumpy led the group in repeating the Lord's Prayer. Mrs. Lillian Holt brought the devotional taken from the 14th chapter of St. John. Mrs. Sam Conner gave the lesson, "Islands in My Community," assisted by Mrs. Guy White and Mrs. Marion Hays.

A sandwich plate was served with cookies and coffee. Others present were Mmes. C. P. Shepherd, Bill Moore, Sid Caskey, Bill Witter, C. D. Harris, L. C. Hill, and a visitor, Mrs. E. R. Gordon.

Mrs. Conner will be hostess to the circle in February.

The same devotional and lesson were given by Mrs. D. L. Vestal and Mrs. Herbert Tickle when the Sally Odum Circle was entertained in the home of Mrs. J. C. Reese in South Ballinger with Mrs. C. L. Howell as co-hostess.

Mrs. R. D. Migley, chairman, presided for the business after Mrs. W. R. Clark gave the opening prayer.

At the social hour, hostesses served angel food topped with whipped cream and coffee to those previously mentioned and to Mrs. Tom Caudle, Mrs. J. L. Davis and Mrs. A. O. Strother.

Biography on Maurice Ravel At Music Club Tuesday

A Biography on Maurice Ravel by Victor I. Seroff will be reviewed for members of the Ballinger Music Club next Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the home of Mrs. L. R. Tipton on Seventh Street. Mrs. Troy Simpson will give the program. Mrs. Joe Forman, president, will be in charge of the business when Mrs. Joel Bates, chairman of the nominating committee, submits the names of new officers for the ensuing year. Members are urged to attend this meeting.

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SOCIETY

"Islands In My Community" W. S. C. S. Program Theme "Islands In My Community" was the program theme for the First Methodist Women's Society of Christian Service, held Monday afternoon in homes. Mrs. Arch Brookshier and Mrs. A. J. H. Borders were host-

esses to Ida Campbell Circle which met in the Brookshier home on Broadway. Mrs. Tom Crockett, chairman, conducted the business following the opening prayer by Mrs. Sam Behringer. The program theme was used for the lesson given by Mrs. Behringer and also for

FRIENDLY NEIGHBORS HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

Mrs. Roy Tyree, president, conducted the business for the regular meeting of Friendly Neighbors home demonstration club held on Wednesday afternoon in the home of Mrs. Ralph Russell, with nine members and two visitors present.

"The Thought for the Day"

was read by Mrs. Tyree. The new club song, "Ever Onward," was sung by the group with Mrs. Ralph Russell at the piano. Members answered roll by naming "A Job I Need to Simplify."

Mrs. E. S. Morgan gave the secretary's report and also the council recommendations, which the club voted to accept. Mrs. H. O. Vogelsang gave the council delegate's report. Meeting

dates for the Education and Food Demonstration committees were announced by the president. Announcement was also made of a "Mrs. America" contest, sponsored by the Lone Star Gas Co. Contestants will be judged on four qualifications.

Mrs. Ralph Russell was elected vice-president to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Mrs. L. C. Sibley. Mrs. E. S.

Morgan was selected candidate for delegate to the district T. H. D. A. meeting. The club voted to invite the Norton home demonstration club on "Know Your Neighbor Day" which will be held on April 3, in the home of Mrs. H. O. Vogelsang.

The president appointed the following committee chairmen: citizenship, Mrs. Vogelsang; civil defense, Mrs. J. J. Wessels;

health and safety, Mrs. Ralph Russell; yearbook, Mrs. Leon Russell; finance, Mrs. Morgan; education, Mrs. Morgan; recreation, Mrs. Ralph Russell.

The next regular meeting will be held on February 13 at 2 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Leon Russell.

Spice tea and doughnuts were served at the social hour.

