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JOHN DEAVER, veteran of both World War I and II, who will be installed tonight as commander of the Chas. R. Simmons post of the American Legion.

Moore to Install 46-47 Officers of American Legion

John Deaver, Veteran of Both World Wars, To Be New Commander

Jimmy Moore of Amarillo, 18th district commander of the American Legion, will be in Memphis tonight to conduct the installation ceremonies of new officers of the Chas. R. Simmons Post, L. B. Merrell, out-going commander of the post, said this week.

John Deaver, veteran of both World War I and World War II, will be installed as the new commander of the local post. Deaver was chosen, along with other new officers, at a recent meeting of the Legion members. He will replace Merrell.

New vice commander will be T. O. Pounds, World War II veteran, who succeeds E. S. Brown. Gene Lindsey, also a veteran of the last war, will be installed as adjutant, replacing Roy Guthrie.

New finance officer will be H. C. Pounds, another veteran of this war, who succeeds D. J. Morrison. Jim Vallance, World War I veteran, was re-elected vice officer, and Otis Jones, a veteran of the first world war, was named as chaplain.

Moore, the installing officer, is well-known throughout the United States as one of the outstanding young speakers in the nation. Guthrie, present adjutant, said this week.

The meeting tonight will begin at 8:30 o'clock, Merrell explained. He urged all Legion members to attend the meeting, and hear the Amarilloan speak.

Cigarettes Taken From Local Firm

Several cartons of cigarettes and a small amount of cash was taken when thieves entered the Alamo Service Station late Sunday night.

Local officers are working on the case, and have several clues to the identity of the thieves.

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SWINE SHOW WILL BE HELD SEPTEMBER 25

**WINNER IN ESSAY
CONTEST TO SHOW
GILTS, BOARS HERE**

Hall County's annual swine show, exhibiting swine won in the contest held last spring wherein entrants wrote essays on "Advantages of Diversified Farming," will be held at the Woodridge Lumber company yard Wednesday, September 25, County Agent W. B. Hooser announced this week.

Judging the entries will be F. I. Dahlberg, acting head of the animal husbandry department, Texas A. and M. college. Judging will begin at about 1 o'clock in the afternoon.

First-place winner in the gilt division will get the opportunity to compete in the district show in Amarillo September 28, where 14 registered Jerseys, valued at \$125 each, will be given to the owners of the best gilts. Only about 25 gilts will be eligible to enter the Amarillo show. First-place winner in the boar division here will also show at Amarillo. Two registered Jerseys, also valued at \$125 each, will go to the owners of the two top boars.

Last year at the district show, both Carrol Fowler and Bruce Gibson won Jerseys. In this fall's (Continued on Page 12)

Funeral Services Held at Lakeview For E. R. Ledger

**44-Year-Old Resident
Becomes Ill Suddenly;
Interment at Lakeview**

Funeral services for Elmer Ross (Sheriff) Ledger, 44, were held at the Church of Christ in Lakeview Friday afternoon, with Minister Theodore Rice conducting the rites.

Interment was in the Lakeview cemetery under the direction of the Murphy-Spicer-Estes Funeral Home of Memphis.

Ledger, who was employed as a truck driver for Mac Baker of Lakeview, became ill suddenly Wednesday afternoon of last week, and was rushed to a Memphis doctor. He died soon after reaching Memphis.

Ledger was born in Decab, Bowie County, December 14, 1901, and was 44 years, 8 months, and 20 days of age at the time of his death. He was united in marriage to Miss Ethel Richie in 1924, and to this union was born two children. Mr. and Mrs. Ledger later were divorced. He had been a resident of Hall County for the past 28 years.

Survivors include two sons, Billy Frank Ledger, now with the U. S. army in Germany, and Elmer Lee Ledger of Temple, Okla.; his father, William Ledger of Earth; and an uncle, Joe Isbell of Lakeview.

Pallbearers were Tom Jones, O. O. Gardenhire, J. E. Hodges, Paul McCanne, Paul Smith, and C. L. Collins.

New Subscription Rates to Become Effective Oct. 6

Readers of The Democrat were reminded this week by the publishers of the advance in subscription rates, to become effective after October 5.

New rates will be \$2.50 per year in Hall or surrounding counties, and \$3 per year to other points in the U. S. Present rates are \$2 and \$2.50, respectively. Price of single copies will go up from 5 to 7 cents.

Publishers, expressing regret at having to advance the price, urged those getting the paper to renew now and save the amount of the increase. Rising costs of newsprint and production were given as the reasons for the increase.

Memphis Firemen Take First, Second Places in Contests

**Local Teams Win Prizes
In Panhandle Association
Meeting Held in Quanah**

Taking first place in one contest and second in another, Memphis firemen "did themselves up proud" at the 25th semi-annual convention of the Panhandle Firemen's Association held at the city hall in Quanah Tuesday of this week.

The local team of Thomas Clayton, Alvin Massey, and Odie Sturdevant captured first prize in the water polo contest, and won the \$15 prize money. Winning second place was the Wellington team.

In the pumper races, Memphis men won second-place money of \$40, with the team composed of Clayton, Lester Grimes, Earl Briscoe, Sturdevant, Hooper Shaw and Doc Saye. Canadian's team won first with a time of 24.1 seconds, Memphis second with 26.9 seconds, and Turkey third with 30 seconds.

Alvin Massey, long a member of the local department, was given a lifetime membership in the Panhandle association.

In addition to the contests, several instructional addresses on safety and other phases of firemen's work were heard, and the program ended with a barbecue and dance at night.

The next meeting will be held in May at Levelland.

Local FFA Boys Choose Officers

Members of the local chapter of the Future Farmers of America met at Memphis High School Friday of last week and elected officers for the current school year.

Named president was Bill Hickey; vice president, Caryle Young; secretary, Wayne Hutcherson; treasurer, R. B. Smith; reporter, Elmo Sams; parliamentarian, Johnny Hardwick; historian, Melvin Stewart; and watch dog, Colbert Chappel.

Welcoming the new officers was Larry McQueen, out-going president.

Memphis Airport Tract Is Leased By Local World War II Veterans

O. B. Smith Takes Top Honors in City Golf Tournament

**Downs Frank Foxhall
In Finals; Siddle Wins
Championship in 1st Flight**

O. B. Smith, well-known in this area for his golfing prowess, captured top honors in the annual Memphis Country Club tournament when he ousted Frank Foxhall, three-time Greenbelt winner and holder of the city title a number of times, in the championship flight finals Monday afternoon.

Smith, downing Foxhall 4-3. (Continued on page 5)

Rifle, Pistol Club To Be Organized In Meeting Here

**Interested Persons Urged
To Attend Gathering at
Bob's Cafe Tuesday Night**

A meeting will be held Tuesday evening, September 17, in the club room upstairs over Bob's Cafe to organize a local rifle and pistol club. Business men and individuals, who have been making plans for the organization meeting, announced the gathering is open to every person in this area who is interested in this form of recreation. The meeting will start at 8 o'clock.

Wendell Harrison will act as temporary chairman to conduct the meeting, and B. B. Frisbie has consented to act as temporary secretary.

"The purpose of the club will be to provide range facilities where the citizens of this community can learn how to handle firearms safely and accurately," sponsors said. "The club will provide an opportunity for members to win the regular Army qualification badges and National Rifle Association badges as 'Marksmen,' 'Sharpshooters,' and 'Experts'."

After the club is formed, local rifle and pistol matches under the sanction of the National Rifle Association will be held, and club members will also participate in state, district, regional and national competitions.

Every person who is interested in the formation of the local rifle and pistol club is urged to attend, sponsors emphasized.

Why TRADE AT HOME

**J. CLAUDE WELLS, Publisher
The Memphis Democrat**

The Trade at Home campaign is creating a consciousness of civic duty and responsibility on the part of the citizenship.

A live and progressive town attracts business and population, but no town can grow without the loyal support of its home people. By trading at home we help develop both our town and our community.

Growth of trade in a town causes growth both in business and population, and furthers growth in the surrounding country. The more attractive a town becomes, the more value the property in a town assumes—and this increase in value is carried out to the surrounding farm property. Kill or cripple the town and land values depreciate proportionately.

A search for a new place to live does not end for the searchers in a dead town, regardless of how small the cash outlay for property may be—that search will almost always end in a live and progressive town. Property in Memphis and the surrounding trade area brings high prices when placed on the market. We must be on the right road; let's Trade at Home and keep on that road.

ANDERSON RESIGNS AS SHERIFF OF COUNTY, EFFECTIVE SATURDAY

W. C. Anderson, who has been serving as sheriff of Hall County since October, 1939, announced this week that he has turned in his resignation from that office to the commissioners court. His resignation, if accepted by the court, will be effective Saturday.

Anderson stated that he is resigning from the office due to ill health, and that he and his wife will move in the near future to Denton, where he has bought a home. "I have no plans on what I will do," the sheriff said, "but I intend to rest for a while and try to regain my health before I start working."

When the commissioners court will meet to act on the resignation and appoint a successor to Anderson is not known. Anderson, who did not seek re-election to the office, would have been succeeded January 1 by Earl E. Hill, who was nominated for the office in the Democratic primaries.

Sheriff Anderson began his work as deputy under Lindsey

Hill January 1, 1937, and has been connected with the office since that time. When Lindsey Hill resigned, Anderson was appointed to the office in October, 1939. He served the remainder of Hill's term, about 15 months, and since then has been elected twice more without opposition.

Upon announcing his resignation, Anderson said: "I want to thank all Hall Countians for their cooperation with me and other officials during the time I have been serving you. I deeply appreciate the friends I have made in the office, and I enjoyed the work very much until my health began to fail. I feel like Will Rogers did when he said 'I never met a man I didn't like,' and I want all of you to know that I harbor no ill feelings toward anyone."

"I repeat that I appreciated your cooperation with me while serving you, and I hope that you will continue to cooperate with my successor."

Ed, Lewis Foxhall Sign Three-Year Contract for Plot

**Two Brothers to Conduct
Flying School and Service;
Runways Now Being Built**

Ed and Lewis Foxhall of Memphis, both veterans of World War II serving in the U. S. army air corps as pilots, have signed a three-year lease of the city's recently-acquired airport tract. The lease will be effective October 1.

The two men have agreed to pay the city an annual sum of \$600 for the lease, erect their own buildings, aid in the construction of the runways, and maintain the field.

The field will be used by the two brothers for their proposed flying school, to be designated as the Foxhall Flying Service. In addition to operating the school, charter flying service will be offered by the two pilots.

The field will be maintained by the Foxhall Flying Service per- (Continued on page 4)

IT'S NEARLY KICK-OFF TIME

Lakeview Eagles To Tangle With Wheeler Mustangs

Well-pleased with the showing H. (Hop) Rogers believes his eleven about ready for the opening game of the season Friday night. The Eagles will meet the Wheeler Mustangs at Lakeview, with the kick-off at 8:15 o'clock.

Showing up well in the backfield, where Rogers has no returning lettermen this year, were Laird, Hancock, and Duvall. The line played good defensive ball, it was reported, with Poynor, Clark, and Fowler showing up exceptionally well.

The game with the Wheeler eleven is a conference tilt. Little is known about the visiting team, although most coaches are inclined to think that the Wheeler school will not be too strong this season.

Rogers has a line composed of veteran players, but his backfield men are all inexperienced, with no lettermen returning as backs this fall.

The Memphis Cyclone will journey to Quanah for their opener, a non-conference game. Quanah will be favored in the tilt, since that school is in a Class AA district.

Since the Memphians will play at Quanah, a large number of local football fans are expected to see the Lakeview-Wheeler game.

Probable starting line-up for the Eagles will be as follows: Fowler, left end; Fancher, left tackle; Bullock, left guard; Driver, center; Poynor, right guard; Clark, right tackle; Rampy, right end; Hancock, quarterback; Laird, left half; Duvall, fullback; Nabers, right half.

Reserves are guards, Mitchell, Dickey, and Howard; tackles, Adams, Verden; end, Johnson; backs, Williams, Wigginton, and Yarbrough.

City Park Blazes —But Still There

Yes, the city park is still there, but some residents of that section of town were wondering whether it would be when fire of an unknown origin started there last Thursday night at about 11 o'clock.

Local firemen rushed to the scene, and extinguished the grass blaze before much damage was done. One outhouse was burned, but the blaze did not extend into the main part of the park.

Memphis Cyclone Primed for Game On Quanah Field

Coach Curtis Kelley was priming his footballers this week for the opening game, a non-conference tilt, with the Quanah Indians, to be played on the Quanah field Friday night.

Season tickets for home games of the Memphis Cyclone went on sale in Memphis Wednesday, and sales of the tickets will be handled by members of the Memphis Lions Club.

The tickets, good for all five home games, will sell for \$2.50 each. Tax will be included in the price of the tickets, which may be obtained from any member of the Lions Club.

With 12 returning lettermen, and one of the heaviest backfields in District 3-A, prospects for a successful season are the best this year than in a number of years. Kelley is making no predictions as to how his team will end up, but he stated that he believes his men will make an excellent showing in their first game against the Class AA Indians.

Little is known about the Quanah eleven, although the following was taken from a recent issue of the Quanah Tribune-Chief: "Coach Bill Howorth will start the season with a number of experienced men, but there have been few years when he has had lighter material to work with. Only two men on the 1946 squad (Continued on page 4)

Mrs. J. W. Austin Of Estelline Dies; Rites in Childress

**Had Lived in Area for
Past 14 Years; Burial
In Cemetery at Childress**

Funeral services were held Sunday afternoon at the Church of Christ in Childress for Mrs. J. W. Austin of Estelline. She was 61 years of age.

Services were conducted by Elder E. N. McCoy of Childress, and burial was in the Childress cemetery under the direction of the Newberry Funeral Home.

Mrs. Austin, who had been a resident of this area for the past 14 years, died in a Childress hospital Saturday.

