

CONGRATULATIONS....

TO THE GRADUATES
CLASS OF 1919 FROM

The Publisher and Staff of

THE ALVA REVIEW-COURIER

TODAY'S NEWS TODAY



We extend to the graduates of the High School, and County and Alva High School our best wishes and good wishes. We congratulate you on your fine work and hope that you will go on to seek and enjoy the new phase of life and seek new goals to attain.

We urge you to pursue further schooling and pray you have great success in the future business world or home-making.

Keep Hopes, Keep Smiling and Keep Working
to Keep America Free and Safe
Worth Fighting for Each Day.

Sincerely,

W. D. BICKNELL,
Editor and Publisher
The Alva Review-Courier

Publishers of Your Hometown Daily
Newspaper and the Goldbug Press



Marilyn Post



Lowell Smith

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Brown Heads List Of AHS Honor Awards

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Hospital News

ALLA GENERAL HOSPITAL ...

Seagull Line Lands 5-Pounder In Boat

... the ...

Baccalaureate Is Sunday Program As Ceremonies Begin

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Here's To...
YOUR BRIGHT FUTURE



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Best Wishes for SUCCESS ...
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Your record has been
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Portrait Jean Tolson

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... we know that you will
make the most of it.

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Congratulations Graduates 1949



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Alvin Paris

District Manager

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KUMBULS gets you
ready for the
TIME.

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2 Killed In Plane Crashes In Seat

BY UNITED PRESS
Two persons died and another
was injured last night in three plane
crashes in Oklahoma. Reports of
the crashes.
Astronauts recovered the body of
one of the pilots who crashed last
night near Tulsa. The body was
found in the wreckage of the plane.
Both air-line planes were ATC-
registered training planes.

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SUCCESS IN THE FUTURE

**ALVA
BODY & FENDER WORKS**



Robert Williams

Best Wishes Class of '49



Harold Butler

Fred Butler Motor Co.



Bill Truesdale

May Your Future Hold
Much Success And
Happiness.

**Wedding
e In Movie**

ALVA, Okla., (AP)—The
wedding scene in the movie
"The Love of Carmen"
will be done by Miss
Hoyworth as a model movie
star. Miss Hoyworth on
Friday, she is expected to
appear in the picture.
The picture is expected to
be a success.



PRINCIPAL—Orville Kira is the principal at Alva High school.

**Salesman Too Eager,
Sells Boss' House**

The boss from the
Authority was in Alva
last night when he
bought the house of
the salesman.

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**ELKS BIG
DANCE**

Saturday Nite
May 21

DO YOU? KNOW...



NOW you can get the facts every farm borrower should have. Ask for the free booklet pictured above. It's packed with good, practical information on farm mortgage loans.

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Alva, Okla.



Wendie Jones

**To The
1949 GRADUATES**

Best Wishes For
SUCCESS IN THE FUTURE

**ALVA
BODY & FENDER WORKS**

... "What are you going to do with the money you are saving?" ... "I plan to work an extra year and then to take a year or two off" ... "That's the best, isn't it?"

... "I'll be glad to see you when you get back" ... "I'll be glad to see you when you get back" ... "I'll be glad to see you when you get back"

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Prince Aly Sets Stage For Wedding By Introducing Bride-To-Be In Movie



... Prince Aly Khan, great Hollywood actor, and announced his intention to marry Miss Maryon, who was seen in the movie "The Love of Carmen".

... The movie is a comedy and will be shown in the city ... "I'll be glad to see you when you get back"

SPONSOR—Graham Elliot is sponsor of the 1949 Alva high school graduating class. He is an instructor in English.

Teen-Age Toothies Receive Attention

... high school students were busy to make in society their own tooth ... "I'll be glad to see you when you get back"

Bridge Gam Yields Two Perfect Hands

... PAULANCE 125 (UPI)—In the course of a session of bridge at the home of Dorothy Ryland ... "I'll be glad to see you when you get back"

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GOOD LUCK
TO THE "GRADS"

OF ALVA AND
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'49



Bill Bircher



Earlene Heaton

'49



Bill Robinson

To each graduating Senior we wish to extend our heartiest congratulations. Your accomplishments have been numerous, and we are certain those to come shall be even more plentiful.