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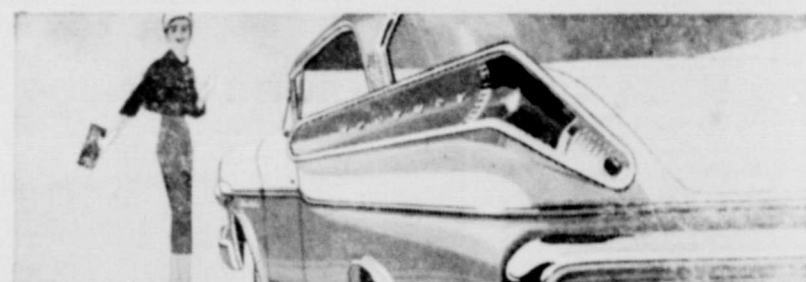
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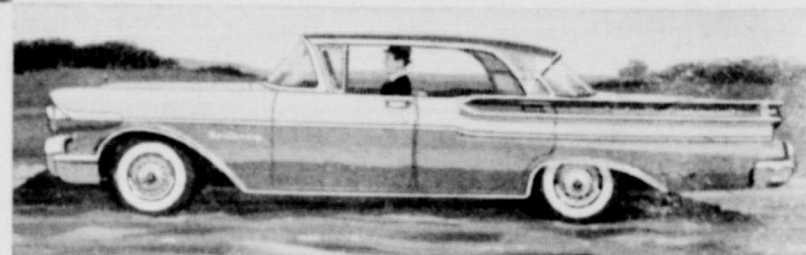
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mony at the home of the bride's roommate, Miss Jo Alexander. Miss Carolyn Beckham registered guests. Miss Rosemary Nowell, sister of the bridegroom, served the wedding cake.

The bridegroom has returned to San Diego, California, where he is serving in the U. S. Navy. The bride will continue to live in Abilene until early spring, when she will join her husband. She is employed at Citizens National Bank in Abilene.

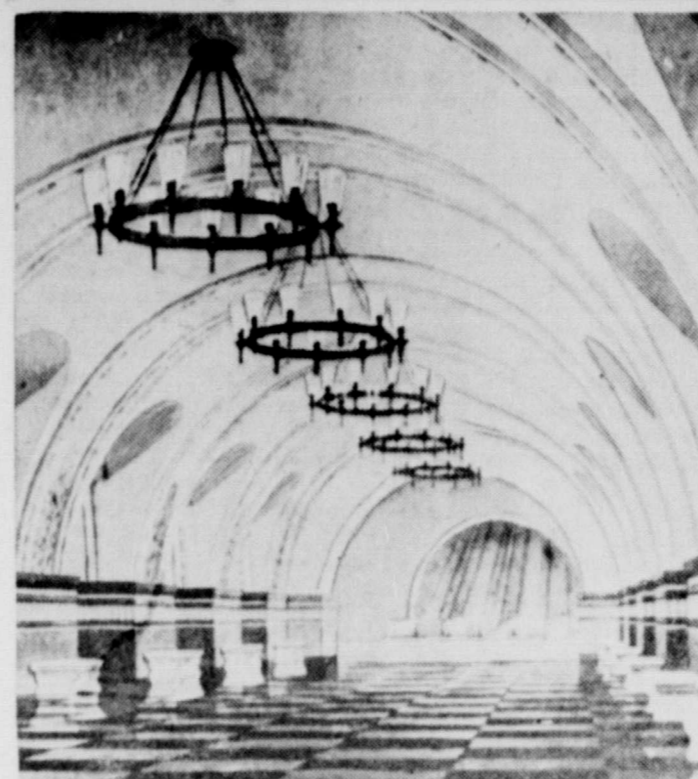
Mrs. Nowell attended Ballinger High School and is a graduate of Miles High School. The bridegroom attended Abilene High School.

Baptist Young People Host Steak Supper

The boys of the Young People No. 1 Sunday School Department of the First Baptist Church entertained the girls of the department with a steak supper Tuesday evening of last week in the recreation room at the church.

M. E. Sweeney, senior boys class teacher, supervised the preparation and serving of the supper. Robert Hollis gave the devotional, using as his subject "God's Splendor" while Hugh Campbell III did a scenic drawing of mountains, trees, and valley during the devotional.