Survivors include her husband; two daughters, Mrs. N. M. Scott and Mrs. Joe Pitman, of Childress; one son, Robert E. Austin of Vernon; three sisters, Mrs. Lorna Carson of Lordsburg, N. M., Mrs. Linda Harris of Lockhart, and Mrs. Minnie Lanford of Blanket; and two brothers, H. C. Switzer or Irving and Will Switzer of Lordsburg.

Pallbearers were Roy Villyard, Jimmy Hunter, Neal Gage, Harvey Huggins, Raymond Adeock, and Thomas Young. Honorary pallbearers were W. P. Markham, A. B. Carter, Frank Carter, S. F. Phillips, Dick Bellah, and H. W. Shirley.

In charge of flowers were Mrs. Rosemary Adeock, Mrs. John Dennington, Mrs. Jimmy Hunter, Mrs. Roy Villyard, Mrs. Roy Snodgrass, Mrs. Wade Jones, Mrs. Harvey Huggins, Mrs. W. L. Brown, Mrs. H. W. Shirley, Mrs. W. P. Markham, Mrs. Tom Albritton, Mrs. Elizabeth Kennedy, and Mrs. Margaret Wilkerson.

We Nominate Mrs. Lynn Jones As Hall's Best Cotton Optimist

Call her an optimist if you like, or even a dreamer, but Mrs. Lynn B. Jones of Memphis believes Hall County will gin 42,257 bales of cotton during the 1946 season.

And Dr. J. A. McBee of Memphis might be termed a pessimist, for his guess was the lowest—13,977 bales.

Those were only two, however, of the nearly 200 guesses on this year's cotton crop, the guesses being tempted by the prospects of a possible three-year subscription to The Democrat.

Publishers of The Democrat last week announced the contest, in which the person guessing nearest to the number of bales to be ginned during the '46 season would receive a three-year subscription, second closest a two-year sub, and third closest a one-year sub. With these prizes in mind, and also with the fun in

mind which any type of contest always brings, almost 200 people (several of them from as far away as California) sent in or brought in guesses.

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Guessing second high was J. W. McCulloch, who turned in an estimate of 38,025. And estimating the second low figure was A. E. Ramsey of Route 2, who named 14,000 bales as his figure.

Other guesses ranged in between, with most of them between 20,000 and 30,000. Jammed in between 25,000 and 30,000 were the majority of the estimates.

Most of the guesses are published on Page 1 of Section 2; here are a few late guesses too late to be listed with those:

B. M. Durrett, Lakeview, 26,666; Ted Barnes, Rt. 2, Memphis, 31,618; Mrs. Lynn B. Jones, Box 889, Memphis, 42,257; Mrs. W. L. Nabers, Rt. 1, Memphis, 28,050; M. C. Allen, Memphis, 28,901; Oscar Webb, Memphis, 29,980.

W. L. Nabers, Rt. 1, Memphis, 29,000; Mrs. J. E. Murdock, Rt. 1, Memphis, 19,150; J. E. Imel, Parnell, 24,892; Dora Imel, Parnell, 21,645; John E. Imel, Parnell, 25,110; Walter B. Baker, 810 West Elm, Compton Calif., 31,000; Mrs. Walter B. Baker, 29,500.

Mrs. J. R. Stanley, 203 Run- (Continued on page 5)

Slow, General Rain Brings 1.67 Inches

The rainfall total in Memphis at 12:15 o'clock today was 1.67 since the start of the rain early this morning, McMickin reported. The rain was still falling.

The slow-falling, gentle, and general rain which everyone likes started early Thursday morning and was still falling at 10 o'clock to bring more moisture to crops of Hall County.

The moisture total in Memphis at 10 o'clock was 1.25 inches, J. J. McMickin, local weather observer, reported to The Democrat. At 5 this morning McMickin reported that .37 of an inch had fallen.

When the 10 o'clock report was made, the rain was still falling

slowly, and clouds were still covering the sky.

Not only did Memphis get the moisture, but apparently the rain was general throughout most of this area.

Estelline reported as receiving about the same amount as Memphis, Bill Montgomery of Lesley said that that community received about 3-4 of an inch, and that the rain apparently fell all the way from there to Memphis.

Residents of both Plaska and Lakeview had reported good showers, approximately the same as that in Memphis, and a resident of Harrell Chapel said that that community also had a good rain.

No report from Brice was available, but it is believed the rainfall reached that section of the county also.

Society

Dinner Club Has Meeting in Home Of B. B. McMillans

The Thursday night dinner club held its regular monthly meeting August 30 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. McMillan.

The house was decorated throughout with spring flowers. A chicken dinner, with all the trimmings was served, following which the

group played 42.

Members present were Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Phillips, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Newman, Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Ferrel Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Williams, Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Weatherby, and Mr. and Mrs. McMillan, and guests, Mr. and Mrs. Floyd McElreath.

The club will meet September 19 in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Newman.

First Meeting of Study Club Held At Stanford Home

The grass-covered lawn at the home of Mrs. Jewel Stanford was a beautiful setting for this year's first meeting of the 1913 Study Club Wednesday evening of last week at 7:30 o'clock.

Mrs. Marion McNeely, the incoming president, presided during the business session and in a short address to the members stressed the value of looking forward.

Roll call, "God in Nature" was given by each member present. Mrs. T. J. Dunbar discussed "Behind the Scenes," and Mrs. Horace Tarver, in an impressive manner, spoke on the subject, "God in My Garden."

Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served to club members and one guest, Mrs. Nell Treadwell.

Miss Louise Moss, Roy H. Bevers Wed In Clarendon Vows

Miss Louise Moss, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Moss of Hedley, and Roy H. Bevers were united in marriage Saturday, September 7, in Clarendon. Minister Blanks, pastor of the Church of Christ, read the vows at his home in Clarendon.

The bride wore a gray and white striped suit with black and white accessories. To carry out the traditional custom of "something old, new, borrowed, and blue," she wore a blue brooch and white ear-rings of the groom's mother.

The bride is employed at the Security State Bank in Hedley. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Bevers of Hedley, formerly of Lakeview.

The couple will make their home at Hedley where the groom is engaged in farming.

Meeting of U. D. C. Is Held in Home of Mrs. J. H. Norman

The United Daughters of the Confederacy met Tuesday in the home of Mrs. J. H. Norman, with Mrs. R. E. Clark as co-hostess.

Members answered roll call with quotations on peace. Mrs. J. A. Odum described a noted hospital on Long Island and Mrs. Emma Baskerville told of the Allied teamwork. Mrs. Frank Wright concluded the program with a talk on "Our Responsibility to G. I. Since the War."

During the social hour, aniced course was served to members and two guests, Mrs. Stone and Mrs. Queener.

Charlene Crow, Bob Gene Douthit Wed at Plainview

The marriage of Miss Charlene Crow, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Crow of Plainview, formerly of Memphis, and Bob Gene Douthit, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Douthit of Plainview, was solemnized at 6 o'clock Sunday evening, August 25, in the College Heights Baptist Church.

The Rev. Noel Guice, pastor, read the double-ring ceremony before a mock altar of white gladioli and candles.

The bride, given in marriage by her father, wore a white bridal satin dress which was fashioned into a long train. The basque waist was buttoned down the back with tiny covered buttons and fashioned with a sweetheart neckline, while her fitted sleeves extended into points at the wrist. Her finger-tipped veil fell from a bonnet of orange blossoms and she carried a white Bible topped with an orchid from which fell white satin ribbon streamers showered with stephanotis.

The mother of the bride was gownned in a navy blue crepe dress and wore a corsage of white carnations while the groom's mother was dressed in a white suit with blue accessories. Her corsage was of pink carnations.

A pre-nuptial concert was given by Miss Mary Jane Hamilton, pianist, who played "Leibensraum," "Serenade," and "Clair de Lune." She accompanied Miss Geraldine Grimes who sang "Because" and "I Love Thee."

The bride is a graduate of Plainview high school and before going to Plainview attended school in Memphis and Abernathy. She is now employed by Southwestern Bell Telephone company in Plainview.

The groom is also a graduate of the Plainview High School and is employed by the Sinclair Service in Plainview.

Immediately following the wedding the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Crow, were hosts at a reception in their home for the guests. The couple was assisted in receiving by Mrs. M. L. Rogers and Mrs. Cleatus Lebow, sisters of the bride, and Mrs. Claude Edelman.

After a wedding trip to points in New Mexico the couple will be at home in Plainview. For traveling the bride chose a light brown gabardine suit with white accessories.

Aubrey Helm returned home recently after a two week's visit in Liberal, Kans., with his brother and sister-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Helm, and his brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Clyde A. Smallwood.

A. G. Kesterson left this week for Lubbock to enroll for the fall semester at Texas Tech.

Dorcas Society Meets in Home of Mrs. J. M. Ferrel

Mrs. J. M. Ferrel Sr. was hostess to members of the Dorcas Society Thursday, September 5, when the club met in her home for an all-day meeting.

Mrs. M. O. Goodpasture read the 6th chapter of Acts, and a sentence prayer was given by each member present.

Attending were Mesdames E. W. Evans, S. O. Greene, J. S. Ballard, Ella Johnson, M. O. Goodpasture, J. B. Wrenn, W. I. Glossom, F. J. Smith, one new member, Mrs. J. S. Forkner, and visitors, Mrs. Zack Hood and Mrs. R. N. Mothershead of Parnell.

The club will meet September 19 with Mrs. Ella Johnson.

Velda Mae Imel, Johnnie Pierce United in Marriage

Miss Velda Mae Imel of Quail and Johnnie Pierce, also of Quail, were united in marriage Saturday, September 7, in the Methodist parsonage in Memphis.

Rev. Aubrey C. Haynes, pastor of the First Methodist Church, read the single-ring ceremony.

Leroy White of San Francisco is visiting in Memphis with his mother, Mrs. Lillie White, and his grandmother, Mrs. W. M. Padgett.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Webster of Fort Worth are visiting here this week with relatives.

Mrs. R. V. Jones and children, Billy, Claude, and Shirley, are visiting in the Webster community this week with their mother-in-law and grandmother, Mrs. Jeff Jones.

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Pritchett visited in Wichita Falls over the week-end with Mr. Pritchett's sister, Mrs. D. Mosley.

Mr. and Mrs. D. J. Morgensen attended a two-day lumber meeting in Vernon Monday and Tuesday.

Bill Browning took his brother, Luke Browning, to Denton Monday where he will attend North Texas State College.

Sue Ann Roberts left Tuesday for Lubbock to enter Texas Technological College.

Jack Drake left Memphis Tuesday for Lubbock where he will enter Texas Technological College.

Lee Allen Paulsel returned to his home in Fort Worth Sunday after spending several weeks here

Kenneth Gilchrest In Army Hospital

Pvt. Kenneth Gilchrest, son of Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Gilchrest, has been in the 120th station hospital in Germany for three months suffering from an attack of malarial fever, members of his family stated this week.

In a recent letter he wrote he was now improving and able to walk. He will soon return to the states.

With his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. L. M. Thornton.

Mrs. C. C. Allen visited the day of last week with her brother, R. D. Armstrong in Clinton.

Rev. and Mrs. T. T. Posey attended the Southwest Christian Convention held in San Antonio from August 26 through September 1. Rev. Posey appeared in the program and discussed "Kingdom in Preparation."

ANNOUNCING the return of J. T. STONE and RE-OPENING OF OUR REPAIR SHOP

J. T. Stone has returned from his services in the Army and is now in charge of our repair shop. Mr. Stone, who has spent about 10 years working with the local Case dealer here, is a competent mechanic and is anxious to have his friends drop in and see him.

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BROMO-SELTZER Regular 6oz size at... 49c	MINERAL OIL 16-OUNCE BOTTLE... 39c
BLUE JAY Corn Plasters Box of 6... 23c	BARBASOL SHAVE CREAM 50c SIZE... 31c
C CONTI-CASTILE Shampoo 50c size... 39c	M MAGNESIA Tooth Paste... 23c
COLGATE Tooth Powder. Giant size... 37c	MURINE FOR EYES Eye drops. With dropper... 49c
DRENE SHAMPOO Conditioning-action. \$1 size... 79c	NORITO For Neuritis. \$1.00 size... 89c
DR. WEST'S 40c Miracle Tooth Paste... 39c	NOXZEMA CREAM Medicated. 4-ounce size... 43c
E EXTEEN Tablets, tube of 12... 25c	REVELATION Tooth Powder. 50c size... 39c
ENO SALT Effervescent. Four ounces... 57c	S SIMILAC \$1.25 size (limit 1)... 79c
FEEN-A-MINT 24c chewing gum laxative... 19c	TAMPAX In three sizes. 10 for... 29c
G GILLETTE Blue Blades, Pack of 5... 25c	UNGUENTINE For sunburn. 50c size... 43c
GERBER'S CEREAL Pre-cooked dry type... 14c	W WOODBURY 50c Face Powder... 43c
HALO SHAMPOO Soapless. Medium size... 47c	YEAST & IRON 80 Saybrook's tablets... 49c
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I IRONIZED YEAST \$1.00 size (limit 1)... 69c	COUPON Lambswool Wood Back! 15c SHOE BUFFER With Coupon (limit one)... 12c
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JERIS HAIR TONIC \$1.00 size bottle for... 79c	
KURB TABLETS For pain. Tube of 12... 23c	
KREML SHAMPOO \$1.00 size bottle (limit 1)... 69c	
LISTERINE 75c Antiseptic priced at... 59c	