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MENT AVAIL-

Super-Tanker Launched
QUINCY, Mass. (UP)—The super-tanker Pennsylvania, launched here has a capacity of 10,100,000 gallons of oil. Her propeller, 22 feet in diameter, weighs 54,000 pounds.

mark the tires of parked automobiles.



Dorothy Reynolds

Congratulations '49 GRADUATES

Your Future Will Overflow With Success

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A candle lighting service was held with scriptures being read by the newly installed officers. All members and guests joined in the service by lighting their candles and joining the friendship circle.

Miss Leta Haysman, organization sponsor, conducted the candle lighting ceremony. Following the program all assembled in the gymnasium for sack lunches. The lowerclassmen furnished lunches for their guests, the senior girls and lady members of the faculty. Ice tea was served by the organization.

Miss Nancy McGinley, newly installed president, presented to each senior girl a bronze cookmark which was enclosed in a card indicating the coming graduation day.

Senior girls who are members of the Y-Teen organization include Misses Betty McArthur, outgoing president; Donna Lee Armstrong; Emma Kay Fullerton; Marvel Munden; Eugenia Mae Mallory; Harlene Wood; Elna Littrell; JoAnn Scribner; Carol Melton; Leahoma Babcock; Marilyn Hort; and Dorothy Lee Ballant.

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Furthermore, it is believed that cancer is caused by abnormal amino acids. The amino acids are essential for the growth of the body. The amino acids are also essential for the growth of the body. The amino acids are also essential for the growth of the body.

To find out more about the amino acids, write to the American Cancer Society, 527 North Dearborn Street, Chicago, Illinois. They will send you a free booklet on the subject.

In three years, it is estimated that 100,000 people will die of cancer. This is a terrible tragedy. It is a disease that can be prevented. It is a disease that can be cured.

Diagnosis of cancer is often difficult. It is often found in the late stages of the disease. It is often found in the late stages of the disease. It is often found in the late stages of the disease.

It is now possible to live with cancer. It is now possible to live with cancer. It is now possible to live with cancer.

The village of... really need... the small...

Roaring... ROARING... The village... to live up... really need... the small...

BEST WISHES
Graduates

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1949



Kenneth McOsker



Gerald "Jerry" Brown

*"There is no wealth like unto knowl-
edge, thieves cannot steal it."*

Brown & Brown

HARDWARE

"A Good Place To Trade"

...have forgotten about
"We women," Miss Russell said
sincerely. "Have a duty to refresh
their memories."
A woman, she added, never gets
so busy she forgets that kind of
thing. That's because women have
more social conscience, naturally.
Miss Russell said the woman who
sets out to reawaken a man has to
be subtle. But firm.
"The day of the wallflower is
over," she said. "This is the year
of the cave woman. She doesn't let
men get away."
When a man draws near, in other
words, the cave woman does not let
his mind wander back to the com-
munist in China.
"She grabs him by both should-
ers," Miss Russell said. "She kisses
him forcefully. It shake a man up."
For illustration, see Miss Rus-
sell's latest movie, Columbia's "Tell
to the Judge." She shakes up two
men, previously deeply immersed in
business affairs.
"Men are so busy making a living
these days and getting financial ac-
quaintance in a high-powered world
that they don't have time to woo and
cause women," she said. "Women
must meet the challenge.
"No limp hands. No pursed, ex-
tant lips. No coy demurring.
You've got to prove you know what
you're all about."
That's the only way, she said, to
rescue a man from modern life.
"It takes his mind off income
taxes, the stock market, the United
Nations and the atom bomb," she
declared, "and reminds him of the
fundamental things in life."

At Poona, India, a \$9 million
project for the manufacture of pen-
icillin, sulphur and anti-malarial
drugs is being constructed.

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of \$2,779,000 and \$3,727.20 per year.
Employment will be with the de-
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New Federal Building, St. Louis 1,
Mo.; Tech Civil Service Region,

...she defeated a male
opponent in the annual election.
Federal Building, 635 South St. New
Orleans 12, La.; and Fourteenth
Civil Service Region, 210 South Har-
wood St., Dallas 1, Texas.