Those present were: Mrs. Joe Forester, department superintendent; Joe Forester, department chorister; Mrs. Pannell Legg, Jr., Mrs. Lawrence Blackmon, department teachers; Mrs.



FAR CRY FROM TIMES SQUARE—This elaborate hall, looking like part of a royal palace, is slated to become part of the Moscow subway system. It is the central hall of the Frunzenskaya Station of the city's Frunze line, scheduled to begin operation this year. Artist's sketch and caption material are from an official Soviet source.

Velma Lee, department secretary; Dorothy Bishop, Brenda Kay Brooks, Jera Summers, Loye Sharp, Floy Sharp, LaNell Holbrook, Jimbeth Flynt, Gayle Jennings, Marilyn Mason, Linda Kay Crockett, Linda Monerief, Margo Brunson, Sarah Chandler, Sharon Tucky, Hugh Campbell III, Robert Hollis, Richard Ayers, Lyle Young, Robert Ledford, Mack Wood, James Hite, Gene Routh, Ronald Anderson, Mr. and Mrs. M. E. Sweeney.

EAST SIDE HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

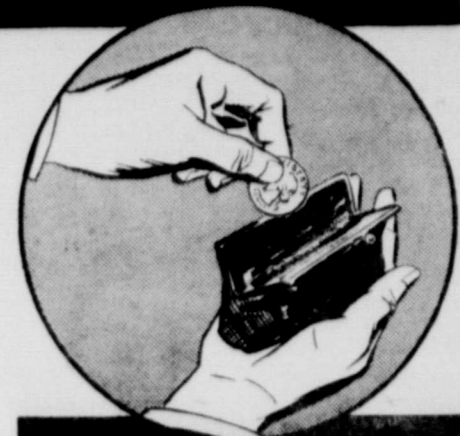
Mrs. Tom Moreland, president, conducted the business at the regular meeting of the East Side home demonstration club which met in the home of Mrs. Joe Jones Thursday afternoon. Members answered roll call by naming "A Job I Need to Simplify." The opening prayer was repeated in union. Mrs. T. R. Kelly gave the council report. The president named the following committee chairmen: Mrs. Everett Witter, yearbook; Mrs. Clarence Routh, finance; Mrs. T. R. Kelly, education; Miss Elina Routh, citizenship; Mrs. Harold Routh, civil defense, safety and health; Mrs. A. Z. Milsap, recreation. Mrs. Troy Moreland read the recommendations adopted by the council which were vote upon and ac-

cepted unanimously. Mrs. Kelly was elected delegate to attend the district meeting to be held in Abilene in April.

At the social hour, Mrs. Jones served pie and coffee to members and a visitor, Mrs. M. J. Winans.

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SOCIETY

Miss Twila Foreman Becomes Bride of James Nowell

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Nuptial vows were solemnized in the home of the bridegroom's

parents, the Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Nowell, 3110 Palm Street, in Abilene, with the Rev. Nowell officiating.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a pink brocaded suit styled with a Peter Pan collar and three quarter length sleeves, trimmed with pink pearls and rhinestones.

She wore a pink feathered hat and white gloves. Other accessories were navy and her corsage was of white gardenias. She carried a white Bible.

Miss Joyce Foreman was her sister's maid of honor and Floyd Grimm was best man. Miss Foreman wore a long torso dress of brown, fashioned with a pleated skirt and three quarter length sleeves. Her accessories were beige and she wore a corsage of white carnations. A reception followed the cere-

BALLINGER HOME DEMONSTRATION CLUB

The Ballinger home demonstration club met Thursday afternoon in the home of Mrs. George Hall on Sixth Street with Mrs. Alvin Spreen, president, in charge of the business.

The club voted to assist with the T. B. Chest X-ray survey which is scheduled in Ballinger on March 6 and 7, and to donate \$5 to March of Dimes campaign. Mrs. Spreen was elected delegate from the club for the district meeting in Abilene in April. Mrs. E. F. Vogel-sang gave the County Council report.