MOURNING DOVE and WHITE-WINGED DOVE OPEN SEASONS 1946

MOURNING DOVES

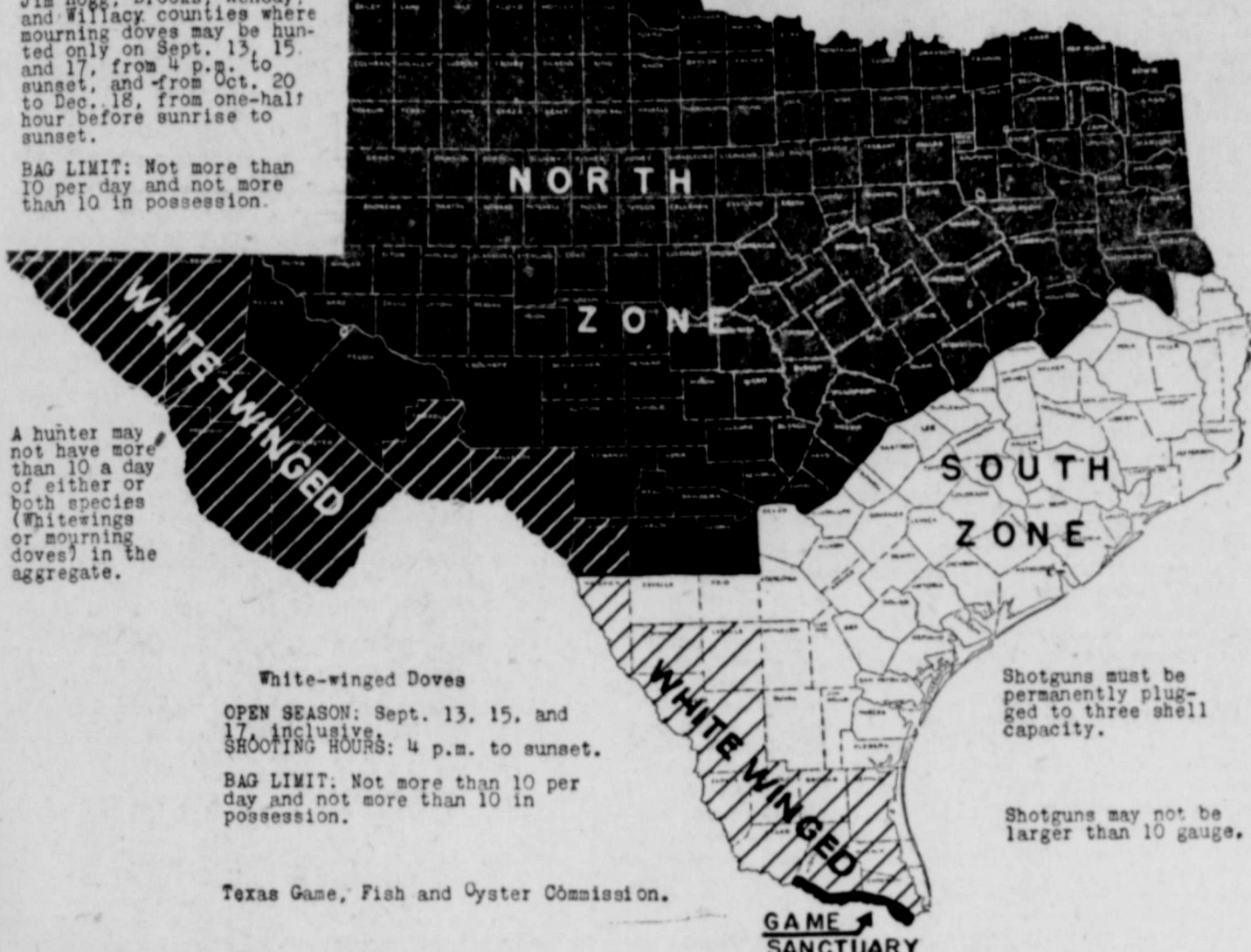
OPEN SEASON -- NORTH ZONE: Sept. 1 to Oct. 30, both days inclusive. Shooting hours, one-half hour before sunrise to sunset.

SOUTH ZONE: Oct. 20 to Dec 18, both days inclusive, except in Cameron, Hidalgo, Starr, Zapata, Webb, Maverick, Dimmit, LaSalle, Jim Hogg, Brooks, Kenedy, and Willacy counties where mourning doves may be hunted only on Sept. 13, 15, and 17, from 4 p. m. to sunset, and from Oct. 20 to Dec. 18, from one-half hour before sunrise to sunset.

BAG LIMIT: Not more than 10 per day and not more than 10 in possession.

Unlawful to take white wings or Chachalaca South of U.S. Highway 83 in southern tip of Texas marked on the map as "Game Sanctuary."

No hunting permitted in game refuges and game preserves.



A hunter may not have more than 10 a day of either or both species (White wings or mourning doves) in the aggregate.

White-winged Doves

OPEN SEASON: Sept. 13, 15, and 17, inclusive.

SHOOTING HOURS: 4 p. m. to sunset.

BAG LIMIT: Not more than 10 per day and not more than 10 in possession.

Shotguns must be permanently plugged to three shell capacity.

Shotguns may not be larger than 10 gauge.

Texas Game, Fish and Oyster Commission.

GAME SANCTUARY

Fellowship Group To Be Organized

The young people of the First Presbyterian Church of Memphis will meet in the basement of the church Sunday afternoon at 5 o'clock to organize, and set up goals and project devotional and social programs for an intermediate Westminister fellowship group, it was announced this week.

All intermediate boys and girls who are interested in this type of program are invited to be present, leaders of the movement said.

J. L. Barnes Jr. Gets Discharge

J. L. Barnes Jr., son of Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Barnes Sr. of Memphis, received his discharge from the army August 17 at Fort Sam Houston.

Barnes, who was a technician fifth grade, served two years in the army, with 20 months of that time spent in the Pacific area.

He has been visiting in Memphis with his parents but left Sunday for Arlington where he will enroll for the fall semester at N. T. A. C.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry B. Newman of Amarillo visited Sunday in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Henry Newman of Memphis.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Birdie Sanderson took her brother, Eugene Gibson, to Lubbock the past week-end where he will enroll at Texas Tech.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dodson had as their guests Saturday evening Mr. and Mrs. Nobel Percer of Dallas, Frank Dodson Sr., Mrs. Lillie White, and E. E. Williams of Amarillo.

Mrs. Mary Bownds of Amarillo is visiting friends and relatives in Memphis this week.

Mrs. O. V. Alexander visited from Friday until Sunday in Amarillo with her brother-in-law, J. W. Cayton, who is ill. Mary Jane Cayton, niece of Mrs. Alexander and a guest in the Alexander home for several days, accompanied her to Amarillo.

Mr. and Mrs. Nobel Percer of Dallas, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Dodson Jr. and son, and Frank Dodson Sr. visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Lester at Fairview.

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Resident's Mother Dies at Clarendon

Funeral services for Mrs. Nettie Peabody, 70, mother of Warren Peabody of Memphis, were held Tuesday afternoon at the Clarendon Baptist Church.

Mrs. Peabody, resident of Clarendon for the past 23 years, died Sunday afternoon at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Glen Adkins of Clarendon.

Survivors include three daughters and three sons.

DR. RAYMOND HANDER
Veterinarian
Office—City Hall
Clarendon, Texas
Phone No. 976

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By MRS. MILTON SMITH

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Hale of Plainview visited with Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Hall last week.

Carlyle Young, Bud Henry, and George and Fred Scott visited R. B. Tony, and Coy Smith Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvis Painter and Leon of Sunray spent the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Julius Gable.

Julius Gable is visiting relatives in Dumas and Sunray.

Mr. and Mrs. Ed Smith and daughters, Mattie Ruth and Ed-dine, visited with Mr. and Mrs. Archie Glasgow in Lubbock during the week-end. Mattie Ruth remained in Lubbock where she will attend Draughn's business school.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Hagler and daughter of Wellington visited Sunday with Mrs. M. L. Smith and Mr. and Mrs. Paul Smith.

Mr. and Mrs. Grover Moss and family went to the Childress County singing convention in Tell Sunday.

The Mother's Club met with Mrs. Frank Smith Tuesday. During the business session officers were elected. Mrs. M. L. Smith was elected president, Mrs. Roy Vaughn, vice president, Mrs. Milton Smith, secretary and treasurer, and Mrs. Frank Smith, for scripture reading. The next meeting will be with Mrs. Ed Smith September 24.

Carteret named New Jersey for the Isle of Jersey.

Democrat Classified Ads Get Results—

Announcement

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This is to announce that Memphis Transfer-Storage, owned and operated by Jack Boone, has been appointed local agent for Memphis. In the past, the line was represented by George Hayden, who is now in another line of business.

The offices of Miller & Miller have been moved to the building occupied by Memphis Transfer-Storage, located at 220 North 6th Street, and the line can be reached by calling either 291 or 425.

The same high class service will continue to be rendered under the direction of the new agent as the public has been receiving in the past. Remember, when you have freight to send... send it by

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T. E. Noel Director Of Flood Control Area Association

New Group to Work for Further Development Of Area's Flood Control

T. E. Noel, president of the First National Bank in Memphis, has been named as a director from Memphis to serve on the Upper Red River Basin Flood Control Association, an organization formed early in August to work for further development of flood control work in the West Texas area.

Chairman of the group is Mayor W. B. Hamilton of Wichita Falls; secretary is R. W. Knight, Wichita Falls C. of C. manager. The association was formed August 6 when representatives of a large number of towns met in Wichita Falls. The group will be separate from the state organiza-

tion, and will work particularly for flood control development in the West Texas area.

Noel is a member of the local C. of C. area development committee, and has long been interested in the development of flood control work in this area. Tarver pointed out in announcing his selection.

"Irrigation is being developed all around us, with an example of what can be done at Altus, Okla.," the C. of C. president said. "Some parts of West Texas, and many in New Mexico, have gone a long way toward thorough flood control development, and they are now being well repaid for their efforts."

"Nearly everyone believes that this area, including Hall County, has great possibilities for bettering irrigation projects. We would also like to see, sometime in the not-too-distant future, a number of lakes in this area which might be used for recreation purposes. The appointment of Mr. Noel to this new association is another step forward in the work that is to be done."

Call 15 for QUALITY JOB PRINTING

Future Readers of The Democrat



Janis Susan is the name of the new daughter for Mr. and Mrs. Donald W. May, who made her appearance at their home in Amarillo on August 16. Mr. May is educational director of Consumers Cooperatives Associated and editor of the Producer-Consumer. He is a former Democrat editor.

Mr. and Mrs. James Baldwin of Dallas announce the birth of a son born September 9. He has been named James Bryan Baldwin II, and is the grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Byran Baldwin of Memphis.

Bob's Cafe Sold By L. R. Queener To George Hayden

Sale of Bob's Cafe, located on Noel street one-half block east of the square, by L. R. (Bob) Queener to George Hayden was announced this week. Hayden took over management Saturday.

Hayden, formerly agent for the Miller and Miller motor freight lines here, stated upon taking over the cafe that he will continue to give the same excellent service and good foods which have been given in the past.

Queener and his wife left Thursday for Chattanooga, Tenn., where he plans to enter school. He may return to Memphis sometime in the near future, he stated, if his plans for attending school do not materialize.

Remember when Congressmen split hairs instead of pulling them?

Did You Notice? No Trucks Hogged Square Saturday

Perhaps you didn't notice it, but the square in Memphis was devoid of trucks last Saturday—and as a result, those people who came into town to trade on that day had more room to park their autos.

Through the efforts of Chief of Police W. P. Baten and other city officials, all trucks were required to park on side streets, or other streets off the square, giving more room to those doing their shopping in town.

Mayor C. C. Hodges explained that the trucks were moved not to inconvenience truck owners, but to aid the rural people to find more parking space. One large truck with a trailer, the mayor explained, will require parking room sufficient for five passenger cars.

Cyclone-

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will be heavy enough to delight a coach working in this district."

Five backfield men, all lettermen, will spark the play for the local eleven this fall. Mark Lamkin, Jimmy McElreath, and Larry McQueen are the ball-carrying threats, and Bill Davis is an exceptionally good blocker, the coach has explained. The other letterman, Gayle West, will see much play, and he also has proved to be a good ball carrier. The average weight of the backfield will be about 170 pounds, Kelley said.

Blazing the path for ball carriers will be a letterman in each slot on the line. And in addition, Kelley has several newcomers, including Dale Rich at the tackle position.

Tentative starting line-up for the Cyclone Friday night is as follows: center, A. C. Sams; left guard, Fuzzy Martin; right guard, Jack Monzingo; left tackle, M. L. Evans; right tackle, Dale Rich; left end, Duane Vickers; right end, Bill Hickey; backs, Mark Lamkin, Larry McQueen, Bill Davis, and Jimmy McElreath.



REAL OLD TIMERS . . . Mrs. Leroy Franklin, who lives in the shadows of ancient Grandfather mountain in North Carolina, is 85-years-old. Her goose, "Bertha," is 28-years-old, having lived three times the length of the average goose which escapes the oven. Last year "Bertha" hatched out four goslings, not bad for a 28-year-old female.

Airport-

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personnel, but will remain open to all air traffic, including commercial traffic such as any airliners which may designate Memphis as a stop.

Work on the runways will begin Friday when three graders commence the leveling-off of the three proposed runways. One runway will run north and south, length 2,400 feet; the second east and west, length, 2,600 feet; and the third diagonally northwest to southeast, length, 4,000 feet.

A new road is also being constructed to lead from the county road to the field. The present road to the field is in bad shape, and it was decided to grade an entirely new road.

The field itself is located on

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WHEAT	1944 . . . 1,072,177,000 BU. 1945 . . . 1,123,143,000 BU. 1946 . . . 1,125,224,000 BU.*	BARLEY	1944 . . . 278,561,000 BU. 1945 . . . 263,961,000 BU. 1946 . . . 250,820,000 BU.*
CORN	1944 . . . 3,203,310,000 BU. 1945 . . . 3,018,410,000 BU. 1946 . . . 3,496,820,000 BU.*	RYE	1944 . . . 25,500,000 BU. 1945 . . . 26,354,000 BU. 1946 . . . 21,410,000 BU.*
OATS	1944 . . . 1,154,666,000 BU. 1945 . . . 1,547,663,000 BU. 1946 . . . 1,498,878,000 BU.*	RICE	1944 . . . 68,161,000 BU. 1945 . . . 70,160,000 BU. 1946 . . . 68,829,000 BU.*

AMERICAN WEALTH FROM THE GOOD EARTH . . . This self-explanatory chart shows how this year's grain crop compares with those of the two previous years. Abundance of wheat enabled Secretary of Agriculture Clinton Anderson to announce a new export policy on that grain to foreign countries. It also caused the price decontrol board to defer restoration of price ceiling on grain.

the outskirts of the northeast corner of Memphis, on the land formerly owned by J. W. Webster. The tract was bought recently, after taxpayers of Memphis approved a \$15,000 bond issue for that purpose by an overwhelming vote.