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Graduate's 1949



Lawanda Brockman

... on a job well done.
There is a bright future
awaiting you.

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Trying To "Fool" Cancer With Synthetic Substance

NEW YORK (UP)—The human body is composed of some 100 billion of individual cells. These constantly wear out and are constantly replaced if the body gets its proper nourishment.

In about one out of eight persons in the United States, something goes wrong with the normal reproduction of the cells. The offspring, or daughter cells, change their characteristics and go on a mad rush of multiplication, like rapidly-growing weeds.

That's cancer.

For many years, medical science has been trying to find what substance taken in the diet eventually creates the substances which compose the nucleus of a life cell—because it has been established that such substances, nucleus acids, probably control the peepers growth or multiplication of the cell.

Furthermore, it has been established that cancerous cells demand abnormal amounts of certain necessary nucleus acids to continue their criminal multiplication. Medical science now has evidence that abnormal substances can be made in the test tube which are poisonous to the cancer tissue and yet serve the needs of the normal.

One way is to "fool" the cancer cell. That is, give it something that looks to it like the nucleus acid it needs—but isn't.

To find such a "phony food" that will allow the cancer cell and at the same time give the normal cell what it needs has been a problem in many cancer laboratories. Scientists at the Sloan-Kettering Institute for Cancer Research, part of Memorial hospital center here, may have the answer.

In three years of study they have determined that a chemical substance...



FINEST PEP CLUB IN STATE—Here's a photo of the Nancy Boggettes, girls pep club at Alva high school, the real generating power of enthusiasm behind the Goldbugs very successful athletic campaigns. Officers of the pep club, sponsored by Marguerite Elliott, this past year were Harlene Lord, president; Marvel Maxwell,

vice president; Nancy McGinley, secretary; Joan Scribner, treasurer, and Dorothy Ballard, representative to the student council. The yell leaders, in front, from left to right are: Karlene Heaton, Emma Jean Fullerton, Katie Ellen Paul and Barbara Turner.

Hollywood Film Shop

By PATRICIA CLARY
Local Press Staff Correspondent

HOLLYWOOD—(UP)—Men are going busy these days to think about love. It's up to the women to remind them.

What with war, income taxes and atomic implications, says Harold Russell, men have forgotten about the less and the lovelier.

"No women," Miss Russell said sternly, "have a duty to refresh their memories."

A woman, she added, never gets so busy she forgets that kind of thing. That's because women have more social conscience, naturally.

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Civil Service Announces Jobs With Air Force

The U. S. Civil Service Commission has announced an examination for filling vacancies in the position of instructor, airplane and engine mechanic in the entrance salaries of \$2,375.00 and \$3,127.20 per year.

Employment will be with the department of the Air Force, Shen-

jard Air Force base, Wichita Falls, Texas. Application forms may be obtained from the post office, from the executive secretary, U. S. Civil Service Commission, department of the Air Force base, Wichita Falls, Texas; or from the regional director of the following Civil Service Regions:

Fifty Civil Service region, New Post Office Building, Atlanta 3, Ga.; Ninth Civil Service Region, New Federal Building, St. Louis 1, Mo.; Tech Civil Service Region,

Long Tradition Broken
WEST BUDDESWATER, Mass.—(UP)—For the first time in its 263-year history, this town had a woman town clerk. She is Mrs. William B. Bowen, 39, mother of four children. She defeated a male opponent in the annual election.

Federal Building, 426 South St. New Orleans 12, La.; and Fourteenth Civil Service Region, 219 North Hollywood St. Dallas 1, Texas.

Congratulations



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Scientists Now Trying To "Fool" Cancer Into Feeding On Synthetic Substance

Senior Girls Are Entertained By AHS Y-Teens

The Y-Teens were hostess to a party given in honor of those girls who are graduating seniors, Wednesday, April 27, in the high school auditorium and gymnasium.

The program opened with a book review presented by Mrs. Roscoe Elliott. She presented a review on "The Bishop's Mantle," by Agnes Turnbull. Following the review, Joy Ann Cameron sang "Jesus I Have Promised." She was accompanied by Nancy Joachim.