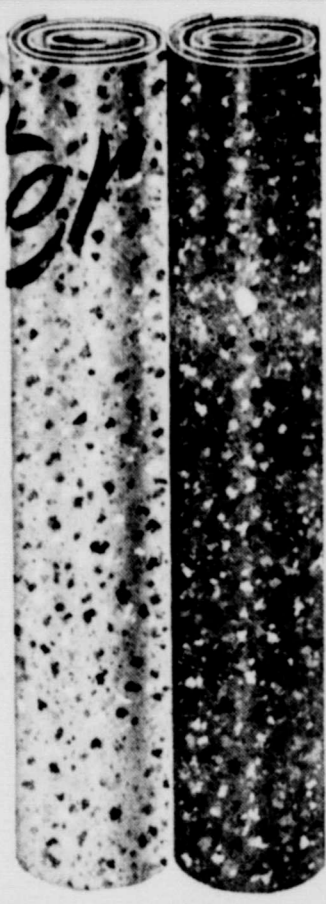
In order to promote friendship among club members, secret pal names were drawn. Hot chocolate and cookies were served. Others present were: Miss Rufus Allen, Felix H. G. A. Morrish, W. A. Nance, E. L. Williamson and Barney Wright.



COCKTAIL SUIT—After-five suit, above, matches the color and formality of a lady's cocktail dress. Designed by Brioni of Rome, it features an iridescent mohair jacket in burgundy red, with Roman cuffs and lapel edgings of Dupioni silk in a paler shade of red. Mushroom pleated white shirt, slim black mohair trousers and black calf-skin shoes with throat banding in pale red silk round out the ensemble.



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Annual Work Summary Of Clubs During 1956

The 194 home demonstration club women and 146 4-H club girls in Runnels County have put into practice many phases of extension information which has been given to them by the home demonstration agent this year.

In planning and carrying out the extension program in this county, Miss Ollie Chenoweth, County Home Demonstration Agent for Runnels County, has devoted 179 days to the adult work and 78 days to girls 4-H work.

As a result of the home demonstration club programs in this county, homes have been made more attractive and livable, yards have been made more beautiful, women and girls have learned to plan and make their own clothes, as well as plan and prepare meals that will meet nutritional needs of the family.

There are eleven well-organized home demonstration clubs, and 7 4-H clubs in this county. The agent has met with each of the 11 home demonstration clubs six times this year. Each time she planned and gave programs for the clubs. She has met each of the girls 4-H clubs once each month during the school term and has given the program each time.

The home demonstration clubs in this county with presidents who served during 1956 are: Ballinger, Mrs. George Hall; Bethel, Mrs. Clyde Simmons; Crews, Mrs. Junior Puller; Drasco, Mrs. Robert Conner; East Side, Mrs. Harold Routh; Friendly Neighbors, Mrs. Roy Tyree; Norton, Mrs. Joe Crockett; Olfen, Mrs. Theo Halfmann; Rowena, Mrs. Harvey Schroeder; South Ballinger, Mrs. Archie Wallace; and Winters, Mrs. J. C. Jarrell.

The seven 4-H clubs and their 1956 presidents are: Ballinger-Bethel, Jimbeth Flynt; Norton, Mary Frances Greger; Olfen, Betty Joyce Fuchs; St. Joseph Sr., Karen Zentner; St.

Eddie Fisher, hitherto heard or seen only on radio, TV, nightclubs and recordings, makes an auspicious film debut in a merry and tuneful farce-comedy, "Bundle of Joy," showing at the Texas Theatre Sunday, Monday and Tuesday, which should be a box-office winner—at holiday time or any other season. Costarred with his popular wife, Debbie Reynolds, at the time when they are at the peak of their headlines value because of the recent birth of their baby and when Eddie's records are selling into the millions, the picture is packed with exploitable angles. Based on Norman Krasna's "Bachelor Mother," which was a Glueger Rogers starring hit in 1939, the story revolves around an abandoned baby played by a cunning infant who will have the ladies squealing with delight. The attractive Debbie is an expert comedienne, Adolphe Menjou is perfectly cast as a department store tycoon, and Nita Talbot and Una Merkel contribute brightly to the laugh moments.