Before the flying school can be put into operation, the field and buildings must be approved by the Civilian Aeronautics Administration. An official of the CAA was here early in the summer, and expressed his liking for the site selected by the city council, and it is believed that approval will be received in a short time.

Four planes will be used in the school and for the flying services offered, Lewis Foxhall stated. The flying service will make its own arrangements for fuel and servicing of their own planes, and any others which land on the field for that purpose.

available several qualified flight instructors, and in addition, will have an experienced aviation mechanic to keep the planes in excellent running condition.

The school will probably open about October 1, providing approval of the field, buildings and school has been received that time. Any person desiring flying instruction will be given lessons, although the school will cater particularly to ex-servicemen. Veterans are eligible to receive the instruction without charge since the government includes this phase of training in the educational section of the GI Bill rights.

Washington and Indiana are the only states technically American in name. Washington is christened after the first president. Indiana was so named because large tracts there were chased and settled by the Indians.

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PEAS, Fresh Blackeyed, pound	10c
TURNIPS, bulk, pound	7c
JUICY ORANGES POUND	SUNKIST LEMONS LARGE SIZE, DOZEN
13¢	29¢
COFFEE, Chase & Sanborn, 1-lb.	35c
TEA, Schilling's, ¼-lb.	23c; ½-lb. 45c
KRAUT, No. 2½ can	19c
HOMINY, No. 2½ can	18c
MARVENE, 2-pound package	48c
GOLD MEDAL FLOUR WHITE, 10 POUNDS	GRAPEFRUIT JUICE NO. 2 CAN
85¢	15¢

MEAT DEPARTMENT

PRESSED HAM	Pound	TYPE I WEINERS	Pound
61c		39c	
AGED CHEESE	Pound	½-Lb. Boxes CHEESE	Each
60c		32c	
BOLOGNA	Pound	BUTTER	Pound
40c		79c	
PICKLES, Bulk, each		10c	

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CHEESE SPREAD Kraft, 5 oz. glass—Each 22c	LOIN STEAK Grade A, lb. 50c
KRAFT DINNER Each 14c	BEEF RUMP ROAST Boneless & Rolled, Grade A, lb. 53c
LUNCH MEATS Assorted, lb. 45c	BEEF LIVER Pound 30c

'M' SYSTEM

East Texas Vets Insurance Records Dallas Office

Servicemen of Area Direct Correspondence Future to New Office

Insurance records of Texas veterans are now located in the Dallas Veterans Administration branch office, J. O. Arrard, county service officer, announced this week. The three billion dollar insurance business began moving into Dallas from New York last week. The transfer of records involved the transfer of more than 1,200,000 ex-GI's from the Dallas VA office to the Dallas VA office of the Veterans Administration. The transfer of the records means that all veterans living in Texas, Louisiana, and Mississippi, will be given insurance service by the Dallas VA office instead of New York.

sent to Dallas instead of New York or Washington, Pray added. VA's new address for insurance business in the tri-state area is: Insurance Service; Veterans Administration; Branch Office No. 10; 1114 Commerce Street, Dallas, Texas.

Trucks loaded with thousands of cases and bundles of correspondence began leaving New York several days ago, Pray revealed. The move to Dallas was completed Monday.

Cynthia Campbell Of Estelline Dies

Funeral services were held Wednesday afternoon at the First Baptist Church in Estelline for Cynthia Lynn Campbell, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Lonnie Campbell of Estelline. She was 3 months and 28 days of age.

Services were conducted by Rev. J. D. Coleman, Estelline Baptist pastor, and interment was in the Estelline cemetery under the direction of the Womack Funeral Home of Memphis.

The child was born May 10, 1946. Production delays have further set back the day when you will be able to drive your new car away. Besides the importance of keeping your car in serviceable condition is the equally important consideration—that of its TRADE-IN VALUE.

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is the poultry with-
average person's consumption of (from page one); 65 per cent ab-

1935-39. Consumption of the 18 holes, was up 41 per cent from 1934-35. The average person on the second 137 pounds of food, 30 pounds of chicken, 390 eggs, last year report shows. On the 6th, Fox war year consumption in the dog increased about 45 per cent, and the 1935-39 period, the Smith the of beef, pork, lamb, etc.

per person went over R. S. cent for each of match, and products.

New York honored time in his York when it selected ten noser

J. T. Stone With Davis Implement

J. T. Stone, recently-discharged veteran, is now in charge of the repair shop of the Davis Implement company, Tracy Davis, owner, announced this week.

Stone, who served for two years overseas, spent most of his duty in Italy. He worked for Davis prior to the war, and for the Case implement dealer before Davis assumed the dealership.

"Mr. Stone has spent ten years working with the Case dealers in Memphis," Davis said, "and is a competent mechanic. He is anxious to have his friends drop in and see him."

We Nominate-

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nals, Big Spring, 31,107; W. E. Williams, Memphis, 20,014; Mrs. C. F. Stout, Memphis, 22,222; C. L. Stout, Memphis, 21,677; C. F. Stout, Memphis, 31,666; Mrs. Estella Barber, Memphis, 27,593; John Barber, Memphis, 31,307; Douglas Barber, Memphis, 25,825; Grover C. Moss, Memphis, 30,021; J. M. Kennemer, Box 709, Memphis, 15,205.

Odell Anthony, Box 532, Memphis, 23,650; Gladys Anthony, Box 532, Memphis, 20,850; J. W. McCulloch, Memphis, 38,025; M. W. Paschall, Memphis, 19,700; LaVerne Pritchett, Memphis, 24,150; Roy Pritchett, Memphis, 23,050.

Seth Palmeyer, Memphis, 22,000; Mrs. Seth Palmeyer, Memphis, 19,500; Mary Lee Mabry, Memphis, 21,600; Laurel Ellis, Memphis, 21,300; Mrs. C. H. Adams, Memphis, 20,000; Pearle Ague, Memphis, 23,365; Lena M. Cain, Memphis, 25,380.

and Mrs. Claud Thomas of Memphis visited last week-end. Mr. and Mrs. George F.

DEM.

The Democrat stands at the head of war effort for farmer's own use. Commercial use from place charge of find no one one will offer professes to to what steps the farmer's Chances are that and rust away ernment agency neck sufficiently chine.

Chicken Morris Higley Index: Its been a I lived on the farm her correctly we ne feed for our chick

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Specialist Gives Hints in Caring for Washing Machine

Many washing machine disorders can be repaired at home if a few basic rules of care and simple repair are observed. Mrs. Bernice Claytor, specialist in home management for the A. and M. College extension service, lists some of the most common disorders as follows:

If the motor will not operate, there may be a fuse blown, a loose connection at the wall outlet, or a cord or plug that needs repair. To prevent blowing a fuse, never start the motor while cold and never start it when the agitator is at the "ON" position. Never start the motor and agitator with the machine loaded, and remember never to overload the machine.

Stiff oil in a cold machine is another reason why a motor will not operate. Move the machine into a warm room one or two hours before using, or fill the tub with warm water.

One cause of wringer disorder—improper pressure on the wringer roll—can be remedied by adjusting for correct tension.

If the agitator does not operate properly, it may be out of place or the cap screw at the top may be loose. The set of screws on the drive coupling at the motor end and agitator shaft end also should be kept tight.

Loose or worn parts or uneven loading may cause a machine to be noisy. Uneven loading makes the spinner vibrate. A machine also may be noisy if it is not level. A thin piece of wood placed under legs will correct this trouble.

Some fellows never allow you to reach for the check. They hand it to you.

No Ceiling Price On Cotton Pulling Set for This Fall

Farmers of the counties of the lower Panhandle Tuesday voted to set no definite ceiling price for cotton pulling when they met at Paducah.

Sixteen cotton-growing counties were represented at the meeting, and only the delegates from Wheeler County favored setting price ceilings on pulling. Approximately 100 farmers and county agents attended the session.

Attending the meeting from Hall County were Robert Sexauer, John Russell, and W. B. Hooser.

McMillan Given Navy Discharge

Dan McMillan, son of Mr. and Mrs. B. B. McMillan of Memphis, has received his honorable discharge from the U. S. Navy, and is now in Memphis.

McMillan, a yeoman third class at the time of his discharge, served for 12 months, nine of which he spent at Pearl Harbor. He was discharged at Mare Island, San Francisco.

He will leave Saturday for Commerce, where he will enroll at East Texas State Teachers College.

Minnesota is Sioux or "sky-tinted water."

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 9:45 a. m.—Bible study.
 11 a. m.—Morning worship.
 8 p. m.—Evening worship.

TUESDAY—
 3:30 p. m.—Ladies' Bible class.

WEDNESDAY—
 8 p. m.—Midweek service.
 You are cordially invited to attend these services.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH
 Aubrey C. Haynes, Pastor
 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School; W. D. Young, superintendent. Don't make excuses. Bring the family to Sunday School and stay for the morning worship service.

11 a. m.—Morning worship service. Hear this sermon on the great doctrines of the Bible and Methodism: "Justification Thru Faith."

7 p. m.—The Methodist youth fellowship group will meet in the Victory class room. Bobbie Young and Jimmie Bownds will

have charge of the program.

7:30 p. m.—Evening worship service. This service will be held in the open air back of the Victory class room, if the weather permits. If the weather does not permit, this service will be held in the church. Don't miss the sermon: "The Greatest Commandment."

MONDAY—
 3 p. m.—The Woman's Society of Christian Service will meet in circles. Circle No. 1 meets with Mrs. D. A. Neeley, with Mrs. Sam Smith as co-hostess. Circle No. 2 meets with Mrs. Brice Webster, with Mesdames O. R. Goodall and T. R. Blades as co-hostesses.

7:30 p. m.—The Board of Christian Education meets in the church parlor.

8 p. m.—Workers' Council meets in the church parlor.

TUESDAY—
 7 p. m.—Goodwill tour.

WEDNESDAY—
 7 p. m.—Devotional service.
 7:30 p. m.—Choir rehearsal.

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FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
 B. L. Peacock, Pastor
 Sunday School—10 a. m.
 Worship Services—11 a. m.
 Westminster fellowship—5 p. m.
 Evening Vespers—6 p. m.
 Choir Rehearsal Wednesday, 7 p. m.
 Session meeting first Tuesday in each month.

We extend to you a sincere welcome to make this church your place of worship.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CHURCH
 T. T. Posey, Minister
 10 a. m.—Sunday School.
 11 a. m.—Morning worship.
 11:15 a. m.—Communion.
 7:45 p. m.—Evening service.
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ASSEMBLY OF GOD CHURCH
 C. A. STRICKLAND, Pastor
SUNDAY—
 9:45 a. m.—Sunday School.
 11 a. m.—Morning message.
 8 p. m.—Evangelistic service.

WEDNESDAY—
 2:30 p. m.—Women's Missionary Council.
 8 p. m.—Christ's Ambassadors service.

8 p. m.—Bible study.
 Everyone is always welcome at all services of this church.

Fair at Childress To Have Mounted Square Dancers

A featured attraction for the Childress State Fair this year will be the appearance of the Childress mounted square dance team. This team, composed of Childress cowboys and cowgirls, has appeared at some of West Texas' biggest celebrations, and during the fair will be "at home" to give the people in this area a look at the show that has thrilled thousands. The square dance team will make two appearances during the fair—on Thursday afternoon, September 26, and Saturday evening.

Also scheduled for this year's show is a big fireworks display and a band marching contest. The fireworks display will be held on Saturday night and will be even bigger and better than the stupendous display last year. The band marching contest will feature the outstanding high school bands of West Texas and will be presented Thursday evening at 8 o'clock.

The Childress State Fair is again being presented to the people of this section after a lapse of 15 years and will officially open Thursday, September 26, with a huge down-town parade.

Robert Z. Bevers Released by Army

Sgt. Robert Z. Bevers, son of Mr. and Mrs. A. S. Bevers of Lakeview, arrived home Thursday last week on a 42-day terminal leave after which he will receive his discharge.

Sgt. Bevers landed in San Francisco August 27 and his wife met him in Fort Worth. He had just completed 27 months overseas service on Luzon and Okinawa with the 8th air corps, attached to the 463rd signal heavy construction battalion.

Mrs. Bevers and son made their home with her mother at Plaska while Bevers was away.

Mr. and Mrs. A. P. Todd of Hedley, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Todd of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Bill Todd of Clarendon visited Sunday in Memphis with Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Mitchell.

Billy Ballew Gets Navy Discharge

Billy Ballew, son of Raymond Ballew, arrived home this week on terminal leave, and will receive his discharge September 26.

Ballew, who was in the navy for 18 months, held the rating of hospital apprentice first class at the time of his discharge.

When asked if he intended to go to school he said, "No, not just yet. I don't plan to do much of anything for awhile, but I imagine dad will put me to work soon."

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Gibson also points out that the average dairy cow in Texas is only one-fifth as much silage as the average cow in other parts of the country. This fact might be a reason why the average production per cow is so low in this state. For each animal in a dairy man's herd, he should put up three tons of silage for a year around feed supply.

Mrs. Gertrude Moore visited Amarillo over the week-end with her daughter, Mrs. Walter Hearne.

Lakeview Cagers Choose Officers

Bobbye Adams was chosen as captain, and Alene Cunningham as co-captain when members of the Lakeview girls basketball team held their organization meeting recently.