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In three years of study they have determined that a chemical substance known technically as 2,6-diaminopurine, when given in the diet, converts into a compound of nucleic acid, known as guanine. This is an important constituent of the living cell. However, it has been shown that diaminopurine apparently alters the makeup of the nucleic acid—making it poisonous for the abnormal cell. The diaminopurine has been found to be poisonous to normal cells, too, if given in too heavy doses.

Diaminopurine is not found in nature. It has been made in synthetic form and may be one of science's most powerful weapons against cancer.

First, it was tested in the test tube, and then in mice and rats. It was found to poison temporarily transplanted leukemia in mice and one type of cancer in the rat. It also was found to be effective against a mouse type of cancer in tissue culture.

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SUPERINTENDENT—Earl Gels is the superintendent of the Alva public schools. He will preside at the commencement exercises Thursday night at the high school auditorium.

News From Dacoma

Mr. and Mrs. Rex Davis and Janice were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Billy Wayne Whitel.

Mr. and Mrs. Alden Elliott and Harry Lee spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elliott.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Baker and Audrey were Sunday afternoon callers in the R. C. Low home at Alva.

Mrs. Louise Hiett of Alva and Mrs. Ethel of Pogueau were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Elliott.

Mrs. Dora Miller of Oakland, California is visiting her mother, Mrs. Henry Smith at Alva and her sister Mrs. Jim Swacey and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Willie Looper of Knid were here visiting and looking after farming interests last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Jimmy Kasik spent Sunday evening in the C. W. Leslie home.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Swacey spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs.

John Newman and Max. Mr. and Mrs. Ira White at Alva are now driving a new car.

Arthur Dawson and the boys were Sunday afternoon callers in the M. L. Swacey home.

Mrs. Lee Davis visited last in the home of her daughter, family Mr. and Mrs. Bobbie of Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Max Day Kelly spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Rex Davis at Alva.

Mr. and Mrs. John Newman business callers at Haskard. Mr. and Mrs. Merlin Brown and Terry Max were callers Sunday night visitors in the Morris Leslie home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Hite son of Tulsa, Calif., Mrs. Hite of Tulsa and son and Miss Hite of Los Angeles, Calif., Mrs. Herb McDonald of Los Angeles and Will Fox and son of Rogers, Arkansas, are here with their mother Mrs. Lehnle Stewart, who is a patient in the Alva General hospital.

Those who ate Sunday dinner with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McDermott were Mr. and Mrs. Fred Simmons, Gerald and Gracie, Chester McDermott, Ralph McDermott and Mrs. Halie Burkholder. Afternoon callers were Mrs. Lewis Hiett of Alva, Mrs. Du Bois of Panna and Mr. and Mrs. Orylle McLean of Leola and Prussia of Alva.

Mrs. Betty Hiett was a Tuesday evening supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Glasgow and Dana Dean.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Morrow and Harry were Tuesday dinner guests of Mrs. Sam Riggs and Sammy Mae.

Mrs. Dean Morrow and Mrs. Sam Riggs were shopping in Alva Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Ging, Earlene and Tommy Lee of Blackwell spent from Monday until Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Morrow and Earl Dean and other relatives.

Those spending Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Morrow and Earl Dean were Mr. and Mrs. Ross Harbaugh, John Harbaugh and Mrs. Leola Stone all of Sullivant, Indiana; Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Ging, Earlene and Tommy Lee of Blackwell; Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Merle Leslie, Maxie and Jimmy and Mr. and Mrs. Loyd Ross and Loyd Dale.

A Picture of Success



Russel Melton

The
GRADUATES
of
1949

Tanner Bros.

Over 200 hybrid varieties of potato have been evolved by the Indian Council of Agricultural Research.

Goldbug Press Captures Honor in Press Event

The Goldbug Press, which has been the leading newspaper in the town since its inception in 1910, has captured the honor of being the best newspaper in the state in a contest held by the National Press Association.

The contest was held in New York City and the Goldbug Press was one of the 100 best newspapers in the country. The contest was held for the first time in 1935 and the Goldbug Press was one of the few newspapers in the state to be selected.