Cheerful, infectious and completely captivating, Columbia Pictures' new comedy with music, "You Can't Run Away From It," shows Wednesday only at the Texas Theatre, as gay as the frosting on a wedding cake and as inviting as a spring day in Paris. "You Can't Run Away From It" stars Jane Allyson and the ebullient Jack Lemmon, who won an Academy Award for his sparkling portrayal of Ensign Pulver in "Mister Roberts."

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Programs for girls will stress clothing and foods. Girls will learn to select materials and make garments. They will also learn to use vegetables in their daily diets and learn how to prepare and serve these vegetables.

The development of the program in this county will stress the continuation of all phases of the demonstrations and the progress of the extension program in Runnels County. As the work continues women and girls in the county are striving to improve their homes and to make the county a better place in which to live.

Heart Association To Collect Funds In Ballinger Soon

Within the next few weeks a representative of the American Heart Association will call upon the business firms and employees of Ballinger. This individual is giving of his time to collect your contributions to the heart association.

Money collected goes directly to our district chapter, but the benefits can be seen in our own community. The radio and television programs which have been seen during the past year are prepared by the association to inform the public concerning heart disease and the measures which are taken to prevent and treat these conditions. The need for funds for research are demonstrated.

The district in San Angelo operates a free clinic for diagnosis, treatment and rehabilitation for people who are unable to pay for their medical care. During the past year many people from Runnels County have been examined and treated by heart specialists who give their time without charge in operating this clinic. Anyone who has a heart condition and is unable to pay for medical examination can be sent to this clinic. Eleven counties of this district and Tom Green County use the facilities in the basement of the Shannon Hospital.

A large percent of the money continues on to the state and national chapters to be used in information programs, and most important to promote research in heart centers for new and better methods of therapy and in courses for physicians and other therapists in latest methods in care of heart patients.

Within the next few weeks, a Latin American girl will be sent to Houston where surgeons will close a hole within her heart. These surgeons will give their time free but hospitalization will be a sizeable item and will be paid by the district fund.

A donor can designate his contribution for local use, research, equipment or for clinic, etc. During the year there were frequent memorials given in memory of those who have been stricken by heart disease. These can be given to F. M. Pearce, county chairman, or Dr. L. L. Downing who is a member of the board of directors. For each person for whom a memorial is given, their name is placed upon a giant heart in the district office and an engraved acknowledgement is sent by the Texas Heart Association to the family of the deceased. Memorials bring dividends of better health for years to come for loved ones and ourselves.

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CLUB WOMEN MEETING IN PAINT ROCK FEB. 4

Home demonstration agents and club women from district 7 will gather in Paint Rock Monday for an all-day session to make plans for future work.

Mrs. Tom Egan, state recreation chairman, will have all members of her committee there to meet with Miss Lucille Moore, state recreation specialist. They will hold a separate session to make plans for annual summer meetings of clubs this spring and summer.

Others attending the meeting from here will be Mrs. J. L. Ohlhausen, Mrs. Clyde Simmons and Miss Ollie Chenoweth.

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DEATHS

Otto Joseph Halfmann
Otto J. Halfmann, 66, died at his home in the Olfen community at 10 p. m. Friday after suffering a heart attack. He had been in failing health for several years.

Decedent was born July 7, 1890 at Frelsburg and moved to Runnels County in 1929 and has made his home in the Olfen community since that time. He operated a farm since coming to this area. He was married to Mamie Magdalena Greger on January 9, 1912 at Westphalia.

Rosary was held at 7:30 p. m. Sunday at the Newby-Davis Funeral Chapel. Funeral services were at 10 a. m. Monday at St. Boniface Church in Olfen with Rev. Norbert Wagner officiating, assisted by Rev. George Rabrocker, Rev. Edward Rabrocker, nephews of Mr. Halfmann, and Rev. Patrick Ryan. Burial was in St. Boniface Cemetery at Olfen.