Twenty-three girls are out to make the team, and six returning players from last year are: forwards, Alene Cunningham, Bobbye Adams, Avylee Weddel; and guards, Grozella Hagins, Lynn Cunningham, and Edith Driver.

Mr. and Mrs. N. A. Hightower left Tuesday for Marlin. Mrs. Hightower expects to be there for about three weeks but Mr. Hightower will return home this week.

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 DRIED APPLES, pound 39c
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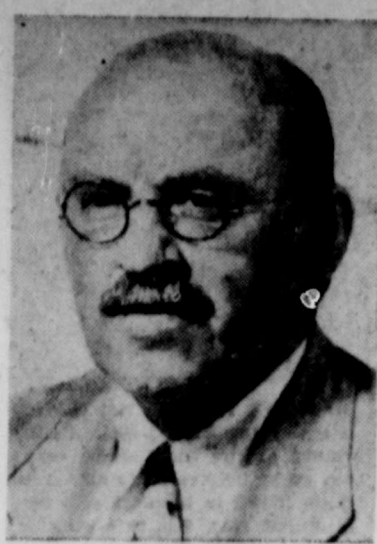
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MEAT EATING HIGH IN '44

Amounts of meat eaten per person reached a high in 1944, despite so-called war-time shortages...



WINS VERMONT SEAT... Ralph E. Flanders, Springfield industrialist, who won a spirited battle for Vermont's senatorial nomination...

Six Inch Sermon

Rev. Robert H. Harper Jesus and Covetousness. Lesson for September 15: Exodus 20; 17; Proverbs 11: 23, 24; Luke 12:13-21.

Last but not least among the Ten Commandments is this: "Thou shalt not covet." For breaking this law can lead men into many temptations...

The covetous man who sought the aid of Jesus in getting his brother to divide the inheritance, led the Master to speak of the evil of covetousness.

Then he told the story of the rich and foolish farmer, whose life had proceeded on three great mistakes—that he could live for and unto himself alone...

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compiled the report from U. S. D. A. reports.

One trend in the report of importance to Texas farm families is the increase in the amount of poultry products eaten by the average person.

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Transfer-Storage Named City Agent For Miller-Miller

The Memphis Transfer-Storage, owned and operated by Jack Boone, has been appointed local agent for the Miller and Miller motor freight lines...

Boone as agent for the lines succeeds George Hayden, who has bought and is operating Bob's Cafe.

The offices of Miller and Miller have been moved to the building occupied by the Memphis transfer-storage, located at 220 North 6th street, Boone said.

Boone formerly served as agent for the freight lines here, and resigned from the position to enter the bakery business.

"The same high class service will continue to be rendered under the direction of the new agent as the public has been receiving in the past, and we invite your patronage," Boone said.

Press Paragraphs

SELECTED FROM THE DEMOCRAT'S EXCHANGES

No Chances Taken

The Canyon News: Great is our Democracy. A big cement mixer stands at the Hereford prisoner of war camp.

Chicken Raising

Morris Higley in the Childress Index: Its been a long time since I lived on the farm but I remember correctly we never bought any feed for our chickens.

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all. Of course, they may not have grown quite as fast as they do on high priced feed but I don't remember any of them dying and I do remember some darn good chicken eating.

How Times Change

The Panhandle Herald: Teachers may believe that they are underpaid today. A Herald exchange in the 40 years ago column carried this statement: "The county school superintendent called attention to the advantages of the teaching profession, citing that one man teaching in a rural school of the county was receiving a salary of \$55 per month, one woman \$47.50, and several \$40 and \$45."

War?

The Moore County News: Drew Pearson, who writes the Washington Merry-Go-Round, a syndicated column that appears in hundreds of newspapers, is predicting war, within a matter of weeks.

Driving

The Stanton Reporter: When a driver starts up the motor of his car, he automatically assumes the responsibility for the load he hauls, the car he drives, his life, the lives of any persons riding with him, and the welfare of those who share the highways.

The Old Days

Douglas Meador in the Mator Tribune: Perhaps it is well that I belong to a generation which is preparing to vacate for youth and vision of a more progressive era.

Research The Briscoe County News: Great producing industries must also be great research industries.

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FOR SALE—Model WC Allis-Chalmers tractor and equipment. All in A-1 shape. Includes power take-off, and third bottom for lister. See Thurman Eller, Route 2, Memphis. 12-3p

FOR SALE—Two new houses, one stucco and one rock veneer. Located on North 9th street. See J. W. Vallance at M System. 12-3c

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FOR SALE—Bed-type divans, living room suites, bedroom suites. Any kind mattresses including inner-spring mattresses. 1 dandy "Easy" electric washing machine. I also still operate my mattress factory. Same prices as last year. Don't send your mattress away. Trade at Home. Let's keep our money together and we will have more. Your business highly appreciated. Miller Furniture and Mattress Factory, across street north of Post Office, Memphis, Texas. 12-2c

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Judge Attending Meeting in Waco

Judge M. O. Goodpasture left Wednesday for Waco where he is attending the Texas Government Institute, which is in session Thursday and Friday, September 12-13. He will speak before the group on "The County's Part in Soil Conservation," which follows several months intensive study and research on his part. Later Judge Goodpasture plans to attend the State County Judges and Commissioners Association convention, which will meet early in December in San Antonio. He is now serving as chairman of a committee of county judges which plans to request legislation levying a one-cent per gallon tax on gasoline to be used wholly for improvement of farm-to-market roads.

Mr. and Mrs. Houston Chitwood of Pine Knot, Ky., are visiting this week in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Lee Chitwood.



SOAPBOX WINNER... Gilbert Klecan, 14, San Diego, Calif., winner of the All-America soapbox derby held recently at Akron, O., is shown in hospital with two fractured ribs. His title-winning racer collided with a film truck during photographing of a practice run for a two-reel movie.

Swine Show—

(Continued from page 1)

show, both boys will take their Jerseys and will receive \$12.50 each for showing them.

Eight of the pigs were awarded last year by the Sears Roebuck & Co., and will be shown here at the swine exhibition. Second-place winner of the group will receive 125 baby chicks; third, 100 chicks; fourth, 100 chicks; fifth, 100 chicks.

Prizes for the winning swine of the four given by business firms and the chamber of commerce have not yet been worked out.

Hooser said. In the contest, ham-Jones awarded one, Doe two, and the chamber of commerce one.

Sears winners were Hank Burk, Parnell; Doyce Jonett, Nell; Marshall Ellis, Plaska; Booth, Lakeview; Jim McNewlin; Alta Wayne Jones, Memphis; Billy Wayne Fox, Lakeview; and Don Davis, Lin.

The other four awarded won by Kenneth Chesk (Duck Jones award); Gayle Fowler, David Spivey (Saye award); Barbara Myers, (C. of C. award).

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PALACE & RITZ BARGAIN DAY

FRIDAY, SEPT. 13
"The Man Who Dared"
 Leslie Brooks—George Macready

Chapter 7 of
"MYSTERIOUS MR. M"

Ritz

SATURDAY
"Bandits of the Badlands"
 Sunset Carson—Peggy Stewart

SUN.—MON.
"Smokey"
 (In Technicolor)
 Fred MacMurray—Anne Baxter

TUES. - WED. - THUR.
"She Wrote the Book"
 Joan Davis—Jack Oakie

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Friday and Saturday
 Sept. 13 and 14
"Dangerous Partners"
 —with—
 James Craig — Signe Hamo
 —also—
"Lost City of the Jungle"

Preview, Sunday & Monday
 Sept. 14, 15 and 16
"Saratoga Trunk"
 —with—
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Tuesday, Wed. and Thurs.
 Sept. 17, 18 and 19
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Here They Are--Those Guesses on Bales to Be Ginned in '46

McAbee, Box 702, Memphis	23,900	Glenn Bruce, Rt. 1, Memphis	16,795	A. H. Miller, Memphis	23,489	Mrs. I. V. Crow, Box 24, Newlin	19,870
Crockett, Memphis	35,001	T. W. Luttrell, Rt. 1, Lakeview	31,563	A. A. Odom, Memphis	31,070	W. B. Waddill, Rt. 2, Memphis	26,369
Watson, Newlin	26,113	T. J. Spry, Box 691, Memphis	18,642	W. W. Beaty, Memphis	29,484	Mrs. J. B. Waddill, Rt. 2, Memphis	33,571
Hemphill, Newlin	26,112	R. S. Patrick, Memphis	28,000	Mrs. Grover Roden, Memphis	27,486	J. B. Waddill, Rt. 2, Memphis	21,367
Hemphill, Newlin	23,119	John Campbell, Lakeview	30,000	M. A. Wiley, Rt. 2, Lakeview	22,500	Mrs. L. D. Huggins, Box 529, Memphis	22,750
Tucker, Newlin	22,000	J. D. Bice, Memphis	16,500	Sam B. Foxhall, Memphis	32,829	E. A. McCulloch, Memphis	19,865
C. W. Kinslow, Memphis	23,985	N. A. Hightower, Memphis	29,257	L. E. Gibbs, Box 802, Memphis	32,500	D. B. Kennedy, Memphis	31,256
Jackson, Monte Vista, Colo.	19,430	Mrs. N. A. Hightower, Memphis	31,002	Baker Jones, Lakeview Star Rt., Memphis	27,464	Mrs. D. B. Kennedy, Memphis	34,682
Howard, Box 773, Memphis	23,096	Mary Owens, Memphis	29,000	George F. Mullins, Box 93, Newlin	34,992	Mrs. T. L. McWhorter, Rt. 1, Memphis	31,513
May, Rt. 2, Memphis	28,585	Mrs. D. T. Smallwood, Brice	24,997	Lillie Mae Wilson, Rt. 1, Memphis	30,000	Doc Greenwood, Memphis	27,981
Howard, Box 773, Memphis	33,262	Bill Kinslow, Box 957, Memphis	27,156	Walter H. White, Memphis	28,300	J. L. Spruill, Rt. 1, Estelline	26,514
Greene, Box 1104, Memphis	27,500	D. T. Smallwood, Brice	23,999	J. J. McDaniel, Memphis	29,751	Flora Hall, Rt. 2, Lakeview	25,228
Burleson, Box 723, Memphis	23,485	Jim Vallance, Memphis	26,600	W. B. McQueen, Memphis	25,440	Betty Hall, Lakeview	28,368
F. Spicer, Box 886, Memphis	24,336	L. M. Thornton, Memphis	20,255	H. M. Bryant, Memphis	27,500	Gayle Hall, Rt. 2, Lakeview	24,654
E. Hill, Box 692, Memphis	29,000	Mrs. L. M. Thornton, Memphis	27,561	J. A. Eppers, Memphis	28,050	Homer Hall, Sudan	30,889
Alexander, Box 41, Memphis	31,189	R. H. Scott, Rt. 1, Memphis	32,000	W. M. Daniell, Memphis	26,750	Mrs. A. L. Hall, Lakeview	27,287
Thompson, Box 31, Memphis	29,875	Oliver McMurry, Rt. 1, Lakeview	32,324	Paul Pyle, Memphis	30,000	Mrs. Lottie Campbell, Rt. 2, Lakeview	24,642
Hill, Box 569, Memphis	21,000	Ray Childress, Box 1166, Memphis	31,389	G. T. Rogers, Memphis	23,500	Zach Hood, Estelline	25,220
E. Forgy, Box 261, Memphis	31,137	C. R. McMurry, Rt. 1, Lakeview	29,137	T. M. Harrison, Memphis	23,146	Arvin Hood, Estelline	27,000
E. P. Thompson, Box 31, Memphis	31,111	Ray Steenson, Rt. 1, Memphis	28,500	Jesse Messer, Box 128, Memphis	32,500	J. B. Lowe, 1523 N. 9th, Wichita Falls	29,999
M. Cosby, Box 552, Memphis	29,102	A. L. Burks, Memphis	30,643	C. F. Srygley, Box 170, Memphis	30,370	Mrs. J. B. Lowe, 1523 N. 9th, Wich. Falls	30,000
Schel Stewart, Box 1139, Memphis	30,631	W. C. Davis, Box 1412, Memphis	21,000	Mrs. John D. Reed, Rt. 1, Lakeview	21,000	G. M. Bass, Box 242, Memphis	26,660
Henry Foster, Plaska	27,281	W. D. Young, Memphis	30,333	Mrs. D. P. Osborn, Brice	34,050	C. R. Webster, Memphis	19,997
Merrill, Box 152, Memphis	30,100	Mrs. W. N. McElreath, Rt. 2, Memphis	19,556	J. A. McBea, Memphis	33,977	Dot Webster, Memphis	26,875
Harrell, Box 852, Memphis	31,000	C. E. Moore, Rt. 2, Memphis	27,420	Mrs. J. B. Wrenn, Memphis	28,990	Earl Pritchett, Box 544, Memphis	26,484
Long, Rt. 2, Lakeview	27,273	Frank Foxhall, Box 152, Memphis	33,250	Mrs. James Dixon, Rt. 1, Memphis	33,442	Mrs. Earl Pritchett, Box 544, Memphis	28,013
W. Carter, Memphis	21,000	Mrs. C. L. Wheeler, Lakeview	29,999	A. L. Hall, Plaska	33,300	J. S. McMurry, Memphis	18,994
Kesterson, Memphis	27,281	C. L. Wheeler, Lakeview	27,777	Mrs. S. A. Rich, Box 670, Memphis	19,400	Jacquelee M. Graziani, Memphis	17,638
Estes, Box 1302, Memphis	23,777	Mrs. D. W. Lawrence, Box 16, Newlin	18,630	C. R. Cross, Brice	29,783	Andrew Simmons, Memphis	25,075
H. Monzingo, Memphis	19,385	Mrs. M. C. Martin, Rt. 2, Memphis	19,000	Mrs. C. R. Cross, Brice	32,785	Clarence Morris, Memphis	23,000
Aubrey C. Haynes, Memphis	28,896	H. F. Cunningham Jr., Box 1159, Lubbock	25,376	Mrs. C. J. McMickin, Memphis	28,490	Tom Dunbar, Memphis	27,500
Neely, Box 501, Memphis	26,333	Weldon Gable, Rt. 2, Lakeview	33,300	J. J. McMickin, Memphis	18,682	Mrs. Clarence Morris, Memphis	27,875
DeBerry, Memphis	28,360	Elmer J. Teel, Lakeview	14,500	J. B. Long, Rt. 1, Lakeview	17,091	Bertie Lee Cassel, Box 1362, Memphis	24,735
Montgomery, Memphis	28,640	Kelley Gable, Rt. 1, Memphis	15,000	J. O. Adams, Rt. 1, Lakeview	18,500	H. M. Taylor, Memphis-Lakeview Star Rt.	19,768
Lyn Williams, Memphis	27,544	A. E. Ramsey, Rt. 2, Memphis	14,000	Henry Booth, Rt. 1, Lakeview	19,800	Mrs. H. M. Taylor, Memphis-Lakeview Star	21,498
Neeley, Box 892, Memphis	17,540	Gordon Maddox, Box 368, Memphis	28,640	Frank Cox, 2110 Buchanan, Amarillo	19,115	Mrs. S. M. Taylor, Memphis-Lakeview Star	20,500
Webster, 3828 Linden, Ft. Worth	22,875	W. C. Whitfield, Rt. 1, Memphis	27,510	G. H. Hattenbach, Memphis	26,666	E. E. Lane, Box 944, Memphis	24,243
Phillips, Rt. 2, Memphis	19,999	C. G. Ellis, Rt. 1, Memphis	21,000	Kermit Monzingo, Memphis	28,416	M. N. Orr, Plaska	25,672
Wrenn, Box 68, Memphis	30,000	B. B. Brewer, Rt. 1, Lakeview	26,113	Gene Gardenhire, Rt. 1, Estelline	26,195	W. B. Gireath, Rt. 1, Memphis	17,865
		Lloyd Phillips, Memphis	27,840	S. W. McDaniel, Estelline	17,866	Glenn Stargel, Rt. 1, Memphis	21,145