The Goldbug Press was selected for its high quality of news, its excellent editorial work, and its fine printing. The newspaper has a long and distinguished history and has always been a leader in its field.



Carl Nelson

CONGRATULATION GRADUATE

OF ALVA AND WOOD

1941

SENIORS of "Every-Nine"
 Your record thus far... is fine.
 For Your Future—
 We predict "Success"
 And wish you "Happiness".



Kenneth Reed

Shafers
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CONFORT'S



News From Dacoma



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Mr. and Mrs. Rex Smith and family were Friday evening guests of Mr. and Mrs. Betty Warren Whitely.

Mr. and Mrs. Allen Elliott and Moore last spent Saturday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Charley Elliott, Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Baker and family were Sunday afternoon visitors in the U. W. Lodge at Alva.

Mrs. Louise Smith of Alva and Mrs. Helen of Pagan were Sunday afternoon callers of Mr. and Mrs. Charley Elliott.

Mrs. Emma Miller of Okemah, Oklahoma is visiting her mother Mrs. Henry Smith at Alva and her sister Mrs. Jim presently and family.

Mr. and Mrs. White Lopez of Alva were here visiting and looking after business matters last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Rank spent Sunday evening in the U. W. Lodge home.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Hansen spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs.

John Hansen and Mrs. Helen and Mrs. E. A. White and family were here visiting a few days.

Arthur Hansen and family were here Saturday afternoon with Mr. L. S. Sweeney.

Mr. Lee Danks visited here at the home of her daughter, family Mr. and Mrs. Richard of Alva.

Mr. and Mrs. May DeWalt spent Monday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Fred Danks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Peterson visited here at Dacoma.

Mr. and Mrs. Martin Smith and Perry Mae were here Sunday night visitors of Mrs. Louise home.

Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Smith and son of Valton, Calif. were here Friday and son and Mrs. J. M. Smith of Los Angeles, Calif.

John McDonald of Los Angeles and Will Tom and son of Dacoma, Alaska, are here with company.

Mr. Leslie Nelson, who is a partner in the Alva General Store and

those who are visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. W. E. McDermott, Gerald and Gracie, Charles McDermott, Ruth McDermott and Mrs. Helen Burkhart.

Visitors were Mrs. Leta Hall of Alva, Mrs. D. B. Bell of Pampa, Texas and Mrs. Gertrude McDonald, Lame and Prussia of Alva.

Mrs. Betty Dent was a Sunday evening supper guest of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gagnon and Carol Dent.

Mr. and Mrs. Dean Morrow and family were Tuesday dinner guests of Mrs. Sam Hutz and family.

Mrs. Dean Morrow and Mrs. Ruth Hutz were stopped in Alva Tuesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gray, who have been coming to Alva weekly since they were married, were Wednesday with Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Morrow and Carl Dent and other relatives.

Those spending Tuesday evening with Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Morrow and Carl Dent were Mr. and Mrs. Ross Harbison, John Harbison and Mrs. Loretta Harbison of Sulphur, Oklahoma; Mr. and Mrs. Robert Gray, Barlow and Thelma Lee of Blackwell; Mr. and Mrs. L. P. Ross, Mr. and Mrs. Steve Leslie, Mable and Joyce and Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Ross and Lloyd Oak.

Goldbug Press Captures Honor in Press Event

Four students from Alva, Oklahoma captured first prize in the Goldbug Press contest, May 1, from 100-standing speakers for the 1948-49 school year.

They were: Betty Warren Whitely, Alva; Carl Dent, Alva; and Perry Mae Smith, Alva. The Goldbug Press is the official newspaper of the Alva community.



Carl Dent

SENIORS of "Forty-Nine"
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Good Luck and Best Wishes! We have a confession to make to you 1949 graduates. We are a total failure when it comes to thinking up good advice for this great occasion, but we did collect a few good old bromides, viz: "New To The Line", "Shoulder To The Wheel", "Nix To The Grindstone", "Foot On The Ground", "Eyes On A Star".

If you will follow all of them you'll be a Success without our advice. Anyway, all we wanted to do was Congratulate you and wish you a tall happy life!

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