Survivors include his wife; one daughter, Mrs. Elizabeth Urbaneck of Rowena; five sons, Raymond F. Edward O. Herbert R., Harold H. and Leonard H., all of Ballinger; five brothers, Joseph, Louis and Bennie, all of Ballinger; Hugo and Fritz, both of Olfen; three sisters, Mrs. John Lenz of San Angelo, Mrs. Lawrence Reinders of Temple and Mrs. Mary Miller of Westphalia; and 13 grandchildren.

Mrs. Vertie Lewis
Mrs. O. L. (Vertie) Lewis, 71, died at 9:30 a. m. Tuesday in Bangs where she has been making her home for the past few months. She had been in ill health for about seven years.

Decedent was born on July 14, 1885 and was married to O. L. Lewis at Menard in 1909. After his death in 1920 she operated a bakery here for a number of years. She has lived at Ballinger most of the time since coming here from Menard.

Funeral services were held at 10 a. m. today at the Eighth Street Church of Christ with Orland Rury officiating. Burial was in Evergreen Cemetery with Newby-Davis Funeral Home in charge of arrangements.

Survivors are three daughters, Mrs. Mabel Brown, Tuscon, Arizona; Mrs. O. L. Hatcher, Kermit; Mrs. Excell Segrest, Bangs; one sister, Mrs. O. F. Curley, San Angelo; one brother, Robert B. Bigham, Lansing, Michigan; and 12 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren.

DR. OHLHAUSEN'S AUNT BURIED AT FREDONIA

Funeral services for Mrs. Jim H. (Ellie) Ohlhausen, 78, were held Sunday afternoon in Pontotoc.

Mrs. Ohlhausen died Saturday in Mason Memorial Hospital. She had lived in Fredonia since 1947. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Survivors include three sons and two daughters; a brother, Harry Wright of San Angelo; and two sisters, Mrs. Myrtle Holt of Brady and Mrs. Beulah Phillips of Fort Worth; 13 grandchildren and 13 great-grandchildren.

Dr. J. L. Ohlhausen of Ballinger, a nephew of the deceased, was unable to attend the funeral services because of the icy roads.

RELATIVES ATTEND FUNERAL AT QUANAH

Mrs. H. U. Jones received word Saturday that her brother, Joe Hammond of Quanah had passed away. He was well known in and around Quanah, having lived on a ranch there for fifty years. Mrs. Jones and Mrs. Jim Mac Wright of Ballinger and Mrs. B. C. Leach of Abilene attended the funeral services in Quanah Monday.

MRS. JOHN A. TYLER IS BURIED AT MILES

Mrs. John Allen Tyler, 80, former publisher of the Miles Messenger, died Monday in the Memorial Hospital at San Angelo.

Decedent was born on March 1, 1876, at Dale in Caldwell County and was married to Mr. Tyler on August 19, 1891. They moved to Miles in 1903 and purchased the Miles Messenger in 1920. She was owner and publisher from the time of Mr. Tyler's death in 1925 until 1940. She served as chairman of the Miles chapter of the Red Cross for a number of years during the 1930s.

Funeral services were held at 2:30 p. m. Wednesday in the Miles Baptist Church and burial followed in the Miles Cemetery.

Survivors are four sons, G. Arthur Tyler, Henry A. Tyler and William B. Tyler, all of San Angelo; Otto Tyler of Tyler; five daughters, Mrs. H. Melvin Boykin, Miles; Mrs. Glenn E. Edmond, Lamesa; Mrs. W. L. Hollister, San Angelo; Mrs. Gay Edwards, Ballinger and Mrs. E. F. Edwards, Jr. of

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Mrs. John Royal of Menard was awarded first place in the statewide public speaking contest for the soil conservation district cooperators. The award was made at the state meeting held in Tyler last week. She received a plaque and a check for \$175 and all expenses to the convention. She may now enter her speech in the national contest which will be held later in the year. In filing her speech, it was sent to the state on a tape recording and also in written form. The major part of her talk concerned the holding of the water on the land after rains.