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 1946 Exposition
CHILDRESS STATE FAIR
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 SEPTEMBER 26, 27, 28

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- * POULTRY SHOW
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- * FARM EXHIBITS
- * SQUARE DANCE

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"Keep the Grade Up" has been the goal I have been shooting for all year. Now, since I have ginned some early bales, I modestly say I can GIVE YOU THE BEST GRADE and TURNOUT.

I think here is one of the finest gin plants in Texas. And there are dozens of other people in the gin business who agree with me on this statement: They

have been coming from hundreds of miles away to inspect this gin.

Here you will find not ONE dryer—but TWO. And all the other machinery which has been installed is new, and several unique features have been added which mean MORE MONEY TO THE FARMER!

SERVICE IS OUR MOTTO

Service is—and has always been—our motto. This year-round service to farmers not only includes a \$75,000 gin plant, but a sincere desire to help farmers in any way I can. During the summer months a housing unit has

been built in which I am placing pickers as they come to Memphis. These pickers can live here on the gin lot until farmers come and move them to their farms.

ANY FARMER NEEDING HANDS TO HELP GATHER HIS CROP IS ASKED TO CONTACT ME. AND I WILL SEE THAT THE HANDS WILL SOON BE IN YOUR FIELD.

A WORD OF APPRECIATION

I want every farmer living in this area, who has ginned his cotton with me during the past years, to know that I really appreciate your patronage. Business has been good in spite of short crops in years gone by. I am just an independent ginner trying to get along,

and as I render what I think is the finest ginning service, I want to invite every cotton raiser to bring me at least one bale. Just give me a trial. And if it doesn't mean a better grade and turnout, then don't bring me another.

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W. W. Beaty, Owner Memphis, Texas

Auto Accidents

WILL 189 SCHOOL CHILDREN DIE?

If the rapidly increasing rate of traffic fatalities is not retarded, 189 school-age children are slated for death by automobiles during the coming school year, according to George Clarke, managing director of the Texas Safety Association.

Most of the school-age traffic victims will be first-graders, representing a generation who does not remember prewar traffic, and many of whom have not been taught at home to obey traffic signals.

Last year in Texas 883 school children were killed by accidents of all kinds, and many more were injured, some of them disfigured and crippled for life.

This year traffic accidents generally have shown a sharp increase over 1945. From January through July, 1946, 1,024 people were killed—a total 49 per cent greater than that for the same period last year.

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BRICE

By MRS. STARR JOHNSON

Pat Albert Wood of West Palm Beach, Fla., came Friday for a few days visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bill Wood.

Miss Laurell Holland of San Angelo left Saturday after visiting the past week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Cal Holland.

Mrs. C. V. Murff had as her guests Thursday her mother, Mrs. J. A. Howard, and a sister-in-law, Mrs. Dalton Howard of Clarendon.

Miss Mary Etta Hall of San Marcus visited the past week with her brother, D. C. Hall and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Hope Lemons had as guests the past week their children, Miss Virginia Lemons of Amarillo, and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Lemons of Santa Fe, N. M.

Mr. and Mrs. Dewey Myers had as guests over the weekend their relatives, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Patterson and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Anderson, all of Amarillo.

W. B. McQueen of Memphis visited Sunday in the Starr Johnson home.

Mr. and Mrs. George Martin of Silverton visited Sunday with her cousin, C. R. Cross Sr.

Mrs. C. R. Cross Sr. and Mrs. Hargraves and son Joe Dan visited Sunday in Clarendon with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. George Archer of Norwalk, Calif., were business visitors here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Osborn of Dallas visited the past week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Duke Osborn.

Mr. and Mrs. Ariand Merrel of Lesley are moving this week to this community. Mr. Merrel will be employed at the gin.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Wood visited Sunday in Pampa with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. C. Hartzog.

Brice ginned its first bale of cotton Saturday. The cotton was grown on the W. E. Davis farm by Perry Campbell.

Mr. and Mrs. Cal Holland and daughters, Pat and Laurell, were Amarillo visitors Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Henson and children of Memphis visited Sunday with his sister, Mrs. D. C. Hall and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Wilson visited Thursday and Friday in Wichita Falls.

Week-end guests in the J. S. Ballard home were Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Carey of White Deer.

PERSONALS

Mrs. Della Keathley of Fort Worth is visiting here with her sisters, Mrs. C. W. McCool and Mrs. Dick Watson.

Mr. and Mrs. Roger McCool and children, who have been visiting in Memphis with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McCool and Mrs. Bertie Cassel, returned to their home in Compton, Calif., this week.

Mr. and Mrs. L. H. Clifton and sons of Carey visited in Memphis Sunday with his mother, Mrs. W. T. Clifton.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond Ballew returned to Memphis last week after spending the summer at Red River, N. M.

Mrs. John Barber had as her guests over the week-end Mr. and Mrs. John T. Barber of Oklahoma City, Mr. and Mrs. John Ward of Aspermont, and Katherine Hawthorne of Abilene.

Grover Kesterson visited in Amarillo last week with his daughters, Misses Dorothy Ray and Mildred Kesterson.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Weisenburg and daughter Lugay of Tulsa are visiting this week in Memphis with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Hollis Boren.

Seth Palmeyer, who has been confined to a local hospital for sometime, returned to his home Sunday. Although his condition is much improved, he will have to remain in bed for sometime yet, it was reported this week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. W. Harrison returned home Saturday from Sylvester. Mrs. Harrison had visited in Sylvester for the past three weeks with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Edd Beck, while Mr. Harrison was there a week.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Roden of Dallas are visiting in Memphis with his brother, Grover Roden.

Mr. and Mrs. Foster Watkins and son Watty returned to their home in Canadian Sunday. Mr. Watkins was a week-end visitor here while Mrs. Watkins and son spent the past week here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Seth Palmeyer.

Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Massey and family are visiting in Memphis with his mother, Mrs. Pearl Massey. Mr. and Mrs. Massey have been moving to Lubbock. Mrs. Massey and children will be here until they can locate a house in Lubbock.

Mrs. C. D. Denny and Miss Ida Mae Long went to Decatur Sunday where they will visit for a few days.

Miss Jane Wright, a house guest in the home of her uncle and aunt, Mr. and Mrs. Claud Johnson, for the past two weeks, returned to her home in Lubbock Saturday.

Mrs. Elmo Whaley took her daughter, Mary Frances, to Denton Sunday where she will enroll

at N. T. S. C. for the fall term of school.

Miss Winnie Cassels returned to Memphis Monday after visiting in Fort Worth and Dallas for several days.

Jack White of Fort Worth stopped in Memphis this week for a few days visit with his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Cassels, before going on to Lubbock where he will enter Texas Tech.

Mrs. K. H. Peresman arrived in Memphis this week from Pittsburgh, Pa., to be with her husband who has been here for some-

time. He is employed at the Popular Dry Goods. Mrs. Peresman is a sister of Mrs. A. Anisman.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Monzingo and Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Burnett were business visitors in Clovis, N. M., Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. John Dennis had as their guests Sunday Mr. and Mrs. D. L. Martindale and children of Pampa.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Kirkland, who were en route to their home in Canyon after a visit in Fort

Worth, visited in Memphis Sunday with friends.

Weldon Massey of Midland visited here over the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Pearl Massey.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bourland of

Quail visited in Memphis Sunday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Exie Sweatt.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Purdie Shamrock were guests Sunday at the home of Minister and Carlos D. Speck.

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We have installed a new 40-foot scale, which makes it possible for us to weigh anything that is on the road. These scales can weigh up to 30 tons, and assure the accuracy of weight that every customer of this gin wants.

NEW MURRAY DRIER

Another installation of which we are proud is the new Murray Dryer. This is the latest cotton dryer out, and

assures every farmer a better turnout. Go ahead and bring your cotton in even if it is damp—we can gin it for you.

REMEMBER YOUR REBATE NEXT SPRING!

Don't forget your rebate check next spring. And to make every farmer's rebate check larger means that more and more cotton must be ginned here. At this time we want to invite the farm-

ers of this area to plan NOW to let this gin handle your cotton. A competent crew is ready to serve you in any manner they can, and the plan itself assures you of the finest grade and staple.

WE WILL HELP YOU GET HANDS

Please let us know if you will need hands to help gather your crop this year. Tell us how many you need, how many acres you have, and the kind of facilities you have for taking care of them. We have already placed several crews in this area, and can get many more.

THE MORE BALES YOU GIN—THE MORE YOUR REBATE CHECK WILL BE!

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Health Important to School Child

Discussing the food requirements of a child enjoying maximum health, Dr. Geo. W. Cox, the health officer, has stressed the importance of a well-rounded diet and stated that a healthy and well-nourished child enjoys life to the full and does well in school because he is physically fit.

Dr. Cox stated further that when a child is in good health, his appetite is good, elimination is regular, and sleep is sound and undisturbed, all of which contribute to his progress in school.

A child's appearance can help parents to judge the state of his nutrition. A well-nourished child has good skin, and there is a moderate amount of fat over the bones and muscles of the arms, legs and trunk. Muscles are well developed and strong. Teeth are good and the gums are firm and light pink.

The state health officer stated that a child who is delicate, hard-to-please, appears tired after a moderate exertion indicates possible malnutrition or the beginning of illness, and the child should be seen by the family physician.

Required as a diet for the preschool child and those of school age, Dr. Cox listed milk, fruit,

vegetables, eggs, meat, fish, or cheese, cereal and bread and added that cod liver oil and other vitamin preparations may be useful in winter and early spring, but they should always be prescribed by the family physician.

Legal Notice

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: S. H. Cope, C. O. Jones, Mable Jones, Pearl Kemp, E. Kemp, Maude McWhorter, M. McWhorter, Ralph Graham, Effie Graham, Eva Graham, Exter Stokes, and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of S. H. Cope, C. O. Jones, Mable Jones, Pearl Kemp, E. Kemp, Maude McWhorter, M. McWhorter, Ralph Graham, Effie Graham, Eva Graham and Exter Stokes, deceased, Defendants.

A brief statement of the nature of this suit is as follows, to wit: Plaintiff sues in statutory trespass to try title for the title to and possession of Lots 19-20-21-22-23 and 24, in Block No. 69, of the Original Town of Memphis, Hall County, Texas, alleging that he and those whose title he holds, have had peaceable, adverse possession of said lands and premises, cultivating, using and enjoying the same for more than 10 years next prior to the commencement of this suit and that if defendants, or any of them, ever had any interest in said lands and premises, which is not admitted, but is denied, same is barred by the statute of limitations of 10 years, as is more fully shown by Plaintiff's Petition on file in this suit.

The officer executing this process shall promptly execute the same according to law, and make due return as the law directs.

Issued and given under my hand and the Seal of said Court, at office in Memphis, Texas, this 31st day of August, A. D. 1946.

3010 on the docket of said court and styled F. M. Armstrong, Plaintiff, vs. S. H. Cope, C. O. Jones, Mable Jones, Pearl Kemp, E. Kemp, Maude McWhorter, M. McWhorter, Ralph Graham, Effie Graham, Eva Graham, Exter Stokes and the unknown heirs and legal representatives of S. H. Cope, C. O. Jones, Mable Jones, Pearl Kemp, E. Kemp, Maude McWhorter, M. McWhorter, Ralph Graham, Effie Graham, Eva Graham and Exter Stokes, deceased, Defendants.



RETURN TO COLLEGE... An 1873 graduate of Mills College, Oakland, Calif., Mrs. Clara Edwards Paulding, 91, was back cracking the books at school again, concentrating on American history prior to 1860, because "I remember the rest of it very well." She is shown with her roommate, Ann Bugbee, a senior from Louisiana, who enrolled just 70 years after Mrs. Paulding graduated.



MEET MAJ. MONROE, 131... Maj. Edward Monroe, 131 year old son of President Monroe (he claims) is pictured after he walked into the offices of Bernard McFadden in New York and gave an interview to the press. He has outlived three wives and eleven children. His formula, "A clean life."

LOOKING AHEAD



NEW SOFA COMES APART SO YOU CAN CLEAN IT OR PUT ON SLIP COVERS. IT CAN BE PUT TOGETHER IN A JIFFY.

Legal Notice

CITATION BY PUBLICATION THE STATE OF TEXAS

To: Raymond L. Kirkwood, Greeting:

You are commanded to appear and answer the plaintiff's petition at or before 10 o'clock a. m. of the first Monday after the expiration of 42 days from the date of issuance of this Citation, the same being Monday the 30th day of September, A. D. 1946, at or before 10 o'clock a. m., before the Honorable District Court of Hall County, at the Court House in Memphis, Texas.

Said plaintiff's petition was filed on the 17th day of August, 1946. The file number of said suit being No. 3006. The names of the parties in said suit are: Lois Odian, Kirkwood as Plaintiff, and Raymond L. Kirkwood as Defendant.

The nature of said suit being substantially as follows, to wit: Petition for divorce upon the grounds of 3 years abandonment with intention of finally separating and living apart from plaintiff.

Issued this the 17th day of August, 1946.

Given under my hand and seal of said Court, at office in Memphis, Texas, this 17th day of August, A. D. 1946.

ISABELL CYPERT, Clerk, District Court, 11-4c Hall County, Texas.

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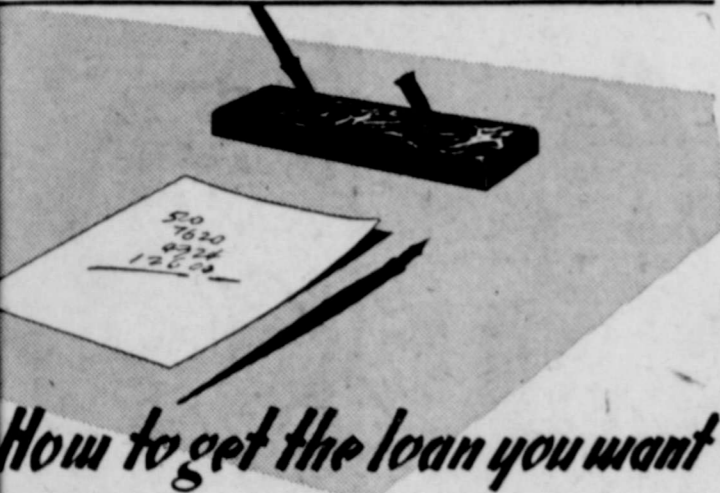
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Society

Miss Nina Foster Becomes Bride Of Homer Greer in Amarillo Vows

In an impressive ceremony, read by Dr. R. C. Snodgrass, pastor of the First Christian Church in Amarillo, Miss Nina Foster became the bride of Homer Greer at 6 o'clock Friday evening, September 6, at Amarillo.

The bride was attired in a cocoa-brown suit with dark cream blouse and brown accessories. A shoulder corsage of tallisman roses completed her ensemble.

The bride's only attendant, her sister-in-law, Mrs. Herbert M. Foster, wore a black dress with a blue feather hat and gloves. Her corsage was of sweetheart roses.

Herbert M. Foster, brother of the bride, served as best man.

Immediately following the ceremony the couple was honored with an informal party at the Foster home, 1616 Jackson street. The table was covered with a Maderia linen cloth and centered with a single-tiered wedding cake topped with wedding bells. Lighted candles were placed at either side of the cake. Fall flowers completed the decorations.

Both bride and groom are members of pioneer families of the Panhandle. The bride, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. T. Foster of Giles, was graduated with the class of 1940 from Hedley High School. She is now employed with West Texas Utilities in Childress.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Greer of Childress and is a graduate of the Childress High School. He served with the 8th air force in Europe.

After a short trip, the couple will be at home in Childress.

Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Evans Sr. visited in Amarillo and Lubbock last week-end. In Lubbock they visited with Mrs. Evans' brothers, J. C. and J. F. Monroe and their families, and in Amarillo with their son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Evans Jr.

Baptist S. S. Class Given Lawn Party At Carlos Home

Mollie Carlos entertained members of the Philaetha Class of the Baptist Church with a lawn party at her home Thursday evening, September 5. Dinner was served buffet style to 30 members and guests.

Following the devotional by Abbie Massey, a poem by Velma Clark and a song by Blanche Lewis and Gladys Smith, Grace Toney installed the incoming officers.

Officers were Clara Pritchett, president; Christine Long, first vice president; Mollie Carlos, second vice president; Irene Bradley, third vice president; Marie Stargel, fourth vice president; Ethel Kilpatrick, secretary; Elene Gilbert, secretary; Aystie Rogers, treasurer; Irma Hale, reporter; Opal Stewart, Gladys Smith, Dorothy Gurley, and Ilene Jackson, group captains.

The entire group sang, "Bless Be the Tie that Binds," and Maude Bell Fitzjarrald led in closing prayer. The class presented Ethel Smith, teacher, and Irma Hale, retiring president, gifts.

Attending were Dorothy Gurley, Velma Clark, Lucille Smith, Mattie Orab Jones, Aystie Rogers, Lucille Wright, Elene Gilbert, Leta Adams, Flora Webb, Ada Sargent, Vida Graham, Opal Stewart, Irene Stewart, Fernie Boone, Neva Hickey, Tressie Paris, Ethel Kilpatrick, Marie Stargel, Christine Long, Laura Peabody, Irma Hale, Ethel Smith, Grace Toney, Erna Wilson, Mollie Carlos, Gladys Smith, Clara Pritchett, guests, Blanche Lewis, Maude Belle Fitzjarrald, and Abbie Massey.

WCS of Newlin Meets in Home of Mrs. J. R. Nelson

The Newlin WCS met in the home of Mrs. J. R. Nelson Tuesday afternoon of last week.

The lesson for the afternoon was the first four chapters of Mark. Members voted to have prayer meetings in the homes of shut-ins during the forthcoming revival.

Refreshments were served to the following members: Mesdames Admire, Brumley, Ellis, Messick, Moore, Nelson, Scott, Torbett, Sims, and two visitors, Mrs. McElroy and U-cle Bob Nelson.

Atalantean Club's First Session Held In Dickey Home

Members of the Atalantean Club met Wednesday of last week in the home of Mrs. W. C. Dickey for the first meeting of the club year. Study course for the club this year will be "Tides of Change."

Mrs. W. C. Dickey, president, greeted the members and one guest. Members answered roll call with topics pertaining to the subject of the program, and Mrs. J. A. Odom, program chairman, distributed the year books.

Miss Gertrude Rasco spoke on "The Therapeutic Value of Music," and played several selections on the piano to illustrate as she talked.

Refreshments were served to Mesdames C. W. Broome, N. A. Hightower, H. J. Howell, T. M. Isham, Claud Johnson, C. W. Kinslow, D. J. Morgensen, J. H. Morris, D. A. Neeley, J. H. Norman, J. A. Odom, Myrtis Phelan, Jeff Ray, Bob Roberts, C. R. Webster, J. A. Whaley, and Misses Gertrude Rasco and Imogene King, and guest, Mrs. Roberta Ryan of Clarendon.

The club will meet September 18 with Mrs. H. J. Howell.

Christian Church Council Meeting In Kesterson Home

The Woman's Council of the First Christian Church met at 3 o'clock Monday afternoon with Mrs. A. G. Kesterson.

Mrs. J. H. Norrman was program leader of the program, "Christian Education." The following program was given: Song, "Give of the Best to Your Master"; prayer, Mrs. E. E. Roberts; devotional, "Christ's World-Wide Mission as Seen in His Teachings," Mrs. J. A. Odom; "Recruiting and Training a Faithful Ministry," Mrs. Roy Coleman; missionary benediction.

Apricot sherbet and cookies were served to Mesdames E. E. Roberts, J. A. Odom, Roy Coleman, E. W. Godfrey Jr., J. W. True, J. H. Norman, Clyde Wilam, T. B. Rogers, Gerald Knight, T. T. Posey, Elmer Moore, Jeff Aduddel, and Harry Aspgren.

Marion Messer was a business visitor in Clovis, N. M., over the week-end.

Locals and Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Glynn Thompson and Mr. and Mrs. T. D. Weatherby spent last week fishing at Lake Kemp.

Mrs. D. F. Monroe of Newlin visited recently in Amarillo with her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. V. C. Evans Jr.

Mr. and Mrs. Grady Phillips, Donald and K. of Dumas spent Sunday and Monday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Guy Kercheville.

Carrol Berryman, baseball player with the Pampa Oilers, visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Berryman of Parnell, Sunday night, and with friends in Memphis Monday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Kercheville of Pampa spent the week-end in Memphis with friends and relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Estes returned last week from Eagle Nest, N. M., where they had been vacationing for the past several weeks.

Visiting in the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. O. Phillips Sunday were Mr. and Mrs. D. W. Jones of Quitaque, Mrs. Clara Bunn and children of Quitaque, and Mr. and Mrs. Grover Roden and son Billy.

Miss Brownie Nan Lamb of Lubbock is visiting in Memphis with relatives this week.

Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Cope of Mineral Wells arrived last week for a visit with relatives and friends and to look after their farming interests near Deep Lake.

B. F. Jackson Sr. and son, B. F. Jr., of Monte Vista, Colo. came last week by plane for a visit with relatives and friends. Mr. Jackson operates a filling station and tourist court at Monte Vista.

A. P. Wright of Gridley, Calif., visited over the week-end in the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Compton. Mr. Wright is an uncle of Mrs. Compton.

Jack Walker left Tuesday for Lubbock where he will enter school at Texas Tech.

Mrs. T. W. Rodgers had as her guests the past week Mrs. Johnny Panion and Bob, Ann, and Pat of Walsenburg, Colo., Morris C. Rodgers of El Paso, and Mr. and Mrs. Woodrow Rodgers and Mr. and Mrs. Price Rodgers of Amarillo.

Henry Wood returned to his home in St. Louis last week after visiting in Estelline.

Miss Zella Burch will go to Walsenburg, Colo., with Mrs. Johnny Panion for a visit before returning to her home in Taos, N. M. At present she is a guest in the Rodgers home at Estelline.

Mrs. Carl Lee and Mrs. Perry Hale made a business trip to Wichita Falls Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Cudd, who have been at Gunnison, Colo., for most of the summer, returned home last week.

Woman's Culture Club Meets With Miss McElrath

The Woman's Culture Club met Wednesday afternoon of last week for the first meeting of the club year in the home of Miss Esta McElrath, president.

Following a short business session presided over by Miss McElrath, the following program was given: President's remarks, Miss McElrath; "Idiosyncrasies of Famous People," Mrs. R. E. Clark; and a song, "Playmates," Mrs. Clarence Morris and Mrs. Herschel Combs.

Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served to Mesdames R. E. Clark, H. A. Combs, D. A. Grundy, Ward Gurley, Henry Hays, Jeanette Irons, R. L. Madden, C. D. Morris, George Sexauer, and Misses Audrey Beth Boggs and Esta McElrath.

Birthday Party Is Given in Honor Of Betty Lemons

Mrs. R. C. Lemons entertained Wednesday of last week to a 4 o'clock honoring her daughter, Betty, on her 8th birthday anniversary.

Fourteen friends were invited to help Betty celebrate her birthday, and following a variety of indoor and outdoor games, guests were served refreshments of birthday cake and ice cream.

Attending were Sharonson, Nancy Stanford, Jeanne Hall, Mary Alice Smith, Hankins, Linda Jane Fields, Jane Hankins, Billy Jean Le, Mary Frank Garrett, June Saye, Jo Ann Odom, Jane Cayton, Judy and Betty Lemons, honoree, Betty Lemons, Judy and Pat Land, and Mrs. Lemons.

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McMurry, Ferrel Open New Supply Store in Estelline

A new tire and supply store, to be known as the Estelline Tire and Supply company, is now open. E. (Gip) McMurry and J. M. Ferrel Jr., owners, announced this week.

The two Memphis men are also owners of the Memphis Tire and Supply company.

In charge of the new store is Lester Bowman, manager. The store is located on the south side of the square.

"We are featuring Goodrich tires," Bowman stated. "At the present time our stock of tractor tires is complete, and we can furnish the farmers with the tires they need, for both front and rear. Another department in which we carry large stocks is our bearing section. You can get almost any kind of bearing for your car, truck, or tractor.

"Scarce household items are beginning to arrive, and some are coming in every day. Drop in if you have been waiting for anything for the home. Appliances are still slow, but we are receiving units every week."

PARNELL

By MAE PAUL

School opened at Parnell September 2. They had a nice enrollment and an impromptu program of songs and readings were rendered by the pupils. Many parents were present for the program. The P. T. A. gave balls, bats, and volley balls to the school.

Mr. and Mrs. L. T. Winn and Mrs. Paul Roberts of Panhandle are visiting in Fort Worth and Mineral Wells.

Mr. and Mrs. Joe Blaine Morrow and Jerry Joe moved to Uvalde the past week.

Doyle and Dayle Weatherly visited relatives and friends here from Wednesday until Saturday.

J. W. Franklin was a business visitor in Wichita Falls Friday and Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufe Jones of Pampa visited in the Leslie Bruce home the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Cope have relatives from Houston as their guests this week.

Mrs. Turk McCuiston and Dubs, and Mr. and Mrs. Winfree Weatherly were visitors in Amarillo Saturday.

J. J. Welcher left Sunday to enter Arlington Military College.

Mrs. R. N. Mothershed and Mrs. Zack Hood were guests at the Darcas Society, which met with Mrs. J. M. Ferrel Sr. in Memphis Thursday of last week.

The Parnell community club met with Mrs. Ernie Trapp last Wednesday with six women present. Mrs. Trapp served delicious punch and cookies during the social hour.

Mrs. Thurman Wyrick visited relatives and friends in Wellington, Shamrock, and McLean last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Herbert Neely went to Abilene Monday. Mrs. Neely remained for medical treatment.