Brady attorney Sam McCollum was back in the district court room at Brady last Thursday and said he was feeling fine. It was his first appearance at his work since he was seriously injured in a bomb explosion in front of his home last June. Last fall he handled one case in the McCulloch county court but the judge met him on the first floor. The attorney still cannot walk and was carried to the second floor last week and remained in a special chair with rubber wheels.

The annual Melvin F. F. A. fat stock show was held last Saturday with a good number of exhibitors on hand. The 4-H club members of the area were also invited to take part in the show and a number of animals were entered by these groups. Prizes were set at \$140 for the top winners in each division. The Melvin Lions Club provided special trophies for the grand champion lamb and the grand champion calf. A floating trophy was also offered for the champion lamb and it must be won three times in a row to become permanent.

Following the discovery of a rabid fox in the city limits of Eden the city council has taken emergency measures and ordered that all dogs and cats running at large be destroyed. A rabid fox was also killed at Eden some three weeks ago. Dog and cat owners have three weeks to get animals vaccinated and meet other city requirements. Those not registered and given shots by that time will be killed by city police. During the three weeks, owners are urged to

keep their pets penned or tied-up at their places. The Miles F. F. A. Chapter has entered 13 barrows, 4 junior steers and 23 lambs in the annual stock show at Houston. The dates of the show are from February 20 through March 3. This is the silver anniversary of the Houston show and is expected to be the largest in history. Many animals from West Texas towns will be entered at Houston this year.

At a meeting of the Rowena Lions Club last week most of the program time was consumed with arrangements for features for the March of Dimes. Joe Dierschke made a report on the kickoff breakfast held at Ballinger. It was stated that dime cards would be handed to all school children and that the big event would be a benefit dance on February 14.

Congressman Omar Burleson has informed people at Stephenville that the department of the army has released \$120,000 to be used for the construction of a national guard armory in that city. It was also stated at Stephenville that \$150,000 had been approved for a new armory at Hillsboro. Guard officers at Stephenville expect bids to be asked within a short time and hope that work will get underway within four months.

Former attorney general John Ben Sheppard of Odessa has been announced as the speaker for the annual banquet of the Winters Chamber of Commerce which will be held on the night of February 28. The dinner and program will be in the school cafeteria. A committee started a ticket sale this week and expect to use the capacity of the dining hall for the gathering. Other entertainment numbers will be arranged on the program and a short business session presented.

Committees at Bronte have announced a large number of special events for the March of Dimes in the final week of the campaign. Latin American citizens staged a big hot tamale sale last Saturday with all proceeds going to the March of Dimes. A downtown building was used for the sale which

lasted during the entire day. Several benefit basketball games, a dance and the mothers March are other events for the rest of this week. They expect to exceed their goal with the funds raised from the special programs.

The Kiwanis Club at Coleman is making plans for the Little Olympics to be held in either April or May this year. This program has been popular in past years and has attracted a large crowd of both boys and girls from the county. Contests will be announced within a short time and entries accepted from the county. Members of the committee stated that the events would likely be held at night this year at Hufford Field. The Kiwanis at their meeting last week honored Floyd Shelton for his fine work in serving as auctioneer at the annual livestock show sale.

Miss Beth Rothman, stylist from Volk Brothers of Dallas attended the meeting of the Paint Rock Home Demonstration Club and Study Club last week and presented the program. The meeting was held in the community hall at Paint Rock and attended by a large crowd of women. Miss Rothman on the importance of posture, make-up, and courtesies in dress, health and personality. She demonstrated the correct and incorrect way of walking, sitting, getting into a car and many other movements of the ladies in their everyday life.

The Chamber of Commerce at Colorado City has started a membership campaign to give all new comers to the city an opportunity to become affiliated with the organization. In the first effort, 24 new members were added and those on special committee stated there were many other contacts to be made. During the past year the membership committee has added 115 new members to the Colorado City Chamber and approximately \$2,400 in dues. An effort is being made to have every business in the city represented and working for and paying to the organization.

The annual football banquet will be held at Comanche on February 19 with Claude (Cheena) Gilstrap, head coach at Arlington State College as the speaker. Gilstrap created a name for himself and his school the past season when he won the state junior college championship and was invited to the Little Rose Bowl for the game which selects the national

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National Boy Scout Week for 1957 has been set from February 6 to 12. During that period many observances will be held throughout the nation. February 10 will be a day for church observance and all faiths will be invited to hold special services and programs. This year some 4,500,000 cubs, scouts, explorers and adult leaders will take part in the special activities for the week. A check up of membership in the various groups show 1,880,000 cubs, 1,155,000 scouts, 465,000 explorers and 1,196,843 volunteer adult leaders. There are 3,157 professional leaders which is a ratio of one to every 379 volunteer leaders. Since the organization on February 8, 1910, total scouts and leaders number more than 26,000,000. Ballinger groups will be active during the special week and will present programs and hold special meetings.

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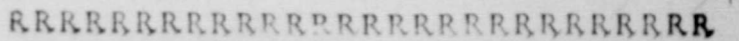
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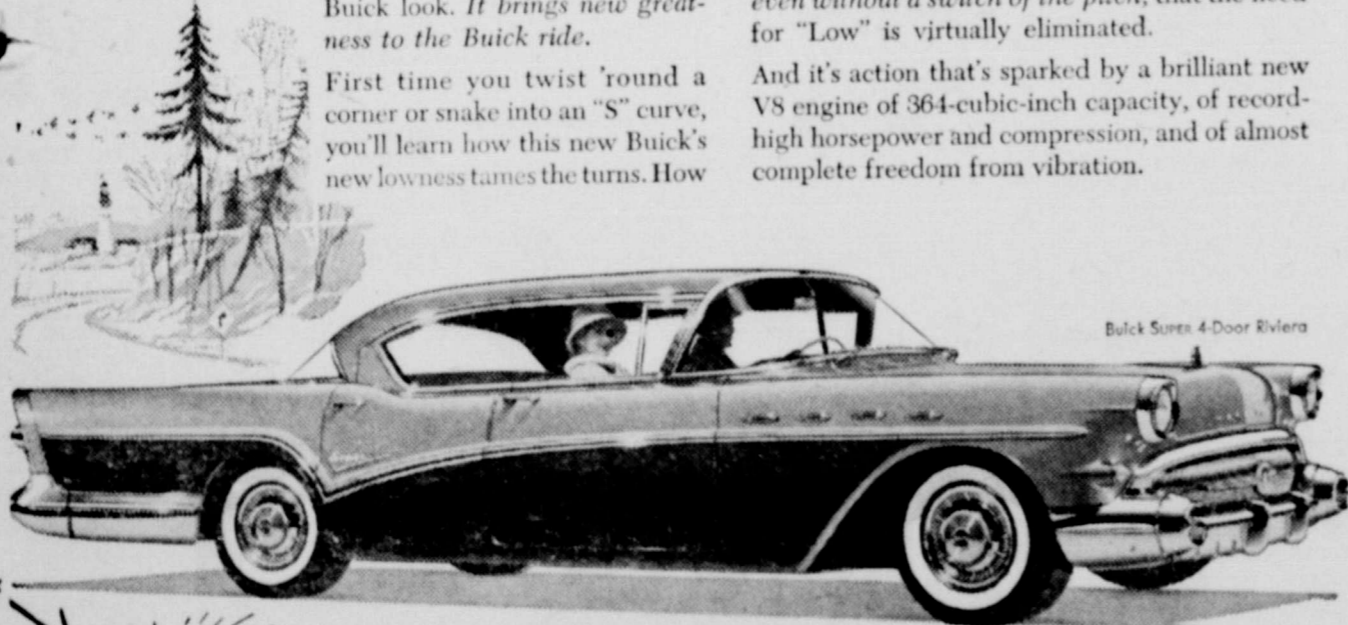
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