Mr. and Mrs. John Berryman and Mr. and Mrs. Jim Berryman of Estelline were dinner guests of Mr. and Mrs. Lester Berryman at Lefors Sunday evening. They attended the Amarillo-Pampa ball game at Pampa.

Carol Berryman of Pampa was a guest in the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Berryman, Sunday night and Monday.

Mrs. W. H. Neely, Mrs. Jay Franklin, Mrs. Rube Canada, Mr. and Mrs. Arnie Moss, and Mr. and Mrs. Woodroe Canada and family visited Sunday afternoon in the John Neely home.

Several Parnell people attended the Estelline and Parnell ball game at Estelline Sunday afternoon. Parnell won the game with a score of 11-9.

Carl Hill and Crump Ferrel went to Amarillo Monday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Jay Bruce and son moved to Amarillo Thursday to make their home.

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Gosh, look at all the new electric gadgets! When I dozed off back in the Thirties, we had electric lights and an iron and a vacuum cleaner at our house! Now we've got a refrigerator, a couple of radios (my last one was a crystal set), clocks, toaster, washer—why, everything you touch has a switch on it!

It's funny, too, with all those gadgets perking away, my electric bill isn't much more than it was 15 years ago, while everything else has gone up a lot!

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Editorial

PARTIAL PAYMENT

ALTHOUGH the last session of Congress did a number of things, and passed a number of measures of which you may not approve, that Congress passed one act to which few, if any, people have expressed any objection.

The act referred to is Public Law 663, which provides automobiles or other conveyances for disabled veterans of World War II who are "entitled to compensation for the loss, or loss of use, of one or both legs at or above the ankle."

Veterans who believe themselves eligible for the autos apply first to the Veterans Administration for approval of their eligibility. With this approval a veteran then obtains an okay from the state driver's license agency, for he must satisfy the requirements of the state motor vehicle law. These papers are then presented to the dealer of his choice, and when the car is delivered, the dealer submits the necessary papers to the VA for payment.

The total purchase price of the car cannot exceed \$1,600, according to the law. This price must include all special attachments necessary to operate the vehicle safely, and any tax which is reflected in the purchase price. The veterans cannot buy a more expensive car and pay the difference between the purchase price and the \$1,600 limitation.

Likewise the VA can pay only the seller, and cannot reimburse veterans for cars already purchased.

Without doubt, the law will make it possible for many ex-servicemen, now seriously handicapped, to find work which otherwise they would not have been able to do. Such work will include sales work, and similar activities.

A man who has given a leg, or both legs, is therefore partially paid for the life-long handicap the war has presented him with. An automobile is a nice thing to have, but no one can say that he would be willing to pay such a high price. The law is a good law, and should not be degraded by anyone.

MAY THE HIGHEST WIN

THE GUESSING contest sponsored by The Democrat, with subscriptions offered to those guessing nearest the number of bales of cotton ginned in Hall County, has attracted a great deal of attention, and has manifested much interest in this year's crop.

The contest has more than one purpose. First of all, it is being held to determine just how many people are thinking about the crop this year. Cotton is the money crop here, and The Democrat is finding out that a lot of people are wondering—and guessing—how much Hall County will gin.

The contest is also being held because any kind of a contest is a lot of fun, and most everyone likes to have fun—especially if it isn't too expensive. And this is a free contest.

The Democrat also is sponsoring the contest from a personal—call it selfish if you like—standpoint. We are able to determine how well read the paper is, and this contest, with the large number of entries, leads us to believe it is well read. And this week, we are publishing those guesses, and it is our belief that almost everyone likes to see his or her name in print. We all have pride, you know.

At any rate, publishers of The Democrat are gratified at the interest taken in the contest, and, although we take no favorites, we hope the people with the highest guesses win.

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Shade Might Help
 The Quannah Tribune-Chief: Some of the wits say that the reason cotton has stood the drouth so well is because it was well-shaded by the big bloom in the top of the plants.

Smart Gal
 Al Hinds in the Paducah Post: Our little daughter soon learned that crying gets things out of her system and out of her daddy.

Anything Sells
 The Foard County News: The present time is industry's paradise. Every industry that is producing any item for common use can sell all it can make. The market does not have to be sought out, it is waiting and ready to take the output of every plant.

Scanty
 The McLean News: If brevity is the soul of wit, maybe women tourists are just dressing to be funny.

Just Living
 Old Tack in the Amarillo Globe: In Russia in the government-owned stores the army officers buy their supplies 50 per cent cheaper than the working men. Why? Because the government doesn't want the people to be buying anything more than a bare existence. They want all of the money, except that spent by the army crowd in dissipation, to go into guns and powder. The most extravagant entertainers in

state government—and the expense of operating this tremendous fleet of cars is just about equal to the entire cost of running the state government when Pat M. Neff was governor.

An editor sent out the following reminder to delinquent subscribers:

"There is a little matter that some of our subscribers have seemingly forgotten. Some of them have made us many promises but have not kept them. To us it is a very important matter—it's necessary in our business. We are very modest and do not like to speak about such remissness."

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This Week in WASHINGTON

WASHINGTON.—Tension has eased somewhat at the old-fashioned, many chimneyed, grey stone state department building over the Yugoslav ultimatum. There continues however to be an air of gravity as a result of the entire incident, for in diplomatic circles it is recognized that this blunt, blistering note to a more or less unimportant puppet state was aimed, not particularly at Marshal Tito and his communist regime, but at the great power which is guiding and shaping the destiny of Yugoslavia... Russia.

This incident served to give notice to the Russians that this nation has drawn a line beyond which we will not go, and, taken in conjunction with the stiff note to Marshal Stalin concerning the Dardanelles, marks a new high in American foreign policy setting up a point where in our dealings with the Soviet Union, Russian expansion will be met without compromise or appeasement.

The Yugoslav incident has overshadowed all other activities in the national capital and the highlight of the affair, the golden lining to the black cloud of international crisis, is the fact that the world organization of the United Nations has met its first test of world potency.

Even Russia did not dare to defy the United Nations and counseled moderation to its puppet, when the threat of the ultimatum was to hail the offering nation before the bar of public opinion before the security council of UN. Our state department has demonstrated to the world that an ultimatum with an "or else"

attachment does not necessarily mean, in these days of emphasis on mobilization of armed forces.

The "or else" can and does mean that there is a new mobilization of armed force in our world which is more effective, more civilized and more Christian than 1914 and again in the 1930s. An ultimatum such as we dispatched to another nation almost surely would have meant war. Today even the threat of sanctions or action before the security council of the United Nations brought a blustering communist bully to his senses and forced his mentor, Stalin, to tread softly.

In diplomatic circles here the result of American action, taken as was during the Paris peace conference, is at once a demonstration of our faith in the United Nations and our love of peace, but it is even more a dramatic illustration of the need of a world authority such as the United Nations for the prevention of hostilities or armed force.

There may be other incidents aimed to provoke the United States or heckle us into action. This should not, however, which our state department met with firmness and without hesitation likely will persuade Russia and any other of the satellite Balkan states, that while we are patient, we are determined to build a permanent peace and that we are ready not only to invoke our own full power, but the power of world action through the United Nations to bring about that peace.

sights of Texas: The ancient oaks, hung with moss, in Columbus. Some of these huge trees are said to be 600 years old; they were casting a shade and furnishing a haven for birds a century and a half before Columbus set sail. One stands in awe before such antiquity as he realizes the fleetness of human life.

A few definitions by a cynic: A co-ordinator is a man who brings organized chaos out of regimented confusion.

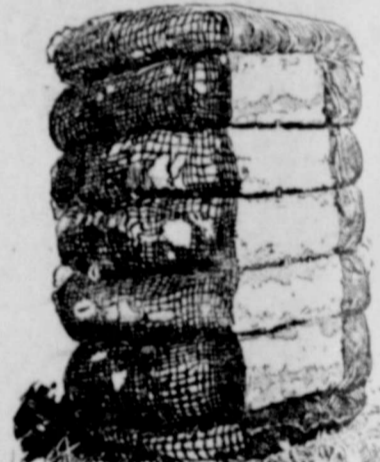
A conference is a group of men who individually can do nothing but as a group can meet and de-

cide that nothing can be done. A professor is a man who teaches students how to solve the problems of life which he himself tried to avoid by becoming a professor.

A statistician is a man who draws a mathematically precise line from an unwarranted assumption to a foregone conclusion.

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Used Car Buyers Warned Not to Buy Mortgaged Autos

Buyers of used cars were warned Thursday to secure from the acceptable proof of ownership as the state highway department moved toward wiping out the title and mortgaged vehicles in Texas.

All county tax collectors have received instructions to hold line in requiring proof of ownership on all applications for title. E. J. Amey, director of motor vehicle registration, announced. Applications for Texas titles are made through local collectors under the present

Properly assigned certificate title from any of the 30 states having a title law similar to Texas is the best evidence of ownership. Purchaser should insist upon a release of any lien recorded on a Texas title or a title issued by any other state," Amey said.

Outlining minimum acceptable ownership proof of vehicles brought into Texas from any of 17 non-title states, which includes Louisiana, Amey announced. "We will accept a 1945 use receipt from Louisiana or other non-title state and the current receipt if both are in the name of the person applying for Texas title."

"Bills of sale showing all liens in ownership must supplement such 1945 license receipt, applicant for a Texas title is the same person in whose name the receipt is issued," he said.

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The Proof of the Pudding

DEMOCRACY—as we understand the term—is "as old as the hills." There are few cases on record in which it functioned unsuccessfully. It was never voluntarily abandoned by the people who lived under it. Its demise in various nations and at various times, was almost always the result of political brigandage on the part of some power-grasping individual or group.

Consider the astounding conceit of an individual who has the impertinence to claim that he, with his small group, must rule the majority for the majority's own good. Consider the tragic results of almost every political dictatorship in the world's history. Consider what it has accomplished in Russia as an illustration. That country, 25 years ago, had a magnificent opportunity to forge ahead in "co-operative competition" with the other great nations. It is true that the United States and Great Britain were much further advanced industrially and educationally than was Russia and that she had "to start from scratch."

But 25 years is a long time, and if we will discount the "bellywash" which has been forced down our throats during that time, and will instead give credence to actual knowledge—we are compelled to realize that Russia has progressed little materially and has retrogressed morally; while on the other hand the democratic nations have forged ahead almost unbelievably—at least materially. And had it not been for the late unpleasant interlude conceived by totalitarian Hitler, our advance would have been so much greater that Russia would now seem but an economic wilderness by comparison.

Incidentally, the Soviets could not possibly have held out against the Germans had the United States and Great Britain not poured supplies and modern fighting machinery into her arsenals.

In these last 25 years the population of Russia has shrunk considerably; her standard of living seems even more pitiful than it was under the Czars; she has not to this day rid herself of the incubus of potential recurrent famine; she has discarded

Mrs. T. W. Rodgers of Estelline and her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Price Rodgers of Amarillo, spent the past week visiting in Taos, N. M. Miss Zella Burch returned home with Mrs. T. W. Rodgers for a visit at Estelline.



FRENCH VETS SEEK PENSION INCREASE . . . French veterans, some of whom fought in World Wars I and II, are shown as they paraded before the French finance ministry in the Place De L'Opera to plead for an increase in their pensions. Many of the men are amputees, almost all wear decorations.

64-Hour Week— AND THEY GET NO OVER-TIME

Pity the poor farm housewife who works a 64-hour week, with no added rewards for over-time! At least, this was the report of 183 farm housewives interviewed in a study by the Vermont Agricultural Experiment Station. And Florence Low, associate specialist in home management for the Texas A. and M. College extension service, says she expects the average farm or ranch woman in Texas spends every bit as much time on housework.

The Vermont farm women found the time they spent on housework figured about 59 per cent of their waking hours, and the hours of housework varied with individuals all the way from 54 to 129 hours. Those who spent the most time with household tasks had large families and young children, while those who spent the last time had hired help or family aid.

Three jobs—preparing meals, house cleaning, and dish washing—required the lion's share of housework hours. Preparing meals required a fourth of the total time, house cleaning almost another fourth, and dishwashing about a sixth. Other household jobs included: Care of children and the sick, nine per cent of the time; laundry, cleaning, mending and sewing, nine per cent; canning and preserving, six per cent; marketing and household business, three per cent.

Since preparing meals, house cleaning and dish washing not only required most of the homemakers' time but also were described as "most tiring" and "most disliked," Mrs. Low advises Texas homemakers to study these three jobs for short cuts. Greater efficiency, sometimes easily achieved, cuts down on drudgery and will leave more time for recreation and pleasure, she points out.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Coursey are vacationing in Colorado.

Farmers Warned Against Outbreak Of Hog Cholera

Farmers were warned this week to guard against the danger of outbreaks of hog cholera in the hazardous months of early fall.

This is one of the seasons of greatest danger from hog cholera, the American Foundation for Animal Health declared, and livestock men were advised to keep a close watch on their swine droves and have all pigs vaccinated early.

Vaccination, along with sound sanitation practices and proper feeding, constitute the best safeguards for a sure pig crop, the foundation pointed out. Because infection can be spread by a hog coming down with cholera, even before pronounced symptoms appear, hog raisers were urged to keep a close watch on their droves for signs of fever, loss of appetite, or weakness. "If evidence of illness appears, suspect cholera first," the foundation said, "and have a veterinarian make a diagnosis at once."

"In the meantime, if pigs have not been vaccinated, it is wise to have this done immediately, making sure, first, that they are in condition to receive the immunization."

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas H. Withers of La Grange, Ky., are visiting here with Mr. and Mrs. B. J. Ellerd. Mr. Withers is a brother of Mrs. Ellerd.

Mrs. Sam Hardage has just returned from vacationing in Columbus, Ga. She accompanied Mrs. James T. Hardage, who joined her husband, Cpl. Hardage, a member of the AAF at Lawson Field, Ga. Mrs. Hardage says this was her first trip to her home state since she was six years old.

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